**Pronouncing them Husband and Wife**

Now that you have joined yourselves in matrimony, may you strive always to meet this commitment with the same spirit you now exhibit. We all bear witness to this ceremony you have just performed and you may now call yourselves by those old and respected names, husband and wife. May God bless this union. You may kiss the bride.

Variant 2.

Inasmuch as \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ have consented in holy wedlock and have witness the same before God, according to the powers vested in me by this state and being an ordained minister of the Gospel, I pronounce that you are husband and wife. In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, those whom God has joined together let no one put asunder.

Variant 3.

Inasmuch as you have consented together in this ceremony to live in wedlock and have sealed your vows in the presence of your family and friends, and by the giving of these rings, it gives me great pleasure to pronounce that you are now husband and wife.

You may kiss your bride.

Variant 4.

Before this gathering of family and friend \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ have promised each other their love. They have confirmed their promises by joining hands and exchanging rings. Therefore, on this day, I proclaim that they are husband and wife.

You may seal your vows with a kiss!