



**PRENUPTIAL INQUIRY FORM
AND
NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION**

**ARCHDIOCESE OF LOS ANGELES
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE OFFICE
(213) 637-7228**

Groom: _____ Bride: _____

Date/time of the nuptial celebration: _____ at _____

Location: _____

- Celebration of Matrimony within Mass Celebration of Matrimony without Mass
 Celebration of Matrimony between a Catholic and a Catechumen or a Non-Christian

Presider of the Liturgy: _____

Date of Rehearsal: _____ at _____

Best Man: _____

Maid/Matron of Honor: _____

Entered in Marriage Register: Volume _____ Page _____

Church and date of Groom's Baptism: _____

Notification of Marriage: Date _____ Sent _____ or entered in Baptismal Register: Volume _____ Page _____

Church and date of Bride's Baptism: _____

Notification of Marriage: Date _____ Sent _____ or entered in Baptismal Register: Volume _____ Page _____

Required notification sent to appropriate state agency on: _____/_____/_____

I hereby delegate Reverend/Deacon _____ to witness, within the limits of this parish, at the marriage of the parties named above.

Name of Pastor or Archbishop's Delegate: _____

Please Print

Signature: _____ Date: _____

**Date of Marriage and Necessary Documentation
Check List**

Priest/Deacon Preparing the Couple: _____

- Date of Initial Appointment: Date: _____ Time: _____
- Additional Appointment: Date: _____ Time: _____
- Additional Appointment: Date: _____ Time: _____

Marriage is Clear of Impediments:

- Marriage reserved in the Mass Book
Date: _____ **Time:** _____
- Marriage date noted in Celebrant Appointment Book

Marriage Preparation:

- Marriage Preparation Program (Proof of Attendance)
- Prenuptial Inquiry Form

Copy of Records for the File:

Groom Bride

- Current** Baptismal Certificate (6 months or less before the wedding date)
(Note: Check back of Baptismal Certificate for "Notations" of prior valid bonds and First Communion and Confirmation information)
- First Communion if Catholic
- Confirmation if Catholic (Note: c. 1065 § 1 Catholics who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation are to receive it before they are admitted to marriage **if it can be done without serious inconvenience**)
- Pre-Nuptial Witness Affidavit
- Marriage License (Note: Valid for 90 days from date obtained)

Additional Records (If Required):

- Declaration of Nullity
- Death Certificate

Dispensations or Permissions (If Required):

- Disparity of Worship
- Mixed Marriage
- Canonical Form
- Lack of Form
- Testimonial Letters

NOTES: _____

