



Professional Portraits are Priceless!

Agreement for Wedding Photography

Wedding Date: _____ Time: _____

Bride's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Groom's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address after Wedding: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Name of Client(s): _____ (Hereinafter known as Contracting Party)

Photography fee agreed to: _____ (plus applicable taxes)

1. This agreement constitutes an order for wedding photography services, including the taking of wedding pictures as agreed to by both parties—photographer (f.c.geil and/or Black Eagle Studios, both hereinafter known as “Photographer”), and Contracting Party. It is understood that any and all proofs, final or sample prints, digital files, and negatives, and all rights to them remain the property of the Photographer and may be used for advertising, display, sale, or any other purpose thought proper by the Photographer.
2. Although all care will be taken with digital files and the photographs taken at the wedding, the Photographer limits any liability for loss, damage, or failure to deliver pictures for any reason to the return of all deposits made.
3. It is understood and agreed that no other photographer, amateur or professional, will be allowed to photograph or take pictures while the Photographer is working, and that any breach of this agreement shall constitute a reason for non-completion of the job with no liability to the Photographer and shall result in the loss of any deposit(s) made by Contracting Party.
4. On signing of this agreement by both parties hereto, the Photographer will reserve the date and times agreed upon, and will not make another reservation for the specific date and period. For this reason, all deposits are non-refundable even if the date is changed or if the wedding becomes cancelled for any reason.
5. A deposit of \$400.00 is due at the signing of this agreement, with a further deposit of the greater of 50% of remaining balance or \$400.00, to be paid at least two weeks prior to the wedding date, and the remainder to be paid on the date of the wedding upon completion of photography.
6. Contracting Party hereby releases, discharges, and agrees to save harmless the Photographer, its heirs, legal representatives, assigns, employees or any persons or corporations acting under permission or authority from the Photographer from and against any liability as a result of any distortion, blurring or alteration, optical illusion or use in composite form, either intentionally or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in the taking, processing, or reproduction of the photographs.
7. We hereby grant to Photographer, his heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, those for whom Photographer is acting, and those acting with his authority and permission, the irrevocable and unrestricted right and permission to take, use, re-use, publish, and republish photographic portraits or pictures of us or in which we may be included, in whole or in part, or composite or distorted in character or form, without restriction as to changes or alterations, in conjunction with our own or fictitious names, or reproductions thereof in color or otherwise, made through any medium at his studios or elsewhere, and in any and all media now or hereafter known for illustration, promotion, art, editorial, advertising, trade, or any other purpose whatsoever. We also consent to the use of any published matter in conjunction therewith.
8. In the event that Photographer is unable to provide coverage, Photographer will make his best efforts to secure the services of an alternate qualified photographer; however, the liability of Photographer in any event shall be limited to the refund of the deposits then paid.
9. **NOTICE OF COPYRIGHT:** It is **ILLEGAL** to copy or reproduce these photographs elsewhere without Photographer's written permission, and violators of this Federal Law will be subject to its civil and criminal penalties.

ALL TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT ARE UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED UPON.

Authorized signature of the Photographer: _____

Signature of Contracting Party _____

Date _____

Name of Witness _____

Signature _____