

I Dear Friends & Families of Ed Carney and Amy
Calightly

- 1) We are here not solely as witnesses
but as participants in the marriage of Ed
and Amy. This is a soc. event. Not private affair. Can
elope to Fiji Isl. & not private.
Many lives touched, many hearts
bonded - from Calif. to Can., & from
to Ga.
- 2) But more than soc. event -
Pers. Commit. Two lives, each
complete - center of values, meaning,
decision are joined as one, but
neither will consume or reduce the other.
- 3) But more is more than pers. commit.
A sacred vow. In God's house and
before altar tree. It is God's presence
& blessing we seek. For unless God
builds the house - - - - -

II Let us Pray -

God of Love & giver of every good & perfect gift
give your blessing to Ed & Amy. Make their
love as strong as ropes of steel & refresh their
love every morning - Amen.

III Who gives this woman - - - ?

IV Ed + Amy - This moment unlike all others.
Moment of total trust + love.

Say to you again what you already know -

Love is patient + kind; love is not
envious or arrogant or rude. Love does not
insist on its own way. Love is not resentful
or irritable. Love never comes to an end.

V Ed, will you have Amy to be your wife, and
will you love + support her as long as you
live a faithful husband?

Amy, will you have Ed to be your husband,
and will you love + support him as a
faithful wife?

VI Join right hands + repeat -

I, Ed Carney, take you Amy Holightly,
to be my wife. I will love you, in all
circumstances. Before God, I make this promise.

I, Amy Holightly, take you Ed Carney to
be my husband. I will love you, in all
circumstances. Before God, I make this promise.

VII What sign + symbol of your loves do you
bring?

To mean this ring is to say to each other,
to your friends, + to the world - ours is not a
fascination but a commitment

Ed - With this ring I pledge my love + and
join my life to yours.

Amy - - - -

VIII Inasmuch as you have - - - -

IX Let us pray -

Almighty God, give us the enablement of
your own love a full measure of trust +
kindness + gratitude + pour it in abundance
on this marriage.

All of us present join our hearts of
thine as we pray for the prayer our
Lord taught us.

Our Father hallowed
your kingdom, your will - - -
Thine is this day - - -
And forgive us - - - -
and lead us not - - - -
For thine -