

Hawthorne Wedding

Enter Minister, Groom

Processional Music

Wedding Family is seated

Bride to Middle

Who gives this woman to be married here today?

Greeting

Welcome everyone to the Bradley Hawthorne & Paige Mathena wedding. They are so glad to have you here on this special day... but really Bradley & Paige we are so happy to be here with you.

Bradley & Paige have an inseparable love...

They are as inseparable as Camp Crystal Lake and Jason Vorheese...

Inseparable as Freddy Krueger and striped sweaters...

Inseparable as kitchen knives and Michael Myers.

All Halloween weekend jokes aside, your inseparable love for one another is what has brought us all here today.

We live in a broken messed up world. No one would disagree that there is too much hatred in this world, but for the next few moments I want to declare there is not enough love in the world.

We may even have trouble understanding what love is. How do we define love? The answer to that question has everything to do with your lives together.

1 Cor 13:4-8(NIV) 4 Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. 5 It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. 6 Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. 7 It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. 8 Love never fails...

The Bible gives us this definition of love, and here today I would like all who are gathered here to ask the question...
“Does this define my love?”

Is my love patient?

Real love is being patient with one another.

Is my love kind?

Real love does not let the frustrations of the day over-run our loving kindness.

Is your love easily angered? Does your love keep a record of wrongs?

Bradley & Paige, may your love be so true that you are not easily angered with one another, and be quick to forgive.

Lord let us have a love that always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres... a love that never fails...

Many things may fail... the government, the economy, the Dallas Cowboys, but God tells us there is a love that never fails.

Bradley & Paige - Please join right hands!

VOWS

Bradley – repeat after me.

I, Bradley, take you Paige, to be my wedded wife, to have and hold, from this day forward, for better for worse, for richer for poorer, in sickness and health, to comfort and cherish, to honor and keep, in joy and sorrow, to preserve this vow, holy and unbroken, until the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ, or until God by death shall separate us.

Paige – repeat after me.

I, Paige, take Bradley, to be my wedded husband, to have and hold, from this day forward, for better for worse, for richer for poorer, in sickness and health, to comfort and cherish, to honor and keep, in joy and sorrow, to preserve this vow, holy and unbroken, until the coming of

the Lord Jesus Christ, or until God by death shall separate us.

RINGS

Bradley, this ring is a symbol of consecration of your endless love for Paige, and a pledge of your faithfulness, devotion, loyalty and trust!

With this ring I thee wed, in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ

Paige, this ring is a symbol of consecration of your endless love for Bradley, and a pledge of your faithfulness, devotion, loyalty and trust!

With this ring I thee wed, in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Prayer

By the authority invested in me as a minister of the Gospel, and according to the laws of the State of Texas, I now declare Bradley & Paige husband and wife. *“What therefore God hath joined together, let no man separate.”*

Groom, you may kiss your wife.

Ladies and Gentlemen, Mr. and Mrs.
Bradley & Paige Hawthorne.

Recessional Song

Guest invited to reception.