

# Ceremony Music Suggestions

## TRADITIONAL SUGGESTIONS

### Processional (Groomsmen, Mothers, and/or Bridesmaids)

- \_ Air in F from *Water Music* – Handel
- \_ Air on the G String – Bach
- \_ Arioso – Bach
- \_ Canon in D – Pachelbel
- \_ Erev Shel Shoshanim (Evening of Roses)\*
- \_ Hana'ava Babanot (The Fairest of Maidens)\*
- \_ Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring – Bach
- \_ Sheep May Safely Graze – Bach
- \_ Wachet Auf – Bach

### Bride Processional

- \_ Bridal Chorus – Wagner
- \_ Canon in D – Pachelbel
- \_ Erev Ba (Evening Comes)\*
- \_ Largo from "Winter" of *The Four Seasons* – Vivaldi
- \_ Prelude from *Te Deum* – Marc Antoine Charpentier
- \_ Trumpet Tune – Henry Clarke
- \_ Trumpet Voluntary (a.k.a. *The Prince of Denmark's March* by Jeremiah Clarke) – Henry Purcell

### During the Ceremony

- \_ Ave Maria – Schubert or Bach version+
- \_ Celtic Alleluia – Traditional Hymn+
- \_ For the Beauty of the Earth – Traditional Hymn
- \_ Meditation from *Thais* – Massenet (this is particularly good for the Unity Candle)
- \_ O Mio Babbino Caro – Puccini+
- \_ O Perfect Love – Traditional Hymn/Barnby (this is particularly good for the Unity Candle)
- \_ Panis Angelicus – Franck +
- \_ The Lord's Prayer – Mallote+
- \_ The Prayer – Sager and Foster+

### Recessional

- \_ Allegro from "Autumn" of *The Four Seasons* – Vivaldi
- \_ Allegro from "Spring" of *The Four Seasons* – Vivaldi
- \_ Arrival of the Queen of Sheba from *Solomon* – Handel
- \_ Brandenburg Concerto No. 3 – Bach
- \_ Hornpipe from *Water Music* – Handel
- \_ Le Rejouissance from *Royal Fireworks* – Handel
- \_ Ode to Joy – Beethoven
- \_ Rondeau in D Major, theme from *Masterpiece Theater* – Mouret
- \_ Siman Tov (Congratulations – Good Luck!)\*
- \_ Wedding March – Mendelssohn

- \_ The Wedding Song – Kenny G
- \_ Theme from the movie *Shakespeare in Love* – Warbeck
- \_ To a Wild Rose from *Woodland Sketches* – MacDowell

### Bride Processional

- \_ Adagio from *Concerto Grosso No. 8* (Christmas Concerto) – Corelli
- \_ At Last – Warren
- \_ Can't Take My Eyes Off of You – Crewe/Goudio
- \_ Hallelujah from *Shrek* – Rufus Wainwright
- \_ Sonata in C minor, Op. 13 ("Pathétique") – Beethoven
- \_ Processional from the Sound of Music
- \_ Simple Gifts – Brackett
- \_ Storybook Love from *The Princess Bride* – DeVille/Masson
- \_ Theme from the movie *Shakespeare in Love* – Warbeck
- \_ What a Wonderful World – Weiss

### During the Ceremony

- \_ All I Ask of You from *Phantom of the Opera* – Webber
- \_ Gymnopedie #2 – Satie (this is particularly good for the Unity Candle)
- \_ One Hand, One Heart from *West Side Story* – Bernstein+
- \_ The Rose from *The Rose* – McBroom (this is particularly good for a time of remembrance)
- \_ The Swan from *Carnival of the Animals* – Saint-Saens

### Recessional

- \_ All You Need Is Love – The Beatles
- \_ Clocks – Coldplay
- \_ Don't Stop Believin' – Journey
- \_ God Only Knows – Beach Boys
- \_ Viva la Vida – Coldplay

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## Non-traditional

### Processional (Groomsmen, Mothers, and/or Bridesmaids)

- \_ Dawn from *Pride and Prejudice* – Marianelli
- \_ Fields of Gold – Sting
- \_ Promenade from *Pictures at an Exhibition* – Mussorgsky