

Wedding Agreement
Mother Lode Church, Coloma, CA

Believing that marriage is the most sacred human relationship that can be entered into, all those who wish to use the facilities of Mother Lode Church must understand and agree with the following statements:

Mother Lode Church reserves the right to refuse marriage to anyone it deems non-compliant with Mother Lode Church's By-laws. Under the guidance of the Pastor of Mother Lode Church, with approval of the Board of Elders and at the Board's sole discretion, the marriage of non-members, who are of like faith, whose lives and testimony are in accordance with the biblical requirements for marriage and who totally agree with the doctrine regarding marriage found in *ARTICLE IV, SECTION 1*, may be performed.

ARTICLE IV: CORE VALUES

As a people united in and committed to the person and work of Jesus Christ, the following statement of Core Values seeks to clarify what we value in the life and ministry of our church body. The intent is not to include everything we believe, but to define the driving values that motivate and steer our ministry.

SECTION 1: BIBLICAL TRUTH

8. We believe that sexual intimacy is a wonderful gift of God that is only to be expressed between one man and one woman (as genetically defined) within the love and bonds of marriage (Gen. 2:24-25; Matt. 19:4-6; 1 Cor. 7:3-5; Heb. 13:4). Therefore we believe that any other form of sexual intimacy is both immoral and a perversion of God's gift (Lev. 18:1-30; Prov. 6:32; 1 Cor. 6:18; Rom. 1: 26-27; 1 Thess. 4: 3-8).

Names of couple to be married:

(Groom)

(Bride)

It is our desire to use the facility of Mother Lode Church for our wedding. We are in agreement with Mother Lode Church's statement of belief concerning marriage, as described in *ARTICLE IV, SECTION 1*.

(Groom's Signature)

(Bride's Signature)