



## Weddings of Heart

### Elements of a Wedding Ceremony

Processional  
Introductory Remarks  
Wedding Invocation  
Reading and/or Ritual Elements  
Optional Personal Story about the Couple  
Address about Marriage  
Acknowledgement of Families  
Support of Friends  
Expression of Intent  
Exchange of Vows  
Blessing and Exchange of Rings  
Optional Reading and/or Ritual Element  
Benediction  
Pronouncement  
Kiss  
Recessional

### Sample Ritual Elements

Exchange of Wine	Unity Candle
Exchange of Roses	Lasso/Veil/Cord
Exchange of First Gift	Breaking the Glass
Hand Blessing	Jumping the Broom
Handfasting	Passing the Peace
Release of Doves	San San Kudo Ceremony
Release of Butterflies	Exchange of the Quaich
Family Medallion Ceremony	Crowning Ceremony
Seven Steps and Seven Blessings	Encircling with Flowers

And many others

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