

The Dove Release Ceremony
Ceremony Enhancement



Officiant: " " Groom and Bride have elected to symbolize their life long commitment to their marriage by releasing doves. Doves are a perfect choice for this symbolic moment since they are recognized around the world to represent peace. Doves are also an appropriate choice for this moment since they mate for life just as we wish Groom and Bride marriage to be for life."



Officiant: "As we watch these beautiful creatures soar up into the sky, Groom and Bride would like to let you know that these doves are trained for this release and are now using their natural tracking abilities to navigate their way back to their home. This too is symbolic for today's marriage. Since we have just witnessed Groom and Bride make promises to be together for life we can say that we have witnessed this couple begin to soar towards their new life and home together."

Description: Doves are released

Description: Dove Poem Read by Officiant

Two doves meeting in the sky

Two loves hand in hand, eye to eye

Two parts of a loving whole

Two hearts and a single soul



*Two stars shining big and bright
Two fires bringing warmth and light
Two songs played in perfect tune
Two flowers growing into bloom*

Two Doves gliding in the air
Two loves free without a care
Two parts of a loving whole
Two hearts and a single soul



-- Unknown Author

Time: Approximately 1 to 2 minutes in length

Supplies:

- Trained Doves
- Appropriate container to house the doves until the release
- Must be conducted at an outdoor ceremony

Placement: This Ceremony Enhancement is usually done at the end of the ceremony



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