

Diocese of Stockton

Parish of _____

City _____

STATUS OF DOCUMENTS

- 1) Whenever a marriage is to be performed *outside the Diocese of Stockton*, this form, properly filled out, together with all other required documents (Form A, B, baptismal record, dispensations/permissions, etc.), is to be submitted in good time to the Chancery Office. After the "nihil obstat" has been placed thereon by a duly authorized Chancery official, this document and all the other documents are to be forwarded to the parish where the marriage is to take place. All of the documents are to be filed in the latter parish.
- 2) When a marriage is to be performed outside the proper parish, *but within the Diocese of Stockton*, this form, properly filled out, is to be sent to the parish where the marriage is to be performed. All other documents are to be kept in the files of the proper parish. (The "nihil obstat" of the Chancery is not required in this circumstance.)

GROOM	BRIDE
Full name _____	Full name _____
having a domicile or dwelling at _____	having a domicile or dwelling at _____
in the parish of _____	in the parish of _____
son of (Father's name) _____	daughter of (Father's name) _____
and (Name and maiden name of Mother) _____	and (Name and maiden name of Mother) _____
born in (City, State) _____	born in (City, State) _____
date (of birth) _____	date (of birth) _____
baptized in (Parish, City, State) _____	baptized in (Parish, City, State) _____
date _____	date _____
confirmed in (Parish, City, State) _____	confirmed in (Parish, City, State) _____
date _____	date _____
widower since (date) _____	widow since (date) _____

The banns were published (Yes—No) _____

The following dispensations/permissions were requested (name each) _____

Dispensation(s)/permission(s) was (were) granted _____

(NAME OF CHANCERY, DATE OF GRANT)

The free state to marry of the Groom has been established by means of _____

The free state to marry of the Bride has been established by means of _____

Place _____

Date _____

(Signature of Pastor or Authorized Priest)

(over)

The couple named on this form are adequately and properly prepared for marriage and may be married, according to the prescriptions of law, outside of this parish.

Place _____

Date _____

(Parish Seal)

Pastor or Delegate

The documents assembled for the marriage of the couple named on this form are in proper order.

Place _____

Date _____

(Seal of the Chancery)

Ordinary or his Delegate

(The following section is to be completed at the Church where the marriage is celebrated.)

The couple named on this form were married on

Date _____ at _____ Church, in the
city of _____

Diocese of _____ before the undersigned minister.

(Parish Seal)

Official Witness

The Pastor of the place of celebration of the marriage is to see to it that the marriage is recorded in the parish register and that the place of baptism of the Catholic parties is informed of the marriage. (See canons 1121, par. 1, and 1122, par. 2)