



# DIOCESE OF CHEYENNE

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OFFICE OF THE TRIBUNAL

## PRE-NUPTIAL INVESTIGATION

Each party must be interviewed alone. The pastor or his delegate will propose the questions and write the given answers.

The pastor or his delegate, having reminded the party of the sacred character and binding force of an oath, will ask: "Do you solemnly swear to tell the truth and nothing but the truth in answering the questions that shall be proposed to you, so help you God?"

Indicate the party's response to the oath: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Your full name (Maiden Name, if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (Type: Home, Cell, Work)  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Your religion: \_\_\_\_\_ If Catholic, which Rite/Church *sui iuris*: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Your parish: \_\_\_\_\_ Your (Arch)diocese: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Date and Place of Birth (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_

	Father's		Mother's
Name: (F M L)	_____	Maiden Name:	_____
Address:	_____	Address:	_____
Religion:	_____	Religion:	_____

4. Were you ever baptized? \_\_\_\_\_ In what religion? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Place (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_

5. If you were received into the Catholic Church by a Profession of Faith, please provide the following:  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Place (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_

**(A Catholic must present a baptismal certificate or certificate of profession of faith issued within the past 6 months.)**

**Questions 6 through 10 are asked only of Catholics.**

6. Have you made your First Holy Communion?  Yes  No
7. Have you been confirmed?  Yes  No  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Place (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_
8. How would you describe your participation in the Sacraments (attendance at Mass, reception of the Sacraments of Penance and Eucharist)? \_\_\_\_\_
9. (For a Catholic man) Have you received the Sacrament of Holy Orders?  Yes  No

10. Have you made a public perpetual vow of chastity in a religious institute?  Yes  No  
If "Yes" to either Question 10 or 11, please provide: Date of dispensation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Protocol Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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11. Have you ever previously been married, or attempted even a civil marriage, or lived in a common law union with someone other than your intended spouse?  Yes  No If "yes," how many times: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name(s) of former spouse(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
How did the prior marriage(s) end?  By the death of the spouse\* Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_  
 By ecclesiastical annulment\* Date of decree: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribunal and Protocol Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 By favor of the faith case\* Date of decree: \_\_\_\_\_  
Diocese/Dicastery and Protocol Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please provide a copy of the death certificate or the appropriate ecclesiastical document.**

12. Are you related to your intended spouse by blood (kinship), by a legal relationship (in-laws) or by adoption?  
 Yes  No If "yes," please describe the relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Do you have any physical, emotional or psychological situations which may seriously affect your marriage?  
 Yes  No If "yes," please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are you attaching any conditions, restrictions or reservations of any kind to your consent to this marriage?  
 Yes  No If "yes," please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Is any person or circumstance forcing you to enter this marriage against your will?  Yes  No

16. Do you intend to enter a permanent marriage that can be dissolved only by death?  Yes  No

17. Do you intend to be faithful to your intended spouse always?  Yes  No

18. If of childbearing age, do you intend to be open to the procreation and education of children?  Yes  No

19. How long have you known your intended spouse? \_\_\_\_\_  
When did you begin dating? \_\_\_\_\_  
When were you engaged? \_\_\_\_\_

**WHEN THE PARTY IS UNDER 18 YEAR OF AGE:**

20. Have the parents of this person been consulted about this marriage?  Yes  No  
Have they given their consent?  Yes  No  
If "No," please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

**By my signature, I hereby affirm the truth of all the statements I have made on this form:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF PARTY

\_\_\_\_\_  
PARISH, CITY, STATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF PASTOR OR DELEGATE

(PARISH SEAL)