



Parents of the Bride
Dagmar & Richard Celeste

Parents of the Groom
Patricia & James Benedict

Bridal Party
Danielle Cassel, Gabriella Celeste,
Natalie Celeste and Melissa Welch

Officiant
The Very Reverend Tracey Lind

Groomsmen
Chris Brosnan, Brad Jones, Greg
Moore and T.J. Rose

Ring Bearer
Josephine Celeste

Musicians
Caroline Curatola, Lisa Goddard, Marina Kifferstein, and Eric Tannenbaum,
students of the Oberlin Conservatory

This day was made possible with the support and creative spirit of so many friends and family. Thanks to everyone who has participated in our amazing year of transition, and special thanks to those whose gifts and talents helped to create this celebration: James Benedict for the beautifully hand-crafted wedding arbor, Dagmar Celeste for the incredible island home, Eric Celeste for his inspiring design, Andrew Morrell for helping us capture the day, Nick Pecko for creating a celebration soundtrack, Marvin Robinson for his help with island logistics, and Brandon Sitler for the lovely flower arrangements.

A wedding is a time for blessings, celebration and joy.

You are here as a member of a precious community brought together to witness as we stand before you to make our sacred promises to each other. Dean Tracey Lind has guided us in creating a ceremony that celebrates this, our wedding day, on the shores of a great lake and embraced by our family and friends.

May all who have come here today feel welcome. And may each of you see reflected in this day the love, faith, creativity, humor and wonder that we want to bring to all of our days together.

We are so grateful for your presence.