

Sample Programs

Below you will find samples of wedding ceremony programs that work particularly well for all of our ensembles-violin and cello duo, trio and string quartet. We hope you enjoy them, and are inspired to choose the songs that will make your ceremony unforgettable.

Traditional: joyful, sophisticated and refined

Processional: Pachelbel's: Canon in D

Signing: Vivaldi: Winter from the Four Seasons

Recessional: Handel: Hornpipe II from the Water Music

Framed by the Pachelbel and Handel is the lovely "Winter from the Four Seasons" by Vivaldi. The interplay between the bowed strings of the violin, and the 'pizzicato' or plucked strings of the cello creates a very interesting and intimate sound.

Romantic: elegant, smooth and graceful

Processional: Pachelbel's: Canon in D **Signing**: Massenet: Meditation from *Thais* **Recessional**: Mendelssohn: Wedding March

Pachelbel's Canon is such an elegant and calming piece of music, and one of the most popular requests for the processional. It sounds fantastic played by a duo, trio or quartet, and is easy to walk down the isle to this beautiful piece

Spring Garden: light, fresh and airy

Processional: Mouret: Rondeau **Signing:** Bach: Wachet Auf

Recessional: Handel: Hornpipe from the Water Music

Mouret's Rondeau is a wonderful fresh and light piece to be played for the bridal processional. Its slightly bouncy character makes for a light hearted and fun processional. Perfect for a garden wedding!

Eclectic: fun, modern with a personal touch

Processional: Beatles: Here Comes the Sun **Signing**: Christina Perri: A Thousand Years **Recessional**: The Verve: Bittersweet Symphony

This grouping of songs adds a contemporary and modern feel to the classic wedding ceremony. Keep in mind that Duo d'Amore is often able to custom arrange popular songs to give your ceremony an unexpected twist.

Classic Mass: warm, full and traditional

Bridesmaids Processional: Bach Air on the G-string

Bride Processional: Canon in D **Signing**: Bach-Gounod: Ave Maria

Communion: Bach: Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring

Recessional: Handel: La Rejouissance from the Royal Fireworks

Listen to our performance of Ave Maria, and you will get a sense of how wonderful this grouping of songs will sound. The violin begins quietly while the cellist takes centre stage with its absolutely stunning singing tone. The other selections help to enhance the warmth and richness of this group of ceremony songs.