

Traditional Wording of Invitations

By Mother and Father

*Mr. and Mrs. James Brown
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

By Bride and Groom

*Miss Susan Leigh Bradigan
And
Mr. Anthony David Jones
request the honour of your presence
at their marriage
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

By both Bride's and Groom's Families

*Mr. and Mrs. James Brown
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

By Groom's Family

*Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Johnson
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of
Miss Marian Elise Brown
to their son
Alan Robert Jones
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

One Parent Deceased; Mother Issuing Invitations

*Mrs. James Brown
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

One Parent Deceased; Mother Remarried

*Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Nelson
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter
Marian Elise Brown
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

One Parent Deceased; Father Issuing Invitations

*Mr. James Brown
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of his daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

One Parent Deceased; Father Remarried

*Mr. and Mrs. James Brown
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of his daughter
Marian Elise Brown
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Both Parents Deceased; Married brother
or married sister issuing Invitations

*Mr. and Mrs. James Paul Miller
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of his (her) sister
Marian Elise Miller
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Military Wedding

*Mr. and Mrs. James Brown
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marian Elise
to
Captain Alan Robert Jones
Canadian Navy
On Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Both Parents Deceased; Older brother
issuing Invitations

*Mr. William E. Peters
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of his sister
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Both Bride's Parents Divorced and
remarried; Issued by her parents alone

*Mrs. Charles Smith
And
Mr. Robert Collins
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Both Bride's parents divorced and remarried; Issued to include step parents

*Mr. and Mrs. James Brown
and
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Divorced Parents; Divorced Father issuing invitations

*Mr. William Jefferson
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of his daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Divorced Parents; Divorced Mother issuing invitations

*Mrs. Bernice Jefferson
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter
Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones
Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten
at five o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

Second Marriages

*Invitations are worded the same,
except that the bride's married name
is used.*

Double Wedding: When Brides are Sisters

*Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Matthews
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughters*

*Marian Elise
to
Alan Robert Jones*

And

Suzanne Kaye

To

Mr. Jeremy Edmund Jefferson

*Saturday, the twenty-second of June
two thousand and ten*

at five o'clock

Saint Thomas Church

Markham, Ontario

Double Wedding; When brides are not sisters

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Randall

And

*Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Matthews
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughters*

Judith Ann Randall

to

Mr. Joseph Samuel Ashman

and Marian Elise Matthews

To

Mr. John Edward Spencer

Saturday, the twenty-second of June

two thousand and ten

at five o'clock

Saint Thomas Church

Markham, Ontario

Contemporary Wording of Invitations

*Our daughter, Susan
Will be married to
Bryan Andrew Brady
on Saturday, the eighth of June
two thousand and ten
at three o'clock in the afternoon at
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario
We invite you to worship with us,
witness their vows, and be our guest
at the reception and buffet to follow.
If you are unable to attend, we ask
your presence in thought and prayer.*

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Peterson

*Beautiful is the miracle of love
they will give each other.
The holy ceremony uniting our
daughter Teresa Maria
and William Lee Keats
will take place Saturday,
June twentieth
two thousand and ten
at four o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario
We joyfully ask you to witness
this celebration of life.*

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Evans

*Dr. and Mrs. David Bradley
and
Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitney
invite you to witness as their children
Marie and Bruce
share the Sacrament of Matrimony.
A wedding mass will celebrate
this union
Saturday, the eighth of June
two thousand and ten
at ten o'clock in the morning
Saint Thomas Church
Markham, Ontario*

*Our love is the flower that blossoms,
Our joy ... its lasting perfume.
We invite you to be with us
as we begin our new life together
on Saturday, April sixth
two thousand and ten
at six o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario

Catherine Ann Armstrong
and
William Edward Ashley*

*The sun, the stars, the sky, the earth
and all of God's creatures
join in His divine plan of the universe.*

*Come celebrate with us one
special part
the marriage of our daughter
Carol Ann*

to

*Stephen Louis Conrad
Saturday, July thirteenth
two thousand and ten
at one o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*

Richard and Elaine Armstrong

*Our joy will be more complete
if you can share in the ceremony
uniting our daughter*

*Susan Marie
and
Mr. Christopher Andrew Barrows*

*Saturday, the sixth of July
two thousand and ten
at two o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent A. Edwards

*The most joyous of occasions
is the union of man and woman
in celebration of life...
Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Winfield
invite you to share in the ceremony
uniting their daughter*

*Nancy Elaine
and*

*Mr. David Alan Nelson
Saturday, December fourteenth
two thousand and ten
at two o'clock
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitman

*A fresh new day... and it is ours
a day of happy beginnings
when we, Susan Marie Edwards
and Christopher Andrew Barrows
pledge our love as one
on Saturday, October fifth
two thousand and ten
at seven o'clock p.m.
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*

*Our joy will be more complete if you
can share in this celebration of life.*

*Carol Ann Stillman
and
Robert Alan Remington
invite you to share the joy of the
beginning of their new life together
when on Saturday, July sixth
two thousand and ten
at one o'clock
they exchange marriage vows
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*

*The more love is shared,
the more quickly it grows*

*Tracy L. Weber
and
Daniel J. Bristol
invite you to join them in celebrating
the beginning
of a new life together
on Saturday, the third of August
two thousand and ten
at two o'clock in the afternoon
Saint Thomas Church
110 Main Street
Markham, Ontario*