



WEDDING WELCOME GUIDE





HELLO FRIEND,

First of all, congratulations on your wedding!

Secondly, welcome to Catey Rice Photography & Design! We are so excited you are here! In this guide, you will find all of the information about a wedding experience with Catey Rice Photography & Design.

We know that hiring a wedding photographer is one of the most important parts of your wedding planning. The photographer you choose to capture your wedding is not just taking pictures. They are capturing memories that you will treasure forever. A good wedding photographer can help make your special day the most incredible experience.

This is why at Catey Rice Photography & Design, our mission is not only to provide you with amazing portraits that you will cherish forever. We also strive to create the best experience for you so you can focus on your special day.

Best,

Catey & Seth Rice

About Us

Photography is more than just taking a picture or capturing a moment. To us, it is about telling a story, preserving a connection, and keeping memories alive long after the moment has passed.

I'm Catey, a wife, mom to three energetic boys, Kirby, Quinn, and Brexton, and a lifelong storyteller through photography. I picked up my first DSLR camera in high school and started photographing friends and families simply because I loved it. More than twenty years later, that passion has only grown stronger.

Over the years, photography has allowed me to document countless milestones, celebrations, and everyday moments that families treasure for generations. What started as a creative hobby has become a meaningful way to serve others by preserving the people and moments that matter most.

As our family and business have grown, Seth has joined me behind the camera. His calm personality, attention to detail, and ability to make people feel comfortable bring a unique perspective to every session.

Together, we work as a team to create a relaxed, enjoyable experience while capturing authentic moments and genuine connections. We are constantly learning, growing, and refining our craft because we believe your memories deserve nothing less than our very best.

Packages

PACKAGE	INVESTMENT	INCLUDES
BRONZE COLLECTION	\$1500	-Up to 5 Hours of Coverage with Catey -Bridal OR Engagement Session -Private, Online Gallery featuring 75 Professionally Edited Images -Mobile App -Print Release
SILVER COLLECTION	\$2000	-Up to 8 Hours of Coverage with Catey and one assistant -Bridal OR Engagement Session -Private, Online Gallery featuring 100 Professionally Edited Images -Mobile App -\$100 Print Credit -Print Release
GOLD COLLECTION	\$2500	-Up to 10 Hours of Coverage with Catey and one assistant -Bridal & Engagement Sessions -Private, Online Gallery featuring 125 Professionally Edited Images -Mobile App -\$150 Print Credit -Print Release
PLATINUM COLLECTION	\$3000	-Up to 12 Hours of Coverage with Catey and one assistant -Bridal & Engagement Sessions -Private, Online Gallery featuring 150 Professionally Edited Images -Mobile App -\$200 Print Credit -Print Release

Prints & Products

One of the greatest joys of photography is seeing your images come to life beyond a screen. Whether displayed on the walls of your home, tucked into a beautiful wedding album, or shared with loved ones, printed images of your special day become treasured keepsakes that can be enjoyed for generations.

All of our collections include high-resolution digital images and a personal print release, giving you the freedom to print your photographs wherever and whenever you'd like.

For your convenience, professional-quality prints, canvases, wall art, albums, cards, and other keepsakes are also available for purchase directly through your online gallery.

When your gallery is delivered, you will receive a step-by-step guide with information on downloading your images, accessing your print release, and ordering professional print products through your gallery.



Before Your Big Day

WHAT TO EXPECT

We suggest that you book your wedding photographer 8-9 months in advance. Our calendars book up fast, so you will want to make sure you book as soon as you have a date. Once you have decided that you would like to book us as the photographers for your wedding (YAY!), we will schedule a Zoom call meeting (or meet in person) to ensure that we are a good fit. Once we meet and decide to move forward with the booking process, we will set up your workspace. In this workspace will live all of our documents and files for your wedding (contract, invoice, timeline, etc). You will receive a file that contains the contract and invoice.

A non-refundable retainer of $\frac{1}{3}$ the investment is due up front to hold your date. An additional $\frac{1}{3}$ of the investment will be due 3 months prior to the wedding and your final payment will be due 3 weeks prior to your date.

Once this file is complete, then your session will officially be booked on our calendar. Then, we begin the planning process! We will continue to collaborate to ensure we have a solid timeline and we are able to capture all of the best images from your special day.



Your Big Day

WHAT TO EXPECT

Once we arrive at the venue, we will greet you and the other vendors and then we will get to work.

We generally start out with the Getting Ready shots, which are images of the bride and bridal party as they get ready for the big day. We also like to get a few of the groom and groomsmen getting ready also.

Next, we will work on detail shots. These images focus on the most subtle details of your wedding. Some ideas for details are rings, hair pieces, flowers, invitations, or other unique items that are important to you.

We will then focus on your family and group portraits, the wedding ceremony, and finally reception photos.

However, prior to the wedding, we will decide on a timeline that works for your special day so we can capture all the perfect images and ensure we create a gallery that you will forever cherish.



"Photography for me is not looking, it's feeling. If you can't feel what you're looking at, then you're never going to get others to feel anything when they look at your pictures."

—Don McCullin

After Your Big Day

WHAT TO EXPECT

After the wedding, we get to work editing! We will go through all of the images captured and choose the best ones. We hand edit every single image to make sure it is absolutely perfect! We will post a sneak peek about one week after your wedding and the final gallery is usually delivered within 4-6 weeks. You will also receive a print release form so that you can print your images anywhere. We do partner with a professional printing company and you can order straight from your gallery!



Frequently Asked Questions

DO YOU TRAVEL FOR WEDDINGS?

Yes, we are happy to travel for your event. The cost of travel and reasonable accommodations can be added to our standard wedding package pricing.

WHICH PHOTOGRAPHER WILL BE SHOOTING MY WEDDING?

Catey will be the primary photographer for all weddings. Depending on the package you select, a second photographer or assistant may also participate.

WHAT IF MY EVENT GOES OVER OUR CONTRACTED TIME?

We understand that events don't always go as planned. If your contracted time is up, but your event is still underway, we are happy to stay. At the end of your contract time, we will ask you if you would like us to extend. If so, we will charge your contract rate and round it to the next 1/2 hour increment.

DO YOU OFFER VIDEOGRAPHY SERVICES WITH YOUR WEDDING PACKAGES?

Our specialty is wedding photography and I focus all of my time and attention on capturing your event through portraits. We do work with a wide variety of wedding professionals and are happy to team up with one of our suggested videographers. Just let us know when you book that this is a service that you would be interested in.



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DO I NEED TO ORDER PRINTS OR ALBUMS THROUGH YOU?

You are welcome to order your prints or other memorabilia from any print lab. Please note that while the cost of printing with your local photo lab may be enticing, retail printing services are non-archival, which means that they will not retain their quality over time. You may also notice less than desirable color results, as they do not always calibrate their equipment for an exact color match. We upload your portraits at the highest quality. If you do decide to print from a local printer, we cannot be responsible for the quality of physical products received from these printers.



Testimonial



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*"She's amazing! Our
pictures turned out so
beautiful I'm having trouble
choosing which one is going
to be the biggest on my
wall."*

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