



Getting married in Fiji

As at 2018

The first step to getting married in Fiji is the registration of the intent to marry with the Nadi Registry office.

Our wedding coordinator will be pleased to make an appointment when you arrive into Fiji.

The Nadi Registry office is open from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday through Friday, and the appointment will take 15 to 30 minutes – we need to be careful to avoid Fiji Public Holidays.

A representative from Muskets Nadi office will meet you and escort you to the Registry office to complete paperwork.

It is important to note both bride and groom will need to present an original or certified copy of the following:

- 1. Bride and Grooms original birth certificates
- 2. One recent passport photo of each
- 3. Valid identification card with photo (driver's license)
- 4. Single Status Letter for:
 - a. non-residence marrying in Fiji
 - b. non-residence marrying a local
 - c. former citizens of Fiji with two years & above residency abroad

- Statutory Declaration: for former citizens of Fiji & citizens of Fiji on work visa living abroad for less than two years
- 6. Divorce Papers (if other party is divorced)
- 7. Death Certificate (if either party's spouse is deceased)
- 8. "Single Status Certificate, Certificate of Search or Certificate of no Legal Impediment".

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All registered marriage certificates will be sent to the Department of Foreign Affairs to obtain an Apostille Seal, authenticating the marriage as legally binding and internationally recognizable.

Further questions please contact your Fijian consulate.

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