



Who can officiate a Wedding in New Jersey?

CURRENT OR RETIRED JUDGES OF THE FOLLOWING

US Court of Appeals for Third Circuit
Federal District Court
Municipal Court
Superior Court
Tax Court
County Court
Juvenile and Domestic relations
Surrogate Judge

THE FOLLOWING CIVIL SERVANTS

US Magistrate
County Clerk
Mayor (current or former)
Deputy Mayor
Township Committee Chairmen
Civil Celebrant

EVERY MINISTER OF EVERY RELIGION

Minister
Reverend
Rabbi
Priest
Pujari
Imam
Bishop

Pastor
Aaronic Priest
Melchizedek Priest
Patriarch
Apostle
High Priest

Rector
Clergy
Vicar
Chaplain
Decon
Cantor
Elder
Monsignor

DID YOU KNOW?

Every minister of every religion includes ministers who received their credentials online. All individuals acting as officiants should be sure to put one of the titles from the list above on the marriage license. Any licenses with the title 'Officiant' listed will not be accepted.

For further information, visit nj.gov/health/vital