



*Wedding Celebration of
Catherine Lam,
and
Scott Howard,
May 4, 2013
The Westin Hotel
Huntsville, Alabama.*

The Wedding Ceremony

Prelude

Seating of Parents..... "Prelude in C"

Processional

Entrance of Bridal Party "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring"

Entrance of Bride "Canon In D"

Officiant Opening Remarks & Prayer

Declaration of Intent

Presentation of the Bride

Exhortation of Bride and Groom

Exchange of Vows

Reading of Scripture 1 Corinthians 13:4-7
1 John 4:7-12

Blessing and Exchange of Rings

Unity Ceremony "O Lord You Are Beautiful"

Pronouncement of Marriage

Prayer of Blessing for the Marriage
(guests join couple for prayer)

Presentation of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Howard

Recessional "Ode To Joy"

Postlude

The Wedding Party

Officiant Pastor Brad Ratliff

Parents of the Bride C.K. Lam and Margaret Lam

Parents of the Groom..... Sharon Howard

Maid of Honor Christina Lam

Bridesmaids..... Lydia Lee, Debbie Tam

Best Man David Lloyd

Groomsmen..... Ricky Howard,
Jim Montgomery

Scripture Readers Iesha Howard,
Kenneth Chan

In Loving Memory – Truman Howard,
Father of the Groom

Order of Reception

Cocktail Hour

Guest to enjoy mingling, music, signature drink & bar, hors d'oeuvres served

Tea Ceremony (Bride and Groom with parents in the Condo Lounge)

Formal Introduction of Bride, Groom & Bridal Party

Welcome

Blessing

Dinner Served

Cutting of Wedding Cake

Couple Toasts with Each Table

The couple will go from table to table, toasting the guests and thanking them while cake is served. In return, the guests will also toast the bride and the groom. Guests are also welcome to partake of the candy buffet at this time.

Anniversary Dance

Married couples are asked to join Bride and Groom on the dance floor. Dance, sway to the music, or just stand on the dance floor in celebration of marriage with the couple.

Couples will be asked to leave the dance floor based on the number of years they have been married. The couple who has been married the longest will be the last couple on the dance floor with Bride and Groom.

Special Tribute for Groom's Father

Toast

Special toasts by Parents, Best man, then microphone available for guests to share sentiments, followed by words of thanks from the couple

In honor of the guests and in celebration for this special occasion, the Bride and Groom have also made a contribution towards a charitable organization close to their heart and that both have worked with: www.cure2children.org. Cure2Children seeks to give every child with cancer or blood disorders in developing countries the chance for a cure. Guests are warmly invited to visit the site to explore and support Cure2Children's efforts.

Retreating Line

As the time draws near for the guests to leave, the parents and the couple will stand in line at the door to thank the guests and wish them well as they leave.

Send Off

Guest will grab bubbles as they exit to the courtyard and form two lines towards the door to the hotel. Guest will blow bubbles at the Bride and Groom as they are leaving; sending them off into their married life of joy and happiness.

Special Thanks to our Guests and Family

We are so grateful to you, our dear family and close friends, for sharing in our lives – whether over a few or many years, your walk with us has helped us to see and taste and love God and one another more deeply! We ask now for your prayers and support that our marriage and family would remain always centered in Christ: "I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing." (John 15:5) We look forward to walking in joy together with you.

