

## **BOX CEREMONY**

Lauren and Brett have written these vows to each other to express their feelings as they begin their marriage. The romantic sentiments they have written, their declaration of love, and the thoughts about why they chose each other will be put into this box, along with a bottle of wine.

Lauren and Brett, this box will remind you of your wedding day and your intention to love and cherish each other in good times and bad for as long as you both shall live.

This box should be opened on your 5th wedding anniversary.

If there comes a time that you are not seeing eye-to-eye at that very moment, let this box remind you of all the reasons you chose each other as your partner and all the things that helped shape the life you have created together. Never take your blessings of being together for granted. The romantic sentiments you wrote, the declaration of love, the clear thoughts about why you chose this person as your life partner will help put you back on even ground.

There is only one other reason the box should be opened before your fifth anniversary. If there ever comes a time when you hit a bumpy road in your relationship and you ever find your marriage enduring insurmountable hardships, before you give up or make any irrational decisions, open the box together. Sit and drink the wine together then read the vows you wrote to one another when you were united as a couple in marriage. By reading your vows, you will be reminded of the reasons you fell in love and chose to marry each other here today. The hope is, however, that you will never have a reason to open this box until your 5th year wedding anniversary.

And now, Lauren and Brett, you may now seal the box.