

About Me...



Sherryl A Searles
JP(Qual) Social Worker
Authorised Marriage Celebrant

I have worked for many years as a Senior Professional within Human Services which has required good communication and organizational skills.

I appreciate the importance of ceremony in life, and my professional background helps me to focus on and listen to what is important, and to translate that into a meaningful service for my clients.

My many years of public speaking experience through Toastmasters ensure an intelligent and articulate delivery of your ceremony.

I am committed to listening to your wishes and to using all the skills and resources at my disposal to ensure your ceremony is meaningful and memorable - a ceremony that truly expresses your feelings and wishes.

*“ Life's milestones should be memorable
- for all the right reasons. ”*

“ In ceremony and ritual we both create and retrace the footprints of our life's journey. ”



If I am already booked for your chosen day, I am happy to refer you to colleagues whose work I know and trust. I am a member of the Professional Celebrants Association.

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Ceremonies

for all seasons



*“ Celebrating love...
honouring loss ”*



Welcome to Ceremonies for all Seasons...

“ To everything there is a season..
A time to weep,
And a time to laugh.
A time to mourn;
And a time to dance ”
(Ecclesiastes)

Whether your ceremony is to welcome, unite or farewell, I am committed to ensuring a personalised service which reflects your wishes, values and style.

I believe it is most important that you feel comfortable with your celebrant and confident in their skills and knowledge.

To help you decide if I am the celebrant to assist you create those memories, I offer an obligation free meeting at a venue of your choice.

Best wishes

Sherryl A Searles

What I provide is...

- A warm and approachable manner, with the capacity to remain calm during what is often an emotional time
- A well planned ceremony, delivered with poise & professionalism
- A creative approach to make the ceremony uniquely yours
- Assistance with suitable poetry, readings and sample ceremonies
- State of the art PA system, including CD and cassette, so that your ceremony can be recorded for absent friends and family.

What I specialise in...

- Baby namings, celebrating blended families, name changes
- Weddings and commitment ceremonies (including same sex)
- Renewal of Vows
- Memorials and Funerals.

What previous clients have said...

"Sherryl was fantastic...she came to the home and had some wonderful ideas about how to make our little boy's naming ceremony simply perfect."

Elaine, Redland Bay

"When we decided to get married there was not a lot of time before the wedding. Sherryl was very friendly and made us feel everything was under control. The poems and readings gave us lots of great ideas to help us organise the service."

Emma, Bulimba

"When planning the service, Sherryl was so understanding and supportive. She helped me to identify the people and things that were most important to incorporate into the service.....her speaking skills were really quite outstanding....I think everyone who attended would agree with me that it was an unforgettable memorial service."

Karla, Camp Hill

"I attended the funeral of a friend's elderly mother primarily as a sign of respect and I was very surprised at how moved I was by how the service captured a life "well lived". The quotes, poems, readings and music all blended seamlessly to create a ceremony with dignity and humour. I would not hesitate to use her services should the need arise."

Val, Nundah