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Imam Mahdi Association of Marjaeya
Religious Affairs Department
Family Affairs Office

Islamic Marriage Application and Request Form

Complete and return to the
Family Affairs Office of I.M.A.M.
Via email FamilyAffairs@imam-us.org or
By mail to: 22000 Garrison St., Dearborn, MI 48124
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Important remarks prior to filling this form

Attention to some religious and legal aspects that should be considered:

1. This form is not valid unless completed and signed.
2. A copy of the identification card for each party signing must be attached.
3. A copy of previous marriage or divorce documents must be attached.
4. If one or both parties hold dual citizenship, a copy should be attached.
5. A consent is required for a virgin female by her parent guardian either through his presence or by presenting an official consent from him, unless she can submit proof that negates the necessity of his consent.
6. The applicant must not be associated with a valid legal marriage.
7. There is no fee for conducting the marriage contract or issuing the religious marriage certificate, however gifts or charitable donations are accepted.
8. Any information provided by the applicant in this form will not be disclosed without their consent, unless disclosure becomes religiously or legally necessary.

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Major rights of spouses (husband and wife) according Islam:

1. Both parties by matrimonial contract are entitled to sexual intercourse, except in justifiable excuses.
2. Both parties by matrimonial contract are entitled to kind treatment, respect and good conduct.
3. By matrimonial contract the wife is entitled to suitable means of living that fits her social status, including: housing, food, clothing, and health.
4. By matrimonial contract the husband is entitled to compliance, obedience, coordination and permission to leave the marital home, since the husband is obliged by Islam to manage the family and preserve its sanctity.

For more details, please refer to the jurisprudential sources such as the Islamic Rules of practice that reflect the view of the jurist (marja').

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Rights of spouses (husband and wife) according to the law in the United States:

The personal statutes, family laws, and marriage duties in the United States may vary from state to state. Therefore, it is recommended to refer to a reliable source, or consult a family law specialist in order to identify the different laws and regulations in respect to several vital issue such as, financial support, pre and post-marital property, children and their rights, exercising personal freedoms during the marriage, etc.

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF ISLAMIC MARRIAGE

Please answer the following questions and fill out the form completely.

Prospective husband's information:

First, Middle and Family Name: _____

Father's full name: _____ Mother's full name: _____

Religious affiliation (specify sect such as "Muslim, Twelver Shi'ah):

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Primary nationality: _____ Secondary nationality: _____

Current marital status: *(Check one)*

Single , Married , Divorced , Widower .

Postal address: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email address: _____

Prospective wife's information:

First, Middle and Family Name: _____

Father's full name: _____ Mother's full name: _____

Religious affiliation (specify sect such as "Muslim, Twelver Shi'ah):

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Primary nationality: _____ Secondary nationality: _____

Current marital status: *(Check one)*

Single , Married , Divorced , Widower .

Postal address: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email address: _____

Bridal gift (Dowry-Mahr):

Please list and describe in detail the gift that the prospective husband and wife have agreed upon:

Please check the most appropriate box with regard to the bridal gift:

The prospective wife must be given her bridal gift:

- Whenever her husband is financially able to give it.
- Whenever she requests that it be given.
- Whenever either of the preceding two options occurs.



We have read and understood the entirety of this document, and I swear that all information provided herein is correct.

Husband's full name: _____ Signature: _____

Wife's full name: _____ Signature: _____

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Recipient of application: _____

Date of receipt of application: _____