



## Getting Married



Grand Canyon National Park offers a variety of indoor and outdoor locations for wedding ceremonies and receptions. To be married in the park, obtain an Arizona marriage license, acquire a Special Use Permit from the park, and arrange a Justice of the Peace, Municipal Judge, or an ordained clergy to perform the ceremony. All sites must be cleaned after use.

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### Arizona Marriage License

Williams, Arizona courthouse  
928-635-2691

Flagstaff, Arizona courthouse  
928-679-7600

Fredonia, Arizona courthouse  
928-643-7472

Page, Arizona courthouse  
928-645-8871

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### Performing the Ceremony

#### Grand Canyon Churches

Clergy from Grand Canyon Village will often perform wedding ceremonies; counseling prior to the wedding may be required. For a current list of churches in Grand Canyon National Park, visit [www.nps.gov/grca/planyourvisit/religious-services.htm](http://www.nps.gov/grca/planyourvisit/religious-services.htm)

#### District Justices and Municipal Judges

Williams Justice Court  
928-635-2691

Flagstaff Justice Court  
928-679-7650

Flagstaff Municipal Court  
928-774-1401

Fredonia Justice Court  
928-643-7472

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### Special Use Permits

Grand Canyon National Park charges a non-refundable fee for all Special Use Permits. The park calculates fees annually based on cost recovery.

For fee information and further instructions on obtaining a permit, visit: <http://www.nps.gov/grca/parkmgmt/sup.htm>

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## Outdoor Locations

### South Rim

#### *Pima Point*

A somewhat secluded site at the western end of Hermit Road for smaller parties. Only available December, January, and February, when Hermit Road stays open to all vehicles.

#### *Rim Worship Site*

Located at the western end of Grand Canyon Village along the Rim Trail, one-fourth of a mile (0.4 km) from the nearest parking lot. Accommodates 50 people.

#### *Grandeur Point*

A short walk west from Yavapai Point. Parking fills quickly; consider using the free shuttle buses. Accommodates 45 people.

#### *Shoshone Point*

Isolated site, limited parking; only accessible by a one-mile (1.6 km) unimproved dirt road. Available May 1 to October 15. Site offers picnic tables, pavilion, grills, trash cans, and toilet. Holds up to 85 people. Only viewpoint available for outdoor receptions.

#### *Moran Point*

Just west of the main viewpoint in an unrailed area. Receives less visitors than other viewpoints and offers expansive canyon views. Parking usually available nearby. Accommodates up to 35 people.

#### *Lipan Point*

Just west of Desert View; offers views of the Colorado River. Accommodates up to 35 people. Tour buses may pull into adjacent parking area.

### North Rim

#### *Cape Royal Amphitheater*

Located 23 miles (37 km) from the North Rim developed area. A sign points beyond the picnic area to a site with low log benches. Accommodates up to 40 people.

#### *Point Imperial Viewpoint*

Highest viewpoint along the rim at 8,800 feet (2,682 m); located 11 miles (17.7 km) from North Rim developed area. Viewpoint accommodates up to 10 people, but nearby picnic area holds up to 20 people.

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## Indoor Locations

### South Rim

#### *Shrine of the Ages*

Located immediately west of Park Headquarters. Features a 280-seat auditorium with a smaller room with a 60-person capacity. Alcohol not permitted in the building. Food allowed only in the smaller room.

#### *Park Lodges*

Indoor weddings or receptions at lodges do not require Special Use Permits. To reserve space contact Xanterra Parks and Resorts: 928-638-2525 or [www.grandcanyonlodges.com](http://www.grandcanyonlodges.com) or Delaware North Companies Parks & Resorts: 877-404-4611 or [www.visitgrandcanyon.com](http://www.visitgrandcanyon.com)

### North Rim

No indoor sites available for weddings or receptions.