



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.

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

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

928-635-2691

Flagstaff Justice Court
928-679-7650

Flagstaff Municipal Court
928-774-1401

District Justices and Municipal Judges
Williams Justice Court

Fredonia Justice Court
928-643-7472

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>

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.

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 or Delaware North Companies Parks & Resorts: 877-404-4611 or www.visitgrandcanyon.com

North Rim

No indoor sites available for weddings or receptions.