

# MARRIAGE DATA ELEMENTS

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State Where Marriage Occurred	Bride Maiden Surname
Groom Name ( <i>First, Middle, Last, Suffix</i> )	Bride Current Age
Groom Current Age	Bride Date of Birth ( <i>Month, Day, Year</i> )
Groom Date of Birth ( <i>Month, Day, Year</i> )	Bride Birthplace State/Country
Groom Birthplace State/Country	Bride Residence State
Groom Residence City/Town	Bride Residence County
Groom Residence State	Bride # of This Marriage
Groom Residence County	Bride Last Marriage Ended By
Groom # of This Marriage	Bride Last Marriage End ( <i>Month/Year</i> )
Groom Last Marriage Ended By	Bride Race
Groom Last Marriage End ( <i>Month/Year</i> )	Bride Education
Groom Race	County of Application
Groom Education	Date of Marriage ( <i>Month, Day, Year</i> )
Bride Name ( <i>First, Middle, Last, Suffix</i> )	County Where Marriage Occurred