



WEDDING GUIDE



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WELCOME

HEY THERE! YOU'RE PROBABLY OVERWHELMED WITH ALL THE WEDDING INFORMATION OUT THERE, BUT DON'T WORRY, YOU'RE NOT ALONE. I AM HERE TO HELP!

WHEN IT COMES TO PHOTORAPHING MY WEDDING COUPLES, I HOLD AN INCREDIBLE PASSION FOR LIFE, LOVE, AND DOCUMENTING THE EMOTIONAL MOMENTS THAT ADD MEANING TO THEIR LIVES. MY APPROACH TO PHOTOGRAPHY IS NATURAL AND RELATIONSHIP-ORIENTED; I LOVE TO GET TO KNOW MY CLIENTS LONG BEFORE PUTTING THEM IN FRONT OF THE LENS. I WANT TO HEAR ALL ABOUT YOUR LOVE STORY SO I CAN TELL IT IN LIGHT AND COLOR.

MY GOALS? I WANT TO CREATE A SPECIAL VISION TOGETHER WITH YOU, IMMORTALIZING THE BONDS, EMOTIONS, AND MOMENTS THAT CAN'T BE RE-LIVED OR REPLACED. BEAUTIFUL PHOTOGRAPHS ARE EMOTIONAL MOMENTS FROZEN IN TIME FOR YOU TO REMEMBER AND REVISIT

WITH FAMILY, FRIENDS, OR A QUIET MOMENT ALONE
- AND I STRIVE TO CREATE IMAGES THAT WILL BE CHERISHED FOR MANY, MANY GENERATIONS.

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*I am blessed to work with such amazing couples
and can't wait to get to know you!*

*xoxo,
Carolyn*



MEET CAROLYN

Get to know the woman behind the lens

I'M CAROLYN, THE OWNER & PRINCIPAL PHOTOGRAPHER OF CAROLYN JORGENSEN PHOTOGRAPHY. I LOVE BEING ABLE TO SHARE IN THE LOVE OF TWO INDIVIDUALS AND FEEL BLESSED TO GET TO WORK WITH SUCH WONDERFUL PEOPLE EACH DAY!

BASED OUT OF ALBURTIS, PA , I'VE BEEN SHOOTING WEDDINGS FOR OVER 9 YEARS!

GET COMFY AS YOU BROWSE MY WORK;
I LOVE FEEDBACK!

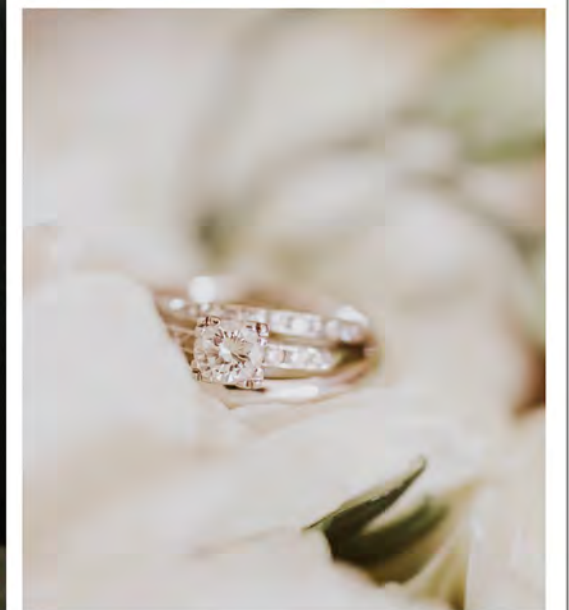


LET'S CONNECT!!

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WHEN I'M NOT BEHIND THE CAMERA, YOU CAN FIND ME AT MY "MOUNTAIN HOUSE" WITH MY HUSBAND AND FEATHER/FUR-BABIES WHICH INCLUDE 2 FISH, 15 CHICKENS, 2 DUCKS, 4 CATS, A PARROT AND 2 ADORABLE PUPS.

AFTER GRADUATING FROM ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY WITH A DEGREE IN ADVERTISING PHOTOGRAPHY, I STARTED DOCUMENTING WEDDINGS OF FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS TO BUILD UP MY PORTFOLIO. IN 2016, I STARTED MY OWN BUSINESS AND HAVE NEVER LOOKED BACK!



"Do what you love, and it will love you back"



Carolyn was absolutely amazing to work with and she is a phenomenal photographer.

In the process of finding a photographer, we were really looking to work with someone who could capture us for who we were and determined to find someone we could be comfortable around. This meant our genuine expressions, interactions, and emotions. We knew that we weren't going for the dramatic pictures, but pictures that really showed our true selves. After talking to a whole list of photographers, we are so grateful to have found Carolyn by her reviews online! From the initial conversation over the phone, we immediately hit it off and felt like we were just having a conversation with a friend. She was able to speak to her professional photography experience, but also show us her personal side -- meaning that she's an awesome human that absolutely loves animals. We took our engagement pictures with her around Philadelphia. It was the windiest day ever and I remember hoping that we had at least 1 good picture from that super cold day. But throughout the session, she was so great to work with and made us feel as comfortable as possible. With this being our first professional photoshoot, she made it so easy for us to feel like we were just having a date in Philly. I remember her specifically saying that she was just a friend 3rd wheeling with us and not to mind her. We did just that and within a few hours of our photoshoot, she texted me a picture and we were absolutely AMAZED.

Shortly after, she sent us a sneak peek album and ALL of the pictures turned so awesome. We were so so so so happy with the way everything turned out and could not wait to work with her on our wedding day. We ended up using our engagement pictures on our save-the-dates (like 8 of them!!), table numbers, seating arrangement board, and on the DJ's screens because we couldn't get over how amazing they turned out to be. As for the wedding day, Carolyn & Kristy were so awesome overall. Our prep call with Carolyn days before was so helpful and just made the day go so smoothly. Like I mentioned, Carolyn is just an awesome human to begin with! I specifically remember that throughout the day, things would be super chaotic and I would sometimes just look at her and she was just reassure me that things will be OK. She was so personal and took the time to take such candid and thoughtful pictures of us throughout the process of getting ready, during the ceremony & reception. She was so patient, flexible, and accommodating -- that we couldn't have asked for a better photographer! Within a few days of our wedding, she sent us sneak peeks while we were still on our honeymoon and couldn't help but stop and look at the pictures. We're looking forward to the rest, but we know that she is just so great. We wanted to recommend her to literally everyone we meet! Love, your favorites --

Molly & Mikko





WEDDING INVESTMENTS

A good photographer isn't an expense - it's the best investment you can make when planning your wedding. Your photos will live on for generations to enjoy. I like to keep my pricing simple, so I offer three collections to choose from based on your budget and timing needs. I am always willing to create custom packages to meet additional needs.

Collection One

\$3900

8 hours continuous coverage
Two Photographers
Digital Downloads
Print Release
*Engagement session

This package is ideal for smaller weddings where everything is in one location with bridal parties with 4 or less

Collection Two

\$ 4,500

10 hours continuous coverage
Two Photographers
Digital Downloads
Print Release
*Engagement Session

This collection is designed for medium sized weddings. Ideal for weddings with a first look and a bridal party of 6 or more

Collection Three

\$6,000

Full Day Coverage
Two Photographers
Digital Downloads
Print Release
*Engagement Session
Wedding Album
Two Parent Albums

This collection is designed for larger weddings with multiple locations.

Your coverage will include an entire day of fine wedding photography with myself and my second shooter as well as a beautiful 10 inch 20 page velvet album.

Micro weddings + Elopements \$500./ hour

** Limited Engagement Sessions included in packages last 1 hour they must be within 25 miles of Alburtis PA and scheduled on a weekday*

*"There is one thing the photograph must contain, the humanity of the moment."
— Robert Frank.*

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

ANSWERS TO ALL YOUR PHOTO-RELATED QUESTIONS

Q: WHAT MAKES YOUR WORK DIFFERENT FROM OTHER PHOTOGRAPHERS' WORK?

A: I like to have my couples move around- My favorite photographs are those of the “In-between moments” So I tend to have you say or do goofy stuff but the method to this madness is so I can catch the little moments that might go unnoticed. That being said I think personality is a very important factor in choosing your photographer There are plenty of other photographers that operate the same way as I do that is why I think the most important thing is to find a style you like and a photographer you would enjoy spending the day with

Q: WILL WE GET THE PRINT RELEASE TO OUR PHOTOS AFTER OUR WEDDING?

A: Yes! upon receiving your images, you will also get a print release.

Q: HOW MANY PHOTOGRAPHERS WILL BE THERE AT OUR WEDDING?

A: All my packages include two photographers with the exception of elopements and micro-weddings

Q: WILL WE GET FEATURED IN A MAGAZINE OR BLOG?

A: I would love it if your wedding is featured but , this is not something that is guaranteed. most publishers are interested in colorful, uniquely designed weddings!

Q: DO YOU PHOTOGRAPH ELOPEMENTS?

A: Of course! Elopements and Micro-weddings are my favorite! Depending on availability and the number of hours you have set aside for photography, I have special rates for

Q: WE'RE HAVING A DESTINATION WEDDING. DO YOU TRAVEL?

A: yes! I love destination weddings and have been lucky enough to travel all over the world. Send me more information on your travel plans, and I will create a custom wedding collection to suit your needs.

HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION?

SEND US A MESSAGE! WE ARE HAPPY TO HELP!

Q: DO I HAVE TO ORDER PRINTS THROUGH YOU?

A: I highly recommend ordering prints through my professional vendors, but it is not required. the difference in quality is huge when it comes to ordering through a professional lab, so I encourage clients to let me help with prints!



Q: WHAT EQUIPMENT DO YOU USE?

A: I use all of the latest canon equipment. I always carry two 5d mark iv, 35mm lens, 50 mm lens, 24-70mm lens, & the 85mm lens, 70-200mm lens plus other items.

Q: ARE THE COUPLES ON YOUR SITE MODELS?

A: haha! while I am lucky enough to work with gorgeous couples, the images shown on my site and blog are of regular, paying clients. I don't participate in styled shoots as I find them to be incredibly deceiving - you will only see real weddings and real couples in my work

Q: HOW DO WE RESERVE OUR WEDDING DATE?

A: a 50%non-refundable retainer and signed contract is required in order to get your wedding day on the calendar. two weeks prior to your wedding, Te remaining balance is due 14 days prior to the wedding.



WEDDING DAY TIPS

GATHER ALL YOUR DETAILS BEFORE THE DAY STARTS SO I CAN PHOTOGRAPH THEM QUICKLY! THIS MAKES THE GETTING-READY PORTION OF THE DAY GO BY MUCH MORE SMOOTHLY, AND IT ALLOWS ME TO SPEND MORE TIME FOCUSING ON THE SPONTANEOUS MOMENTS WHEN EVERYONE IS TOGETHER.

HERE IS A LIST TO JOG SOME IDEAS: RING, JEWELRY, HAIR PIECES, FLOWERS, SHOES, SOCKS, CUFF LINKS, SOCKS, LETTERS, PICTURES, GIFTS, CULTURAL ITEMS, INVITATIONS, PROGRAMS, PRINTED PIECES, AND ANY UNIQUE ITEMS YOU'VE PUT THOUGHT INTO!

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LITTLE DETAILS COUNT

SOME OF OUR COUPLES' FAVORITE IMAGES FROM THEIR WEDDING DAY END UP BEING THE DETAIL SHOTS THAT ARE TAKEN THROUGHOUT THE DAY. DETAILS HELP TIE EVERYTHING TOGETHER AND TELL THE STORY OF BEHIND-THE-SCENES MOMENTS.

THINK ABOUT GETTING A WOODEN HANGER FOR YOUR DRESS. THEY PHOTOGRAPH WELL AND ARE GREAT KEEPSAKES FOR YEARS TO COME.

Remember to relax and enjoy the day

WHAT TO EXPECT

Get the most out of your engagement session

LOCATION

ADD MORE PERSONALITY TO YOUR PHOTOS BY CHOOSING THE LOCATION OF YOUR SESSION!
WHETHER IT'S THE LOCAL COFFEE SHOP OR A LOCAL PARK WHERE YOU FIRST MET YOUR SOON-TO-BE SPOUSE, LET US KNOW IF THERE IS A PLACE THAT IS SENTIMENTAL TO YOU!

PAYMENT

A 50% NON-REFUNDABLE RETAINER IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO SECURE YOUR SESSION. THE REMAINING 50% OF YOUR BALANCE IS DUE TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO YOUR SESSION.

SCHEDULING

SESSIONS ARE SCHEDULED 1-3 MONTHS IN ADVANCE. CANCELLATIONS AND RESCHEDULES MUST BE MADE VIA EMAIL OR PHONE AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR SESSION. RETAINERS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.

WHAT TO WEAR

WEAR SOMETHING THAT MAKES YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE AND CONFIDENT! WHERE SOMETHING THAT COMPLIMENTS THE LOCATION AND YOUR PARTNER.

STYLE TIP:

WHILE IT IS GREAT TO COMPLEMENT YOUR FUTURE SPOUSE IN PHOTOS, BY NO MEANS DO THE TWO OF YOU NEED TO WEAR MATCHING OUTFITS.

IF YOUR OTHER HALF IS MORE COMFORTABLE IN SOLID COLORS, TRY CHOOSING SOMETHING WITH A LITTLE TEXTURE.

BE CREATIVE, AND LET YOUR UNIQUE PERSONALITY SHINE THROUGH!





I cannot say enough about Carolyn. Both my husband and I are uncomfortable in front of the camera, but she has a way of making you feel comfortable. Her artistic ability is unlike any others. Our engagement photos and our wedding were captured perfectly. She is willing to go through any terrain to get the perfect photos and she included our dog, and the venue's farm animals in our photos which mean so much to us. Because of how good she is, we chose to forego a videographer. We are so happy we went with her and we highly recommend booking her!

A romantic couple is shown in a close embrace, lying down in a field of tall, dry grass. The woman, in the foreground, is smiling broadly with her eyes closed, wearing a white lace top and a dark blue long-sleeved shirt. The man, behind her, is also smiling and looking down at her. A semi-transparent text box is overlaid on the right side of the image.

My fiancé and I had such an amazingly fun experience with Carolyn. We felt like we knew her for years! She is so friendly and made us feel so comfortable in front of the camera. We laughed the entire session! We can't wait to have her shoot our wedding, she was the absolute best of the best to work with!



I can't say enough good things about Carolyn and her impeccable photography skills. Our wedding photos look magazine-worthy! She was not only incredibly professional and creative, her calm, happy, and friendly demeanor make her truly amazing to work with. She made us feel at ease in front of the camera and captured beautiful shots the entire day. Her attention to detail is unmatched. It was an added bonus that she was so flexible and accommodating to our requests (we got married in a field on a hill and she rolled with it!) Her second photographer that she had with her was equally as amazing and they worked so well together. Everyone keeps asking me who our photographer was!! I highly recommend her to anyone!

THANK YOU SO MUCH!

I KNOW YOU HAVE UNLIMITED OPTIONS WHEN IT COMES TO CHOOSING
A WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHER. IT MEANS THE WORLD THAT YOU HAVE
CONSIDERED ME TO DOCUMENT THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY OF YOUR
LIVES.

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