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Pricing & Info Guide

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Stories & Art; Captured With Honesty

From stolen glances to watery-eyed smiles, I'll be there to document your story. There are no two stories that are the same and I am committed to learning yours and capturing it true to you. I will meet with you and get teary-eyed when you tell me how you fell in love. I will be your resource, your friend, and your guide throughout planning. I will be there to hold your hand and give you the freedom and gift of being fully present on your wedding day. Hand on heart, my energy will not only go towards creating a gorgeous collection of images to forever memorialize your day but also be your unbiased friend that will be there through every step. I am here for you.



Hey, friend!
—I'm Josie.

photographer/extrovert/serial hobbyist/occasional nerd

Vulnerability is the essence of connection and connection is the essence of existence."

Leo Christopher

As I grow older, there is one thing that slowly becomes truer and truer - The more I learn, the less I know. And it's a bit freeing. When you're in high school you have it all figured out and think so does everyone else and you slowly start realizing that everyone is kinda flying by the seat of their own pants. It helps me embrace the mess, stop and smell the roses, meet new people just for fun, and see the world for what it is.

I photograph Individuals that are willing to embrace the mess alongside me, that are comforted in the knowledge that I want to learn about your story and photograph you uniquely to you. That want to embrace their individuality and not blend into the crowd.

The true foundation of all art is rooted in connection. Let's connect, learn, and tell your story through my artistic eye.



"We had Josie as our
photographer for our wedding
and it was the best decision
ever!"

-Alita & Brandon



My Approach



Here is a bit about the approach that I take, and the experience you're about to have with me...

My philosophy for my business is to approach each project with fresh eyes. Every story, every couple, every family is unique. I am here to learn your story and document it accordingly. I am a storyteller far more than I am a picture taker. Its one thing to take a picture with smiles and a pretty sunset. Its another to craft an artistic frame that speaks true to your history.

I only ask that you meet me halfway. Tell your story with open arms, let me into a little piece of your lives, let me see your love for one another. Engaging in the experience with open arms is the first part of the magic.

Kind Words



Josie has been an absolute DREAM to work with! She has gone above and beyond for us in preparing for our wedding day, and she does such a wonderful job at making everyone feel comfortable and have fun while she works. My husband and I got so many compliments during and following our wedding about how amazing our photographer was, and it's true- she's the best!! Further, Josie was such an important resource to us while planning. She helped us to lay out the day to be as smooth as possible, and she was ultra-prepared for anything that may come up unexpectedly. Josie is so thoughtful and has the kindest heart, and her artwork is stunning. She has such a talent for capturing the little details that mean so much. We are so in love with how the photos turned out, and we are forever grateful to Josie for capturing the emotions, candid moments, laughter and joy of the day. We truly cannot recommend her enough!

-Emily & Jeff



A black and white photograph of a couple in silhouette, embracing and kissing. The background shows a sunset or sunrise over a field with trees in the distance. The overall mood is romantic and intimate.

The Wedding Packages

Three Packages



WEDDING PACKAGE 1

The Luxe Weekend Experience

10 Hour Coverage

(10 HOURS OF PHOTOGRAPHY)

Second Professional Photographer

(TWICE AS MANY ANGLES & MOMENTS!)

High Res & Web Size Images

(1000+ FINAL PHOTOS - THE BEST OF THE BEST)

Wedding Album - Leather Fine Art Album

(25 PAGE, 10X10, LAY-FLAT, HARDCOVER ALBUM)

Online Gallery

(INCLUDED 1 YEAR OF CLOUD STORAGE)

Online HD Slideshow

(SLIDESHOW VIDEO OF YOUR PHOTOS)

Wooden USB Drive

(INCLUDES ENTIRE GALLERY, MAILED TO YOU!)

Rehearsal Dinner Coverage

(UP TO 2 HOURS)

SOME OF THE MOST MEANINGFUL MOMENTS OF THE WEEKEND HAPPEN ON REHEARSAL EVENING, SO MAKE SURE YOU PRESERVE THEM TOO!

High Res & Web Size Images

(300+ PHOTOS FROM THE REHEARSAL)

Discount Codes

(50% OFF AN ENGAGEMENT SESSION)

Consultation Meetings

(TIMELINE & CREATIVE PLANNING MEETINGS WITH ME)

Exclusive Planning Downloads

(50 PAGE WEDDING GUIDE, VENDOR GUIDE)

\$7,600

+ \$500 per additional a-la-carte hour



WEDDING PACKAGE 2

The Signature

10 Hour Coverage

(10 HOURS OF SHOOTING)

High Res & Web Size Images

(850+ FINAL PHOTOS)

Online Gallery

(INCLUDED 1 YEAR OF CLOUD STORAGE)

Online HD Slideshow

(SLIDESHOW VIDEO OF YOUR PHOTOS)

Wooden USB Drive

(INCLUDES ENTIRE GALLERY, MAILED TO YOU!)

Consultation Meetings

(CREATIVE & LOGISTIC MEETINGS WITH ME TO PLAN YOUR WEDDING!)

Exclusive Planning Downloads

(50 PAGE WEDDING GUIDE, VENDOR GUIDE)

Discount Codes

(40% OFF AN ENGAGEMENT SESSION)

\$4,100

+ \$350 per additional a-la-carte hour

WEDDING PACKAGE 3

The Essentials

8 Hour Coverage

(8 HOURS OF SHOOTING)

High Res & Web Size Images

(600+ FINAL PHOTOS)

Online Gallery

(INCLUDED 1 YEAR OF CLOUD STORAGE)

Consultation Meetings

(CREATIVE & LOGISTIC MEETINGS WITH ME TO PLAN YOUR WEDDING!)

Exclusive Planning Downloads

(50 PAGE WEDDING GUIDE, VENDOR GUIDE)

Discount Codes

(30% OFF AN ENGAGEMENT SESSION)

\$3,500

+ \$350 per additional a-la-carte hour



Second Photographer

“Josie and her helper photographed our wedding. Not only did they work our large wedding party with ease, they also handled getting pictures of 400+ guests with ease. The photos they got were absolutely gorgeous and will be cherished forever. Just in case someone is still on the fence about booking with her, I’m leaving my album of wedding photos as public so potential clients can enjoy the love she has for her work as much as we got to enjoy it in the moment. “

-Ezra & Todd

While I can easily shoot a wedding solo, here's why your wedding may need an additional photographer:

The more the merrier! While I wish I could just clone myself to capture every moment that happens during the day, the tech still isn't there. siigghhh... But seriously there are SO MANY amazing moments that happen while we are taking photos of just you & your love or your bridal party and I am not there to capture them. It's so fun to open up your wedding gallery after your wedding and see the moments you missed or didn't notice that we did. Second photographers are also recommended if you have a very large wedding party and/or large guest count. See the review to left :)

add \$800



Fine Art Photo Albums



Here's why I believe that a Wedding Album is going to make a difference in this experience for you.

There is just something about printed photos that makes the emotion of the moment hit hard. I love printing photos. Remember those moments when you were younger where your parents or your grandparents would pull out an old photo album and you would look through it together? That is what I want every client to experience with their own photos. There is nothing like a physical book to look through to really bring you back to your wedding day like a photo album. And I will do all the heavy lifting for you. I will arrange the photos artfully, I will print it, and I will send it to you. It's so easy to cherish these moments for a lifetime.

add ~\$800



Make it extra special...

add \$400

Engagement Session

Photos of you and your love before you say “I do!” This is a great way to spend a date night together, experience what its like to be in front of the camera, and we can get to know each other :)

add \$700

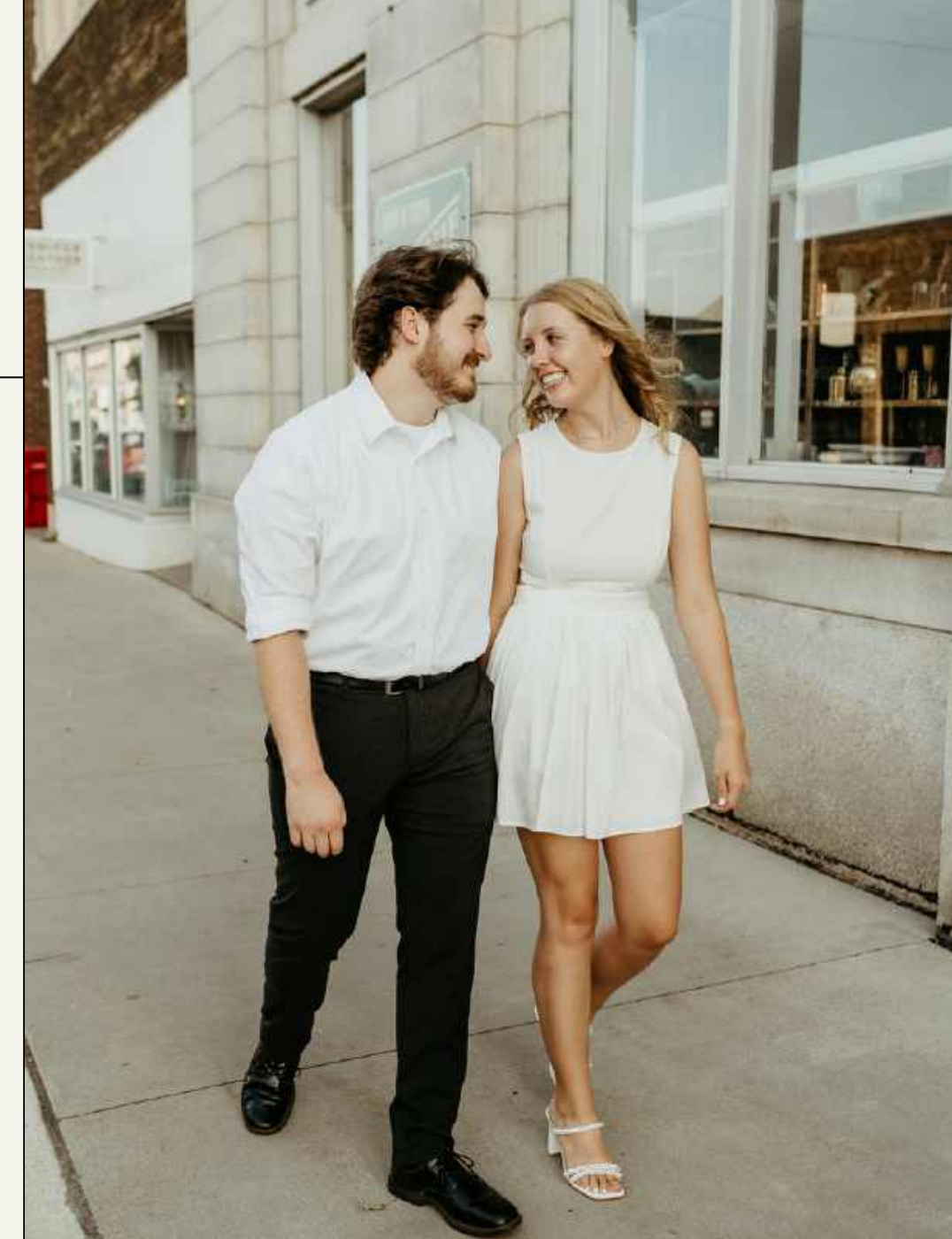
Rehearsal Dinner Coverage

Photos of you and your people the night before the big day. Whether you are spending time with your whole family or just a small crew I will photograph the moments of anticipation and joy leading up to your wedding day.

add \$400

Boudoir Session or Bridal Session

A private one hour studio session in Sauk Rapids, MN. This session is for you to feel empowered and celebrate the beautiful woman you are. We create a space where you feel comfortable to be your most true self. This includes mimosas/mocktails, music that makes you feel confident, and a photog (me!) that will hype you up the entire time!



Sample Timelines

for 10 hours

12:00 PM	Getting Ready, Hair, Makeup, Dress (First Looks with Bridesmaids/Parents) Detail Shots Travel Between Venues
1:30 PM	First Look Romantics (Couple Photos)
2:30 PM	Bridal Party Photos
3:15 PM	Family Photos
4:00 PM	Pre-Ceremony hide-away
4:30 PM	Ceremony
5:30 PM	Cocktail hour
6:30 PM	Reception Dinner First Dances Cake Cutting Open Dancing
1 HR BEFORE SUNDOWN	Sunset Photos
10:00 PM	Send-Off

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2:45 PM	First Look Romantics (Couple Photos)
3:30 PM	Bridal Party Photos
4:00 PM	Family Photos
4:30 PM	Pre-Ceremony hide-away
5:00 PM	Ceremony
5:30 PM	Cocktail hour
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9:00 PM	Send-Off

for 8 hours

Travel? I'll go wherever your love takes us!

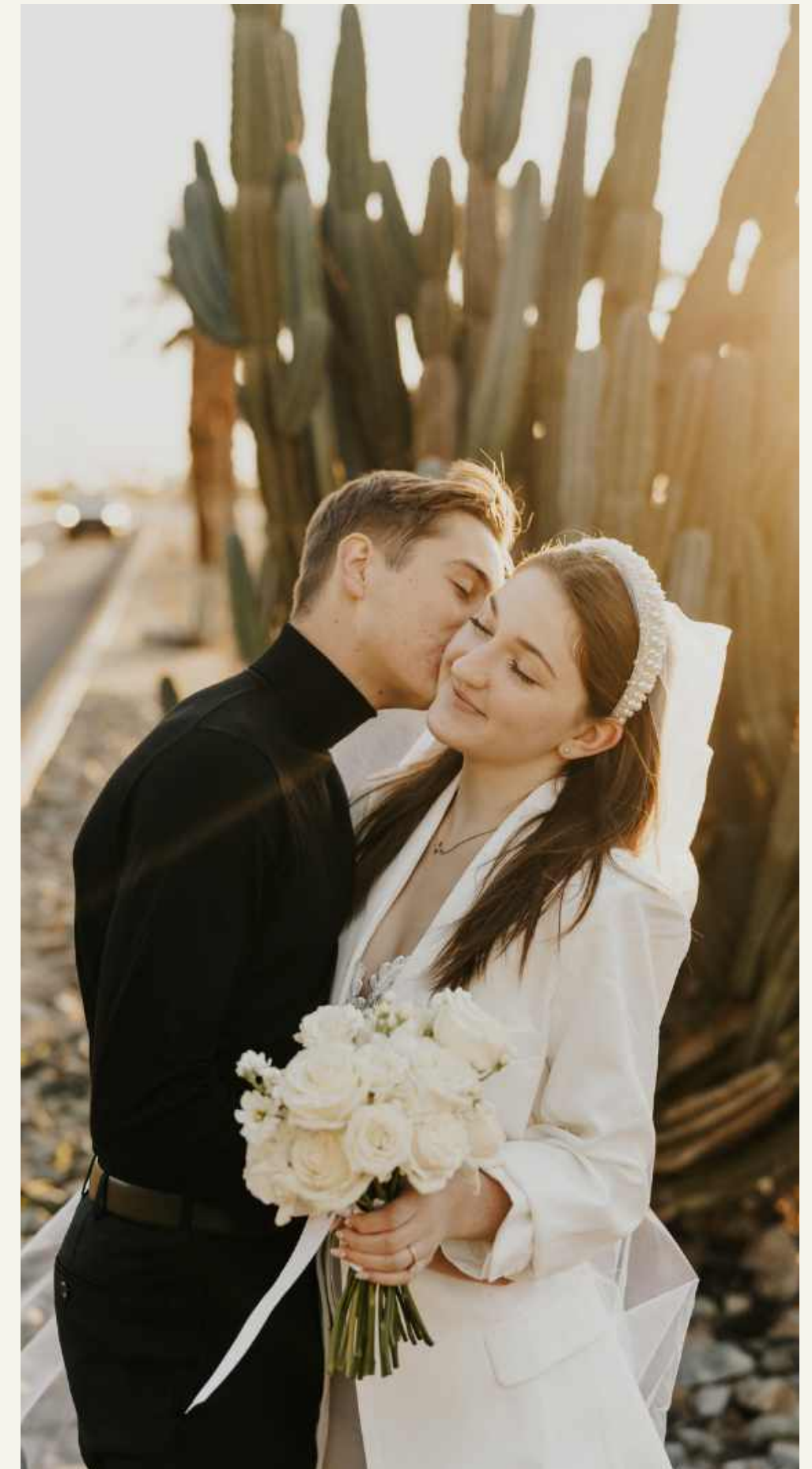
I am based in Alexandria, MN but I will travel wherever your dreaming of!

Travel included within 100 miles of Alexandria, MN.
\$1 .50/mile in excess of 100 miles.

Destination Weddings/Elopements

Anything over 3 hours away from my home in Alexandria, MN is considered a Destination Wedding, so if your wedding falls under that category, please request my Destination Pricing Guide! :)

Second shooter
included in all
destination
weddings at no
extra cost!





Engagement Photos

“Josie we LOVE LOVE LOVE them!!!
So many to look through!! Thank you
so much for capturing this special time
for us. We are truly so lucky to have
you!!”

- Marah & Nate

\$400

Evening or Morning Session
(Most shoots take about 60 minutes)

High Res & Web Size Images
(150+ Final Photos)

Online Gallery
(Included 1 year of cloud storage)

It's the most no-pressure
way to get comfy in
front of my camera, &
we'll make magic in the
process!

How it all happens...

1 — Let's meet on Zoom!

Read through the guide and if you like what you see, [use this link](#) to schedule a consultation with me. We will chat about the vision for your wedding and see if we are a good fit!

3 — The planning process..

We start the planning process - Google meets, texts, questionnaires, videos, gifs, timelines, planes, trains, and automobiles. This is where we execute the vision!

5 — Previews on Monday!

With fresh eyes I will edit about 20-30 photos from your wedding day and deliver them to you within 48 hours to keep that just married feeling alive!

2 — Secure your date!

After our consultation, I will send you a proposal, contract, and invoice. Once you sign the contract and pay the non-refundable retainer fee, you are officially booked and we can happy dance until the sun goes down!

4 — It's WEDDING DAY!

The moment we have been waiting for. All of the work, tears, laughs, kisses, glasses of wine and whiskey have brought us here. Lets freakin' do this.

6 — 4-8 week gallery turnaround.

and about 4-8 weeks later you will receive your entire online gallery and a slideshow to relive your best day and remember exactly how it felt <3



It's that easy. And I'll be there for ya every step of the way!



Payment Plan

I understand that this is an investment, so feel free to pay as you go!

Payment 1

This is your retainer payment to book in your date on my calendar! \$1000 flat fee, non-refundable.

Due on booking day.

Payment 2

This is your 2nd payment, which is 1/2 of your remaining balance.

Due 3 months from Wedding Day.

Payment 3

This is your 3rd and final payment, which is the second 1/2 of your remaining balance.

Due 2 weeks from Wedding Day.

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"Josie did an amazing job capturing all the memories of my daughters wedding. She was very polite and thorough. Josie made sure we all got the pictures we wanted and has a great eye for detail. I highly recommend her!!

- Phil, Father of the Bride



FAQs

What is your style?

My photography style is a blend of documentary and posed. I will of course direct you through poses but I will also leave room for life and let moments unfold naturally. I won't ever have you thinking "I don't know what to do with my hands." I go about the day weaving in and out of director and witness to capture your day while also allowing you to enjoy it as if I wasn't there.

We are so awkward in front of the camera.

No worries!! I got you! And let me tell you a secret - every person you see on my website, Instagram, and the photos you see here in this guide have all said the exact same things. I won't ever leave you hanging. And you will see how truly beautiful you are!

Do you have insurance?

Yes I do!!

How do you keep my photos safe?

I know how important these moments and memories are to you and I do everything I can to ensure the safety of your photos. First I have a camera that copies your photos onto Two separate SD cards - I keep these cards with your photos all the way through your gallery delivery. I then back up your photos onto 2 separate hard drives and the cloud. Once your gallery is delivered, I put your photos into a forever hard drive and you get 1 year of free cloud storage on my gallery deliver site called Pic-Time.

What is your philosophy on editing?

I want to preserve your moments how they felt the day of while also artistically crafting them to perfection. I stay mostly true to color, but a tad warmer and I always make sure to keep skin tone accurate. When it comes to professional retouching, I do not go in depth to skin smoothing or body retouching as I don't personally believe in changing your appearance.



Kind Words



Josie is hands down the best photographer we could have ever had to photograph our wedding! She has the best personality and was so kind to all of our guests and family. I heard so many compliments from our people about how great she is. Her work is phenomenal and she makes you feel so comfortable when taking photos. I would recommend her for any of your photography needs!

- Kylie & Ryan



Ready for next steps?

Let's do this! You can...

...schedule a meeting with me!

...or email me with any questions!

...or just say, "We're ready to book right now!"

I'm so excited to hear back from you! My dates and availability books up fast each year, so to avoid missing your date, please schedule a pre-booking meeting with me as early as you can!

Let's chat
soon!

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