

Brad DeRoche, Classical Guitarist

Wedding Music – Services Provided

Wedding Ceremony

A standard wedding ceremony includes prelude music, music during the formal service itself, and postlude music. The wedding party selects music for the formal part of the ceremony from my list of repertoire. This typically includes the Processional(s), Meditation/Interlude, and Recessional, though other arrangements can be made. Prelude and Postlude music are then selected by me to match the musical style of the ceremony. My fee for this service is **\$400** and includes the following:

1. Approximately 15 minutes of Prelude music. I will choose works from my classical guitar repertoire to match the beauty and serenity of the event. Themed programs are available, please inquire if interested.
2. Processional song(s): (example: "Canon in D" by Johann Pachelbel)
3. Meditation/Interlude song: (example: "Gymnopedie" by Eric Satie)
4. Recessional song: (example: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" Johann Sebastian Bach)
5. Approximately 10 minutes of Postlude music as guests disperse. I will choose beautiful works from my repertoire to match the spirit of the ceremony.

Cocktail Hour

Cocktail hour music in addition to a wedding ceremony. I will perform works from my instrumental classical guitar repertoire for the guests of the wedding party prior to, or directly after the wedding ceremony. The fee for this extra service is **\$150 per hour** (in addition to the fees for the wedding ceremony).

Cocktail hour music only. I will perform works from my instrumental classical guitar repertoire for the guests of the wedding party. My fee for this service alone is **\$400** for one hour. Additional hours are **\$150/hour**.

Wedding Reception

Instrumental music for your wedding reception/dinner in addition to a wedding ceremony and/or cocktail hour. I will perform works from my instrumental classical guitar repertoire for the guests of the wedding party during the reception. The fee for this extra service is **\$150/hour** (in addition to the fees for the wedding ceremony/cocktail hour).

Instrumental music for your wedding reception/dinner only. I will perform works from my instrumental classical guitar repertoire for the guests of the wedding party during the reception. My fee for this service alone is **\$400** for one hour. Additional hours are **\$150/hour**.

Special requests

I can prepare/arrange music outside of my standard repertoire with some limitations. I will often need to purchase music/scores and recordings of the works in order to arrange them, and they take time to do well. Please note that certain pieces such as electronic music, modern pop/dance music, and rap/hip hop pieces often do not always transcribe well for solo classical guitar. These songs are often lacking in melody/harmony and therefore don't work well as instrumental arrangements. All requests need to be submitted in a timely fashion so that I can determine if they can be arranged for your ceremony. Please contact me with specific works/songs that you are considering. **\$50 per arrangement.**

Themed programs

Themed programs can be created if the wedding party is interested in having a particular style of music for their ceremony. I can create programs of music focused on certain styles, including the following: Medieval/Renaissance, Baroque, All-Bach, Classical-Romantic, Latin-Jazz, Spanish, Popular Songs, The Beatles, or Potpourri (mix of the above). Please contact me if interested in creating a specific program/theme for your wedding music. There is no extra fee for this, but I need time to prepare the programs. Please contact me in advance to be sure I can provide you with this special programming.

Payment

A **\$50 non-refundable deposit** is required to secure the date for your wedding. I consider all dates open/available until a deposit is received. The remaining balance must be paid seven (7) days prior to the date of your wedding. Payments can be made by check or cash, or through Venmo or PayPal.

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Other Information

My classical guitars are hand-made, professional-level instruments of the highest quality to ensure that you are hearing the most beautiful sounds possible. When amplifying, I use Neumann microphones and Bose sound systems, which are excellent for most small gatherings. These systems are designed specifically to amplify my classical guitar, and are not suitable as PA for other music or voice. I provide my own instruments, amplification, and transportation to your event at no extra charge. All expenses are included in the pricing above.