# Abby Giles Photography WEDDING GUIDE





#### HEY THERE!



# Photography for the *authentic hearts* & *creative souls*

I'm passionate about capturing your love story creatively and authentically. My photography is all about capturing the raw, authentic moments that unfold before my camera lens. I strive to freeze these genuine emotions and unscripted interactions, preserving the true essence of your special day for you to relive and cherish for years to come.





#### natural, dreamy, timeless, ethereal, artful.

## Hello! I'm Abby



#### WEDDING & ELOPEMENT PHOTOGRAPHER

My journey began at the Savannah College of Art & Design, where I earned my BFA in Photography. I shot my first wedding sophomore year of college and I was hooked. Love, in my own life, has been a profound source of inspiration, and it fuels my passion for capturing authentic moments. The power of love, intertwined with the art of detail, is where I find my creative spark.

My ultimate goal is to create photographs that speak for years to come. I want all of my brides and grooms to hold these images as cherished heirlooms to their special day. These are not just pictures; they are visual narratives telling the story of your love.

The world's beauty serves as a constant muse for me. The moody colors of a sunset, the weaving limbs of a live oak, or the soft breeze of the wind – they all find their way into my work. In addition to nature, I draw inspiration from the countless works of art I've encountered throughout my life. From classic paintings to modern installations, I've absorbed a rich tapestry of creativity. It's about bringing an artistic sensibility to every shot, crafting images that resonate with both emotion and aesthetics.

So, let's embark on a journey to create photographs that will become treasured heirlooms. Together, we'll capture the love, the beauty of life, and the artistic authenticity that makes your day truly special.

# AS A PHOTOGRAPHER, MY ARTWORK IS ABOUT...

- Capturing the authentically creative moments
- Creating treasured heirlooms for all brides & grooms
- Drawing inspiration from the surrounding beauty of nature and architecture
- Documenting life's most rich moments in a timeless way
- Intertwining all of the intricate details and fleeting moments into a narrative told through images





# THIS IS WHAT YOU GET WHEN YOU WORK WITH ME...

#### **Engagement Session**

 With all wedding packages, engagement sessions are complimentary additions. This means that you'll have the opportunity to have a full one hour session at one location in Savannah – typically priced at \$450.

#### 48 Hour Sneak Peeks

After your unforgettable wedding day, I understand that the excitement to relive those magical moments is palpable. That's why I offer a special treat – within 48 hours, you'll receive some sneak peeks of your photos, allowing you to instantly revisit the highlights of your celebration and share the joy with family and friends.

#### A Personalized Experience

 From our very first interaction, my goal is to make every couple feel cherished. Each bride or groom has their own unique wants and needs.
On our client consultation call, we'll discuss all the fun things – your dream photos, your style, and more importantly, your love story.

#### Breath-taking Photos and Heart-warming Moments

 I meticulously and carefully go through each and every photo. From there I will artistically edit all of the good ones. You will receive your highresolution photos via an online gallery with unlimited downloads.





## What to expect on your *wedding day*

Depending on your schedule and chosen wedding package, my day typically starts with capturing the details and getting ready moments. As couples often prepare separately, this is one area where a second photographer proves invaluable, among other reasons. I'll typically have the second photographer getting ready with your partner, while I stay with you, ensuring no key moment is ever missed. Following this, we usually go into to the first look or first touch, should you opt for either.

Then, it's time for the ceremony! During this part, you can rest assured that I will be discreet, capturing those genuine moments while staying out of the way. Immediately after the ceremony, we usually conduct the family formal and full wedding party shots while everyone is conveniently gathered in one place.

Then comes the magic moment – the bride and groom portraits. We'll step aside for no more than an hour to capture the photos you've been dreaming of.

Following this, we transition into the reception. From the initial dances to the cake cutting and even the lively moments on the dance floor, I'll be there to document it all, and maybe even sneak in for a dance or two!

A few weeks before your wedding, I will email you a photography questionnaire to iron out all the details regarding family formals, your vision, and your unique timeline. Usually by this point, you'll have a general idea from your planner of when things will start. From there, I'll create your unique photography timeline.





# OUR JOURNEY STARTS HERE

Discover the perfect package to make your special day unforgettable with my tailored wedding photography pricing options.



# WEDDING PACKAGES

**ABBY GILES PHOTOGRAPHY** 





#### The Heirloom

This package is my most all inclusive package for full wedding day coverage along with a few treasured add ons.

- 10 hours of coverage
- Second Photographer
- Engagement Session
- Heirloom Album
- 35mm roll of film
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

\$5,500

#### The Signature

This package is my most popular package, including full wedding day coverage and an heirloom album add on.

- 8 hours of coverage
- Second Photographer
- Engagement Session
- Heirloom Album
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

\$4,600

#### The Classic

This package is a great standard pick, still with full wedding day coverage and a second photographer.

- 8 hours of coverage
- Second Photographer
- Engagement Session
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

\$4,100

#### The Essentials

This package is the best pick for a budget. Still a great amount of coverage, just without a few extras.

- 7 hours of coverage
- Engagement Session
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

### \$3,300

# A La Carte



#### Heirloom Album

This is an heirloom album specially crafted by me and sent off to my tried and true print shop. You'll select your favorite photos from your wedding gallery and I'll specially curate them into an album that tells your love story through a photo narrative. These albums have a 20 spread maximum with an array of cover choices.

\$550

#### Bridal or Boudoir Session

With this add on, you will have a one hour session of your choice. Take the time to do a bridal session, showcasing your gown, veil, and radiant self before the big day, allowing for a stress-free photography experience. Or, opt for a boudoir session, a sensual and empowering experience that complements your wedding journey. This fee includes a local studio rental.

\$450

### Roll of 35mm Film

Add a touch of nostalgia to your wedding memories with our 35mm film roll add on. This vintage-inspired option offers a unique and artistic perspective, capturing scattered moments of your beautiful day through the timeless medium of film. These photos will be developed, scanned, digitalized, and color corrected to then included in your full gallery.

#### \$300



# ELOPEMENT PACKAGES

#### The Timeless

- 3 hours of coverage
- Second Photographer
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

#### \$2,000

#### The Elegance

- 3 hours of coverage
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images

### \$1,500

\*\*\*20 guests or less

#### The Simplicity

- 2 hours of coverage
- 48 hour sneak peeks
- Photography timeline
- Online, downloadable gallery
- High resolution images





# Frequently Asked Questions

#### Do you travel?

Absolutely! I'd be honored to travel for your special day! Please be aware that a travel fee may apply. For weddings over 50 miles from Savannah, the IRS standard business mileage rate at the time of booking will be factored in, currently 65.5 cents per mile, roundtrip. If your venue is more than 125 miles away, a one-night hotel stay near the venue is required. For locations exceeding 175 miles, a two-night stay is necessary. These arrangements ensure my timely arrival and efficient post-production for prompt sneak peek delivery. If I'm already in your area, a travel fee may not be applicable, so reach out!

### How long does it take to get my gallery back?

Great question! All of my engagement, bridal, or boudoir sessions have a turnaround time of 2 weeks. Weddings and elopements are 6 weeks maximum. All galleries will be delivered through an online, downloadable gallery provider service.

### How do payment plans work?

I understand that photography is an investment in preserving precious memories. As an art form, it's priced accordingly. To make it more accessible, I offer a practical payment plan for weddings and elopements, spread over three installments. At the time of booking, only a 33.33% initial retainer fee is required. Please note that these retainers are non-refundable but serve as a reservation to secure your spot in my schedule, ensuring I'm fully available on your special day. The next 33.33% will be due at a midpoint between your booking date and the wedding date, with the final 33.33% to be settled on your wedding day. Edited photos will not be delivered until your invoice is paid in full. This payment structure is designed to ease the financial commitment while guaranteeing top-notch photography services.

### I love your work! How do I book?

Yay! I hear the wedding bells already! To book, just send me an email at abbygilesphoto@gmail.com and we can set up a consultation call over the phone, Zoom, or even coffee if you're local to Savannah!

# WHAT'S NEXT?

Your love story is unique, and I'm committed to capturing it in a way that's authentically yours. Don't hesitate to reach out, and let's begin creating your extraordinary wedding story. Contact me today at abbygilesphoto@gmail.com and let's make some photo magic together!

I can't wait to hear more about your love story and capture your wedding day authentically and creatively.

With love,

Abby



