

# PRENUPTIAL AGREEMENTS

## MARITAL PEACE OF MIND

- What they are
- How they work
- How to have the conversation with your partner
- Much, much more





## **WHAT IS A **PRENUPTIAL AGREEMENT?****

A prenuptial agreement is a **private agreement** between spouses executed prior to a marriage which designates the division of their assets in the event of divorce or separation.



**WORRIED ABOUT HAVING THE CONVERSATION  
WITH YOUR SPOUSE?**

**IT'S TOUGH, BUT YOU'RE IN IT TOGETHER. WE ARE THERE WITH YOU.**

# THE CONVERSATION

Let's face it. This may not be the sexiest conversation you ever have, but it could be one of the most important.

Start with a positive mindset, and don't be ashamed. A prenuptial agreement is an extremely effective tool for creating healthy marriages. As you approach the conversation, remember:



**It forces openness and transparency. Openness is a key to success in a lasting marriage. Willingness to have the conversation shows your commitment.**



**Don't kid yourself: Money Matters! The more comfortable you are talking about it, the better prepared you'll be for the future.**



**Keep it moving, but also give it time. Don't try to force your point onto your partner. Instead, give them time to think and work toward solutions.**

## A FEW MORE TIPS...

It's a tough conversation, but you're having it together.  
**JUSTLAW** is right there with you...

**1**

**Start early. Discuss the prospect of a prenup well ahead of your wedding. Agreements signed too close to the date may look coercive.**

**2**

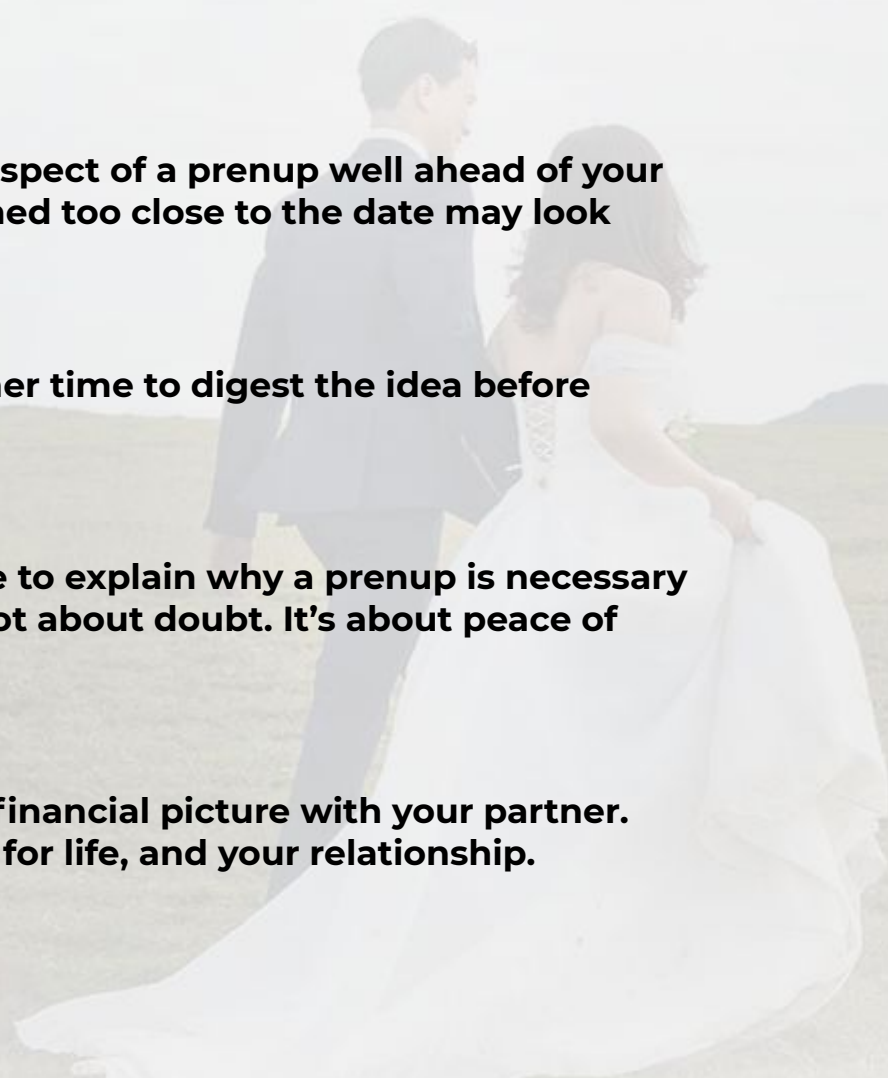
**Be patient. Give your partner time to digest the idea before diving into the details.**

**3**

**Be prepared. Take the time to explain why a prenup is necessary for your relationship. It's not about doubt. It's about peace of mind.**

**4**

**Be honest. Share your full financial picture with your partner. Talk about your objectives for life, and your relationship.**



# WHY YOU LIKELY NEED A PRENUP

Prenuptial agreements are not just for the rich.

They are **important for every married couple** in order to:

**1**

Start your marriage on an equal, strong playing field.

**2**

Clarify your financial rights during marriage.

**3**

Protect one another from existing debts.

**4**

Avoid ambiguity, which is poison for any relationship.

**5**

Create emotional stability if things do go wrong.



## DON'T TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT: LISTEN TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

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*The JUSTLAW folks coached me through the conversation with my partner. That turned out to be the smartest thing we ever did - having a difficult, but honest and transparent conversation got us started strong!*

**Angela G.**  
Lexington, KY

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*I was hesitant to get a prenup at first, because I thought my wife would be insulted. But it forced us to have a tough conversation and we became closer..... best experience ever working with a lawyer.*

**Eric K.**  
Bronx, NY



**5 Stars on Google Reviews**

## AVOID THE WHAT IFS

**What if** you go through an unexpected divorce and lose half of your business?

**What if** you go through an unexpected divorce and lose half of your children's inheritance?

**What if** you go through an unexpected divorce and lose half of your childhood home that you promised your parents you would live in forever?

**What if** you have children and plan on remarrying? Will your children's inheritance receive proper protection in this new marriage?

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It's about so much more than money. It's about dealing with the 'what ifs?' from a place of love, rather than later, from a place of regret and anger.

– Jason Gabbard,  
JUSTLAW Founder



# CONTRACT

Financial disclosure ensures transparency and effectiveness

## CHECK OUT SOME SAMPLE CLAUSES BELOW

**Prospective Spouse 1 and Prospective Spouse 2** have made a full and complete disclosure to each other of all of their financial assets and liabilities, as more fully set forth in the accompanying Financial Statements, attached hereto as Exhibits A and B.

This agreement shall become null and void and of no further force and effect upon the fifteenth (15th) anniversary of the Marriage; provided such period has run for continuous, uninterrupted years, of the Marriage and during such time Jack and Diane have continuously lived together with no pending separation or divorce.

The parties enter into this agreement in consideration of marriage. The effectiveness of this agreement is expressly conditioned on the occurrence of such marriage.

Sunset clause - automatic expiration after a set period of time

Springing effectiveness

## WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO GET YOUR PRENUP?



### Traditional Attorney Bill

Hours	Description	Fee
.6	Client correspondence	\$240
.4	Discuss the details of the prenup with the client	\$160
1.2	Draft custom prenuptial agreement	\$480
1.0	Review and revise client's prenuptial agreements	\$240

3.2 hours at \$400/hour

**\$1,280**



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Justlaw's flat-rate prenup

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