

## Wedding Photography Frequently Asked Questions

We understand that photography is a significant part of your wedding budget and you want your memories to last a lifetime. Years from now, it will be your wedding albums, pictures and canvas prints that you will turn to time and again to remember that amazing day and cherish all those once-in-a-lifetime moments. When you partner with Photographics, you're not only getting a professional fine-art photographer, but an artist that will capture happiness from every angle and help you craft heirlooms that keep your memories and smiles close at hand.

### **Q: Who will be taking the pictures?**

A: For wedding collections that are six hours or longer, Photographics will have a team approach for the ultimate coverage of your big day. Michael, the artist and owner of Photographics, will be on site and may alternate between being the lead photographer and a choreographer on your wedding day. He will be assisted by another professional photographer from his team to capture all the special moments throughout the day. After your wedding, you'll be working directly with Michael to edit, enhance and design your wedding heirlooms.

### **Q: What type of equipment do you use? Do you bring back up equipment?**

A: I'm a total Canon geek! We use professional grade Canon cameras, lenses and lighting. We bring back-up camera and lighting equipment to every photography session.

### **Q: What is your photography style?**

A: Our style is fine-art photography with a blend of traditional, candid and photojournalistic methods to capture the multiple facets of your wedding day. A favorite compliment is when a couple is thrilled with all the photos we took and say..."When did you take that shot? You blended in with our family and friends and we hardly knew you were there"

### **Q: How long have you been a photographer?**

A: Michael has been working as a photographer for more than 20 years and is also an accomplished oil painter. He has owned Photographics and has been photographing weddings since 2005. In addition to photography services, Photographics is also a successful art and custom frame gallery located just outside Kiawah Island at Freshfields Village. Michael is a member of the Professional Photographers of America and continues to fine-tune his photography skills through workshops and seminars throughout the country. Photographics is a licensed and insured business that carries a business license for Charleston County and has the required local business licenses to operate on Kiawah Island, Seabrook Island and the Isle of Palms, SC.

### **Q: Do you have samples of work I can see?**

A: Yes...we love showing samples of our work. From the website [www.kiawahislandphoto.com](http://www.kiawahislandphoto.com), you can browse a collection of wedding favorites and we can also send you a link to a complete wedding if you are interested.

**Q: How many photographs do you take?**

A: Typically we take more than a thousand images at a wedding which enables us to edit down to the ultimate collection of fine-art images. The total number of final images varies based on the number of hours we spend capturing moments that day, but averages over 300.

**Q: When and how will I see my proofs?**

A: Within 3-4 weeks we will upload your images and create a collection of online albums that enable you and your friends and family to browse images and order prints and other portrait products right from the website. Couples who purchased a Photographics wedding package will also receive the high-resolution images on DVD at the same time.

**Q: Are high-resolution images included?**

A: Yes, for both the *Complete* and *Causal* collection, your copyright-released high-resolution images are included with your package.

*For the more intimate, hourly weddings, all Photographics' images are copyright protected. If you would like to purchase the printing rights to your images, just ask Michael for a custom quote.*

**Q: Other questions?**

A: Just give Photographics a call and set up a time to speak with Michael.

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