

Photography Services Agreement EXAMPLE
Amberlynn Bishop Photography

1. Parties

❖ Client

- **Name:** JOHN DOE (Full Name)
- **Phone:** (123)-456-7891 (**Text** / Call)
- **Email:** johndoe123@fakegmail.com

❖ Photographer

- **Name:** Amberlynn Bishop
- **Phone:** (910)-388-8495
- **Email:** amberlynnbishopphoto@gmail.com

2. Session Details

- **Session Type:** Engagement
 - Graduation/Senior, Maternity, Couples/Engagement, Newborn, Small Family (5 or less), Portraits, Events
- **Session Date:** October 1st, 2025
- **Session Start Time:** 5:00pm
- **Session Location(s):** Wilson Bay Park
- **Session Duration:** 1 hour - 1.5 hours

3. Fees & Payment

- **Total Session Fee:** The total fee for the services listed above is \$140
- **Retainer:** A non-refundable retainer of \$40 is required to secure the session date and time. This agreement is not binding until the retainer has been paid. The retainer shall be applied to the total Session Fee.
- **Remaining Balance:** The remaining balance of \$100 is due in full on or before October 1st, 2025.
- **Payment Methods:** Payments can be made via the following methods:
 - Cash
 - Cash App: \$AmberlynnBishop
 - Venmo: @Amberlynn-Bishop
 - Paypal: @amberlynnbishop

4. Deliverables

- A *minimum* of 12 high-resolution, edited digital images.
- Images will be delivered via a private online gallery before or on the date that falls two weeks after the session date (for standard photoshoots) and 4 weeks after the session date (for events).
- A "Print Release" (as defined in Section 7) for personal, non-commercial use.

5. Artistic Style & Editing

- Client acknowledges that they have viewed the Photographer's portfolio and are familiar with the Photographer's artistic style (including posing, editing, and post-production). The photographer retains full creative control over the final images. The final selection and editing of images are at the Photographer's sole discretion. **RAW (unedited) files will not be provided to the Client under any circumstances.**

6. Cancellation & Rescheduling

- **By Client:** If the Client must cancel, the non-refundable retainer will be forfeited. If the client requests to reschedule at least 48 hours before the session, the retainer may be applied to a new, mutually agreed-upon date within the same calendar year. Rescheduling due to illness or personal emergency will be handled on a case-by-case basis.
- **By Photographer:** In the unlikely event the Photographer is unable to perform (due to illness, emergency, etc.), the Client may choose to reschedule or receive a full refund of all monies paid.
- **Weather:** The Photographer reserves the right to reschedule the session due to inclement weather (e.g., rain, high winds). The retainer will be applied to the rescheduled date.

7. Copyright & Print Release

- The Photographer, Amberlynn Bishop at Amberlynn Bishop Photography, shall retain full copyright to all images created under this Agreement.
- The Photographer grants the Client a “Print Release” (a license) to reproduce the delivered images for personal, non-commercial use only. This includes:
 - Making prints for personal use (family, friends, home).
 - Posting on personal social media accounts.
- The Client may **NOT** sell, edit, alter (e.g., apply instagram filters), or use the images for any commercial purpose without explicit written permission from the Photographer.

8. Model Release (please check one)

- ☐ **I GRANT PERMISSION** to Amberlynn Bishop Photography to use my (and my minor child’s) likeness in photographs for any and all of its publications, including but not limited to all of the Photographer’s printed and digital marketing materials, website, and social media.
- ☐ **I DO NOT GRANT PERMISSION** to Amberlynn Bishop Photography to use my (or my minor child’s) likeness in any marketing materials. All photos will be kept private.

9. Limitation of Liability

- In the unlikely event that digital files are lost, stolen, or destroyed for reasons beyond the Photographer’s control, the Photographer’s liability is limited to the refund of all monies paid under this Agreement. The Photographer is not liable for the quality of prints produced by third-party consumer labs.

10. Entire Agreement

- This Agreement contains the entire understanding between the Photographer and the Client. It supersedes all prior and simultaneous agreements. This Agreement cannot be modified except by a written instrument signed by both parties. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the state of North Carolina.

11. Signatures

- By signing below, both parties agree to all terms and conditions stated in this Agreement.

CLIENT Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

PHOTOGRAPHER Printed Name: Amberlynn Bishop

Signature: _____

Date: _____