

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_

UPON THE PETITION OF

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

AND CONCERNING

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent

)  
) NO: \_\_\_\_\_  
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)  
) **DECREE OF DISSOLUTION OF**  
) **MARRIAGE**  
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NOW on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, the above entitled action came on for hearing, the Petitioner appearing in person; and the Respondent appearing in person and having approved the instant Decree of Dissolution of Marriage. The Court, having heard the evidence and examined the files and records herein, finds as follows;

1. More than ninety (90) days have elapsed since the Respondent filed an *Acceptance of Service, Waiver and Answer* in this matter.
2. The court has jurisdiction of the subject matter and of this cause of action and of the parties herein.
3. The parties hereto were married in \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The material allegations contained in the Petitioner's Petition are supported by competent evidence, which is uncontroverted, and the court is satisfied from the evidence presented that there has been a breakdown of the marriage relationship to the extent that the legitimate objects of matrimony have been destroyed and there remains no reasonable likelihood that the marriage can be preserved.
5. The parties have waived conciliation procedures.
6. The parties have entered into a Separation and Property Settlement Agreement in settlement of all of their property and other rights and obligations arising out of said marriage, and said Separation and Property Settlement Agreement is hereby approved.

7. In approving the Separation and Property Settlement Agreement filed by the parties herein, the Court has taken into consideration those factors as set forth in Section 598.21, Code of Iowa.

6. The Court finds that there are \_\_\_\_\_ minor children of said marriage, and the wife is not now pregnant. All issues regarding custody, visitation and support of the minor children have been resolved in the Separation and Property Settlement Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the marriage existing between the Petitioner and the Respondent is hereby dissolved, and each party is restored to his or her respective rights and obligations as a single person; that the requirements of conciliation are hereby waived; that the Separation and Property Settlement Agreement entered into by the parties and filed herein is hereby incorporated by this reference and made a part of this Decree, and each party is hereby ordered to carry out each and every item thereof; that the Petitioner and Respondent shall equally divide the Court costs herein.

Judgment is hereby entered for each of the above the date aforesaid.

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JUDGE, \_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF  
IOWA

Approved as to Form and Content:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

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Respondent