



## *Hourglass Ceremony Script*

**Officiant:** As [Partner 1] and [Partner 2] enter into a new phase of their lives, we take a moment now to pause and consider the preciousness of time.

As we know, time is fleeting -- and somehow, when we are in love, it seems to run ever faster. We can sometimes lose sight in the day to day as to how important it is that we savor each and every moment that we have with one another, regardless of our daily anxieties, worries, and concerns.

I ask that the couple together turns the hourglass [*pause to turn it*] and as each grain pours down throughout the rest of our time here this evening, we will all be reminded to make the most of our time together, not to waste time on anger or jealousy, but to live with our hearts open and light.

As this couple heads into their union together, this hourglass will serve as a reminder to them daily.