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Congratulations! We're so glad you're interested in having us photograph one of the biggest days of your lives so that it's beautifully documented and remembered forever. It's an absolute honor to be considered as your photographers!

A bit about us... We're a happy husband & wife photography team who love each other and our career! We met in Santa Barbara while attending the prestigious Brooks Institute of Photography and dated throughout much of our time there. Got hitched in 2005 just a few months after graduation and then moved to sunny San Diego to pursue our photography career. Loved living by the ocean but Blaine's hometown of Hood River, OR eventually called us back and we love calling this beautiful town our home. The lifestyle of having a small tight-knit community among all the adventure and incredible outdoors is just right for us!

We photograph lots of different things for work and fun! Each year we have the honor of photographing about 10-20 weddings and love each and every one- it's truly the best getting to know each couple and witness/capture their love for each other and their guests! In addition to weddings & portraits we find great pleasure in photographing commercial & advertising photography, nature, landscapes, underwater and travel! Never a dull moment in this career :)

We love the adventure of being parents! In 2010 we welcomed Ellary to the world, 2012 brought us Violet, 2014 Everett, and 2016 Otis! Our kiddos are the loves of our lives and such a joy. No more babies for us, just gotta figure out how to raise these wild banshees now ;-)

In our spare time we love doing just about anything outside- especially traveling & camping, hiking, snowboarding, paddle boarding, hanging with friends & family, and of course capturing everything with our cameras. The years pass by too quickly and we feel a duty to bottle up the goodness one click at a time!

We very much look forward to getting to know you and being a part of your important wedding day. We wish you all the best with your planning and your new lives together!

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Family selfie on vacation in Florida :-)

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A quick note about our package options:

We understand being faced with too many options can be overwhelming, especially when your wedding is still months away and you're not sure yet what you do and don't need. No problem! The packages are designed to be an estimate of your needs & budget. Most couples choose a package, but then sort out albums, prints, and other products after the wedding has been photographed and you've seen your wonderful images. Dates can be snatched up quickly though, so to secure your date just select the package you think will be closest to your needs and budget, we can make changes later on if needed!

All Wedding Packages Include:

- Getting ready, ceremony, and reception coverage with 1 or 2 photographers
- Unlimited number of photos (typically between 600-1,000 final images)
- Online slideshow of the best highlight images from your day (posted indefinitely)
- Online gallery of all final edited photos for easy viewing and ordering of prints (posted indefinitely)
- Our own style of unique color correction & enhancement editing on *all* images, not just favorites
- All high-resolution fully edited images and copyright release (for easy printing, posting online, etc)

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Wedding Package Options

Essentials = \$3,500

Includes everything listed on previous page, plus:

- 1 photographer coverage by Blaine
- Up to 8 hours coverage time
- Option to add engagement session for \$450
2nd photographer may be added for \$500

Warmin' Up = \$5,000

Includes everything listed on previous page, plus:

- 1 photographer coverage by Blaine
- Up to 9 hours coverage time
- \$300 product credit (for prints or album upgrades)
- 30 page 8x8 leather wedding album
- Engagement session (or similar portrait/event session)
2nd photographer may be added for \$500

Stylin' = \$7,000

Includes everything listed on previous page, plus:

- 2 photographer coverage by Blaine & Bethany
- Up to 10 hours coverage time
- \$500 product credit (for prints or album upgrades)
- 50 page 10x10 leather wedding album
- One 8x8 parent album
- Engagement session (or similar portrait/event session)
- 8x8 coffee table book of engagement session

The Works = \$9,000

Includes everything listed on previous page, plus:

- 2 photographer coverage by Blaine & Bethany
- Up to 11 hours coverage time
- \$700 product credit (for prints or album upgrades)
- 70 page 12x12 leather wedding album
- Two 10x10 parent albums
- Engagement session (or similar portrait/event session)
- 10x10 coffee table book of engagement session

-Weekday / Offseason wedding coverage : 8 hours \$3,200 / 6 hours \$2,600 / 4 hours \$2,000

Includes everything in "Essentials" package above. Available weekdays year round (some holidays exempt) and weekends November-May (offseason months). Pricing is simple: 4 hours is \$2,000 and \$300/hr for additional time. *2nd photographer may be added for \$500*

Want larger packages above? Warmin' Up, Stylin' and The Works packages available with 10% discount for weekday/offseason dates.

-Elopement / Small wedding coverage = \$1,200 (2 hours)

Includes everything in "Essentials" package above. Limited availability depending on date and season. Elopements typically have none or just a handful of guests. If guests are present and you'll have a reception and/or dancing, packages above are better suited for proper coverage. 2 hours is typically just right for a some getting ready & details, a small ceremony and lots of awesome portraits. \$300/hr for additional time.

-Engagement Portrait Session = \$650 a la carte / \$450 when added to Essentials package (1.5 hours)

Portrait session at beautiful locations within 30 miles of Hood River. Travel fee may apply for 30+ miles. Outfit changes are no problem and not limited. Engagement sessions may be substituted for other sessions (rehearsal dinner party coverage, "day after" portraits, trash the dress, etc depending on availability) Engagement sessions are 1 photographer coverage.

-Not seeing exactly what you need? Packages are customizable, please let us know your needs!

-Need more coverage time? No problem! Additional time is \$300/hr

-We're happy to travel nationwide and worldwide for your big day! Travel fees are reasonable and we're always happy to add new stamps in the passport. Warm destinations in the winter months have perks added in :)

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Print Pricing

Fine Art Photo Prints

- Quantity discounts apply
- All sizes in inches
- * indicates cropping required

2x3 wallets (4)	\$10
4x6	\$12
5x7*	\$15
8x10*	\$35
8x12	\$35
11x14*	\$45
12x18	\$65
16x20*	\$110
16x24	\$120
20x30	\$200
30x40*	\$300
40x60	\$450

Gallery Wrap Canvas Prints

- Canvas print stretched around a wood frame
- Ready to be hung with no additional framing
- Quantity discounts apply
- More info/photos here:

<http://files.blaineandbethany.com/gallery-wrap-canvas-info.pdf>

12x18	\$150
16x24	\$250
20x30	\$350
24x36	\$425
32x48	\$525



Album / Book Pricing

Leather Wedding Albums

Hard leather cover, thick pages, the best! For main albums & parent albums.

8" x 8" 30 pages = \$1,500 (30 page 8x8 included in Warmin' Up package)

10" x 10" 30 pages = \$2,000 (50 page 10x10 included in Stylin' package)

12" x 12" 30 pages = \$2,500 (70 page 12x12 included in The Works package)

Extra pages = \$60/page (\$120/spread) includes design & revisions

Coffee Table Books (same photos, design & pages as main album)

Hard cover, soft flexible pages. For parent books and/or 2nd albums.

12" x 12" = \$1,000

10" x 10" = \$900

8" x 8" = \$800

Extra pages = \$30/page (\$60/spread) includes design & revisions

Includes 20 pages when ordered for portrait/engagement sessions

Linen cover coffee table books



12x12 leather album
and 4x4 pocket books



8x8, 10x10, 12x12 leather albums



Leather album and stylin' dust cover sleeve



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FAQ's

What is your approach to wedding photography?

We absolutely LOVE our career as photographers and we hope that shines through in our work. Photography is not just a job for us, it's a lifestyle and we're blessed to make a living doing something we love. We're passionate about life, people, love, beauty and take pride in sharing our vision through photography. Upon arrival at your wedding, the last thing we want is for the biggest day of your life to turn into an uncomfortable photoshoot. We like to think of ourselves as good ol' longtime friends with nice cameras... blending in... to naturally capture all the smiles, laughter, emotion, details, and beauty of your day.

Do Blaine and Bethany both shoot photos?

We are both trained & experienced professional photographers fully capable of shooting on our own but Blaine is our primary photographer and does the majority of our weddings and events on his own. If desired or needed, Bethany can be added on as a second photographer for \$500 if a second photographer is not included with your selected package.

How long have you been photographers?

We both found our interest in photography during high school and have been shooting professionally full time since early 2000's (the film days!). We met at Brooks Institute of Photography in Santa Barbara, CA and graduated with bachelors degrees in advertising photography in 2005.

Should I have 1 or 2 photographers at my wedding?

Every wedding and event is different, which is wonderful so it's hard to say if you'd be better off with 1 or 2 photographers. We typically start to recommend 2 photographers for larger size weddings (150+) and weddings where continuous coverage of the "getting ready" process is important, especially if the getting ready areas are in separate locations. In those cases it's still not a requirement to have 2 photographers, but there might be a few more moments & angles captured throughout the day. Blaine is 100% capable of photographing any wedding solo though and capturing everything beautifully- so no worries if you choose 1 photographer coverage even for larger events.

What is your photography style?

We stress quality and natural feeling images, always. You'll never find us cutting corners or taking the easy way out. We're always seeking out the best light and much prefer natural light to using flashes which really slows things down and tends to make things look unnatural. Our editing style is to keep the images colorful, beautiful, and timeless while never looking over-processed or fake. We don't heavily edit our images or buy into trendy editing fads which always go out of style quickly. Of course the fashion and attire will run it's course and eventually go out of style, but we create with natural & timeless images you'll cherish for a lifetime.

We encourage you to check out the "clients" section of our website where you can view full weddings (not just portfolio favorites) and see how quality images are consistent no matter what the subject matter or time of day/night.

Do you take formal posed photos in addition to the journalistic ones?

Yes! We believe it's equally as important to take the formal photos of family and close friends in addition to the candid moments, especially to make the older generations happy :) We're happy to do as many or as few combinations as you feel are appropriate. We know all the traditional family combinations and welcome special requests and lists. Our goal is to be professional, courteous, and quick while doing the family photos in order to keep everyone relaxed and naturally smiling! Awkward and uncomfortable doesn't fly with us!

Will you travel to my wedding?

Yes! We love traveling to weddings and do so often. June-October(ish) is our busiest season at our home base in Oregon and it's a little harder to travel during those months, but please don't hesitate to ask if it might be possible. There is no location too far for us to go and travel expenses are reasonable. Photography has taken us to over 30 states in the US and over 15 countries internationally throughout Asia, Europe, and Central America.

We serve the Hood River/Columbia Gorge/Portland area locally. A travel fee may apply for locations further than 70 miles from Hood River, Oregon.

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Why is wedding photography costly?

Great question! Photography is very much a "get what you pay for" type of service. If quality photos of one of the biggest days of your life are important to you, it's much worth the investment to hire your preferred photographer(s). There are always budget photographers competing on price but there are guaranteed drawbacks in quality, professionalism, service, and turnaround time. The amount of time we invest into each wedding often surpasses a full 40 hour work week when considering pre-wedding communication, day of shooting, post production (editing, organizing & renaming, color correcting, designing albums, slideshows, archiving, uploading, & more) just to name a few of the things required to do the job correctly. Luckily we love just about every part of the process even though it takes so much time :) Not to mention overhead costs of purchasing & maintaining professional camera & computer gear, software, education, insurance policies, etc.

What is the turnaround time for my photos?

Being punctual is important to us, but also a perfect edit takes much time and isn't to be rushed through, possibly sacrificing quality. We always try to share many preview photos the week of, for some instant gratification and social media sharing if you're into that! Typically, we have your final edit finished and posted online within 4 weeks. In our busiest time (Summer/Fall) it may be a bit longer than 4 weeks but never more than 8 weeks.

How do I book and what is the payment schedule?

Definitely fill out our wedding inquiry form [HERE](#) if you haven't already! Do this ASAP because dates can book quickly, often even 1-2 years in advance, especially weekends from June-October. We'll respond as soon as possible, typically within 1-3 days. If your date is available, you can use our quick & simple booking reservation [HERE](#) to secure your date with a \$500 retainer payable by credit card, Paypal/Venmo, or cash/check. You can decide on the details of your exact package needs now or later. The remainder of your photography package is due 30 days before your wedding date.

Please let us know if you have any additional questions, we look forward to hearing from you!

Click here if your date is available you'd like to secure your date now:
<http://clients.blaineandbethany.com/online-booking/>

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