On this day of great celebration and joy, on the seventh day of the week, the seventh day of the month of Elul in the year 5782, which corresponds to the third day of September, in the year 2022, in Ashfield, Massachusetts, Adam Robert Taupin, son of Michel and Ellen, and Alexandra Shannon DiFiglia, daughter of Vincent and Lori, spoke these words and performed the rites which united their lives and affirmed their love.

As we begin our life together, we promise to uphold our core values of kindness, gratitude, communication, honesty, acceptance, and playfulness. We promise to be equal partners and loyal friends, to always honor and respect our needs, and to encourage and provide space for us both to ask for them. We promise to care for each other in sickness and health, to champion our successes, to share in our grief, and to comfort each other in our struggles. We promise to recognize each other as individuals, and to value that our differences and interests only serve to create a stronger and more whole bond between us. We promise to fill our home with love, food, and laughter, to create a space where all feel welcome: a place of respite, warmth, learning, and creativity for our family, friends and community. May our love inspire and bring out the best in each other.

Together we will create a home that continues to build upon our foundations of trust, communication, love, and honesty. A home where the traditions of our ancestors are honored and celebrated. With our dearest family and friends as witnesses, we make this sacred commitment to each other.