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ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE MARRIAGE OF

Samir Mahmood

and

Stephanie Vinu Thomas

THURSDAY 29TH AUGUST 2024

AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

STOCK BROOK MANOR GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

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Thank you for being here!

Parents of the Bride

Edwin Rajan Thomas

Annie Edwin Thomas

Parents of the Groom

Zahid Mahmood

Late. Frida Saleh

Maid of Honour

Melanie Veena Balendra

Best Men

Ramel Augustine

Alex Edwards

Bridesmaids

Jasline Shimmy Antony

Jaswina Alexy Antony

Keston Nicole Thomas

Shona Louise Thomas

Sreya Kairali

Groomsmen

Alamin Akhter

Vinu Bance

Ibrahim Sultan

Page Boys

Milan Sanchez Balendra

Dharan Kairali

Flowergirls

Liyana Grace Balendra

Marilyn Celine Jashwin

Witnesses

Edwin Rajan Thomas & Zahid Mahmood

Entry of the Bridal Party

Welcome

Introduction by Registrar

Reading

Union by Robert Fulghum

Reader: Jasline Shimmy Antony

Declaratory and Contracting Words and Promises

Reading

The Art of Marriage by Wilferd Arlan Peterson

Reader: Jashwin Liju Antony

Exchange of Rings

Pronouncement of Marriage

Registration of Marriage

Closing Address by Registrar

Departure of Bride and Groom

Order of the Day

Guest Arrival

14:30

Civil Ceremony

15:00

Drinks and Canape Reception

15:30

Doors open for Reception

17:30

Sam and Steph entrance

18:30

Starters to be served

19:00

Mains to be served

19:45

Dancefloor open and PARTY!

21:00

Carriages

00:00

A note from the Bride & Groom

We are deeply grateful for your presence and for sharing our joy as we celebrate the union of our marriage.

To our families, thank you for your endless love, guidance and support. Your blessings mean the world to us and have shaped us into who we are today. To our friends who are family, thank you for standing by us, for your laughter, and for the countless memories we've shared. Your friendship has been a source of strength and joy in our lives. For those who travelled from near and far to celebrate with us, your efforts and presence are deeply appreciated. Knowing that you are here to witness and celebrate our wedding is incredibly special to us.

On this special day in our lives, we honour Frida Saleh (Groom's Mother) and Dr. Shaji Joseph (Bride's Uncle), and our Grandparents, who have passed. You are no longer with us physically, but your memories live on in our hearts and your spirits will be with us tonight and forever.

With heartfelt thanks,

Sam & Steph

29.08.24