

Wedding Caricatures by Judy

Q&A

The most often heard questions and need to know information about my live caricature services at weddings and other formal events, and my related caricature commission products (including packages).

Q: Where can I see your work?

A: Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/JTArtandDesign> has the most samples. Or visit my website if you haven't, at jt-artanddesign.com/caricatures. Samples are also seen with my other online listings or emailed!

Q: What are your fees?

A: \$240-two hour minimum / \$360: three hours / \$480*: four hours / \$600*: five hours
** but travel beyond 24 miles adds an additional fee to total, incremental based on distance. I do NOT charge per picture.*

Q: Do you charge for travel?

A: Incrementally, past 24 miles from my location, based on how far out, generally between \$5 and \$30 added on to total price within CT, \$30-\$65 in border state areas within 130 miles and up to \$85 if over 130 miles added to total (*generally traveling no more than 2.5 hours for 3 hour minimum gig, or 3 hours for 4 or 5 hour gig, and depending on time of night, may incur modest hotel one night fee as well*).

Q: How many can you do in an hour?

A: FOR BW HEADSHOT: I prefer to estimate per person: 4-5 minutes per person (depending on how much/style of hair, facial hair, shading or not for example). NO shading on low end, just hair middle, some other shading toward higher end. Couples are few minutes more and COLOR is as well.

Q: Are they in color?

A: They can be, but most brides in particular have been choosing BW headshots in the essence of time.

Q: Is there a price difference for color?

A: NO, no difference which you choose price-wise, just slight difference in speed drawn.

Q: Do you take credit card or PayPal?

A: A: Yes, I take both, and personal or cashiers checks*! Or you can pay with credit** or PayPal** in full. I also draft a booking agreement (contract) and email that to you for signed approval (to be returned with the deposit if you opt to pay that deposit with check or money order, or returned alone if paid with PP/credit card),

for confirmation and my records. There is a small convenience fee (3-4%) included with each CC or PayPal transaction, so you can alternatively pay the deposit and I will calculate fee for deposit amount only, in which case cash or check balance is accepted for balance day of.

** must be issued to Judy Tourangeau only*

*** only if I can run from studio; last time there was a signature required issue, so Paypal may be best*

Q: Should I book you directly or utilizing an online bidding site (ie. The Bash or Gig Salad)?

A: I book lots of gigs directly, several hundred since 2010 and can do so as mentioned in payment question, or for online convenience, and an easy way to submit a follow-up review, you can book through on of the above mentioned sites. However in the first two cases, direct or The Bash, I draft my own booking agreement with deposit, balance, details and terms, and email, whereas Gig Salad asks for payment in full upfront, but booking with them serves as a contract of sorts, and they pay me directly online. Both agencies charge me a small fee which I sometimes build into my price, and or a vendor membership fee I pay yearly, for this marketing help, exposure and convenience.

Q: Should I provide a dinner?

A: At this time, I only ask for a meal provision and include it in contract for any 4+ hour dinner/formal events, but won't refuse a quick bite for 3 hours if offered, and during usual dinner hour.

Q: Do you have any packages available?

A: On the other side of this sheet are the most common to date, and are 10% off the total of individual prices for a live caricature booking + one or more add-ons*. Prices on reverse side are for minimum recommended timeframes for weddings. There may be additional add-ons/favors available featuring a custom caricature (tent cards, candy bar wrappers for bars, banner etc), but must be able to be prepared/stored at my studio/easily delivered to you (*or I can provide appropriate digital art and you can order directly, but this would not be then considered part of a package*).

— see other side for PACKAGE info —

POPULAR PACKAGES/PRICING AVAILABLE*

1) LIVE BOOKING + COUPLE SIGN-IN BOARD**

- A: Three hour gig plus ALL hand drawn original art, and caption/
title 18x24 Caricature dry-mounted Sign-in Board (image small enough for
signing all around): **\$482***
- B: Three hour gig plus digitally drawn art, scanned, enlarged to 20x30,
typeset title/heading and or date if desired, ink jet proof dry-mounted
sign-in board (image small enough for signing all around): **\$581***

2) LIVE BOOKING + COUPLE CARICATURE COMMISSION**

- A: Three hour gig plus ALL hand drawn ALL Hand drawn original art, and
caption/title, 16x20 matted (image approx 11.5 x14.5): **\$437***
- B: Three hour gig plus ALL hand drawn
ALL hand drawn original art, and
caption/title, 18x24 matted
(image approx 14x19): **\$464***



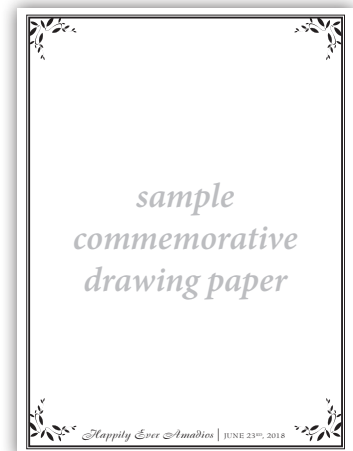
Actual client caricature commission, then matted for alternate sign-in board use



Actual client sign-in board sample

3) LIVE BOOKING + CUSTOMIZED DRAWING PAPER:

- A: Three hour gig plus Commemorative
(typeset/bordered or simple theme-BW)
drawing paper for estimated number of
caricatures to be completed (generally light-
weight 11x14 smooth card stock,
slight up-charge TBD if 11x14): **\$392***



Actual client commemorative drawing paper sample

* Packages are offered for 3+ hour weddings because of drawing mostly couples and time. Prices also do not include any additional travel fee (over 24 miles one way from base, increasing incrementally as distance increases, but generally no more than \$25 additional total at furthest eastern border of CT, unless travelling from one gig in one corner of state to the opposite which may incur a bit higher travel fee). Package prices for 4 or 5 hour weddings, or price for digital only sign-in board option in 24x36" provided upon request.

** Prices above include couple, up a few props, simple background and title if desired. Additional subjects such as people and pets will impact the price.



Above left: Drawing at a carousel house wedding. Above right: BW sample of couple drawn at 2021 wedding shows the likeness and most common style at weddings.



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