

Wedding Caricatures by Judy

Q&A | The most often heard questions and need to know information about my live caricature services at weddings, and my packages featuring related caricature commission products.

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 on other online listings or can be emailed!

Q: What are your fees?

A: \$405 - three hours (*formal event minimum*) / \$540: four hours / \$675: five hours. *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, between \$10 - approx. \$60 is added on to total price within CT, \$50 - \$90 in border state areas up to 125 miles so on (*generally traveling no more than 2.5 hours one way but including a modest hotel fee if further*).

Q: How many can you do in an hour?

A: FOR BW HEADSHOT: I prefer to estimate per person: average 4-5 minutes per person; couple x2, and varies depending on how much/style of hair, glasses, facial hair, shading or not for example, most BW lately eliminate shading except to indicate dark hair.

Q: Are they in color?

A: They can be; you can decide, or let guests decide, but most brides have been choosing BW headshots in the essence of time. COLOR is an average 1-2 minutes extra per individual.

Q: Is there a price difference for color?

A: NO, there is no difference in fee

Q: What if I want more than one artist?

A: I routinely subcontract additional artists from a pool of preferred, trusted and previously hired folks. I try and secure those more on the same page when able, but be aware there will always be style and look differences. If a look more similar to mine is desired, I will send samples of others with different styles from which you can choose. Price would likely be about double, but may vary depending on distance said artist travels.

Q: Do you take credit card, PayPal or other cash apps?

A: A: Though I have mostly received personal checks or money orders for deposits, AND cash or check/cash for balance, I can invoice you via PayPal or Square for CC payments. There will be a small convenience fee (3-4%) added on for each CC transaction, so I will calculate fee for deposit amount only, unless you opt to pay in full but I must be informed ahead of time. I do not accept Zelle or Cash app, and Venmo is acceptable only for tips. A booking agreement is emailed for signed approval (to be returned with the deposit if paying check or money order, or emailed at the same time if paid with CC), for confirmation and my records. *Checks must be issued to Judy Tourangeau only.*

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

A: I book lots of gigs directly, several hundred since 2010 and can be booked directly as explained above, or for online reservation and deposit payment convenience, and ease in review submission, you can book through on of the above mentioned sites. However in the first two cases, direct or The Bash, I still draft my own booking agreement with deposit, balance, details and terms, and email, whereas Gig Salad expects payment in full upfront, but booking with them automatically generates a contract of sorts, and they pay me directly. 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: A: At this time, a meal provision is included in my agreement for any 3+ hour dinner/formal events. I eat the meal quickly and or work between courses.

Q: Do you have any packages available?

A: On the next page, I describe the most common to date. Prices below are for 3 hour minimum plus "add-on"(s). Additional items may be available with production outsourced, prices then determined by quote.

POPULAR PACKAGES/PRICING AVAILABLE*

Ask about additional caricature add-on ideas or visit my website and click on caricature commission product section for more samples, or ideas that can be “mocked up” or researched prior to quote, decision and order.



Actual client sign-in board sample

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

(10% off total of items separately)

- A: 3 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): **\$525-\$540****
- B: 3 hour gig plus digitally hand-drawn 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): **\$640-\$680****

2) LIVE BOOKING + COUPLE CARICATURE COMMISSION**

(10% off total of items separately)

- A: 3 hour gig plus ALL Hand drawn original art, and caption/title, 16x20 matted (image approx 11.5 x14.5): **\$480-\$510****
- B: 3 hour gig plus ALL hand drawn original art, and caption/title, 18x24 matted (image approx 14x19): **\$585-\$600****



Actual client digital caricature commission, digital printed then matted for display at wedding.



Actual client commemorative drawing paper sample

3) LIVE BOOKING + CUSTOMIZED DRAWING PAPER *(5% off total of items separately)*

- A: 3 hour gig plus Commemorative (*typeset/b ordered or simple theme-BW*) drawing paper for estimated number of caricatures to be completed (generally lightweight 11x14 smooth card stock): **\$405**

* Packages are offered for 3+ hour weddings only because of drawing mostly couples and time. Package prices for 4 or 5 hour weddings, or price for digital only sign-in board option in 24x36" provided upon request. Travel fee if applicable, is additional to prices above.

** Prices above include couple, and range from a few props, simple background and title/date to more props and or complexity. Additional subjects such as people and pets will impact the price.



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Above left: BW sample of couple drawn at 2023 wedding demonstrates the likeness and most common style at weddings.

Above right: Drawing at a wedding in 2023.