

## Engagement Announcement

*Please return to the address listed below.*

Please submit three photographs with your announcement information. One photograph will be used in the magazine and two photographs will be used online. For an engagement photo, men should be in a coat and tie and women must be dressed accordingly. **NO PHOTOS WILL BE ACCEPTED WITH THE ENGAGED COUPLE IN DENIM OR A STRAPLESS DRESS OR BLOUSE.** Photographs should be formal candid and portraits. A digital photograph must be 300 dpi or larger. Please include a personal check as payment when submitting this form. Payment can be made by credit card by calling 816.471.2800. The total cost for an engagement announcement is \$300 for a subscriber. This \$300 fee will reserve both the engagement and the wedding announcement for the same couple. For all others the fee is \$400, and includes a one-year subscription to The Independent. This \$400 fee will reserve both the engagement and the wedding announcement for the same couple. Submit photos and questions by emailing Anne Potter Russ: [anne@kcindependent.com](mailto:anne@kcindependent.com).

Name and Address for Subscription \_\_\_\_\_  
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Bride's Name (First, Middle, Maiden) \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Bride's Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Bride's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Groom's Name (First, Middle, Last) \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Site of Ceremony \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Ceremony \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Ceremony \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Photographer who took the photo that you are submitting with this announcement \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a subscriber to *The Independent*? \_\_\_\_\_

Bride's Mother's Formal Name \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Bride's Father's Formal Name \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(Check All That Apply) Parents Are: married to each other \_\_\_\_\_ divorced from each other \_\_\_\_\_

both living \_\_\_\_\_ mother deceased \_\_\_\_\_ father deceased \_\_\_\_\_

If there are step-parents, please indicate who should be listed in the announcement:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Groom's Mother's Formal Name \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Groom's Father's Formal Name \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(Check All That Apply) Parents Are: married to each other \_\_\_\_\_ divorced from each other \_\_\_\_\_

both living \_\_\_\_\_ mother deceased \_\_\_\_\_ father deceased \_\_\_\_\_

If there are step-parents, please indicate who should be listed in the announcement:

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Bride's Grandparents: (Please only include these names if you would like them listed in the announcement.)

Maternal Grandmother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Maternal Grandfather's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Grandmother Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Paternal Grandmother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Paternal Grandfather's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Grandmother Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Groom's Grandparents: (Please only include these names if you would like them listed in the announcement.)

Maternal Grandmother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Maternal Grandfather's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Grandmother Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Paternal Grandmother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Paternal Grandfather's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Grandmother Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather Deceased \_\_\_\_\_ City/State of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Bride's Education: High School with City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Post-graduate School/Name of Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Sorority \_\_\_\_\_

Were you: Jewel Ball, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; BOTAR, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; Junior League Cotillion, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; Harvest Ball, year \_\_\_\_\_ ;

Bride's Employer with City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Groom's Education: High School with City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Post-graduate School/Name of Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Fraternity \_\_\_\_\_

Were you: Jewel Ball Floor Committee, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; Jewel Ball Escort, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; BOTAR, year \_\_\_\_\_ ;

Junior League Cotillion, year \_\_\_\_\_ ; Harvest Ball, year \_\_\_\_\_ ;

Groom's Employer with City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be interested in having *The Independent* report on any of your showers or parties associated with your wedding?

If so, whom should we contact? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

\*Name of Person Submitting this Form \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_