A Prayer FOR 2013 BRIDES

Dear God,

Thank you for your gifts of joy and the blessings You so freely give to us. I praise You because you hold all things together and are in control no matter what it seems.

Thank You for 2013, a new year, a year You saw fit for so many men and women to become man and wife - joining their separate lives into one life, one flesh.

I pray for each bride as she plans for a beautiful wedding day, that You could be preparing both bride and groom for an even more beautiful marriage. And, on the day of their wedding, rain or shine, I pray for a peace that is attributed to You. I ask that you comfort them, giving them a confidence they may need.

And for their marriage, Lord, protect it. And as time passes and their lives change, bind them tightly together, wrapped in the promises from their wedding day. Promises to love, respect, and cherish each other. God, become the center of their marriage. Guide them into the comfort of your presence through Your Son and open their hearts to Your wisdom.

In Jesus's Name,

Amen.