

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
DOMESTIC RELATIONS DIVISION  
BROWN COUNTY, OHIO**

Name	:	Case No. _____
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Street Address	:	
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City, State and Zip Code	:	Judge Scott T. Gusweiler
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	:	Magistrate Stephen J. Tissandier
Plaintiff		
vs.	:	
	:	
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Name	:	
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Street Address	:	
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City, State and Zip Code	:	
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	:	
Defendant		

**Instructions:** This form is used to request a divorce if you and your spouse do not have (a) child(ren), adult child(ren) attending high school, or child(ren) with disabilities. Check to determine if you meet the residency requirement to file in this county. A Request for Service (Uniform Domestic Relations Form 28) must be filed with this form.

**COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE WITHOUT CHILDREN**

I, the Plaintiff, for this Complaint say:

1. I have been a resident of the State of Ohio for at least six months.
2.  I have been a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County for at least 90 days immediately before the filing of this Complaint; or  
 The Defendant resides in \_\_\_\_\_ County where this Complaint is filed.
3. The Defendant and I were married to one another on \_\_\_\_\_ (date of marriage) in \_\_\_\_\_ (city or county, and state).

4. I state regarding child(ren) (check all that apply):

- There is/are no child(ren) expected from this marriage or relationship.
- There is/are child(ren) expected from this marriage or relationship and the approximate due date is: \_\_\_\_\_.

- There is/are no child(ren) from this marriage or relationship.
- The parties are parents of \_\_\_\_\_ (number) child(ren) from the marriage or relationship. Of the child(ren), \_\_\_\_\_ (number) is/are emancipated adult(s) and not under a disability. The following \_\_\_\_\_ (number) child(ren) is/are minor child(ren) and/or mentally or physically disabled and incapable of supporting or maintaining themselves (name and date of birth of each child):

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

5. I state the following grounds for divorce exist (check all that apply):

- The Defendant and I are incompatible.
- The Defendant and I have lived separate and apart without cohabitation and without interruption for one year.
- The Defendant or I had a Spouse living at the time of the marriage.
- The Defendant has been willfully absent for one year.
- The Defendant is guilty of adultery.
- The Defendant is guilty of extreme cruelty.
- The Defendant is guilty of fraudulent contract.
- The Defendant is guilty of gross neglect of duty.
- The Defendant is guilty of habitual drunkenness.
- The Defendant was imprisoned in a state or federal correctional institution at the time the Complaint was filed.
- The Defendant procured a divorce outside this state by virtue of which the Defendant has been released from the obligations of the marriage, while those obligations remain binding on me.

6. The Defendant and I are owners of real estate and/or personal property.

I request that a divorce be granted from the Defendant, that the Court determine an equitable division of debts and property, and as follows that (check all that apply):

- The Defendant be ordered to pay me spousal support.
- I be restored to my prior name of: \_\_\_\_\_
- The Defendant be required to pay attorney fees.
- The Defendant be required to pay the court costs of the proceeding.
- The Court make the following additional orders: \_\_\_\_\_

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and that the Court grant such other and further relief as the Court may deem proper.

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Your Signature

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Telephone number at which the Court may reach you  
or at which messages may be left for you