

SOCIAL MEDIA COMMENTS REGARDING ALDREDGE HOUSE AND WEDDINGS

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- David Finkelstein DALLAS, TX
 - 4 days ago
 - **Our son and his wife were married in the Aldredge House 16 years ago.** It is a great venue and the event guidelines are designed to respect the neighborhood and residents.

- S Pierce MCKINNEY, TX
 - 10 days ago
 - The Aldredge House contributes to Swiss Avenue by its rich history. What a shame that the sefl-focused neighbors are so short sighted. My husband and I had **our wedding reception here in 1985** and it is very special to me personally in that my mother and father were very dedicated to its upkeep and reputation. My father was an MD and my mother served as president of the DCMS Alliance with such dedication that she even worked in the gardens in addition to the board level duties.
 - We recently got married here and it's a beautiful house worth preserving.

- marlene bickel REYNOLDSBURG, OH
 - 11 days ago
 - **My brother is a pastor and has performed wedding ceremonies in this beautiful place.** It needs to be available to the community for it's many good uses. If someone is unhappy, let them move. unfortunately, there are some people who just want to destroy, in one way or another, something good and beneficial to the majority of the users of the facility. In other words, if "they" don't like it for what a great thing it is to the community, then let them leave!! It's an historic landmark and needs to be preserved as such for everyone!

- Randy Dicken ARLINGTON, TX
 - 11 days ago
 - This venue is wonderful historic place. **I have officiated many weddings there.**
 - It needs to stay. I wonder if those complaining have been in the neighborhood as long as the Foundation.

- Carmen Dorsey SACHSE, TX
 - 11 days ago
 - I am a **wedding planner** and this is a wonderfull venue for my brides!

- Carol Sage SACHSE, TX
 - 11 days ago
 - Dallas needs this historic place for weddings. People come from all over the world to see this home along with the others on Swiss Ave. and to have their weddings and celebrations there. **I have officiated weddings here for 20 years** for brides/grooms from all over the country as well as the world. What a wonderful

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historical gift Dallas allows the rest of the world to share. Shame on the 2 neighbors who want to take that away!

- James Faust DALLAS, TX
 - 12 days ago
 - I lived a block away from this wonderful place for years. I walked by it every other day. I worked on loads of commercials in this house. Loved the architecture. Loved the history. Whiskey tastings. Parties...and in 2013...I was married in the house... it's a landmark. It had a purpose to share itself with the city. Gain more history and in another 100 Yeats people will say...I'm glad this is still here. Please join me in preserving this.

- marty younkin SACHSE, TX
 - 12 days ago
 - I have been officiating weddings for 46 years and quite a few at the Aldeidge House. It's true that "the squeaky wheels gets the grease". Rather than shutting down the Aldredge House to accommodate the desire of a few, maybe we should stop the wheel from turning. Rather than listening to the "whining of a few" we should adhere to the "voices of the many." To make a marriage work, there is compromise and give and take. The few complainers need to learn that lesson in this situation.

- Nancy Poulsen SOUTHLAKE, TX
 - 12 days ago
 - My son and daughter-in-law's wedding/reception held here in Sept. 1997 is still a dear memory that I wish for other couples in the future.

- Lynnelle Wilson ROWLETT, TX
 - 14 days ago
 - It is a part of Dallas' history. A dear friend is related to the Aldredge family. I was married in the Aldridge house many years ago. It is more than a house. It is part of Dallas' history.

- John O'Connor DALLAS, TX
 - 15 days ago
 - I had my wedding reception there 22 years ago

- Patricia Ward LAMY, NM
 - 16 days ago
 - I was married at the Aldredge House 21 years ago. It is a beautiful, historic home that should that should continue to be open and utilized by the public

- Paul Gunderson RICHARDSON, TX

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- 16 days ago
- My wife's daughter was able to use the Aldredge House to be married in in 2000 and it would be a crime against all Dallasites by the selfish desires of a few so called "neighbors". Maybe their upturned noses could use some "waterboarding" as a wake up call to something bigger than their selves.
- Taite Lozano Brown DALLAS, TX
 - 16 days ago
 - The Aldredge House has made a huge impact on my life through the many parties and weddings that I have attended there and I hope to one day be able to celebrate my wedding day at such a beautiful historic house.
- Laura Byrom SAN ANTONIO, TX
 - 16 days ago
 - I grew up in the Park Cities and Swiss Avenue is very dear to my heart, especially the Aldredge House. My in-laws were married there as well as several of my friends. It's a true Dallas gem.
- Bea Scofield OKLAHOMA CITY, OK
 - 1 day ago
 - I was married in The Aldredge House 28 years ago and am still married.
- Amy Karp DALLAS, TX
 - 2 days ago
 - Aldredge House is a venue that serves my family as clients hire us to photograph their weddings there. We've always enjoyed working with the clients that choose this venue because of their calm sweet demeanor.
- Amy Gregory DALLAS, TX
 - 13 minutes ago
 - Please save this beautiful landmark. My wedding reception was held at this home in 2002 and it is a gem on Swiss Avenue and a treasure that should be preserved as is, a venue for public use. My hope is to be able to visit again soon and take my children through the home that holds such a special place in their parent's hearts. In living just a few blocks from the home currently my concern is that it could fall into disrepair and not be maintained properly by a single-family homeowner.
- Becky Ray UNIVERSITY PARK, TX
 - 33 minutes ago
 - I had my wedding reception at the Aldredge House. I can't imagine this beautiful home not being

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- Liz Brence PLANO, TX
 - about 9 hours ago
 - My husband and I had our wedding reception here on January 5, 1985, and after 30 years of marriage we still remember that joyous and special day. The Aldridge House was such a big part of our wedding day. I'm sure there are countless others that have very special memories in this beautiful house.
- Martha Shipley OKATIE, SC
 - about 9 hours ago
 - My husband and I had our wedding reception at the Aldredge House 35 years ago and remember an elegant refined place. The house is also a way for the past of Dallas to influence the future.
- Jennifer McKinney DALLAS, TX
 - about 9 hours ago
 - This is where we had our wedding reception 12 yrs. ago. We chose this place because of its history, it's beauty and uniqueness. Please allow it to continue as is!!
- MaryB Shapiro DALLAS, TX
 - about 9 hours ago
 - I had my wedding reception there 29 years ago. Should be allowed to continue as a historical Dallas venue
- Carol Or wood DALLAS, TX
 - about 10 hours ago
 - This is a historical marker of Dallas. I grew up in Dallas and my father was a Physician and had my rehearsal dinner there. It is Dallas history,
- Gillian Sellman DALLAS, TX
 - about 10 hours ago
 - Communities need Historic structures like the Aldridge House. I had my wedding reception there in 1977.
- Celeste Byrom HOUSTON, TX
 - about 12 hours ago
 - My parents got married there!
- Nancy Olinger AUSTIN, TX
 - 24 minutes ago
 - My mother was active in the Auxiliary and my brother and my husband's sister were both married at the Aldredge House.

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- Carol Kistner DALLAS, TX
 - about 2 hours ago
 - I was married here **22 years ago**. This property needs to remain an event space for more memories to be made.

- Andrew Keye DALLAS, TX
 - about 2 hours ago
 - i was married here **eleven years ago** on the 18th Sep, loved this place and hope others can continue to experience its beauty.

- Terry Triana Triana DALLAS, TX
 - about 4 hours ago
 - I have had a **photography studio for 37 years** and have had the privilege of photographing engagement and bridal portraits here and also some very beautiful weddings and corporate events. We have always shown great respect for the house, for the management, and for the neighborhood. I am deeply saddened to hear of this current situation, and hope that the support of our industry will encourage you to reconsider. Thank you. Terry Triana.

- Lisa Calibani Lowry FORT WORTH, TX
 - about 18 hours ago
 - My now deceased mother in law was a member of the DCMSAF and was dedicated to the preservation of this beautiful place. I had the privilege of marrying her physician son at the Aldredge House in **1989**. It is an irreplaceable landmark that deserves to be open and enjoyed by the public.

- Jessica Smith TITUSVILLE, FL
 - about 18 hours ago
 - My husband and I were married at the Aldredge House on April 4, **2009** and I want others to continue to have this amazing experience.

- Melanie Hughes ALLEN, TX
 - about 19 hours ago
 - We had our **wedding reception there in 2007**. Such a beautiful venue and a fantastic example for Dallas to see historical grandeur and design. It certainly should remain open to the public!

- Betsy Everidge PLANO, TX
 - about 24 hours ago
 - **Michael and I were married in the Aldredge House 30 years ago**. It is a wonderful, historic building. Even then we had valet parkers who took the cars elsewhere.

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- Kim McAndrews RICHARDSON, TX
 - 1 day ago
 - I got married at the Aldridge House in 1994. Valet parking was provided and I cannot imagine that the neighborhood was affected in any way. Music was indoors and everything was closely controlled. It would make me sad to think others would not have the fabulousness memories my husband and I and our guests share of this beautiful venue.

- Kathy Felps DALLAS, TX
 - 1 day ago
 - My brother, Bruce Felps, was the editor of East Dallas Times.com until he passed a few years ago. He and his wife were married here and it was a beautiful ceremony. Leave history alone!

- Jenny Davis FORT WORTH, TX
 - 1 day ago
 - My husband and I got married under a tree in the back yard 15 years ago. He was a medical student, we had no money, and this home allowed us an elegant, unforgettable place to hold our ceremony and reception, and I would love others to be able to have that experience too.

- Miranda Henson DALLAS, TX
 - 1 day ago
 - I'm signing this because my husband and I were married there September 25, 2010. We chose The Aldredge House because of its beauty, character, history and the fact that it was a Texas Landmark. We liked the idea that this house would always be Here to visit and show our children and our children's children. What is that point of making something a Texas Landmark if it could change one day.

- Stacy Jehl DALLAS, TX
 - 1 day ago
 - My husband and I were married there in 2001. The Aldredge House holds a special place in our hearts. There is no other venue like it in Dallas!