

## **INQUIRY INTO SAME SEX MARRIAGE LAW IN NSW**

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I believe every person deserves the right to marry the person they love based on law and not religion. Marriage has been around long before the time of christianity or any other religion and should not be restricted by the personal religious views of others. Same sex marriage can only make this country stronger by uniting people instead of segregating and discriminating, eliminating a culture of second class citizens that have been created through hypocrisy of equal rights for all; except if your wanting to have your same sex relationship formally recognised with the same social and legal status of marriage that every loving couple deserves.