MARRIAGE vs. The Ph.D.







Ph.D.

Typical Length:

7.5 years

7 years

Begins with:

A proposal

A thesis proposal

Culminates in a ceremony where you walk down an aisle dressed in a gown:





Usually entered into by:

Foolish young people in love

Foolish young people without a job

50% end in:

Bitter divorce

Bitter remorse

Involves exchange of:

Vows

Know-how

Until death do you part?

If you're lucky

If you're lazy