Dear [Friend's Name],

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to sincerely apologize for not being able to attend your wedding ceremony. I was very much looking forward to celebrating this special day with you and [Spouse's Name].

Unfortunately, due to [reason], I was unable to be there. Please know that I was thinking of you both and wishing you all the happiness in the world.

I look forward to catching up soon and hearing all about the wonderful day. Congratulations once again on your marriage! With warmest wishes,

[Your Name]