

A Brides Guide To The Perfect Wedding



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If you're getting married, you want the day to be absolutely perfect. But planning a perfect wedding can be challenging to say the least. It's not just about finding a great dress and booking a reception hall!

There's a lot of things to think about when putting together a great wedding, the church, the reception, the decorations, the photographer, the flowers, the cake and so on.

This guide is designed to help you overcome the challenges and frustrations of these wedding tasks and help you easily have the wedding of your dreams!

Choosing The Reception Hall

Weddings are not just about uniting two people. They are also about bringing people – friends and family, together in one joyful celebration which unites two families and allows everyone to share in the great event that joins two people together for their life journey.

Choosing the reception hall is of the utmost importance because this is where all that celebrating and uniting will take place!

However, picking a reception hall for your wedding is not as easy as it sounds. You might think that you can just pick out a banquet hall that is near the church, but things are not that simple. There are many things that you need to consider such as the venue, the accessibility, the food that will be catered and, of course, your budget.

Staying within your budget is probably the most important thing when choosing a hall. You can narrow your choices down right off the bat by eliminating the ones that are out of your financial range. Research some of the choices available in your area and find out which ones offer rates that are reasonable and are in the range of your budget. You can easily find one using your local yellow pages or by searching the internet.

Another factor that should guide you in choosing a reception hall is the size of the hall. Estimate the number of guests that you will be inviting and make sure that the venue will accommodate them all. You don't want the hall to be too crowded, but you don't want it to seem empty either so you need to have a good idea of how many will attend so you can get a place that is just right.

Choose a venue that has a dance floor or a designated dance area so you and your guests can fully enjoy the wedding even after all the dining has taken place. Dancing, after all, is one of the highlights in a wedding.

Another good thing to consider is the food that the place will cater for your guests. There are some venues that already provide a buffet as part of the wedding reception package. However, there are also those that don't so make sure that you settle arrangements between your caterer and the management of the venue.

The decorations in the hall must also be considered. It is best that you choose a venue that will already provide the decorations for the event since this will be very convenient on your part. Negotiate with the management with how you wish everything to look like and make sure that they will be fulfilling all your decoration requests down to the tiniest detail.

Choosing A Wedding Gown

One of the most fun tasks of wedding planning is choosing your gown. If you are the type of bride that has always envisioned a certain gown, then this job will be easy. However, if you have no idea what you want to wear then you might be in for a challenge as there are hundreds of beautiful wedding gown styles and designs to choose from.

You defiantly want to visit a local bridal shop at some point, but before you do that, you want to make sure you have a good idea of the type and style of gown you want. This will make your visit much more productive and much less frustrating.

In order to get a feel for what styles are popular and available, you can check bridal magazines or browse the Internet for more ideas and concepts of wedding dresses found online. Several web sites can offer you with comprehensive details about a particular wedding dress, complete price info, different styles and fashion sense.

As with everything else related to your wedding, you need to think about your budget when shopping for a gown. While the gown is really one of the most important parts of the wedding, you have to remember that if you blow your budget on the gown, then you will have less to spend on the reception, photographer, DJ or band and other aspects of the wedding. There are gorgeous gowns in every price range, so simply decide what your budget is and let the people at the bridal shop know that you only want to see gowns in that price range!