

Who Gets A Gift?



With so many people involved in your big day, it can get confusing on who should get a gift. Giving gifts is a thoughtful and sweet way to show your gratitude and thank them for being a shoulder to cry on, a personal hype team, a giver of great advice and more. Since buying gifts can be a big expense, I have created a list below of some of the people you should consider. Remember, it's YOUR day so do whatever you want! I have selected through Amazon wedding gifts and ideas to help ease the stress of finding the right gifts for the right people.

Bridesmaid and groomsmen gifts.

Say thanks to the men and women that will stand by your side as you tie the knot. These gifts are usually given as you get ready for the wedding and often reflect the theme or colors of the celebration. You can give something they would wear that day or something personalized to last a lifetime!

Flower girl and ring bearer gifts.

Don't forget the kids in your wedding party too. Be sure to gift your little loves a memento they'll cherish too.

Gifts for people in your ceremony.

While not expected, it is nice to also gift anyone helping during the ceremony with something sweet. If you have a friend acting as your officiant, a gift is appropriate. You might even give your readers or ushers a token of your appreciation. It doesn't have to cost a lot to make them feel appreciated and special.

Wedding favors.

At the end of your wedding celebration, say thanks to everyone! Give a parting gift to all who attended and participated in the festivities. This can be edible, personal, or something sentimental and specific to your celebration.

Gifts for your spouse.

Don't forget to gift your spouse something before the ceremony. Usually this is delivered via your wedding planner or maid of honor or best man. Send it to their getting ready room, include a sentimental card and a gift that's just as personal.

Your parents.

If parents are paying for the wedding, a nice gift of thanks is appropriate. But even if your parents aren't participating in the wedding financially, many couples opt to get their parents and future in-laws something to say thanks.

Out-of-Towners.

If you're hosting a destination wedding, plan a welcome gift, welcome bags or in-room amenity to show your gratitude for how far they've traveled to celebrate with you. A personalized note and a weekend itinerary is also welcomed. If you're getting married at home, sending something nice to the hotel rooms for the guests that have flown in to be with you is also nice.

Gratuities for your team members.

Be sure to say thanks to all the vendors and wedding professionals that helped make the magic happen. Planning ahead with a few envelopes of cash to tip team members has become common practice. This includes anyone from your photographer, DJ, banquet captain or officiant. Anyone that has provided you a wonderful service, consider saying thanks. A personal note of gratitude goes a long way with it too!

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