

# List of Duties

## Groomsman

Congratulations on being chosen as a groomsman! It may not seem like such a daunting task at first, but the groomsmen also have a few duties and responsibilities on their hands.

The following is a list of duties for the groomsmen:

### ♥ Before the Wedding Day ♥

- ✓ Help the Best Man to organize all of the things that he has to, like the suits and transport
- ✓ If someone delegates a task your way, kindly accept it and offer to help elsewhere as well
- ✓ Support the groom and best man wherever you can
- ✓ Help to organize the bachelors party
- ✓ Help to pay for the bachelors party
- ✓ Show up for your suit and attire fittings – keep some cash at hand for this, unless the couple offers to pay for your suit

- ✓ Show up for all pre-wedding events like the engagement party, bachelors party, rehearsal and rehearsal dinner
  - ✓ Make sure that you have transport and that your suit and attire is all in order
  - ✓ Help the best man to get a gift for the groom
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### ♥ On the Wedding Day ♥

- ✓ Help the best man wherever possible
- ✓ Eat a hearty breakfast and stay hydrated – not with alcohol
- ✓ Stay on schedule and make sure that you're dressed and ready in time
- ✓ Be at the church with all of the other groomsmen
- ✓ Make sure that you walk out with a bridesmaid on your side – be a gentleman and try not to fool around
- ✓ Be ready to enter the reception area with a bridesmaid and be formally announced by the MC
- ✓ If you have to speech, keep it clean
- ✓ Don't get drunker than the groom or best man

- ✓ Help out with the other bridesmaids – when the dance floor is empty, get dancing! Show guests where to put gifts, sign the guest book, where to sit, etc.
- ✓ Find out who takes care of the gifts and help to carry it to that person's car
- ✓ Be present and participate in catching of the garter
- ✓ If there is a crisis, help out – you don't want the bride to know and panic!