



Weddings with Vintage Rose

VINTAGE ROSE'S TOP 10 WEDDING PLAN TIPS

We are often asked 'can you offer me any advice for planning my wedding', and luckily for us we have organised enough beautiful, well executed and individually styled wedding days to say, 'of course!'. Here at Vintage Rose our main objective is to help create bespoke and personalised weddings for each of our clients; below are our top ten tips we share with each of our brides

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told all your nearest and dearest, first things first is to sit down together and work out what you can afford and are willing to spend on your wedding day.
Set a budget and work out how you would like this to be split across your wedding day elements. Plan for the wedding day you can afford and always shop with your budget in mind.

2: PRIORITIZE
As much as styling a wedding is our favourite bit too, before you spend hours agonising over centrepieces, book the biggies!! When, (date & time) Where (venues, church and reception if not in the same place) and What (have you got left from your budget to spend); once these three elements have been finalised you can start creating your own personal and bespoke day.

3: BRIDAL PARTY
Your best man and bridesmaid will be with you every step of the way during your planning



process and will play important roles on your actual wedding day. You need people you can depend on, trust and feel relaxed around. If you feel your closest friends are not confident or reliable enough, don't feel you have to have them in these roles; find them other ways to be part of your celebration without making them feel excluded.

4: ORGANISATION
Diary (check), scrapbook full of magazine clippings (check), budget spreadsheet (check), folder full of quotes, invoices, terms & conditions and confirma-

tions (check) - You can never be too organised when it comes to planning your wedding; after all it is the only way to achieve stress-free wedding planning.



5: IT TAKES TWO

Your wedding is the beginning of a union that will take you through life, so now is as good a time as any to start acting with a united front. Having problematic family members, or finding it hard choosing a dessert selection, sit down and talk it through together to find a way to resolve the situation. Your day should be created together and although family members may have opinions and desires, which you may or may not wish to incorporate into your day, take time to listen and then talk through your options together and respond... you guessed it... together.

6: DELEGATE

Do you really need to collect the hired glass wear yourself? Close family and friends will be more than happy to lend a helping hand; in fact it would probably be a pleasure, after all everyone loves to feel involved when it comes to planning a wedding.

Behind every wedding day is an efficient team, so don't be afraid to ask close family and friends for help or even enlist in the services

of some experienced and trusted wedding professionals.

7: REFLECT YOURSELF

Do you love Bob Marley, have a secret Nutella obsession or spend your weekends watching Marvel boxsets? If something means something to you and your partner, try and incorporate it in some way. You don't have to have a Nutella jar shaped photo booth (although we wouldn't object) but maybe small Nutella jar favours, a chocolate fountain, or a Nutella icing in your cake.

You could incorporate your marvel fuelled Sundays with themed socks, cufflinks or even a hint to a favourite character in the colour scheme; subtle can work really well but then so can full out theming, just go with whatever feels comfortable.

Remember the day is celebrating you and your hubby to be, so reflect what's important to you but remember to stay true to you, your beliefs, your values and your shared sense of style!

8: WEDDING FREE ZONES

Would you want to talk about

football ALL the time? Us neither, so make sure you have a wedding free zone at home and try and incorporate some wedding free time (date nights / trashy TV nights / the odd whole weekend) into your wedding planning; your hubby to be will be eternally grateful (we promise).

9: COUNT TO 10

Giving yourself a few moments, take a deep breath, count to ten and collect your thoughts could save on any long standing feuds or hard feeling especially between members of family to be. Most interfering is done with the best of intentions and you should always remember that 'Mother-in-laws make fantastic babysitters!'

10: HIRED SERVICES

Don't be pressured or feel rushed into any contracts when planning your wedding day. This day only happens once so you need to be 100% sure that you are happy with all aspects of your contracts with any hired-in services before committing.



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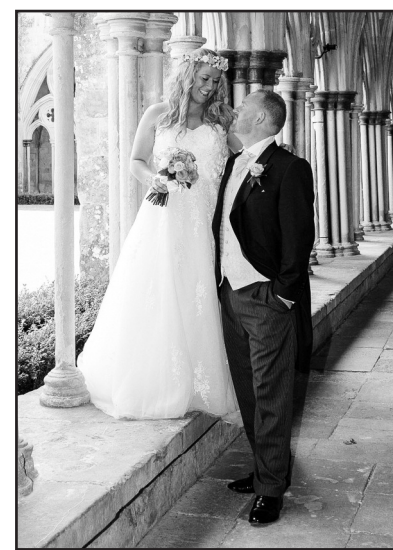
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