

## A Final Checklist

It's the day before your wedding. Hopefully, everything has gone smoothly so far. Here's a final, and hopefully humorous, checklist and some suggestions to get your mind off everything else and **RELAX!**



## The Day Before Your Wedding...

- \_\_\_ Make sure your bridal gown, headpiece, shoes, etc... are ready.
- \_\_\_ Make sure all your bridal lingerie/undergarments are ready.
- \_\_\_ Have at least two pairs of stockings available (you won't need them, but you'll worry if you don't have them nearby).
- \_\_\_ Get all your cosmetics, hair styling tools together.
- \_\_\_ Give yourself a manicure and pedicure.
- \_\_\_ Finalize packing for your honeymoon.
- \_\_\_ Make sure you have something old, new, borrowed, and blue.

## At the Rehearsal and Dinner

- \_\_\_ Hand out all the assignment sheets (let someone else do the work now!).
- \_\_\_ Enjoy being with your family, friends, and fiancé.
- \_\_\_ Limit alcohol (the last thing you want is a hangover on your wedding day!).
- \_\_\_ Excuse yourself early so you can go home and unwind.

## After the Rehearsal Dinner,

### Try Some of the Following...

- \_\_\_ Take a long bubble bath with a good book.
- \_\_\_ Give yourself a facial.
- \_\_\_ Clean your engagement ring.
- \_\_\_ Look at your baby pictures.
- \_\_\_ Try to get some sleep!

## On The Big Day...

It's here! That day you thought would never come has arrived! Hopefully you got some sleep last night, although the excitement was probably unbearable.

Take your time with everything you do today. Allow plenty of time so you do not have to rush. And don't panic wondering if everything is ready.

Rely heavily on your family and attendants today. They'll be glad to help with anything that needs to be done. They'll also help ease your mind and emotions.

Enjoy this day to its fullest. You will be surrounded by family and friends who will wish you only the best. Make an effort to talk with everyone at the reception, even if it's only for a short moment. Your time and attention will be greatly appreciated.

If some detail does not go exactly as planned, make the most of it - do not let it ruin your entire wedding that you've worked so hard to put together.

If it happens to rain, don't panic. Make needed arrangements ahead of time, should this situation arise. Many beautiful weddings have taken place on a rainy day and it is often said that rain brings GOOD LUCK!

Once the reception is over, you can look forward to your honeymoon and the wonderful new life you will have together. Be patient, understanding, loving, and most of all, be sure to communicate with one another.

## Have a Wonderful Day!

We at *Cavanaugh's BrideBook* hope this book helps in the enormous task of planning your wedding.

We would appreciate any comments or suggestions you may have that would help future engaged couples with their wedding plans. We wish you a very happy wedding day, and a lifetime filled with . . .

