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Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette



Synopsis

Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette is the classic indispensable, comprehensive guide to creating the wedding of your dream, now in its sixth edition. Today's weddings are more complicated than ever, with new traditions replacing old, and new relationships to consider as family life grows more complex. Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette has everything a bride will ever need to know to have the perfect wedding. Anna Post guides brides and their friends and family through weddings to maximize fun and reduce stress, including:

- How to handle awkward family situations
- How to address envelopes and word invitations
- How to choose an officiant
- How to blend family traditions
- The timeline of events throughout the engagement and during the wedding
- Who to include on your guest list
- How to use technology to your advantage

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Customer Reviews

Emily Post's Classic, Indispensable, and Comprehensive Guide to Your WeddingÂ Now Completely Updated and Expanded in a New EditionToday's weddings are a beautiful blend of traditions, reflecting what matters most to each couple. They are also more complicated than ever, with new customs replacing the old, new technologies to help plan and communicate, and new relationships to consider as families grow more complex. But while weddings evolve, one thing has remained constant: A wedding is one of the most special days in a person's life. Surrounded by friends and family, it is a day for everyone to celebrate. The Emily Post Institute has been answering etiquette questions for more than ninety years, and Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette, 6th Edition, written by Emily Post's great-great-granddaughters, Anna Post and Lizzie Post,

will provide you with everything you need to know from past traditions to modern updates so you can approach your wedding with grace and ease. After all, etiquette is about treating people with consideration, respect, and honestyâattitudes that will help you to set the tone for the perfect day. This updated and expanded sixth edition includes every detail a couple needs to navigate the planning process, reduce stress, and maximize fun on their extraordinary day. With illustrations throughout, the sixth edition is packed with inspiration, advice, and etiquette, covering everything from: How to word invitations and address envelopes The time line of events throughout the engagement and wedding day Who to include on your guest list Smart and thoughtful ways to integrate the latest technology How to handle divorced parents and awkward family situations Who should throw the bridal shower The do's and don'ts of gifts and thank yous How to schedule photography on the wedding day Inspiration for blending family traditions and including elements that reflect you as a couple With shorter, more accessible chapters, this edition also includes vital information for the groom, mother of the groom, mother and father of the bride, and every member of the wedding party. Unmatched as a trusted resource, Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette, 6th Edition, is the go-to practical guide for the big event. From the "yes" of the proposal to the day of "I do," Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette will help you plan a wedding that is uniquely yours every step of the way.

Anna Post is the great-great-granddaughter of Emily Post, and a co-author of Emily Post's Etiquette, 18th Edition. She is also the co-author of Great Get-Togethers and Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette, 6th Edition, and the author of Do I Have to Wear White? Anna conducts business etiquette seminars across the country. Lizzie Post is the great-great-granddaughter of Emily Post, and a co-author of Emily Post's Etiquette, 18th Edition. She is also the co-author of Great Get-Togethers and Emily Post's Wedding Etiquette, 6th Edition, and the author of How Do You Work This Life Thing? She has spoken across the country sharing etiquette advice about technology, finance, and lifestyle.

I received this book as an engagement gift 11 years ago, to be honest it was a previous edition which makes me feel about 100 years old. I used it so much during my wedding planning that my family, friends, and I lovingly refer to it as the "Wedding Bible". I laugh every time I think back to my husband and I disagreeing over how to handle something related to the wedding and my husband completely seriously said to me "Get out the Bible!". Ha! This is now my go to gift for anyone I love that has recently gotten engaged. I have given it out over a dozen times and every bride loves it as much as I did. It is beautiful and organized so well that you can easily just reference what you need

quickly and move on. I highly recommend this as a gift for any bride to be you love.

Just bought this book as we begin to plan our wedding. It's exactly what we need! This book walks you through the basics of planning and provides expanded resources for how to coordinate every aspect of the day with consideration for your guests, family, and selves. A great read for any couple considering getting engaged. Also- this is very updated with a modern look on weddings and includes timely advice on budgeting (who pays), social media use, and modern wedding themes.

So happy Emily's descendants have reached out to women who still like to observe etiquette in changing times. When our son prepared for his wedding we got so many mixed messages and poor communication between her family and ours so I want to avoid as many pitfalls as possible as I plan our daughter's upcoming nuptials next year! Thank you Emily!

I didn't sit down and read this whole book cover-to-cover, but it's wonderful to spot-check what's correct. The only thing I disagree with is the appropriateness of a cash bar. The book basically says if you have to do a cash bar for financial reasons, you should cut down on your guest list so you can do an open one, because you wouldn't have company to your home and then ask them to pay. But.... people do potlucks or BYOB house parties, so I disagree. Otherwise, this is great as far as understanding what's acceptable for complicated family dynamics and good timeframes for various activities/responsibilities.

This book gives good guidance for wedding etiquette for the 21st century. Much has changed in the last 20-30 years about wedding etiquette, and this book keeps up with the times yet still keeps the importance of consideration for others foremost. Very helpful.

If you're scouring for an ideal engagement gift/looking to add onto other engagement goodies, this is for you! I've given this book to approximately 7-8 bride-to-bes, and they've all appreciated the extensive topic coverage and guidance on the most nuanced/uncomfortable issues that seem to pop up throughout their wedding planning! It's also adorable and very sturdy, so, it's an ideal option for future display or a coffee table book leading up to the big day; highly recommend!

I bought this book because as a wedding planner I need to have answers for extraordinary situations. This book is a great tool for that! Even though is mostly written for brides to be, I

recommend it to wedding planners as well.

It's just too bad that the Posts are above getting into the less enjoyable family dysfunctions that arise when you get engaged to be married. I could have used an encyclopedia series for that.

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