

# How Anyone Can Give A Funny Wedding Speech

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Speechmaking isn't for a lot of people. Public speaking at your own wedding? How about a funny wedding speech? That is, for a number of the masses, the unequivocal worst experience possible. You have to stand up and make statements that people will remember in combination with this most important occasion in your life, without giving undue wrongdoing to anyone.

As a matter of fact, remember the cardinal rules of public speaking: Tell the reception what you're going to go over. In particular, keep the tone light, and keep an air of levity in your presentation. Make them crack up. Make them grin.

Commend your bride. Endorse the bridesmaids. Sanction your bride's family, and thank them for raising the wonderful woman you're spending the rest of your life with. Praise your best man, and spell out that the inceptive duties of the best man were to clash off the brides brothers and cousins while the groom had time to circumvent with her through a window for a massive elopement.

Do take the time to point out your single comrades in the reception. They'll acknowledge it later, when they get singled out by the friends of the wedding party trying to set them up. Do take the time to thank your parents for helping finance the ceremony.

And then, you need to propose a toast. Now, you've proposed a toast to your better half, your future in-laws, and your parents, so the bounds of duty have been met. The final closing toast is traditionally meant to be funny, but be aware of the preference of the wedding party. Something that's funny to a person in their 20s may be downright outrageous to their grandparents, and you don't want to go down as being the man who offended everyone. Here are some legends:

"Here's to our wives and our loves. May they never meet."

"I've put this date in my calendar. The best way to remember a wedding anniversary is to forget it once."

"Marriage is the union where man and woman become one. The trouble comes in when they try to decide which one."

If you're the best man, you have the best job at the wedding. You get to tell folklore about "Remember when" and embarrass the groom. In particular, praise the bride-to-be to the high heavens, then ask her if she's taken leave of her senses for marrying your buddy. She'll laugh, everyone else will laugh, and the festivities can begin. So, giving a funny wedding speech isn't that hard after all.

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