

Wedding Speech Roles Cheat Sheet

The wedding speeches are listed in the order they are normally presented. The speech content is detailed for each wedding speech role.

Father of the Bride Speech*

- The Father of the Bride Speeches can include memories of your daughter growing up.
 - Her good qualities, attributes, accomplishments, how radiant she looks.
 - Welcome the groom to your family. Acknowledge the groom and his family.
- Save Time use the [Father of Bride Speech Creator Guide](#)

Mother of the Bride Speech*

- The Mother of the Bride Speeches may include memories of your daughter growing up.
- Include how you admire her for certain qualities, her good accomplishments etc.
- Welcome the groom to the family. Acknowledge the groom and his family.
- Reduce stress use the [Mother of Bride Speech Creator Guide](#)

Groom Speech

- Groom speeches welcome the guests.
 - Thank audience for gifts, cards and good wishes.
 - Talk about how you met your wife – your first impressions and shared interests
 - Compliment your new wife and talk about how lucky you are.
 - Thank the father of the bride for his best wishes and toast. Thanks the mother of the bride.
 - Thank your own family. Thank the Best Man and add some detail about the Best Man.
 - Thank the Bride's maids and groom's men (page boys/ushers)
 - Close with a quote or joke etc.
- Save time and stress use the [Groom Speech Creator Guide](#)

Bride Speech

- Bride Speeches begin by thanking your guests for joining you on this special day.
 - Thanks to your parents.
 - Recount a special memory of your parents or your childhood.
 - Thank your husband's parents,
 - Share a story about how you and your husband met or interests you share etc.
- Save time use the [Bride Speech Creator Guide](#).

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Best Man Wedding Speech

- The Best Man speech is usually the most entertaining speech of the evening and generally 5 to 10 minutes in length.
- Best Man Wedding Speeches tell the audience about how you know the groom.
- In your speech talk about something you admire about the groom, his accomplishments
- Mention something about the bride and groom – how they met or something about them as a couple.
- Compliment the bride. Congratulate the couple.
- Reduce stress use the [Best Man Wedding Speech Guide](#)

Maid of Honor Speech*

- Maid of Honor Speeches start with how you know the bride
 - Tell the audience about the bride's accomplishments or attributes
 - Add something about the bride and groom as a couple
 - Offer congratulations to the bride and groom
- Save time and stress use the [Maid of Honor Speech Creator Guide](#)

Wedding Master of Ceremonies (Wedding MC)

- The Wedding MC introduces the speakers and gives announcements.

The Wedding MC is not mandatory but is nice to have for the speech section. The Wedding MC can give impromptu comments between speakers. A Wedding MC helps the speech section flow well.

IMPORTANT NOTE: If there is **no Wedding MC**, each speaker must introduce his or her own self in the wedding speech.

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