

For the distinctly personal . . .

Home celebrations make unique, lovely weddings

The home ceremony—warm, one-of-a-kind, and distinctly personal—is the newest trend in weddings today.

Especially when family and friends get involved in everything from writing invitations to preparing food, ceremonies held at home are joyous shared experiences for couple and guests alike.

Almost any home or apartment can be used for a simple home wedding. Of course, the guest list must be limited in accordance with the space available, but that makes those invited feel even more special.

Food should be beautifully prepared, but it needn't be elaborate. A homemade wedding cake, baked from a mix and decorated by hand, makes an unusual focal point for the refreshment table.

Once the cake has been baked according to package instructions, it is easy to decorate using an electric foodgun such as Wear-Ever's Super Shooter. With a little practice, you can quickly fashion a series of festoons, garlands, and rosettes in creamy pastel frosting. A few fresh flowers provide the finishing touch to that one-of-a-kind cake!

To round out the refreshment table, use the electric foodgun to create platters of elegant canapés. For best results, make a variety of mixtures a few days before the wedding, and store them in the refrigerator in the extra



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Then, just shortly before the ceremony, family or friends can "shoot" them onto crackers or vegetables for fresh, lovely canapés. Add punch or champagne, and you've got everything you need for a successful re-

ception.

If you're a bride-to-be, consider a home ceremony. The more of your wedding you plan yourself—and execute with the help of people you love—the more personal and memorable your special day will be!

"Something gold, something new..."

Getting married and all that jazz? Here, the Gold Information Center offers a hope chest filled to overflowing with tempting karat gold jewelry treasures for the bride-to-be.

For the wedding ceremony

Twists, openworked basketweaves and sculpted florals are among the myriad wedding band choices for today's bride—gold symbols of love, crafted from the eternal metal in lovely new textured patterns, the updating of a tradition that began with the ancient Egyptians thousands of years ago.

Gold with pearls is another traditional accompaniment to white lace and promises.

Shown here are some contemporary classics for the bride—a natural gold nugget necklace with freshwater pearls, a delicate gold chain necklace with stations of round cultured pearls, a lustrous leaf pendant with pearl accents, and a charming gold circle pin with a solitary pearl, all destined to become tomorrow's heirlooms.

Hope chest classics

Tucked among the practical necessities carefully chosen for her hope chest, today's savvy bride-to-be has several classic pieces of karat gold jewelry that she'll enjoy wearing throughout her married years.

Ribbed hoop earrings of

gold with a touch of diamonds and a textured circle pin with ruby highlights are two such versatile jewelry investments.

Perhaps the groom will add a golden token of his affection to his lady's jewelry collection—a sentimental gold heart bracelet would be very apropos.

Gifts for the bridesmaids

Gifts of gold from the bride to her bridesmaids will be treasured for a lifetime. The Gold Information Center suggests: a filigree chain bracelet, a pair of pierced heart earrings or a sleek bar pin, as shown in 14 karat gold—all long-lasting remembrances of a very special occasion.



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