



luxury in motion

## *Our Gift to you*

To help you in the months ahead, we have listed what you should be doing as the weeks progress. We hope it will simplify your planning and help you enjoy this wonderful process of planning for your perfect wedding day!

### **AFTER ENGAGEMENT**

1. Announce engagement through printed announcements and/or newspapers.
2. Engagement party may be thrown by parents.
3. Decide if wedding will be formal or informal and set a budget.
4. Set date, time and place for wedding and reception.
5. Reserve with a caterer.
6. Make appointment with photography sitting.
7. Visit your clergyman.
8. Prepare invitation list.
9. Order wedding invitations with accompanying pieces and personal stationary.
10. Select your attendants.
11. Register at department stores or gift shops.
12. Prepare personal check list to be sure you will not forget anything.

### **SIX MONTHS BEFORE WEDDING**

1. Make honeymoon plans and reservations.
2. Order limousines.
3. Reserve limousine transportation for your honeymoon.
4. Select your rings.
5. Select gifts for groom and attendants.
6. Begin addressing invitations.
7. Begin recording gifts and writing thank you notes.
8. Make appointment with doctor for complete physical.
9. Go with fiancé for marriage license.

### **FOUR TO SIX WEEKS BEFORE WEDDING**

1. Order flowers.
2. Order wedding cake.
3. Arrange accommodations for out-of-town attendants.
4. Complete fittings for gowns.
5. Mail the wedding invitations.
6. Continue recording gifts and writing thank you notes.

### **TWO WEEKS BEFORE WEDDING**

1. Make arrangements for reception seating and give final count.
2. Arrange for the move into your new home and take care of name change at banks, etc.
3. Make a last minute check on your trousseau and check the luggage.
4. Make appointment with hairdresser for the wedding.
5. Check on accessories for you and your attendants – have fiancé check on ushers.
6. Continue recording gifts and writing thank you notes.

### **ONE WEEK BEFORE WEDDING**

1. Check last minute details with clergyman, caterers, florist, photographer and limousine service.
2. Arrange rehearsal.
3. Entertain bridal attendants.
4. Get plenty of rest to be loveliest.

town cars • limousines • suvs • mini-coaches • limo-coaches • motor coach • school buses • tour buses • trolleys

**800-787-1690 • 410-522-0400 • [www.amerlimo.com](http://www.amerlimo.com)**



luxury in motion

In setting your wedding budget, it is helpful to know how wedding expenses are generally divided. The following responsibilities are general. Due to local customs and special situations, you may wish to make variations.

### THE BRIDE

1. Groom's ring.
2. Gift for the groom.
3. Gift and accommodation for the attendants.
4. Bridesmaid's party.
5. Personal stationery.
6. Medical examination.

### THE GROOM

1. Marriage License
2. Bride's engagements and wedding rings.
3. Gift for the Bride
4. Gifts and Accommodations for the attendants.
5. Personal wedding attire
6. Gloves and accessories for attendants.
7. Bride's bouquet and going-away corsage.
8. Corsages for both mothers and special honored guests (Grandmother).
9. Boutonnieres for Groom, Attendants and Fathers.
10. Fee for Clergyman.
11. Wedding Tip.
12. Medical Examinations.

### THE GROOM'S FAMILY

1. Personal Traveling expenses and hotel bills.
2. Entertaining for bride and groom (often the rehearsal dinner).
3. Wedding Gift.

### THE BRIDE'S FAMILY

1. Bride's Gown, accessories and trousseau.
2. Wedding stationery.
3. Flowers for bride's attendants, church and reception decorations and corsages for friends who assist at reception.
4. Limousines for bridal party.
5. Engagement and wedding photographs.
6. All ceremony expenses except the clergyman's fee.

### ATTENDANTS

1. Wedding clothing and accessories.
2. Traveling expenses.
3. Wedding gift.
4. Entertaining the bride or groom.

**IMPORTANT:** If you are getting married during the months of May, June and July, we recommend reserving your limousines early since the demand is greater this season due to proms and weddings.



town cars • limousines • suvs • mini-coaches • limo-coaches • motor coach • school buses • tour buses • trolleys

800-787-1690 • 410-522-0400 • [www.amerlimo.com](http://www.amerlimo.com)