**WEDDING PHOTO CHECK-LIST**

Here’s a list of shots you may want to consider, check off the ones that appeal or apply to you both.

Then give a copy to your photographer. Just make sure that he knows that you’re also open to his

unique and professional expertise. It’s why your hired him after all! He may take really cool shots that

aren’t on this list!

You can also check out my Pinterest https://www.pinterest.ca/theeventfultraveller page in the Events

category, for photography ideas.

**BRIDE - GETTING READY SHOTS**

Father of the bride seeing bride

Hanging Wedding Dress

Bride leaving for venue

Hanging Bridesmaid Dresses

Wedding Shoes

Bride & Groom praying together

Wedding ring & engagement ring

**GROOM - GETTING**

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**EADY HOTS**

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Bridal Bouquet

Bridesmaid bouquets

Groom in quiet contemplation

Groom tying his tie

Bride getting makeup on/done

Bride getting hair done

Groomsmen horsing around

Groom & Best Man

Bridesmaids getting ready

Bride with maid of honour

Bride with each bridesmaid

Group shot of bride and bridesmaids

Bridal party toasting with champagne

Bride with Mom

Groom & Groomsmen having fun

Groom and his parents

Groom pinning his boutonniere

Groom with siblings

Groom leaving for the venue

Guys in the background, groom

slightly ahead of them

Bride with siblings

Groom & Groomsmen casually

together not looking into lens

Best man straightening grooms tie

Father and Groom getting ready

Mother and Groom getting ready

Bride with new sister-in-law

Mother helping bride with jewelry

Maid of honour/bridesmaid zipping up

brides dress

Mother helping put on brides veil

Dressed Bridal party

Groomsmen praying for Groom

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**BRIDE & GROOM PRIOR TO CEREMONY**

Door open holding hands around

corner

Groomsmen watching bridesmaids

walking down the isle

Holding hands around a corner

Door open on opposite sides, reading

letter to each other/opening gift.

Back to Back (not looking)

Bride standing behind groom, but he’s

not looking

Bride & Father waiting to walk out

Grooms first reaction to bride

Close up of bride and father

Father & Groom Hugging/shaking

hands

Bride & Groom greeting each other

for the first time

**CEREMONY**

Ceremony space

Ceremony flowers

Pew/Chair decorations

Guests arriving

Officiant begins ceremony

Bridesmaids watching ceremony

Groomsmen watching ceremony

Parents watching ceremony

Ceremony readings

Wedding program

Bride saying vows

Officiant

Ushers seating guests

Grooms reaction to readings

Groom saying vows

Grooms family walking down the isle

Brides family walking down the isle

Groomsmen walking down the isle

Groom walking down the isle

Flower girl walking down the isle

Ring bearer walking down the isle

Brides reaction to readings

Exchange of Rings

First Kiss

Brides family reaction

Grooms family reaction

Bride & Groom celebrating the

announcement of Officiant

Guests/family/bridal party

celebrating

Bridesmaids walking down the isle

Groomsmen watching bridesmaids

walking down the isle

Bride and Groom walking out

Bride & Father waiting to walk out

Grooms first reaction to bride

Close up of bride and father

Bridal party recessional

Father & Groom Hugging/shaking hands

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**PORTRAITS**

Traditional shots of bride & groom

Creative shots of bride & groom

Bride with her family

Bride & Groom with her family

Groom with his family

**COCKTAIL HOUR**

Place Cards

Signature Drinks

Wedding Signage

Group of friends

Work friends

Groom & Bride with his family

Bride & Groom with all parents

Bride with parents

Family friends

Church friends

Passed Appetizers

Flower Arrangements

Place settings

Décor

Groom with parents

Both families with Bride & Groom

Bride with Bridesmaid / maid of honor

Bride with Maid of honor

Groom with Bridesmaids

Seating Chart

Bride with Groomsmen

**RECEPTION**

Groom with Groomsmen / best man

Groom with Best man

Center Pieces

Cake

Bridesmaids & Groomsmen together

Entire Bridal Party

Dessert Table/Candy/Donut Bar

Band & DJ

Bride with siblings

Wedding favors

Groom with siblings

Bridal Party Entrance

Bride & Groom’s Entrance

First Dance

Father Daughter dance

Mother Son dance

Best Man Toast

All siblings with Bride & Groom

Bride & Groom with extended family

Bride with extended family

Groom with extended family

Bride with Grandparents

Groom with Grandparents

Bride and Groom with both sets of

Grandparents

Maid of Honor Toast

Father of the Bride Toast

Bride & Groom with both sets of

Parents and Grandparents

Bride & Groom with Flower girl

Bride & Groom with Ring bearer

Get Creative with your shots!

Bride & Groom reactions to toasts

Master of Ceremonies (MC)

Dancing shots

Dancing candid shots

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Candid shots of key participants

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Bouquet Toss

Posed picture of each table

Cake cutting

Parents dancing

Champagne toast

Bride & Grooms departure

Guest holding sparklers

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