

## **GROOMSMEN'S DUTIES**

Considering that the groom knows a heck of a lot of guys, congrats on making the cut. You're on the team!! The down side is that the uniforms are tuxedos but I'm sure you'll look very handsome.

Other than carrying a flask in your inside pocket and looking and acting sober, there aren't too many jobs for you to do. There is one important thing to have on the day of the wedding BLACK SOCKS. Nothing worse than a guy in a black tux with white sweat sock...yuck!!

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- Go and pick out your tuxes and show up for fittings
- Help the groom and best man, if they need any
- Help plan and pay for the stag
- Help with loading and unloading cars of decorations, liquor, etc....
- Attend the rehearsal and the rehearsal dinner.
- Greet and seat guests at the ceremony.
- Escort the mother of the groom to her seat.
- Escort the mother of the bride to her seat.
- Roll out a red or white carpet down the church aisle for the bride to walk on.
- Smile for the photographer.
- Sit at the head table during dinner
- At the end of the reception, help load the car with gifts and everything else.
- Return your tux.

## **GROOMSMEN'S SPEECH**

Alright guys, you don't have to make a toast or speech if you don't want to but if you do keep it short and sweet. The content of your speech is to thank the couple for the honour of being in their wedding party and tell a story about either the groom or the bride depending on which one you're closest to. You can be funny but not insulting and feel free to say a few words about your friendship and what it means. For some ideas refer to the best man's speech. You can toast the couple if you like and try not to go over 3 minutes.