



## S a m p l e W e d d i n g T i m e l i n e

9:00 AM	Bridesmaids arrive; hair and makeup
11:00 AM	Vendors arrive
1:30 PM	Photographer arrives - <i>photographs bridesmaids getting ready</i>
3:00 PM	Groomsmen arrive; getting ready Bride and groom's families arrive <i>Photographs groomsmen getting ready</i>
3:30 PM	<i>Groom's portraits</i> <i>Groomsmen's photos</i> <i>Groom's family photos</i>
4:45 PM	<i>Bridal portraits</i> <i>Bridesmaids' photos</i> <i>Bride's family photos</i>
5:30 PM	Guests begin to arrive
6:00 PM	Invite time
6:10 PM	Ceremony begins
6:40 PM	Ceremony concludes / guests exit to the reception or cocktail area Bride and groom, bridal party, and parents exit to a photo location <i>Bridal party photos</i>
6:50 PM	All family / bridal party meets at the ceremony altar location <i>Bridal party, family photos</i>
7:00 PM	Bridal party and family join the reception <i>Bride and groom portraits</i>
7:30 PM	Bridal party is announced into the ceremony
7:40 PM	Dinner is served / buffet begins
8:30 PM	First dance Father of the bride dance Mother of the groom dance
8:45 PM	Toasts begin
9:00 PM	Cake cutting Cake served
9:15 PM	Bouquet Toss Garter Toss
9:30 PM	Dancing begins