

Wedding Photography Shots Before the Ceremony

- ___ Wedding dress lying over a chair/hanging up
- ___ Zipping up or buttoning the wedding dress
- ___ Mother of the bride fastening the bride's necklace
- ___ The bride's garter
- ___ The bride's veil
- ___ A close up of the bride's shoes
- ___ Bride looking into a mirror
- ___ Bride looking out window
- ___ Bride and bridesmaids putting on makeup
- ___ Bride pinning corsage/boutonnière on mother/father
- ___ Bride hugging parents
- ___ Bride touching up
- ___ Bride and parents leaving for ceremony
- ___ Groom tying tie
- ___ Groom looking into mirror
- ___ Bride looking out window
- ___ Groom pinning corsage/boutonnière on mother/father
- ___ Groom hugging parents
- ___ Bride and parents leaving for ceremony

Wedding Photography Shots At the Ceremony

- ___ Outside of ceremony site
- ___ Guests walking into ceremony site
- ___ Bride and father entering ceremony site
- ___ Parents being seated
- ___ Grandparents being seated
- ___ Maid of honor walking down the aisle
- ___ Bridesmaids walking down the aisle
- ___ Flower girl walking down aisle
- ___ Groom waiting for bride
- ___ Ceremony musicians
- ___ Officiant
- ___ Altar or canopy during ceremony
- ___ Close up of bride, just before she makes her entrance
- ___ Bride and father walking down aisle
- ___ Groom seeing bride for first time
- ___ The back of bride and father walking down the aisle –
with the groom waiting in the distance
- ___ Bride's father and Bride hugging at end of aisle
- ___ Shot of the audience from the bride and groom's point of view
- ___ The unity ceremony
- ___ Close up of bride and groom saying the vows
- ___ Wide shot of bride and groom saying the vows
- ___ Exchanging the rings
- ___ Close up of hands
- ___ The kiss
- ___ Bride & Groom walking up the aisle
- ___ Bride & Groom outside on steps
- ___ Guests blowing bubbles
- ___ Bride & Groom hugging guests, laughing, getting congratulations
- ___ Bride & Groom getting in car
- ___ Bride & Groom in back seat

Posed Wedding Photography Before the Reception

(These can also be taken before the ceremony)

- ___ Bride alone (full length)
- ___ Bride with Maid of Honor
- ___ Bride with bridesmaids
- ___ Bride with junior bridesmaids + flower girl
- ___ Groom with bridesmaids
- ___ Bride with parents
- ___ Bride & Groom together
- ___ Bride & Groom with bride's parents
- ___ Bride & Groom with families
- ___ Bride & Groom with entire wedding party
- ___ Bride & Groom with flower girl and junior bridesmaids
- ___ Groom with godparents
- ___ Groom with aunt and uncle
- ___ Groom with best man
- ___ Groom with groomsmen
- ___ Groom with cousins (junior bridesmaids + flower girl)
- ___ Bride with groomsmen

During the Reception

(to help your photographer, you may wish to list these shots in the order they will happen at your reception)

- ___ Outside of reception site
- ___ View from rooftop
- ___ Bride & Groom arriving
- ___ Bride & Groom greeting guests
- ___ Place Card Setup
- ___ Table setting
- ___ Bride & Groom's table (head table)
- ___ Musicians or DJ
- ___ Guestbook
- ___ Guestbook being signed
- ___ Place card table
- ___ Closeup of bride and groom's place card
- ___ Wedding cupcakes
- ___ Groom's cake
- ___ Card box Table
- ___ In Memory Candle
- ___ Centerpieces
- ___ Favors
- ___ Bride & Groom's first dance
- ___ Bride & Father dancing
- ___ Guests dancing
- ___ Bride & Groom feeding each other cupcakes
- ___ Toasts (specify who is giving them: _____)
- ___ Bride & Groom drinking champagne
- ___ Signing the marriage license
- ___ Bride throwing bouquet
- ___ Groom retrieving garter
- ___ Groom tossing garter
- ___ The getaway car
- ___ Bride & Groom leaving party
- ___ Receiving Line