

There Goes the Bridegroom - *Worksheet* Level: *Intermediate +*

Vocabulary

Match the words with the definitions in the table

Word	Definition	Choose from
	woman getting married	priest
	table at front of church	bride
	attending church service.	bridegroom
	look with intensity	congregation
	future husband/wife	stare
	passage through church	fiancee
	religious minister	altar
	man getting married	aisle

Writing

Imagine you were the priest at the wedding! Write your diary entry for that day.

Write about:

- what happened in church
- what you did after, how the bride/priest/ family responded
- what you said to the bride etc.

Speaking & Listening

1. Role play the wedding scene.

Roles: *bride, bridegroom, surprise guest, vicar, members of the congregation, father of the bride etc.*

Research/Presentation

Five things I didn't know about: *weddings*

Prepare a short presentation

Think about weddings in different countries. Look for:

- a) Unusual locations for weddings
- b) Customs and traditions e.g. *bride wears something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue* etc.
- c) Food and drink, special clothes, gifts etc
- c) Strange things that have happened at weddings.

Discussion/Debate

I think the bride was lucky. What if she had married this man?

What do you think? Was this the worst day in the bride's life? Or a lucky escape?