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Modern Bride

Bridal Buzz



best wedding movies

- Monsoon Wedding** (2001) with Naseeruddin Shah and Lillete Dubey (tying the knot, Indian style)
- Meet the Parents** (2000) with Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller and Teri Polo (hilarious family comedy of errors)
- Mickey Blue Eyes** (1999) with Hugh Grant, James Caan and Jeanne Tripplehorn (goody gangster spoof)
- Ever After** (1998) with Drew Barrymore, Anjelica Huston and Dougray Scott (updated fairy tale)
- Muriel's Wedding** (1994) with Toni Collette and Rachel Griffiths (offbeat Aussie tale of love)
- Betsy's Wedding** (1990) with Molly Ringwald, Alan Alda and Madeline Kahn (totally '80s!)
- True Love** (1989) with Annabella Sciorra and Ron Eldard (quirky indie romance)
- Steel Magnolias** (1989) with Julia Roberts and Sally Field (southern slice of wedding cake)
- A Catered Affair** (1956) with Bette Davis, Ernest Borgnine and Debbie Reynolds (beware Momzilla!)
- Father of the Bride** (1950) with Spencer Tracy and Elizabeth Taylor (classic dad-daughter doings)

—Nancy K. Pryke and
Severly West, authors of
Cinematography for Lovers



Best Videos for Bridal Buffness

- The QuickFix Series**, by Peter Pan, Inc. Target a single body part (abs, arms, legs or butt) with simple ten-minute segments that include warm-up and cool-down stretches.
- Crunch Boot Camp Training with Sue Hitzemann**, by Anchor Bay. This solid routine takes only 30 minutes.
- The Firm Workout series**, by The Firm. These complete programs include cardio instruction to help you burn fat and calories and strengthen your muscles.

—Bonnie Marano,
firmbrideonline.com

BEST BEAUTY ESSENTIALS

- Lip gloss** (to reapply for color and shine)
- Concealer** (to hide any blemishes or under-eye circles)
- Fragrance** (to freshen up your scent)
- Blotting papers** (to remove excess oil and eliminate shine)
- Baby wipes** (to repair makeup or remove stains from clothing)
- Travel-sized hair spray or antifriz spray** (to reapply as needed)
- Bobby pins, clips or elastics** (to help a sagging updo)
- Powder** (to ensure a matte finish)
- Floss** (in case food gets caught in teeth)
- Nail polish** (to fix chips; doubles as solution for partyhose runs)

—Danna Weiss, celebrity stylist (her clients include
Jamie-Lynn Sigler and Molly Sims)

