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wedding gown

"Study these **10** super stylish tips and you will be well on your way to finding bridal gown bliss!" -Jen | Something Turquoise

1 The number one piece of advice that I or anyone in the industry can give, is to NEVER try on a wedding dress that is out of your price range - it can be a disaster, period.

2 Pick a dress that 'looks like you' and brings out the best in your figure.

3 Have you asked your groom if he has a preference about the style of dress you wear? He is the one you are dressing for!



AlenaFede via Etsy

4 Make the time you are spending shopping for dresses the time of your life! Drink champagne, bring your closest pals and thoroughly enjoy yourself - this is the only time you will ever do this type of shopping, so make it a great experience for yourself.

5 Visiting high, middle, and low end bridal stores can give you a better feeling of what's in the marketplace for your budget and style.

6 Did you know that color options when it comes to 'white' are almost endless? On top of that every designer has their own names and shades of white. Make sure to ask a bridal professional which shade of white will look best with your skin and hair tones. Or maybe express your bridal style with a colored wedding gown - who says you *have* to wear white?!

7 No matter where you purchase your dress, make sure that you have it professionally altered - it can make a world of difference in the look and feel.

8 Consider the location of your wedding. How will the topography effect your bridal fashion, if at all? ie. If you get married on the beach...

9 The internet can be a wealth of information about bridal gowns. Once you find your ideal gown, do a quick search of the internet for pricing so you know the store you're buying your gown from is giving you a fair price.

10 Unless you are head over heels in lust with a dress - don't buy it! The dress you choose should make you feel as if it were created especially for you. It should make you glow and radiate with excitement, hold out for the perfect fit.

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