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registry tips

"Here are **10** tips to easily {and respectfully} guide your guests to a perfectly picked wedding gift." -Jen | Something Turquoise

1 Register at three retailers; high-end, inexpensive and somewhere fun! The idea is to give your guests a wide range of options for purchasing.

2 Involve your groom in registry choices and gifts. You could even make a special day of it!

3 Registry info should *NEVER* be on or anywhere close to your wedding invitation.

4 Make your list fun! Along with necessities, add fun items too! Most guests would rather buy a beautiful serving dish than a toaster - make your list interesting.

5 Include 'online only' items to your registry list. Many guests prefer to shop online these days and most retailers provide many online extras.

6 Add a complete range of prices to your registry. From \$10 to \$500... you have no idea what your guests have planned. From a basket of small items to multiple guests going in on one large present... the more options they have... the easier it will be for them to shop for your gifts.

7 The perfect time to register is right before your bridal shower invitations are mailed. This will ensure that your list is current and ready for all your special wedding events.

8 It has become popular for couples to create a "Honeymoon Registry" instead of a traditional list. These companies are leading the pack with this new trend: Travelers Joy, HoneyFund, and 1800Registry.

9 Frequently check your list. Not only will your guests buy items and they will of course then disappear from your list - but retailers are constantly changing and updating inventory, especially in-between seasons.

10 The correct place for your registry information is on your wedding website. Add your wed-site url to shower and wedding invitations. The perfect way for your guests to find *all* wedding information.

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