

# Host Instructions

## When sending invites include:

1. Two love note cards.
2. Two my wish cards.
3. Assignment card.

## Before the game night each couple must rsvp with three assignments:

1. Tell you THEIR song title and artist.
2. Write a love note to their spouse on the "Love Note" cards and bring it the night of the party
3. Have each spouse secretly write down their winning wish on "My Wish" cards. The winning spouse will redeem their wish from their spouse. Remind them to put wishes in their pockets on game night.

## On the game night:

1. Clear out the playing room.
2. Designate a starting and ending point about 15 feet away with scotch tape.
3. Place all of the items for the games in one corner of the room.
4. Get familiar with the games because you and your spouse are in charge of hosting the games.
5. Prepare romantic appetizers. Feel free to assign food items for your guests to bring.
6. Give each person a red, black, white, or grey balloon upon arrival. Tell them to place their love note into the balloon, blow it up, tie it, write the name of their spouse on the balloon, and hang it on an empty string attached to the ceiling.
7. Once the games start, separate the husbands and wives.
8. Let's get ready to rumble!!!

## At the end of the night:

1. Have the winning team give their spouse their my wish cards.
2. Allow couples to search for their balloon with their name on it. Hand everyone a pin and let the popping begin.



### Footsie Flirting

Preparing the Game: Place two packets of conversation hearts in one big bucket.



### Cold Feet

Preparing the Game: Have a big bucket ready for couple to stand in and one big bucket of ice to pour on their feet. There should be enough ice to cover their feet completely.



### Tying the Knot

Preparing the Game: Set out two bowls filled with 10 cherries plus stems, you can use fresh or bottled cherries.



### Catch the Garter/ Bouquet

Preparing the game: Make a bouquet with fake flowers and tie securely with a ribbon or buy one and have one garter handy.



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## Newly Parents

Preparing The Game: A blindfold is needed for two players. Place diapers on both babies. Collect a pair of pajamas and a new diaper for each baby. Place diapered babies, one pair of pajamas, and one diaper per player on a changing pad at the start of game.



## With This Ring, I Thee Wed

Preparing the Game: Two ring pillows are needed for use during the game.



## Cupid's Arrow

Preparing the Game: Glue heart dartboard onto a piece of cardboard or a foam poster. Collect 10 darts or 10 push pins. The dartboard needs to be set up before the game can be played.



## The One

Preparing the Game: A blindfold is needed for half of the players.



## Champagne Tower

Preparing the Game: A table and 30 champagne glasses are needed. To build the tower correctly- 4x4 glasses go on the bottom, 3x3 on top of bottom layer, 2x2 on top of previous layer, and 1 on the very top. Point is given for the person who can figure out how to make the tower correctly in the quickest time.



## The First Dance

Preparing the Game: A screen, a Wii player, a dance off game, and 2 controllers will need to be set up before this game is played. Allow players to pick their dance off song.



## Pet Names

Preparing the Game: The words in the list are snookums, boo, buttercup, heartthrob, sweetheart, sugar-lips, and darling. Divide the two lists of pet names into 2 piles, one for each team. Cut each word, along the dashes, and place them into separate small zip lock baggies. Before the start of the game give each team a baggie full of letters. Check the answers before selecting a winner.



## The Argument

Preparing the Game: Sit two chairs at the end of the playing area and turn them facing the start line. Make the start line 15 feet away from the chairs. Place balloons in two baskets and place baskets at the start of the playing area in front of the chairs.



## Love is Sweet

Preparing the Game: 10 large marshmallows placed in two separate bowls. Set bowls out for players before the game starts.



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## Growing Love

Preparing for Game: All players will need 2 packs of conversation hearts to play this game. Set out a table long enough for all players to fit around at the start of the game.



## The Love Letters

Preparing the Game: You will need two baskets, one for each team filled with enough slips for each player on each team. A pen or pencil is needed for each player. Have each player pick one of "The Love Letters" slips from the basket before starting the game.



## Serenade Me

Preparing the Game: Cut out Serenade Me slips. Fill 1 basket with "Serenade Me" slips and have a computer or phone with internet access available to verify answers in case one team tries to fake it.



## Soul Mates

Preparing the Game: Cut out "Soul Mate" Question slips. Fill a basket with Soul Mates slips. Give each player a pen or pencil. Hand the husbands the basket at the start of the game. After round one hand the basket to the wives.



## It's Date Night

Preparing the Game: Find a lot of oversized, large enough to go over regular clothes, male and female clothing. Try to include all sorts of clothes such as: pantyhose, skirts, socks, pants, hats, lingerie, shoes, corsets, jockstraps, boxers, and bras. Make sure that there are even amounts of both the male and the female clothing. Mix up the clothes and put them into one large laundry basket. Place the basket at the finish line. To qualify as finished dressing each player needs to be wearing the proper elements.



## Mixed Signals

Preparing the Game: Separate "Mixed Signals" slips into two piles and place in two separate baskets. Give one basket to each team at the start of the game. Answers to strips are: 1. The Power Of Love 2. Your Body Is A Wonderland 3. I'll Make Love To You 4. The Way You Look Tonight 5. You're the First, My Last, My Everything 6. Somewhere Over The Rainbow 7. I Don't Want To Miss A Thing 8. Love Me Tender. Check to make sure all answers match before picking a winner.



## The Story of Our Lives

Prepping the Game: Cut out "The Story of Our Lives" slips and place in two baskets, one for each team. Before starting the game give each team a basket and have them each pick out one slip. Also give them a few ideas of what they can write such as "Only Dated 4 Months Before Getting Married", "Met on a Blind Date", "Got Engaged on a Ferris Wheel", or "Had Five Bridesmaids in the Wedding."



## Cutting the Cake

Preparing the Game: Make or purchase a wedding cake (or a pretty layered cake).



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## I Dedicate This Song

Preparing the Game: Create a song compilation with 10-15 of your favorite love songs. Each song should only play for a few seconds before moving onto the next song. Have a music player ready to play at the start of the game. Hand out one "I Dedicate This Song" slip to each team along with one pen or pencil.

### Song ideas:

Bryan Adams (Everything I Do) I Do It For You  
Barry White- You're the First, My Last, My Everything  
John Mayer- Your Body Is A Wonderland  
Boyz II Men- I'll Make Love To You  
Lonestar-Amazed  
Luther Vandros-Here and Now  
Sam Cooke-You Send Me  
Joe Crocker-You are So Beautiful  
Rod Stewart-Have I Told You Lately  
Marvin Gaye-Let's Get It On  
Percy Sledge- When A Man Loves A Woman  
Jeff Healy-Angel Eyes  
Frank Sinatra-The Way You Look Tonight  
Bon Jovi-Bed Of Roses

Paul McCartney-Maybe I'm Amazed  
Billy Joel-Just The Way You Are  
Roberta Flack-The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face  
Nora Jones-Nearness of You  
Norah Jones-Love Me Tender  
Jack Johnson-Banana Pancakes  
Eric Clapton-Wonderful Tonight  
Israel "IZ" Kamkawiwo'Ole-Somewhere  
Over The Rainbow  
The Beatles-And I Love Her  
Enrique Iglesias-Hero  
Aerosmith-I Don't Want To Miss A Thing  
Celine Dion-The Power Of Love

Or you can play these youtube videos (the songs are already recorded in clips for you).

Top Wedding "First Dance" Songs <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IhufkboU-2w>

Top Ten Wedding Songs- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D8ZVJxXtuhs>

My Top Ten Love Songs Ever-[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rJquij\\_9xlc](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rJquij_9xlc)

Most Popular First Dance Wedding Songs 2013-[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0VWOUT6\\_w4k](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0VWOUT6_w4k)

Top Ten Love Songs-<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zjsTrRM9TIs>

Top Ten Love Songs Ever-<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D8ZVJxXtuhs>



## I Heart You

Preparing the Game: Cut out 100 hearts. Collect 100 safety pins. To complete this game you will need 4 baskets, two filled with 50 hearts and two filled with 50 safety pins. Set baskets at the start line. Pick a love song for couple to dance to during the game. At the start of the game begin playing the song.



## I Choose You

Preparing for Game: Collect enough pieces of bubble gum balls for each player. Give bubble gum at the start of the game.



## Blushing Bride and Groom

Preparing The Game: Collect a new tube of dark red lipstick and give to the first player at the beginning of the game.

