

Make mine a *Marquee*

If you're dreaming of a marquee wedding, Weddings at Home can make it happen without any stress...

*P*roviders of a unique, all-inclusive marquee wedding service, Weddings at Home can help create your dream marquee wedding from start to finish.

Catering for any number of guests, marquees are a great temporary solution for a covered outdoor wedding and today's leading marquee styles, as pioneered by Weddings at Home, are the utmost in sophisticated luxury. "There is absolutely no excuse nowadays for any marquee to be uncomfortable.." says Emma from Weddings at Home. "Marquees have come a long way from the earlier primitive structures that resembled more of a circus tent. Our marquees are elegant and sophisticated. Visually they are impressive, with no fussy wallpapers or carpets to contend with the overall look is one of elegance and class."

Liz Hurley and Peter Philips are just two of the latest celebrities to have opted for a marquee wedding reception and it's easy to understand why they are so popular as Emma explains. "Choosing a marquee allows you the freedom to create a unique venue and reception that is specially built for your special day. No two marquee weddings will ever be the same."

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Emma reveals. "All our equipment is replaced every two years and our marquees both internally and externally are finished to a very high standard. We also take the time necessary to ensure that our marquees are erected properly. We were even struck by lightning this year and because our marquee was earthed correctly nothing happening other than a loud crack, a moment of silence, followed by laughter and then we carried on as normal."

Weddings at Home supply the marquee, toilets, lining, heating, tables, chairs, flowers, staff and catering. "Typically for a Saturday wedding we move in on a Wednesday and erect the marquee. Come back on Friday and deliver all the tables chairs etc.. Then on the Saturday morning we dress the marquee and cater for the function. The service is high class but more friendly than stuffy with white tie waiters meeting the needs of the guests while paying particular attention to the bridal party. By Monday we have gone and your garden is returned to you in immaculate condition."

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"Part of our service is to meet with couples and plan every detail, to answer every question and concern that they may have. Our experienced team of Event Managers are on site all day to make sure that the wedding



runs smoothly. They are also at the other end of the phone any time of day or night should the couple have a worry or concern. We have a 'nothing is a problem policy' and our staff are trained to remember that this is someone's wedding day so nothing but the best will do." WJ

OUR DAY: CHARISSE & KARL

"As soon as we decided to have our wedding at home we started to research marquees and from the very beginning Weddings at Home stood out from the



rest. They supplied a lovely information pack full of clear, concise information and were very helpful without being pushy. Using Weddings at Home was a bit like hiring a wedding co-ordinator because they looked after every little detail, taking all the pressure off us," Charisse explains. The whole planning process - from choosing the style of marquee to picking the tables chair, flowers and menu - was so easy and Emma was very accommodating. Basically we left everything to them and didn't have to worry about a thing. We can't recommend them highly enough."