

Trickey photography

When is the best time for couples' photographs?

The time just before sunset is called the **golden hour** or magic hour in photography, and it makes the entire setting look completely different and absolutely **beautiful**. Makes sure you check the sunset time for your wedding day and coordinate with your photographer. This provides the clients with the best possibility of getting the perfect **"just married" glow** in their photos.

When is the best time to do a (mock) send-off?

We all have those older guests or out-of-town guests who need to get on the road at a decent hour, though most will not leave until you've **cut the cake**. So keep in mind that right after you cut the cake, many folks will be grabbing their coats and saying their goodbyes. Typically, most guest expect to leave around 8:30 pm to 9:00 pm.

Two words to consider if you're worried about ending too early: **AFTER-PARTY!

When scheduling your wedding day, be sure to allocate plenty of time for photos, travel and traditions. Having wiggle room in your schedule will come in handy, should anything go wrong on the big day. Most importantly, remember that having a wedding day timeline is just a guideline. Don't stress and stay focused on the happiness and joy!

	Photographer Arrives at Venue - Detail Shots
	Bride and Groom Getting Ready
	First Look - Groom and/or Father
	Ceremony
	Begin Reception
	Family Photos, Wedding Party Photos
	Couples Photos
	Dances
	Dining Hour/Saying Hello to Guest
	Toasts/Speeches
	Bouquet Toss/Garter Toss
	Cutting Cake
	(Mock) Send Off