

# THE 2009 BEAUTY AWARDS



### **Best Bridal-Shower Gift Certificate** by Stuff Boston | November 02, 2009

Skip the picked-over registry: what stressed bride-to-be wouldn't love an hour-long massage? If it were us, we'd send her to Bella Sante (38 Newbury Street, Boston, 617.424.9930). Tucked away from the urban bustle on the second floor, this Back Bay standby boasts both a well-chosen medley of treatments and a setting as cozy as your living room - it's a perfect spot for her to spend an afternoon in a comfy robe, sipping tea, reading her favorite magazines, and forgetting about all that well-meant but maddening meddling from her future in-laws. Plus, the spa's Lexington and Wellesley outposts will come in handy when the happy couple inevitably defects to the 'burbs.