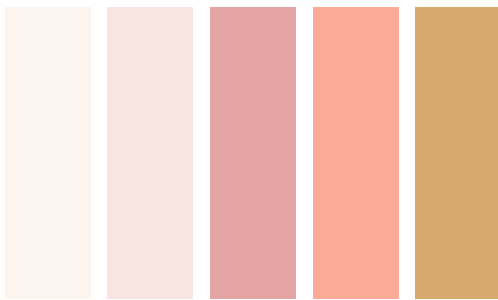




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RECIPES

BRIDAL BOUQUET

- 3-4 Pale Lavender Early Gray Roses
- 2-3 O'Hara Garden Roses
- 3-4 Beige Blush Quicksand Roses
- 2-4 Brown Toffee Roses
- 3-4 Sprigs White Wax Flower (Remove all little leaves)
- 2-3 White Ranunculus
- 2-3 Peach Ranunculus
- 2-3 White Anemone
- 3-4 Peach Lisianthus
- 3-4 Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

2 BRIDESMAID BOUQUETS

(ingredients per bouquet)

- 2-3 Pale Lavender Early Gray Roses
- 2-3 Beige Blush Quicksand Roses
- 1-2 Brown Toffee Roses
- 2-3 Sprigs White Wax Flower (Remove all little leaves)
- 1-2 White Ranunculus
- 1-2 Peach Ranunculus
- 1-2 White Anemone
- 2-3 Peach Lisianthus
- 2-4 Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

GROOM BOUTONNIERE

- 1 White Anemone
- Sprig of White Wax Flower
- Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

2 GROOMSMEN BOUTONNIERES

- 1 Peach Ranunculus
- Sprig of White Wax Flower
- Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

2 FATHER BOUTONNIERES

- 1-2 Cream Spray Rose Blooms
- Sprig of White Wax Flower
- Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

OFFICIANT BOUTONNIERE

- 1-2 Cream Spray Rose Blooms
- Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

2 CORSAGES

- 2-3 Cream Spray Rose Blooms
- Sprig of White Wax Flower
- Sprigs Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)

7 COMPOTE CENTERPIECES ROUND TABLES

(ingredients per centerpiece)

- 3-4 Juliet Garden Roses
- 5-6 Peach Ranunculus
- 3-4 Peach Stock
- 3-4 Cream Spray Roses
- 3-4 Peach Lisianthus
- 4-5 Beige Blush Quicksand Roses
- 3-4 Sprigs Dusty Pink Astrantia
- 2-3 Peach Mini Carnations
- 2-3 White Football Mums
- Sprigs of Bleach White Bunny Tail Grass
- ¼ Bunch Gunni Eucalyptus

10 SMALLER CENTERPIECES

(ingredients per centerpiece)

- 2-3 Juliet Garden Roses
- 2-3 Peach Ranunculus
- 1-2 Peach Stock
- 2-3 Cream Spray Roses
- 2-3 Peach Lisianthus
- 2-3 Beige Blush Quicksand Roses
- 2-3 Sprigs Dusty Pink Astrantia
- 1-2 Peach Mini Carnations
- Sprigs of Bleach White Bunny Tail Grass
- ¼ Bunch Gunni Eucalyptus

SWEETHEART TABLE

- 2-3 White Football Mums
- 3-4 Beige Blush Quicksand Roses
- 4-5 Peach Lisianthus
- 3-5 Terracotta Carnations
- 2-3 Peach Mini Carnations
- 2-3 Brown Toffee Roses
- 2-3 Cream Spray Roses
- 4-5 O'Hara Garden Roses
- Sprigs of Bleach White Bunny Tail Grass
- ¼ Bunch Silver Dollar Eucalyptus
- Sprigs of Gunni Eucalyptus

RECIPES

10-15 COCKTAIL & CAKE TABLE BUD VASES

Each one will look different.

Average 2-4 blooms per bud vase and a sprig of green.

These are the flower allotted for budvases:

- 2 Bunches White Ranunculus
- 1 Bunch Cream Spray Roses
- 5-8 Pale Lavender Early Gray Roses
- 5-6 Brown Toffee Roses
- 3-4 Peach Lisianthus
- 5-6 Peach Mini Carnations
- ½ Bunch White Wax Flower
- ½ Bunch Plumosa Fern (Sprayed with Design Master)
- ½ Gunni Eucalyptus

6 CEREMONY AISLE MARKERS

(ingredients per aisle/chair)

- 5-7 Peach Stock
- Pampas Grass (Not Provided by Flower Moxie)

SUPPLY CHECKLIST

FLOWER PREP:

- Hydration buckets and vases ([Find how many buckets you need here!](#))
 - Medium (2.5 gal) buckets ([like this](#))—(specific tall flower types / greenery)
 - Small (1.5 gal) buckets ([like this](#))—(shorter flower types)
 - Medium vases ([like this](#))—(more delicate flower types)
- Floral sheers ([like this](#)) or included in our [Flower Moxie Supply Kit](#)
- Thick gardening gloves, if desired ([like this](#))
- Straight wire ([like this](#)) **Especially for ranunculus**
- [Crowning Glory](#)—Not a necessity, but it does keep the flowers fresh!

BOUQUETS:

- 10-12” zip ties ([like this](#)) or included in our [Flower Moxie Supply Kit](#)
- 1-2” wide ribbon to cover the zip tie (silk or double faced satin are our favorites)
- Regular scissors for cutting ribbon
- Hydration vases for each bouquet ([like this](#))

BOUTONNIERES + CORSAGES:

- Floral stem tape ([like this](#)) or included in our Supply Kit
- 1/4—1/2” wide ribbon for covering the stem tape (Or [Bind Wire](#) - included in Supply Kit)
- Boutonniere pins (you can use long or short pins—[we like these!](#)) Also included in our Supply Kit
- Corsage wristlet—if desired. We have [Slap Bracelet](#) or [Brass Cuff](#) options.
- Low Temp Hot glue gun to glue flowers to wristlet (Or Oasis [Floral Glue](#))

CENTERPIECES / CEREMONY URNS:

- Your desired vase/container (6-7” diameter vase)
- Wet floral foam ([like this](#))
- To be more eco friendly you can use balled-up chicken wire ([like this](#)).

BUD VASES:

- Your desired bud vases/bottles (1-2” diameter opening)

TRANSPORTATION:

- Cardboard boxes or rectangular laundry baskets to transport your flowers to the venue. Use lots of towels to wrap around vases so nothing slides or tips.
- Pro-tip: You can get boxes from liquor stores for free that have dividers in them. I use these for my bouquets/centerpieces/bud vases. You can cut the box down to be shorter, or use newspaper to stuff the bottom to the right height for your vase.

TUTORIALS

GETTING ORGANIZED

- [Best Vases & Mechanics](#)
- [Supply Checklist](#)
- [What Types of Buckets to Use](#)
- [Wedding Week Schedule](#)
- [Picking Up at Wholesale](#)

GOT THE FLOWERS—LET'S PREP!

- [Prep Video](#)
- [Flower Substitutes](#)
- [Troubleshooting Fussy Blooms](#)
- [Rose Care](#)
- [How to Wire a Ranunculus](#)
- [Pre-Section Recipes in Advance](#)

HOW TO BUILD IT

- [Organic Bridal Bouquet](#)
- [Slightly Organic Bridal Bouquet](#)
- [Organic Bridesmaid Bouquet](#)
- [Boutonnieres - Speedy Tutorial](#)
- [Boutonnieres - Detailed Tutorial](#)
- [Brass Cuff Wrist Corsages & Safety Pin Corsage](#)
- [Organic Compote Centerpiece](#)
- [Rounded Compote Centerpiece](#)
- [Rectangular Vaseless Centerpiece--Oasis Brick Tray](#)

MISC QUESTIONS

- [Refrigeration: Yes or No???](#)
- [Transporting Your Flowers](#)
- [Color Adjustments--Using Design Master](#)
- [How to Reflex a Rose](#)
- [Hot Glue vs. Floral Glue](#)
- [Greening Out Your Centerpieces](#)

****DID YOU KNOW... After you've placed your order with Flower Moxie, you get full access to our DIY Flower Academy??**

This means, you get access to exclusive tutorials, more in-depth instruction, and a self-paced course to prepare you for your wedding week!

After you've purchased, you can find all of this [here](#) when you log in to your account!

SUGGESTED TIMELINE

**You will want your flowers delivered 3 full days before your event. For a Saturday wedding, we would schedule a Wednesday delivery. Your delivery date is listed as "Day 1" below.

1-2 WEEKS BEFORE WEDDING:

- Make sure you have all of your supplies and that you have at least one extra person to help. No bride should do all of the set up on her wedding day!

DAY 1:

- Flowers delivered via FedEx / picked up from wholesaler / picked up from air cargo.
- Have supplies, buckets of water, and trash cans ready to go.
- Unpack, take off unwanted foliage, cut, and hydrate all flowers and greenery (see Detailed DIY Prep below).
- Group like with like. Give blooms plenty of breathing room.
- Wait until that evening or the following morning to start designing. This will allow flowers time to hydrate and open. Remember, once you crowd the flower, it stops opening.
- If those roses don't open, you can use a hairdryer on its coolest setting ([watch video](#)).

DAY 2:

- Choose the best flowers for your bridal bouquet and set them aside to save for later.
- Start with your bridesmaid bouquets.
- Build out centerpieces.
- Fill out bud vases. If you'd rather transport them empty, assign someone to fill them the day of!
- Make your arch/urn arrangements. You will zip tie your arch arrangements to the arch the day of the wedding.

DAY 3 (the day before wedding day!!!):

- Build your bridal bouquet!
- Cut up greenery for tables. Keep it loose and separate into plastic bags per table. Mist it down inside the bag and seal it up. If you have the space, I like to keep it in the refrigerator to keep it extra fresh!
- Make the flower crowns, boutonnieres and corsages. Wet a paper towel and layer in the bottom of a container with a lid. Place your items on top of the wet paper towel and close the container. Store in the refrigerator on its warmest setting until ready for use.
- Finish any last-minute details and make sure everything is ready to go for tomorrow!
- Now relax and get your beauty sleep!

DAY 4 (GET MARRIED!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!):

- The goal is to have the flowers done before your wedding. Delegate their transportation to your most type-A friend/family member. Also, make sure you have friends to help clean up!

DAY WHENEVER:

- Share photos of every flipping thing with me because I don't like being left out. #Clingy

DETAILED DIY PREP

UPON RECEIVING YOUR FLOWERS:

- **OPEN THE BOX IMMEDIATELY:** Count, cut, hydrate!
 - When counting, wait to cut your rubber bands off the bunches. That way you can easily keep track of how many bunches you've received!
 - If you're missing a bunch, be sure to count again and check ALL of your wrapping. We can't tell you how many times a bunch gets lost in the mix of all the wrapping paper!
 - If you've double checked and something is definitely missing, please send us an email and photos of all of your blooms ASAP. You can email orders@flowermoxie.com for the quickest response on all things orders!
- **ROSES:** Cut stems and let them drink for at least 1 HOUR BEFORE removing cardboard wrapping. This will keep their heads from drooping like a brooding teen.
 - Don't stress when you first see these! The roses are layered inside the cardboard so it looks like it isn't the full amount, BUT they are all in there! (You can always count the stems if you're feeling nervous.)
- **ORGANIZE LIKE WITH LIKE:** Group greens with greens, roses with roses, etc. It will make the design process fly-by.
- **REMOVE FOLIAGE AND GUARD PETALS:** Pull off all unwanted leaves ahead of time. You don't want any leaves below the waterline (or your water will get yucky real fast). It will save time in the designing phase if you do this in advance. For roses, you will want to take off the guard petals, which is the outside layer of petals that look less appealing.
- **CUT STEMS AT AN ANGLE AND HYDRATE:** So important that you cut and immediately hydrate! When you cut a flower, it "takes a breath", so you don't want it to "breathe" air for long or the air will travel to the head and make it droop. You got this!!!
- **AMPLE SPACE:** Your flowers won't open if they are crowded. Buy more buckets. SPEND THE FIVE DOLLARS. I BELIEVE IN YOU.
 - The exception to this rule is greenery. You can cram your greenery together as long as you make sure all the stems are reaching the water (otherwise they will get crispy...).
 - DO make sure that more delicate flowers have a smaller vase with plenty of room to themselves. You don't want those Ranunculus getting smooshed by your large Garden Roses!
- **5% RULE:** Know that every bud isn't going to be perfect. As a florist, when I pick up my flowers locally or have them shipped in, I know I will have a 5% loss because I'm dealing with fresh "produce" that has been shipped from all over the globe. This doesn't mean you received below par flowers. It's just part of being your own florist. I always save my broken buds for cake flowers, small vases, or bouts/corsages!