

Of all the wedding day rituals, the first dance as a newly married couple is perhaps, the sweetest. It reminds us all of the promise that having a lifetime partner holds and recalls our thoughts of romance and permanence.

If you have been practicing to a certain recording of your song, be sure to make a copy for me so that I understand exactly what type of arrangement and feeling you are expecting. The same song may be played in many different ways, so it is important to communicate to avoid surprises on your wedding day.

The choices of songs for your first, second, and following dances can be daunting, but here are a few suggestions that should give you a great idea of what works well.

- It Had to be You (Harry Connick Jr.)
- As Time Goes By
- In the Mood for Love
- Time after Time
- Our Love is Here to Stay
- For the First Time (Kenny Loggins)
- My One and Only Love (Sting)
- I've Got You Under My Skin
- What a Wonderful World (Louis Armstrong)
- Unforgettable (Nat King Cole)
- Just the Way You Are (Billy Joel)
- I Can't Help Falling in Love (Elvis Presley)
- The Way You Look Tonight (Frank Sinatra)
- They Can't Take That Away From Me
- At Last (Etta James)
- Have I Told You Lately

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**Selections:**

-First Dance: \_\_\_\_\_ Second Dance: \_\_\_\_\_

-Others:

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Your First Dance should be one of the many beautiful memories of your wedding day. By preparing in advance you will be able to relax and have fun with each other, enjoying your moment. Don't think of this as a performance but as a ritual, part of the vows and promises that you will exchange on this special day.