

**2010**  
**AN ETSIAN WEDDING**



*A Collection of Some of Top  
Wedding Vendors on Etsy.com!*

# WHAT IS ETSY?

*Wikipedia  
Definition:*

**A website that provides the general public with a way to buy and sell handmade items as well as vintage items and craft supplies.**

*My  
Definition:*

**An incredibly addictive, habit forming website where people can purchase or sell anything their imaginations can come up with and have it customized to fit their business, home or event.  
(And did I say habit forming? If not....HABIT FORMING!)**



Using this .pdf is super easy! You can use this Index to find the perfect suggestions for a certain part of your day, or you can start from the beginning and flip through all of the amazing eye candy I've found for you! If you find an artist you'd LOVE to use for your wedding, just type [www.etsy.com/shop/theiretsyshopname](http://www.etsy.com/shop/theiretsyshopname) .  
Easy Peasy Lemon Squeezy!

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**INVITATIONS, SAVE THE DATES  
AND THANK YOU'S**

# Janee's Elite Designs

Janee's beautiful work includes programs, the menus, and even the gift boxes for your candy buffet. Each piece is customizable with your font, color scheme and monogram!



Etsy name: JaneesEliteDesigns

# Lady Bug Labels



Surprise!! Weddings are no longer traditional!! And LadyBugLabels brings the modern, fun and colorful into today's wedding world. Need stickers for envelopes, goody bags or place settings? This is your lady!

Etsy Name : LadyBugLabels

# HMC Designs

Pin faces!! Need I say more? Yes I do! Customizable pin faces!! You can have a bride and groom that look exactly like you, or have a card made in the likeness of your whole bridal party!



Etsy Name: HMCDesigns

# Rosy Designs Online

RosyDesign's work makes me swoooooon. She has everything from in-love couples, wedded couples, and even same sex bride and grooms! Each little person is customizable with your hair color and style, in addition to your skin tones! She has both cards and collectible prints available.

EtsyName: RosyDesignsOnline



# Felice Design

Do you hear that? It's the pitter patter of my excited little heart. \*sigh\* Between cute couples in the rain and in hot air balloons asking you to save their date, Felice has mastered the art of the adorable.

EtsyName: FeliceDesign

# cigniaINK

The birds on these invitations, whether in single, double or flocks are nothing short of awesome. (I love their totally "cool" expressions.) When you order your invitations, the price also includes one save-the-date or thank you card! You can't beat with birdseed!!

EtsyName: CigniaINK



# My Favorite Blog Inspiration

#1 TheWeddingChicks - <http://www.weddingchicks.com/>

#2 A Trendy Blog - <http://www.atrendywedding.com/blog/>

#3 DIY Bride - <http://www.diybride.com/>

#4 Etsy Wedding - <http://etsywedding.blogspot.com/>

#5 Kiss the Groom - <http://www.kissthegroom.com/>

#6 Once Wed - <http://www.oncewed.com/>

#7 - Snippet and Ink - <http://snippetandink.blogspot.com/>

#8 - Southern Weddings Magazine - <http://www.swsmag.net/>

#9 - Style Me Pretty - <http://www.stylemepretty.com/>

#10 - Cosmopolitan Events - [www.cosmopolitanevents.blogspot.com](http://www.cosmopolitanevents.blogspot.com)



And just because I KNOW you'll need a laugh....

Cakewrecks - <http://cakewrecks.blogspot.com/>

**BRILLIANT BRIDAL  
ACCESSORIES**



# LuluSplendor

Ok...so I know you've seen those brides on tv who wear thousands of dollars of custom jewelery on their wedding day. What would you say if I told you there was an AMAZING jeweler on Etsy who can create a custom piece for you at a price that's TOTALLY doable?? .....Shocked silence, huh?



EtsyName: LuluSplendor

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# Tessa Kim

THIS is LA wedding syle, ladies. Vintage accessories from birdcage veils to bits of lace and feather meet modern touches like swarovski crystals and appliques. Tessa will make the one of a kind accessory for the one of a kind bride.

EtsyName: TessaKim

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# AnnsCrafts

An old world, classic style is the best way to describe the work of AnnsCrafts. Pearls, little jewels and the love that is obviusse in every piece she creates will only add the perfect touch to your pefect look.



EtsyName: CignialNK

# WhichGoose

Can your wedding be described as whimsical? An elegant, fantastical affair that takes your guests into the world of you and your fiance? WhichGoose's pieces will complete the look. The eyes of your guests will travel from your dress, to your bouquet to your beautiful face...and finally the dainty details in your hair. Perfection from top to toes.



EtsyName: WhichGoose



# OhFaro

It is NOT hard to figure out why she calls herself OhFaro. When you get your hands on the stunning jewelery reminiscant of 1940's glamour and drama, every bride will sigh "Oh, Faro" in absolute awe of the custom piece she's crafted.

EtsyName: OhFaro

# ClutchThat

What is the one thing your wedding dress will, most likely, not have? Pockets. Pockets to hold tissues, make-up for those quick touch-ups, and any other wedding day knick-knacks. ClutchThat specializes in stunning silk hand purses to coordinate with your bridal party and wedding theme. These also make amazing bridal party gifts!



EtsyName: ClutchThat

# Piper Riley

I LOVE the 1920's, and obviously so does Piper. Her hair pins really bring the definition of "vintage" to life. With her soft pinks mixed with soft feathers, the whole feel of Piper's work just sings wedding.

EtsyName: PiperRiley



# FlapperGirl

Ahem. \*Blushes\*.....  
BUT AREN'T THEY CUTE!!?? For that absolute final touch to your wedding day, why not give your new hubby a little surprise? Each undy is custom made in your preferred color!

EtsyName: FlapperGirl



# Bridal Bliss Designs

I have three words for you. "Cutest Dresses EVER!!"  
If your wedding day vision includes a vintage inspired dress or a more traditional, elegant look, BridalBliss can create it custom....and create awesome.

EtsyName: BridalBlissDesigns



Made@Look

# Photo Tips



## #1 - DON'T give your photographers a shot list!

Wait...WHAT? You heard me! A great photographer won't need one. BUT if you find an image in a magazine or online that you would love to recreate, you shouldn't hesitate ask!

## #2 - Color you pretty!

White, of course, is the traditional look for a bride on her wedding day, but why not add just a hint of color with your hair accessories or a even a beautiful red sash around your waste? Your photographer will naturally be drawn to any pops of color on you or in your decor.

## #3 - Bask in the Light -

When you are booking your bridal suite, keep in mind how much natural light will be coming through the doors and windows. Although most photographers CAN use their flash, natural light will give you magazine quality getting ready shots.

## #4 - Timing is everything -

Romantic, informal portraits are a must on the wedding day. When scheduling your ceremony and reception start times, try to give your photographer an hour to photograph you with your new hubby. With more time, the photographer can get more creative and you have a small block of quiet time before the partay!

Stop....or I'll Hoot.



Groom's (and Guys) Goodies

# CHenry

What would you rather have? A beautiful, expensive ring from a brand name store,...or a custom, affordable ring from a brilliant artisan? Let me ask you one more thing....which one has more meaning? Check out CHenry's stunning collection of hand-made rings for both men and women.



EtsyName: CHenry

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# Card Markers

These are for the card-lovin' groomsman! They are completely customizable with your own photos, sports logos, actors, and even company logos (for the mac geeks in all of us). These card markers will show your groomsman that the poker nights are not over yet.

EtsyName: CardMarkers

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# UnderHerCharm

These are a perfect gift for either the groom or the groomsman. Each one is customizable with sayings, dates or names and comes with a cord, chain or case. Perfect for the music lover on your big day.



EtsyName: UnderHerCharm

## RetroGalusa

I know you are completely aware of the gallons of coffee that will be consumed the morning of your wedding. Now imagine the the candid photo of your groom drinking his coffee from a mustache mug. Go ahead. Giggle.

EtsyName: RetroGalusa



## Keysand Memories

THESE are so fun. These tie bars are elegant but playful at the same time. Each one is made with vintage typewriter keys. So think initial or exclamation point!!! (If you're an exclamation point kind of guy.)

KeysandMemories

## The BelleandtheBeau

We have the groom and the groomsmen, but it's best to not leave out one of our favorite guys of the day. The ringbearer!! Check out these cute ties and bowties available in a rainbow of colors! I think even these little guys might love 'em!!

EtsyName: TheBelleandtheBeau





*The Ladies*

## LMCreation

You may have YOUR perfect purse on the wedding day, but what about your ladies? They have lipstick touch-up needs too, you know. LMCreation MAY have solved this problem for you...and in an eco friendly way too!!

EtsyName: LMCreation



## JesseJanes

I LOVE the game scrabble!! (What sane person doesn't? These adorable necklaces can be made with different letters for each bridesmaid, or even pictures with a secret meaning. Each pendant is made from a scrabble piece. How awesome and eco-friendly is that?!

EtsyName: JesseJanes

## Baffinbags

OK...so you have the cute necklaces and soaps and accessories to give to your ladies, but how do present them? I think these adorable cloth baskets may just be perfect! You can find baskets to match your colors, or even their favorites! Too cute for words...except maybe the words I've written.

EtsyName: BaffinBags



## BathGasm

Bar none...favorite fizzy soaps EVER. They smell divine (someone needs to create scratch and sniff computer screens), and fizz beautifully!! They can be custom designed with monograms and color..... and would give any woman something to look forward to at the end of her day.

EtsyName: LMCreation



## CiaraObscura

While you may have a bling bling diamond on YOUR little hand, your bridesmaids may not be quite so lucky. Why not give them a little something for the time being? These rings will go with any style of bridesmaid's attire and will be the perfect soft touch down the isle.

EtsyName: JesseJanes

## Quick Kits

I have been a part of MANY wedding days, and every one of them could have benefitted from this genius idea. A small kit that includes everything from a sewing kit to aspirin to safety pins will be exactly what the bride ordered. And the kits can be tailored to anyone in the bridal party!!

EtsyName: QuickKits



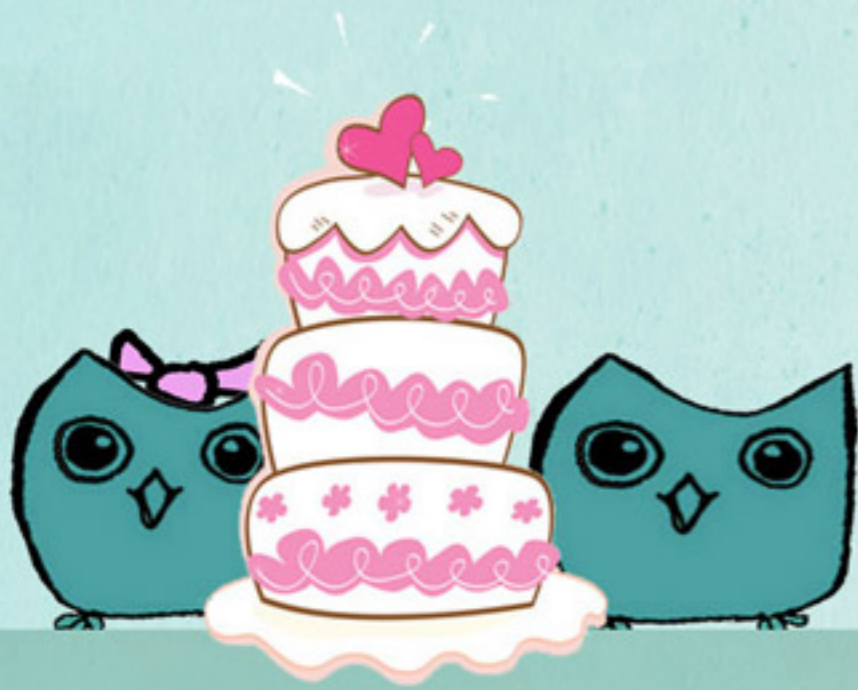
# Don't Scare the Bridesmaids....



Don't deny it....

We've all seen those shows (that will remain nameless) in which the glowing bride spends her time screaming at every vendor and chucking shoes at the nearest bridesmaid. Remember, Brides, no wedding happens without love. Here a few tips on how to show love to your bridal party...even when you're seeing red.

1. Bridesmaids are NOT the world bank. Remember that what they spend on you and your day is done with 10 times more love than money...no matter what the price tag that they forgot to take off your gift says.
2. Say "Thank you!" and mean it. A bridesmaid is never required to be a bridesmaid. They are there because they love you and want to support you on your important day. (And possibly because it gives them a chance to meet a hot, single groomsman.)
3. Let your bridesmaids choose their own style of dress. If you want your bridesmaids to look their best and precede you down the aisle with a smile, then let them be comfortable in what they are wearing! Choose the color, but let them choose the style. Just because your flower girl loves to twirl in a tutu, doesn't mean your adult friends will.



# Ceremony and Reception Details

## MadeintheHV

How do you light an outdoor wedding? Log tea light holders of course! (Silly people, not knowing that.) All of MadeintheHV's tealight holders and vases are made from reclaimed branches which naturally from the trees around his home. This means that every branch is different from the others! One of a kind!

EtsyName : MadeintheHV



## Addie Pearl

Addie pearl KNOWS felt! This woman can do anything you ask her to, in any color. Best thing yet? When I got this gorgeous ring bearers pillow in the mail, she also included identical flower girl barretts to pull in all the color!! If you ask her nicely, she just might make you a matching pair too!!

EtsyName: AddiePearl

## Paper Thick Ink

If PaperThickInk's work looks familiar, it might be because you've seen her work featured in the knot recently! She specializes in stunning, out of the ordinary guestbooks. Her work includes beautiful acrylic prints for guests to sign, to prints that guests can thumbprint!

EtsyName: PaperThickInk



## BuildersStudio

I have three words for you "Robot Secret Agent". Want another phrase? Ok. "Cake Topper." Oh yeah, baby. That's what I'm talking about. This guy has the most kick butt cake toppers around! (And incidentally, if you need a ray gun, he has those on hand too. Who DOESNT need a ray gun for their wedding day?)

EtsyName: BuildersStudio



## The Back Porch Shoppe

In case you need to prove to your guests (in the cutest way possible) that you are now, in fact, ca married couple, these chair signs should do it!! Incidentally, this creative lady was featured in Brides Northern California 09!

TheBackPorchShoppe

## Tessa Ann

I ADORE this girly!! I use her custom buttons (with my owl logo, of course) on all my presents to brides. I can just imagine these little beauties adorning wine glasses, napkin rings, or even the brides bouquet!! Oh, the endless possibilities make this photographers brain go all fuzzy.

EtsyName: TessaAnn



# 10 Romance Songs You May Not Know

1. "The Luckiest" by Ben Folds
2. "Your Song" by Kate Walsh
3. "Question" by Old 97's
4. "Toothpaste Kisses" by The Maccabees
5. "You and I" by Ingrid Michaelson
6. "Laundry" by Say Hi to Your Mom
7. "Love and Some Verses" by Iron and Wine
8. "Falling in Love At a Coffee Shop" by Landon Pigg
9. "Brightest" by Copeland
10. "I Will Follow You Into the Dark" by Death Cab for Cutie





Guest Favors  
&  
Things to Keep the Kiddies Busy

## ParDay

It's a box that even LOOKS like candy! How can you beat THAT? Each one is customizable the bride and grooms monogram and color choice. She even offers other designs, such as boxes and bags. Have a look around!



EtsyName: ParDay



## Majenta Designs

I still can't figure out how she does what she does, but MajentaDesigns does it well! Between these precious purse hooks and her pocket mirrors, every every female guest in attendance will LOVE walking home with one of these!!

EtsyName: MajentaDesigns

## Luna Tiger

Lunatiger's work is for the fun and child at heart. Let me put it this way... SPARKLIES!!! Between swarovski crystal hearts and fish and dogs, your guests will fall in love with these cell phone and key chain charms!

EtsyName: LunaTiger



## Lillipops Design

I fell in love with LilliPops work the first time I set eyes on it. These eco-friendly flower girl dresses are perfect for the outdoor wedding and perfect for play. They come in loads of designs to choose from, and can be customized! What's better than a dress that she will want to wear everyday?

EtsyName: LilliPops



## Pops Wooden Toys

Gameboy is SO last year. I love these vintage wooden pull toys!! PopsWoodenToys even carries wooden train sets and hopping grasshoppers. I'm kind of trying to find an excuse to get one myself.

EtsyName: PopsWoodenToys

## Asher's Toy Shop

Ok...seriously. Can I just say Betsey Johnson Sock Monkey? Can I? I LOVE these little guys!! Flower girls and ring bearers will be hanging onto these little guys all night, and I'm sure many a conversation will be had between the two. Plus, can you just imagine the photo of the little flower girl curled up, asleep at the reception with her new friend? Awwwww.....

EtsyName: asher82281



# TERRA DAWN PHOTOGRAPHY



*Let me introduce myself...*

My name is Terra Dawn and I'm a destination wedding photographer out of Washington, DC. In case you can't tell...I'm just a little obsessed with Etsy. So, being that I obsess over everyone's work in this book, I thought it would only be fair if I introduced them to you as well. So, brides, meet your new obsession...obsession, meet your new brides!



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