



Wedding FAQs

Our Questions for You

1. Who is getting married?
2. When is the wedding?
3. Where is the ceremony and where is the reception?
4. How long do you require the photographer to be present?
5. Do you have any style preferences?
6. What are your photographic likes and dislikes?
7. Do you have a budget?

Your Questions Answered

These are the 20 questions that we are asked the most frequently by couples.

1. Who will be photographing the wedding?

The lead photographer will be Ian Lancaster one of the founders of Shots of Inspiration Limited.

2. Will you be on your own or with an assistant?

Dependent upon your requirements an additional photographer may be present for informal shots and an assistant to help out with group shots and organisation.

3. What makes you different from other photographers?

We aim to provide you with beautiful photography at a reasonable cost by keeping our overheads as low as possible.

4. Have you shot a wedding at this venue before?

This will depend upon the venue.

5. What variety of packages do you offer, and what are the differences in price?

We offer a full range of services and products that can be tailored to meet your specific requirements. Examples of costs are given in our leaflets that are available on request. We will prepare a personalised quotation before you make your booking.

6. Are there any hidden extras within the pricing structure?

Usually we don't include the cost of prints or albums in our initial quotation just the cost of attending the wedding and producing the proofs. We can develop an inclusive quotation if you require this. Once we have agreed a price for your wedding photography we will honour that price and there will be no extra charges unless your requirements have changed in which case we will agree a new price with you.

7. When do we pay?

A £100 booking fee is due when you confirm your booking. The balance must be paid 60 days prior to the wedding date. It is possible to pay in monthly instalments.

8. How long will you be at the wedding?

We will be at the wedding as long as you want us to be as agreed at the time of preparing the quotation.

9. Will we meet to discuss the photographs, and can I say who is in each group?

We will meet with you at least once before the wedding to discuss your requirements and draw up a schedule of photographs that you wish us to take.

10. How will I be able to view my wedding proofs?

We can either provide you with a disc(s) with proofs of your images on that can be viewed on most computers or provide you with access to a password protected on line ordering facility.

11. Who selects the photographs for my album?

You will choose the photographs that you wish to be included in your album, in a DVD slideshow or photo story book.

12. How long do I have to make a selection for my album?

You can have as long as you like to select photographs for your album.

13. What happens if my pictures don't come out or I don't like them?

We will do our utmost to ensure that we fully understand your requirements and that the photographs live up to your expectations. We use digital cameras and take backups of the pictures as we go along. It is therefore very unlikely that the photographs won't turn out. If there are any problems we do have the following insurance in place:

Public Liability - £1,000,000

Employers Liability - £10,000,000

Professional Indemnity - £50,000

14. Who will I deal with after the wedding day?

You will deal with either Liza Watts or Ian Lancaster the two founding Directors of Shots of Inspiration Limited.

15. Can we order reprints and parents' albums?

Other guests will be able to order prints either off the proof disc or on-line ordering system. We can also arrange to supply albums for parents or anyone else who wants them. We archive all of our photographs for at least five years and will be able to supply reprints during this period.

16. How much will reprints cost?

The cost of reprints will be as specified in our print pricelist at the time that the reprints are ordered.

17. Are there any discounts available for ordering certain quantities of reprints?

Discounts may be available when ordering a large number of prints, these will be agreed at the time of ordering.

18. How long will it take for the final album to be delivered?

This will depend upon your exact requirements, but, we will agree the timescales with you when you place your order.

19. Will my album have inkjet or real photographs?

Wherever possible prints will be "real photographs" on professional quality photographic paper. There may be some instances where due to the size of the print it is produced on an inkjet printer, but, we will advise you if this is the case prior to you placing your order.

20. Will my pictures fade or mark?

The photographs will be printed on professional, archive quality photographic paper. This gives photographic prints of superb quality with exceptional colour stability

21. How long have you been in business! And how long do you plan on staying in business?

We have been in business since January 2011, although we have doing wedding and portrait photography for four years before that. Examples of our work has been used in the Wedding Brochure for Buckerell Lodge Hotel.

22. Do you have indemnity insurance?

Yes we have professional indemnity insurance cover of £50,000.