

# Why do we do that?

MATCH THE CUSTOMS, SUPERSTITIONS, AND PRACTICES TO THE HISTORICAL REASONS WHY ...

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| A. | DESIGNATE A SPECIFIC RING FINGER          | _____ | 1. WARDS OFF EVIL SPIRITS BY DISGUIISING THE BRIDE.                 |
| B. | BRIDE WEARS SOMETHING BLUE                | _____ | 2. SO THE BRIDE'S GOOD FORTUNE IS PASSED ON                         |
| C. | COUPLE GOES ON A HONEYMOON                | _____ | 3. GUARANTEES THE COUPLE MANY CHANCES TO<br>HAVE KIDS               |
| D. | HAVE A RING BEARER                        | _____ | 4. TO KISS THE BACHELOR GOODBYE                                     |
| E. | THE MEN HAVE A BACHELOR PARTY             | _____ | 5. SO GUESTS CAN COLLECT CRUMBS AS A TOKEN OF<br>GOOD LUCK          |
| F. | GROOM THROWS THE GARTER                   | _____ | 6. SYMBOLIZES THE COUPLES SHARED FUTURE                             |
| G. | HAVE A FLOWER GIRL DROPPING<br>PETALS     | _____ | 7. CONSIDERED A COOLING OFF PERIOD FOR THE<br>BRIDE'S FAMILY        |
| H. | TIE CANS TO THE WEDDING CAR               | _____ | 8. THE BRIDE TRIPPING MEANT BAD LUCK                                |
| I. | WEDDING PARTY DRESSES ALIKE               | _____ | 9. PROVES THE BRIDE'S WORTHINESS                                    |
| J. | THE GROOM WEARS A BOUTONNIERE             | _____ | 10. IT CONTAINS THE VEIN OF LOVE                                    |
| K. | THE BRIDE CARRIES A BOUQUET               | _____ | 11. THIS SHOWS THE BRIDE AND GROOM ARE<br>CONSIDERED ROYALTY        |
| L. | BRIDE STANDS TO THE LEFT OF THE<br>GROOM  | _____ | 12. WEARING HIS LADY'S COLORS TO DISPLAY HIS<br>LOVE                |
| M. | CUTTING THE WEDDING CAKE<br>TOGETHER      | _____ | 13. THE STRONG SMELL WARDS OFF EVIL SPIRITS                         |
| N. | THE BRIDE THROWS A BOUQUET                | _____ | 14. TO DISTRACT GUESTS SO THEY KEEP THEIR<br>HANDS OFF THE BRIDE    |
| O. | SERVING WEDDING CAKE TO THE<br>GUESTS     | _____ | 15. MARRIAGE IS DOOMED IF THE RING IS DROPPED BY<br>THE GROOM       |
| P. | THE BRIDE WEARS A WHITE GOWN              | _____ | 16. TO CONFUSE EVIL SPIRITS ABOUT WHO WAS<br>REALLY GETTING MARRIED |
| Q. | THE BRIDE WEARS A VEIL                    | _____ | 17. TO DEFEND HIS BRIDE, HIS RIGHT ARM MUST BE<br>FREE              |
| R. | CARRYING THE BRIDE OVER THE<br>THRESHOLD. | _____ | 18. THE NOISE FRIGHTENS AWAY EVIL SPIRITS                           |