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HAIR AND BEAUTY

Do It Up

PERFECT WEDDING-DAY HAIR IS AS SIMPLE AS A FEW EASY STEPS.



When it comes to finding the just-right wedding hairstyle, look to the red carpet and the runways, says James Todd, lead stylist at Gene Juarez Salons & Spas. "Special occasions call for timeless looks," he says. "The red carpet is where you see hairstyles that—when done correctly—won't look dated when you pull up the pictures later." * Todd created this loose and glamorous updo exclusively for *Seattle Bride* magazine, reminiscent of the hairstyles worn by Jennifer Garner and Michelle Williams to the Oscars in 2008 and 2006, respectively. "Starchy bridal hair doesn't complement Seattle brides," Todd says. "This is a hairstyle brides can create at home or through their stylist, and it works with any hair accessory."

ONLINE >> TO LEARN HOW TO CREATE THIS HAIR AND MAKEUP STEP-BY-STEP, VISIT SEATTLEBRIDEMAG.COM/UPDO2008

Basics



PLANNING

Thinking Ahead

You might not want to face it, but inevitably there will be small mishaps and last-minute needs on your wedding day—an uncooperative hairdo, a broken nail or (gasp) a stain on the dress. Luckily, P.H.E.W. (Practical Help for Every Woman) Wedding Day Survival Kits (\$29.95; pnewkits.com) have you covered. Eastern Washington-based Kristina Northcutt, herself a 10-time bridesmaid, created P.H.E.W., a clever little travel bag full of must-haves for the big day (and the honeymoon). The kit includes hairspray, a sewing kit, nail file and, perhaps most important, Shout Wipes stain-remover cloths and chalk to rub over grass stains. Name the malady and P.H.E.W. has the remedy. —*Kimberly Tomaras*



1. Get set: Go! 2. Hair is brushed out, evenly separated and pinned into curls. 3. Adorned with a rhinestone barrette from Glam by Pam—the finished look!

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