

## SAMPLE SPEECH

CATEGORY: WEDDING TOAST TO CINDERELLA AND PRINCE CHARMING

CHARACTER: THE FAIRY GODMOTHER

Congratulations to you two. I can't wait to see what the future brings for you. I remember the day you guys met, it was the day of the ball. I helped Cinderella get ready, and I made her a dress. Well, that is, my little helpers and me. I sent her off in a pumpkin, and never expected her to bring home a man as nice as you, Prince Charming.

You know, I almost made those shoes just a little bit smaller, but I didn't want you to be uncomfortable while you were dancing the night away. I guess it's a good thing, being that you wouldn't have fallen in love if your shoe hadn't fallen off.

I still can't believe it. Today is the day you two lovebirds will be tying the knot. You will no longer be stuck in that horrid place with those evil ladies. Your days of scrubbing the floor with a toothbrush are now gone. Maya Angelou once said, "Love recognizes no barriers. It jumps hurdles, leaps fences, and penetrates walls to arrive at its destination full of hope." Love is not determined by who you are or what your job is, and you two are an excellent example of this. Cinderella, you once were a servant but now you will soon be a princess, all because of love.

I hope your marriage lasts as long as you shall live. You two were made for each other and are going to live happily ever after, I just know it. Your backgrounds are so different, but I can tell by the way Prince Charming searched and searched to find Cinderella, this is true love. You're going to grow up and have kids of your own. You'll send them to the ball, where hopefully I can help. Whenever you need me just call and I'll be here. I'll gather the mice and the birds and we can reminisce about the good old days.

Congratulations once more. I can't express to you how truly happy I am for you two. I'm sorry to say though; I won't be able to stay. I can only be here if I am needed, and it seems as though I am needed no longer. That's okay though. You're going places, Cinderella. You have a whole new life ahead of you, and I hope it turns out great.

And with that I will leave you. I have only one more thing to say, and that is,  
Bippity-boppity-boo.