

we give our attendants?

ham suggests a brass cricket box filled with baby's breath, status and silk flowers or an arrangement of dried flowers in a basket.

With a minimum of care, these gifts can be a lasting remembrance.

THIS TYPE of gift can be ordered at the same time that the bride-to-be places her order for the flowers, which is usually a month before the wedding.

Terrariums, although a little more expensive, are another lasting gift.

Handcrafted items, perhaps made by the bride, are another personal gift.

ALONG THE jewelry line, the list is practically endless.

Budget dictates the selection.

For a gift in the \$50 range, Mark Cross Inc., in Somerset Mall, Troy, has popular gold Cartier bracelets with larger links. A bracelet with larger links is available for men.

SIXTEEN-OUNCE crystal Cartier wine glasses are another handsome choice.

Gold chains come in all lengths and weights and may be suitable for both men and women.

Small sterling silver woven baskets which can hold candy or flowers or a stylized tiny sterling silver version of a shopping bag, which can

hold cigarettes or candy sticks are also available.

At Lake Jewelers, pewter mugs, candle snuffers, silver bud vases, bonbon dishes, a teaspoon or demitasse spoon in the bride's pattern are all popular choices.

PICTURE FRAMES that could include a photograph of the wedding party are also frequently chosen.

Even the small silver piggy banks have been chosen by brides.

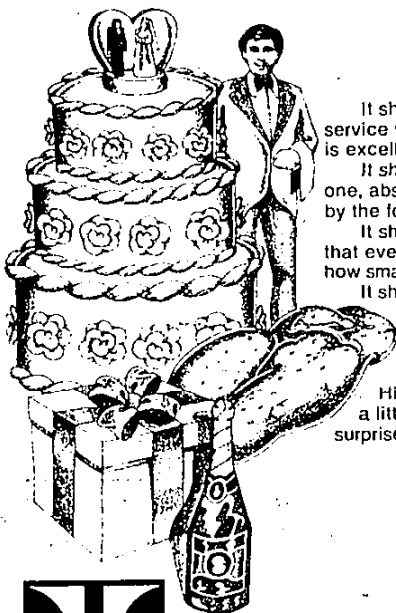
Many special items are available from Rose Jewelers. Monogrammed items remain the most popular. Pendants, locket, key chains, tie clips, money-clips and even sterling silver luggage tags are available at a broad price range.

Whatever the item time consideration remains the key factor.



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