

Pass the Poem

HOW TO PLAY

What do you need?

- A wrapped gift – This can be a fun prize like a scented candle, a cute mug, or a small pampering kit.
- A printed copy of the poem printable – The poem serves as the game's instructions, guiding guests on who should receive the gift next.
- A lively host – Someone to read the poem clearly and keep the energy high.

How do you play?

- Gather everyone in a circle or seated group – The game works best when guests are facing each other so they can see who the prize is being passed to.
- Start with the bride or a chosen guest – Hand the wrapped gift to them before the poem begins.
- Read the poem aloud – The host (or the guest holding the gift) reads each line, following the instructions to pass the gift.
- Follow the clues – The poem will direct guests to pass the prize based on specific traits (e.g., "pass to the person with the longest hair").
- Keep passing until the end – The final line will declare the lucky guest who gets to open the gift!

Extra Tips

- Pick a great prize – Choose something fun that anyone would love to receive
- Make sure the clues are varied – Include a mix of physical traits (e.g., longest hair, most rings) and fun facts (e.g., traveled the farthest, met the bride most recently) to engage all guests.
- Encourage laughter and interaction – This game is all about having fun! If the guests start debating who qualifies for a clue, let them enjoy the moment. Maybe have a few tie-breaker questions ready to settle it!
- Adjust for your group – If you have a larger guest list, tweak the poem to ensure everyone gets a turn before the final reveal.

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AS THE GAME IS READ, PASS THE PRIZE TO THE GUEST MATCHING THE DESCRIPTION. THE PERSON HOLDING THE PRIZE AT THE END WINS!

Let's start with a simple clue,
Pass the gift to one who is wearing blue

We want to make sure everyone is having fun,
So pass the gift to the youngest one

Now keep it moving, don't hesitate,
Pass it along to the guest who arrived most late!

Pass it now to the tallest guest in sight,
Then move it along to someone dressed in white!

Who has the most rings on their hand?
Pass it to them, just as planned!

Let's keep it going, pass it with care,
Now to a person with the most curls in their hair!

Time is ticking, don't delay,
Hand it to who's traveled the farthest to be here today!

Who's holding a drink, be it wine or tea?
Pass it to them, just wait and see!

If you've been married for the most years,
Take the gift, then pass it with cheers!

Who's known the bride for the longest time?
Pass it to them—it's their time to shine!

Roses are red, violets are blue,
Pass it to the person to the left of you.

Now let's finish, we've had our fun,
The one holding the gift has won!