



Gown Cleaning & Preservation

Your bridal gown is a significant investment, so let us help you protect that investment. From champagne toasts and cake cutting to outdoor photos and an evening on the dance floor, your gown will inevitably face some damage on your wedding day. For this reason, we strongly encourage our brides to clean and preserve their wedding gowns. Cleaning and preserving your gown is a small fraction of the cost of the gown but provides you with the opportunity to use it again for your daughter or granddaughter someday.

At A Little Something White Bridal Couture, we have partnered with the Association of Wedding Gown Specialists, which is one of the premier gown cleaning, preservation, and restoration specialist organizations in the country, to offer gown cleaning and preservation services to our brides.

After the wedding, your gown will be transported by hand to a Connecticut-based cleaning and preservation facility where it will undergo the following processes.

Hand Cleaning

Every gown is hand-treated and cleaned individually – never in combination with other dresses. Our specialists take every caution to protect delicate beads, embroidery, and lace during the cleaning process.

Anti-Sugar Stain Treatment

Spills containing sugar, salt, and acid often dry clear and cannot be seen. Many times the spills are caused by a guest but unnoticed by a bride because they dry without a visible mark. These stains do not dissolve during ordinary dry cleaning and can turn an ugly brown color over time. Our specialists use a unique anti-sugar treatment, featured in *Modern Bride* and *Bride's* magazine, ensuring that all sugar, salt, and acid – seen or unseen – is removed.

Environmentally-Pure, Lasting Protection

After your gown is completely cleaned, our specialists use acid-free tissue to protect the gown and enclose it in a completely acid-free, archival quality wedding chest. This protects your gown from the air and light that caused unprotected gowns to yellow. Acid-free windows for viewing your gown are available.

International Guarantee

Your written international guarantee that your bridal gown will not yellow or be spotted with caramelized sugar stains is honored by members of the Association of Wedding Gown Specialists represented in more than 500 cities around the world. When you would like to wear your wedding gown again, return your gown to any participating Wedding Gown Specialist who will inspect and press your gown at no charge.

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