

## ANGLICKÉ OKÉNKO 20

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### **MARRIED TO** not WITH

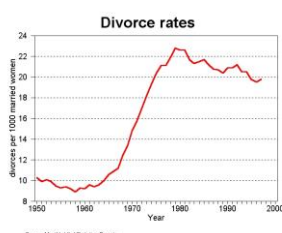
Don't say: Pavla was married with a rich man.

Say: Pavla was **married to** a rich man.

### **DIFFERENT FROM** not THAN

Don't say: My husband is different than yours.

Say: My husband is **different from** yours.



### **PRESENTATION SKILLS - STATISTICS**

There were approximately 2,230,000 marriages in 2005 in the USA -- **down from** 2,279,000 the previous year, **despite** a total population **increase of** 2.9 million **over the same period**. The **divorce rate** in 2005 (per 1,000 people) was 3.6 - the **lowest rate since 1970**, and down from 4.2 in 2000 and from 4.7 in 1990. (The **peak** was at 5.3 in 1981, **according to** the *Associated Press*.)

**down from** – pokles oproti

**despite (of)** – navzdory

**increase of** – nárůst, navýšení

**over the same period** – za stejné období

**(divorce) rate** – poměr, podíl

**lowest rate since** – nejnižší poměr od

**peak** – nejvyšší bod, vrchol

**according to** – podle (něčeho)

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### **VOCABULARY BUILDING – WEDDING**



**pop the question** = when a man "goes down on one knee" and asks a woman to marry him

**pre-wedding nerves** = when you are nervous before the wedding

**civil ceremony** = a wedding conducted at the Registry Office

**white wedding** = wedding held in a church

**wedding bells** = church bells as the couple leaves the church

**wedding vows** = the promises that the couple make to each other at the ceremony.



### **QUIZ: Check your wedding vocabulary!**

- He's an old \_\_\_\_\_ of mine. We met at school.  
a) acquaintance   b) engagement   c) fiancée   d) relative
- My brother's wife, my \_\_\_\_\_, is very friendly and we get on well.  
a) half-sister   b) niece   c) sister-in-law   d) step-sister
- The wedding was fabulous and the \_\_\_\_\_ was so pretty in a long white dress!  
a) bride   b) bridegroom   c) groom   d) groombride
- My husband keeps forgetting our wedding \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) anniversary   b) engagement   c) marriage   d) resemblance

KEY: 1. A, 2. C, 3. A, 4. A,

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