



Pick of the day

WEDDING HOUSE 8PM C4

It's early days for this one-stop wedding shop show, but for it to become a true guilty pleasure, it could do with a subtle shift in focus away from the sweethearts and fruit loops celebrating their unions in varying fancy dress, and onto the backstage team who are the real stars.

There's implacable Carol Spenser (left) in wardrobe, with steam blowing gently out of her ears as one cheeky bridezilla rocks up with her own dress

and shoes. Then there's wedding planner Chris Fitchew who launches himself at each challenge, be it tonight's Tudor-themed lesbian civil ceremony or South Yorkshire couple Michael and Janine's ceremony on a Love Bus.

Best of all is the registrar Cynthia Green (right), whose eye-popping reaction to Alan and Yvonne's dungeon fetish ceremony - "Ooh, what's with the cages?" - immediately makes you

fearful as to what else will be thrown at her to sanctify in the weeks to come.

The one thing that *Wedding House* doesn't have enough of is time. Four weddings may have worked for, well, *Living's Four Weddings*, but with the backstage cast to accommodate, three would be better. Then there would be time to linger on the other ingredient that makes the big day so very special - the bitchiness of all the guests. (PS)