Walters throws a wedding

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Barbara Walters WireImage

Barbara Walters threw a wedding dinner for her hairstylist of 30 years, Bryant Renfroe, and Joseph Dwyer on Wednesday at Upper East Side restaurant Primola. Walters introduced Renfroe and Dwyer just over a year ago, and their wedding had some unexpected drama that brought Renfroe on "The View" a day later. "I'm having heart surgery in January," said Renfroe, who's also styled hair for Joan Lunden and Kathie Lee Gifford. "So Joe and I wanted to get married before the surgery." But they faced unexpected controversy when the chauffeur driving them to be married earlier Wednesday made some ugly remarks. "He said, 'You're sinning. You're making God cry,' " related Renfroe, who went on Walters' show Thursday to discuss the incident. Renfroe, who's having a larger wedding party in June, didn't let it ruin his celebration: "It was lovely. I loved it," he said, adding that dinner was topped off with "a nice cake." Guests included ABC's Linda Finson, Bill Geddie and Jessica Stedman Guff.