**MAID OF HONOR SPEECH**

**FOR**

**HOLLIE DOHERTY**

Hello everyone... I’m Hollie... for those of you that may not know, and I am so happy to be Brittney’s Maid of Honor!! She is the kind of person who lights up a room ... even widen she’s not wearing her light up shoes... and has more energy than the best house DJ you’ve ever heard!! Brittney, we’ve been waiting a while to really cut loose and celebrate at your wedding with Brad, and the time has **FINALLY** arrived, but before we do, I would like to tell you and everyone here just how great I think you are and how much our friendship means to me...

What can you say about two fun loving girls who meet and bond over a **head injury** ... besides, “**OUCH**?” (**Wait for the laugh**). I’ll tell you what you say.... you say “**WOW**!!” From the minute I met Brittney... and Brad... we clicked... and while I was the one in need of first aid, and while the bandage she gave me eventually fell off, she and I **KNEW** we were stuck together like glue... for **LIFE**. I’ll never forget that moment... we were both at TBox at the same time. Something somehow fell and hit me in the head.... I can’t say that I was really feeling **any pain**... but from out of the crowd, I heard someone yell, “**I’M A NURSE**!! And that was that...she treated me and we became “BandAid sisters....” Brittney took care of the wound with ointment and so I wouldn’t feel weird, she placed a BandAid on her own forehead and that was that... thanks to Johnson and Johnson, I got a **best friend**. Brittney, you and I, of course, being inspired by the “medical theme” of our meeting, became each other’s “person” with you as Meredith, me as Christina, and of course.... there was a built in McDreamy... Thanks Brad!! Real life Grey’s Anatomy!!

Brittney... we’ve laughed together, cried together... we’ve glowed in the dark together, and there’s no one on this earth I’d rather get messy with. I guess what people say is true... everything happens for a reason... even head injuries at bar crawls!! We definitely have a special connection... and we have proof... remember at your bridal shower we discovered that my thumbprint can unlock **YOUR** phone?? (**Do you want to make a joke and say**)....that’s **REALLY THUMB THING**!!! (**and wait for the laugh**). I think our friendship can best be summed up in a quote from someone we both admire.... yes. It was Cookie Monster who said, “Sometimes me think, ‘What is a friend? Then me say, ‘Friend is someone to share the last cookie with.” (**Wait for the laugh**). (**Do you want to add...**) Share cookie... toss cookie... we’ve done it all and with each cookie we grow closer... Band Aid sisters forever! (**And wait for the laugh**).

Brit and Brad you’ve met your match

You both love the Cubs

And Nic Cage... **NATCH**...

Today’s the day you finally wed

Your friendship is everything....

That injury to my head....

Was the best thing to happen

Besides the two of you....

Here’s to a lifetime of joy

The **REAL** “**TRUE ROMANCE**??? You **TWO**!!

Congratulations! We love you!!