Just when you think it can't get any worse... it does!

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The week before a wedding can be stressful at the best of times, but as hapless publisher Howard Steel (Ben Miller) prepares to marry the lovely Mel (Sarah Alexander), it becomes a nightmare of gargantuan proportions. When Mel's parents, Angela (Alison Steadman) and Dick (Geoffrey Whitehead) welcomed Howard into their family they had no idea he was about to wreak havoc in their lives. He manages to lose the wedding ring, knock out the best man, accidentally grope his future mother-in-law and hospitalize his fiancée's granny.

Having survived that week - just - and finally married to Mel - there is worse to come in Series 2 when the happy couple is forced to move in with Mel's parents the week before she is due to give birth to their first child.

In Series 3, Howard and Mel are looking forward to their first Christmas as a family with their new baby daughter. However, for Howard, and those close to him, life is rarely that simple.

"Impeccably written and cast... often as funny as Fawlty Towers" Sunday Times

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Starring Ben Miller (Primeval, Moving Wallpaper), Sarah Alexander (Green Wing, Coupling), Alison Steadman (Gavin & Stacey), Geoffrey Whitehead (Little Dorrit, Second Thoughts).

Written, directed and produced by Mark Bussell (The Robinsons, Barbara), Justin Sbresni (The Robinsons, Barbara).

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