

Serving in the Altar

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P.G. Woodhouse: Jeeves And The Hard-Boiled Egg

“Jeeves
shimmered in
with the glass,
and stuck it
competently
on the table.”



Servers in the Altar can learn much from this one sentence:

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass, and stuck it competently on the table.”

- Jeeves was there.
- Jeeves was already prepared.
- Jeeves knew what was needed.
- Jeeves had what he needed.
- Jeeves knew when it was needed.
- Jeeves knew that he was not to be the centre of attention and how to deport himself.
- Jeeves knew where to put what was needed.
- Jeeves tidied away and was ready when the next drink was needed.
- Jeeves was competent.

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass, and stuck it competently on the table.”

Jeeves
was
there!



“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”



Jeeves
was
prepared

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”

Jeeves knew
what was
needed.



“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”



Jeeves
had what
was
needed.

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”

Jeeves knew
when the
whiskey
was
needed



“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”



Jeeves knew
that he was
not the
centre of
attention.

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”

Jeeves knew
exactly
where to
place the
glass.



“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”



Jeeves,
tidied
away
after
Bertie.

“Jeeves shimmered in with the glass,
and stuck it competently on the table.”

Jeeves was
competent



Serving in the Holy Altar.



Those who
serve in the
Altar are
serving the
Finest Master
of all.

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Arriving late
should
never cross
the mind of
a server.



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Know
what is
needed.

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Have
what is
needed.



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Know
when it
is
needed.

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Know who
is the
centre of
attention.
(Our Lord!)



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Know
where to
put what
is needed.

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The server
needs to be
competent.



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“Everything
in its place
and a place
for
everything.”

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Serve Christ
Himself our
Lord and
God and
Saviour.

