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# Wizard of OZ Issue

## Letter from the Editor:

The Wizard of Oz theme was inspired by one of our Real Weddings. It is a 1939 American musical fantasy widely considered to be one of the greatest films in cinema. When a tornado rips through Kansas, Dorothy played by movie actress Judy Garland and her dog, Toto, are whisked away in their house to the magical land of Oz. They follow the Yellow Brick Road toward the Emerald City to meet the Wizard, and in route they meet a Scarecrow that needs a brain, a Tin Man missing a heart, and a Cowardly Lion who wants courage.

Read how this couple, who loves this classic movie, incorporated the style into their wedding day. Get inspired from our other Real Wedding couples who share their special moments with you.

The cover photo is a dress designed by fashion icon and go-getter Hayley Paige. While embracing a fresh youthful take on bridal wear her designs are unique and chic. The aesthetic of her designs capture both romance and sophistication. We are thrilled to share with you, our readers, the interview with Hayley.

Read about the special meaning of a tiny blue flower called Forget-me-not. Discover which style of frames for your glasses fit the shape of your face perfectly. We are so excited to announce that we will be filming segments on the Lifetime television morning show called "The Balancing Act" airing at 7:30 AM.

Make sure you stay tuned to hear all the latest in fashion and trends in the bridal industry, and you just never know what celebrity may stop by...just saying!

American fashion model and fashion designer Kimora Simmons shares with us her newest collection of bold, yet streamlined ready to wear and accessories KLS.

Most brides always fret on deciding their color and wedding day theme. Why not look to the stars for your answer, and let your astrological chart guide you!

I enjoyed dancing on the yellow brick road with these wonderful characters during the editor's photo shoot! The movie represents our dreams, our hopes and the goals we want to achieve. It centers on family and friends, and what better time to have it featured in our magazine then this time of the year. With the holiday season upon us, all of us here at Florida and New York Bride Magazine want to wish you, your family and friends the warmest of memories. There's No Place Like Home...

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Grace Crompton



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# Color of the Year

## Ultra Violet



When it comes to wedding colors, there's purple, and then there's purple—or should we say Ultra Violet, Pantone's Color of the Year for 2018. As a vibrant departure from Greenery (2017's fresh and organic Color of the Year), Ultra Violet is a deep, blue-based purple—darker than lavender, cooler than plum, but brighter than eggplant—with cosmic undertones to evoke “originality, ingenuity and visionary thinking that points us toward the future.”

So how exactly do you incorporate this striking, regal shade of violet into your wedding day? You could think big, bold and monochromatic—or, if you can't quite commit, sprinkle hints of Ultra Violet throughout your day to add depth and energy to anything from cake embellishments to flower girl dresses. Here are some of our favorite ways to dress up Ultra Violet for your wedding.



Decorate your wedding cake with violet blooms, or go for a whole cool violet ruffle layer with fresh lavender. Make violet drinks your signature ones, add mint and a sparkle to the glass, and a very eye-catching cocktail is done!

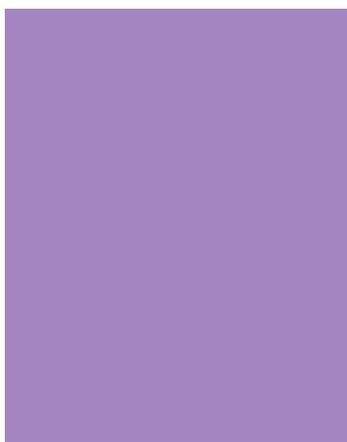


# seasonal *palettes*

One of the easiest ideas to incorporate ultra violet into your wedding decor while keeping it edgy and tasteful is rocking violet florals. You can add them to your bouquets, centerpieces, floral crowns and other items, and violet is rather a compatible color that goes well with many other shades. You can rock it separately, for example, a violet tulip bouquet, or blend them with neutral blooms to make your centerpieces more eye-catching.



Wheat and violet bloom centerpieces, violet napkins, cards and tablecloths will be a bold and chic colorful statement for your wedding decor. Don't be too excessive with it, the color is pretty bold and you should find the right combo for your wedding style.



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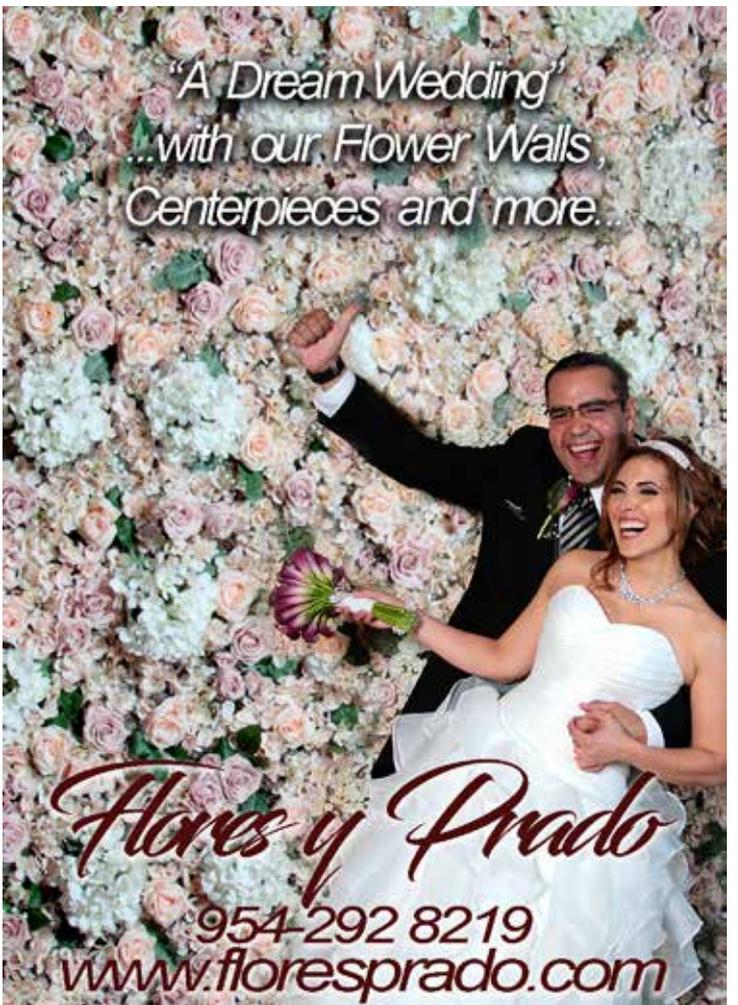


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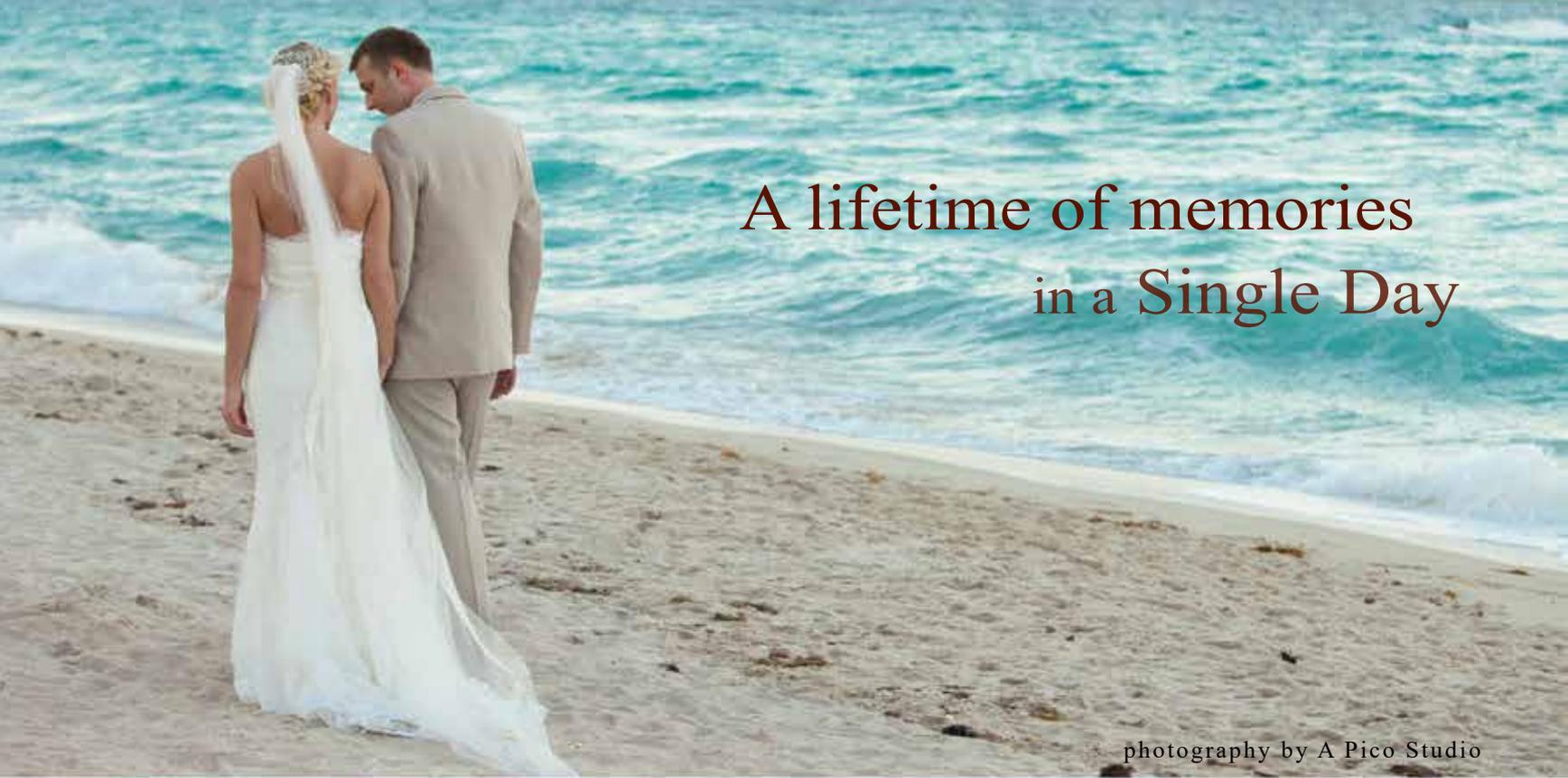
# TABLE



If you happen to be getting married during the fall, it's likely you'll be incorporating some of the colors, scents, and traditions of the seasons into your wedding decor and menu. And your signature drink is no exception! Fall cocktails are all about rich flavors; think dark rum paired with sweet apples, bourbon infused with the flavors of nutmeg and vanilla bean, or a cardamom-scented spiked chai.

On the lighter side, sparkly Prosecco, pear, ginger and sage are a match made in heaven. You also can't go wrong with the aromatic, herbaceous flavor of rosemary in a range of cocktails, from a simple gin and lemon combo to a more involved concoction.





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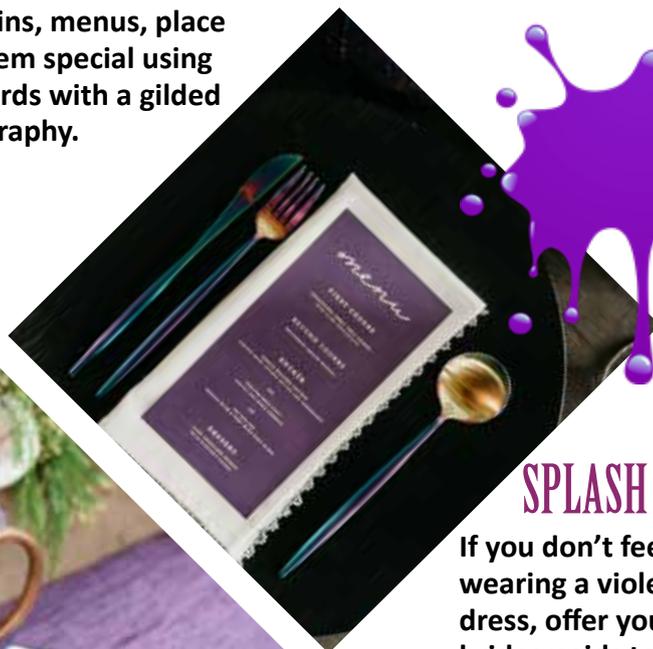
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### SPLASH SHOES

If you don't feel like wearing a violet wedding dress, offer your bridesmaids to wear some gowns in such shades. Go for violet wedding shoes, many designers present some cool heels in violet and purple.



Love non-traditional hair colors? Make ultra violet hair for your big day and it will be a gorgeous statement! Choose a wedding band with ultra violet rhinestones for a chic and trendy look.

### SPLASH FLORAL

There are lots of ideas to rock violet and purple florals on your big day: you can find many kinds of flowers to rock in violet shades.



Violet goes well with white, lilac, red, deep purple, green, emerald, fuchsia and pink, so you can either create super bold contrasting floral arrangements or choose violet arrangements in all shades of this color.



# Color Splash

Pantone has already announced the color of the coming year, and it's ultra violet, so many of us are rushing to find some gorgeous clothes items and home decorations in this color. Weddings are no exception, if you want a fashion-forward big day, incorporate ultra violet into your wedding decor or go for some shades of it that fit.



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**Draperies and curtains.** Traditional fabric window treatments usually reflect a too-personal choice of materials. When they are needed for privacy, opt for roman shades or custom blinds. If you don't need privacy, don't be afraid to dare to go bare – most buyers like natural light and bright, airy rooms. It will cost almost nothing to take them down – even if you have to patch a few holes.

**Gold fixtures and hardware.** Fortunately, decorative hardware is an easy switch-out and can quickly make the house more relevant to today's buyers.

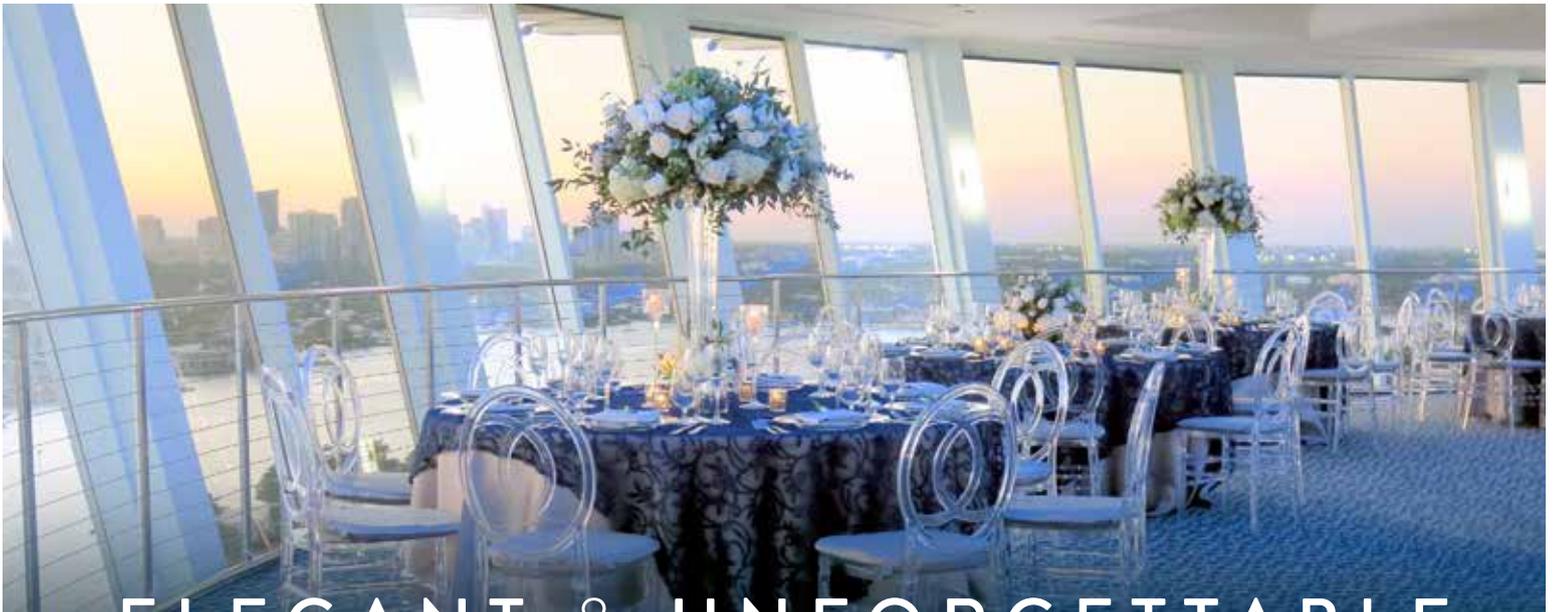


**Silver, polished nickel and brass** are currently desirable. Because they're all highly visible, you will need to change them all. Yes, this can take time, but it is a DIY project! You don't need to hire a pro to do the job well.

**Colored appliances.** Any kitchen can get a fast facelift with stainless appliances; the current signal of a “modern” kitchen. The key is to be consistent! You can't just swap out one, you have to do them all. While more of an investment, this update is definitely worth the return.

**Ceiling fans.** Ceiling fans imply the house is not comfortable in the summer! They look dated for the simple reason they were more popular when AC was not common in homes. There are new, modern ceiling fans, in sleek materials and minimalistic designs, but if you have those tropical island fans...make the switch! Palms are a dead giveaway your home is dated. If you need to save money, don't reinstall new fans. It is much better to have no ceiling fan than a dated one.

**Oak/Cherry kitchen cabinets, and countertops of square tile or formica.** This was “the look” 20 to 30 years ago – no longer! Modern kitchens tend to favor light or solid colored cabinets and stone surfaces. How can you do quick fix with your cabinets? Paint! It's the least expensive way to modernize; just don't forget to change the hardware too. And you can even paint tile to freshen the whole room.



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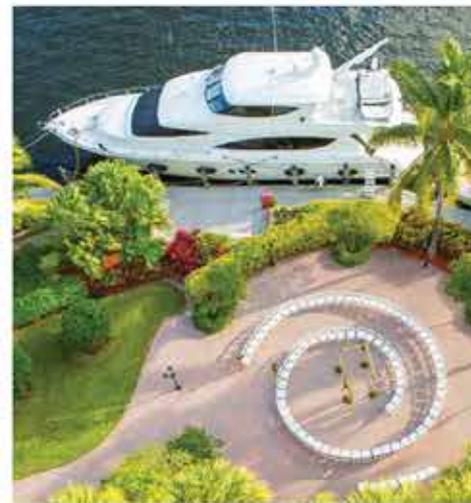


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You can keep your first dance simple by moving back and forth, but that could get a bit boring. Taking dance lessons as a couple prior to the wedding is a fun thing to do together. Look at it as a date night, treat yourselves with dinner afterwards. It's a good time to connect between all the wedding day plans. Your lessons don't have to be swing, or an elaborate choreographed dance. Speak with the instructor and let them know what your preferences are. If you know what song you want played for your first dance bring it with you, so your instructor can set the lesson around it. You don't have to have a song chosen when you go though, the instructor will teach you basic dance steps that can be used for any song.



Make sure you plan your lessons well in advance of your special day, so you both feel comfortable and confident when all eyes are on you. This is a great lesson for you to begin your lives together. You will be sharing a special moment learning and growing together by putting your best foot forward (no pun intended) to show everyone you will work together as a couple to attain your goals.

Once you feel comfortable with your routine, you can also invite your parents to join in for the father/daughter and mother/son dance at the reception. Another very special moment. All brides and grooms want to look their best on their wedding day. Remember dancing is a form of exercising, and will help you stay fit and reduce your stress level in this busy time. Enjoy!



# Spring Wedding Trends

# FOR 2019

The Royal Wedding between Megan Markle and Prince Harry has undoubtedly sparked some inspiration for 2019 wedding trends among designers, planners, and brides-to-be. Details from the Royal Wedding will undoubtedly have an impact on the bridal industry. From wedding gowns to the cake, to the styling of the venue, weddings in the spring of 2019 are sure to be elegant with flare. Combining conservative details fit for a duchess and hot new trends, prepare to see a wedding season marked with elegance and closeness.

**1** Shades of Purple - We are seeing a lot of purples from violet to periwinkle. This trend is prevalent in lighting options throughout the space with designs and in floral.



**2** Mix & Match Groomsmen Attire - Step aside, bridesmaids--it's the groomsmen's turn to mix and match. We predict menswear to take center stage down the aisle, with a heavier focus on pops of color.



**6** DIY Food Stations Menus and desserts are getting more creative every year, and 2019 will see more DIY food bars at weddings.



**3** Mix & Match Place Settings Not only is this a trend at receptions, but it's also gaining popularity for registries.

**5** Statement Place Cards - From tiny elephants with jewels to clothespin clipped ribbon walls, one trend is finding a creative "wow" for guests to find their place card. Champagne splits or towers with place cards attached. With this trend the sky is the limit!



**4** Small Plates - Sit-down meals will remain a perennial favorite, but with a twist. Couples will be requesting small plates and added courses, giving guests the chance to enjoy lots of options on a smaller scale.



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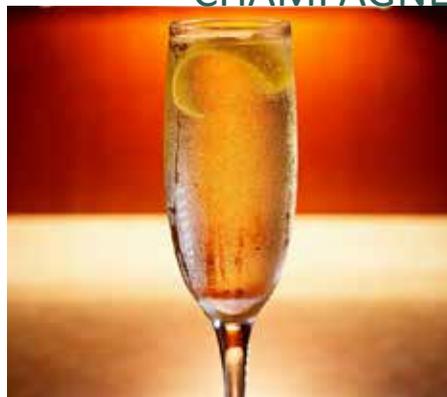
What You Need:

1 oz cognac, 1 oz aged rum, 1 oz lemon juice, 1 oz simple syrup, 5 dashes bitters.

How to Make It:

Using a split base of cognac and rum adds a depth of flavor and makes it a little more delicate. You still get that warm, sippable cocktail, but it doesn't beat you over the head.

## CHAMPAGNE COCKTAIL



What You Need:

4 oz sparkling wine, 1 sugar cube, Angostura bitters.

Directions: Soak the sugar cube in Angostura bitters and drop into champagne.

How to Make It:

It's really beautiful, and perfect for an elegant party. It elevates the pomp and circumstance of your traditional glass of Champagne.

## NEW YORK SOUR



What You Need:

2 oz bourbon, .75 oz lemon juice, .75 oz simple syrup, Red wine float.

How to Make It:

It's a traditional whiskey sour, but to make it a New York sour, you float red wine—Côte du Rhône or Beaujolais, something with a backbone to it—on top. The rich aromatics push it into winter.

## GOOD TIDINGS



What You Need:

1.5 oz vodka, 1 oz cointreau, 1 oz lemon juice, 1 oz cranberry juice, 1 bar spoon of allspice dram.

Directions: Shake ingredients with ice. Strain into a Collins glass over ice and top with soda. Garnish with a lemon wheel studded with cloves.

How to Make It:

With the cranberry and allspice you get those more traditional winter flavors and scents, but it drinks like a tall, easy Collins.

## WINTER MARGARITA



What You Need:

1 oz reposado (slightly aged) tequila, 1 oz mezcal (like Del Maguey Vida), 1 oz lime juice, .75 oz simple syrup.

How to Make It:

It's just like a traditional margarita, but with an egg white. Split the base between reposado tequila and mezcal. It gives you those summer flavors, but with the thickness of the body and the smoke of the mezcal.

## APPLE JACK



What You Need:

2 oz apple brandy (like Applejack), .25 oz maple syrup, 3 dashes Peychaud's bitters.

Directions: Stir ingredients with ice, then strain into an old fashioned glass. Serve up and garnish with a lemon twist.

How to Make It:

It uses so many wintery things, like the Applejack and maple syrup. You could not make a more fireside-appropriate cocktail.

# Get real cozy

## on Your Wedding Day

### CAMPFIRE



### DELIGHT

**Ingredients**  
1/2 oz. toasted marshmallow syrup, 1 oz. cream, 1 oz. creme de cacao, 1/2 oz. RumChata, 1.5 oz. Van Gogh Dutch chocolate vodka.

#### Directions

Pour all ingredients into a shaker and shake. Double-strain into a martini glass rimmed with melted chocolate and graham cracker, and top with a skewer of flaming marshmallows.

### POLAR



### VORTEX

**Ingredients**  
3/4 oz. cherry vodka  
3/4 oz. Hpnotiq, 3 oz. lemon-lime soda, Splash of sweet-and-sour mix.

#### Directions

Mix all ingredients and shake, and then pour into a glass made of ice (if drinking in sub-freezing temperatures) or a frosted glass (if the temp is toasty).



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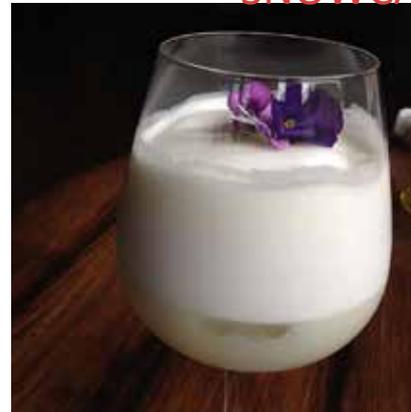
### WINE

**Ingredients**  
1 bottle (25 oz.) merlot red wine, 1/2 oz. Martini Rosso red vermouth, 1/4 oz. grappa, 4 slices of orange, cloves, 3 cinnamon sticks.

#### Directions

Mix merlot red wine, Martini Rosso and grappa together in a small saucepan and start to boil slowly. Add orange slices, cloves and cinnamon sticks and continue to boil until it begins to bubble. You can stick the cloves into the piece of orange so you can easily pull them out when mulled wine is ready. Serve the wine hot, or let it cool down for at least 15 minutes until warm; decorate with a fresh slice of orange and cinnamon stick, and add a few pieces of raisins or almonds. Serves four.

### SNOWCAP



### COLADA

**Ingredients**  
1.5 oz. Ketel One Citroen vodka, 1 oz. nigori sake, 1 oz. lavender syrup (recipe below), Zest from 1 lemon, 3 egg whites, Fresh lavender sprig.

#### Lavender Syrup

1 cup filtered water,  
1 cup white sugar, 3 tbsp. dried lavender

#### Directions

Combine lemon zest with egg whites and 1/2 oz. lavender syrup in mixing bowl; beat until stiff white peaks are formed. In cocktail shaker, combine Ketel One Citroen, sake and remaining 1/2 oz. lavender syrup; shake with bar ice until mixing glass is frosted. Add 6 heaping tablespoons stiff egg whites, and shake to combine. Pour over ice in large wine glass, spoon remaining egg whites over the top and stir gently to incorporate. Garnish with lavender sprig.

Combine ingredients in a saucepan and bring to boil for 3 minutes. Let cool, then strain with micro strainer.



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The resort offers a variety of ceremonies and receptions for brides to choose from. The License to Chill Rooftop Terrace is a 7,000 square foot outdoor venue, overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. With its pool and License to Chill Bar, it will offer wedding parties a private event venue with the ambiance of the beach level recreation area and the privacy of an exclusive paradise. For brides looking for their ceremony or reception to be even more secluded they have the choice to enjoy a semi-private event in a dedicated area of this rooftop, tropical oasis.

The resort’s One Particular Harbor space is a spectacular 8,800 square foot pre-function space with waterfront views and floor to ceiling windows that would add a breathtaking backdrop to any wedding’s cocktail reception.

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The resort’s dedicated wedding professionals help couples create the setting of their dreams – whether it’s an oceanfront elegant wedding, a sophisticated coastal wedding or a beachside casual wedding. The atmosphere of Margaritaville Hollywood Beach Resort invites everyone to check in, chill out and get ready to celebrate the big day.





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# TOP CHEF

## SQUASH SOUP

-- Alton Brown



What you need:

3 to 3 1/2 pounds butternut squash, approximately 2, seeded and quartered, Unsalted butter, melted, for brushing, 1 tablespoon kosher salt, plus 1 teaspoon, 1 teaspoon freshly ground white pepper, plus 1/2 teaspoon, 3 cups chicken or vegetable broth, 1/4 cup honey, 1 teaspoon minced fresh ginger, 1/2 cup heavy cream, 1/4 teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg.

Heat the oven to 400 degrees F.

Place the quartered squash onto a half sheet pan, brush the flesh of the squash with a little butter and season with 1 tablespoon of the salt and 1 teaspoon of the white pepper. Place in the oven and roast for 30 to 35 minutes or until the flesh is soft and tender.

Scoop the flesh from the skin into a 6-quart pot. Add the broth, honey and ginger. Place over medium heat and bring to a simmer, approximately 7 to 8 minutes. Using a stick blender, puree the mixture until smooth\*. Stir in the heavy cream and return to a low simmer. Season with the remaining salt, pepper, and nutmeg.

\*When blending hot liquids: Remove liquid from the heat and allow to cool for at least 5 minutes. Transfer liquid to a blender or food processor and fill it no more than halfway. If using a blender, release one corner of the lid. This prevents the vacuum effect that creates heat explosions. Place a towel over the top of the machine, pulse a few times then process on high speed until smooth.

## Sweet Roasted Acorn Squash

2 acorn squash, sliced in 1/2, seeds removed, 4 tablespoons butter, 4 tablespoons dark brown sugar, 1 teaspoon ground nutmeg, Salt, 2 tablespoons raw cane sugar.

Preheat oven to 450 degrees F.

Assemble acorn squash on a baking sheet. Place 1 tablespoon of butter and brown sugar in each half. Add 1/4 teaspoon of nutmeg in each and season with salt. Bake until golden and tender, about 1 hour to 1 hour 15 minutes, basting flesh of squash several times.

Twenty minutes before the squash is done, sprinkle edges with raw sugar. Serve squash warm.



*for the love of food...*



# Budget-Friendly How to Host an After Party

You know the saying after the party comes the after-party, and this has been holding true for more and more weddings recently. Couples are by no means obligated to host their guests for a wedding after-party but, think about it—who wouldn't want to prolong one of the biggest days of their lives, surrounded by friends and family?

If finances are holding you back or you can't imagine planning yet another wedding-related event don't worry. If you're still skeptical of the after-party trend, know that you don't have to allocate extensive funds to the cause, or pull out all the decor stops to satisfy your partygoers.

## Why Host an After-Party in the First Place?

For couples hosting weddings at venues that close on the earlier side, like 11 p.m., the festivities migrate to another locale, especially if the guest list largely includes a younger crowd.

It's another opportunity for you to personalize your day and show your personalities. It's a wedding it's the biggest party you're going to have for yourself. You're spending a lot of time and consideration. Why not go big and make a night of it?



## Where to Host an After-Party

It all depends on your wedding reception venue and number of guests, it's essential to scope out an after-party spot that's nearby. Wedding attendants will likely appreciate a change of pace and scenery. Pick somewhere within a 20 minute radius. Otherwise, partygoers will start to trickle off. You can even consider moving to a separate area within your reception locale. Size matters, the smaller and more intimate the venue, the better. Dancing is always more fun if you're in a smaller space.



## How to Host a Budget-Friendly After-Party

Thankfully, after already wowing guests at the ceremony and reception, the stakes aren't nearly as high for an after party function. The great thing about an after-party is that it's later in the evening and you've already had a great party and spoiled everyone. There are no more high expectations, so you don't need to spend a lot of money on decor or food. People just want to have drinks and lots of fun.

In terms of the bar, if you alerted guests of the after-party beforehand, the expectation is that you and your spouse will be footing the bill (unless you're headed to a bar). However, you can get around this in a more budget-friendly manner. Offer to pay for a signature cocktail of sorts and establish a cash bar for the rest. You can also set a time limit that you will pay then leave the rest up to your guests. Late-night food is also be a plus however, this is the least important after party component.



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# Tropical Decor

Equal parts colorful candy shop and whimsical tropical Florida, this style shoot is a perfect inspiration piece for a bride who is looking for a modern summer cocktail of color, and pattern that's outside of the normal blush bridal inspiration.

# Cake

Abstract florals with pops of color. Blues, pinks and soft yellow bursts make this cake really stand out.



# all Things Sweet

Inspired by all things sweet and fun this style shoot features Chinois vases with poppy pink flowers, pastel-hued vintage lounge furniture, Rose Gummy Bear Favors, Tropical leaves, a first look for this real-life couple and a sweet heart table in a mango grove.



## Floral Style

Pinks and teal blue pineapple centerpieces accent the gold on the place settings and finish the look.



## Accents

Shades of teals and aqua tassels adorn the favors with gold accents. Mixing the tropical with elegance for a surprising color splash.



## Place Cards

The simplicity of the handwritten place cards in bold colors and gold calligraphy surrounded by the lavish color decor adds an elegance that your guests will remember for a long time to come.



## The Dress

Slashes of color in the brides dress compliment the vibrant hues in the bouquet and the arrangement for the basket on the bicycle adding a vintage look.

## Seating

Unmatched seating in various colors adds a shabby chic look to the ceremony decor. Get creative and break away from the traditional. Why not, after all it's your day to shine.



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# HAYLEY PAIGE 2019

By: Grace Crompton - Managing Editor



As the head designer for Hayley Paige, Blush by Hayley Paige, Hayley Paige Occasions, Hayley Paige Red Carpet and La Petite Hayley Paige at JLM Couture, she has received global recognition for her collections.

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Her red carpet pieces have been worn by musicians, influencers and trend-setters such as Carrie Underwood, Chrissy Teigen, Olivia Wilde, Aly Raisman, Kristen Taekman, Jamie Lynn Sigler, Hilary Rhoda, and Kelsea Ballerini, among others.



Perhaps youthful charm and beauty are the first things you notice when meeting wedding gown design sensation, Hayley Paige.

**Q** What was it that made you decide to become a dress designer?

**A** My grandma taught me how to sew and bake when I was young, so I was an early adapter of the creative mindset. I was especially drawn to wedding dresses because unabashedly, I love romance and creating something with deep emotional value. Although the desire to create gorgeous gowns for a living was there, I didn't always have the confidence in myself or understand the viability of design as a profession. This uncertainty actually led me to originally pursue premed at Cornell, but I was fortunate to be able to overlap my studies with the Textile and Apparel Design major. Ultimately, industry experience and validation were crucial in the development of my craft during my formative years. It certainly did not happen over night, but it is a privilege to have a career where there is such an inspiring and emotional reciprocation. The most valuable lesson I've learned so far is that I will forever be a student of design! And with that, I want to create a space that is inventive and inspiring for young designers and artists.

**Q** When I read the story about your Super Flying Bride I thought it was adorable. Please tell our readers the story behind it.

**A** I was really into Disney Princess and comic books growing up and loved coming up with my own story lines. My favorite was a superhero bride who wore her veil as a cape and would fly around town like cupid making people "fall in love and get married". I even built a little sketch fort inside my mom's linen closet with a flash light and one of those plastic Lisa Frank lap desks. It was my super sketch zone!

**Q** I understand you were a gymnast when you were younger, that must have taken a lot of diligence and perseverance. How has it helped you in the career you pursued?

**A** Our practices averaged around six hours a day, which forced me to develop some accountability in getting my school work completed. I feel those time-management skills have really helped me maintain focus...

especially when my creativity is running amok! As a designer and creative director, it is also necessary to wear different hats and be involved in multiple aspects of the business. But, you can't spread yourself so thin that you're not making any real progress in one area. For this reason, I try to prioritize top-line projects that will help elevate the brand and focus on my strengths when things around me are really hectic. I sometimes compare the development of a gown to the development of a gymnastics skill; it requires focus, persistence, and execution. You might make changes/adjustments along the way, but the goal to deliver is always there. And last but not least, I very much value teamwork :)

“ *The most valuable lesson I've learned so far is that I will forever be a student of design!* ”



# HAYLEY PAIGE 2019

Q

What valuable lessons did you learn while interning at Elle Magazine?

A

I think the most important lesson I learned was to go beyond what is asked of you. It is necessary to put energy into the skills you want to learn and observe what makes something successful; you can't just expect everything to come to you in the form of tasks from others.

Q

At a young age you were designing your own bridal collection, bridesmaid's dresses, you had a jewelry rental company and Hayley Paige Red Carpet, a specialty wear that is worn by even the biggest celebs today! What do you see in the future for Hayley Paige?

A

It is such a privilege to be apart of someone's special day in such a specific and creative way. At the moment, I am very invested in the roles that social media and digital content play in expanding our product line and reach. There is this limitless landscape to engage, inspire, and develop, but it's all about developing in specialized areas that we can truly deliver that bit of "extra". Most recently, we signed our first official licensing deal with Hearts on Fire and will be releasing a line of engagement rings and wedding bands this Spring! We are also building out a new e-commerce arm on our Holy Matrimoji app! This will mainly be a pop-up shop for extension products and sparkle swag (hologram atheleisure, designer sketches, etc)! Comprehensively, we hope to roll out a larger digital strategy with our wedding emojis that will hopefully make wedding gown shopping process more fun and engaging! Since the launch of Holy Matrimoji, I've been fascinated by the tech world and how to optimize your online presence while still maintaining something authentic and humanizing.

Q

When I told our staff that we were doing an interview with Hayley Paige they were so excited! They love your show Hayley Ever After on TLC. It is a very interesting show because it draws the viewer into the whole process of dress design beginning with the sketch. Can you share with us what we can expect to see on upcoming shows?

A

You can expect to see more diary-style videos and informative content, with a few sprinklings of my personal life! I want to create content that is relatable, creative, and authentic, but most importantly create a channel that gives our brides/aspiring markets a place to feel inspired.

“ I think the most important lesson I learned was to go beyond what is asked of you. ”

Q & A



**Q** You have worked very hard and certainly deserve the publicity you have received in bridal publications such as Martha Stewart Weddings, Town & Country Weddings, The Knot, Brides and now Florida Bride and New York Bride Magazines. Your dress collections have been featured on TV shows like Good Morning America, The Today Show and E! News, and also on one of my favorite shows Say Yes to the Dress! What has been the most exciting part of your journey?

**A** The most exciting part is the human connection I feel to our bride. It is forever inspiring and something that grounds me as our brand grows.

**Q** You have designed dresses for celebrities such as Carrie Underwood, Olivia Wilde, Chrissy Teigen, and Aly Raisman among others. What is the difference between designing for a celebrity than designing for a bride?

**A** Regardless of who I am designing for, there is always an expectation to fulfill and better yet, surpass. I feel celebrities are met with harsher criticism simply because more eyes are on them when they are wearing a custom piece. The most important thing for me is having a bond with whoever I am designing for. Typically, my favorite people come with a great sense of humor!



**Q** What advice would you give to a newcomer in the business who has aspirations of designing their own line?

**A** Work hard and be brave! In mastering your craft, try not to just form habits, but actually create intent and feed your purpose...

**Q** Which part of designing the dress do you find the most challenging?

**A** Understanding that you can't be everything to everyone! It's one thing to balance your assortment; it's another to compromise your aesthetic to please a fleeting trend that might not truly speak to who you are as a designer. And when in doubt, go all out!

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**Q & A**



Hayley Paige

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“During development I listened to loads of throwback ‘80s and ‘90s [songs], which set the soundtrack for a splashy rewind with pops of glamour,” she told us of her latest inspiration.

“Aesthetically, this collection is palpable, iconic, and inclusive,” and “each gown has its own merit that beats to the rhythm of nostalgia and girl power.”

Don't let Hayley Paige's age fool you. Though the fashion designer started her own bridal line at just 25, she's wise beyond her years when it comes to creating wedding dresses. In fact, it's her fresh perspective that really helps her styles stand out. They're youthful, fun, and romantic but still cool and elevated.

This season, Hayley Paige is back with a whole new collection of bridal gowns. Best of all, she just expanded her size offerings, making her garments more accessible.



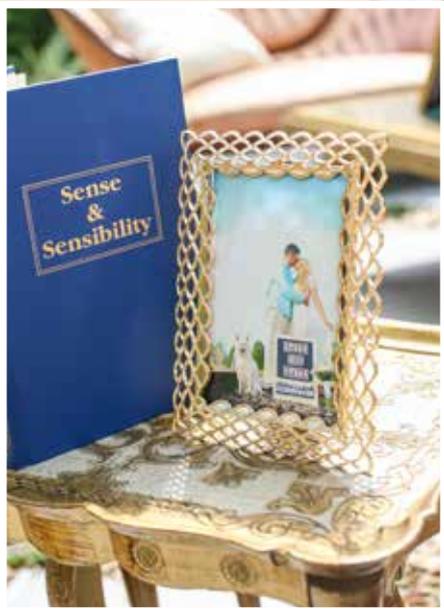
The "Mackie" wedding dress has a big and bold skirt and tons of crystal artwork. Meanwhile, the "Lyon" gown has a fit-and-flare silhouette, accentuated by all-over embroidery.

Overall, there are elegant off-the-shoulder necklines, multiple ball gowns, and the reappearance of Hayley Paige's signature striped fabric, among other fun details.



# WATERWAY NUPTIALS

Jennifer and Casey happened to meet while out bar crawling with friends, and it truly was love at first sight. Casey recalls "I spotted Jennifer standing near the bar with her long blond hair in a black dress and black coat. She was gorgeous. Glamorous. Stunning. You name it, she was it."





Jennifer's signature color is pink, which paired beautifully with gold accents and lush flora throughout to create a unique and ornate style. For this wedding, it was all about the details. Custom pocket-style invitations left guests in giddy anticipation for the big day. The ceremony aisle was like a fairy tale, featuring archways covered with hundreds of roses, and columns boasting gold candelabras topped with more flora, and suspended crystal chandeliers overhead.

The couple exchanged vows in front of 150 of their closest friends and family at the Davis Islands Garden Club near downtown Tampa; they say they chose the venue because Jennifer loved the idea of overlooking the water, and Casey had fond memories of visiting his grandmother's home on the island as a young boy.



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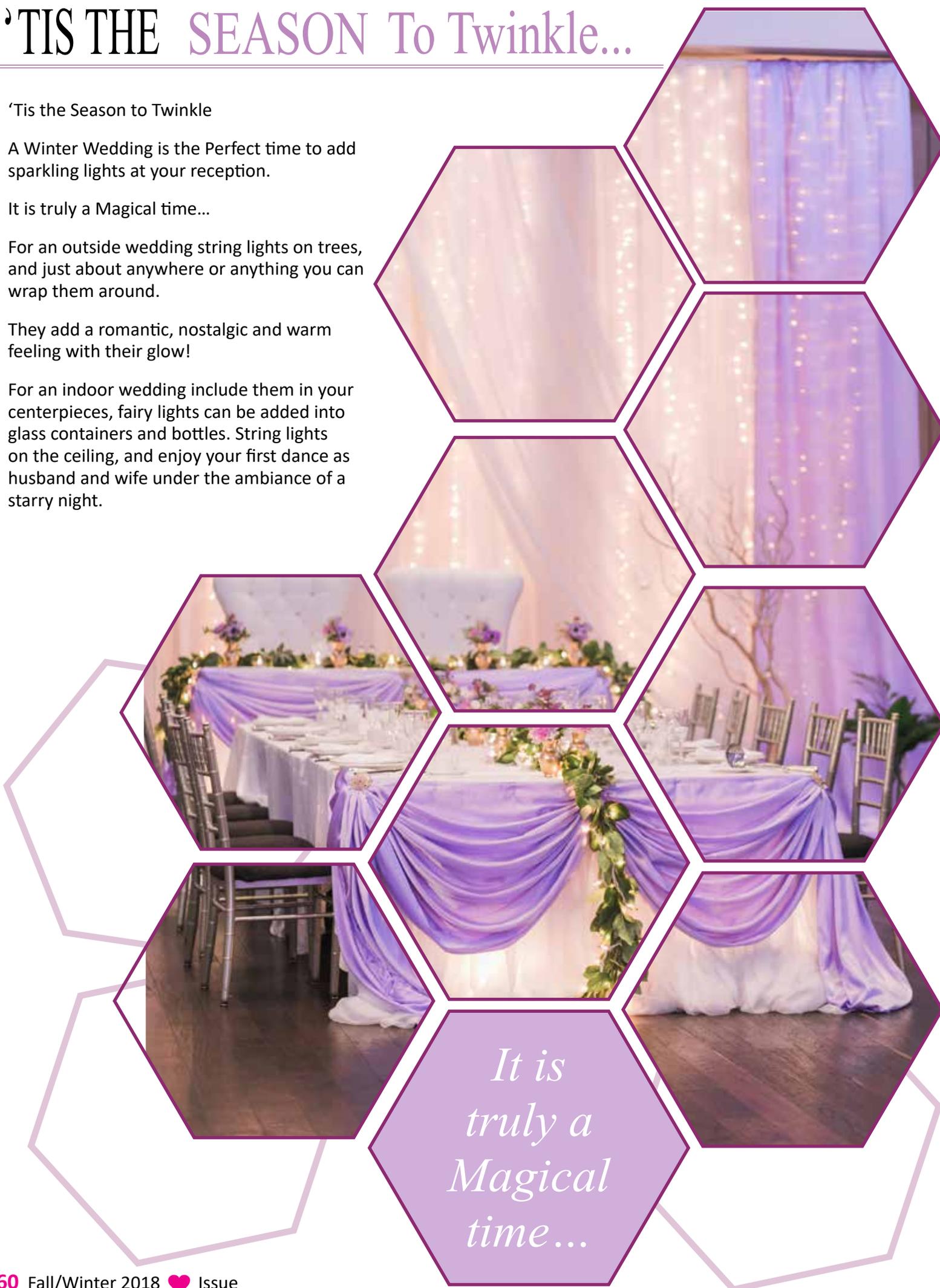
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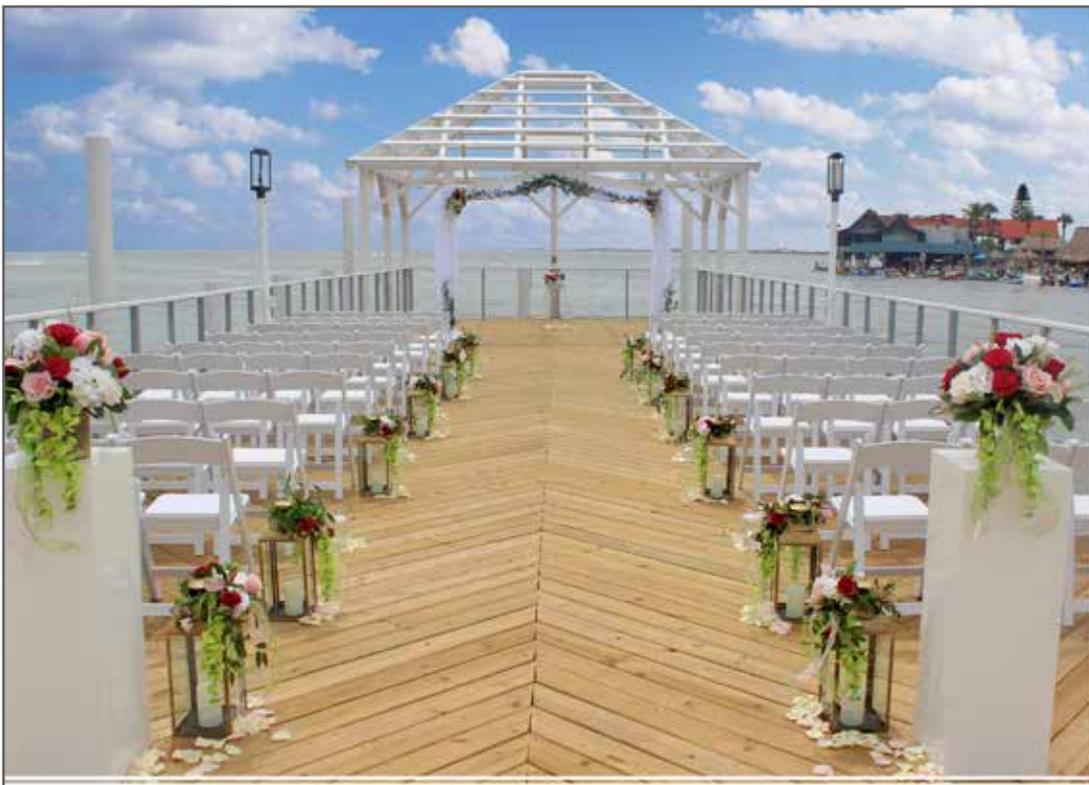
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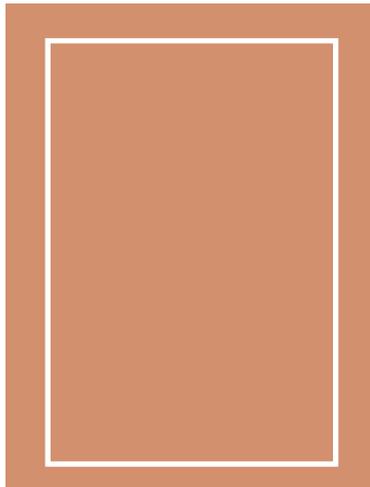
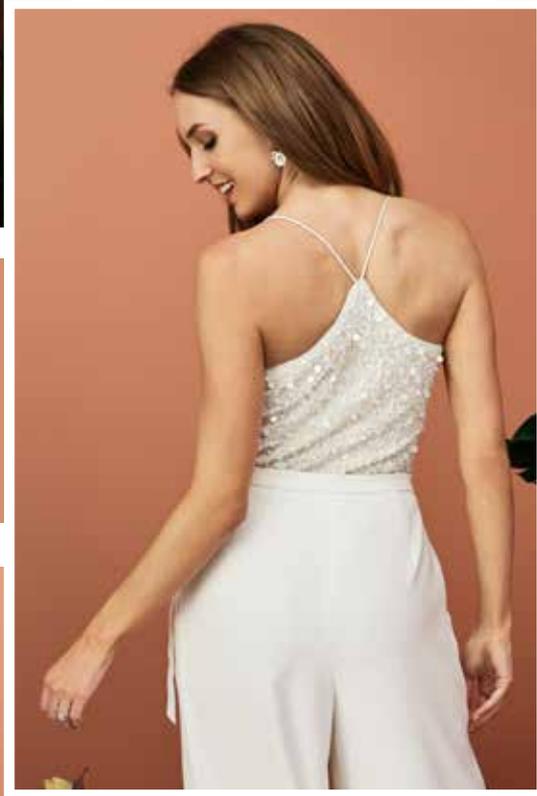
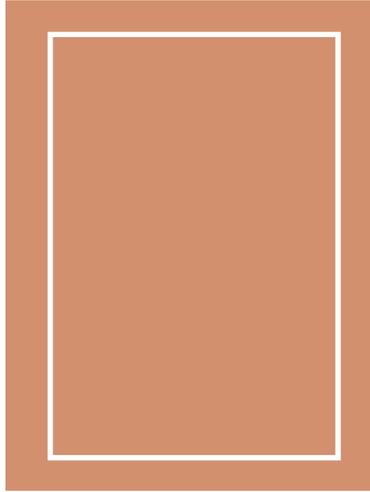
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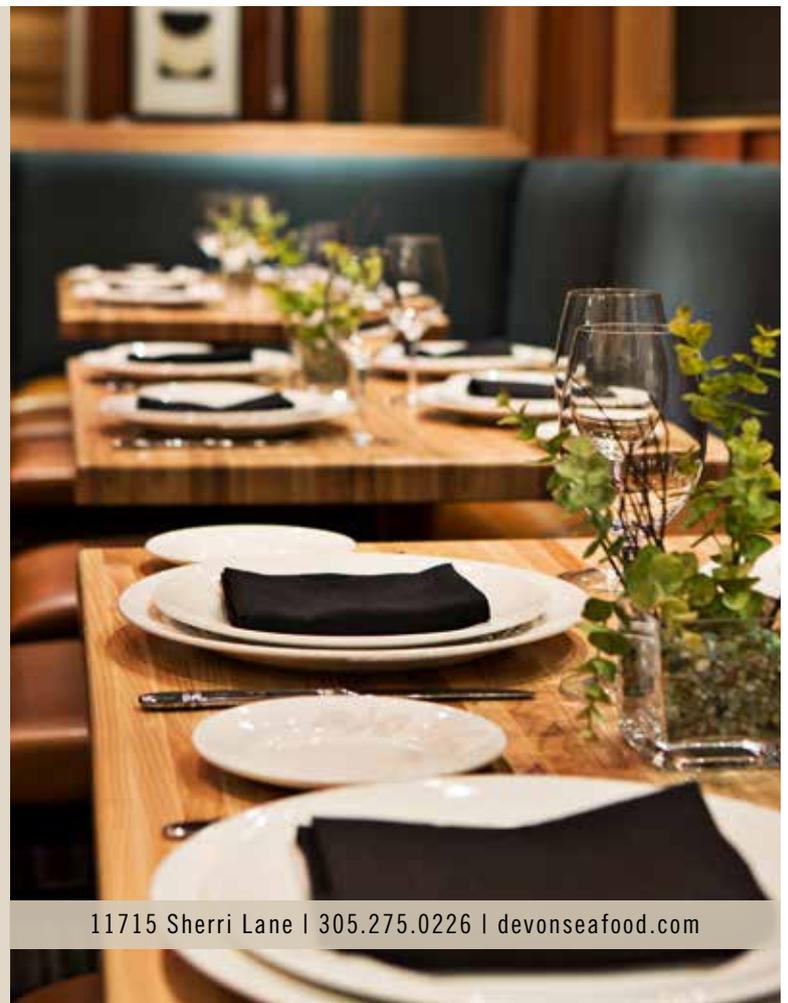
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# What to Wear to a Rehearsal Dinner

Rehearsal dinners are key to starting off the wedding weekend on the right foot. Just ask Carrie Bradshaw in *Sex and the City*, the movie, or Ross and Emily before Rachel crashed their London nuptials on *Friends*—and in athleisure, no less. But you won't be committing any wardrobe violations because you'll be dressing appropriately for all festivities surrounding the occasion—starting with the rehearsal dinner.

But unlike the pre-imposed dress code for the ceremony and reception (black tie, cocktail, etc.), the wardrobe edicts for the rehearsal dinner can be a bit vague. As a guest, first things first: remember, it's not your day it's the bride's. That said, avoid white or anything that risks looking a little too bridal. But not to worry, there are still plenty of chic and festive outfit options for the rehearsal dinner, whether it's a more formal, sit-down affair, or a laid-back get-together on the beach.



*We personally love a bit of sparkle, and a guest can absolutely shine at the rehearsal dinner!*

*Maybe you will decide to go fun and playful with pops of color and pattern.*

## Sparkle & Color



## Cute & Casual



*If you're attending an outdoor rehearsal dinner like a BBQ or lobster bake, consider a more casual dress. Wear a light cotton sundress for an outdoor rehearsal dinner. Remember if your out in the elements you want to be cool and casual, and of course always cute!*

# (When It's Not Your Wedding)

## *Little Black Dress*



*You can never go wrong with a little black dress and you're practically guaranteed to wear it over and over again! Choose a style that you absolutely love, that way you can wear it for other occasions throughout the year!*

## *Playful Separates*



*We love the idea of wearing pants or separates to a rehearsal dinner. Before a formal wedding consider a sequin top with slacks or an awesome jumpsuit. Bring your favorite cardigan, shawl, or a cute bolero if you're planning to wear a sleeveless or strapless dress to dinner.*

## *Rent the Runway*



*Finally... we're going to fill you in on a little secret for parties: Rent the Runway! If you don't already know about this amazing service, you can rent designer dresses from glamorous evening gowns to flirty cocktail dresses for as little as \$50!*

Wear tasteful cuts. When you're dressing for a rehearsal dinner that's formal or semi-formal nature, go for tasteful, classic cuts that don't reveal too much or stand out from the crowd more than necessary. You don't want to upstage the bride and draw attention to yourself.



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# HONEYMOON

Parisian bridal designer, Rime Arodaky has already gifted us with the perfect rehearsal and bridesmaids collections to compliment her bridal gowns. Today, she introduced the final component, the honeymoon collection! The 16 piece capsule collection is comprised of swimwear, dresses, separates, kaftans and lingerie all in white. In short, anything you need for your honeymoon. All looks are made from crepe and/or lace creating a collection that is feminine, sensual and breezy.



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# Slice of Happiness...

## Take the Cake

Marelis Teran is the executive weddings pastry chef and the official wedding cakes designer for the Palace Resorts, overseeing the creation and execution of the brand's wedding cake and dessert creations. Under the coaching of renowned pastry chef Antonio Bachour, Teran has honed her expertise in creating extraordinary wedding cakes and desserts, adding to the signature amenities of destination weddings that take place at Palace Resorts. In addition to her formidable experience, including Chef of the Culinary Arts at renowned Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts and stints at some of the most exclusive pastry kitchens in the world, Marelis brings an unmatched wedding cake experience from premier all-inclusive resorts in Mexico and the Caribbean.



## Trending

In an industry that is constantly evolving, staying ahead of the latest trends is crucial; Marelis is excited to roll out the brand's newest offerings. Beginning this spring, couples can choose from an array of extravagant multiple tier cakes, distinctive cake pops, and even a customized donut wall. With so many unique options, there is truly no limit to a couple's dream wedding cake for their destination wedding.

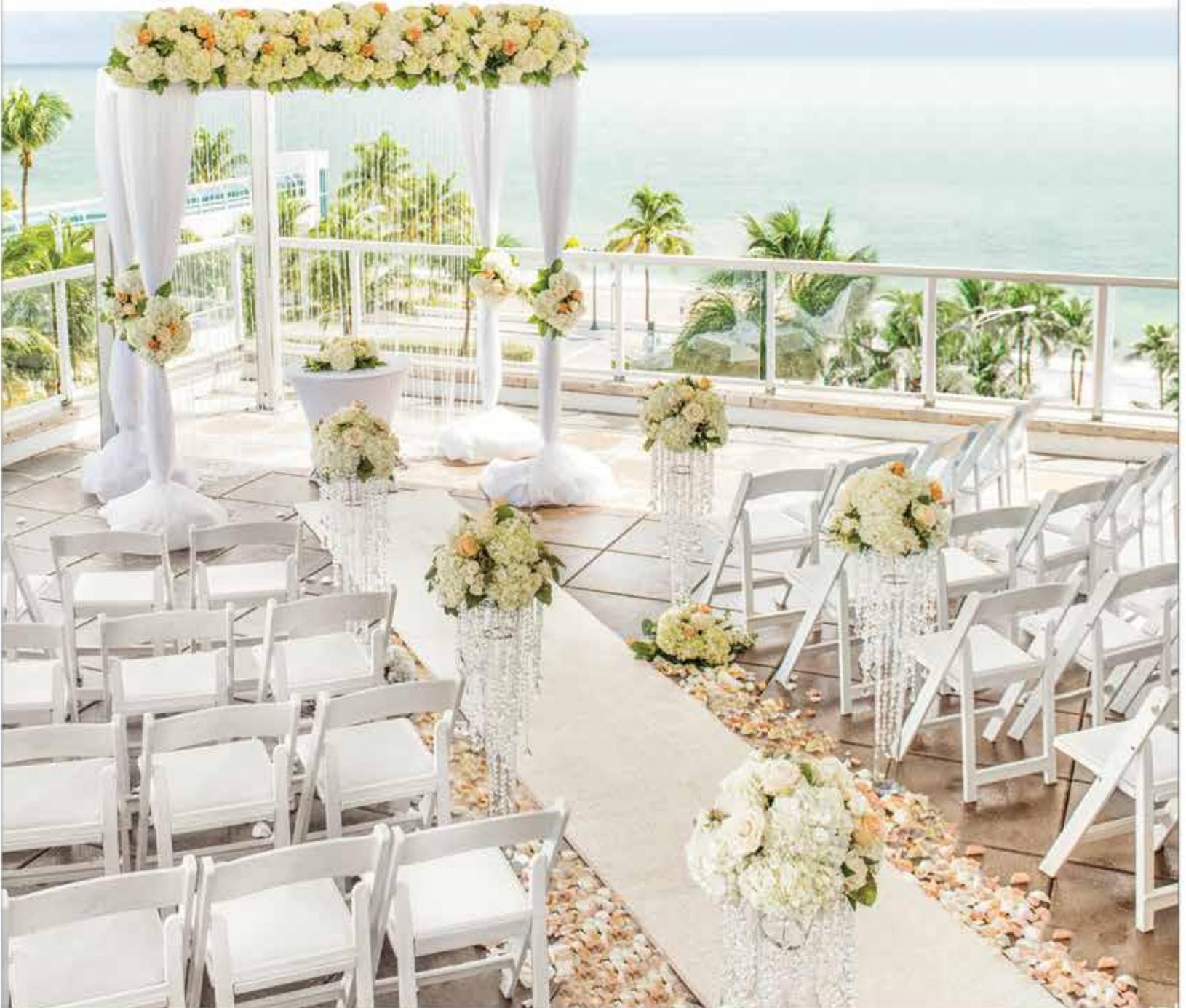


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# The WIZARD of OZ

Planned and designed by Fandom Affairs, this Florida native wedding planner was inspired to travel to the land of Oz! The ceremony signifies Dorothy's journey to the Emerald City. At the top of the aisle we pass Auntie Em's bike and basket along with vintage luggage cases representing Dorothy's beginning. The florals lining the aisle feel like the fields she walked through.



# The WIZARD of OZ

Somewhere over the rainbow  
warsy up high, and the dream  
that you dreamed of once  
in a lullaby, Somewhere  
out of the rainbow blue  
birds fly and the dream  
that you dreamed of dreams  
really do come true some-  
day, I'll wish upon a star  
wake up where the clouds  
are far behind me where  
trouble melts like lemon  
drops high above the chimney  
tops that's where you'll find  
me Oh somewhere over the  
rainbow blue birds fly and



Dorothy has arrived to the Emerald City and like the Emerald City our guest table is embellished with green! The centerpiece mimics the pillars of the Emerald City Palace. Fabulous emerald sequin linens provided by Luxe Linen and stemware from Dish Wish are accented with gold china, napkins, and flatware.

Elements of the Scarecrow and Tin Man are present in the hay bales and tin vases. The flower girl basket is lined with blue gingham fabric (Dorothy's fabric) and of course the bride can follow the yellow brick road flower petals to the altar. The focal point of the altar is a four foot wide scroll adorned with the lyrics of "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" written in rainbow pastel calligraphy by Calligraphy Nerd.

The use of gray and black on the envelope and invitation cover represent the black and white opening scenes in the film The Wizard of Oz. Once you open the invitation you enter the colorful land of Oz with rainbow pastels.





## Details

Wedding Planning: Fandom Affairs	Linens: Luxe Linen
Photography: Laura Ford Photos	Rings: Princess Jewelers
Venue: Huntley Santa Monica Beach	Makeup Artist: Mags Cathey
Florals: Serpentina	Hair Stylist: C.A.S. Experience
Cake: Sweet Art by Sierra	Bridal Salon: Lili Bridals
Stationery: Calligraphy Nerd	Groom's Tux: The Black Tux
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# Looking your best

## Injectables

What's that, you ask? The answer is really simple



All Brides want to look their very best for their wedding day. With so much planning going into the wedding to make sure it looks great, we must also plan to look our very best for it. We are obsessed with looking as youthful as we can, and it's not surprising that we are looking to injectables such as Juvederm, Voluma and Restylane to help us do just that.

According to the American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery appointments for injectables and fillers have skyrocketed!

In a recent study it was found that pre-wedding beauty procedures are in high demand adding that 14.8% of brides are opting for Botox. CoolSculpting is next in line with 8.4% of brides to be choosing the popular "fat-freezing" procedure. Of course, you want that big smile to look great in your pictures and Invisalign is being requested by 8%.



All of these treatments are meant to enhance your features and not change them. You want to look like yourself, your best self for your special day. When seeking out someone to perform these procedures make sure you look for a licensed professional.



No wedding dress is complete without the right hair and makeup to finish the look.

## Get the Look!



And whether you're newly engaged or have hair and makeup trials on the horizon, all the beauty inspiration you need was spotted at Spring 2019's Bridal Fashion Week.

Similar to the wedding dress trends of the season, royals were on the mind when it came to hair. From Theia to Romona Keveza, the hair accessory of choice was the iconic tiara atop regal chignons—and it didn't stop there. Classic was the name of the (hair) game at Monique Lhuillier and Amsale, while barely-there makeup reigned supreme at Watters and Lela Rose. (We spy some potential hair and makeup inspiration for Meghan Markle's big day!)

On the other end of the spectrum, it was all about being bold and embracing your inner rock star with statement-making beauty looks you can't miss. Case in point: The faux-hawks and metallic makeup at Naeem Khan. Other standouts include the sleek ponytails and silver lids at Berta, boho hair at Reem Acra, and vivid flower crowns at Wtoo by Watters.

Bridal Fashion Week certainly didn't disappoint when it came to hair and makeup, and there's a beauty trend for every kind of bride.



# Eye Do's 6 Tips for the Bespectacled Bride

1.

## Match your eyewear to your wedding day style.

If you're a glam bride, consider frames that have some bling on them. If you're a vintage bride, and your inspiration is from eras past, consider a vintage style like a cat eye frame. Once you've chosen your gown, consider any adjustments you want to make to your eyewear so it'll match your wedding gown.



2.

## Wear your glasses during your makeup trial.

Make sure to decide on the glasses you're going to wear before your makeup trial. Color, shape and style will all influence how your makeup artist will ensure your look is flawless while walking down the aisle.



3.

## Don't forget about your eyebrows.

Your glasses frame your face and so do your eyebrows. Getting them shaped ahead of the big day can sharpen your look. There's plenty of ways to groom your brows from waxing to threading. Ask your makeup artist about what he/she recommends. Schedule these services a few days ahead of your wedding, to minimize any redness that may result.



4.

## Choose your lenses wisely.

Anti-glare lenses are great for day-to-day activities, but when you're taking photos you'll want to avoid the reflection of the sun or a flash stealing attention from your beautiful eyes. If you're getting new glasses, tell your eye doctor you're wearing them on your wedding day. They should be able to recommend the best lenses for the big event.



5.

## A bridesmaid's duty.

The last thing you want to worry about on your wedding day is looking for lost or broken glasses. Having a second pair handy will give you one less worry on such a busy day. To make it even more worry-free, ask one of your bridesmaids to keep them safe for you.



6.

## Make room for the groom.

If your groom is sporting eyewear for the big day, share these tips with him too. Yes, even the advice about the eyebrows! Coordinating your fashion choices, including your glasses, are a big part of making your big day picture perfect.

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# HOW TO GET **Guests**

## to sign the guestbook...

Imagine a newlywed couple recently returned from their honeymoon looking through their guest book expecting to see pages and pages of well wishes and marriage tips from loved ones. But the book is mostly empty. How disappointing! A guest book is supposed to be a keepsake to look back on for years to come, so you'll want to do everything you can to get your family and friends to sign it. Consider these attention-getting tips.

### Put the book at the entrance

If they see it, they will sign it. Put the guest book on a table in a very obvious place by the entrance to the reception to increase the chances of folks stopping by to sign before heading to their seats. It'll help to station someone there, too.



### Attach a decorative sign

It'll be pretty clear to everyone what to do when they see a large attractive sign that reads "Please sign our guest book!" Or make it playful: "Leave your mark—sign our guest book!"



### Make it gorgeous

Decorate the setting where the book is stationed on a table with a draped tablecloth and beautiful vase of flowers, family wedding photos in pretty frames, or glitter balloons—anything that will catch someone's eye.



### Station an influencer by the book

Your lively teen cousin who knows how to get the party started is the perfect person to encourage arriving guests to sign in instead of walking by, or have your DJ announce it during the reception.



# DESTINATION WEDDING CHECKLIST

Wedding season is around the corner and for many, thoughts turn to planning. Not just any wedding but an epic, gorgeous and unforgettable destination wedding. Unlike a traditional 'at home' wedding, a destination wedding has a few aspects to consider so that the event goes ahead without a hiccup. Melita DeHazes, Marketing Director, North America, for cross border payments provider OFX, has come up with the definitive checklist for brides and grooms looking to plan the ultimate destination wedding.

## 12 Months Out

**Set Your Budget:** Set your budget so you'll know how much you can comfortably spend to make your ideal wedding come to life. In doing so, you'll also be able to figure out what destinations you can afford. After all, some destinations are pricier than others. Once you've set the budget, you and your spouse can decide on your top three priorities. Maybe it's the number of guests, maybe it's the gown, and maybe it's the food. The point is that, once you have your priorities in order, it will be easier to keep your budget in line.

**Research, Research, ...and Travel:** If you're planning a destination wedding, you may already have a destination or two in mind. For example, if you met in Montreal, you might be ready to tie the knot there too. Or if you love vacationing together in a tropical location, Hawaii might be on your radar. About a year before your big day, research not only your preferred destination and its wedding venues, but also the local vendors and planners that are available. Start contacting them to get quotes and to figure out if that destination is feasible in terms of your budget.

## 10 Months Out

**Book Your Vendors and Officiant:** After doing your research into local vendors at the destination of your choice, you can list out their pros and cons and decide which ones you want to book. As well as the cake, flowers, music and catering, you may want to incorporate some traditions native to the locale where you're tying the knot. At the same time, if you want to incorporate important family traditions from back, it may be more difficult to do so in an exotic island locale. Start your research early, so you know what you can reasonably expect. About 10 months before your wedding, sign contracts with your vendors, such as your photographer, videographer, officiant, and baker.

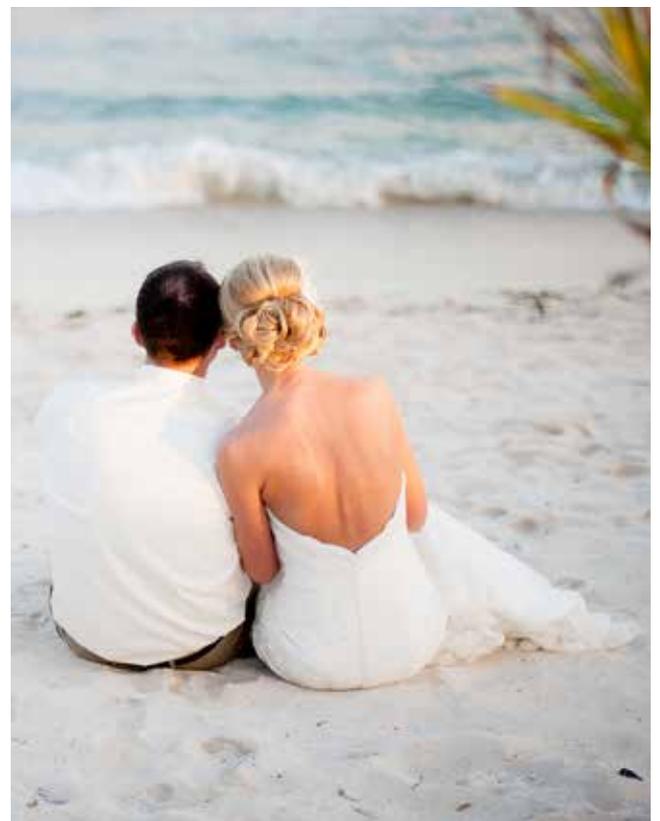
## 8 Months Out

**Send Out Save-the-Dates:** Save-the-dates aren't always necessary, but when you're planning a destination wedding that will require guests taking time off from work and travel to be a part of your day, it's best to let them know well in advance. Send out your save-the-dates after you've set your wedding date and confirmed the venue.

**Shop for Your Gown:** You may have already started looking at bridal gowns, but now is the time to head to local bridal salons, try on some gowns, and make a final decision. It could take a few weeks to get your gown in, so give yourself some extra time to say yes to the dress.

## 4-6 Months Out

It's also a good idea to come up with a specific schedule of activities that your guests can enjoy together once they arrive at the destination. You can even plan to give each guest a goodie bag filled with welcome gifts to show your appreciation to them for traveling to your wedding.



# THAT'S AMORE

A couple years ago, I had the pleasure of studying abroad in Florence, Italy. It wasn't long before I absolutely fell in love with the Italian Culture! The diversity in nature, the architecture, the way of life and of course the cuisine! This colorful styled shoot is inspired on my experience in Italy. I chose the color Lavender as it reminds me of the gorgeous Lavender fields in Tuscany. The bouquet included white astible, juliet garden rose, white spray rose, purple freesia, white ranunculus, italian ruscus, purple alstroemeria and lavender of course! The boutonniere was made of succulents and lavender.

A historic home museum designed by James Gamble Rogers II with its mission revival architectural style served as the perfect location for this styled shoot. The columns, the bricks, the arches, the colorful windows all brought out the Italian look we were aiming for.



I wanted the décor to incorporate both classic and modern details to represent the millennial bride. Italy is known for their delicious wine so we used wine corks for the place cards and a wine barrel for the cake. The aubergine furniture with its luxurious plum fabric and curved legs was a showstopper! The sweetheart table was simple and gorgeous, the colored candles and gold flatware went together beautifully. And the guitar speaks to the musician couples. For the modern touch, we had a beautiful marble cake with lavender and gold details, geode, and a lucite and geometric invitation suite. The 1947 Cadillac light cream colored convertible with its breathtaking wine red interior served as the perfect getaway ride for the couple! And no Italian wedding is complete without gelato so we had to have a gelato cart!



## Details

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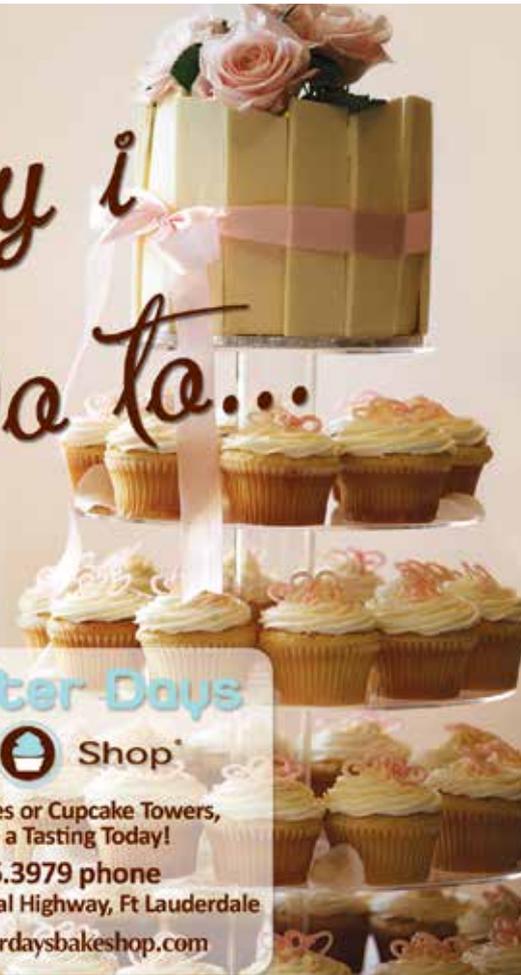
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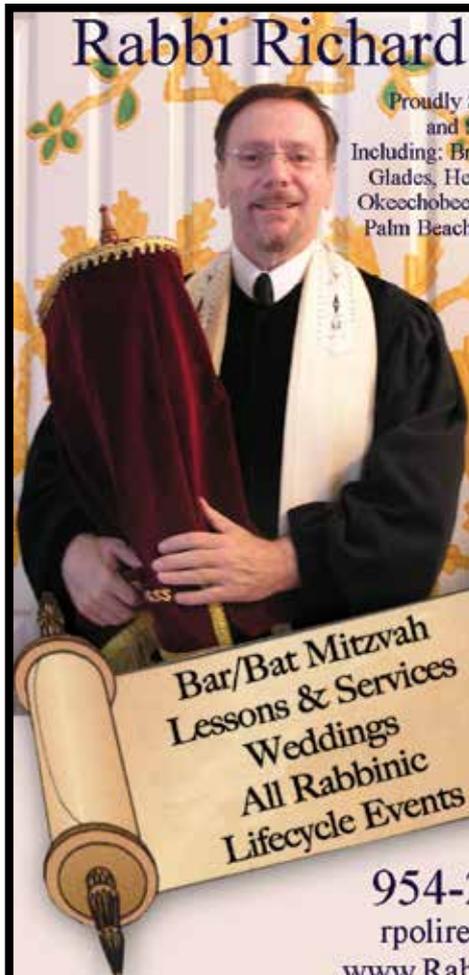
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# ASTROLOGICAL COLOR THEMES

Have you ever wondered what colors or theme to use for your wedding day? How about looking to your astrological sign to get your answer?



Aries is a fire sign and requires a lot of light! Your venue should be open and bright. Since you are such an energetic sign you should incorporate bright accent pops of color as well, such as yellows and red.



Taurus is an earth sign and completely different from Aries. The Taurus individual loves colors that are more pastel like earth tones. Adding plants into your reception along with the colors of green or brown will make you feel right at home.



Gemini the sign of the twins likes to spice things up with prints. You are a very eclectic person and you can combine vintage with modern styles. Use printed tablecloths or overlays for your reception tables. Or, perhaps the guys could wear printed ties or boutonnieres that are made of fabric, and your bridesmaids could wear a coordinating printed dress.



Cancer is comfortable being at home. Make sure your space feels cozy by adding lavender, silver, vintage pastels and white. For your favors use homemade recipes attached to your favorite treat.



Leo the sign of the lion is both dramatic and strong. Use bold colors such as burnt orange, purple and royal blue. Add texture by bringing in fabrics like velvet and silk to give that luxurious appeal.



Virgo wants everything perfect, they are well organized individuals. As an earth sign bring in fresh flowers and plants into your space. Your color scheme can have the occasional pop of color, but the primary tones should be set as navy, taupe, white and linen.



Libra the sign of the balance. You love the finer things in life, and by adding a few classic pieces of furniture to your décor it will bring you harmony. You should look to colors that are light or medium tones such as linen, taupe, light gray, lavender and vintage pink.



Scorpio the mysterious one, differs in their choices. You can go with an all monochromatic scheme or combine lots of different textures and strong, bright colors. If you decide to add furniture to your décor make sure it is of high quality to fit your taste.





Sagittarius the eclectic style is all about you. By placing books and candles on your reception table, it will make you feel comfortable. Your seating cards could be of paintings from all over the world to create that well rounded element.



Capricorn You have big goals for yourself, and a traditional theme works perfectly for you. Incorporate heirloom pieces and try to stay away from what's trending. Stick with colors such as hunter green, navy blue, gray and white.



Aquarius is sometimes ahead of it's time. Your style might not be in right now, but it may well be in the future. You are an air sign, and because of that you need an airy space. Use plants as an accent piece with windows to bring in sunlight. Your choice of colors can be electric blue, turquoise, violet and silver.



Pisces the sign of the fish. You tend to connect with the outside, specifically the ocean. You do like peace and quiet though music will be an important part of your reception. Bring in the hues of the ocean by adding aqua, green and lilac.





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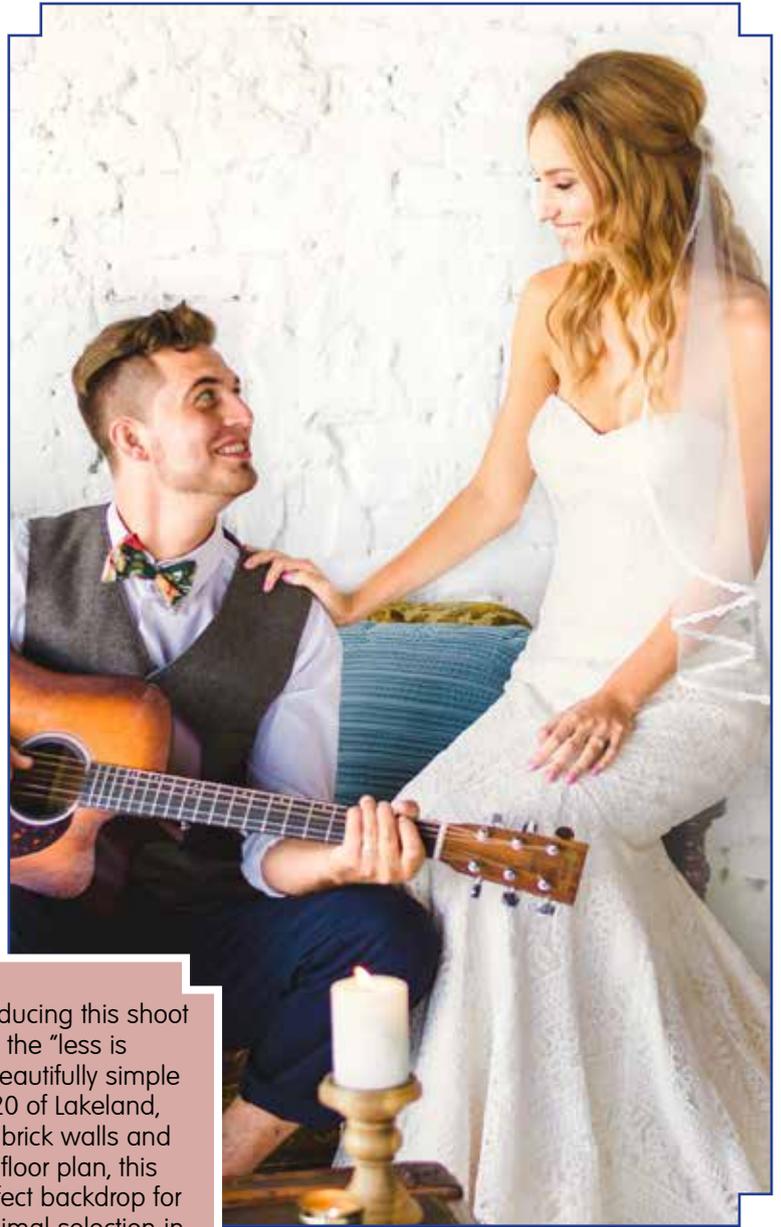
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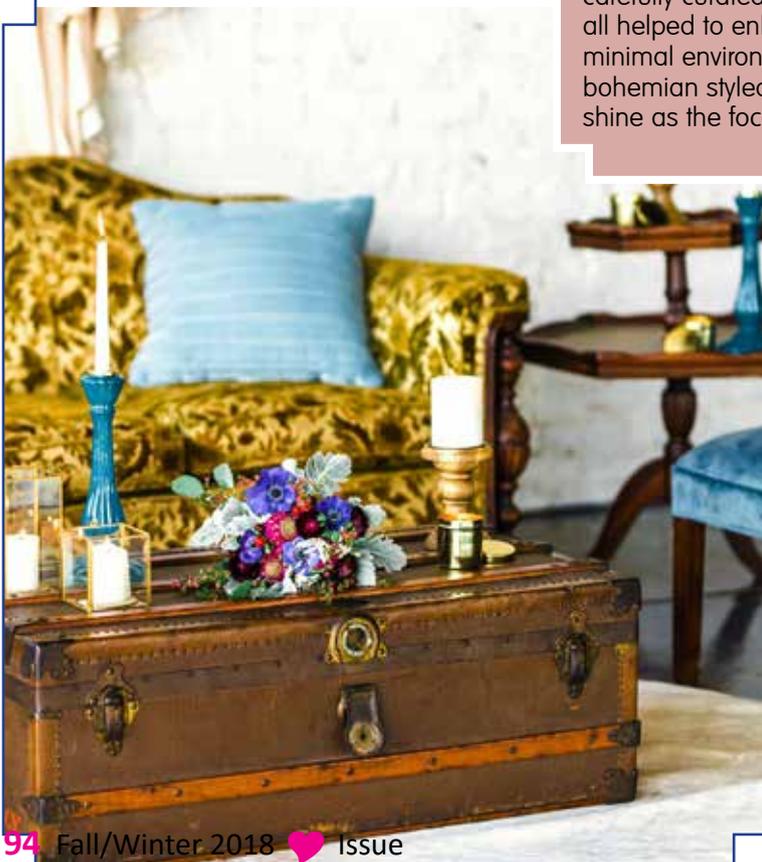
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# Bohemian Simplicity



Our goal when producing this shoot was to compliment the "less is more" vibe of our beautifully simple location at Haus 820 of Lakeland, Florida. With white brick walls and a completely open floor plan, this venue was the perfect backdrop for our vision. Our minimal selection in carefully curated florals and furniture all helped to enhance a clean, minimal environment that let our bohemian styled bride and groom shine as the focal points of the shoot.





## It's all in the Details

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# The Do's and Don'ts **Finding** the Perfect Wedding Day Shoe



Claire Pettibone: FLORA

Flora is a quintessential Claire shoe; Pale blush flowers with sage green and rose gold accents embroidered onto blush silk satin. A little vintage, a little whimsy.



Claire Pettibone: FREYA

A little "something blue" for a romantic nod to tradition. The Freya shoes make a delicate, romantic finishing touch with a double ankle strap, and tiny flower buds blooming on the heels.



Claire Pettibone: GISELLE

A classic bridal pump featuring French embroidery patterns with a gorgeous scalloped edge to embellish the design.



Claire Pettibone: MARIPOSA

Iridescent blooming vines are stitched on the mesh upper, and Guipure lace butterflies (a Pettibone signature) have landed to take a sip of nectar.

For some brides, finding the perfect wedding shoe is equally exciting to falling in love with the perfect wedding dress. At the end of the day, your wedding shoe has a big role to fulfill. So how do you find the perfect wedding shoes? Here, we asked top bridal stylists to share the major dos and don'ts of choosing a wedding shoe.

## Do: Find your dress first

Even if you've stumbled upon the wedding shoes of your dreams, stop, if you've yet to find the wedding dress of your dreams. The reason why is that you want your wedding day shoes to complement your dress in every aspect of style, color, detail, etc. The length of your dress matters too.

## Don't: Wait until the last minute to find a shoe

While it's ideal to find your dress before buying your wedding shoe, you should be considering them around the same time. Not just because you need to figure out how to match, but because you will need the shoes for dress fittings and alterations.

## Do: Know your venue

Just as you check the weather to make sure you're wearing the appropriate footwear before going outside every day, we urge brides not to forget to consider their venue when selecting their shoes. Your wedding venue will influence how much heel you should wear, since trying to look graceful while walking through sand on a beach is much more difficult in heels than strolling down an aisle in a church.

## Don't: Be afraid of colors aside from white

Like any other style decision you make for your big day, what color shoes will depend on what kind of bride you are. For example, if you're more classic and traditional, you'll likely be drawn to traditional whites, champagnes, ivories, and nudes, but if you're slightly less traditional, don't be afraid to go outside the box in the color department.

# Weddings *through the ages...* from the 1900's to today



## 1900 *gigot sleeves were popular*

In the early 1900s, the customary wedding dress featured an S-shaped corset, which drew in the stomach and pushed out the bosom, an effect emphasized by frills on the bodice. Gigot sleeves were popular — wide, puffy sleeves that tapered to a narrow forearm. While white was still the color of choice for affluent brides, due to Queen Victoria's trend-setting gown in 1840, other brides opted to wear azure, mauve, or pale pink. High waists, high collars, long trains, long gloves, and veiled hats also were in fashion.

## 1910 *flowing silhouette*

The 1910s introduced a more flowing silhouette for wedding gowns. Dancing also became a popular part of the wedding celebration, with phonographs providing background music as guests danced the tango, turkey trot, and hesitation waltz.



## 1920 *streamlined silhouette*

With the Jazz Age entered a new bridal aesthetic: Waist lines and necklines dropped, and a more streamlined silhouette took hold. Gowns featured ornate beading and embroidery, while bouquets were larger than life. Brides favored Juliet headdresses or cloche hats for their veils.

## 1930 *floral pattern calf length*

Depression-era wedding dresses often were made from rayon, due to its affordability compared to silk. Because of the economic hardship of this time period, many brides opted to simply wear the nicest dress in their wardrobe (often a floral-patterned calf-length dress) or choose a style that could be dyed after the wedding and worn again. Hats were the headpiece of choice for many brides, rather than traditional veils. Wedding receptions often featured Art Deco influences, with décor often seen in a black and white color palette, faceted mirror glass, crystal chandeliers, and marble surfaces.



# 1940

## *wartime weddings*

Wartime weddings often left little time for preparations. According to a 1942 issue of Vogue, "Weddings nowadays hang not on the bride's whim, but on the decision of the grooms commanding officer. He names the day when he grants that unexpected furlough... The 1942 schedule may run something like this: engagement announcement on Monday, invitations sent out by telegraph on Wednesday, the last handful of rice and rose petals flung on Saturday.



# 1950

## *bridal gloves*

Gloves were a standard fashion of the '50s, with fingerless bridal gloves made of tulle, lace, or satin. Shorter hemlines led to shorter veils and more attention paid to the bride's shoes.



# 1960

## *empire waistline*

Gowns in the '60s featured high-waisted empire lines, and many brides wore domed pill-box hats with bouffant veils flowing from the hat. Weddings during the Space Age often incorporated metallic embellishments. The prevailing flower of the decade was the daisy, which brides incorporated into their bouquets or as embellishments on their dresses.

# 1970

## *fairytale princess*



Unlike previous decades, the '70s isn't defined by one dominating trend. Gowns in the '70s ranged from hippie frocks to fairytale princess gowns, pantsuits to punk-influenced dresses, and a revival of '30s and '40s silhouettes.



# 1980

## *lace edged*

Cathedral trains, lace-edged frills, full-length veils, and oversized bouquets made a comeback during the '80s. Flowing sleeves were gathered at the wrist with a deep lace-edged frill.

The return of formality in weddings also brought back the traditional morning suit. Four-tiered wedding cakes were still standard in the beginning of the '80s, but by the end of the decade, cakes had grown to as many as eight tiers.



# 1990

## *minimalistic styles*

Fueled by the popularity of weddings in pop culture, the wedding industry expanded massively in the '90s. Starting with a remake of *Father of the Bride* (1991), popular movies centered around weddings included *Four Weddings and a Funeral* (1994), *My Best Friend's Wedding* (1997), and *Runaway Bride* (1999). As the ornate wedding gowns of the '80s faded, a more minimalistic style gained momentum: a slim sheath dress, exemplified by Carolyn Bessette's bias-cut shift dress for her 1996 marriage to John F. Kennedy Jr.

In the '90s, it became increasingly common for couples to throw destination weddings or elope.



## *strapless gowns*

# 2000

With more wedding ceremonies taking place in hotels or country clubs, rather than a house of worship, strapless gowns gained popularity. 2000 was the year of the 'look at me' dress. A year when less was more when it came to celebrity choices in evening wear.

Famous faces were fighting it out for the front pages with their cleavage/navel/legs/bottom on show. And there were plenty of opportunities to steal the limelight. Jennifer Lopez wore a slither of sheer Versace fabric while Kelly Brook made sequined knickers the latest accessory.

These girls were making a statement - all those hours in the gym and eating lettuce leaves were not going to go unnoticed. There was plenty to talk about, but a lot of it was less than positive.



# 2010

## *curve-hugging gowns*

These days, more and more brides are favoring curve-hugging gowns — the mermaid is one of the hottest silhouettes. Pickup skirts first became popular in the mid-2000s. Modern dresses feature asymmetrical, looser pickups. Textured details, intricate beading and crystals, and frothy skirts all reign supreme in modern ballgowns.

Bridal Fashion Week 2010 was the chance for top designers to show off their new lines, and our chance to find out what was hot in wedding fashion in 2010. Bridal designers were obsessed with *Mad Men*: There were enough high necklines, tulle skirts, and tea-length styles on the runway to make even Don Draper swoon! Not just for the goth bride anymore, this dark hue showed up in all kinds of wedding dress details, from dainty bows and sashes to bolder, all-over embellishments. Thanks to First Lady Michelle Obama, it seems the one-shoulder style really took off in 2010. The over-the-top details are what really made these asymmetrical necklines stand out.

Brides wanted to wear strapless gowns, but did not want to feel overly bare? In 2010 they could take their pick from floor-length lace coats, airy tulle boleros, feathered capelets, and more.



# New York Fashion Week 2019

The Best Runway Looks at New York Fashion Week Spring 2019



1

## MARC JACOBS

Marc Jacobs started his Spring 2019 runway procession an hour and a half after go-time. With cotton candy colored confection clothes with feathers, frills, tulle and bows that built upon last season's '80 volume, mixed with a vibe that was decidedly Jackie- O.



2

## MICHAELS KORS

The theme for Spring 2019 is “global getaway”— with a mix of Baja knits, brocade, stripes, polka dots, fringe, florals, laser-cut leather and an “Endless Summer” sweater done up in shades of watermelon, turquoise, lemon, persimmon and lime.



3

## SALLY LAPOINTE

Inspired by a sci-fi comic that focuses on a dystopian take on the American West, East of West, LaPointe aimed to deconstruct American classics for Spring 2019—and keep in mind some of her biggest fans, Gigi and Kendall, in the process.



4

## REBECCA TAYLOR

For Spring 2019, the Kiwi-born designer referenced Paris and Deborah Turbeville's photos circa the 1970s. There are eyelet frocks, floral sets, metallic pinks and a scalloped short suit—all done up in cottons and silks.



5

## OSCAR DE LA RENTA

Oscar de la Renta's Instagram stories dubbed their Spring 2019 collection as “nomadic,” “gypsy,” and “a sexier take on evening.” Bags included birdcages and bold floral motifs.



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## CAROLINA HERRERA

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# KIMORA LEE SIMMONS

# OKs

I have nothing to wear! As a lifelong lover of fashion, this is something I never thought I would say. Modeling and designing taught me plenty of tricks: buy favorite pieces in multiple colors, a defined waistline gives any look an instant boost, do not underestimate the power of a skilled tailor (or a great leather jacket). But as I stood in my closet at 5 a.m. running late for a flight and with a full day ahead of me, I felt defeated by a wardrobe of favorite pieces—the sequined gown, the cozy weekend sweater and stacks of jeans, the beachy dresses, the amazing red stilettos that only look right with a certain red suit and start to pinch after 20 minutes.

On that frazzled morning, I ended up throwing a few possible outfits into a garment bag and stealing away for a couple of quick changes as the day went on (and on), but the experience got me craving clothes that were special but versatile, flattering yet easy to wear. I started looking for these uncompromising clothes—at stores, in the collections of my favorite designers, in the closets of my friends—but found little more than “basics” that lacked shape, style, and personality.

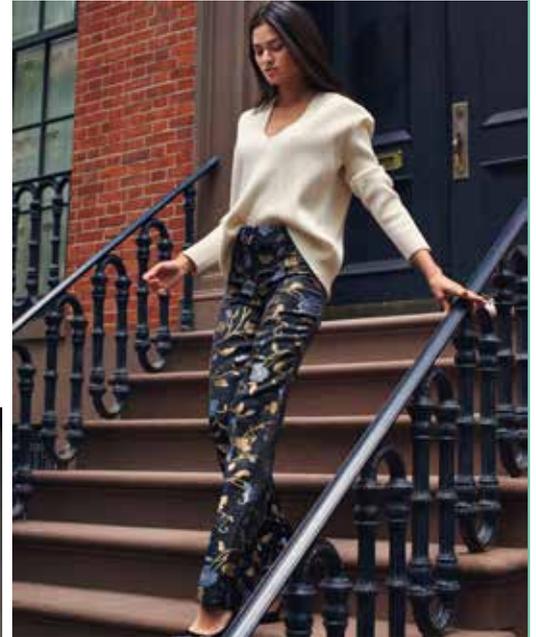


# Kimora: Life in the Fab Lane



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# Holy Matrimoji

Hayley Paige App for Brides

Known for her romantic personality and ability to present the sweeter side of femininity from the quirky and charming to the fun and fabulous – Hayley Paige is a fairytale force to be reckoned with in the wedding industry. And if that isn't enough, the young bridal designer has launched the new Hayley Paige Holy Matrimoji app for brides.

We're talking blue unicorns, rainbows, fairy godmothers and a lighter side to bridezillas. Zeroing in on today's emoji obsession, she will be putting her signature touch on the entire emoji movement. We whole heartedly believe that the Holy Matrimoji app is going to become a fun way for brides to playfully communicate throughout the various stages of the wedding process.

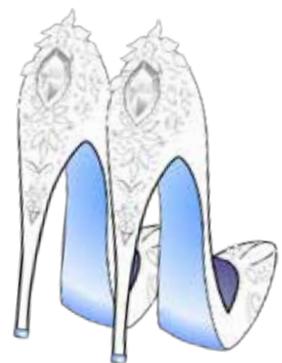


The entire development experience resulted in emoji that are high in character, artistry and above all else, originality. Holy Matrimoji is available for \$1.99 in the app store as a keyboard and add-on to iMessage. Don't delay, download this one as soon as possible and start sharing in the lighthearted wedding fun!



*"Because whatever you can't express with words, you can certainly express with your dress...and an emoji."*

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# black tie

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# 101



### BUTTERFLY BOW TIE

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### TUXEDO SHIRT

The shirt that accompanies a tuxedo should always be plain white.



### FORMAL BRACES

Use button to the trouser waist you should never be wearing clip-on suspenders with black tie



### PATENT DRESS SHOES

You have two style options for black tie shoes: formal pumps (also called opera pumps or court shoes), or black balmoral oxford dress shoes.



### POCKET SQUARE

A silk pocket square is preferable and any fold is acceptable, preferably silk. They come in so many accent colors.



### CUFFLINKS

Instead of buttons, some evening shirts have buttonholes on both edges, which are closed with decorative studs.



### SILK SOCKS

Remember, at the end of the day (or night, more appropriately), black tie is a gesture of respect.

# FORGET ME NOT WEDDINGS

## INSPIRATION

There are approximately 200 species in the genus,[3] with much variation. Most have small, (1 cm diameter or less) flat, 5-lobed blue, pink or white flowers with yellow centers, growing on scorpioid cymes. They bloom in spring. Leaves are alternate. Popular in gardens, forget-me-nots prefer moist habitats and where they are not native, they have escaped to wetlands and riverbanks. They can tolerate partial sun and shade. Forget-me-nots may be annual or perennial plants. Their root systems are generally diffuse. Their seeds are found in small, tulip-shaped pods along the stem to the flower. The pods attach to clothing when brushed against and eventually fall off, leaving the small seed within the pod to germinate elsewhere. Seeds can be collected by putting a piece of paper under the stems and shaking them.



In a German legend, God named all the plants when a tiny unnamed one cried out, "Forget-me-not, O Lord!" God replied, "That shall be your name." Another legend tells when the Creator thought he had finished giving the flowers their colors, he heard one whisper "Forget me not!" There was nothing left but a very small amount of blue, but the forget-me-not was delighted to wear such a light blue shade.

Henry IV adopted the flower as his symbol during his exile in 1398, and retained the symbol upon his return to England the following year.

In 15th-century Germany, it was supposed that the wearers of the flower would not be forgotten by their lovers. Legend has it that in medieval times, a knight and his lady were walking along the side of a river. He picked a posy of flowers, but because of the weight of his armour he fell into the river. As he was drowning he threw the posy to his loved one and shouted "forget me not". It was often worn by ladies as a sign of faithfulness and enduring love.

Margaret Freeman, who cites the use of forget-me-not as a token of steadfastness by several fifteenth-century German love poets, speculates that the color blue, associated with fidelity in the Middle Ages, may have contributed to the flower's meaning.

Prior to becoming the tenth province of Canada in 1949, Newfoundland (then a separate British Dominion) used the forget-me-not as a symbol of remembrance of that nation's war dead. This practice is still in limited use today, though Newfoundlanders have adopted the Flanders Poppy as well. Freemasons began using the flower in 1926 as a symbol well known in Germany as message not to forget the poor and desperate. Many other German charities were also using it at this time. In later years, by a handful of Masons, it was a means of recognition in place of the square and compass design. This was done across Nazi occupied Europe to avoid any danger of being singled out and persecuted. Today it is an interchangeable symbol with Freemasonry and some also use the forget-me-not to remember those Masons who were victimized by the Nazi regime. In English Freemasonry it is more commonly now worn to remember those that have died as a symbol that you may be gone but not forgotten.

Henry David Thoreau wrote, "The mouse-ear forget-me-not, *Myosotis laxa*, has now extended its racemes very much, and hangs over the edge of the brook. It is one of the most interesting minute flowers. It is the more beautiful for being small and unpretending; even flowers must be modest."

In his 1947 long poem "Notes Toward a Supreme Fiction," Wallace Stevens mentions the forget-me-not, using its scientific Greek-derived name:

It observes the effortless weather turning blue

And sees the myosotis on its bush.

Keith Douglas, 1920–1944, wrote his poem "Vergissmeinnicht" (forget-me-not) about a dead German soldier in World War II whose body is found by the poet with a photograph of his girl with her words written "Steffi. Vergissmeinnicht".



# WHAT'S TRENDING

# Picnic Weddings...

Picnic weddings are a unique and fun way to celebrate your marriage. We love them because they can take on so many different forms, from the formal, featuring champagne and blanket-to-blanket food service, to the casual, where guests serve themselves from a DIY sandwich bar. Because these outdoor weddings are nontraditional, they require lots of creativity and some careful planning.

## Location, location, location.

You can host a picnic wedding in pretty much any outdoor space such as a local park, a campground or the beach. But before you settle on a location consider your options. Are there permits you'll need to acquire? Your city's website will have information on how to apply for and obtain the right permissions. Think noise ordinances, alcohol restrictions and nighttime curfews. Read your city's website thoroughly or call the parks department to ensure all of the legalities are squared away before sending out your invites. If you're having your wedding at home, be sure you inform your neighbors well in advance and consider inviting them!



## What you will need.

A park or yard is a great backdrop for a wedding, so you'll need to bring in just about everything, from decor to table settings. If your location features picnic tables, consider bringing in table cloths that show off your personality. Otherwise, figure out how many blankets you'll need to accommodate your guests; consider putting families or groups of friends together, but be mindful of the size of each blanket you don't want anyone to feel crowded. You're also going to need plates, cups, flatware, serving utensils and a table for food and beverages.

## The food.

Now the fun part, picking out your wedding food! You have infinite options at a picnic wedding. Bring in a food truck, ask your favorite restaurant to cater, have a potluck, set up a DIY sandwich bar or pack a bagged lunch for each guest. You'll want to avoid serving foods that are difficult to eat such as soups and stick to finger foods or dishes like pasta salad that can be served and eaten with ease.

## Bad weather back-up plan.

Unless you live in sunny South Florida, perfect weather isn't always a guarantee. If your picnic wedding will be held in a backyard, prep the house as a bad weather back-up plan. Even if you can't have the same crazy dance party you'd planned outdoors, an indoor wedding full of music, food and good friends will be just as special.



# Grooms Corner

## WHAT TO MENTION IN YOUR GROOM'S SPEECH

Normally wedged between the father of the bride speech and the best man speech, the groom's speech needs to stand out! Here are the must-mentions for that all-important speech...

### The bride's family

Thank the rest of the bride's family! Here you can tell all of your wedding guests about how they've helped you out with bringing this perfect day together, but also how they welcomed you into the family.

### Your family

Your mother may have helped out your new wife with picking that all-important dress, your sisters might have had a few late nights making bunting for your big day, and your dad gave you some top advice on this speech; you're bound to have a few thank you's to say to your own family. But this is your chance to not only thank them for all they've done toward the wedding, but acknowledge that they helped get you to where you are today.

### The bridesmaids

Your bride's most important girls! You can't get away without mentioning them, otherwise you might have a squad of matching dresses on your case once the speeches are over. If your new wife isn't making a speech, she'll most definitely want you to make a thing of how great they've been! Make sure you tell them how beautiful they look, too.

### The groomsmen

Now, for your right hand men! Because choosing your groomsmen was probably one of your main tasks to do with the wedding there's a lot you can mention; from why you chose them, through to what they have been doing to help your big day run smoothly. But try not to go all out on the private jokes, the embarrassing moments it's likely that most of your wedding guests weren't 'there' so just won't get it.

### The best man

The groom and the best man are usually inseparable during the highs and lows of wedding planning. The moment there's any sign of bridezilla, the best man will know about it. We're sure he'll have been a huge support to you! Because you've had so many memories, you'll have a lot to talk about. But remember to talk to your best man about what's in his speech – you don't want him repeating things that you've said in yours.

### The bride

A toast to the bride in your wedding speech is pretty important, but we're sure you already knew that. Here's where you talk about the effort that she's put in, how well she's done it, how beautiful she looks, and of course, how happy you are to be marrying her.



# 5 Things Grooms Should Know About Weddings

Clueless about weddings? You're certainly not alone. Here are five things grooms should know before it's time for the I do's.

## YOU'RE HALF OF THE EQUATION

While you've likely heard that weddings are all about the bride, remember that it's your day, too. You don't want to look back on your wedding day and realize you weren't involved with a single detail. Find some areas where you can handle the planning or make your mark, whether it's on the transportation, food and drinks, entertainment, music, groomsmen gifts, honeymoon, etc. and run with it.

## CHOOSE YOUR PARTY CAREFULLY

While it's important to include your brothers or other relatives and best friends in your wedding party, carefully consider those who may not be quite cut out for the responsibility. If one of your friends seems like a good pick, but habitually flakes or shows up late to events or tends to party too hard and embarrass himself, give him the gift of simply being a guest instead of entrusting him with a more important job on the wedding day.

## HELP REGISTER FOR GIFTS

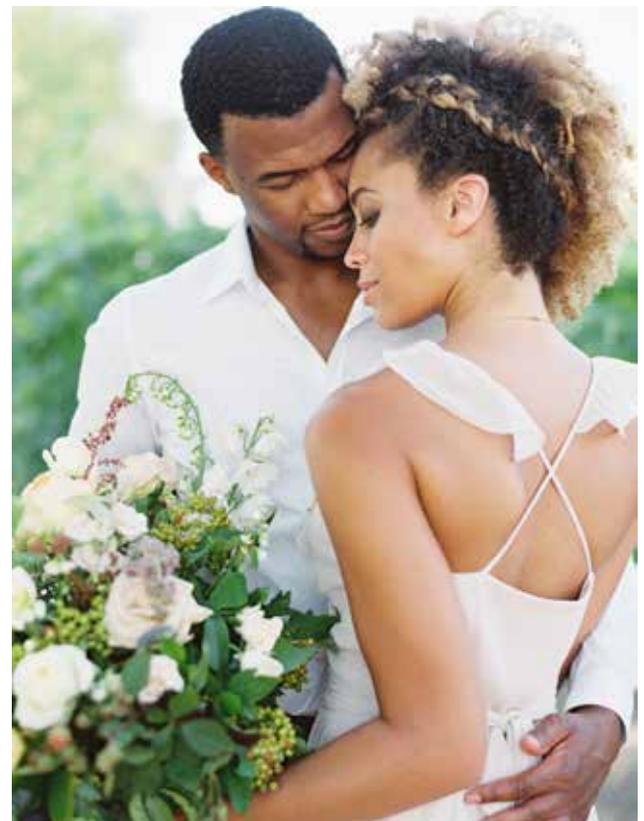
It may seem easier to bow out of the registry process than spending time poring over endless gift options, but it's important to weigh in on gifts you'd like to see on the registry, too. You may not have as strong of an opinion on bath towels or water glasses, but you might want to include some lawn and garden tools, BBQ gear, man cave or home bar items on your list.

## WEDDING PLANNING IS STRESSFUL

Whether you're concerned about a ballooning budget or feeling the time crunch, you and your fiancée will most likely start getting on each other's nerves at some point during the planning process. This is normal and not a sign to run for the hills. Make sure to schedule some non-wedding-focused date nights to relax and unwind from time to time.

## YOU MAY GET EMOTIONAL

One of the things grooms should know is that this is one of the most important days of your life. Seeing your closest family and friends gathered together, thinking about those who couldn't be there, seeing your gorgeous bride walk down the aisle in her wedding dress and reciting your vows can easily bring on a few tears. Don't let anyone give you a hard time about it. Embrace it and enjoy the day



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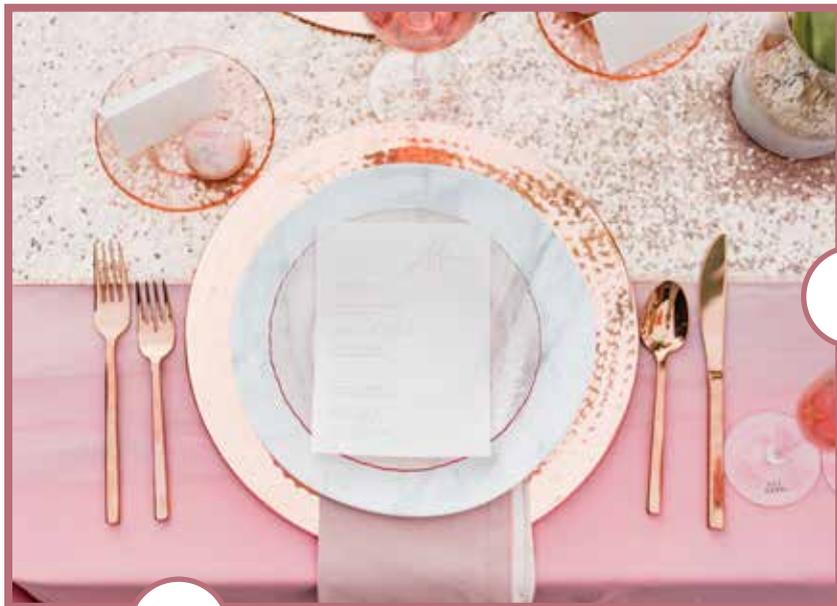
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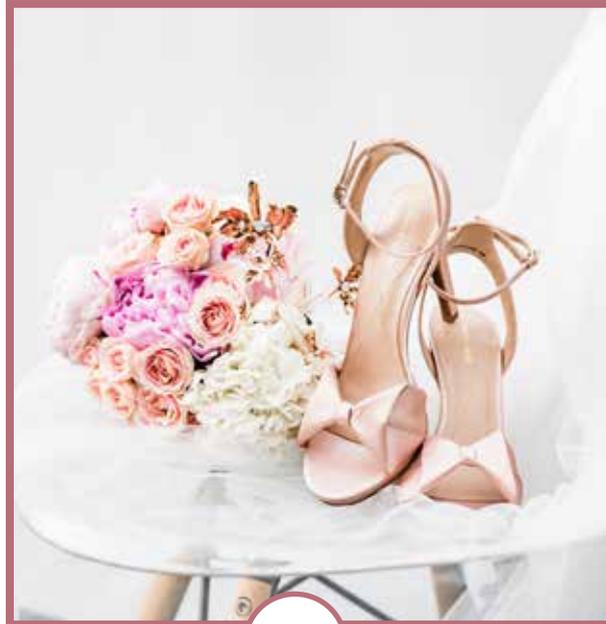
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