WEDDINGS

'I DO' WITH A VIEW: THE 14 MOST PICTURESQUE LOCATIONS FOR YOUR DESTINATION WEDDING

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Each location promises not just a day, but a lifetime of memories.

Envision a day where love is not just celebrated but is also an exploration — a journey through destinations that offer more than just a backdrop but a profound experience, enriching your vows with the depth of their history, culture, and beauty.

Savoir Flair tapped into the expertise of **Perowne International**, a renowned leader in luxury travel, to bring you the most exquisite wedding destinations the world has to offer right now. Each of these 14 handpicked settings marries the essence of love with awe-inspiring landscapes, ensuring your celebration transcends from the ordinary into the realm of the extraordinary.

Small Town

Perfect for couples seeking intimacy and authenticity, these small town wedding destinations blend local charm with scenic beauty. Ideal for those who dream of a day surrounded by picturesque landscapes and rich cultural heritage, these venues offer a serene and deeply personal experience away from the hustle of city life.

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IL SAN CORRADO DI NOTO

Full of grown-up glamour and baroque charm in the heart of Val Di Noto.

Italian island weddings don't get much more romantic than **Il San Corrado di Noto**; a transformed ancient masseria, in Val di Noto, Sicily's serene UNESCO World Heritage destination. The first boutique resort of its kind in the region, Il San Corrado di Noto is the perfect option for couples looking for a slice of Sicilian authenticity, fabulous food, exceptional service and an abundance of space and privacy. Serving grown-up glamour at its very best, the property is steeped in elegance, total privacy, and contemporary Baroque charm. Each bright, spacious suite is complete with an outdoor patio, while the one- and two-bedroom pool villas offer flexible accommodation options for couples, friends, and families — and the perfect space for the bridal party to prepare for the upcoming nuptials. Ceremonies can take place in a variety of locations across the grounds, including the ancient masseria's private chapel, under the olive trees, or even on the nearby private beach. The wedding party can dine on freshly made pasta from **Osteria Casa Pasta** or taste the finest Sicilian gastronomy at **Principe di Belludia** accompanied by fine wine from the resort cellar, **Cantina**. For those looking to extend their wedding celebrations, other experiences include wine, cheese, and olive tasting, cooking classes, and truffle hunting. Perfect for sun-drenched wedding weekends to continue the celebrations, the resort is also home to a private beach club, located a short drive from the property and accessible via a complimentary shuttle service.

HOW: *Rates for buyout weddings at Il San Corrado di Noto start from AED 240,000 per night with a minimum two-night stay. Room rates start from AED3,000 per night on a B&B basis. The hotel is open from mid-April, closing in early November, and is an hour's drive from Catania airport. www.ilsancorradodinoto.com*

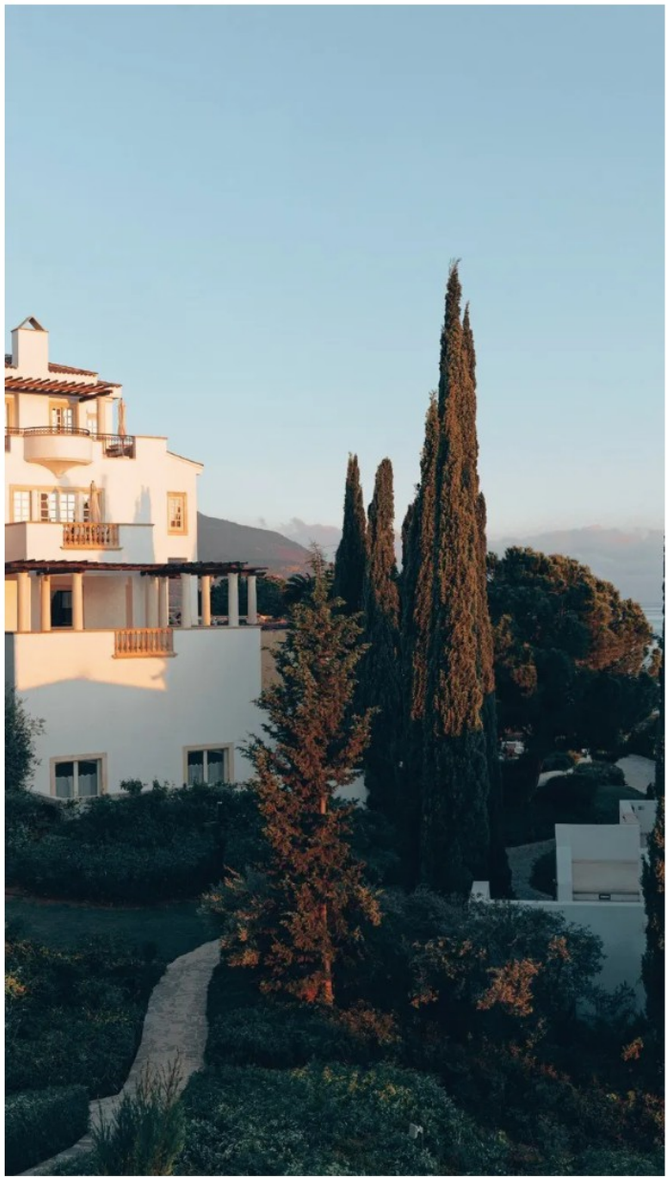
IL BORGO DI VIGNAMAGGIO

Tuscany's most stylish wedding venue for couples with a taste for la dolce vita.

Nestled amidst elegant gardens, **Il Borgo di Vignamaggio** stands as a picturesque wedding venue in the heart of Tuscany. This year, the lovingly restored 15th-century villa has emerged as the region's most stylish venue, following a remarkable six-year project to return it to its former glory. Guests can immerse themselves in a celebration of local and traditional craftsmanship as they step into its interiors adorned with exquisite historic details. The private piazza, shaded by flowering lime trees and adjacent to the principal residence, sets the stage for an unforgettable ceremony. Guests can discover the frescoed chapel, the glazed winter garden, and the pool house with a heated pool, offering breathtaking panoramic views of the surrounding vineyards. With 13 suites and a stylish eight-bed dormitory nestled in the rafters, Il Borgo provides chic accommodation for the wedding party. To make the special day even more memorable, Il Borgo offers couples an array of exclusive amenities, including the opulence of a 144-seat theater, a grand ballroom, and four versatile event rooms. Available from just a minimum two-night stay, this unique private retreat combines timeless beauty, awe-inspiring surroundings, and impeccable service to create the most unforgettable of celebrations.

HOW: *A total hotel buyout is required for weddings at Il Borgo di Vignamaggio. Buyout rates begin at AED178,000 for a minimum two-night hire, including breakfast. vignamaggio.com/il-borgo*

IL BORGO DI VIGNAMAGGIO



ANASSA HOTEL

A marriage made in the Mediterranean.

With its mythical allure, breathtaking beauty, and gracious service, **Anassa Hotel** is a dream backdrop for weddings with heart. Cascading down a secluded hillside to a crystal-clear bay, its Byzantine Chapel, Village Square, and sea-facing terraces frame picture-perfect occasions of understated elegance. With five diverse venues at Anassa, there is a space for every couple to craft the celebrations of their dreams. When saying 'I do' at this ultimate seaside retreat where timeless elegance meets breathtaking natural beauty, take solace in knowing that there is only one wedding on any day at Anassa. Each wedding receives the undivided attention of the team and priority venue booking, not to mention a Wedding Coordinator to advise and support throughout the whole process. Be enchanted by the region's best performers, talented local florists that will add color to the special day, and photography and videography packages that are sure to capture treasured moments. Delight wedding guests' tastebuds with seasonal local produce made onsite at Anassa, the only hotel in Cyprus to make its own cheese, breads, pastries, jams, and sauces for the freshest and most authentic flavors. Brides and grooms can prepare for their day in style, or relax post wedding, at the award-winning **Thalassa Spa**. A neoclassical retreat of health and indulgence arranged around a sky-lit pool surrounded by roman-style columns, the spa boasts an extensive menu of carefully curated therapies that draw on the healing powers of the Mediterranean, including seawater pumped directly from the nearby Chrysochou Bay. An Anassa wedding also comes with a cornucopia of complimentary extras for the wedding couple, including a room upgrade, welcome fruit platter, flowers, a bottle of bubbles, a candlelight three-course dinner for two, a champagne honeymoon breakfast, and more.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Anassa Hotel are all entirely bespoke. A wedding for approximately 120 guests is currently approx. AED 160,000 – this includes food, beverages, wedding cake, and venue hire*

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fees. Anassa doesn't offer all-inclusive wedding packages; the hotel tailors a personalized proposal to each request according to number of guests with the relevant venues. www.anassa.com

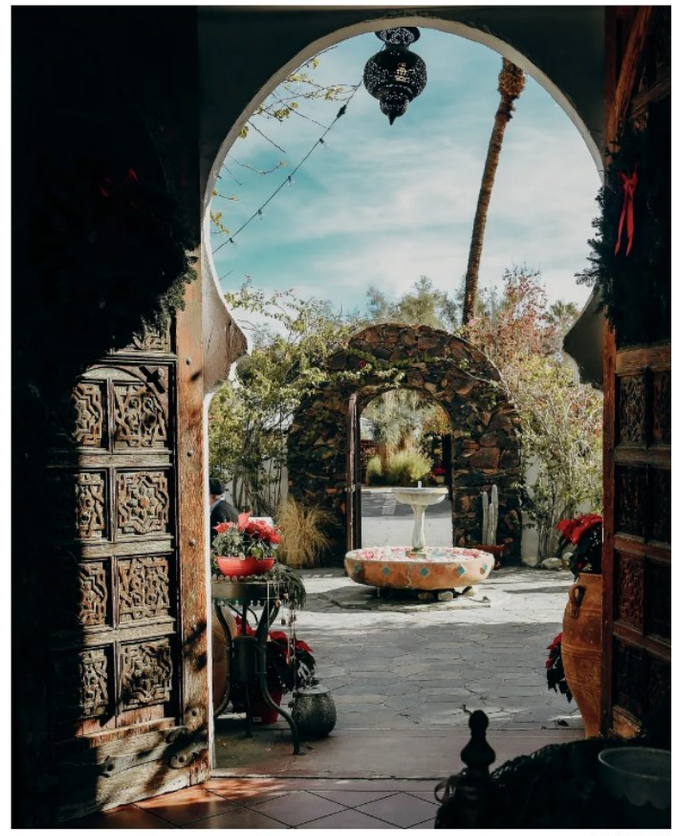
KORAKIA PENISONE

A blend of Moroccan and Mediterranean life transformed into a wedding location like no other.

Korakia Pensione is a 1.5-acre oasis in the heart of Palm Springs, comprising the 1920s Moroccan hideaway created by artist **Gordon Coutts** and the Mediterranean villa next door, once owned by 1930s silent screen star **J. Carol Naish**. Together, they form a hidden oasis of gardens, pools, lounges, and fountains among 28 Mediterranean and Moroccan bungalows, guesthouses, and villas that make it the ultimate wedding destination in Palm Springs. With the stunning San Jacinto Mountains as your backdrop, vows will be picturesque and unforgettable. Whether it's a cocktail hour in the historic courtyard, a scenic wedding dinner on the **Moroccan Pool Deck**, an exceptional evening in the Mediterranean Event space, or an intimate affair in **Orchard House** or **Naish House**, Korakia Pensione offers a range of spaces that can be tailor-made to create distinctive weddings that will be remembered for a lifetime.

Weddings at Korakia are the ultimate escape with closest friends and family. Greet the day with sun salutations and indulge in a full breakfast in the Moroccan courtyard and spend afternoons lounging poolside and relaxing with a book. In the evening, stroll around the villas after the ritual lighting of Moroccan lanterns, catch a classic movie projected outdoors on the Mediterranean deck, or relax under millions of stars in the desert sky. Guests can also opt to stay in the newly opened **Auric House**, an incredibly stylish and storied exclusive-use home. This intimate getaway is the perfect spot to plan a surprise wedding among your closest friends and family, or a private escape for an elopement.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Korakia Pensione are all entirely bespoke. Room rates start from AED951 per room, per night during low season and from AED1,135 per room, per night during high season on a B&B basis, excluding resort fee. www.korakia.com.*



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FINCA CORTESIN

Mountain and Nature

Embrace the majesty of nature in these mountainous retreats, ideal for couples who yearn for adventure and natural beauty. These venues offer a perfect blend of breathtaking landscapes and rustic charm, creating a uniquely serene and exhilarating wedding experience away from the ordinary.

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FINCA CORTESIN

A fairytale-like escape to one of the most chic, beautifully designed, and relaxing destinations in Mediterranean Europe.

With a spectacular setting in the rolling hills of Andalusia overlooking the coastline, the independently owned **Finca Cortesin** is the epitome of refined yet relaxed Mediterranean living, set in one of the region's most sought-after enclaves. It has been designed in the style of a traditional Spanish 'finca' with exceptional interiors — think antique terracotta floors, wooden doors salvaged from ancient castles, hand-painted wall coverings in soft pastel tones, and exquisite furnishings to create an air of understated refinery. The resort comprises an award-winning 67-suite hotel, one of the best championship golf courses in the world, outstanding spa and sports facilities, an exclusive shopping area, and a private beach club. This is a place where traditional Mediterranean lifestyle is seamlessly wedded to the latest in contemporary living: superb cuisine, impeccable service, and an unrivaled ambience of peace and tranquility. Offering truly fairytale-like celebrations, weddings at Finca Cortesin are entirely bespoke with a passionate team of experts working closely with the couple in order to realize their most extravagant fantasies. Whether intimate or grand, Finca Cortesin is available for a total buyout for weddings. Couples seeking a grandiose entrance have access to a private helipad, while those who prefer a more low-key, laid-back event can host a beach ceremony combined with a seated reception at the resort's beach club. Finca Cortesin caters to all ages, with something for every wedding guest to enjoy making it a multi-day celebration for the history books — from day trips to the picturesque village and tranquil hills of Casares, Sotogrande, Marbella or Malaga, to wine and sherry tastings at Jerez's famous cellars.

HOW: *A total hotel buyout is required for weddings at Finca Cortesin. Buyout rates range between AED115,000 and AED277,000 plus VAT, dependent on season. www.fincacortesin.com*

CHÂTEAU SAINT-MARTIN & SPA

Magic on the French Riviera.

Perched high on the hills overlooking the picturesque medieval town of St. Paul de Vence is the stunning **Château Saint-Martin & Spa** — one of most chic, romantic spots in the South of France and the perfect location for an outdoor countryside wedding. Hidden in the hills between Nice and Cannes, Château Saint-Martin & Spa is a part of the prestigious **Oetker Collection**, and is the epitome of sumptuous French luxury and style — a truly idyllic retreat in the heart of the artistic French Riviera. The hotel has also been given the highly prestigious French Palace status, so couples can truly say they were married in a real-life palace. Steeped in history, the hotel was a medieval commandery, strategically placed on the Vence hillside with panoramic views across the sweep of Côte d'Azur. Today, exuding historic atmosphere and being awarded 'Best Romantic

Luxury Hotel in the World', the rare beauty of the Château's surroundings makes for a stunning backdrop for weddings. The Château offers resplendent dining rooms for the most elegant private dinners and parties, while the private 12th-century chapel is a peaceful space for vow renewals or an intimate wedding. Alternatively, a terrace enshrouded in roses is an enchanting location for a blessing. The gardens offer beautiful settings for receptions — the whole property is exquisitely photogenic and a truly magical place. Guests can reserve all 52 rooms of the Château for a complete hotel buyout, and can make memories with loved ones above the glittering Côte d'Azur to banquet on Provencal dishes, lunch in the shady olive grove, relax with private wine tastings, or relax in the spa and the garden's infinity pool.

HOW: *For more information on weddings and total hotel buyouts at Château Saint-Martin & Spa, please visit oetkercollection.com/hotels/chateau-saint-martin/weddings*

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MONACI DELLE TERRE NERE

The Sicilian wedding destination of choice on the foothills of Mount Etna.

Dramatically situated on the slopes of Mount Etna, the largest active volcano in Europe (and a UNESCO heritage site) with views over the volcanic landscape and down to the glittering Mediterranean Sea, **Monaci delle Terre Nere** sits on an extensive 62-acre country estate planted with organic grapevines, native fruit orchards, and an abundant kitchen garden. The romantic location is filled with character and charm, set deep in rich natural surroundings with a spirit of unpretentious, understated luxury and the perfect destination for a beautiful Sicilian wedding. Combining traditional Italian architecture with contemporary design, the estate is composed of 24 villas, suites, and signature rooms which have been thoughtfully furnished with Sicilian artifacts, antiques, and playful art by British artist **Olivier Mourão**. Couples can enjoy the entire estate with private buyout options to host their loved ones and create a truly special family celebration. Under the expert guide of Monaci's team of chefs, guests can expect delicious menus of authentic Sicilian dishes accompanied by extensive wine lists, including Monaci's own wine production, as well as classic and creative cocktails. Weddings can be hosted in the party garden, under the olive trees that surround the estate's swimming pool, and in the new Glass Room with incredible views of the Ionian Sea. For the very best weather, couples should consider organizing their wedding for the summer months or in the weeks just following Easter for more moderate temperatures.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Monaci delle Terre Nere are all entirely bespoke. Room rates start from AED2,600 per night on a B&B basis. www.monacidelleterrenere.it/en*

ROYAL CHAMPAGNE HOTEL & SPA

In the heart of Champagne's romantic vineyards.

Royal Champagne Hotel & Spa is the region's first contemporary-designed luxury hotel, which embraces the lush bounty of the wineries and the surrounding UNESCO World Heritage site. The hotel is situated right in the middle of the vineyards that line the hills of Épernay and the historic villages of Champillon and Hautvillers of **Dom Pérignon** fame. Drawing design inspiration from the heart of the surrounding vineyards, this retreat was conceived to immerse guests in the ultimate romantic, Champagne lifestyle, making it the most idyllic location for couples to host their once-in-a-lifetime wedding. The modern amphitheater-style arcs elegantly embrace panoramas of the entire Marne Valley, with stunning views from each of the 47 rooms and suites. And, with a plethora of event spaces to choose with capacity for up to 200 guests — from the expansive outdoor terrace to spaces with a direct view of the glass Champagne cellar — couples can design a day to their individual needs and wishes with the promise of the most romantic of backdrops. Located just 40 minutes from Paris and a mere 90-minute drive from Charles de Gaulle airport, couples can rest assured that their guests will enjoy stress-free travel and be swiftly enchanted by the breathtaking vineyards that stretch as far as the eye can see. Open year-round, the incredible venue works just as perfectly for weddings in the sunny summer months as it does in the fall, when the vineyards turn a rich ochre, or the winter, when the fields are covered in a blanket of snow.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Royal Champagne Hotel & Spa are all entirely bespoke. Room rates start from AED2,540 per night, on a B&B basis. The hotel is a mere 40-minute TGV train journey from Paris Gare de L'Est; a 30-minute train or 1.5-hour drive from Charles De Gaulle Paris International Airport; a two-hour drive from central Paris; and a 15-minute drive from Epernay train station. www.royalchampagne.com*

ROYAL CHAMPAGNE HOTEL & SPA

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ISLAS SECAS

A 14-island archipelago on the Pacific coast.

Islas Secas, set off Panama's Pacific Coast, is an ideal location for intimate, barefoot wedding celebrations. This exclusive, privately-owned archipelago in the Gulf of Chiriquí comprises 14 islands with unique Casita sites and Tented Casitas, accommodating up to 24 guests amidst lush greenery and ocean views. The resort offers a private island buyout, allowing guests privacy and communal celebration spaces. Casita Grande, the largest and most exclusive site, is perfect for the wedding party, featuring private tropical gardens and a terrace ideal for morning yoga. The resort's team crafts personalized experiences, including local cuisine, beach activities, and picnics on Pargo Beach. Guests can also enjoy marine safaris, snorkeling, and exploring Coiba National Park, a UNESCO site. A highlight is the opportunity to witness the Humpback Whale migration, adding a unique aspect to the wedding experience.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Islas Secas are all entirely bespoke. Room rates start from AED9,200 on an all-inclusive basis, including all F&B, one spa treatment per guest/per stay, and a variety of activities on and off-island. Islas Secas now offers a direct one-hour flight from Panama City to the Secas Archipelago aboard the resort's brand-new Twin Otter private plane transfer service (operated by Air Panama); seating up to 15 passengers per trip with carbon emissions off-set once on the island. For more information, visit islassecas.com*

BORGO SANTO PIETRO

An exclusive 12th-century estate in the heart of Tuscany renowned for its timeless elegance and Italian charm.

In the heart of Tuscany's rolling hills, near Siena, lies one of Italy's most admired and romantic hotels; **Borgo Santo Pietro**. Not only home to a 12th-century villa, but a holistic spa and organic skincare range Seed to Skin Tuscany, two renowned restaurants, a cooking school, bespoke sailing yacht Satori, 300-acre working farm and beautifully manicured gardens, this family-owned property is the star of Tuscany. Home to a collection of 22 uniquely designed suites, each its own personal sanctuary of refined comfort and style, with lavish furnishings, sumptuous linens, elegant chandeliers, antique artwork, and breathtaking views of the surrounding Tuscan countryside. The Pool Suite, boasting complete privacy, undeniably chic interiors, and a walk-in wardrobe is the perfect space for a bridal party to prepare for the upcoming nuptials, and couples can take advantage of a full buyout to host their wedding party on the entire estate. Borgo Santo Pietro is not short of magical spots to host both large and intimate celebrations, including a wedding blessing ceremony amidst the fountains or under a cupola overlooking the Valle Serena. Intimate gatherings can also be hosted on the small island in the center of Borgo Santo Pietro's Lake. For couples looking to host a civil ceremony, the team is on hand to arrange ceremonies at the spectacular neighboring medieval Abbey of San Galgano. What could be more romantic?

HOW: *Wedding packages at Borgo Santo Pietro begin at AED155,000. Room rates start from AED3,500 per night on a B&B basis.*
borgosantopietro.com

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J.K. PLACE CAPRI

Beach

Perfect for couples enchanted by the rhythm of waves and the warmth of the sun, beach destination weddings promise a blend of relaxation and elegance. Expect serene ceremonies by the shore, breathtaking sunsets, and a natural, laid-back yet luxurious atmosphere.

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JUMBY BAY ISLAND

Say "I do" to the queen of the Caribbean.

Meaning 'Playful Spirit' in Antiguan, **Jumby Bay Island** is a secluded yet accessible private isle of white-powdered beaches and winding bicycle paths set in one of the most beautiful untouched locations in the world, just a five-minute drive and a seven-minute boat ride from Antigua Airport. This idyllic sanctuary spans 300 acres of lush tropical foliage, overseeing 7.2 kilometers of untouched shoreline, creating an unparalleled backdrop for weddings. The Caribbean's most spectacular and fiercely protected beaches serve as the perfect canvas for exchanging vows or simply whiling away the hours in the warm sunshine. As an all-inclusive tropical playground, Jumby Bay Island caters to every whim of its guests, ensuring a truly relaxing getaway. From iced refreshments delivered at the drop of a sunhat to gourmet à la carte dining, water sports, sunset cruises, rum tastings, and curated spa treatments, the resort transforms each moment into a cherished memory for couples embarking on their journey together. For those with a thirst for adventure, the island presents a world-famous sailing destination, benefitting from the refreshing trade winds. Newlyweds can embark on a sailing journey through the recently relaunched Jumby Bay Sailing Academy, offering customized courses and training plans fitting seamlessly into their stay. For an even more elevated experience, custom sailing adventures are available, promising an unforgettable and romantic escapade. To truly unwind after the celebration, the Spa at Jumby Bay provides a tranquil sanctuary overlooking the sea. With an open-air relaxation lounge, plunge pool, ocean-view treatment rooms, steam room, sauna, fitness center, tennis courts, and a yoga pavilion offering regular and specialty classes, the resort ensures that every aspect of a couple's well-being is cared for, promising a perfect start to their life together. Jumby Bay Island emerges not only as a picturesque destination but also as an oasis of love and relaxation, where every detail is meticulously crafted to create a magical and unforgettable wedding experience.

HOW: *All-inclusive rates for Jumby Bay Island start from AED8,100 plus service and tax, per night, inclusive of all meals, beverages, cocktails, and house wine by the glass, as well as all watersports activities and kids club. For more information, visit www.oetkercollection.com/hotels/jumby-bay-island*

BORGO SANTANDREA

A picture-perfect Mediterranean wedding on the Amalfi coast.

Overlooking the glamorous and romantic Conca dei Marini — renowned as **Jackie Kennedy**'s favorite summer destination in the 1960s – sits **Borgo Santandrea**, an impressive mid-century-designed hotel built into the rocks, 90 meters above sea level. This magnificent Mediterranean setting serves as a perfect location for couples seeking a sophisticated and refined wedding experience. Co-owned and run by the Orlacchio and De Siano families, the hotel was given a t0p-to-toe renovation to become a design masterpiece while ensuring local Amalfi and Campania craftsmanship was at the forefront of the design. At Borgo Santandrea, weddings are hosted against the backdrop of the Amalfi Coast, offering panoramic views of the Tyrrhenian Sea. The Italian haven spans across multiple terraces and is the only hotel in Amalfi with its own private beach at the suitably chic **Marinella Beach Club**, providing an intimate venue option for

the ceremony. The impressive culinary offerings include three restaurants — **Alici**, which has just received its first Michelin Star, **Marinella** restaurant, **La Libreria**, and two bars, each generous in size and spread throughout the vertical property. The dreamy destination guarantees *la dolce vita* through phenomenal locally sourced Italian cuisine, while the beach club — with its own private jetty — epitomizes luxury and sophistication. Guests can be transported James Bond-style straight from Naples airport to Borgo Santandrea via the hotel's very own private speed boat, while private boat tours can be organized to popular local hotspots, Amalfi, Capri, and Positano. Suites are spacious and sleek with expansive private terraces, some including their own plunge pools, while the blinds automatically open as soon as one enters the room, giving way to phenomenal panoramic views of the Amalfi paradise. Under the direction of Executive Chef **Crescenzo Scotti**, the Marinella Beach Club's lunchtime beachside menu showcases the very best local ingredients while newlyweds can also enjoy moonlit evenings by the glistening turquoise sea. Classic Italian dishes can be savored over long, al fresco style lunches, in addition to signature Neapolitan Street food bites with plates including blue lobster paccheri pasta and traditional Neapolitan style pizzas, including flavors from the surrounding Campania region — the perfect accompaniment to long, lazy lunches.

HOW: *Wedding packages at Borgo Santandrea are entirely bespoke. Prices depend upon the size and scale of the event; room rates start from approx. AED 2,700. The hotel reopens for the season on April 18, 2024.* *borgosantandrea.it*

BORGO SANTANDREA

J.K. PLACE CAPRI

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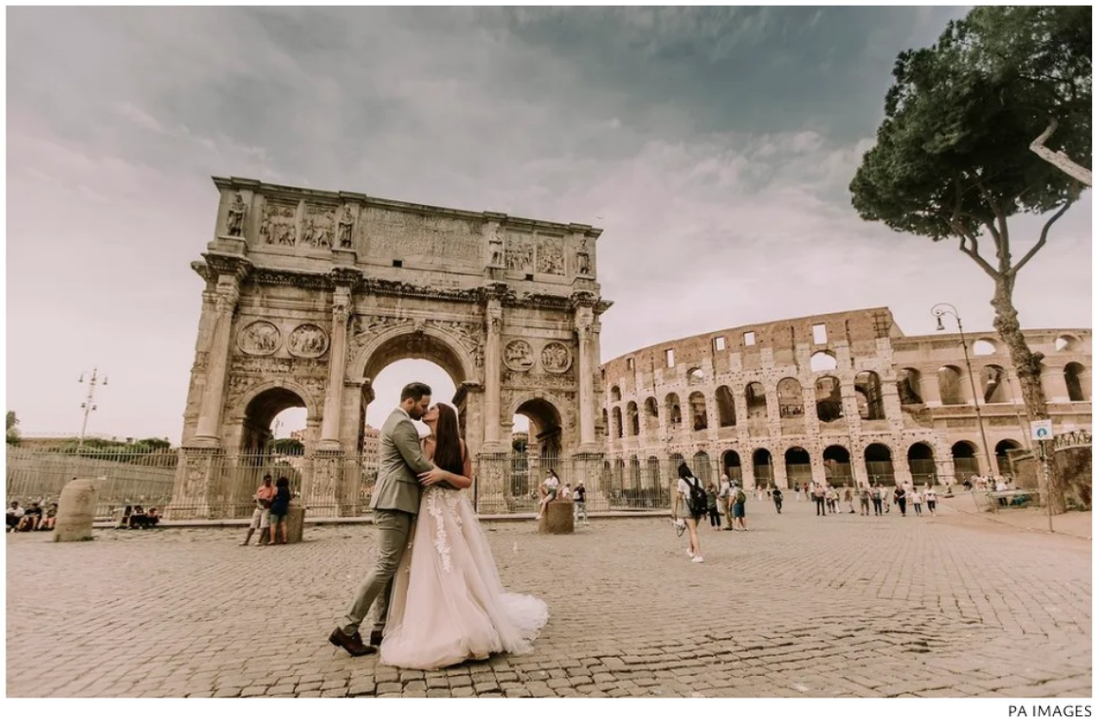
The inimitable island's most sought-after location.

Charming and exclusive, **J.K. Place Capri** is one of the most sought-after boutique hotels from the chic and authentic **J.K. Place**; a globally loved independent hotel brand embodying style, individuality, and *l'arte di ricevere.* Perched high on the cliff in the northern region on the enchanting island of Capri, the hotel is replete with discreet charm and chic details throughout. The hotel comprises 22 individually designed rooms and suites, where the light and colors of the sea permeate throughout. The spacious rooms are characterized by the artful revival of the classical style and the views of the Gulf of Naples that lie just beyond, creating the inimitable feeling of staying in an inviting, stylish private home or members' club, with meticulous, thoughtful service tailored to each individual guest's need. With private access to the beach below, J.K. Place Capri is the ultimate venue for an Italian destination wedding that oozes style and charm, with breathtaking views over the Mediterranean. Couples can perform their wedding ceremony in the heart of Capri town for a truly authentic start to their nuptials, before welcoming guests to the hotel's terrace, which boasts panoramic views of the sea beyond. Serving Mediterranean specialities using fresh, local food, this once-in-a-lifetime event will come to life with live music, exceptional cocktails, and some of Italy's most noteworthy views.

HOW: *Wedding packages at J.K. Place Capri are all entirely bespoke. Room rates start from AED5,000 on a B&B basis. For more information, visit: www.jkplacecapri.com*



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City

Ideal for couples who revel in the vibrant energy of a fast-paced life, an urban wedding destination offers a blend of sophisticated charm and dynamic cityscapes.

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For a fairytale city wedding.

Overlooking Hyde Park Corner and adjacent to the grounds of Buckingham Palace, **The Lanesborough** London has long been considered one of the city's most iconic hotels and is the definition of a fairytale wedding venue. Resplendent Regency interiors, lovingly restored under the direction of the late, great **Alberto Pinto**, offer settings for ceremonies and receptions that take one's breath away, each one as romantic, individual, and unforgettable as the next. Fully licensed to hold civil marriage and civil partnership ceremonies for up to 120 guests, the hotel offers a choice of elegant private rooms, available individually or in combination, from the intimate St. George's Room with views of Constitution Arch, to the palatial, Murano mirror-lined **Belgravia Room**. The Lanesborough's wedding planner is on hand from the moment preparations start to offer expert guidance and organization on floral displays, photography, decoration, menus, music, spa treatments, wedding night accommodation, chauffeured car services, and every other conceivable detail. Of course, the dream day can then end in one of The Lanesborough's beautiful Regency-style suites. The bride and groom can celebrate in style and call upon the services of their personal butler, who will be on hand to assist with any requests for the perfect day. A chilled bottle of champagne awaits the couple in the suite upon arrival, with the hotel's compliments. The following morning, couples can start their first day as newlyweds with a leisurely English breakfast, while the butler repacks the bags in preparation for a romantic honeymoon trip.

HOW: *Weddings at The Lanesborough are all entirely bespoke. For more information, visit www.oetkercollection.com*