

A DESTINATION WEDDING WORKBOOK

A Wedding *Worth the Trip*

Choose a place you love, make the trip easier for your guests, and know what to ask before you book.

Let’s talk about your wedding

Bring your ideas. I’ll help you plan the trip.

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01 / YOUR WEDDING VISION

Start with what matters

Take ten minutes together to agree on the kind of celebration you want and what would make the trip manageable for your guests.

Date window

A preferred month or season and any dates to avoid.

Estimated guest count

A likely range is enough to start.

Celebration budget

What you want to spend on the ceremony and reception.

Guest room comfort range

A nightly room rate your guests could reasonably plan for.

Three things we want to protect

Think about who needs to be there, how you want the day to feel, and what will help everyone participate.

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One thing we can be flexible about

Choose a trade-off now. For example, would you move the date if it made flights easier for your closest guests?

02 / GUEST EXPERIENCE

Walk the trip as a guest

Think through the trip with a guest in mind. Ask people what would help them take part, then turn their preferences into questions for the resort.

01

Arriving

Can guests find flights that work for them? How long is the transfer, and can the vehicle accommodate a mobility device if needed?

02

Getting settled

Which room features can the resort confirm? Ask about shower access, doorway widths and step-free routes between rooms and common areas.

03

Joining the celebration

Walk through the route to the ceremony and reception. Ask about surfaces, nearby restrooms, quieter spaces and the rain plan.

04

Eating and taking breaks

Ask how guests can share dietary needs, who handles requests, and where someone can take a quiet break during the day.

A detail we need confirmed before booking

Write down who can verify it for the exact venue, room category or transfer you're considering.

03 / VENUE SHORTLIST

Compare two venues

Use the same questions for both options. Write down the answer, any extra cost, and who can confirm details you still need.

WHAT TO COMPARE	OPTION A	OPTION B
Resort and ceremony venue Exact space and date availability		
Estimated celebration cost What's included and likely extras		
Typical guest cost Room, flight and transfers		
Room block terms Minimums, deadlines and changes		
Guest access Rooms, paths and transfer options		
Weather backup Location, capacity and cost		
Biggest open question Who can confirm the answer?		

Compare costs separately

Keep your ceremony and reception estimate separate from what a guest may spend on the trip. Both belong in the decision.

04 / DECISION CALENDAR

Set your key dates

Use these milestones to build your own timeline. Start with your venue and group booking deadlines, then work backward to give guests time to plan.

Before the venue deposit

Confirm the date, ceremony space, weather backup, and any details your decision depends on.

TARGET DATE _____

Before invitations go out

Confirm the room block details and decide how guests will book, ask questions, and request help.

TARGET DATE _____

When guest booking opens

Share the booking link, room options, deposit and payment dates, and your travel contact.

TARGET DATE _____

Before departure

Check final guest details, transfers, dietary requests, and the contacts guests need on arrival.

TARGET DATE _____

Dates to share with guests

Make the room booking cutoff, payment dates, and arrival instructions easy to find in one place.

05 / PLANNING TOGETHER

Let’s talk through your plans

Bring what you’ve worked out so far. I’ll help you narrow your options around the celebration you want and the trip your guests can make.

Bring to your first conversation

- [ ] Your date window and approximate guest count
- [ ] A celebration budget and a comfortable room price for guests
- [ ] Your must-haves and the guest access details you want checked
- [ ] Any destinations or venues you’re already considering

How I can help

I can help compare resorts and wedding packages, coordinate group room bookings, and work through guest travel and accessibility questions.

YOUR NEXT STEP

Give me a call to talk through your wedding, or send your details through the request form and I’ll follow up.

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