MAKE THE
biggest day
OF YOUR LIFE
even bigger

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW GUIDE TO PLANNING
A NORTHERN TERRITORY WEDDING

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## SAY 'I DO' IN A LOCATION THAT WILL TAKE YOUR BREATH AWAY.

The Northern Territory (NT) has a vast array of unique and stunning locations for your wedding. There's the natural wonder of Uluru, the world-famous waterfalls of Kakadu and Litchfield National Park, dramatic gorges in Watarrka National Park, the sweeping outback of Central Australia and stunning beaches with sunsets that look too good to be true. Add the Territory charm, great food and wine, and unique-luxe style accommodation, and you have all the ingredients for a wedding with that 'wow factor'.

This booklet makes planning your NT wedding easy with all the contacts for vendors and suppliers as well as perfect locations for your big day!



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## From Pinterest-board to pack-down, our planners can execute your perfect vision.

Whether you're planning an intimate dinner or big celebration, one of our creative and capable wedding planners will help bring your big day to life. Say goodbye to all the behind the scenes business - budgets, event day schedules, long phone calls... hand ball them all, your planner has your back! With local knowledge and know-how, you can rely on any one of these talented organisers to create a seamless and special night for you and your partner.



#### Top End

Territory Nights | Creative Two | Girl Friday | Enchanted Moments | Wedding Day Flair | Made with Magic Events and Weddings

#### **Red Centre**

Alice Springs Event Management and Consultancy | Encore Event Services | Confetti and Skeet (design only)









## PICTURE PERFECT

FIND YOUR FAVOURITE PHOTOGRAPHER AND VIDEOGRAPHER



#### Capture your big day in the best way with a local photographer.

Our local camera experts know the Territory inside out - its landscapes, weather, sunsets and all those secret spots to take photos and videos like no one else's. They capture moments that tell a story, and the story is always set against an epic NT backdrop. Our guys are easy going, professional and ensure you have fun and are relaxed in front of the camera. That way, you'll have eye catching, natural photos to look back on and admire in years to come.







#### **Top End**

Hels Orr | Nichole Taylor Photography | Mel Silva Photography | Kelly Judd | George F Photography | Jodi Bilske | Rick Benson Photography | Jeremy Dixon | Darwin Photography and Make Up | Tim Nicol Photography | Sharon Mac Photographics | Bloodline Photography | Nakita Pollock Photography | Inspire Photography | David Artisan

#### **Red Centre**

Lisa Hatz | Hannah Millerick | Oliver Eclipse | Chris Tangey



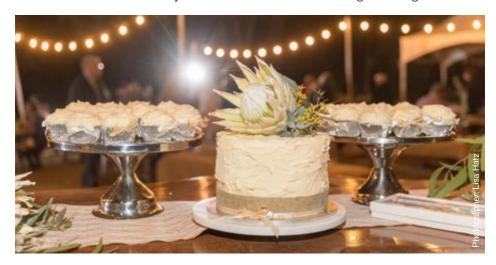






#### You can have your cake and eat it too!

The NT has some seriously talented bakers who are brilliant at creating culinary masterpieces that look amazing, taste amazing and have everyone going back for thirds! Whether it's a tiered cake, cupcake extravaganza, cheese tower or dessert table, you'll find our artisans working magic in the kitchen. And another bonus is that we have an endless supply of native flowers, gorgeous gum and bush berries to dress the top. Check out our list below and get tasting!



#### **Top End**

Kurt's Cakes | Chantilly Kitchen | Sweet Little Vintage | Eventfully Yours Catering | Cakes NT | Rachael's Designer Cake | The Sweetest Things | Liseybelle Bakes (Nhulunbuy)

#### **Red Centre**

Star of Alice | Cake-a-licious | Millys Cakes | Kungkas Can Cook







#### Pick your preferred posy from our fave florists.

Beautiful blooms make everyone smile, and our florists certainly know how to create stunning bouquets and floral arrangements that leave a lasting impression. From Central Australia where wildflowers bloom, to the tropical gingers and luscious leafy fronds of the Top End, there are lots of amazing natives to choose from as well as all your traditional beauties. Our local florists create stunning stylings for any look, matching your table florals with bouquets to boutonnieres and corsages, and can set up even in the most remotes parts of the NT!



#### **Top End**

Beija Flor | Little Miss Flowers | Estelle's Florist | Fantastic Florals and Gifts | Nightcliff Flowers | Flowers by Elise

#### **Red Centre**

Alice Springs Flower Studio | Wildfire Blooms





## Have a meaningful and memorable ceremony with the right celebrant for you.

Make it official with one of our engaging and entertaining Territory wedding celebrants. No matter the couple, whether you want a large wedding, small gathering, elopement or a remote ceremony, our wedding celebrants have experienced it all and bring their own warm and welcoming Territory flavour to the most important part of your day. Check out our favourites below, catch up for a cuppa to get a feel for their style, and then the fun part starts - writing your vows.



#### **Top End**

Joshua Pucci | The Darwin Celebrant - Kimberley Clarke | Margi MacGregor |
Cassie Henderson | Uplifting Memories - Larelle Gilbert | Ceremonies by Ceejay
| Taryn Hicks - Especially For You | Outback Weddings - Nola Sweetman |
Maisie Austin | Nancy Batenburg | Bilawara Lee | Yvonne Falckh | Sharon L
Norris | Prestige Celebrations

#### **Red Centre**

Meredith Campbell | Eileen Boocock







# $\bigcirc \mid \mathcal{NT}$ WEDDING HOT SPOTS

OUR TOP 20 ACCLAIMED NT WEDDING LOCATIONS



#### An iconic Territory landmark is the best type of wedding arbour!

To pick just 20 was a tricky task, but we persevered and settled on these beauties. There really are so many one of a kind locations to choose from. Not to mention our wonderous National Parks which are hard to pass up with their sweeping views from Kings Canyon to Uluru, Litchfield and Nitmiluk Gorge. All of these magnificent landmarks are easy to access and create the perfect backdrop within themselves which means minimal to no hire costs!



#### Top End

Wildman Wilderness Lodge | Nitmiluk Gorge | Kakadu National Park |
Pee Wees | Katherine Outback Experience | Banubanu - East Arnhem Land |
Litchfield National Park | Lee Point | George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens |
Nightcliff Foreshore

#### **Red Centre**

Earth Sanctuary | Ayers Rock Resort | Alice Springs Telegraph Station |
Kings Creek Station | Alice Springs Desert Park | Olive Pink Botanic Garden |
West MacDonnell Ranges | Ooraminna Station | Glen Helen Lodge | Ross River Resort







