



## **RESOURCES**

Beauty STYLEBEE

Bridal Gown/Salon Monique Lhuillier

Bridesmaid Gowns

Cake

Sweet on Cake

Catering EPIC Steak

Consulting Morgan Doan for Morgan Events **Hunter Pence** 

The Giants' outfielder is getting

married Saturday to Alexis Co-

own YouTube channel and has

produced a lot of videos on her

posted a sweet photo of the two

Friday and wrote, "One more day

until forever with my best friend

@hunterpence." The only ques-

tion after the nuptials is whether

life with Pence. Cozombolidis

zombolidis, who stars on her

Entertainment Anna Counelis; DJ Cams Melvin Sings

Favors Greenway Coffee

Floral Design Revel Floral

Monique Lhuillier

Headpiece/Veil

Invitations/Calligraphy Cheree Berry Paper

XIV Karats Ltd

Lighting Design

Jewelry

Got Light

Hensley Event Resources

Mothers' Gowns J Kara; St. John

Photography Mel Barlow & Co.

Registries Game Changer Hudson Family Foundation

Blueprint Studios
Hensley Event Resources

Shoes Berluti; Stuart Weitzman

**Venue**Ascension Greek Orthodox
Cathedral of Oakland
EPIC Steak

Videography Kevin Chin Photography + Cinema

Wedding Party Stylist Dana Asher Levine for Dhstyle Inc. game is neaded.

For those who remember Rollie Fingers, Bruce Sutter, Goose Gossage,
Sparky Lyle and other relievers who had
no robler ing 40-odd pitches every
other dant was encuraging Andrew Miller assume und a heavy prkload dung Clevelands ostseason in incerhaps ve'll see more that, but Pichy's tactics—compared to batters, into late-inning every e or two batters, into late-inning every way of thinking and (b) the trend toward tedious, four-hour games.

Disturbing evidence, via Sports Illustra ted's **Tom Verducci**: Teams used at least six pitchers to win a nine-inning game 228 times last year. In 1986, it happened just seven times.

Keep that pitcher limit at 13, and manag ers will have the luxury of adding a traditional pinch-hitter (think **Manny Mota** or **Matt Stairs**), a disruptive pinch-runner of





"It was a dream of mine to get married in the Greek Islands, but when you marry a baseball player, that's just not going to happen," Alexis admits. "It's freezing in Santorini in November!" Though she hails from Southern California and Hunter grew up in Houston, Texas, the happy couple decided to wed in San Francisco. "It's where we met and fell in love," the bride muses. In a move much appreciated by Alexis' father, Hunter took Greek dancing lessons during the planning process. "My dad has only asked me for two things in my whole life: 1. Get married in a Greek church; and 2. If I have kids,

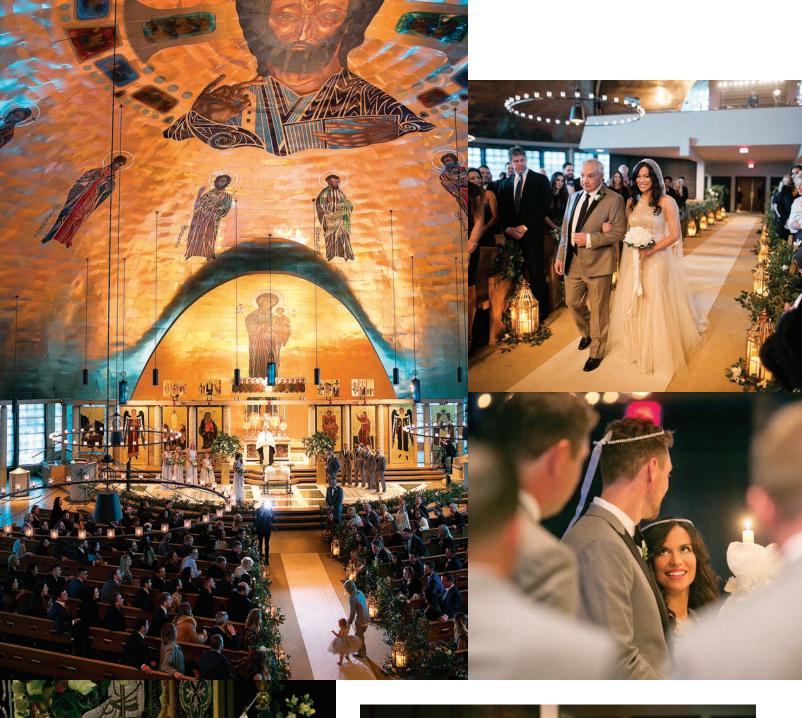
to baptize them in a Greek church," the bride explains. So, the vow exchange was held in a lovely Greek Orthodox church in Oakland.

Alexis wore an Art Deco-inspired Monique Lhuillier gown featuring beautiful silver details. Instead of a traditional veil, the dress was paired with a sheer, hooded cape, tying in the fantasy element that would emerge at the reception. Hunter teared up as his bride walked down the greenery-lined aisle with her father. "I will never forget how happy I felt in that moment and how much I loved seeing my best friend," he shares.

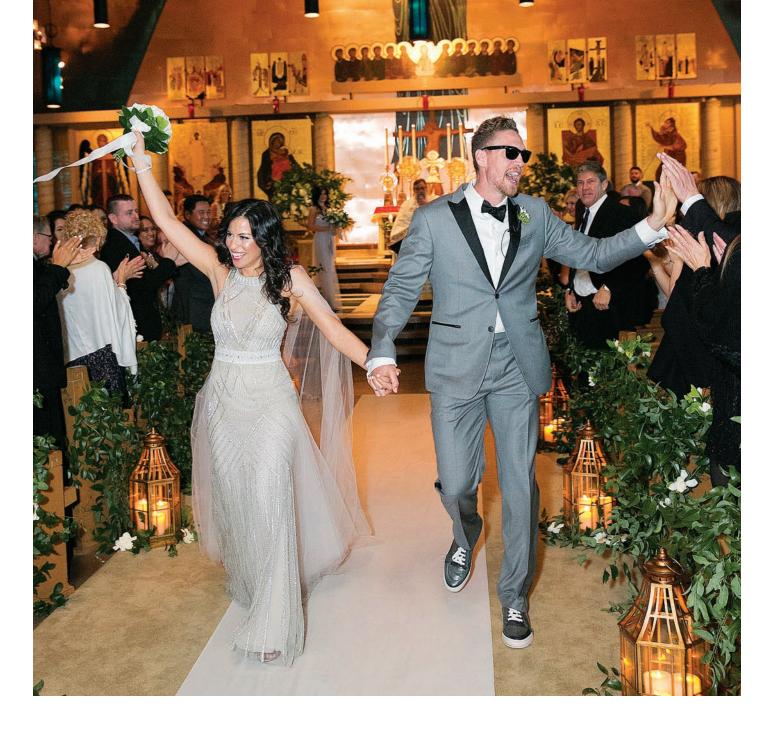




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The newlyweds didn't let rain dampen their spirits as they enjoyed a cocktail hour inspired by Mamma Mia! After smashing plates, Alexis and Hunter joined their guests for traditional Greek dancing. A Mykonos-blue color palette, windmills, lemons, and olive trees helped to create the Mediterranean aesthetic the bride desired.

Entering the reception was like walking into a fantasy world, which was exactly what the couple had envisioned. As big fans of both Game of Thrones and the Harry Potter franchise, Alexis and Hunter made sure the décor embraced their interests. After all, "Marrying your best friend feels like a fantasy," the groom adds. The tables were even named after sets of Magic: The Gathering, a trading card game that Hunter loves to play. A moss runner paired with magnifying glasses, vials, terrariums, books, and more were set on the long king's tables.

Floating candles that alluded to the Great Hall of Hogwarts were also a favorite of the groom. In addition to magical realms, the pair is also intrigued by the concept of spirit animals. Guests sent in self-

portraits before the wedding and a spirit animal reader analyzed each attendee. Everyone's unique result was revealed on their place card, and the description was denoted on the menu.

The newlyweds took special consideration when selecting their opening dances. Close friend and fellow YouTube personality Melvin Gutierrez performed while the bride and groom shared their first dance. Hunter had suggested they take dance classes before the wedding, and though Alexis first thought it was unnecessary, she reflects, "It ended up being the best decision."

The bride knew she'd cry if she chose a slow song for the fatherdaughter dance. Instead, she selected "I Wanna Be Like You" to reflect her childhood habit of singing numbers from The Jungle Book with her father. "I just melted watching her dance with her dad," Hunter confides. "I was overwhelmed with joy to see her shine." The groom also steered away from ballads for his moment in the spotlight with his mom. Self-described goofy, outgoing people, mother and son had a blast with "I Got It From My Mama" by will.i.am.











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