

KYLIE KOSTELENSKI, 27 & JEREMY DORAN, 27

A Fijian fantasy

LIKULIKU RESORT, FIJI

Once upon a time, Kylie and Jeremy dreamed of a luxury beach celebration. Their vision came true in the form of an intimate wedding with family in Fiji.



White-sand wedding

Surrounded by turquoise water and pristine beaches, Kylie and Jeremy tied the knot in an intimate outdoor ceremony in front of the infinity pool at Likuliku Beachfront Resort. The bride chose a natural, fresh-faced look to match her surroundings, wearing minimal make-up and styling her hair in loose curls. In keeping with their relaxed wedding philosophy, the couple came up with their vows on the spot, encouraging their words to flow from the heart.

THE LOCATION

LIKULIKU // FIJI

- Likuliku enjoys a warm tropical climate, but because it is located to the west of Fiji's larger islands it receives minimal rainfall.
- Likuliku resort is the first of its kind in Fiji, offering guests luxury over-water bungalows. To reach the resort guests can travel 10 minutes by seaplane or helicopter, or by speedboat from Nadi.

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Beach beauty

The bride wore a white, flowing strapless gown gathered from the bust teamed with white seashell sandals to achieve that beach wedding feel. She styled her hair in loose waves that elegantly fell over a layered pearl necklace. The bridesmaid wore a dress similar to the bride's, but in black, paired with seashell shoes and a bouquet of black and white lilies. To match the wedding's subtle luxury, the groom dressed in crisp, white pants and a white shirt, personalising his outfit with a white golf hat.

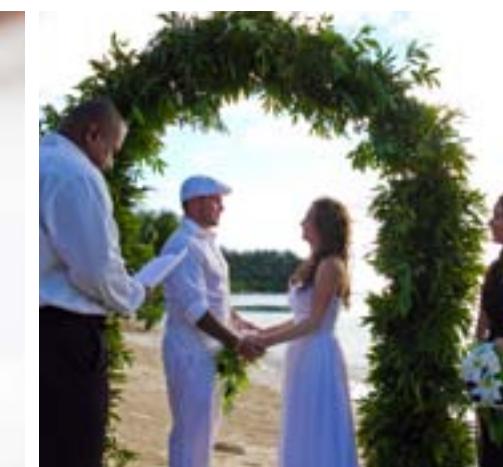
Black and white haven

In the lead-up to the wedding, guests were delighted by the message-in-a-bottle invitations. Once they arrived in Fiji, they enjoyed cocktails on Masima Island and a fishing trip for the boys. The beachside reception was held at Likuliku Resort, with a striking black and white colour scheme and a white chocolate mud cake with white icing. Every moment was captured by the father of the bride, to ensure each guest received a photo book and wedding DVD to document all of their special memories. ☀



THE FIJI feeling

For Jeremy and Kylie selecting the location was easy, as the couple had holidayed in Fiji with family before.



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