

WEDDING STYLE GUIDE  
A Real Wedding

## once in a lifetime

MELANIE QUICK AND MICHAEL NORTHOVER | 24.04.09 | BALI

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**THE BRIDE**  
MELANIE QUICK  
"I WORE A STRAPLESS, SATIN, FULL-LENGTH DRESS WITH A LONG, FULL SKIRT AND A LONG, FULL SKIRT."

**PROPOSAL** After a five year romance, Michael proposed to his future wife while in Bali – presenting her with a diamond solitaire.

**CEREMONY** Held at the BEACH VILLA IN BALI, the couple married on a clifftop overlooking the OCEAN. Melanie was walked down the aisle by her mother BRITA, who also carried the train. As a personal touch, Melanie and Michael chose two of their close friends to witness the union.

**RECEPTION** The couple's thank you notes were elegant, which included custom-made illustrations, complemented the natural landscape while offering a sophisticated edge to what was otherwise a relaxed occasion. A long received thank you card greeted guests where they enjoyed unique floral centerpieces. "It's nice to get the card right away and to see the first night too!" Melanie smiles.

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**We Love....** The napkins that were tied in a bow to match the Brides dress

## PROPOSAL

After a five year romance Michael proposed to his future wife while in Bali presenting her with a diamond ROLEX.

## CEREMONY

Held at the Istana Villa in Bali, the couple married on a clifftop overlooking the Indian Ocean. Melanie was walked down the aisle by her Mother Helen, who also carried the rings. As a personal touch Melanie and Michael chose two of their oldest friends to witness the vows.

## RECEPTION

Their simplistic black and white theme, which included custom made decorations, complemented the natural landscape while offering a sophisticated edge to what was otherwise a relaxed occasion. A long mirrored dining table greeted guests where they enjoyed unique Spanish Cuisine. "As night fell the DJ led the way and we had the best night ever" Melanie recalls.

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**Bridesmaid Dress** [scanlanandtheodore.com.au](http://scanlanandtheodore.com.au)

**Groom's Suit** [Bottegaventa.com](http://Bottegaventa.com)

**Florist** Gloriosa Bali

**Bridal Registry** Rennie Ellis Limited edition Photographs [rennieellis.com.au](http://rennieellis.com.au)

**Honeymoon** Europe and Morocco

**Food** LA Sal