

# FOR THE BRIDE

SPRING 2011

## GLAM

ACCESSORIES:  
**SHOES** **JEWELRY**  
**SHAWLS** **TIARAS**

**LUXE LASHES**  
IN NO TIME

**MOD**  
STYLES FOR  
**GALS &**  
**GUYS**

**FAB PLACES**  
TO SAY "I DO"

**HOT SPOTS**  
FOR COOL  
**HONEYMOONS**



WEDDINGS  
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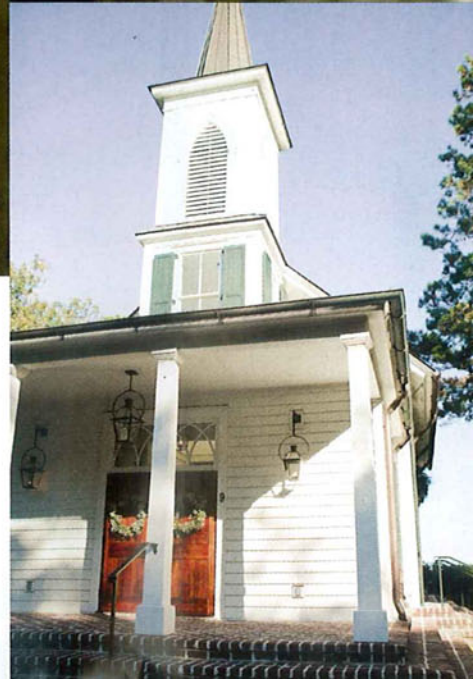
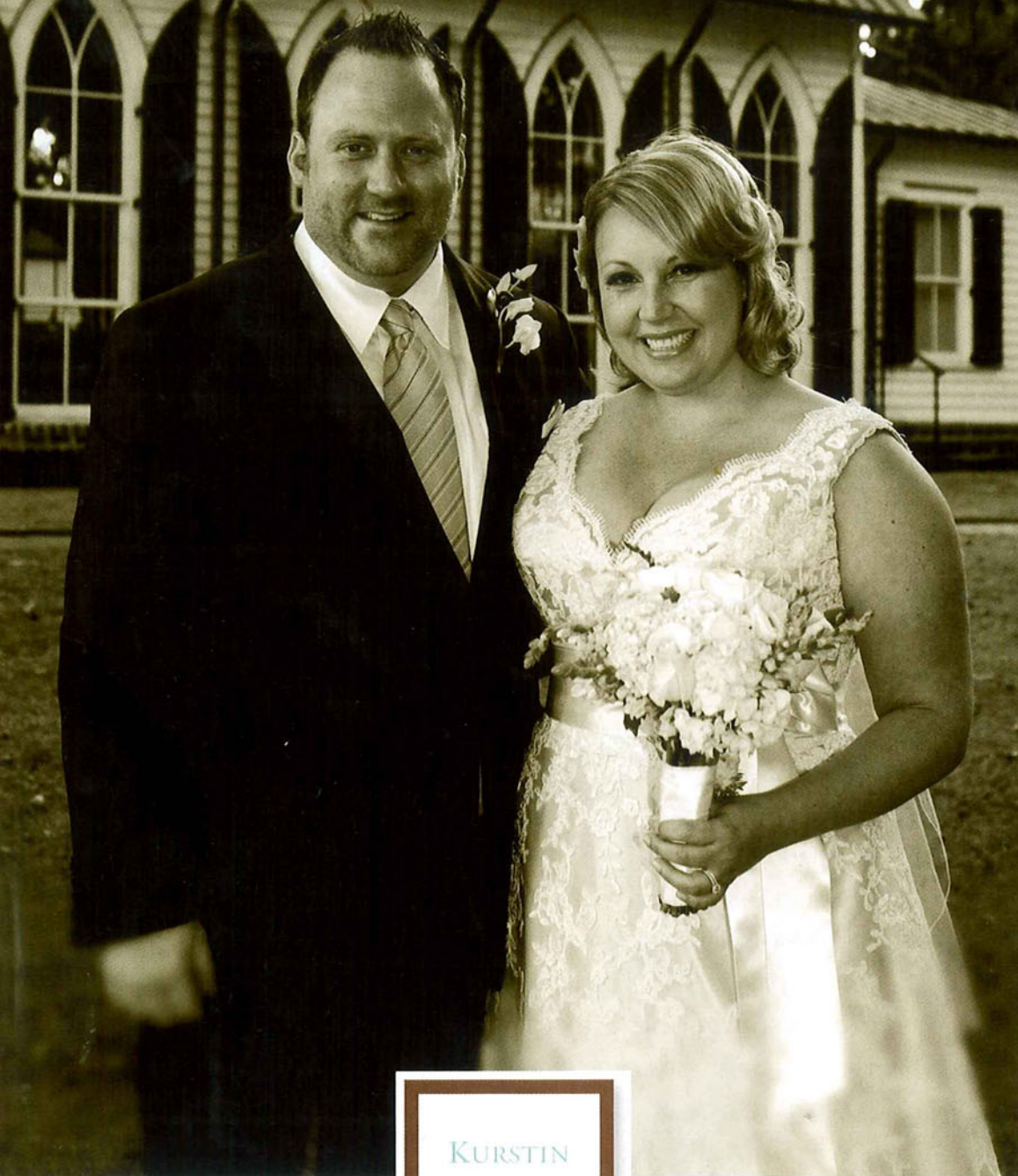
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# REAL weddings



KURSTIN  
+  
ERIC

Bluffton, South Carolina – November 7, 2009  
Photography by Greg Ceo, Savannah Wedding Photographer





**HOW THEY MET** Eric and I met on Match.com. He was my fifth try on the dating Web site. We didn't have our second date until a month later, since Eric left for China two days after we met. **THE PROPOSAL** Eric woke me up one early Saturday morning and insisted we take a bike ride. He got down on his knee and proposed marriage. Then he opened the ring box and I began to cry. He worried I wouldn't like the ring, but Eric has amazing taste in jewelry and went above and beyond my expectations. **LOCATION OF WEDDING** The Inn at Palmetto Bluff, Bluffton, South Carolina. **NUMBER OF GUESTS** 47. **BRIDAL GOWN** A delicate pearl satin gown with a lace overlay by Allure Couture. I accessorized it with a satin cream sash and white flower. **WEDDING COLORS** One of the reasons I wanted to get married in the on-site chapel was because of its simplicity. We kept the chapel as is with the exception of a few white flowers. For the reception, I relied heavily on the resort's wedding coordinator Kelli Corn for help with the colors and vision. We wanted the focus to be on the natural Lowcountry setting, so we used different shades of blue and orange. **SIGNATURE COCKTAILS** Champagne, wine and beer. **WEDDING CAKE** We decided to skip a formal wedding cake and chose to have homemade Southern moon pies and peach cobbler. **FAVORITE MOMENTS** There are so many! Seeing Eric's face when we arrived at Palmetto Bluff (this was his first time seeing the location)...Having my dad, who flew in from Singapore, walk me down the aisle... Surprising our guests with an authentic Lowcountry oyster roast. **FIRST DANCE** Our first dance was to Jason Mraz's "Lucky." **THREE WORDS THAT DESCRIBE THE WEDDING** Sophisticated, Southern Comfort, Personalized. **FAVORS** Since our reception was at an outdoor venue we gave guests pashmina shawls. We personalized them by writing quotes relating to love on the tags. **HONEYMOON SPOT** We chose to have a destination wedding so we stayed at Palmetto Bluff then went to Charleston for a few days.

