

off the fence.

Platinum Weddings (Series 1)

12 x 30'

EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

1. Vanessa and Jose

At Vanessa and Jose's wedding, the bride's childhood dream, a reception at a historic hotel, will come true. For a unique, high-tech touch, a production team will edit the couple's wedding ceremony and project it on oversized screens and a water wall. On top of it all, Vanessa's mom has planned a few surprises to ensure the celebration exceeds expectations.

2. Lana and Victor

After a 15-year marriage, Lana and Victor filed for divorce, and then realised how much they still love each other. To renew their vows in style, they'll transform the Four Seasons ballroom into a Russian winter palace, complete with a 12-course banquet, music and dance performances.

3. Shokoufeh and Luis

After falling in love at first sight, Luis and Shokoufeh planned a deluxe wedding, including two ceremonies – one Christian and one Persian – at a private oceanfront estate in Malibu. As a 17-piece Persian band, a 12-piece Latin band, and flamenco dancers entertain the guests, a Spanish artist will paint a scene from the reception as a memento for the couple.

4. Maxie and Kevin

After exchanging vows, Kevin and Maxie plan to lead guests on a wedding parade through Times Square, stopping at the giant Toys R Us Ferris wheel on the way. Later, at the Hudson Theatre, the couple will dance to an original tune composed by their wedding planner.

5. Michelle and Rico

Michelle, an aspiring interior designer, and Rico, who helps run his family's casino, don't want to gamble on their wedding plans. Sparing no expense, they hire an event planner known for his creativity. As family and friends arrive at the reception, they'll pass a mini-zoo with zebras, ostriches and Bengal tigers. Will the untamed animals put guests in the mood to party?

6. Erin and Carter

With the help of a celebrity wedding planner, Erin and her fiancé Carter are arranging a luxury destination wedding in Los Cabos, Mexico. The couple plan to exchange vows during a sunset ceremony on the beach. Afterwards, family and friends will head inside for a reception as a flamenco guitarist performs during the cocktail hour.

7. Jennifer and Doug

Jennifer, a biochemist, and Doug, a commodity trade advisor, visited Sonoma wine country on one of their first dates. Now, they'll celebrate their marriage in the same place they fell in love. Jenn will have white topaz hand-sewn onto her wedding dress, and during the ceremony, she'll walk on a six-inch deep pillow of rose petals!

8. Christina and Ryan

Ryan proposed to Christina at the end of a golf tournament, and now the couple plan to marry at the Belfair Plantation golf course. Will the big-budget ceremony, including an outdoor cocktail hour, a performance by the Right On Band, and a surprise fireworks display, score the golf-loving couple a hole in one?

9. Jaclyn and Marchelino

Marchelino, a model, and Jaclyn, a self-described professional shopper, are true soul mates. Thumbing through her friend's photographs, Jaclyn saw a picture of Marchelino and announced that she was going to marry him. Ironically, Marchelino saw a picture of Jaclyn and was immediately smitten. They were set up on a date and four years later this beautiful couple are about to become husband and wife.

10. Maureen and Dan

Dan and Maureen mailed the keepsake Plexiglas invitations for their \$500,000 wedding on March 17 so they'd have a St Patrick's Day postmark. The event's Irish theme will continue at the Ritz-Carlton reception, where guests will dine on lobster bisque with puff pastries shaped like shamrocks. For extra luck, the bride will wear a symbolic horseshoe beneath her wedding finery!

11. Nicole and Sven

Sven and Nicole's unique wedding incorporates elements of elegance and simplicity, tradition and hip style. Their ceremony takes place on Daufuskie Island at sunset, on a gazebo overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. Afterwards, the wedding party makes its way to a dinner reception in the Daufuskie Ballroom where guests dance the night away to oldies, beach, and B played by a five-piece local band.

12. Sharmeen and Zain

One wedding day isn't enough for Zain and Sharmeen! They're planning a lavish three-day celebration, incorporating elements of traditional Eastern and Western weddings. The \$500,000

event will begin with two days of traditional Pakistani ceremonies, followed by a Western wedding and reception at Calamigos Ranch in Malibu.