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THE PROPOSAL

Ryan had planned one of his special dates as a Christmas present for Caitlin, complete with a printed out itinerary. This particular date was planned on the same day that Caitlin had evening plans with high school girlfriends, so an itinerary was definitely necessary to stick to. Caitlin was thrilled that Ryan had pulled together such a thoughtful list of places they had frequented when they first began their relationship. The second stop of the day, Barrel Oak Winery, was a longtime favorite of Caitlin's and where they shared their first date. Upon arrival, Ryan mentioned he was interested in looking at the loft before they got their wine. At the top of the stairs, Caitlin received the shock of her life to find her and Ryan's family waiting. Ryan had been planning this elaborate proposal for months. As for the girl's night? Everyone was in on it and showed up for an impromptu engagement party. Best date ever.

THE WEDDING

They initially had a 180-guest wedding planned for April, but had to postpone their wedding twice due to Covid. They were finally able to get married on Aug. 1 with a smaller socially distanced wedding. They used mini hand sanitizers and provided optional face masks to everyone in their bridal suite from Pretty Plum Sugar (they were super pretty and very bridal). While Caitlin was getting ready, her bridesmaids who couldn't be there face-timed in and were even wearing their dresses. Ryan handbuilt their sweetheart table and actually sitting at it with his wife was really special. Ryan's best friends married them and his mother-in-law surprised him with lobster rolls at dinner. They are his favorite, but with the larger wedding, they were out of our budget. When they switched to a micro, she found a local place and had them brought over to serve with our dinner. After all was said and done, their wedding day was perfect.



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