

2024-2025 WEDDING GUIDE

recent work.











HI, I'M LELA.

A WEDDING & LIFESTYLE PHOTOGRAPHER BASED OUT OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

It's so nice to meet you! If there's anything my friends know about me it's that I am a travel addict, and when I'm not on the road, you'll find me cuddled up on the couch with my two hound dogs binge watching crime shows (Any other First 48 fans out there?!). I love, love, love my family and my fiancé, and love the time I get to spend with them! In addition to being a full time photographer, I'm also a recent graduate of the University of Louisville, GO CARDS! I'm from a small, rural Northern California town but still love traveling back to Kentucky for weddings and sessions as often as I can! My love for photography began in the halls, fields and auditorium of my high school, capturing memories of everyone I grew up with. Ever since then I've been addicted to capturing raw, authentic and candid happiness for every celebration. In 2017, I took the leap of faith and became a full time photographer. So, whether you're graduating high school or college, just got engaged, getting married, announcing a pregnancy, or welcoming a new addition to your family, I want to be there to capture it for you. I desire to tell your story though images so that you can cherish and relive those precious moments.

xo lela spiva

wherever your love takes you, I will go.



MY PHILOSOPHY.

I have always said the best thing my parents ever gave me was my wings. Since only a couple months old, I was traveling with my parents all over the world. I have never been afraid of hoping on a plane, visiting a new place or experiencing different cultures. Those are engraned in me, and are some of my favorite things. I am forever grateful that my parents saw value in emersing me in different cultures from a young age. It has allowed me to feel at home anywhere, with anyone.

It's important for me that you know that no matter who you are, where you're from, what your story is, and where your wedding day will take place - I want to be there. If it means hoping on a plane, I'll be there with bags packed and passport in hand. Wherever your love takes you, I will go.



I WAS ALWAYS BLOWN AWAY AT HOW GENUINELY BEAUTIFUL EVERYTHING ALWAYS TURNED OUT.

"Through the past few years I've had the pleasure of seeing Lela's work for plenty of people. I was always blown away at how genuinely beautiful everything always turned out. She did an amazing job at both our engagement shoot and of course our wedding. What everyone says about your wedding day flying by and being a blur is true and I can't thank Lela enough for capturing every moment and every detail throughout the night. We had so much fun working with her. She is such a sweetheart and a phenomenal photographer!

Again I can't thank you enough Lela! My husband and I will treasure these photos forever!"

JORDYNNE + JAKE







INVEST-MENT.

PRICING & DETAILS.

weddings.

DALLY

\$ 3,600

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- + 6 hours of wedding day coverage
- + engagement session
- + detailed wedding photo timeline
- + online gallery with 600+ images
- + 100 miles of travel included

CHEYENNE

\$ 4,400

02

- + 8 hours of wedding day coverage
- + engagement session
- + second photographer coverage
- + detailed wedding photo timeline
- + online gallery with 800+ images
- +250 miles of travel included

ABILENE

\$ 5,200

- + 10 hours of wedding day coverage + engagement session
 - + second photographer coverage
 - + bridal or boudoir session
 - + detailed wedding photo timeline
 - + online gallery with 900+ images
 - + travel in Northern California



elopements + intimate weddings

ELLIE

\$ 2800

01

- + 4 hours of elopement coverage
- + complementary engagement session
- + detailed wedding photo timeline
- + online gallery with 400 images
- + 150 miles of travel included
- + 50 guests or less

ELOPEMENT ENHANCEMENTS

02

- $+\ \mbox{expedited}$ editing for wedding gallery (guaranteed 3-4 week turn around time) \$400
- + additional hour of shooting: \$400
- + second photographer: \$400
- + additional images:
- 100 additional images \$150
- 250 additional images \$350
- + premium albums start at \$250
- + USB of all wedding images \$30



BOUDOIR

- + 90 minute session time
- + use of rented studio
- + printing rights
- + online gallery
- + bring your own lingere
- + minumum of 100 edited images
- + ask about hair and makeup services, if interested!

O BRIDALS

- + 1 hour session time
- + 1 location
- + printing rights
- + online gallery
- +minimum of 100 edited images

7 WEDDING ENHANCEMENTS

- \pm expedited editing for wedding gallery (guaranteed 3-4 week turn around time) \$400
- + additional hour of shooting: \$400
- + second photographer:\$100/hr
- + additional images:
 - 100 additional images \$150
 - 250 additional images \$350
- + premium albums start at \$250
- + USB of all wedding images \$30



O1 JULIETTE

- + 1 hour session time
- + one location
- + printing rights
- + online gallery with a minimum of 125 edited images
- + travel within greater Sacramento/Yolo/Solano counties

PEARL

- + 2 hour session time
- + 2 locations within 15 minutes of each other
- + printing rights
- + online gallery with a minimum of 200 edited images
- + travel within 150 miles of Winters, CA

ENGAGEMENT ENHANCEMENTS

- + expedited editing for engagement session (guaranteed 72 hour turn around time) \$100
- + additional images:
 - 30 additional images \$50
 - 50 additional images \$75
- + premium albums start at \$200
- + USB of all images \$30



so, what's next?

Now that you have reviewed the packages, the next steps would be to select a package you'd like to book!

Shoot me an email letting me know the set date, location and package you would like to book, as well as if you'd like to add on any enhancements.

From there I will send you over a contract for you to review and sign, as well as an invoice for a 20% deposit.

All deposits and payments may be paid through your client portal, or by cash or check.

Once your contract is completed and your deposit is paid - IT'S OFFICIAL!! YAY!!

frequently asked.

when will I receive my photos?

You will receive a sneak peek of a few photos within 5 days of your day (I know you're anxious to share!). For engagements, photos are delivered within 2-3 weeks. Wedding galleries are delivered within 90 days.

do we need an engagement session?

I fully recommend one for a few reasons! First, my style of photography works best when we've gotten to know each other. An engagement session is the perfect time for us to hang out & spend time together before your day! It's also a great way to get comfortable in front of the camera, and practice makes perfect. It's totally natural to feel a little bit nervous/awkward when you're not used to having your photo taken, but your engagement session will make you two pros by the time the wedding rolls around!





what are bridals?

Either just you, or you and your partner! Put your dress back on, pick an epic location, and have FUN! This is a great way to lower stress on your wedding day because you have more portraits coming. Ask me how we can make this personal and fit your style.

when do engagement sessions happen?

I recommend planning to do engagement photos before you send save the dates, that way you can use them for those! Plan for at least a month before you intend to send save the dates. Engagement sessions are done Monday-Friday only.

why include a 2nd photog?

While I'm confident in my ability to shoot all of my weddings solo, I recommend second photographers for larger weddings, or when couples are getting ready separately and the timeline doesn't allow me to be with them both. They can provide another perspective to your day and an alternate angle of every situation!

sample



timeline.

based on 8 hours of photography coverage

12:00	Photographer arrives
12:15	Detail photos
1:15	Capture final venue details +
1:30	decor Groom + groomsmen photos
2:30	Hair + make up finished
2:45	Bride make up touch ups of makeup +
3:15	getting into dress Bride + bridesmaid photos
4:30	First look
5:00	Ceremony
5:20	Family photos
5:35	Bridal party group photos
5:50	Couple sunset photos
6:15	Grand entrance
6:20	First dance, parent dances
6:35	Dinner

Toasts, open dance floor

7:30

01.

On your wedding day - try to have a clean, decluttered space full of natural light for your hair and makeup space. This makes for beautiful photos that enhance all of the natural beauty in the room! I love a good window-lit area to shoot details + getting ready shots in. You can't go wrong with clean, white walls in a bridal suite either!

02.

Start putting a box together now for all of your detail trinkets. Something borrowed/blue, your invites, your rings, your ring box. Maybe your grandma has a beautiful ceramic ring dish, or your mom still has her vintage garter from her wedding day. The more special items, the better! On wedding day I will grab your box and go!

03.

Communicate and be transparent with your photographer. As someone who comes from a divorced family, I know how difficult that situation can be on wedding day. If you have any special cirsumstances on wedding day such as divorce, death of an immediate family member, or anything of the like, please share this information so that I may be as accomodating as I can to respect the situation.



O4.

Pay close attention to the time of sunset when building your timeline. It is highly recommended to not plan your ceremony to be more than two hours before sunset unless your ceremony site is heavily shaded or indoors. Midday lighting is harsh and that will be reflected in images taken during such lighting.

05.

Not a wedding day tip - but let's chat engagement sessions. Engagement session day is a great opportunity to do a hair/makeup trial. Doing both on the same day means you'll be stylin' for your session, but you will also get to see how your hair and/or makeup photograph before wedding day. For outfits, earth tones, maxi dresses, statement piece accessories, attention to details are just a few things that make my heart sing.

06.

MOST IMPORTANT: Be yourselves. Make decisions based on what is important to YOU. Don't live and die by wedding trends. Don't sweat the small stuff on wedding day. Know that it's OK to skip any and all wedding events and traditions that don't feel right to you. Do not be afraid to feel and embrace emotions on wedding day. Take it all in and enjoy it - it will go by so fast.



vendor recommendations.

VENUE

01

Lone Wulff Ranch Lone Oak Longhorns Le Reve Estate Taber Ranch The Maples Pheasant Trek Kinship Ranch
Delta Diamond Farm
Grindstone Winery
Park Winters
Saureel Vineyards
Gold Hill Gardens
Oak Hollow Farms

FLORIST

02

Dixon Florist Bloom + Vine Strelitzia Full Belly Farm

BRIDAL SHOPS

03

Miosa
AE Bridal
a&be Bridal Shop
La Soie Bridal
Bride to be Couture



vendor recommendations.

DESSERTS

07

Let Them Eat Cake Freeport Bakery Sweet Creativity Baking Boutique

RENTALS + SIGNAGE

08

Blossom Farm Vintage Rentals BRAES (Custom Signage Only) Getting Hitched Wedding Rentals Shimmer + Stain Freshly Written Emilty Murphy Designs

EVENT PLANNER

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Haley Nyal Events Joyeux Events Becca & Co. Trew Luv Events

vendor recommendations.

SPRAY TAN

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Jodeane Atkinson @diamondbeachtanning

VIDEOGRAPHER

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Kyle Mize
Chris Hardwick
Elegant Events Media
Journey Weddings
Tyler and Co
Kevin Ulrich / Jevin Films

ESTHETICIAN

Blue Aura Beauty

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get in touch

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thank you,

I would like to take a minute to sincerely thank you for choosing me to be a part of your special day. I look forward to getting to know you (and hopefully become great friends) between now and wedding day. I cannot wait to see how all of your hard hours of planning turn into the most beautiful celebration.

At any point during planning, if you need any recommendations, any tips, an ear to vent to, a coffee date, someone to tour a venue with or even go with you to a dress fitting, I am only a call away and would gladly be here to help anyway I can.

Thank you again for choosing me, I cannot wait to work with you and capture your best day.

