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PHOTOGRAPHY

The Photography Experience



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W E L C O M E

Congratulations you're engaged!
You are probably overwhelmed with all the wedding information out there, but don't worry, you're not alone. I'm here to help make your lives a little easier!

It is my goal that you would feel so very loved and well taken care of from the very moment we begin chatting about your day.

I love connecting with my brides on a personal level and becoming a friend throughout the planning process. I want to hear about your dating years, your proposal story and your vision for your big day. There is so much joy in store and I can not wait to celebrate with you!

The information in this experience guide is meant to help you through (almost) all of your photography-related questions, so you can be relaxed and excited for your big day. This guide will also give you a better idea of the kind of experience you will have working with me!

I AM HONORED TO HAVE SUCH WONDERFUL CLIENTS
& CAN'T WAIT TO GET TO KNOW YOU BETTER!

*If you have any questions, please get in touch.
I look forward to hearing from you!*

the girl behind the lens

MEET JESSICA

Hi! I'm Jess, my photography career started in NYC with a dog blog that soon developed into a pet photography business. From there, I started second shooting for other photographers and realized that weddings were my calling! I shot my first wedding in 2010 at a small venue in Portland, Maine. Since then, I have been shooting weddings all across the Country.

I feel so lucky to get to work with such wonderful people each day! Based in San Diego, I feel incredibly fortunate to have found my dream job. I strive to create real connections with each of my couples so that I can document your special day in the most timeless and authentic way possible.

A lot of my inspiration comes from interior design, textures and light. I consider my work modern, timeless, and classic. I love to focus on the details of your day. I don't just point my camera and shoot. I dig deeper to get those shots and capture those moments that only you can share with each other. A wedding day is more than just pretty details, signature cocktails and fancy tabletops. It's a day that you have curated together to make a promise and share it with your loved ones.

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“there is no elevator to success. you have to take the stairs.”





the jessica jaccarino experience

<i>Let's Be Friends</i>	<i>Your Wedding Day</i>	<i>Gallery & Album Design</i>
I don't believe that wedding photography is a one-size-fits all. However, I strive to provide an irreplaceable experience for each unique couple and their vision. I serve a very specific type of bride who recognizes that if she wants joyful, genuine portraits of herself & her new groom, then she needs more than just pretty pictures. She needs an incredible EXPERIENCE!	It's time to celebrate, relax and let me get to work in capturing your story. I am detail oriented with an eye for sophisticated beauty and soft natural light. I will style as well as capture your love authentically. I will be your right hand, hold your flowers, bustle your dress and buffer the stress. I will keep you on time and most importantly get those magazine worthy shots of you and your groom!	After your wedding day is over, you will receive an online gallery full of all of your wedding memories. HUNDREDS of them! I encourage my couples to sit down with a glass of wine the night that their gallery goes live and enjoy reliving their wedding day. Soon after your gallery is delivered, you will receive your album design (if you ordered an album) and you can begin the customization process.

DESTINATION WEDDINGS . . . YES PLEASE!

*I love to travel and have documented weddings all around the country.
I'd be more than happy to join you on an out-of-town adventure!*

ALL WEDDING COLLECTIONS INCLUDE HIGH-RES DIGITAL IMAGES
AND A SECOND PHOTOGRAPHER, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.
YES, I OFFER A LA CARTE OPTIONS TO CREATE THE PERFECT WEDDING
COLLECTION THAT IS PERFECT FOR JUST YOU.

Jessica is a rockstar.

"We found her work on Instagram (@jessicajaccarinophoto) and loved what we saw! When we met her, we knew we had to use her for our special day. Let's just say, it was the best wedding decision we made. Jessica is punctual, dependable, hard working, and an excellent communicator. In addition to that, she's super creative, has a great eye, and gets those perfect shots that make you gasp when you see them. She's also super friendly and easy to get along with. On our wedding day, she made us feel extremely comfortable.

She gave us just enough direction and still allowed us to be our silly selves. Jessica sent us a sneak peak of photos shortly after our wedding. I, the bride, squealed at EVERY photo I saw. EVERY. SINGLE. ONE. She's seriously amazing, and we could not recommend her enough. If you're looking for a photographer, Jessica is your girl! Seriously, stop looking. She's it."

Daniela & James





frequently asked questions

YOU HAVE QUESTIONS. I HAVE ANSWERS.



Q: What sets you apart from other photographers?

A: I take all of our photos in intimate, relaxed settings and try to use natural lighting as often as possible. I offer style guidance while capturing your love authentically and beautifully!

Q: Will we get the print release to our photos after our wedding?

A: Yes! Upon receiving your images, you will also get a full print release.

Q: How many photographers will be there at our wedding?

A: Most of my wedding collections come with two photographers, with an option to add on a third photographer for an additional cost.

Q: Will we get featured in a magazine or blog?

A: Although many of my weddings do get featured, this is not something that is guaranteed. Most publishers are interested in colorful, uniquely designed weddings!

Q: Do you photograph elopements?

A: Of course! Depending on availability and the number of hours you have set aside for photography, I offer several collections.

Q: Do you have a list of preferred vendors to use?

A: I sure do! From wedding coordinators to florists and caterers, I have worked with some of the best companies in the industry and would love to share their information with you!

have another question?

SEND ME A MESSAGE! I AM HAPPY TO HELP!



Q: We're having a destination wedding. Do you travel?

A: Yes! I love destination weddings and have been lucky enough to travel all over the country shooting weddings. Send me more information on your travel plans, and I will create a custom wedding collection to suit your needs.

Q: Do I have to order prints through you?

A: I highly recommend ordering prints through my professional vendors, but it is not required. The difference in quality is significant when it comes to ordering through a professional lab, so I encourage clients to let me help with prints!

Q: What equipment do you use?

A: I use all of the latest canon equipment. I always carry the 5d mark iv, the mark ii, 50 mm lens, 24-70 mm, lens, 70-200 mm, 85 mm & the 100 mm macro lens, among other items. All my cameras and lenses have a backup in the rare event that anything should happen on your wedding day.

Q: Are the couples on your site models?

A: Haha! While we are lucky enough to work with gorgeous couples, the images shown on our site and blog are of regular, paying clients outside of a few editorial shoots.

Q: How do we reserve our wedding date?

A: a 50% deposit and signed agreement is required in order to get your wedding day on the calendar. 1 Month prior to your wedding, the remainder of the balance is due.



what to expect

A BOUTIQUE CLIENT EXPERIENCE

process

A wedding day is a celebration and behind every celebration is a love story. We'll be spending a serious amount of time together on one of the most important days of your life. I strongly believe that every couple deserves a photographer who is the perfect fit to tell their story. I'm a light and airy, modern photographer focusing on bright skin tones and lots of pretty details. I focus on real genuine moments between my couples with authentic smiles and raw emotions.

engagement session

3 of the 4 wedding collections that I offer come with a complimentary engagement shoot. You are not obligated to take advantage of this offer but I really hope you do! This session gives us time to get to know one another before your big day and gives you a chance to become more comfortable in front of the camera.

We will work together to come up with the perfect location for your shoot. Yes! I am open to multiple locations if they are close by and I encourage an outfit change! I will educate you on the posing during the shoot and make sure you are comfortable throughout the entire experience.

booking

Upon inquiry, you will receive a bridal pricing guide with my wedding collections along with descriptions. From there we will set up a consultation to discuss details to further ensure we're a perfect fit! If the feeling is mutual, we will make it official with a seamless and simple process, signed agreement and a 50% deposit to hold your spot on my calendar.

NOTE

Wedding dates are typically reserved 12 months prior to your wedding. Availability decreases with shorter notice.

Eloping?

Elopements are reserved 2-3 months prior to your date.

timeline

About 4 weeks before your wedding we will set up a pre-event consultation where we will go over all the details of your big day. This is when we'll curate a timeline together that ensures you end up with gorgeous, magazine editorial images as well as an authentic documentation of your day. We will also craft a list of family formal portraits. This list will help move things along so we have more time for the two of you!







wedding day tips

Gather all your details before the day starts so I can photograph them quickly! This makes the getting-ready portion of the day go much more smoothly, and it allows me to spend more time focusing on the spontaneous moments when everyone is together.

Here is a list of ideas: ring, jewelry, hair pieces, flowers, shoes, socks, cuff links, perfume, letters, pictures, gifts, cultural items, invitations, programs, printed pieces and any unique items you treasure!

RINGBOX & STYLING

I have about 6 of them along with many other pretty styling essentials.

LITTLE DETAILS COUNT

Some of my couples' favorite images from their wedding day end up being the detail shots that are taken throughout the day. Details help tie everything together and tell the story of behind-the-scenes moments.

Think about getting a wooden hanger for your dress. They photograph well and are great keepsakes for years to come.

REMEMBER TO RELAX AND ENJOY THE DAY!

"We can't begin to express our love for Jess. She was such a gem to work with! We can not wait for our wedding this summer and know we are in good hands.

We are obsessed with our engagement gallery and LOVE every shot!

-Christi & Alex



PREFERRED VENDORS

I have worked with some of the best vendors in the industry and would love for you to get the chance to work with them as well!



Wedding Planners:

Laurel Street Events
www.laurelstreetevents.com

I Love You More Events
www.iloveyoumoreevents.com

Bliss Events
www.blissevent.com

Fawn Events
www.fawnevents.com

Florists:

Leaf it to Lexi
www.leafittolexi.com

Fox and Flora Designs
www.fox-flora.com

Stationery:

Double Dipped Calligraphy
www.doubledippedcalligraphy.com

Twinkle and Toast
www.twinkleandtoast.com

Beauty:

Beauty Bespoken
www.beautybespoken.com

XO Beauty Co.
www.xobeauty.co

Hair by Kayti
www.hairbykayti.com

Babe Hair BYB
www.babehairbyb.com

Rentals:

Archive Rentals
www.archiverentals.com

TBD San Diego
www.tbdsandiego.com

Cocktails & Catering:

Snake & Oil
www.snakeoilcocktail.com

Barcon Cocktail Co.
www.barconcocktails.com

Videographers:

The Current Films
www.thecurrentfilms.com

SJ Videography
www.sjvideography.com

Lighting:

Brilliant Event Lighting
www.brillianteventlighting.com

Lumina Event Lighting
www.luminaeventlighting.com

Photobooths:

Pixster
www.pixsterphotobooth.com

NKO
www.nokaoiphotobooth.com