



FIELD OF DREAMS



Carolyn and Michael

Carolyn and Michael first crossed paths over twenty years ago during their freshman year of University. Though they weren't particularly close at the time, they shared several classes and left lasting impressions on each other. In particular, Michael's memorable ketchup bottle costume for a frat prank gone awry stuck with Carolyn.

The couple's paths diverged until they reconnected during the Covid pandemic. They quickly realized their shared history and passions, including their mutual love for cottages, travel, fine cuisine, and dogs! Michael's proposal was a testament to their bond, as he ingeniously incorporated their beloved 16-year-old dog, Bessie, by securing the ring to her collar. With such a heartwarming gesture, Carolyn couldn't refuse, and the rest, as they say, is history!

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The LOCATION

The couple drew inspiration for their wedding from Carolyn's parents' exquisite estate, affectionately referred to as The Ranch, nestled in Vaughan amidst vast farmers' fields. Michael whimsically dubbed it their very own 'Field of Dreams,' jokingly saying, "If we build it, they will come"! Both the ceremony and reception took place at The Ranch, presenting the couple and their planning team, led by Michelle Cundari of SINCERELY YOURS EVENTS, with a blank canvas, initially daunting yet ultimately exhilarating. The black-tie wedding boasted four distinct areas: the ceremony beneath the picturesque old oak tree, the cocktail reception by the poolside, the cigar lounge, and the showstopping reception tent.

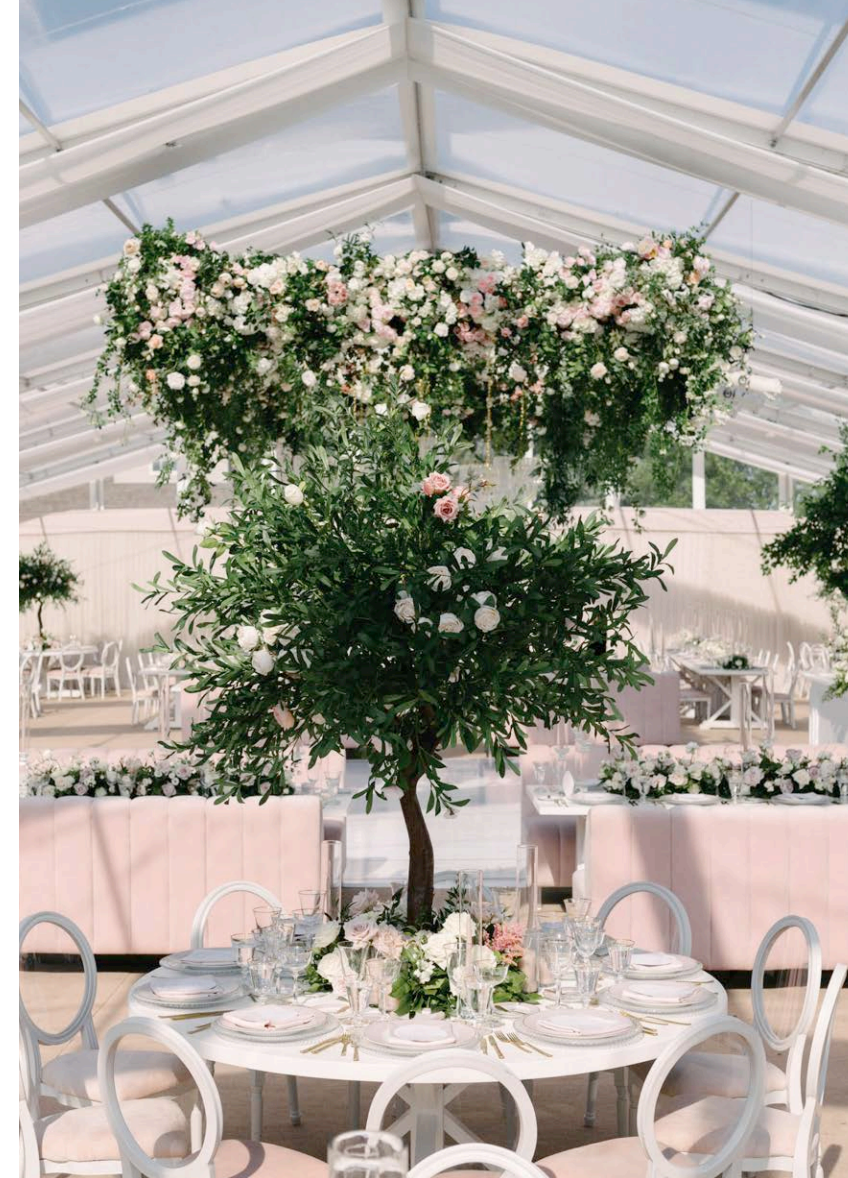


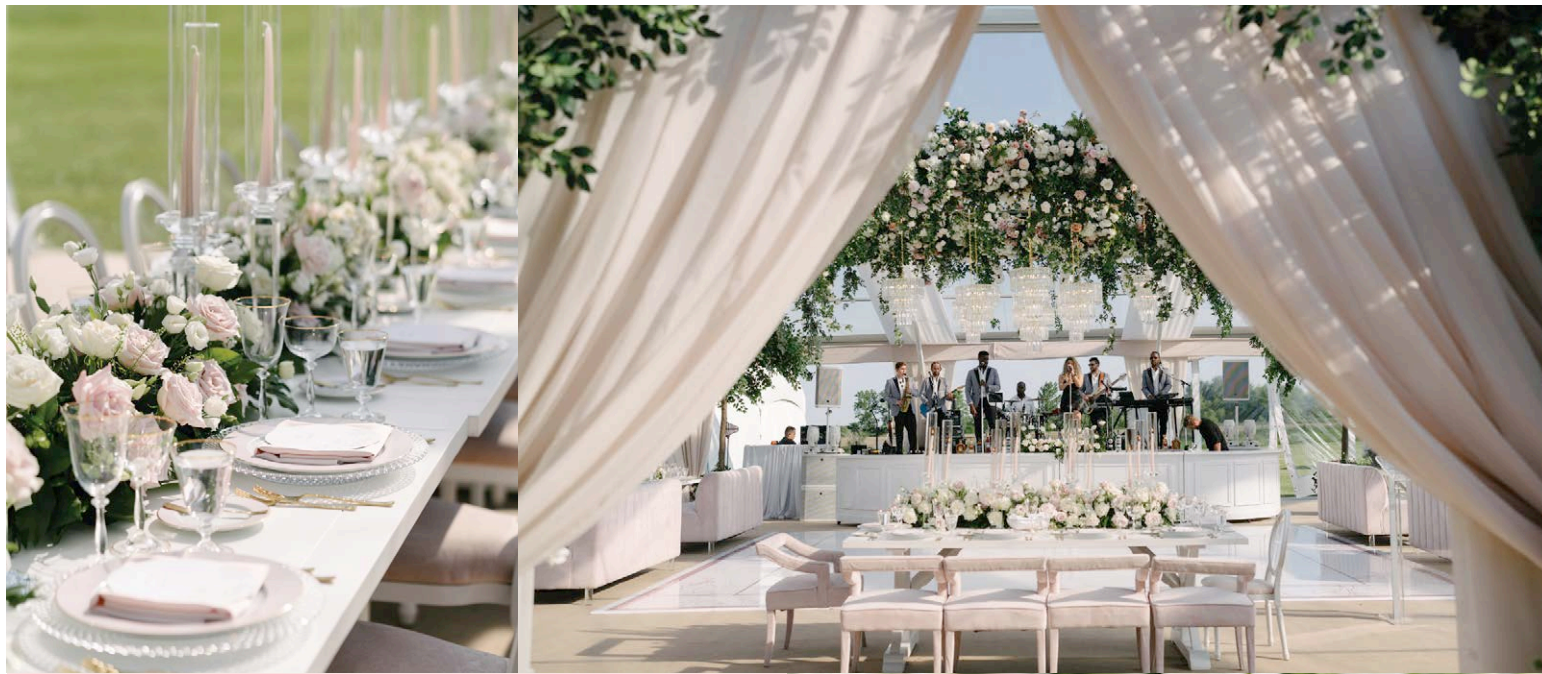
Carolyn describes her off-the-shoulder ballgown as "the wedding dress of my childhood dreams," while Michael paired his classic off-white tuxedo with vintage cufflinks that once belonged to Carolyn's late Grandfather.



The showstopping reception tent provided by PREMIER EVENT TENT RENTALS allowed for magnificent vistas of the lush ranchland and azure skies. The dreamy floral and decor design was provided by COCO BY COVERS COUTURE in conjunction with event planning and design by SINCERELY YOURS EVENTS.







“The day was filled with love and laughter. Our family and friends came together in the most seamless and effortless way. Everyone had a fun time, and we danced until the wee hours of the morning.”

-Carolyn, Bride

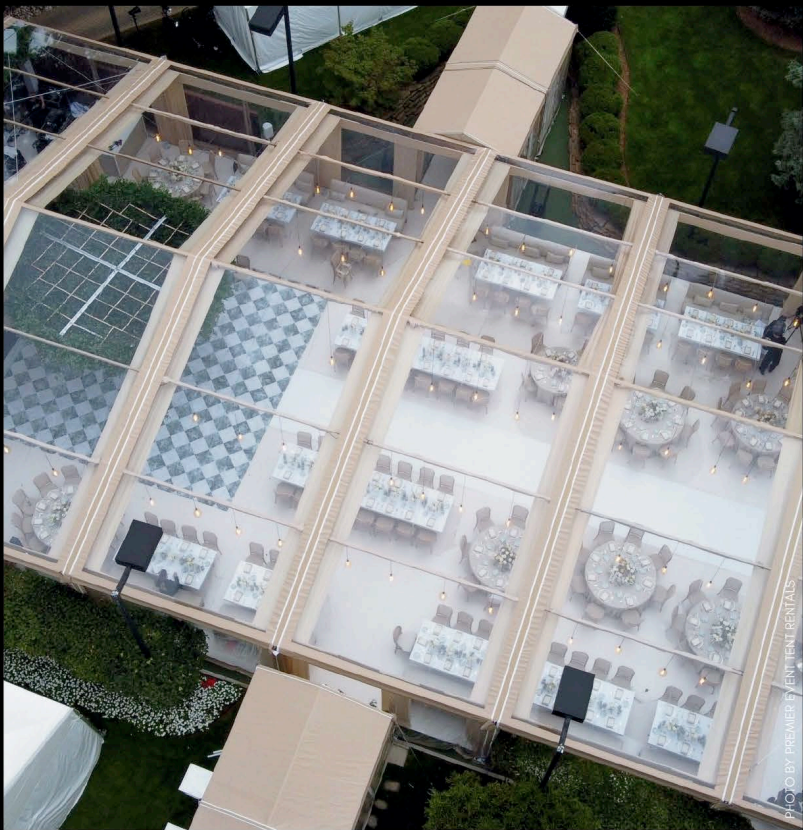


The couple and their guests enjoyed an amazing catered meal and danced all night to the sounds of a live band.



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