



ashley & jaime November 12 • Sarasota

## tropical glam

Having the perfect planner can make all the difference. Just ask Ashley Miele (31 and an engineer) and Jaime Letarte (34 and a civil designer). The couple worked with Keren Lifrak throughout their 18-month engagement to create a whimsical and glamorous wedding. A touch of old-Hollywood magic, a 1920s waterfront mansion and a peacock-feather-inspired color scheme drove the décor of the day, while plenty of sparkle—from the bride's gown, jewelry and heels—completed the look. —*Amy Eisinger* 



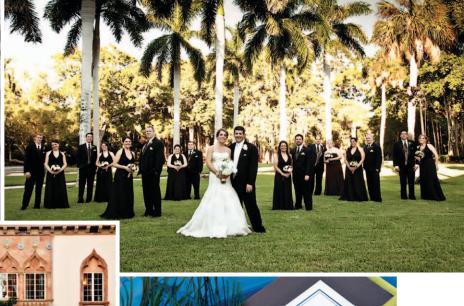








the reception Overlapping "peacock feathers" made the reception tables look lush and festive. the boutonniere To complement Ashley's bouquet, Jaime had a single ostrich feather woven into his boutonniere. the bridal party The bridesmaids wore cognac gowns, and Ashley gave them each a bracelet similar to the one she had on. The eight groomsmen matched in chocolate-brown vests. the details Feathers were the finishing touch on a number of details, like the invitations, menus and centerpieces. the ceremony Clusters of white hydrangeas framed with ostrich feathers added a whimsical element to the ceremony. the bridal bouquet Ashley carried a textural bouquet of ivory garden roses, grevillea, lisianthus, peonies and chocolate cosmos (for the sweet scent), all wrapped with ostrich feathers at the base.



















## ingredients

Ceremony Site Ca' d'Zan Mansion, Sarasota Reception Site The John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art, Sarasota Photography Vue Photography Videography Diva Productions Consultant and Designer Keren Lifrak Weddings & Special Events Ceremony Gown Lazaro, The Collection, Winter Park Reception Gown Custom Stephen Yearick, The Collection, Winter Park Hair D. Cole Hair Design Makeup Andie Sleeman Bridesmaid Dresses Wtoo Maids Formalwear Men's Wearhouse Invitations, Programs, and Escort and Menu Cards Lindsey Luxa/ Dragonfly Custom Design Flowers Flourish Event and Floral Design Catering Michael's on East Lighting Bay Stage Lighting **Linens** Connie Duglin Music Ceremony: Jane Hoffman; reception: Clint Wiley's None Other band Cake Pastries by Design Transportation Sarasota Trolley; Gold Star Limousines **Registries** Bed Bath & Beyond; Crate & Barrel