



Flower Fetish

Jennifer Anne Mitchell & Thaddeus O'Grady
Montage Resort & Spa, Laguna Beach

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Being an experienced and extremely talented wedding videographer herself, Jennifer Anne Mitchell had been to countless weddings and had just about seen it all. From simple to over-the-top, Jennifer had been the eyes and ears at weddings, capturing every moment and detail. That's why she

knew exactly what she wanted on her wedding day, and just any vendors weren't going to do, as she demanded the best. When Thaddeus proposed after dinner at The Beach House in Laguna Beach, the wheels started turning; this was going to be the most beautiful and memorable wedding her guests would ever attend!



Wedding Consultant *Kelly Michelle Weddings* **Invitations** Invitations from *Papyrus* were a champagne color with six hand-made flowers glued to the front and a sheer gold ribbon to wrap it up. **Floral & Event Design** Flowers were the theme, and they were provided in abundance by *Square Root*. Hot pink and green flowers, including roses, orchids, and calla lilies filled the ceremony and reception with blooms. **Linens & Rentals** *Wildflower Linen* provided beautiful sheer slipcovers with embroidered flowers that covered the elegant mahogany chivari chairs by *Signature Party Rentals* **Catering** Perched high on a cliff overlooking the ocean, a twin dolphin ice sculpture embracing thousands of prawns was the centerpiece of the cocktail reception. An international cheese table and butler passed appetizers were included. A four-course plated meal

followed, serving spinach and basil gnocchi, Caesar salad, surf and turf of filet and lobster tail, and finally the coveted warm bananas foster for dessert. **Cake** A four-tier round fondant cake by the *Montage* pastry chef comprised a summery look, and matched the décor. **Wedding Gown** A simple white strapless A-line gown from *Lezu* outfitted Jennifer. **Bridesmaid Dresses** *Jane Hamill* from *Bella Bridesmaid* in San Francisco **Formalwear** *Friar Tax Shop* **Hair & Makeup** *Design Visage* **Entertainment** *Chamber String Quartet* played during the ceremony and *West Coast Music* provided *The Cowling Band*. The phenomenal ten piece band played everything from the Beatles to Outkast; guests still rave about them. **Videography** *Moonshine Park Productions* **Favors** Chocolate covered strawberries



