

> FEATURE WEDDING: "I remember the butterfly feeling to this day, and I never ever got that before with anybody!"















The wait was worth it because it was then The two originally planned a March wed-I never ever got that before with anybody!"

Monaco Grand Prix and it was in the cou- Wedding festivities kicked off Wednesday ple's hotel room right before the race began night with a birthday party at Nobu in 2014 that he proposed. After Danica was in Malibu for the bride-to-be. Thursday ready to go, the man of few words asked was a rehearsal dinner and Friday was a if she was missing anything. He held out Kentucky Derby-themed meet and greet since the ring and said, "I think you are missing the wedding was taking place on race day. this." The couple met up with friends and celebrated all afternoon and night.

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they both knew it was love: "She was walk- ding in Cabo San Lucas but a hurricane ing over with a plate of BBQ," David recalls, forced them to cancel the date. As Danica "and a beautiful smile on her face. I knew I says, everything worked out for a reason felt differently about her than anyone else I though, and with the help of their wedding had ever come across." "I remember the but- planner, they found their dream venue terfly feeling to this day," Danica adds, "and the Hotel Bel-Air in Los Angeles. It was a perfect location to create the sexy, elegant One of David's favorite weekends is the cocktail vibe Danica envisioned.

On the big day, the couple's 200 guests gathered at the hotel's Swan Lake for the ceremony. "I was excited. Looking at her and knowing she was going to be the person I spent the rest of my life with, was a happy feeling and I was even more happy to have all of our friends and family there to celebrate with," says David. Throughout the service, a gospel choir sang songs such as "Stay With Me" and "(Your Love Keeps Lifting Me) Higher and Higher."

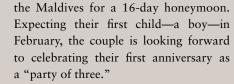
Cocktail hour and dinner were also on the lawn under the stars, before the party was moved into the ballroom for the clublike atmosphere of the reception and afterhours party complete with In-N-Out Burger for late-night snacks.

"Our closest friends and family absolutely made our wedding weekend an event we could never recreate or forget," says Danica. "We felt so much genuine love and happiness from everyone that entire weekend."

The newlyweds spent a few more days in Los Angeles before heading to Dubai and







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