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## SARAH & DANIEL

# Twist on Tradition

**WHO** Sarah Frenkel, 26, media planner, and Daniel Waine, 26, private equity manager.

**WHEN** March 12, 2006.

**WHERE** The ceremony was held at The Great Synagogue in Sydney, followed by a reception at Crystal Palace, Luna Park. "It was a traditional Jewish ceremony. Both our families stood under the Chuppah, the traditional wedding canopy. The Leonora Ensemble string quartet played."

**GUESTS** 180.

**DRESS** "I wore an ivory silk organza gown by Louise Alvarez Couture. It had a deep V-back and ruched bodice overlaid with corded lace. My tulle veil also had light beading."

**DRESS COST** "\$3000."

**HAIR** "It was a hot day, but I wanted my hair to look as if it were down. It was pinned back and the loose strands were tonged into waves."

**BRIDAL PARTY** "I had a maid of honour and two bridesmaids. Daniel had two groomsmen."

**BRIDESMAIDS' DRESSES** "Latte, A-line, silk satin dresses; a corner of the skirt is fixed to the waist by a fabric flower, showing the ivory lining. These were made by a retired dressmaker."

**THE RECEPTION** "Cocktails and canapés were served on the deck at sunset as guests arrived."

**FLOWERS** "The room was filled with flowers to match our bouquets. Ivory, latte and apricot roses were mixed with foliage, berries and vines."

**DECORATIONS** "There were large pedestal flower arrangements around the room, and each table had a candelabrum with cascading flowers."

**ENTERTAINMENT** "The Next Best Thing band played traditional Jewish horas."

**CAKE** "A huge croquembouche, which was dismantled and served for dessert."

**TRANSPORT** "Ivory vintage Jaguars."

**COST** "\$50,000."



"THE GUESTS had cocktails overlooking the harbour."



"MY SWAROVSKI crystal earrings were specially made."



HAND APPLIQUÉD  
CORDED LACE  
trailed across the bodice  
and onto Sarah's A-line  
double organza skirt.  
The shape of the gown  
was selected to SHOW  
OFF HER WAIST  
AND SHOULDERS

LOUISE ALVAREZ, COUTURIER



"THE COLOUR THEME was classic ivory and latte."

"THE BODICE was overlaid with corded French lace."



"MY PARENTS were married at the same synagogue."



"THE BRIDAL TABLE was draped with ivy intertwined with roses."



"A BROOCH by Sarina Suriano was pinned into my hair."



"OUR RECEPTION was held at Luna Park in Sydney"

"I HAD the same style of cake that my parents had."



## The Menu

### CANAPÉS

Sashimi tuna; duck pancakes; crouton with lamb and capsicum relish; salmon crepe roulade; spinach gow gee; tuna ceviche in shot glasses

### ENTRÉE

Lemon and herb-crusted ocean trout  
or  
Kumara ravioli with warm tomato salsa,  
lemon aioli and salmon-roe garnish

### MAIN

Veal cutlet on a potato tower with vegetables  
served with a mustard hollandaise

### DESSERT

Caramelised crème-filled profiteroles  
served with berry sorbets



## CONTACT SARAH'S DREAM TEAM

**PHOTOGRAPHY** SugarLove Pictures (02 9360 1127). **BRIDE'S DRESS**

Louise Alvarez Couture (02 9904 6566).

**JEWELLERY** Sarina Suriano (02 9319 46

**HAIR AND MAKE-UP** Bonita Chan

(www.bonita.com.au). **GROOM'S SUIT**

Peppers Formal Wear (02 9953 4261).

**FLOWERS** Julie Pilcher (02 9516 4792).

**INVITATIONS** Will's Quills (02 9411 250

**CEREMONY** The Great Synagogue (02

9267 2477). **CEREMONY MUSIC** Leonc

Ensemble (0417 657 178). **RECEPTION**

Luna Park (www.crystalpalaceweddings.co

**DECORATIONS** Staging Connections

(02 9556 8888). **CATERING AND CAKE**

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