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courtney & andrew

LAKE TAHOE · September 18 photography by Angie Silvy Photography at a private residence





the escort cards

The cards were placed in the slits of small, angled wooden stumps, which guests could take home to use as picture holders.

the bridal bouquet

Courtney carried a mix of natural elements like acorns, lotus pods and birch in her bouquet.

the gown

At first, Courtney thought this dress was a little too full, but once the consultant suggested removing the petticoats, she knew it was the one.



THE BRIDE Courtney Shackleton, 29, a firstgrade teacher in Menlo Park

THE GROOM Andrew Maury, 29, founder and managing partner of Nantucket Brand clothing

HOW THEY MET During their junior year at Boston College

HOW LONG ENGAGED A little over 1 year

THEIR WEDDING STYLE Courtney grew up vacationing at her family's house on Lake Tahoe and, in turn, dreamed of getting married there. She and Andrew merged rustic, nautical and sophisticated touches to keep things elegant without losing the outdoorsy charm. —JD









the ceremony

The ceremony took place right on Lake Tahoe, with the ski slopes in the backdrop. Simple flower arrangements kept the focus on the view.

the invitations

A ribbon, tied into a bow (Courtney's favorite part), decorated the front of the couple's pocket invitations.

the cake

Fresh flowers and ivy brought a natural touch to the cake's fondant tiers.

the formalwear

Andrew gave each of his groomsmen a unique pair of cuff links to fit their different personalities.





the bridesmaid flowers

In true Nantucket fashion (Andrew grew up there), the bridesmaids carried lightship baskets of flowers.

the table names

Courtney and Andrew named their tables after meaningful places and listed them on cards with a life preserver motif.

the wedding party looks
The bridesmaids wore navy dresses with green sashes, while the guys matched in navy-and-green striped ties.







the cocktail hour

Blue-green linens topped the bar tables and small rounds set up on the patio for predinner sips and bites.

the boutonniere

Andrew paired his navy blazer with a boutonniere of flower buds and a fiddlehead fern.

the transportation

Courtney and Andrew took pictures in a vintage Hacker-Craft boat—a perfect fit for the setting.



the details

Custom, nautical-themed beer bottle labels were a fun touch.

the reception décor

Cocktail hour took place on the patio, where mossand-votive-filled jars created a romantic glow.





COURTNEY & ANDREW'S WEDDING INGREDIENTS

CEREMONY AND RECEPTION SITE A private residence, Lake Tahoe

PHOTOGRAPHY Angie Silvy Photography

CONSULTANT Merrily Wed

VIDEOGRAPHY VideoQuest Productions

OFFICIANT The bride's cousin

GOWN Melissa Sweet, Priscilla of Boston

VEIL Priscilla of Boston

JEWELRY Necklace: Tiffany & Co.

HAIR Kristie Pellegrino/Urban Angels Salon

MAKEUP Jennifer Ergut/Kiss & Makeup

BRIDESMAID DRESSES Jenny Yoo Collection,

Bella Bridesmaid, Los Gatos

FORMALWEAR Nantucket Brand

INVITATIONS Real Card Studios; Letter Perfect

OTHER STATIONER Kimberly Richardson/White

Seal Graphics

FLOWERS Bellissima Floral Creations

RENTAL EQUIPMENT Linens: La Tavola Fine Linen Rental; other: Celebrations! Event Rentals

and Tents

CATERING D'lish Catering

MUSIC Ceremony and cocktail hour: The String Beings; reception: Busta Groove

CAKE D'lish Catering

ACCOMMODATIONS Squaw Valley USA

HONEYMOON Mini moon in Yountville,

followed by Lake Como, Italy

REGISTRIES Crate & Barrel; Macy's; Pottery Barn