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VERACRUZ THE PLACE TO GET MARRIED



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WELCOME

Romance Tourism is very significant for Mexican destinations, because of the positive impact it has on the local economy, integrating the entire network of resources that makes this industry possible. Currently, Romance Tourism is an efficient industry to accelerate the economical growth of many communities in our country, help modernize the infrastructure, boost the economy, promote our cultural resources, balance the social equality and support sustainability.

This segment covers not only destination weddings, but also proposals, bachelor and bachelorette parties, honeymoons, wedding anniversaries, vows renewals, last trip before the baby's birth (Babymoon), second nuptials, travel with the family (Family-Moon) and a new niche that is growing exponentially with the current epidemiological and economic conditions, which are elopement weddings.

In Mexico, year after year the network of resources throughout our destinations are specializing in this segment, holding a significant number of destination weddings annually. While the favorite setting for couples has been our beautiful beaches, the new generations are being attracted to colonial and adventure destinations.

Therefore, the Mexican Tourism Board - SECTUR, through the General Directorate of Innovation for Tourism, is promoting Romance Tourism, focusing not only on destination weddings, but also seeking the integration of other tourism products and experiences in and around that special moment, allowing the incorporation of the local population, which contributes to raising their quality of life.

This catalog is the result of a coordinated effort between the Destination Wedding Specialist Association - DWSA, the Ministry of Tourism and Culture of Veracruz, all the specialized suppliers of this tourist destination and the Mexican Tourism Board. Together we carried out virtual workshops to create innovative tourism services aimed to the Romance Tourism, with an individual value that gives them a distinctive character and, at the same time, a unique identity.

In this way, local vendors and communities represented by artisans, traditional cooks, agribusinesses and cooperatives have been incorporated, thus seeking social development with a gender and inclusion perspective.

It is important to mention that this work responds to the new tourist policy that seeks to encourage the benefits of this activity to showcase the localities, and reach more sectors of the population, seeking a balanced development of the country's regions.

We hope that this document is not only useful but interesting, and that it contributes to your experience of living and enjoying Mexico.



VERACRUZ



Coatepec

Veracruz is a place with important cultural richness and known for its wide diversity of ecosystems. Here you can visit beaches, incredible dunes, forests, tropical jungle and the 4 types of mangroves.

The climate of the state is warm and sub-humid, so you can choose the season that you like the most to feel the love.

Discover the charm of the main Tourist Regions. You can have a traditional wedding in the Totonaca Region, which includes 2 of the 3 World Heritage Sites of Veracruz, being the Ritual Dance of the Voladores de Papantla and the Sacred City of Tajín.

In the Culture and Adventure Region you can celebrate your wedding in Coatepec or Xico, both Pueblos Magicos - Magical Towns. Here you can also find beautiful haciendas to celebrate the union with your loved ones.



Xalapa



Tajín

VERACRUZ



De Sacrificios Island

Or if you prefer music, you can enjoy them in Tlacotalpan, Heritage City, located in the First Steps Region of Cortés. In addition, in this region you will contemplate the beauty of the beaches and its one of a kind sceneries.



Alvarado Pier

WHY ENJOY LOVE IN VERACRUZ?

Can you imagine your wedding on the seashore? Or if you are one of those couples that like mysticism, you can have an Olmec pre-Hispanic ceremony with the tranquility offered by the jungle or a virgin beach in the Tuxtlas Region.

When it comes to accessibility, the state of Veracruz has one international airport and two national ones, with more than 7 airlines and more than 6 quality land transport companies.



Boca del Río



San Juan de Ulua

Do you want to live a different experience? Our specialized vendors will be your accomplices to plan that trip. You will be able to visit the museums and live the international celebrations that the state offers you, such as the Veracruz Carnival, the Tajín Summit, the Olmec Summit, the La Candelaria festivities in Tlacotalpan, the Xantolo celebration in November, as well as the tourist trials that will take you to experience the depth of Veracruz culture.

At the same time, you can plan your destination wedding with more than 100 qualified vendors who will take care of every detail of that special day including: hotels, haciendas, lounges, gardens, restaurants, catering services, banquets, wedding coordinators, tour operators, transport companies, relaxation services and artisans, among many more.

In Veracruz you have everything you deserve to enjoy and live love. Venture to feel the magic that the state has to offer you.



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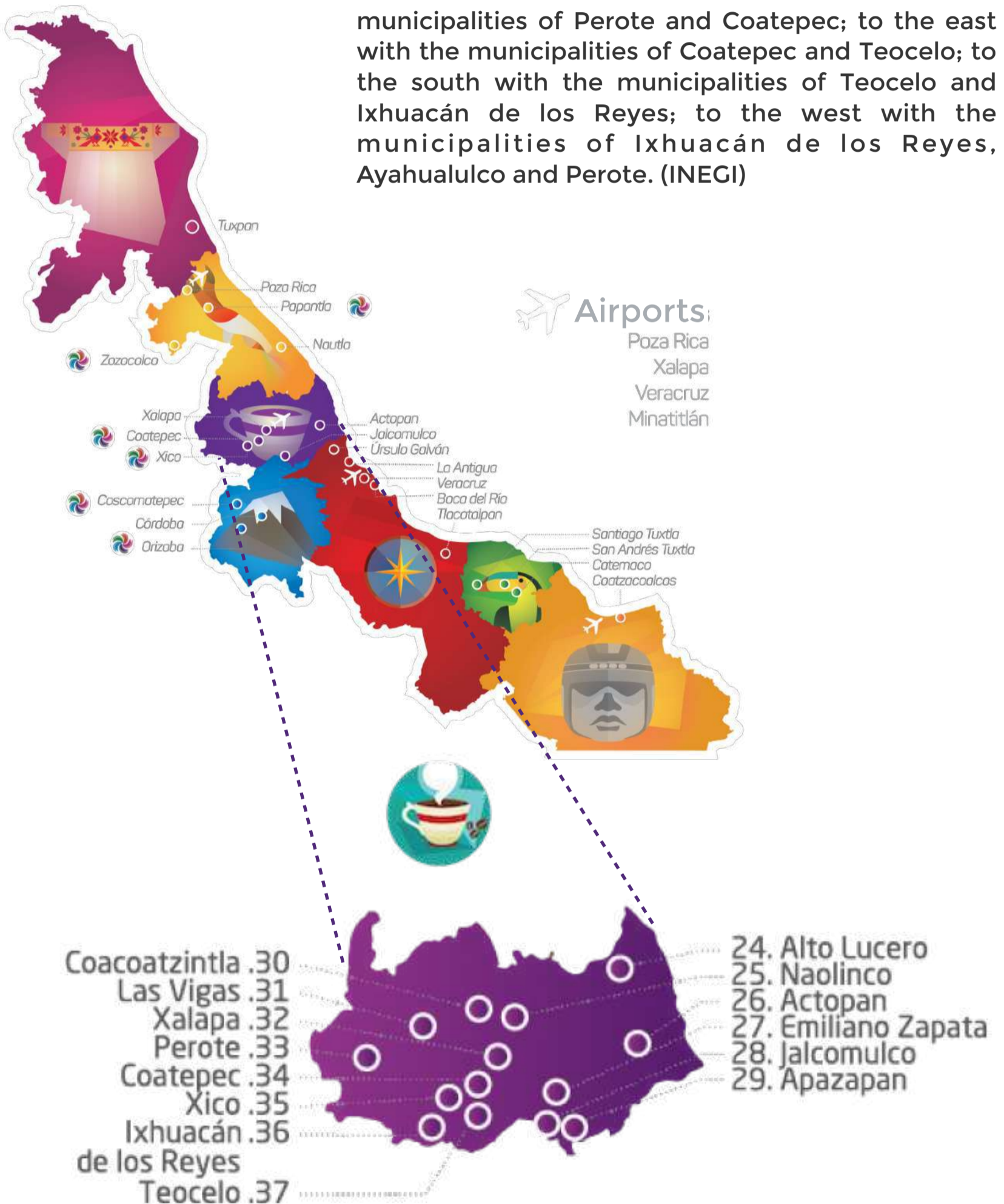
CULTURE & ADVENTURE

A journey of encounter with history and nature that begins in Xalapa, the capital of Veracruz and continues through the pueblos magicos, the green landscape, its mist forests, rivers and waterfalls, gastronomy and adventure. Nature lovers will find countless natural sites ideal for rafting, kayaking, rappelling, zip-lining and more.



LOCATION

The Municipality of Xico is located in the state of Veracruz in the region known as Culture and Adventure. It borders to the north with the municipalities of Perote and Coatepec; to the east with the municipalities of Coatepec and Teocelo; to the south with the municipalities of Teocelo and Ixhuacán de los Reyes; to the west with the municipalities of Ixhuacán de los Reyes, Ayahualulco and Perote. (INEGI)



XICO, VERACRUZ

Xico, Veracruz, named Pueblo Magico since December 2011, is just 15 km from Xalapa, the state capital. With the Acamalin hill caressing the sunrise and the Cofre de Perote blushing the white snow of the Pico de Orizaba, its natural waterfalls and its green coffee plantations, its architecture, gastronomy and traditions, it has the perfect balance to satisfy the visitors and a significant experience for the couple and guests who do their wedding in Xico.

The "xiqueños" are distinguished by their warmth and amazing service to all visitors. Artisanal activities are the core of the economic, social, cultural and religious activities.



ALEX MORALES



VIDEO

XICO, VERACRUZ

The romance tourism in Xico considers a sustainable approach, since the community takes part in the different activities, the architectural layout, the respectful and optimal use of environmental resources, cultural and traditional assets, allow the direct and indirect creation of employment and income for Xiqueño families. Its land connectivity, excellent gastronomy, traditions and hotel offer for all tastes, from comfortable cabins to colonial-style hotels, make Xico, Pueblo Magico, a wonderful wedding destination in the State of Veracruz.





CULTURE, CELEBRATION & TRADITIONS

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LET ME SHOW
YOU A PLACE
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COUPLE EXPERIENCE

BREAD IS CELEBRATION



The tradition of flavor, the perfect mix, waiting times, the warm embrace of the oven and the sincere smile will be the magic of a tasty bread waiting.

In this Artisan Bakery Workshop they will share the dough, the table and the smile. With the guidance of the house bakers, they will be able to make bread with the traditional recipe of the town, they will bake bread and souvenirs with wood.

Xico's wood-fired bread is a gastronomic product recognized in this region of Veracruz, for its unique flavor. A delicious experience to do as a couple.



BREAD IS A CELEBRATION

Includes: Workshop, tools, explanation by the baker and the prepared bread. Maximum 6 pieces. The bread will be delivered 2 hours after the workshop, since it is baked at the moment.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothes.

Restrictions: This bread has gluten, chocolate, sugar, nuts. Activity not suitable for people in a wheelchair.



MAKE YOUR OWN MOON



Peace, tranquility and balance. There is no better way to enjoy your wedding than to be in emotional harmony.

Facing the mountains and overlooking the Acamalin hill, the pre-Hispanic area of the town, you will enjoy a natural paradise where you can relax and express your true love and will create a unique atmosphere on your wedding day.



You will recognize your souls that will unify in essence, to carry out a work of evolution and preparation for your life as a couple; embracing a way of life based on understanding, offering the best of each other in life through love, awareness, compassion and service.

MAKE YOUR OWN MOON



Includes: Individual and couple recognition, soul expression, personal moons, love meditation.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothing, ideal for everyone.

Observation: This activity does not belong to any religion.



DINNER FOR TWO

Nothing better than a romantic candlelight dinner in classic style at the Las Magdalenas Boutique Hotel, located in the historic downtown of this incredible town.

Set in a magnificent colonial-style mansion built in the 19th century, considered a historic moment, the exquisiteness of its environment is ideal for a great finale.

Privacy, good taste, elegance, attention and traditional gastronomy, in a cellar specially prepared for you to top this magical experience in Xico.

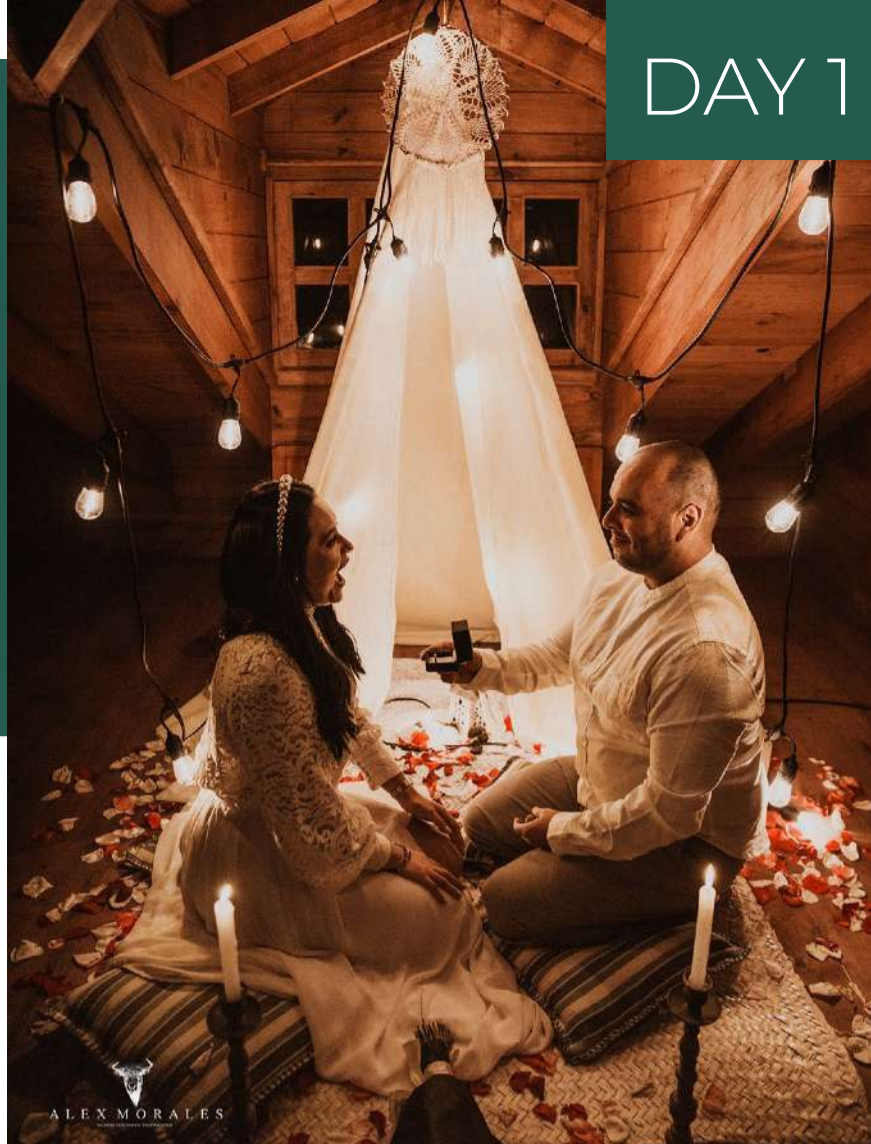
Includes:

4-course menu of typical food of the region with a gourmet touch, coffee or tea and a bottle of red wine, private cellar area of the El Veintidós restaurant, decoration with candles, centerpiece and details of natural flowers.

Duration: 2 hours.

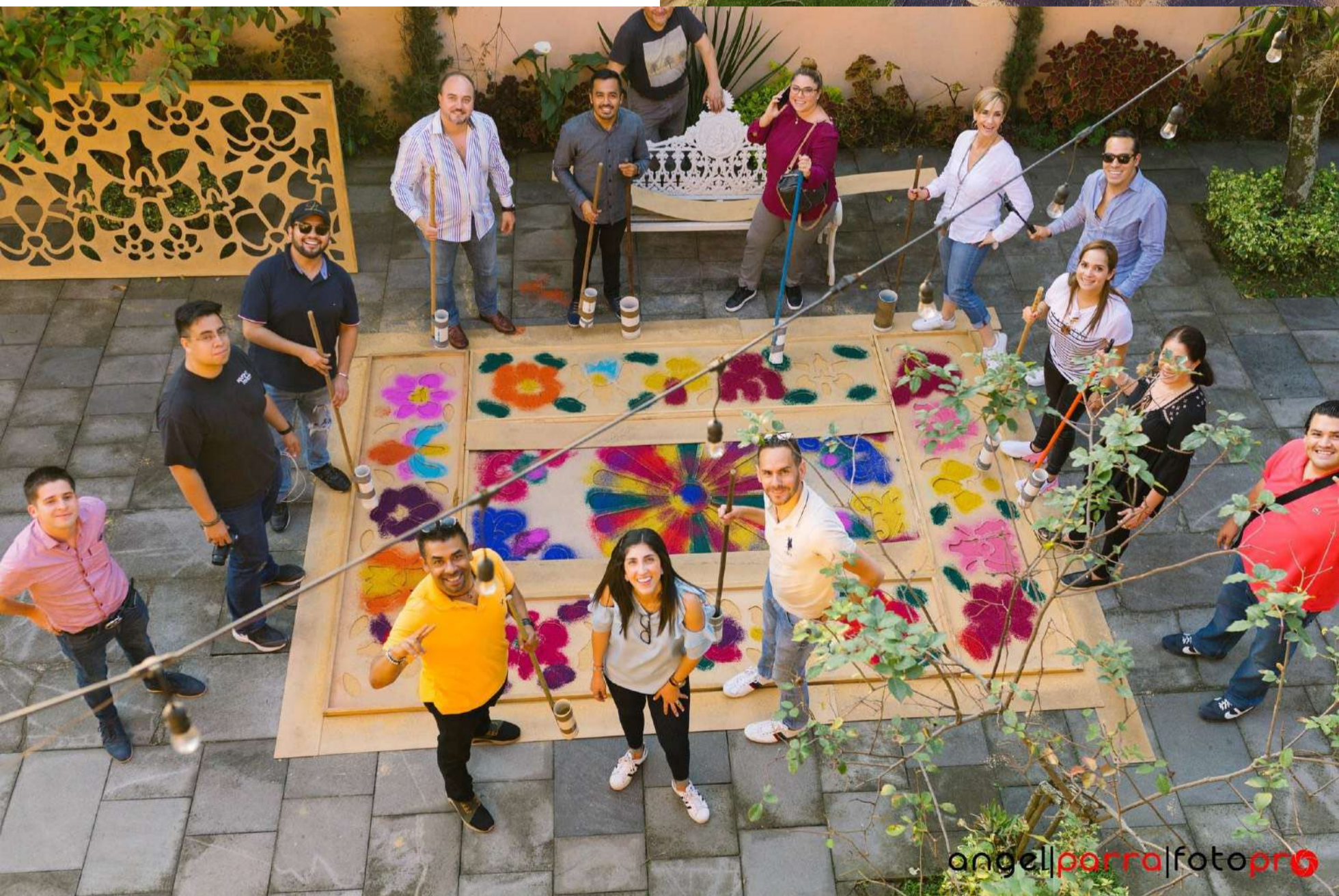
Recommendations: Dinner time must be confirmed at least 24 hours in advance.

Restrictions: Additional drinks have an extra cost.



LOVE IS TRADITION

In the town's patronal celebration, Santa María Magdalena is honored, with a parade through the streets with dancers, pyrotechnic bulls, artisanal liquor and a lot of color. One of the iconic elements of this festival, without a doubt, is a colorful painted sawdust mat that begins at the entrance of the town to allow, at night, the majestic entrance of Santa María Magdalena to its main church accompanied by waterfalls of lights and pyrotechnics.



DAY 2



LOVE IS TRADITION

The design and preparation of this handmade rug takes months for the people of Xico, from the manufacture of stencils, the painting of the sawdust and of course acquiring the correct technique of placing the colors so that the image is perfect. It is an example of devotion, commitment, faith, perseverance and team work. For this reason, we consider this activity to be a one of a kind experience to live the magic and colors of the local festivities.



LOVE IS TRADITION

Make your mat, trace, intertwine the colors of the paths that you will join. Let the traditions and magic of Xico guide you to a life walking together, step by step, regardless of adversity and enjoying all the delights always hand in hand with your partner.



Includes: Materials and tools for the workshop. Personalized class with the Master Craftsman who will teach you the technique of making the mat.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothes.

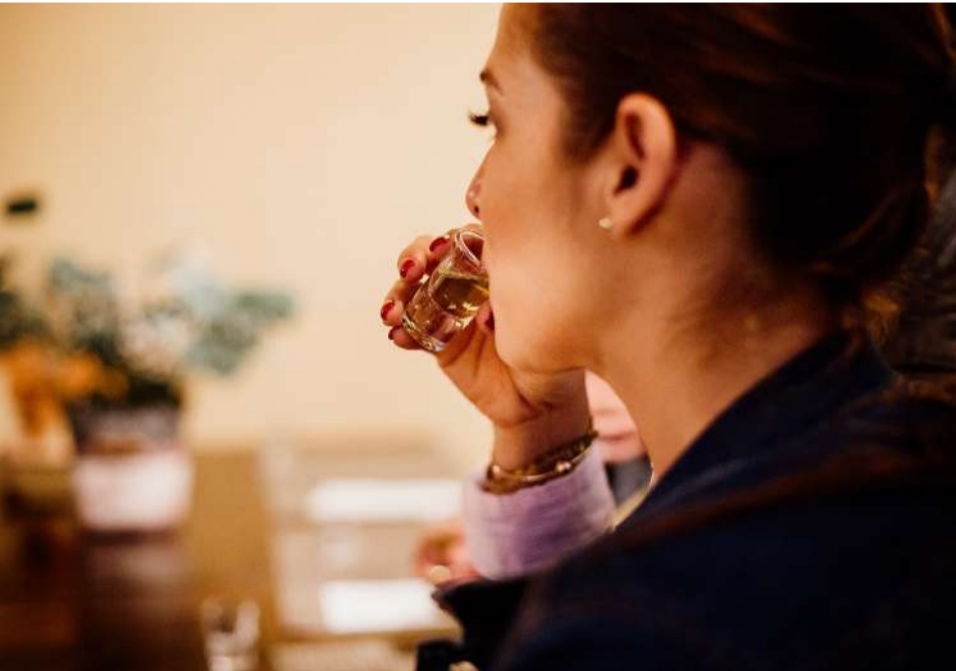




LOVE IS INTOXICATING

AFTERNOON OPTION 1

Love is passion, happiness, smile and sparkle in the eyes, complicity in the reflection of the encounter, let's toast with “morita and verde”



Morita is a fruit that grows in the upper part of the town, it is collected and harvest in the month of July, when the ladies with their buckets full of the fruit can be seen offering it house to house.

The liquor artisans are ready to squeeze and ferment the fruit, store and age in the traditional way so that they can taste this elixir of joy that runs through the veins of the party in the month of July, when xiqueños toast and enjoy the time.



LOVE IS INTOXICATING

AFTERNOON OPTION 1

Verde is an enigmatic, sweet and intoxicating liquor, made with various wild herbs. They attribute healing and aphrodisiac properties to it.

Mora & Verde, drinks of the town that celebrates, dances and happiness. Let's toast to those who give themselves and embrace their love sown among waterfalls, mountains and coffee plantations.

Includes: Tasting of verde and morita liqueurs. Host by the artisan who handcrafts these nectars.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothes.
Restrictions: Mention if there are allergies to any product, since these liqueurs are made from herbs. Not suitable for minors.



SENSORIAL LOVE

AFTERNOON OPTION 2



From the MatlacobatI ravine to small corners in the center of town, Xico is a coffee-growing town that processes specialty coffee for local and national use and for export. There are several places for the drying process of the coffee acquire from small owners who take personal care of their farms throughout the year and eagerly await the “mowing” time, which is what they call the harvest season. Some owners have their own workshops and process the coffee taking care of all the details, increasing the value of the product and ensuring that an aromatic coffee, which will make those who taste it sigh.

The flowering of coffee occurs several times a year and you can see the coffee trees covered with a pinwheel-shaped flower in small bouquets on each of the branches, which in addition to having a soft aroma, is a sight to be admired.



SENSORIAL LOVE

AFTERNOON OPTION 2

A few days later the flowers fall, the green fruit begins to grow and changes color to a reddish tone, which is just when it should be cut.

The cutters start the harvest with a "tenate" at the waist and go with their skillful hands selecting the best fruits.

You will be able to taste different roasts of the bean, for delicate and energetic tastes, select the bean and learn how it is that the washing and drying processes provide different flavors to the palate, all this from the hand of an expert coffee grower of the region.

Love for this land is magic wrapped in the cup of coffee, its aroma and consistency, its passion and its story that begins when at the first sip, they look at each other and share their entire lives.

Includes: Sample of different types of coffee extraction processes, guided by a barista.

Duration: 1 hour.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothing, avoid chewing any type of gum, mints and tobacco prior to tasting.

Restrictions: Consider it to be caffeinated coffee. Not suitable for minors.





ROMANTIC HORSEBACK RIDING THROUGH THE VILLAGE

ADDITIONAL

Nothing like hearing the sound of a horse's footsteps on the historic stone roads.

In this ride you will be able to visit and learn about downtown Xico, Del Llanito small square, De los Portales square, Del Caracol neighborhood, and get away little by little from the bustle of the town to climb the high mountain and contemplate the beautiful landscapes that frame this magical town.

During the tour you will share as a couple the experience of visiting this incredible destination and its surroundings in an unforgettable way.

ROMANTIC HORSEBACK RIDING THROUGH THE VILLAGE

ADITIONAL

Includes: Horseback riding through the town with a guide.

Cost: This activity is not included in the experience, it has an additional cost.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Jeans, boots, booties, closed shoe or sports shoe.

Restrictions: Avoid crocs, sandals, clogs or any other type of footwear that slips or falls easily. This activity is not suitable for those with a spinal injury, inebriated or pregnant.






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WEDDING AND EVENT PHOTOGRAPHER

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GROUP EXPERIENCE



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PRE-WEDDING FALL IN LOVE IN XICO

THE MAGIC OF THE PORT

OPTION 1



They say that you were not in Veracruz, if you did not visit its beaches and knew the warmth of its people.

Start this wonderful weekend, taking a tour of the Historic Veracruz Downtown, visiting the most emblematic places of Jarocho port, learning its incredible stories and legends that will make you vibrate and add wonderful memories and unforgettable flavors.



THE MAGIC OF THE PORT

OPTION 1

You will taste a delicious meal in Veracruz, with the best dishes of the region.

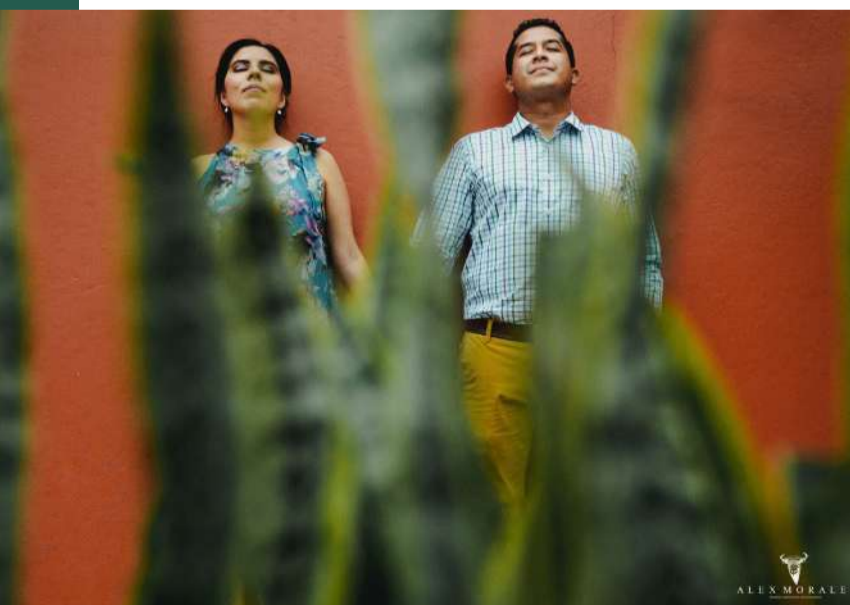
Continuing on your way to Xico, Pueblo Magico. You cannot miss walking the streets of La Antigua, a place that tells the history of Veracruz and Mexico since its establishment.

Upon arrival in Xico, we will take you to your lodging, where you will spend the following nights of rest.

After taking a break, you will go to your first gastronomic experience of this wonderful town, where without a doubt you will enjoy the flavors and aromas, as well as taste and learn the history of the typical liquors of this region called Verde and Morita.



San Juan De Ulua



THE MAGIC OF THE PORT

OPTION 1

ITINERARY

- Reception at the airport with a welcome sign.
- Souvenir of local product from Xico.
- Box lunch on the way, for people who could not have breakfast.
- Guided city tour through the historic Veracruz downtown, where you can get on and off the unit to take photos of the places to visit (Baluarte de Santiago, trolley car del Recuerdo, Zócalo, Del Cristo church, Cathedral, Plaza de la Republica, Old Station of Railroads, Benito Juárez Lighthouse and route in San Juan de Ulúa).
- Lunch at Villa Rica restaurant in the historic downtown.
- Guided tour with tickets to the House of Hernan Cortes and the Ermita del Rosario.
- Arrival in Xico and check in.
- Dinner in a traditional restaurant of Xico.
- Liquor tasting at dinner.



THE MAGIC OF THE PORT

OPTION 1



Includes: Transfers in Sprinter unit for 20 people, tourist guide, welcome souvenir of your choice (samples of local liquors, sweets of the region, Xico mask keychain), guided tour, tickets to San Juan de Ulua, tour of the city, entrance to the House of Hernan Cortes, tour of the Ermita del Rosario, box lunch, lunch in a traditional restaurant, liquor tasting, Xiqueña dinner. The meal plan includes food and non-alcoholic beverages.

Duration: 12 hours.

Recommendations: Arrival before 10 am, comfortable clothes and shoes, indicate if there are guests with special diet. Activities suitable for everyone.

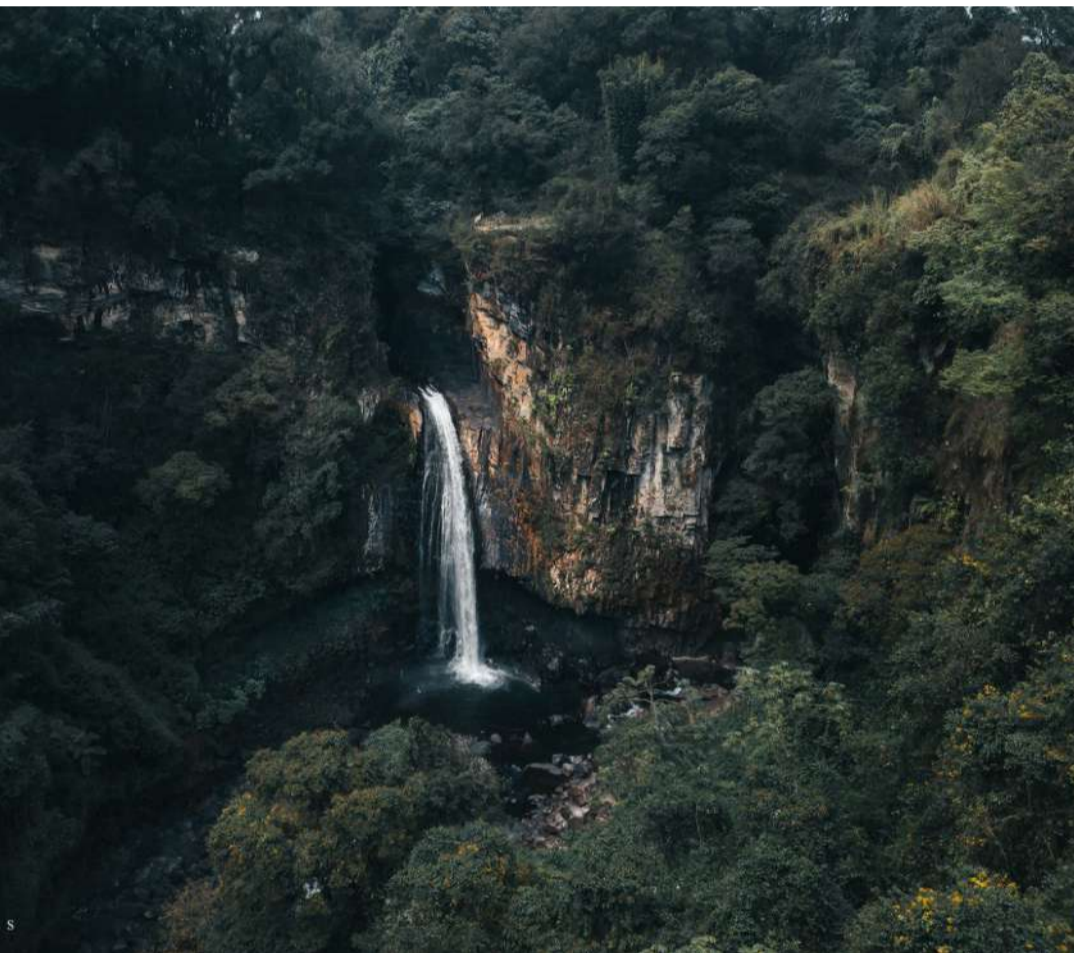
Restrictions: Minimum 20 people, the price may vary depending on the number of people. San Juan de Ulua activities are not available on Mondays.





THE MAGIC OF XICO

OPTION 2



Xico will captivate you with its cobbled streets and its colonial-style facades, its traditions and gastronomy will immerse you in a warm atmosphere that will enchant you from beginning to end.

You will walk trails where nature manages to embrace with its peculiar aroma of coffee. You will enjoy a talk about the coffee that makes the world fall in love and you will experience more than one way of extracting this exquisite drink.



THE MAGIC OF XICO

OPTION 2



The beautiful waterfalls that you will find in Xico are the perfect place to connect with nature, and then we will take you to enjoy Xiqueño gastronomy with the most representative dishes of the region, turned into a unique experience.



In the afternoon, the museums and streets of Xico will tell you the history and living traditions of the town, from the beautiful waterfalls created by nature to the community of Xico Viejo. You will be able to appreciate without a doubt the essence that makes it a Pueblo Magico.





THE MAGIC OF XICO

OPTION 2

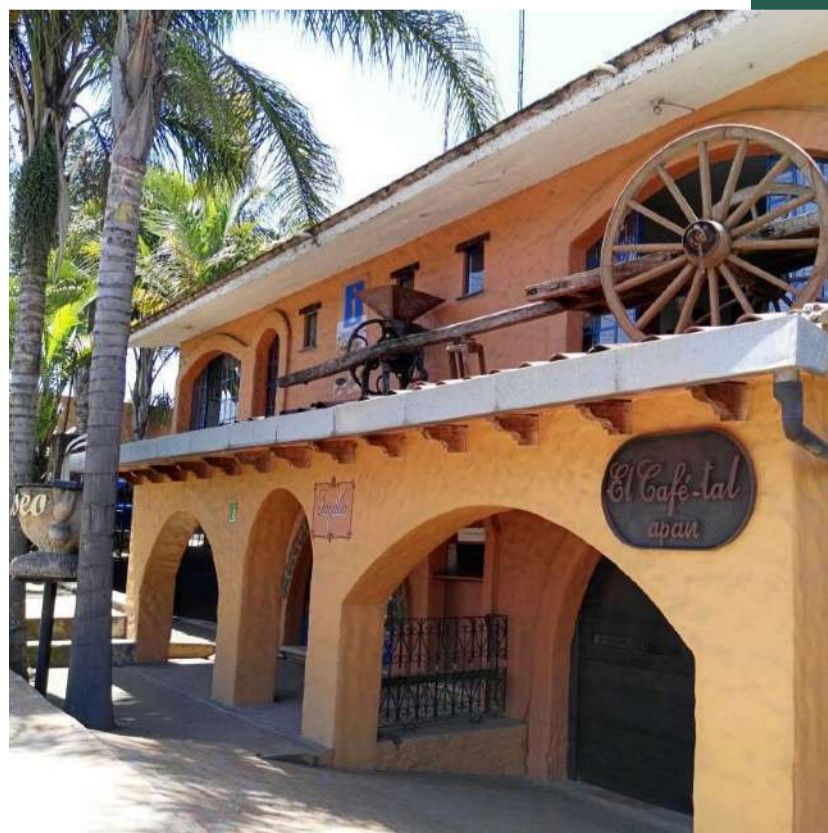
ITINERARY

MORNING

- Reception at the hotel.
- Transfers to coffee farm.
- Demonstration of coffee extraction methods.
- Tour and visit to Cascada de la Monja.
- Tour and visit to Cascada de Texolo - optional: a picnic.
- Dinner and visit to "El Paraíso de la Trucha".

AFTERNOON

Tour to Xico Viejo and the Xicochimalco Museum - pre-Hispanic pieces.



THE MAGIC OF XICO

OPTION 2

DAY 1



Includes: Transfers in Sprinter for 20 people, tour guide, demonstration of coffee extraction methods and tour of coffee plantations, guided tour of La Monja and Texolo waterfalls, guided tour of Xico, tickets to del Danzante museum, Del Vestido -Dress- museum and Del Sitio museum, food in Xico, liquor tasting, dinner with representative dishes of the region trout base, the meal plan includes food and non-alcoholic beverages.

Duration: 10 hours.

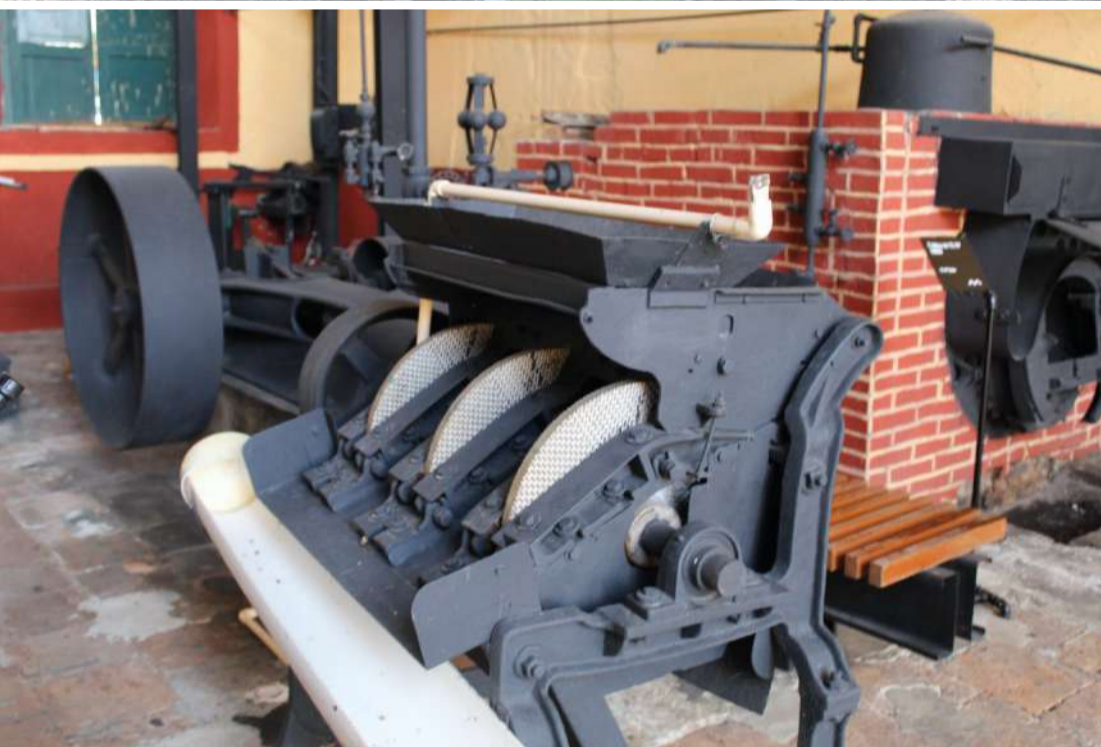
Recommendations: Wear comfortable clothes and shoes, indicate if there are guests with special diet. The visit to the waterfalls is not recommended for people with restrict mobility or in a wheelchair.

Restrictions: Minimum 20 people, the price changes depending on the number of participants, it does not include breakfast, during the meal it does not include alcoholic beverages unless mentioned.



COFFEE LOVE

OPTION 1



You will have a delicious traditional breakfast and later you will visit one of the most emblematic farms in the region, where you will learn the process of extraction and production of coffee.

You will return to the town to be able to make a great traditional bread in one of the bakeries of yesteryear, with their generational tools and their wood oven, you will have a unique experience.

You will return to the hotel so that you can get ready to live one of the best nights in town, the Romanza Xiqueña, a famous tour through the main street of the town. Our meeting point will be on the steps of the Church of Santa María Magdalena.



COFFEE LOVE

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ITINERARY

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- Tour and visit to Texolo waterfall, optional: a picnic.
- Dinner and visit to "El Paraíso de la Trucha".

AFTERNOON

- Tour to Xico Viejo and the Xicochimalco Museum - pre-Hispanic pieces.
- Danzante Museum and / or El Vestido Museum Tour.
- Guided tour of the main street of Xico.
- Time to eat in Xico (El Mesón Xiqueño, option: Campanario)
- Liquor tasting at dinner.
- Back to the hotel.





COFFEE LOVE

OPTION 1

Includes: Transfers in Sprinter unit for 20 people, tourist guide, tour experience in coffee plantations, guided visit to the Coffee Museum, coffee extraction and tasting workshop, 250 grams of coffee, gastronomic experience in the farm, bakery workshop, basket of bread made in the workshop, entrance to mentioned places, tour in an ornate calandria, 1 hour of mariachis, morita and/or verde drink and 60 cm sparklers (they can be replaced by colored ribbons or flowers) , the meal plan includes food and non-alcoholic beverages.

Duration: 12 hours.

Recommendations: Wear comfortable clothes and shoes, indicate if there are guests with special diet, indicate if there are allergies to flour, yeast or any ingredient in the bakery or pastry, an activity suitable for everybody.

Restrictions: Minimum 20 people, the price changes depending on the number of participants, it does not include breakfast, during the meal it does not include alcoholic beverages unless mentioned.



DESCEND INTO THE HEART OF VERACRUZ

OPTION 2



If you like adventure, this will be one of the best days, you will experience adrenaline in this incredible river descent, for two and a half hours in one of the best rafting areas in the country.

At the end enjoy a moment of relaxation during the meal on the riverbank.



DESCEND INTO THE HEART OF VERACRUZ

OPTION 2



In the afternoon, we return to the hotel so that you can get ready to experience one of the best nights in town.

The Romanza Xiqueña, the great and famous tour through the main street of the town. Our meeting point will be on the steps of the Church of Santa María Magdalena.

Music, verde, morita and sparklers are part of the party. We will accompany the couple in an incredible calandria pulled by horses, until we reach the icebreaker.



DESCEND IN TO THE HEART OF VERACRUZ

OPTION 2

ITINERARY

MORNING

- Reception at the hotel to go to Jalcomulco.
- Welcome at the camp and safety talk for the rafting activity in Jalcomulco (Chichaki for lunch).
- Transfer to the river bank to start the descent at 2:30 h, in the middle of the route there is a break to hydrate and regain energy, then we continue with the tour.
- At the end of the tour, you are taken to Chichaki for lunch on the riverbank.
- Return to Xico.

AFTERNOON

Romanza Xiqueña includes mariachi, decorated calandria for a typical pre-wedding tour of Xico, morita and verde liquor, traditional sparklers (can be substituted by colored ribbons or flowers). It starts at the church and ends at Las Magdalenas Hotel Boutique.

Icebreaker option with additional cost if desired.



DESCEND INTO THE HEART OF VERACRUZ

OPTION 2

Includes: Transfers in a Sprinter unit for 20 people, explanation of descent, rafting activity two and a half hours, hydrating drinks during the activity, food on the riverbank, the meal plan includes food and non-alcoholic beverages, decorated calandria tour, one hour of mariachis, morita and / or verde liquor and 60 cm sparklers (they can be changed to colored ribbons or flowers).

Duration: 12 hours.

Recommendations: Bring clothes and shoes for swimming, a change of clothes for after the descent, do not bring valuables that can fall during the activity, indicate if there are guests with special diet, you do not need to know how to swim, people in wheelchairs that can follow instructions and with arm mobility and strength can do the activity.

Restrictions: Minimum 20 people, the price changes depending on the number of participants, it does not include breakfast. During the meal it does not include alcoholic beverages unless mentioned. Minimum age for rafting is 8 years or 40 kg minimum and a maximum of 150 kg.





THE WEDDING A GREAT BEGINNING

MAKE YOUR OWN MOON

OPTIONAL ACTIVITY 1

Peace, tranquility and balance. There is no better way to enjoy your wedding than to be in emotional harmony.

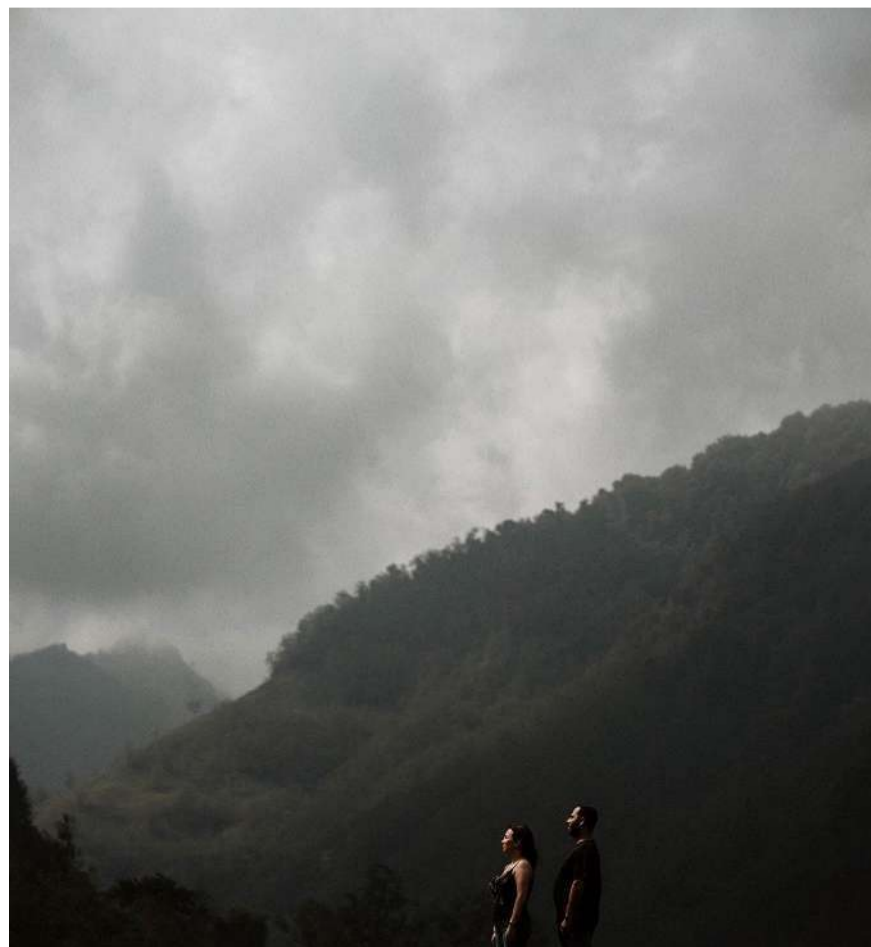
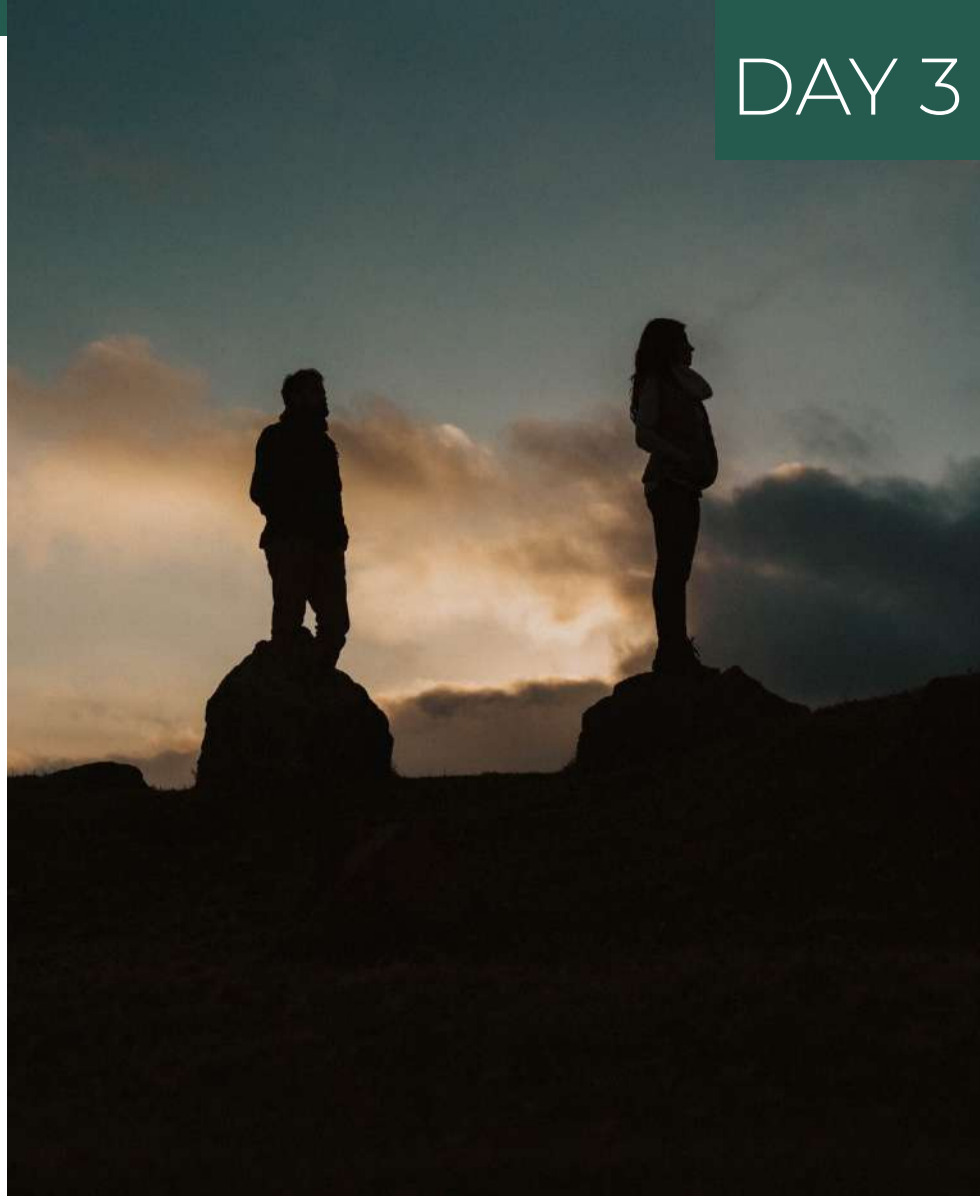
Facing the mountains in a natural paradise you can relax and express your true love creating a unique atmosphere on your wedding day.

Includes: One hour meditation session, meditation instructor.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Wear comfortable clothing that allows free movement. Activity without restrictions, suitable for everyone. It is suggested to do it in the morning.

Restrictions: Maximum 10 people per workshop. If the group is larger, the workshop is divided into different times respecting groups of 10 people.





LOVE IS TRADITION

OPTIONAL ACTIVITY 2

The streets of the town are painted in colors in the largest festival of the entire region.

Today you can enjoy making your own sawdust mat. You will be guided by one of the best and expert craftsmen in the area, you will have all the tools and material necessary to obtain a unique and special creation.

The colored sawdust rugs is a handiwork with a lot of tradition, dedication and with a thousand shapes and figures.

Includes: Instructor, material for making a 2 m by 1.5 m sawdust mat at the ceremony or venue.

Duration: 2 hours.

Recommendations: Wear comfortable clothes. Activity without restrictions, suitable for everyone.

Restrictions: Workshop and price for 10 people per group, if the group is larger it is divided into the workshop at different times respecting groups of 10 people. The next group can be programmed at the end of the first one.



ASTROLOGICAL CEREMONY

Enjoy in a different way and celebrate your commitment by joining your lives and spirit in Love and Trust. Allow the energy that the entire universe contains to bless your union. Harmonizing it with Love, Peace and Light, with the company of your loved ones in an energetic halo of the mountains of this magical town, full of singular joy.

Every seed, every beginnings and all things come from the heavens and have been created for you. Since they are part of one and the one is part of the whole, regardless of creed, place or condition. You only need to know when and how to act with conscience, to define and shape a new relationship that will unite in harmony with mother earth, will be blessed by the heavens and will be accompanied by beings of light, who are your guests.



ASTROLOGICAL CEREMONY



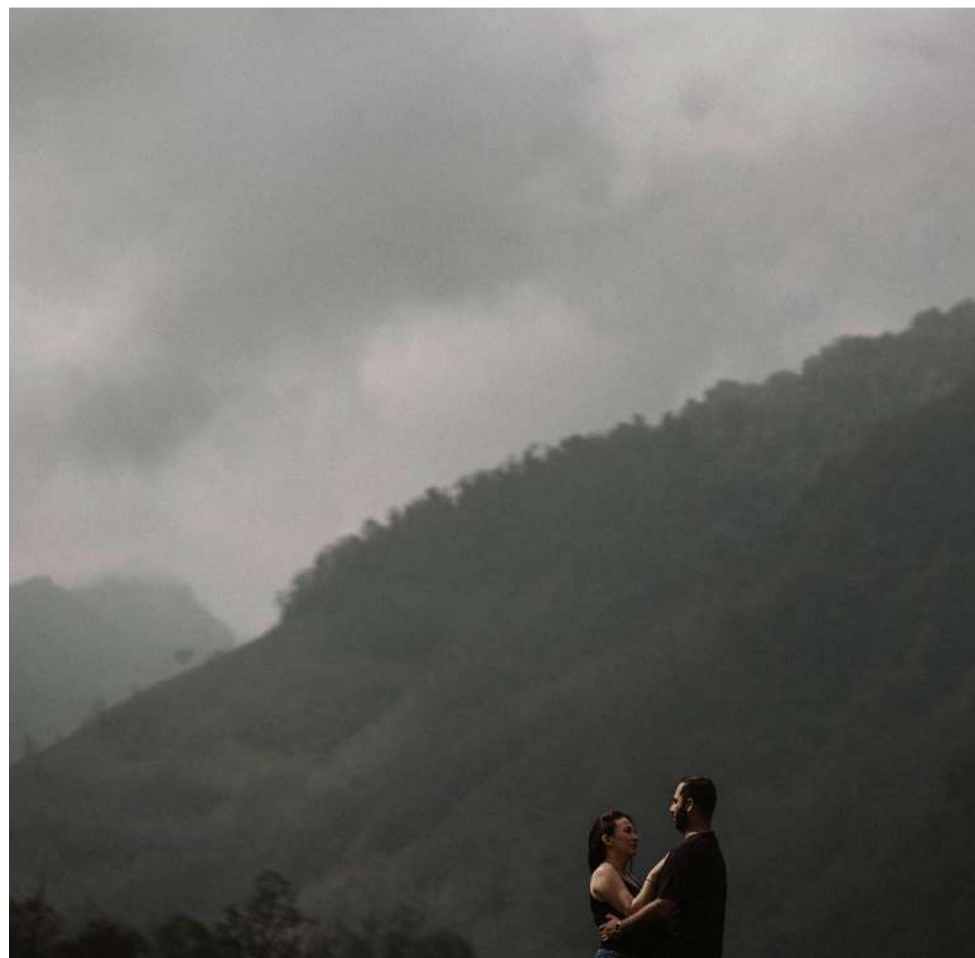
Includes: Spirit guide, 20 Tiffany chairs, audio, decorative bow.

Duration: 1 hour-1 hour 30 minutes.

Recommendations: Bring comfortable shoes and something to keep warm as it is a cool climate.

Observation: This ceremony does not belong to any religion.

It can be change to a civil or symbolic ceremony. Restrictions apply.



THE RECEPTION



LAS MAGDALENAS

Boutique Hotel

Magnificent colonial-style mansion built in the 19th century, considered a historical monument. The exquisite atmosphere is ideal for couples who want a day full of history, relaxation and personalized service.



Includes:

- Venue - corridor and central patio.
- Existing furniture.
- 3-course menu.
- Fresh waters.
- Refreshment bar.
- Coffee.
- Natural flower centerpiece.
- Crockery and glassware.
- Service for 6 hours.
- Complimentary uncorking on red, rose, white or sparkling wines.
- Restroom staff.

Restrictions: It is necessary to reserve the 7 rooms at the hotel. Service for a minimum of 26 people.

THE RECEPTION



LLANITO TREINTA Y TRES

Sensations and spaces that captivate the intimacy and exclusivity of Llanito 33, a colonial house from the late 18th century, a concept where the past and the present converge. It offers its visitors the opportunity to delve into the roots and spirit of the colonial city and in the history of ancient Xico. Located in the "Plazoleta del Llanito".

In the charm of a colonial atmosphere, Llanito 33 frames your special moments. The fusion between a colonial atmosphere and the contemporaneity of the events area, is the ideal venue for any coexistence.



Includes:

- Magnolias room with exterior portal.
- Children's play area.
- Valet in toilets.
- Banquet - 4 course menu.
- Furniture and table linens according to the style
- Square white crockery and cutlery.
- Glassware.
- Service for 6 hours.
- Uncorking service with: coke, diet coke, squirt, mineral water, natural water, coffee service and ice.
- Centerpiece with seasonal flower.

Restrictions: Service for a minimum of 26 people.

THE RECEPTION

LOMAS DE CHAUTENIC

In an area full of vegetation and in the middle of a beautiful natural setting, Lomas de Chautenic is the ideal place to hold your dream event. Here, the amazing landscapes that serve as a backdrop will beautifully frame your wedding photographs.

Lomas de Chautenic has extensive green areas, full of vegetation and ornamental elements such as its fountain and well-kept shrubs. In addition, it has an area with a floor for up to 600 people, with restrooms and parking for up to 300 cars.

The staff will serve you with great warmth and professionalism, and help you and the vendors of your choice to get the most out of its beautiful facilities. For lodging, they offer accommodation in 3 cabins for up to 6 people.



THE RECEPTION



LOMAS DE CHAUTENIC

Includes:

- Venue
- Linen and floral ceiling decoration.
- Special arrangement on the backrest and table for the couple.
- Stage for the couple's table.
- Decoration, setting and lighting.
- Flower arrangements centerpieces.
- Garden area arrangement (lounges and high tables).
- Glass tables with umbrellas and cushioned chairs in the garden.
- Vintage or classic style setup.
- Table linen and/or table runners with napkins.
- Crockery, glassware and cutlery.
- Wooden crossback and Versailles chairs.
- Special armchair for the couple.
- Giant letters (initials of the couple).
- 3-course menu with regional gourmet food.
- Welcome cocktails.
- Seasonal fruit waters.
- Soft drinks for 7 hours (Coca Cola, Fresca and mineral water).
- American coffee service.
- Latesnack.
- Service with waiters, valet parking, hostess for 7 hours.
- Bathroom maintenance.
- Coordination of the event.
- Setup for civil or religious ceremony.

Restrictions: For a minimum of 20 people in the garden with accommodation of three cabins with capacity up to 5 or 6 people.



POST-WEDDING

XICO WILL

CAPTIVATE YOU

XICO WILL CAPTIVATE YOU

Its cobblestone streets, its colonial-style facades, its attractions and representative places will immerse you in an atmosphere of warmth.

To finish falling in love with Xico, you will visit its waterfalls, this contact with nature will fill you with energy and it will be a great way to say goodbye to this magical destination.

You will have one last chance (on this trip) to take an express tour of your favorite places or buy that souvenir or artisanal liquors that you were missing.

Happy return, we hope to see you soon! We do not like goodbyes, but it will be time to end this great journey that we are sure will always be in your heart.



XICO WILL CAPTIVATE YOU

ITINERARIO

MORNING

- Transfers.
- Xico shopping excursion begins: visit downtown Xico.

AFTERNOON

- Tour of the Monja Waterfall and Texolo Waterfall or tour of former Hacienda of Xalapa or Coatepec (Lencero or Hacienda of Pacho Viejo).
- Transfer for check out.
- Departure transfer to Xalapa or Veracruz bus stations / airport.



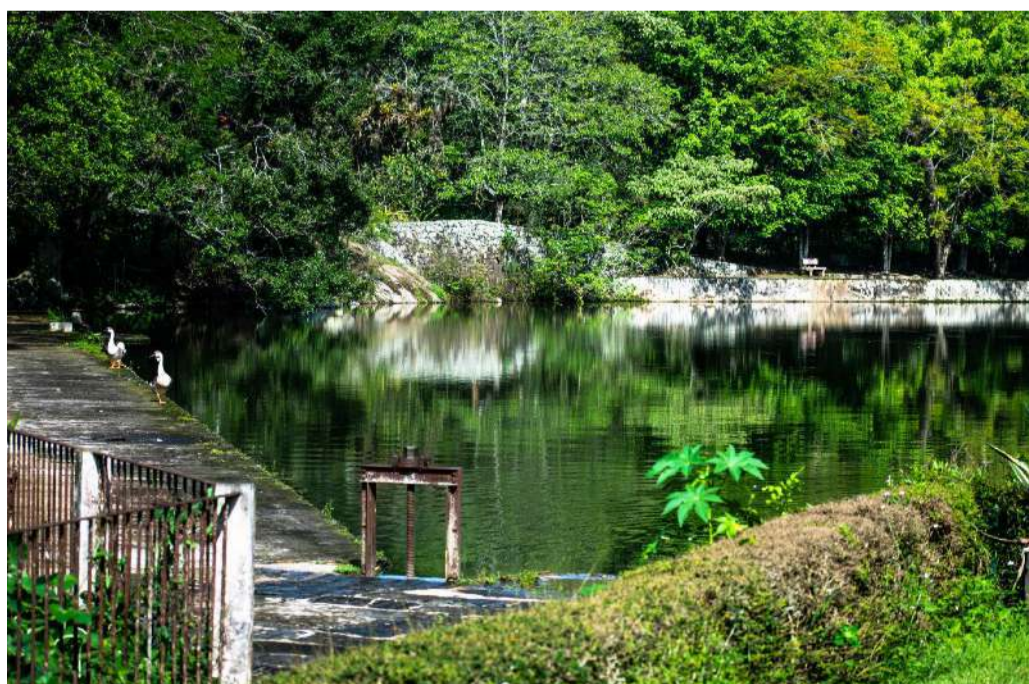
XICO WILL CAPTIVATE YOU

Includes: Transfers in Sprinter unit for 20 people, tourist guide, visit to former haciendas. Departure transfer Xico - Xalapa or Veracruz.

Duration: 10 hours.

Recommendations: Comfortable clothing and comfortable shoes. Activities to visit the waterfalls are not recommended for people with limited mobility or in wheelchair.

Restrictions: Minimum 20 people, the price changes depending on the number of participants, it does not include food or drinks.



HOTELS

REAL DE XICO

Enjoy countless landscapes throughout our magical town, get in touch with us and live incredible days in Xico, Pueblo Magico. Adventure, culture and much more in Xico, Veracruz.



LAS MAGDALENAS

Las Magdalenas Hotel Boutique emerges in a magnificent colonial-style mansion built in the 19th century, already considered a historical monument. The exquisiteness of its atmosphere is ideal for guests who want a stay full of history, relaxation and personalized service.



HOTELS

POSADA SAN MIGUEL

A place to rest and spend time relaxing, a unique concept with greater comfort and satisfaction. You will be at one of the best locations in town.



POSADA LA QUERENCIA

Visit us, rest and relax by the rain and the song of the birds, accompanied by an exquisite coffee, wine, carajillo, or a verde digestive and upon waking up a delicious breakfast or enjoy our typical food of course with the best comfort of our rooms.



HOTELS

AGUA BENDITA

Take some time to live!

Enjoy the countryside and the outdoors, taste the local flavors and experience the Magic of Xico. All this while enjoying all the comfort and attentions of Agua Bendita, Hotel de Campo.



HACIENDA SAN BARTOLO

It is a country hotel with history and culture, former coffee farm that in the 20th century became a cattle farm. In the 1990s, the hacienda was a theater school where several famous actors attended, including Marina de Tavira, and in 2017 it was refurbished respecting its infrastructure in the Hotel Hacienda San Bartolo.



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VERACRUZ MAGICAL, HISTORIC & TROPICAL

CORTES FIRST STEPS



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CORTES FIRST STEPS

The State of Veracruz, the gateway and port of entry to the western world, full of history in every corner, is a magical and tropical destination that embraces the Gulf of Mexico, marvels with its folklore, enchants with the joy and warmth of its people and make you fall in love with its gastronomy.

The central region of the State is known as First Steps of Cortes and is made up by the municipalities of Acula, Alvarado, Amatitlán, Boca del Rio, Carlos A. Carrillo, Chacaltianguis, Cosamaloapan de Carpio, Cotaxtla, Ignacio de la Llave, Ixmatalahuacan, Jamapa, La Antigua, Manlio Fabio Altamirano, Medellín de Bravo, Otatitlán, Paso de Ovejas, National Bridge, Saltabarranca, Soledad de Doblado, Tierra Blanca, Tlacojalpan, Tlacotalpan, Tlalixcoyan, Tres Valles, Tuxtilla, Ursulo Galvan and Veracruz.



CORTES FIRST STEPS

Imagine having your wedding in a beautiful building with great history or in a spectacular seaside location, have an icebreaker on an island, on a ship at sea or in an ancient fortress, celebrating your ceremony in a lobby covered with marble and glass or between the curtains of a magnificent 19th century theater. Getting married in Veracruz is the possibility of living extraordinary experiences. Don't imagine it anymore, live it!





VERACRUZ OF REMEMBRANCE



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Our experiences will not only fill your wedding with magic, but will also make your guests enjoy a stay that will remain in their memory.

If you are one of the couples who are distinguished by taste for historical spaces and love of traditions, Veracruz of Remembrance is for you. From the locations for the wedding to the activities prepared for your guests, we will have historical elements that will make you feel that nostalgia and remembrance evoking that Veracruz from the past. We not only want you to enjoy your wedding but your entire stay, so we have prepared for you and your guests different activities that you will love and will make you feel the essence of Veracruz.





PRE-WEDDING DISCOVER VERACRUZ BETWEEN HISTORY & FOLKLORE

DAY 1

We start the day by receiving you at the airport and transferring you to the hotel where you will enjoy an unforgettable stay.

The first day you will have three activities in the morning from where you can select the one that you like the most; two of them are reconnection and energy regeneration activities and the third a coffee experience.

DAY 1



RECONNECTING WITH THE PAST

OPTION 1



In this activity you will be able to visit the archaeological site of Quiahuiztlan, it is a Totonaca settlement that dates back to the Epiclassic period and is located on top of the De los Metates Hill. Inside it is possible to find the vestiges of a great culture that was invaded first by the Toltecas and later by the Mexica, some of the structures or buildings still remain standing and you will be able to visit and learn about them. You will also have the opportunity to have a 1 hour yoga and relaxation session with quartz bowls in the highest part of the site overlooking the ocean.

Duration: 5 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Quahuiztlan - Hotel).

Entrance, visit and guide to the archaeological site.

Yoga and music session with quartz bowls for 1 hour.

Yoga mat.

Does not include: Meals.

RECHARGING BATTERY... REGENERATE YOUR ENERGY

OPTION 2

Another option is to visit the Temazcal Quiahuicoatl and experience a ritual of spiritual cleansing as a couple. The temazcal is one of the oldest indigenous customs, it is the shape of an igloo, made of rustic materials, and represents the womb of mother earth and the four elements are inside: earth, water, air and fire.

Through an environment of vapors generated by infusions of medicinal and aromatic plants that are poured on red-hot volcanic stones, the mind, body and spirit are purified and harmonized. The steam that is produced makes the skin sweat, relaxing and detoxifying the body.

An experience that you should definitely live before the celebration!



Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Temazcal Quiahuicoatl - Hotel), entrance, temazcal session and ritual ceremony.

Does not include: Meals.

GUESSING THE AROMAS... REGIONAL COFFEE TASTING

OPTION 3

For lovers of coffee and its aromas, a coffee tasting from the region is an excellent option. Accompanied by a specialized barista, that will tell you about the origin and importance of our Veracruz coffee, where? In one of the most traditional alleys of the Historic Downtown of the city, the La Lagunilla alley.

Duration: 3 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Historic Center - Hotel).

Coffee tasting and barista talk.

Does not include: Meals.



FLAVORS AMONG ARCHES & DUNGEONS

After taking a break at the hotel and eating a quick snack, in the afternoon we will head to the planned icebreaker at any of these three locations: the Old Fortress of San Juan de Ulua, the Baluarte de Santiago or the Old Railway Station. You will live a spectacular gastronomic experience of Veracruz through time, in which we will have the guidance of a specialized chef, complemented with a bar of traditional toritos and local craft beer.



FLAVORS AMONG ARCHES & DUNGEONS



Duration: 5 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - venue - Hotel), access to the venue, food and drinks suggestions from the chef, toritos and local craft beer, background music and event permit.

Restriction: Subject to availability and event permit.

FLAVORS AMONG TRADITION & THE SEA

One of the most traditional seafood restaurants in Veracruz is Villa Rica Diligencias located at Diligencias Hotel in the Historic downtown of the city, so you cannot miss it and taste the best delicacies of our sea gastronomy.

Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Restaurant - Hotel).

Food suggestions from the chef.

Prior reservation.

Does not include: Drinks.





CALLEJONEADA JAROCHA

To finish the day, you will visit the streets, alleys and corners of the Historic downtown of Veracruz, in a nocturnal Callejoneada Jarocha with traditional characters, mojigangas and a lot of Veracruz folklore.

Duration: 2 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Icebreaker - Historic downtown - Hotel).

Walking tour through the alleys of the Historic downtown.

Mojigangas jarochas show.

Does not include: Food and drinks.





THE WEDDING
WRITING YOUR
OWN STORY



THE CEREMONY

There a variety of imposing and wonderful constructions dating from the 16th to the 19th centuries! How would you like to have your civil or spiritual ceremony in the hall of the Francisco X. Clavijero Theater located in the Historic downtown of the City of Veracruz, under its surprising giant chandelier, or even between its curtains on the stage?

The Francisco X. Clavijero Theater was inaugurated in 1902. Its façade is neoclassical in style although it reveals certain touches of French influence, its gigantic and fine mirrors and marble floors give it a certain aristocratic air, making it one of the scenic spaces with greatest tradition in the city.





THE CEREMONY

Do you prefer outdoors? An intimate ceremony in the center of Casa de Hernan Cortes in the city of La Antigua is an excellent option.

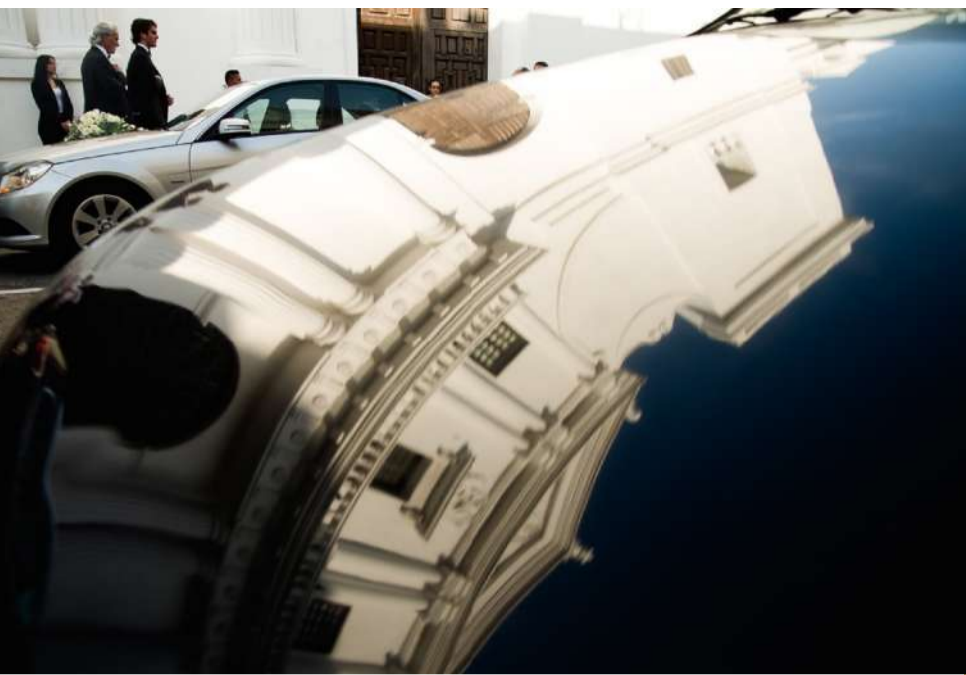
In this Sevillian-style construction there is an almost intact waterwheel from which the water was obtained, a large part of the rooms that surround the central patio are still standing and it is impressive to see the walls that mix bricks with coral stones, the rustic clay floors are maintained and there is even a bread oven that is kept in perfect condition.

There are three rooms that protect the roots of the lovers, the most photographed and the greatest attraction of the place. So it will be impressive for your guests to see in the so-called Cortes room, how the roots of the trees grow in to the place. It seems they are telling the history of the conquest, of everything that this house lived through and of the evolution of Mexico. A whole poem that will complement your love story!

THE CEREMONY



Duration: 1 hour and 30 minutes.
Minimum: 20 people.
Includes:
Transfers (Hotel - Venue - Hotel).
Access to the venue.
Officiant / Judge.
Ceremony.
Sound equipment with speaker and microphone for ceremony.
Access permit for ceremony.
Decoration.
Restrictions: Subject to availability and permits.



THE CEREMONY

And for a Catholic ceremony, the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Assumption, built at the beginning of the 17th century, in a magnificent and sober neoclassical style with its simple lines and its poblano tile dome, is definitely the perfect setting.

Duration: 1 hour and 30 minutes.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Cathedral - Hotel).

Priest.

Ceremony.

Decoration.



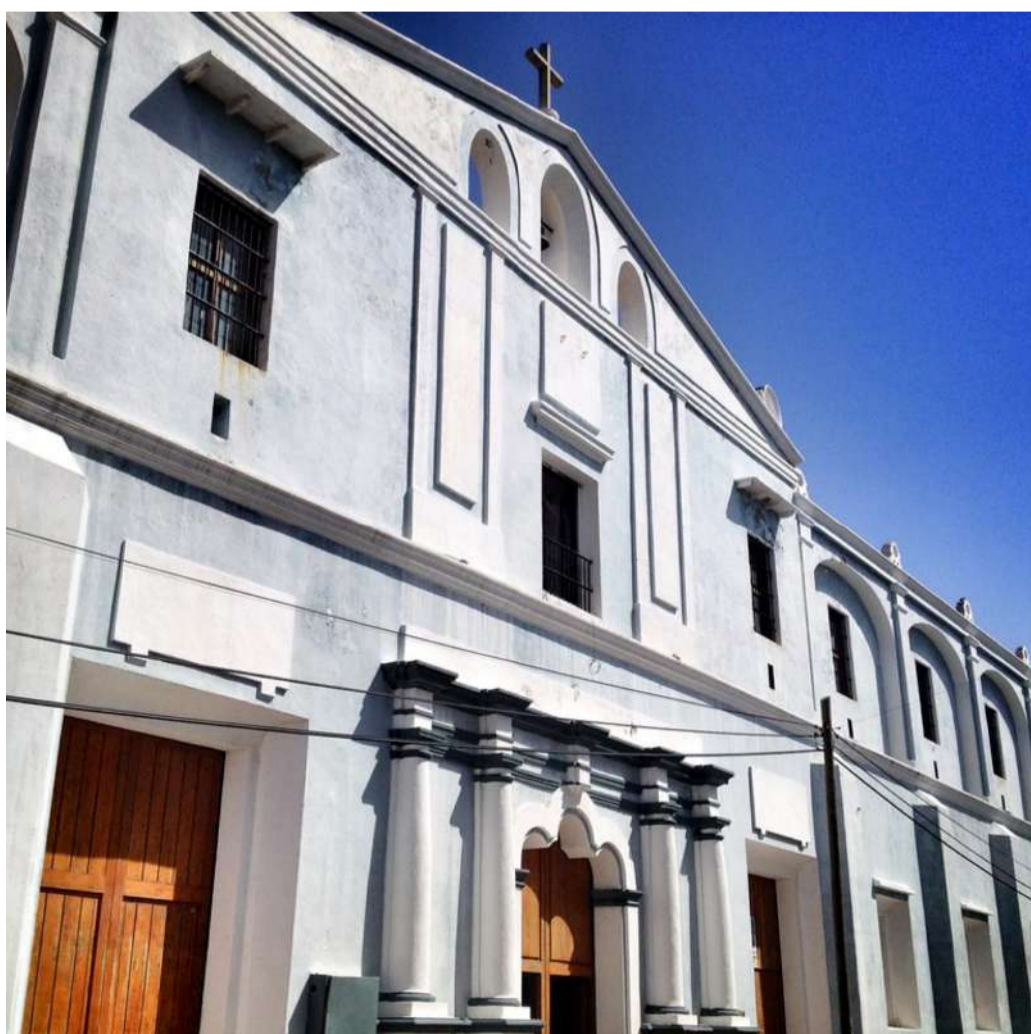
THE RECEPTION

The moment of celebration has arrived! How about venues such as the Betlemita former convent, the Atarazanas Building, the City Museum, the Old San Carlos Military Hospital or the Julio S. Montero cobbled pedestrian street, framed by some of these buildings.



BETLEMITA FORMER CONVENT

It is one of the most emblematic buildings in the city of Veracruz, since it represents the Buenos Aires architecture built in the mid-18th century. It has been a convent for the friars of the religious order of the betlemitas, a school and a hospital. Today it is the headquarters building of the Veracruzano Institute of Culture and is dedicated to the development of cultural and artistic activities of the State.

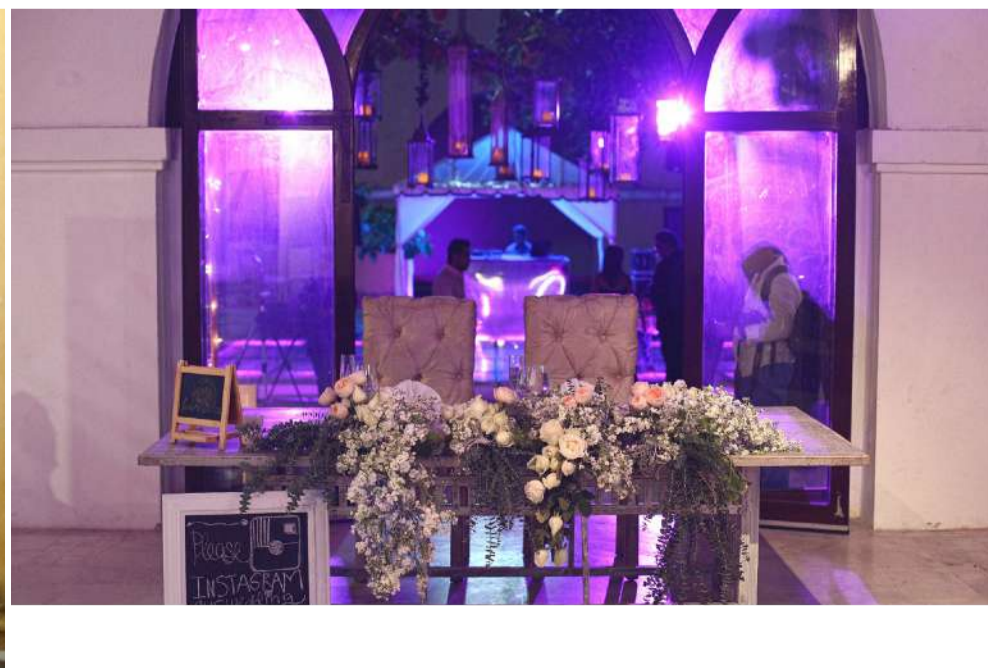
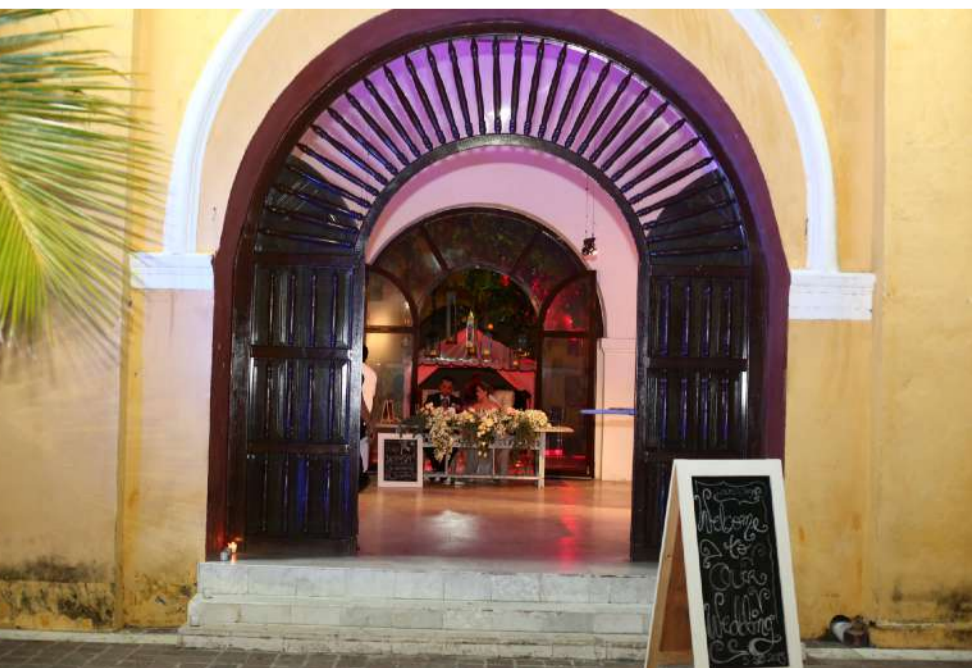


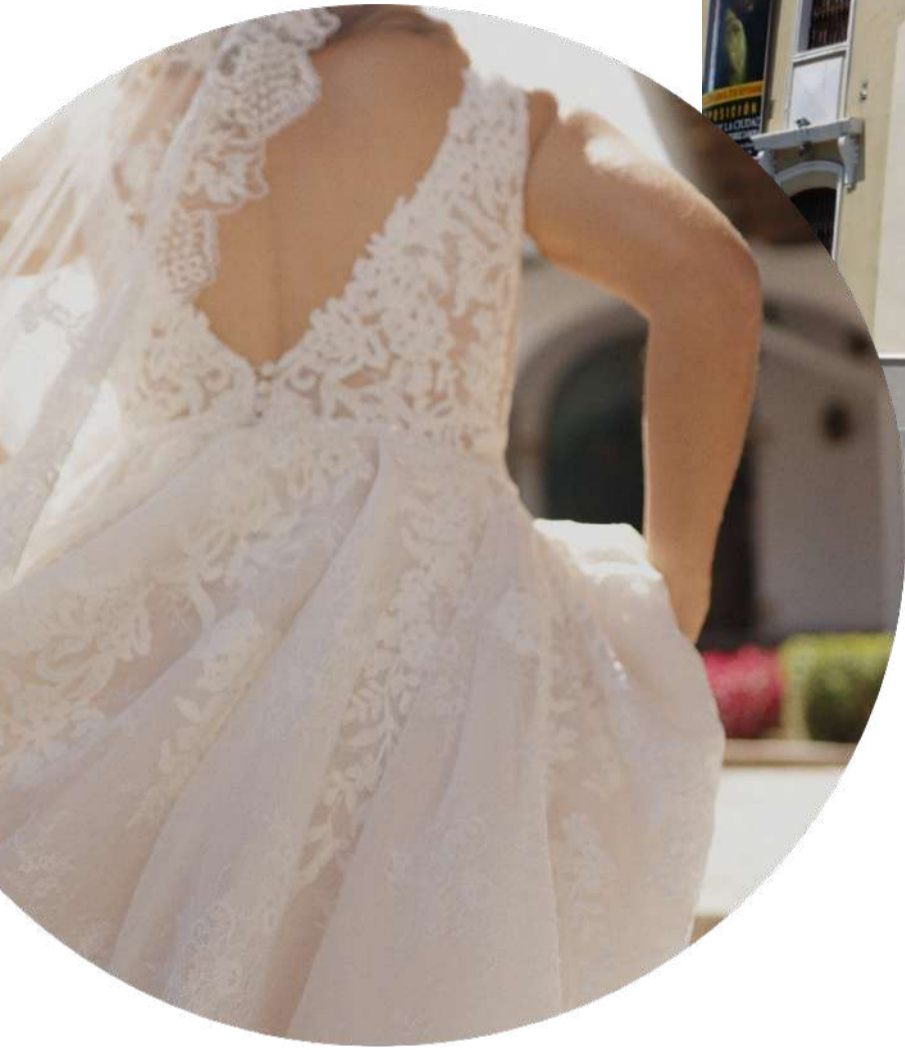
THE RECEPTION



ATARAZANAS CULTURAL CENTER

It is an 18th century construction, whose style corresponds to the architectural influences of that time: herrerian architecture, a highly authentic military model. In medieval Spain it served to defend the coasts and rivers through which various goods were traded. In Veracruz it functioned only as a warehouse, since the port was guarded by the fortress of San Juan de Ulua and the Baluarte de Santiago. The building, already restored, was inaugurated on April 21, 1991 under the tutelage of the Veracruzano Institute of Culture. Today it has become a space for art and culture with a strong inclination towards popular and community trends.





THE RECEPTION

VERACRUZ CITY MUSEUM

It is a two-story magnificent building with an architectural composition of neoclassical style from the mid and late nineteenth century. With its gigantic main wooden door, its beautiful bronze gate with secondary doors and its central patio surrounded by beams galleries and arcades with pilasters and columns, it is the ideal place for your celebration.



THE RECEPTION

SAN CARLOS FORMER MILITAR HOSPITAL

It was the first military hospital in Mexico and in all of America; It was built with sea stone within the walls that surrounded the city and it was inaugurated in December 1764 by the name of San Carlos hospital. With a neoclassical military architectural style built with mask stone, it has been considered one of the most important points of concentration and attention for civilians, sea and land troops who were injured during the fighting that took place in the heroic defenses of the port.





JULIO S. MONTERO PEDESTRIAN STREET

It was adapted for exclusive pedestrian use and rehabilitated with paving stone. It is framed by the buildings of the Atarazanas Cultural Center, the Former Betlemita Convent, the Illustrious Veracruzano Institute and the Mexico Naval Museum. If you imagine your reception outdoors, this venue is a dream through time.



THE RECEPTION

Duration: 8 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: One way transfers (Hotel - Venue).

Permits and use of space for event.

Venue for 8 hours.

Hostess.

Welcome with cocktail bar and delicatessen table.

Traditional live music with an alternative touch.

3-course menu.

Setup.

Centerpieces.

DJ service.

Wedding Planner.

Restrictions: Locations subject to availability and permission.





DAY 3

POST-WEDDING
SEE YOU SOON
VERACRUZ
AMONG YOUR
COLORS & COFFEE



WHAT ARE THE FLAVORS OF TLACOTALPAN COLORS?



We arrive at the third and last day of your stay, where you will also have options to choose from! From a post-wedding brunch with typical Jarocha cuisine and a must-see Tlacotalpan Cultural Heritage of Humanity by UNESCO.

With its colors, its typical houses, its uniqueness and tradition, Tlacotalpan is a town that will enchant those who visit it, and it is definitely a must-see when talking about Veracruz of remembrance.

Duration: 7 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Tlacotalpan - Hotel), traditional brunch, soft drinks, tour of the town and boat ride.

Does not include: Alcohol, food outside the established menu, tickets to museums or other places and souvenirs.

AROMA OF TRADITION



SUBSTITUTION

If you prefer to stay in the City of Veracruz, you will love the alternative. You can enjoy a delicious Veracruz breakfast at Gran Café de La Parroquia and then visit the famous Veracruz Aquarium.

Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Restaurant - Aquarium - Hotel), breakfast with traditional menu, soft drinks, entrance to the Aquarium, guided tour of the Aquarium and access to the Aquarium Viewpoint.

Does not include: Alcohol, foods outside the established menu and souvenirs.





VERACRUZ
WAVES
OF THE GULF



WAVES OF THE GULF

How would you like to live an experience of sun and sea from another perspective? If you are a couples who want to get married on the beach or overlooking the ocean, Veracruz Waves of the Gulf is ideal for you. The beautiful chapel on the seafront unique in Veracruz, the spectacular wedding locations, even the activities of your guests will have the ocean present. You will enjoy your stay and discover the wonders that the Gulf of Mexico hides by simply saying yes to this incredible adventure!





PRE-WEDDING VERACRUZ PEACEFUL & TROPICAL

DAY 1

We start the day by receiving you at the airport and transferring you to the hotel where you will enjoy an unforgettable stay.

The first day you will have three activities in the morning where you will be able to select the one that you like the most, two of them with sun and sea activities and the third one of energy regeneration.



UNDER THE SEA

OPTION 1

In this activity you can snorkel or dive in the wonderful coral reefs of Veracruz, the largest in the Gulf of Mexico! There are 27 coral reefs that make up the underwater mountain chain that extends for kilometers between six islands. You will be able to admire hundreds of species of colorful fish, sea grass, urchins and starfish that share the reefs. Definitely an experience not to be missed!

Duration: 5 hours.

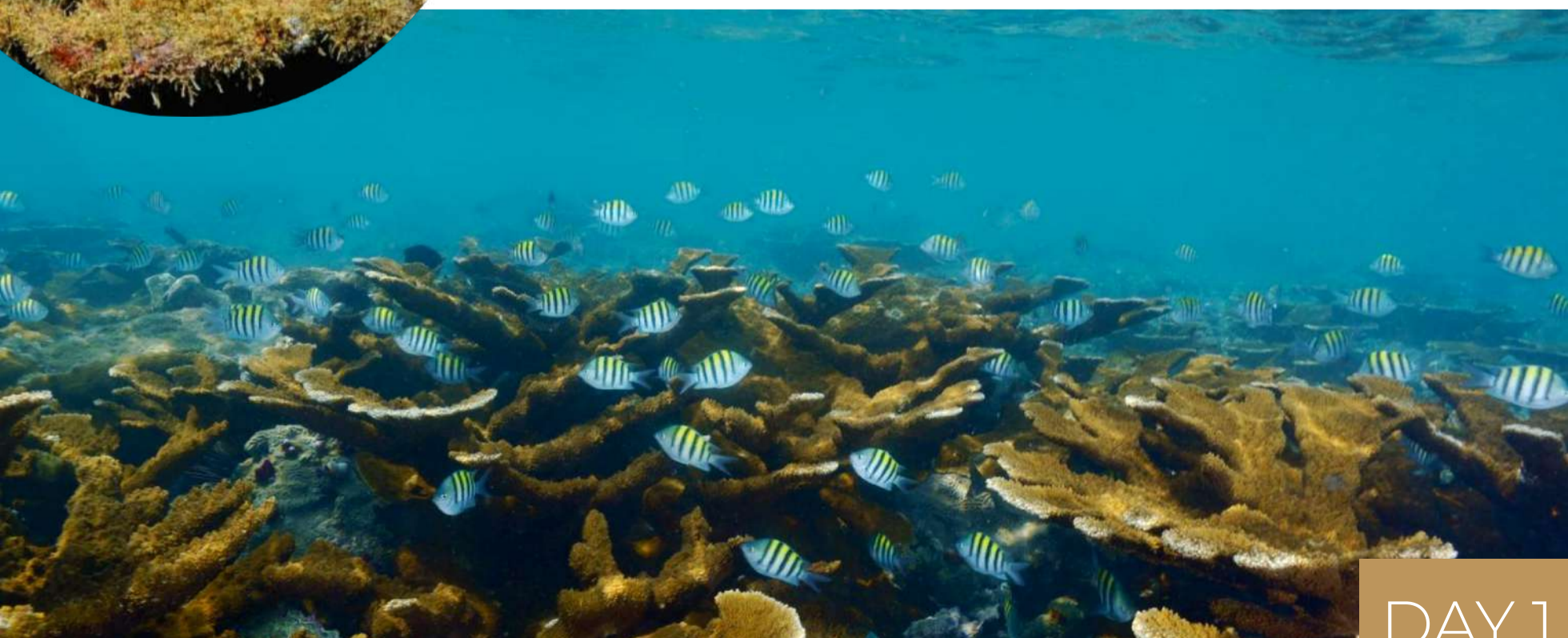
Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Meeting point - Hotel).
Activity.

Equipment.

Guide instructor.

Does not include: Meals.



RECHARGING BATTERIES... REGENERATE YOUR ENERGY

OPTION 2



Another option is to visit the Temazcal Quiahuicoatl and experience a ritual of spiritual cleansing as a couple, where you interact inside with the four elements: earth, water, air and fire.

Through an atmosphere of vapors generated by infusions of medicinal and aromatic plants that are poured on red-hot volcanic stones, our mind, body and spirit are purified and harmonized. The steam makes the skin sweat, relaxing and detoxifying the body.

Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Temazcal Quiahuicoatl - Hotel), temazcal session and ritual ceremony.

Does not include: Meals.

An experience that you should definitely live before the celebration!





BETWEEN SAND & SUN

SUBSTITUTION

And for those who enjoy a hot sunny day, deserve a good tan and then want to relax with a massage, this activity is for you. Hacienda Cielo Tisu offers you a day at the pool and spa that you will surely love, so don't hesitate and recharge your batteries in the best way.

Duration: 5 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Day pass.

Access to pool and private beach facilities.

Towel.

Relaxing massage.

Does not include: Food or drinks.

Restrictions: To book this activity, Hacienda Cielo Tisu must be the venue of the wedding.





FLAVOR AMONG ISLANDS & HIGH SEAS

After taking a short break at the hotel, we will head to the planned icebreaker at an extraordinary location. An island or a yacht will be the options that you can select to live a spectacular Veracruz gastronomic experience, in which a specialized chef will be the host and who will guide your meal, complemented with a tasting of traditional toritos and local craft beer.



FLAVOR AMONG ISLANDS & HIGH SEAS

Duration: 5 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Meeting point - Island - Meeting point - Hotel), access to the venue, food and drinks suggestions from the chef, toritos and local craft beer and recorded music.

Restrictions: Subjected to availability and permits with additional cost.

Alternative location on mainland: Mexican Navy museum.



FLAVORS BY THE SEASHORE



One of the most famous and long-established seafood restaurants in Veracruz is Villa Rica Mocambo located on the beach in the metropolitan city of Boca del Rio. With a relaxed atmosphere and with all the essence of Veracruz, you cannot miss it and taste the best sea delicacies of the area.

Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

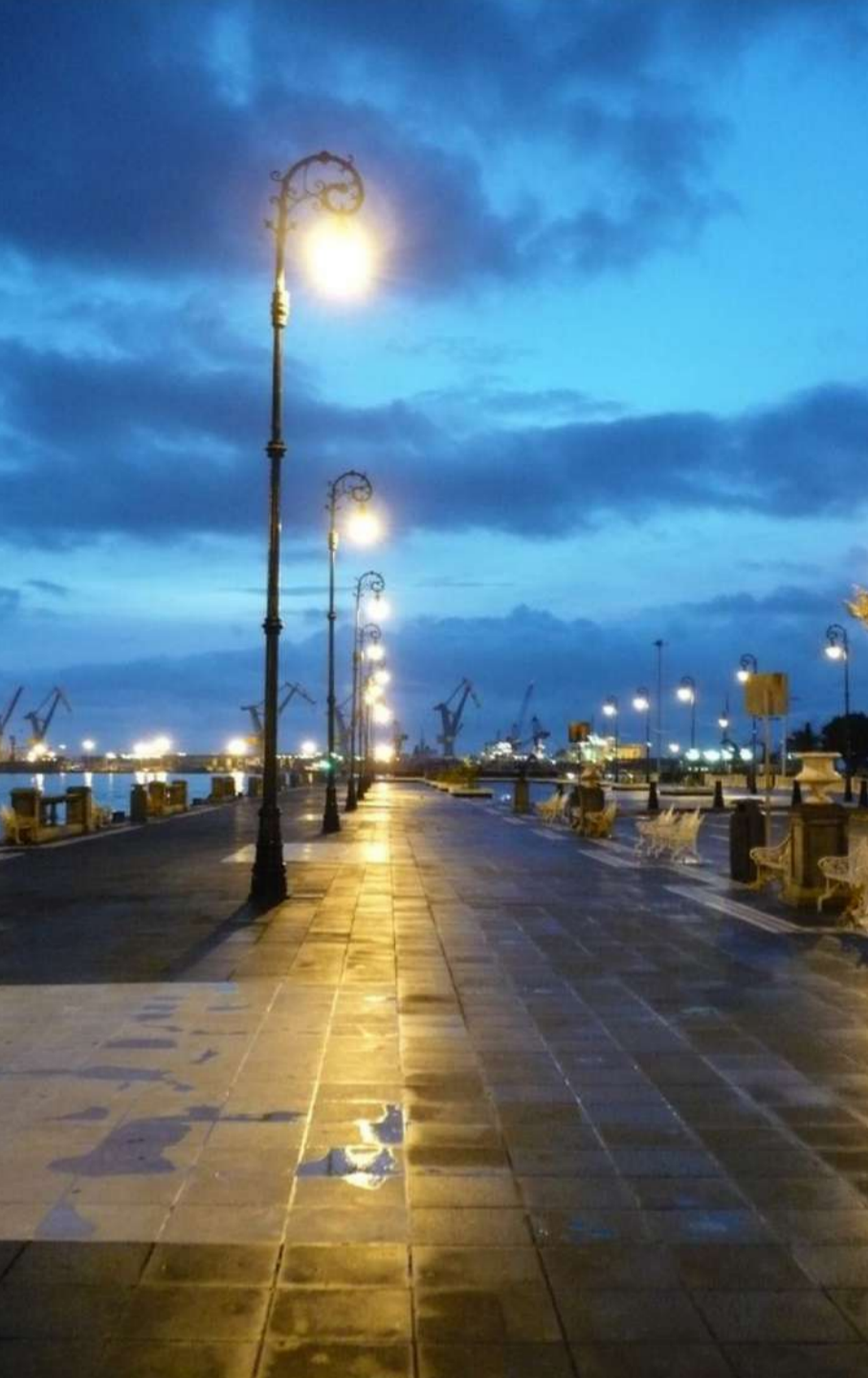
Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Restaurant - Hotel).

Food suggestions from the chef.

Reservation.

Does not include: Drinks.





MALECONEADA JAROCHA

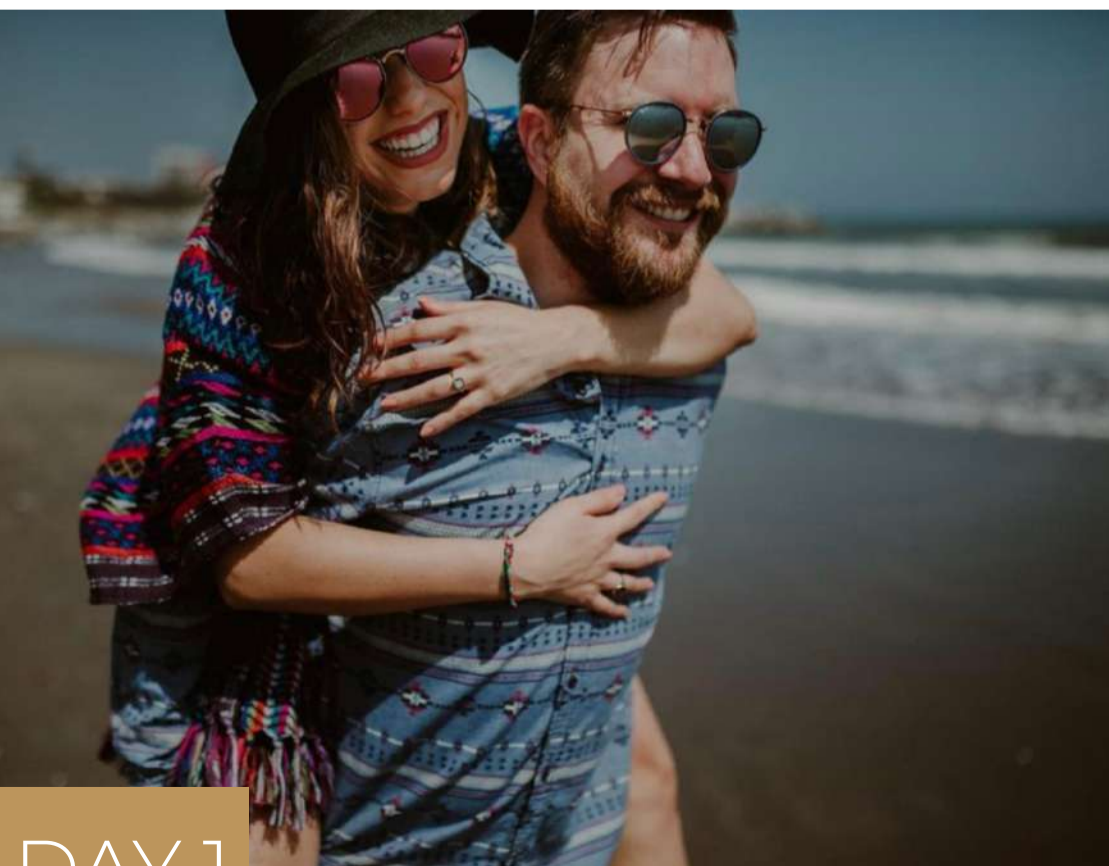
To finish the day, you will visit the boardwalk, the Historic downtown Veracruz and taste some delicious and traditional ice cream from Güero Güero. Later you will experience a Maleconeada Jarocha accompanied by traditional characters and a lot of folklore.

Duration: 2 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Icebreaker Venue - Pier - Hotel), walk through the boardwalk and streets of the Historic downtown, one ice cream of Güero Güero per person.

Does not include: Food and drinks.

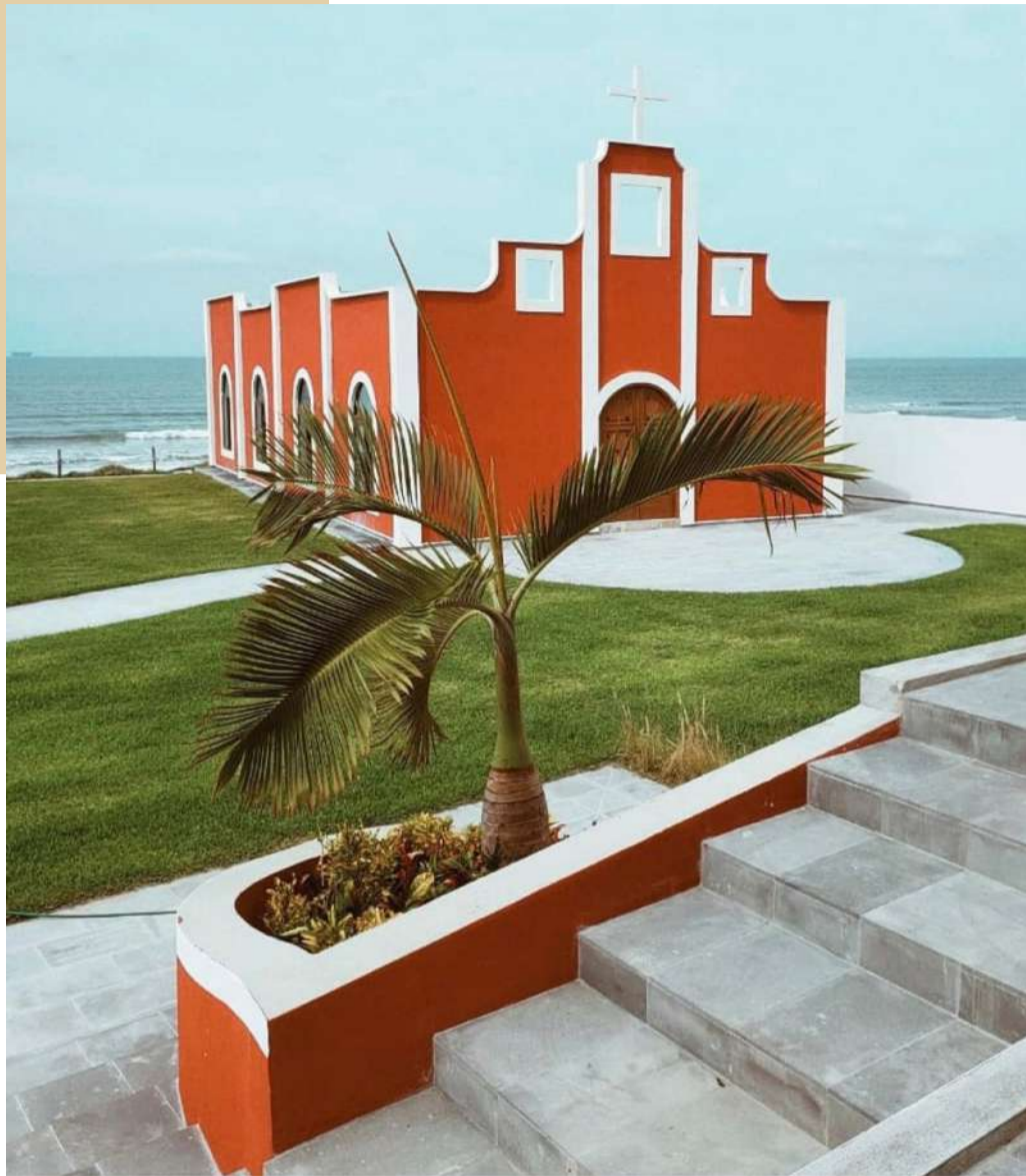




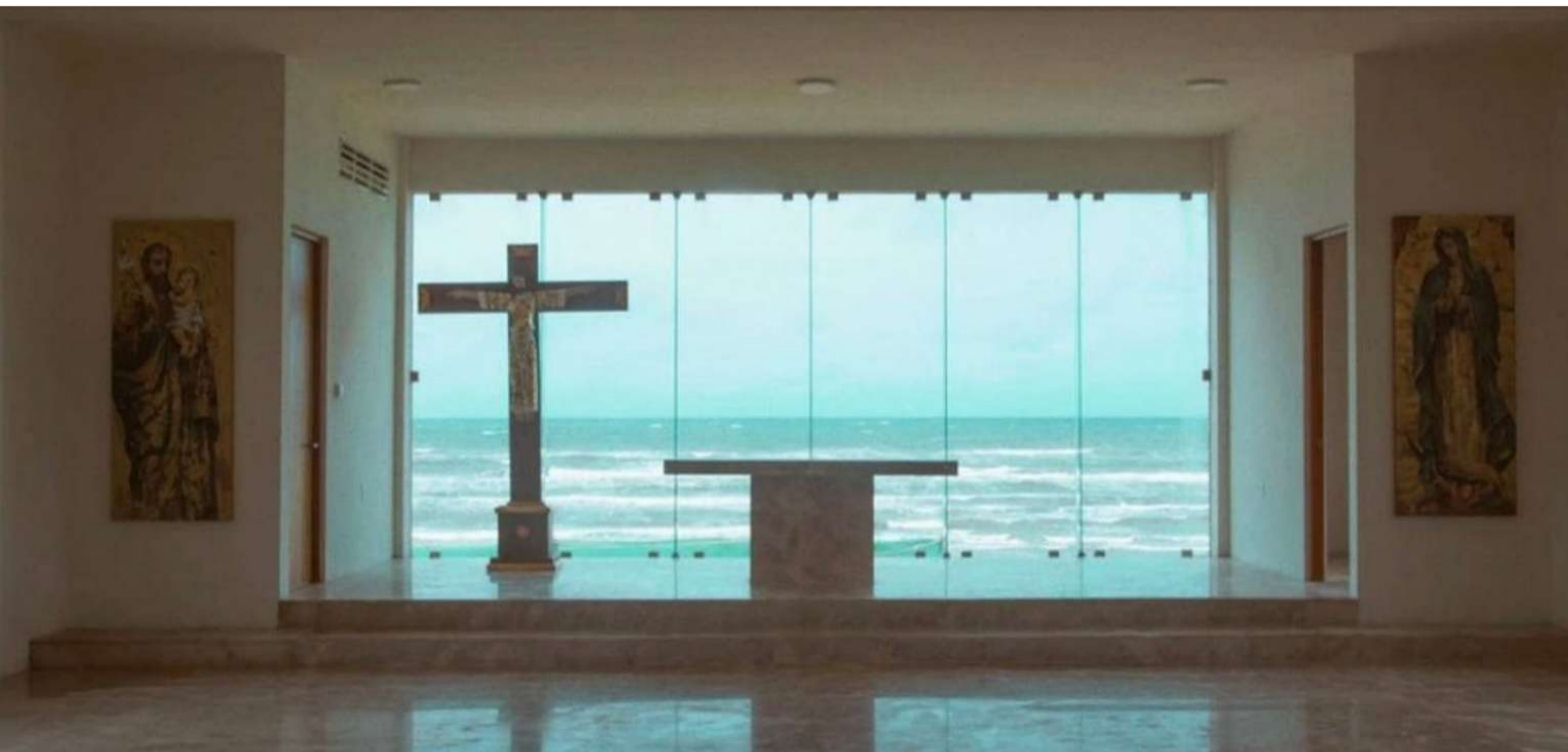
THE WEDDING
LOVE
AMONG
WAVES

THE CEREMONY

The day arrived and your dream is to get married on the seashore or with a spectacular view of the Gulf of Mexico? Hacienda Cielo Tisu is a wonderful location on the beach, unique in its kind in Veracruz since it has a beautiful chapel with official validity for Catholic ceremonies. If you prefer a civil ceremony, what would you think of being able to perform it on a breakwater with a view to an imposing avant-garde construction?



On the beach front in the Veracruzana Riviera is Hacienda Cielo Tisu, a space designed so that each event is an exceptional experience, combining the avant-garde and sophisticated style with the traditions of our country and the nature that enriches it. It is a new venue where you can perform your Catholic ceremony with official validity accompanied by an extraordinary view.



THE CEREMONY



Do you prefer a ceremony outdoors? An intimate ceremony on the breakwater of the Boca Forum will definitely be something you will never forget.

Boca Forum built in 2017 and located in Boca del Rio, Veracruz with the breakwater walkway is the ideal setting for an unforgettable ceremony accompanied by your loved ones.

Duration: 1 hour.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Location - Hotel).

Access to the location.

Priest / Judge.

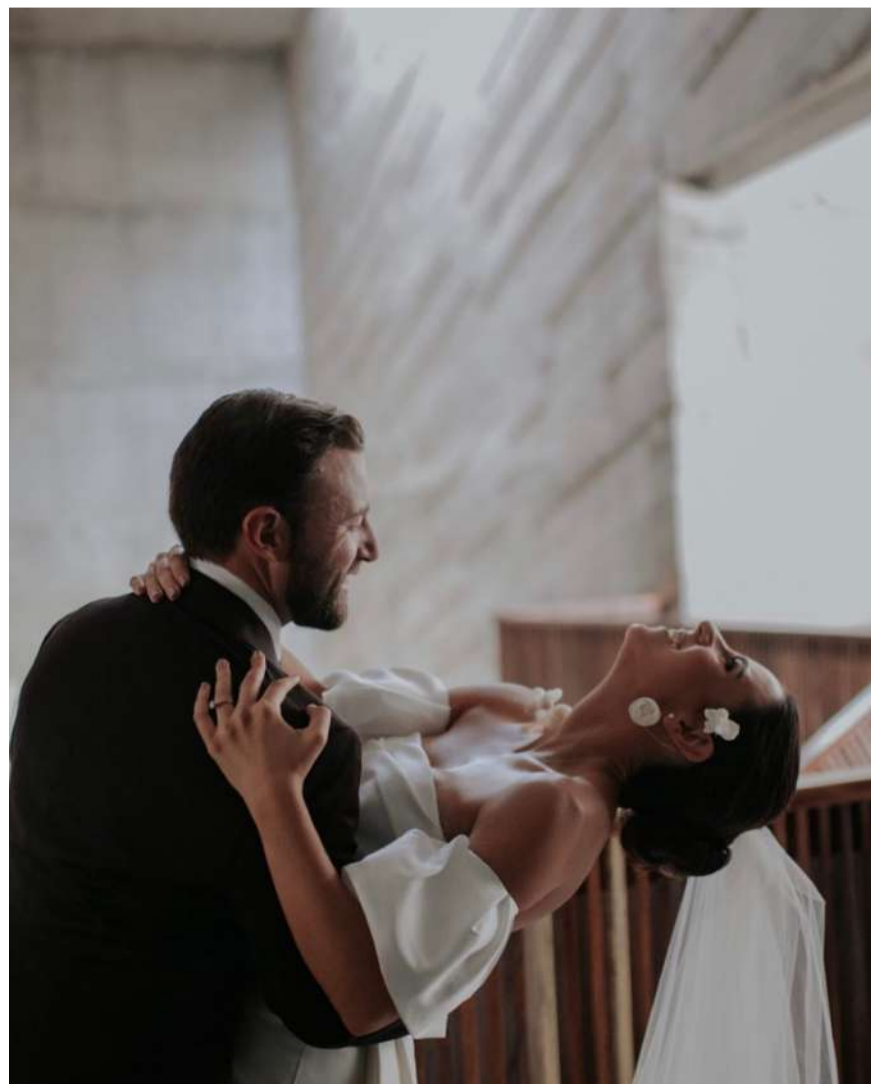
Sound equipment with speaker and microphone.

Access permit for ceremony.

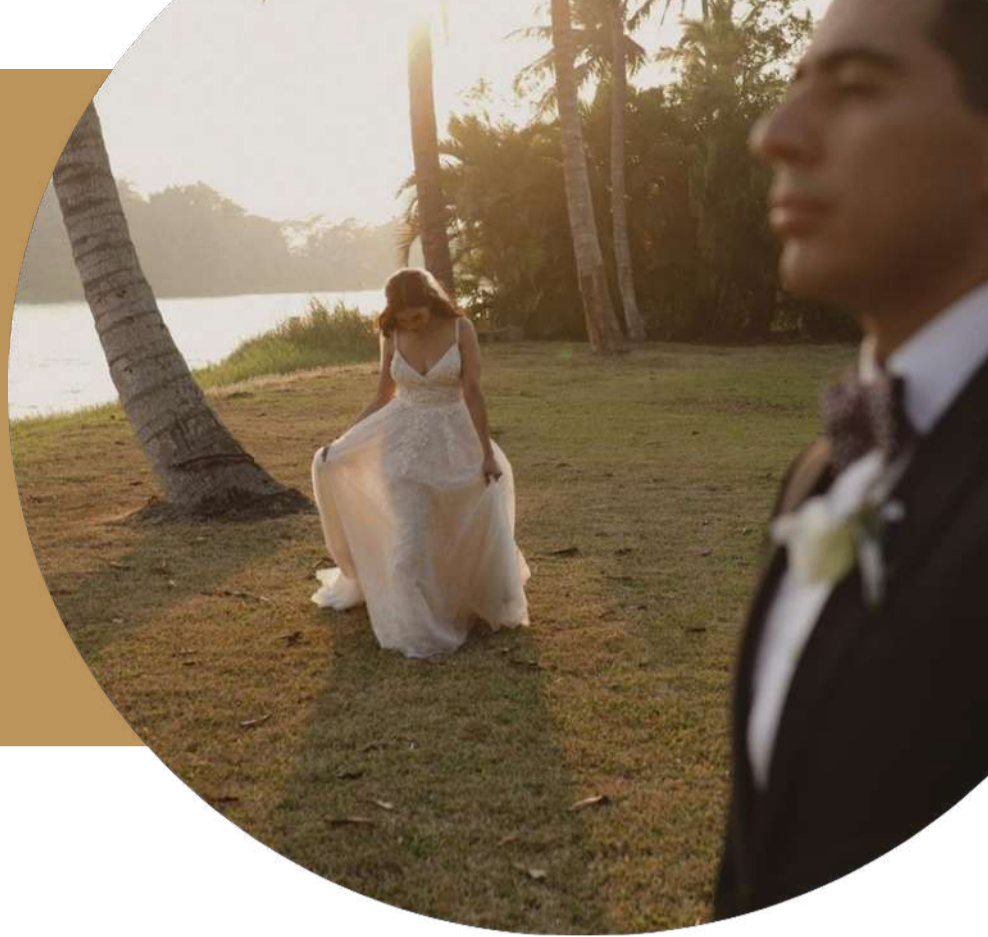
Ceremony cost.

Decoration.

Restrictions: Subject to availability and permits.



THE RECEPTION



Party time! You will be able to choose between three venues to live one of the most incredible experiences of your lives. A spectacular hacienda by the sea, a fabulous terrace in a cultural center with avant-garde architecture or a modern rooftop in a commercial tower.

HACIENDA CIELO TISU

Named like this in homage to the Veracruz singer-songwriter Agustín Lara, it is a charming recently inaugurated wedding venue. It has a maximum capacity of 1500 guests, is the first place for events in front of the ocean, with a private beach and a chapel for Catholic ceremonies, as well as being a boutique hotel and spa. This place will definitely conquer you!



THE RECEPTION



FORO BOCA

Designed by the famous Michel Rojkind de Rojkind architects, it is a cultural center, concert hall and home of the Boca del Rio Philharmonic Orchestra. With concrete walls and wooden finishes on stairs and doors, it is a location that will make your wedding very special. It has a maximum capacity of 150 guests. Avant-garde style and art come together to give a special touch to that moment that you will share with your most loved ones.



THE RECEPTION



VERANDA VENUE

The only one of its kind in Veracruz, it is a rooftop in a commercial tower, with capacity for 200 guests. It has a spectacular terrace overlooking the emblematic Sacrificios island, as well as a closed area with glass walls that allows the view of the ocean. An intimate, comfortable and beautiful place where you can have your dream celebration.

Duration: 8 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: One way transfers (Hotel - Location).

Permits for the space for event.

Venue for 8 hours.

Hostess.

Welcome with cocktail bar and delicatessen table.

Traditional live music with an alternative touch.

3-course menu.

Setup.

Centerpieces.

DJ service.

Wedding Planner.

Restrictions: Subject to availability and permits.





POST-WEDDING
VERACRUZ
BACK TO YOUR
FAR BEACHES

DAY 3



FLAVORS TO THE RHYTHM OF JARANA

Llegamos al tercer y último día de su estancia idonde tendrán también opciones a elegir! como un brunch post boda con cocina típica jarocho en el Restaurante de La Hacienda Cielo Tisú, acompañados de música tradicional de jaraneros y visita al Museo Naval México.

Duración: 4 horas.

Mínimo: 20 personas.

Incluye: Traslados (Hotel - Hacienda - Museo - Hotel), brunch con menú de cocina típica, bebidas sin licor y entrada a museo.

No incluye: Bebidas con licor, alimentos fuera del menú establecido y recuerdos.



AROMA OF TRADITION

You will be able to enjoy a delicious Veracruz breakfast at Gran Café de La Parroquia and then visit the most famous fortress in Mexico, San Juan de Ulúa, a must-see that you will love.

Duration: 4 hours.

Minimum: 20 people.

Includes: Transfers (Hotel - Restaurant - San Juan de Ulúa - Hotel), breakfast with traditional menu, soft drinks, entrance to San Juan de Ulúa, guided tour of San Juan de Ulúa.

Does not include: Alcohol, foods outside the established menu and souvenirs.



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AT 3400 MASL

OUR LOVE WILL RISE



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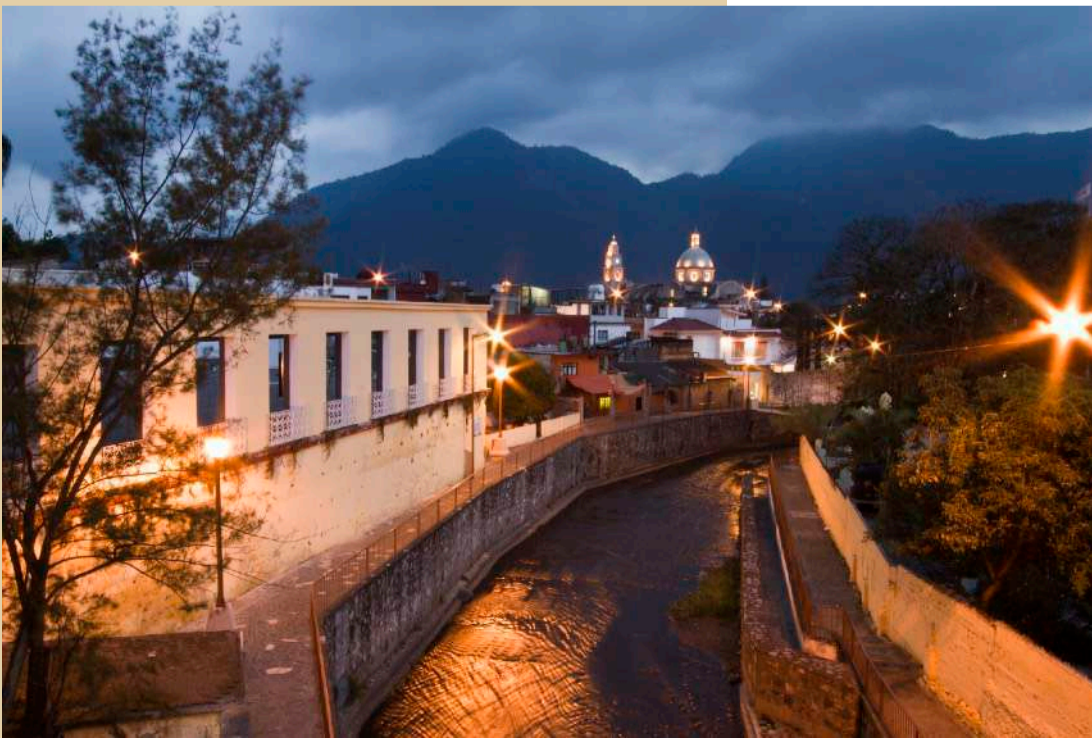
HIGH MOUNTAINS



You have already made the most important decision, now you only need the best place for your union to be perfect. "At the High Mountain Region we undoubtedly have what you need", a unique place that can give you memories that you will cherish for a lifetime and that no one will ever be able to match. By being in the mountains, you will live a romantic union between clouds, a wonderful kiss at dawn, a loving hug between the cold of the snow, holding hands at sunset or saying "yes" during a magical night of stars. All this can be experienced year round in this fascinating region.

The Region of the High Mountains of the State of Veracruz is a place where the mountains give shelter to valleys full of life. This is where the highest elevation in Mexico is found: the Pico de Orizaba or Citaltépetl Volcano. Forests, rivers and waterfalls where the visitor can enjoy ecotourism, as well as cities with history, culture and entertainment, make up a very complete touristic destination.

HIGH MOUNTAINS



No matter where you are from, your physical condition or your religion or gender preference, for us it will be a true honor to be part of the planning of your wedding. We are committed to the organization and care of every detail that will undoubtedly turn this special day into an unforgettable memory, not only for you, but also for all your guests. We are convinced that this experience is one of a kind not only since you will live our traditions but because in each activity is the soul and mind of each of the vendors. From the floriculturist who dedicates his work so that each flower shows its aroma and delicacy, the caring of our farmers when harvesting each vegetable and fruit, so that the cooks achieve with their culinary experiences, food that will enchant your senses. Our artisans will carve or embroider each piece with the art that makes them unique and worthy of preserving our ancestral customs of the Region.

LOCALIZATION

Located in the Pico de Orizaba National Park in a 100% natural environment. At 3,400 meters above sea level on the slopes of the majestic Volcano, the High Mountain Region becomes a unique and unrepeatable place in all of Mexico, where the possibility of having a unique wedding is a reality. It is important to know that by choosing our region you will participate in the development of our communities, which will provide 80% of all the supplies that are required for your wedding, ensuring that your event not only takes place in a beautiful location, but also with a gastronomic style of unimaginable flavors, without neglecting good taste. The High Mountain Region is located in the central-southern part of the state of Veracruz, bordering the capital Xalapa to the north, the east with the Sotavento region, to the west with the state of Puebla, to the southeast with the Papaloapan region and to the south with the state of Oaxaca. Thus having an excellent communication infrastructure with various regions and the capital of the country.



VENUE LOCATION

Villas Pico is located only 31 kilometers from the city of Orizaba, for this reason accommodation options are considered not only in villas, but also the great possibility of enjoying this wonderful Pueblo Magico.

Río Blanco Former Textile Factory is located on Avenida Plácido Mata, return 6, downtown Rio Blanco Veracruz, just 6 kilometers from the wonderful Pueblo Magico of Orizaba.

The Poliforum Mier y Pesado location is at Oriente 6 number 1653, downtown Orizaba.

Palacio de Hierro is located in the old Plaza de las Armas, on Madero Street, between Poniente 2 and 4, in the Pueblo Magico of Orizaba.

San Jose Convent is located at Poniente 7, downtown Orizaba. Entering through Plaza Bicentenario.

The location of the Ignacio de la Llave Theater is Colon 16 at downtown Orizaba.



Rio Blanco Former Textil Factory



Palacio de Hierro



PRE-WEDDING

LIVE THE HEIGHTS

Upon arrival to the city of Orizaba, your welcome at the host hotel will be enlivened by jaraneros and a jarocho group, accompanied by some delicious ice cream, sweets from the region, toritos or coffee. All this during your check in.

BYE BYE SINGLE LIFE

OPTION ON ARRIVAL



Enjoy your last outing of your single life. At 9:00 p.m. our bus will be waiting for you outside the hotel, to take a tour of this wonderful Pueblo Magico, its illuminated streets makes it one of the most romantic places in Veracruz. You will do the mandatory visit to Plaza Farolito, named after the "Flaco de Oro", Agustín Lara, and we are sure you will love its romanticism.

Duration: 3 hours.

Includes: Drinks on board, guide, serenade at Plaza Farolito, Mexican music on board the bus.

Recommendations: Warm clothing or windbreaker jacket, comfortable shoes. In the rainy season a poncho or umbrella.

Restrictions: for a minimum of 20 people and no maximum limit. The consumption of alcoholic beverages on public roads is not allowed. Suitable for everyone over 18.





A DREAM COME TRUE

OPTION 1

On board the city's emblematic Turibus, the couple and guests will do a dream tour through the romantic Orizaba, one of the most beautiful Pueblo Magico of Mexico. We will tour its emblematic buildings, the polyforum where the Grillito Cantor, a symbol of Mexican kids music, will sing its greatest hits, then you will continue your journey to learn some of the most shocking stories of the city of Orizaba as you visit the city houses filled with romance. You cannot miss the ride on the cable car with its beautiful panoramic views of the city, let's not forget that all these memories will be part of your history that is beginning to be written.

A DREAM COME TRUE

OPTION 1

After walking a bit and enjoying a delicious soda, water or a cold beer, the descent begins, ending at the icon of the city "El Palacio de Hierro", this building is the greatest portrait of Art Nouveau in Mexico and is listed as the the only steel palace of this style in the world.



Duration: 4 hours.

Includes: Personalized local drinks, preferid access to the cableway, guide, jaraneros in Cri Cri museum and transportation (Sprinter, Toyota or bus) throughout the tour.

Recommendations: Hat, sunscreen and comfortable shoes.

Restrictions: For a minimum of 20 people, no maximum. Suitable for everyone.

A LOVE OFFERING

OPTION 2

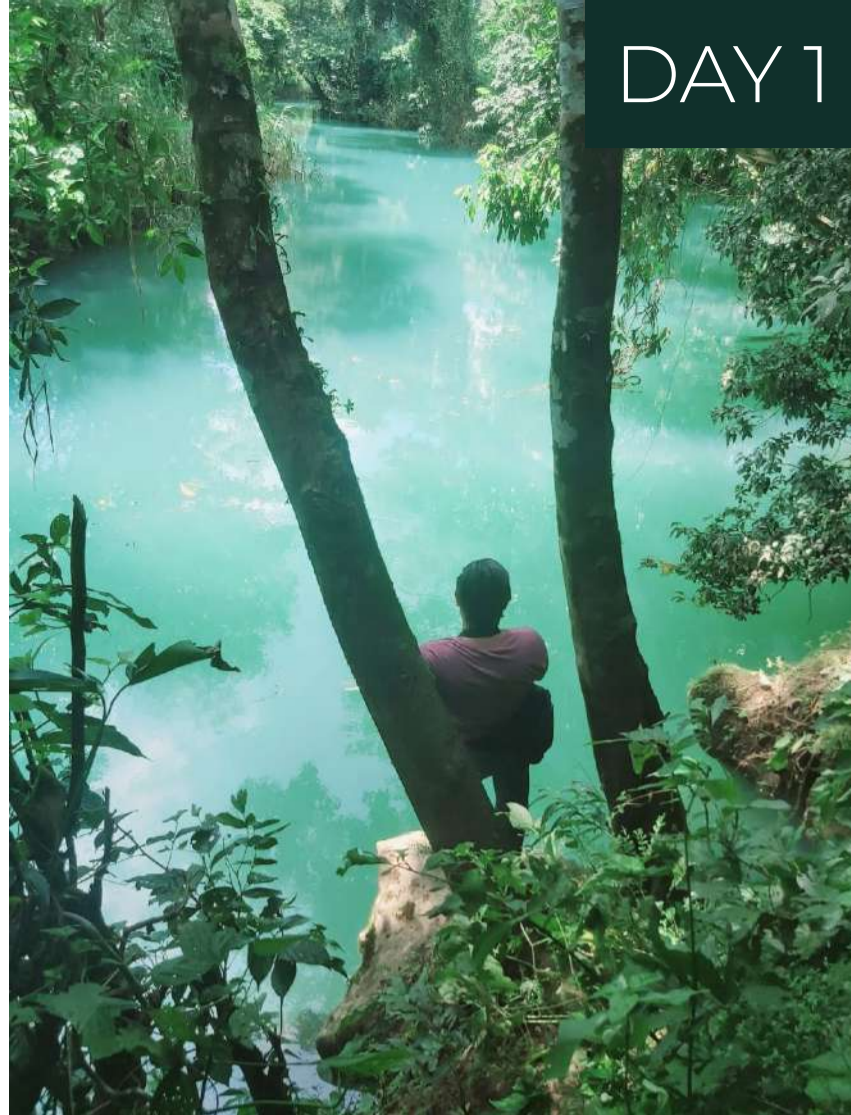
This is a day full of emotions since, as in pre-Hispanic times, the couple accompanied by friends, will make an offering to Chalchiuhtlicue, who is recognized as a deity of water and love.

You will meet in the lobby of the hotel where you will start a tour in vehicles followed by a walk through charming trails, until you reach the source of the Atoyac River, where the couple will leave a floral offering.



A LOVE OFFERING

OPTION 2



A delicious lunch will be waiting for you, accompanied by fresh waters, sodas and beers, as well as seasonal fruits, which will be served in ceramic crafts, made by local artisans. After free time to enjoy the place, we will begin our descent walking or by kayak to the departure point.

Duration: 4 hours.

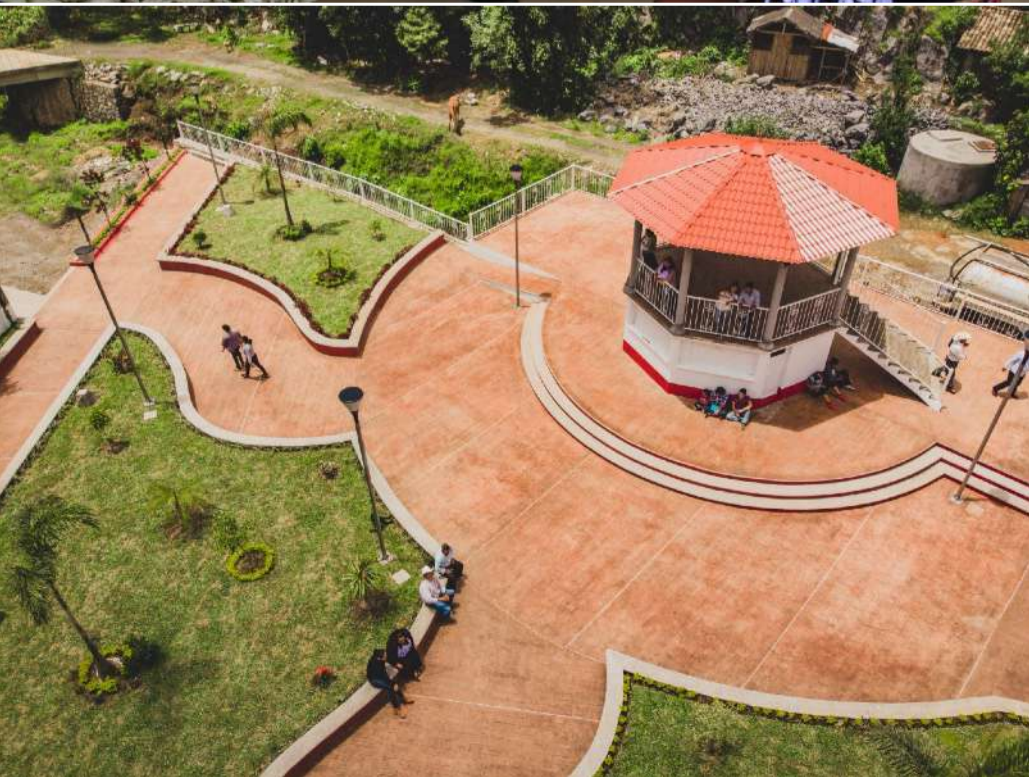
Includes: Transportation (Sprinter, Toyota or bus) throughout the tour, local drinks, fresh fruit served in personalized clay pots and guide.

Recommendations: Hat, comfortable shoes, mosquito repellent, sunscreen, bathing suit and towel.

Restrictions: Not suitable for people with reduced mobility, for a minimum of 20 people and a maximum of 500.



HOLD MY HAND AND LET'S START THE JOURNEY



OPTION 3

This is a day full of magic, the couple and guests will experience the culture of our native peoples at the municipality of Atlahuilco where Nahuatl is still predominant. This small but mystical place will be the location for a pre-Hispanic ritual prior to the wedding. The purpose of which is to connect the couple to their new life by joining hands, soul and spirit through purification, accompanied by dances and music.

After that, we will take you to visit the worship of artisans, magnificent weavers, and potters, who will show us how they make some of the most valuable memories of the wedding. Thus connecting the couple to our mother culture forever.



HOLD MY HAND AND LET'S START THE JOURNEY

OPTION 3

Duration: 4 hours.
Includes: Transport (Sprinter, Toyota or bus) throughout the tour, guide, dancers and regional music.
Recommendations: All dressed in white and comfortable shoes.
Restrictions: For a minimum of 20 people and a maximum of 500.
Suitable for everyone.





INHALE LOVE EXHALE PEACE

OPTION 4

It is time to purify your feelings, shout emotions, accept and love your weaknesses, return to the womb with a temazcal experience that will allow all this. You will not carry unnecessary burdens to your big day, a shaman will guide you to peace, love, well-being and abundance, reborn from the womb of the pacha mama, through a pre-Hispanic 4-door temazcal. At the center of the temazcal they put red hot stones and aromatic herbs, you will take a tea or infusion that the shaman prepares and serves to detoxify your body and spirit.



DAY 1



INHALE LOVE EXHALE PEACE

OPTION 4

Duration: 4 hours.

Includes: Transport (Sprinter or Toyota) throughout the tour, 4-door temazcal, shaman and music.

Recommendations: All dressed in white, change of clothes, towel, bathing suit, sandals and warm clothes.

Restrictions: For a minimum of 20 people and a maximum of 35 people per temazcal. Not suitable for people who suffer from claustrophobia or those under 7 years old.



A WALK THROUGH THE HIGHTS

DAY 1



In the afternoon enjoy a delicious regional meal at the restaurant of your choice: La Prosperidad, Corazón de Amaranto, Romantzu or Marron.

After the restaurant you will go to the viewpoint with 500 steps, which is another must-see in this romantic city with beautiful views surrounded by nature, the perfect settings to remember forever.

Duration: 2.30 hours, 1 hour for food and 1.30 hours of tour.

Includes: Regional food, 3-course menu or "family style" according to the selected restaurant, service and transport (Sprinter or Toyota) throughout the tour.

Recommendations: Please notify us if there are any special dietary needs.

Restrictions: For a minimum of 20 people, the maximum is subject to the capacity of each restaurant.





THE WEDDING
OUR LOVE
WILL TOP

THE CEREMONY

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THE CEREMONY



Duration: 45 minutes of ceremony.

Includes:

Civil or symbolic ceremony.

Setup and decoration for ceremony.

Live instrumental music for the ceremony.

Bridal bouquet, small bouquet and 7 boutonnieres.

Makeup and hairstyle for two people.

Restrictions: All services are subject to specific products and availability.

Service for a minimum of 20 people.



VILLAS PICO



Villas Pico, due to its prestigious location at 3,400 meters above sea level on the slopes of the majestic Pico de Orizaba, has spectacular areas for your reception and an unparalleled view. A paradise among clouds, mountains, sunrises, sunsets and nights full of stars that illuminate the sky.



RIO BLANCO FORMER TEXTILE FACTORY



It was inaugurated in 1892, during Porfirio Diaz regime, when the industrial sector in Mexico had an important boom, particularly in textiles. The Rio Blanco Textile Factory was the largest yarn and fabric factory in Latin America, located in the center of Rio Blanco town, and has witnessed great historical figures.



Whether in its gardens or in the house, this emblematic venue is the perfect setting to host the beginning your new story.



MIER Y PESADO POLIFORUM



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The architectural design of the Mier y Pesado building, inaugurated in 1944, is unique in the State of Veracruz, due to its size and shape, which resembles that of a castle. Its splendor makes it classified as one of the main works of the 19th century in Orizaba.

Its construction, in an eclectic style, was designed by the architect Juan Segura. The cantera stone with which it was built and the top of its arches gives it a unique look. Other representative elements of this are its gardens, with trees, shrubs, figures and majestic fountain. All this makes it the perfect setting for your wonderful union.



EL PALACIO DE HIERRO



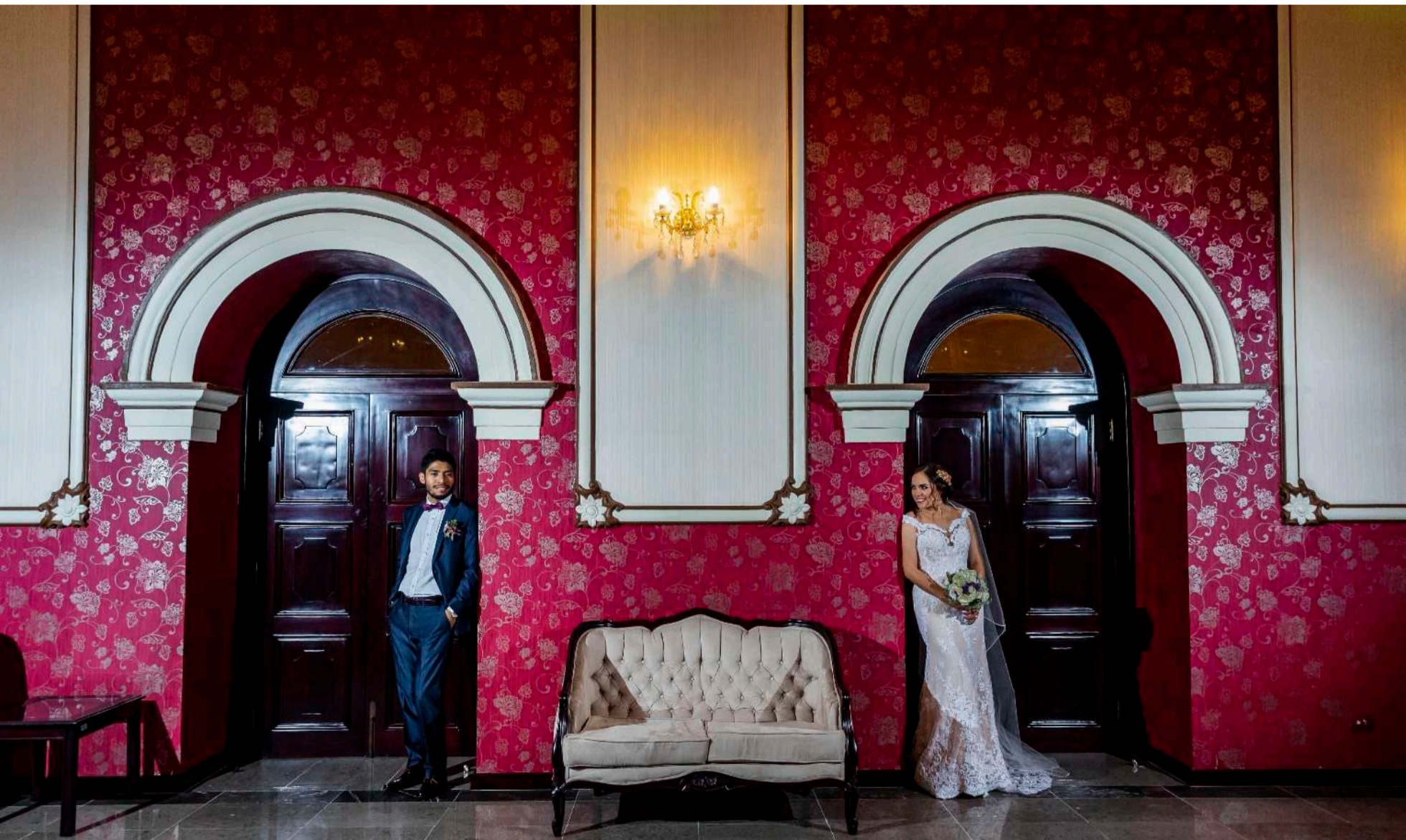
If you are looking for a one of a kind places, this valuable construction is the maximum icon of Art Nouveau (Neoclassical French Renaissance) in Mexico, and the only iron palace in the world. It was designed by the Frenchman, Alexandre Gustave Eiffel, in 1891, at the request of the then mayor, Julio M. Vélez, with the purpose of having a Municipal Palace that will contrast with the architecture of Orizaba. It cost 80 thousand pesos in gold, and it was built in 1892 in the workshops of the Societé Anonymé des Forges D'Aiseau in Belgium, based on metal sheets, posts, screws, wooden doors and cast iron ornaments. It is located in front of the Cathedral of San Miguel Archangel, in the Historic downtown. This magnificent venue will be the perfect backdrop for your wedding, allowing you to have that unique exclusive touch that you have always wanted for that special day.



IGNACIO DE LA LLAVE THEATRE



Its construction lasted 20 years, from 1855 to 1875, being the first theater in the country that had a wooden dome. Its architecture is inspired by a Florentine palace. Today the foyer is available for your reception





SAN JOSE FORMER CONVENT

It is a set of buildings with a neoclassical architecture that reveals the academic taste of San Carlos, built by the Franciscans in the style of the Franciscan Third Order. It is located in the center of the city of Orizaba and perfect for a classic wedding.

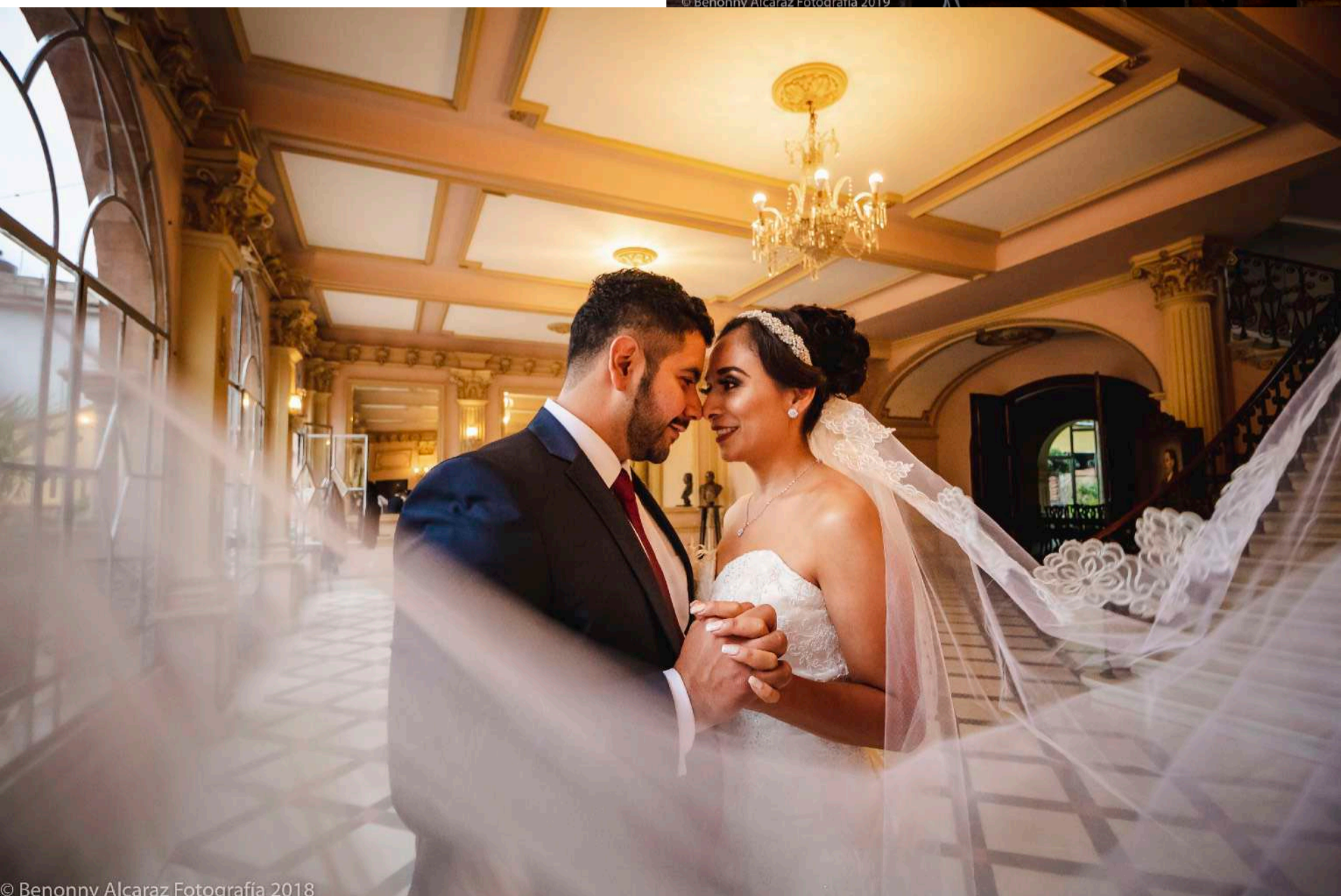


THE RECEPTION

Includes:

Venue for the ceremony and reception to choose from: Villas Pico, Ex Fábrica de Río Blanco or Ex Convento de San José.

Setup and design according to catalog. Crockery, decorative plate, glassware, table linen and general cutlery. Custom individual printed menus.



THE RECEPTION



- Centerpieces according to design and flowers for common areas.
- Decorative lighting.
- Waiter service, bar, hostess, security and staff in restrooms.
- Soft drink service, mineral water, natural or fresh seasonal waters, ice, coffee from the region and national white wine for toast.
- 4-course menu.
- Planning and coordination of the event.



THE RECEPTION



- Photography: Formal session with 16 * 24 'print with frame. Documentary of the wedding: ceremony, reception and party, USB memory with the files. Does not include shipping.
- Video: Short film with a duration of 5-6 minutes. Film of the day of the event with a duration of one hour. Drone flight included if the weather permits. The material is delivered on a USB memory with the videos in HD quality. Shipping not included.





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THE RECEPTION

- Music: DJ, audio and lighting, led screens, master of ceremonies and amenities, show (Mexican folk dancers), illuminated dance floor and complimentary shots of confetti or cold pyrotechnics.
- Additional: cold pyrotechnics, fireworks, giant letters, selfie station and smoke bombs.

Duration: 6 hours.

Restrictions: This service has an additional cost. Subject to specific products, subjected to changes without prior notice and to availability.





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POST- WEDDING FEEL THE HEIGHTS

ADVENTURE AT 3400 MASL

OPTION 1

Leaving the Central Valley of the High Mountains and taking the path of the sun, where the scenic highway Pico de Orizaba begins, passing the municipalities of Mariano Escobedo and La Perla, the latter being the most important adjacent to the Pico de Orizaba National Park. Impressive route of cliffs, ravines and landscapes from where the Orizaba River begins and then reach the highest town in the state of Veracruz to later the tourist development Villas Pico de Orizaba at 3,400 meters high. Ideal place for walks, reflection, rejoicing and adventure. You can go hiking in the high mountains or if you prefer to take advantage of its viewpoints and its trails with a 1.6-kilometer circuit, it also has activities such as: horseback riding, zip-lining, Tibetan bridge, rappel and temazcal.

Duration: 6 to 8 hours.

Includes: Guide and 4x4 transport, personalized service, water and snacks.

Recommendations: No physical condition or experience is required. Bring cold weather clothing, sneakers or hiking boots, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Restrictions: Service from 1 to 6 people. When doing activities within the Pico de Orizaba National Park, the extraction of flora, fauna and minerals is prohibited and the laws of the national parks (LGEEPA) must be complied.



THE OTHER SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN

OPTION 2

A greater adventure is the motor route that goes around the Pico de Orizaba, almost 200 kilometers of landscapes and all terrain, ascents and descents of one of the less traveled routes, leaving Orizaba towards the east to find the Pueblo Magico of H. Coscomatepec de Bravo then ascend the entire mountain in ravines and gorges, reaching the high moorlands and the shelter of the North Face to descend through the magical and historical route of Chalchicomula de Sesma, Puebla. The return to Orizaba will be through the Poniente Face for a different experience.



Duration: 8 to 11 hours.

Includes: Guide and 4x4 transport, personalized service, water and snack.

Recommendations: No physical condition or experience is required. Bring cold weather clothing, sneakers or hiking boots (a spare pair is suggested), sunglasses and sunscreen.

Restrictions: Service from 1 to 4 people. When doing activities within the Pico de Orizaba National Park, the extraction of flora, fauna and minerals is prohibited, and the laws of the national parks (LGEEPA) must be complied.

MAKE IT TO THE TOP

OPTION 3

If you are ready to conquer the top of Mexico, we offer you a personalized packages and services in its 2 technical variants: North Face and South Face. We provide equipment, guidance and technical material that allow you and to achieve your goal, your safety and mountain comfort is our commitment.

Ascents at the North or South Face depending on the climate, technical and physical conditions of the clients.

The North Face: As it is the route most visited by expedition members, we have facilities in the Miguel Hidalgo ejido, municipality of Tlachichuca, Puebla, where you will enjoy lodging in a high mountain hostel. From this hostel the 4x4 transportation will picky up to begin your high mountain adventure.

Duration: 2 days

Includes:

Specialized 4x4 transportation.

High mountain guide (1 guide for every 2 people).

High mountain hostel accommodation at the North Face.

Lunch, dinner, breakfast and snacks.

High mountain equipment (ice axes, crampons, ropes, harnesses, stove, etc.) upon request.



Recommendations: No physical condition or experience is required. Bring cold weather clothing, sneakers or hiking boots (a spare pair is suggested), sunglasses and sunscreen. Clothes for 2 days.

Restrictions: Service from 2 people. When doing activities within the Pico de Orizaba National Park, the extraction of flora, fauna and minerals is prohibited, and the laws of the national parks (LGEEPA) must be complied. This activity has an additional cost.

AMONG THE CLOUDS

ADDITIONAL

Live the adventure of flying through the air and the clouds of the High Mountains, reaching maximum speed of up to 50 kilometers per hour and gliding down one meter in height for every 9 meters traveled until reaching the ground. Enjoy this great experience of a flight full of sensations, nothing comparable to flying in an airplane since you feel the air through your body.



Duration: 3.30 hours, the flight lasts approximately 30 minutes.

I n c l u d e s : Transportation, certified pilot, specialized equipment and flight.
Recommendations: Wear sportswear or denim, sneakers or closed shoes, a light jacket or windbreaker, a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Restrictions: This activity has an additional cost.

HOTELS

HOLIDAY INN ORIZABA



PLUVIOSILLA



HOTELS

GAMMA GRAND



COORDINATION

WHEN HIRING THE RECEPTION:

- Keep a check list of all the details of the wedding.
- Schedule all the wedding preparations so that nothing is delayed and everything goes according to plan.
- Advising the couple throughout the process so that they make the best decisions.
- Welcome and hosts guests at the destination.
- Organize a wedding rehearsal prior to the event date.
- Make the wedding Moodboard (ceremony, reception and cocktail)
- Make the complete timeline (agenda) of the day of the event.
- Make a layout of the event.
- Coordinate the vendors of your choice.
- Guidance of the wedding party at the ceremony.
- Verify that all the details are set according to the preference of the couple.
- Resource management.
- An event agenda to follow so that every detail that the couples want comes out magnificent.
- Being present throughout the event, until the party is over or our contract ends.

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