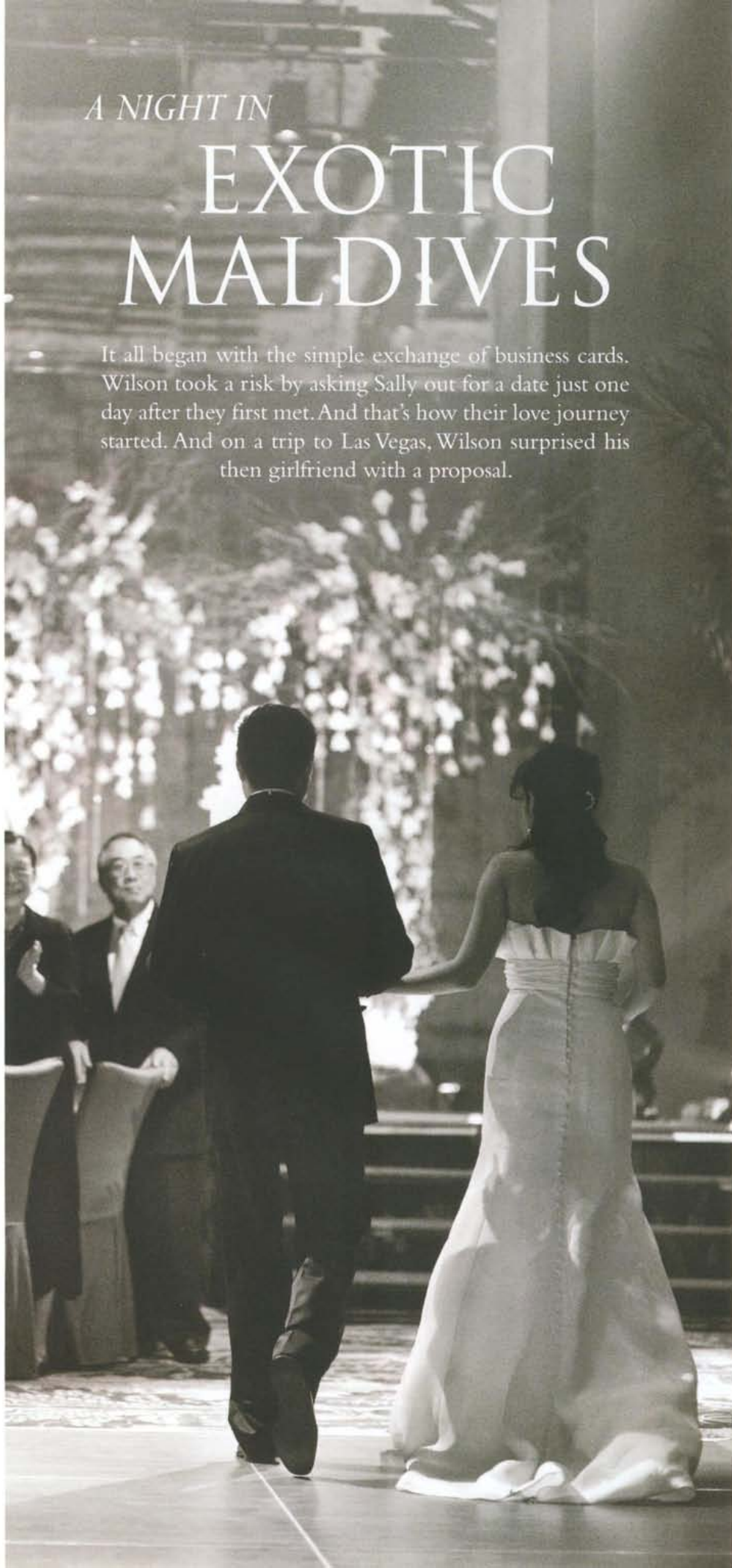


A NIGHT IN EXOTIC MALDIVES

It all began with the simple exchange of business cards. Wilson took a risk by asking Sally out for a date just one day after they first met. And that's how their love journey started. And on a trip to Las Vegas, Wilson surprised his then girlfriend with a proposal.





The proposal was choreographed beautifully. It started just like any normal Vegas day, where the couple went shopping, ate dinner and watched a show. When they came back to their hotel room they found it had been decorated with rose petals and candlelights. And the next thing Sally knew, Wilson was down on one knee with a ring in his hand and proposed to her. Sally found the gesture coming from the very shy and conservative guy she knew and love to be incredibly romantic.

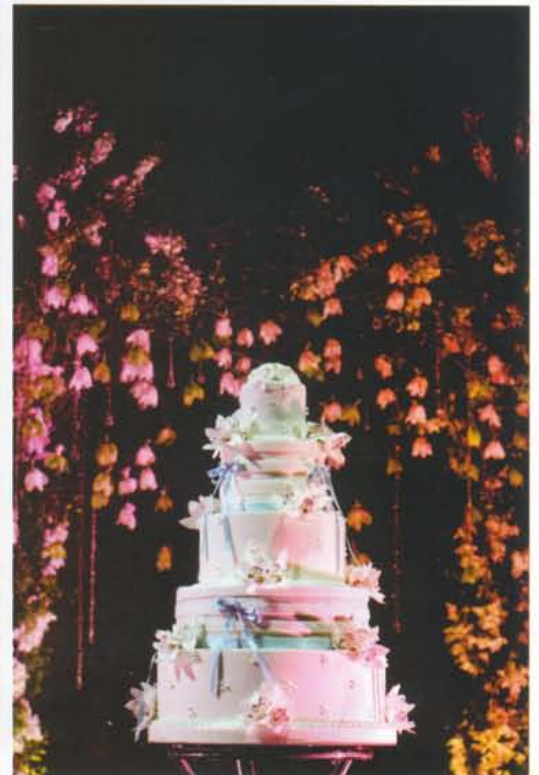
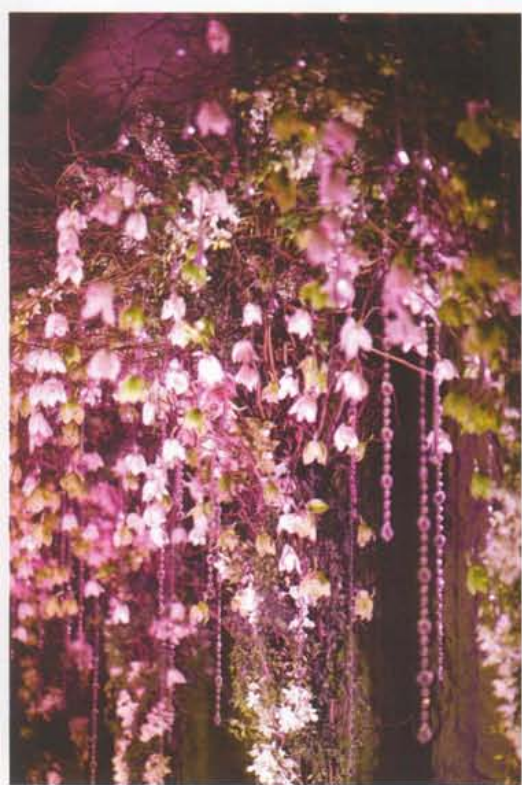
The next order of business was to plan for the wedding. The couple love the ocean and the best trip they ever took together was to the Maldives. Their dream was to share their special day with all their guests on an exotic island. The next best thing to having the wedding in the Maldives was to have one themed after the locale. This was necessary to accommodate both the size of the wedding party and their budget. The wedding planner took the concept and transformed an indoor venue made it felt like the outdoors using palm trees, hanging orchids and ambient lighting.





The ballroom of the St. Regis Hotel, Singapore transformed into the exotic Maldives. It was no small feat bringing Sally and Wilson's dream wedding into reality. It took a dozen men to carry in twelve 5-meter high real palm trees to the second floor ballroom up through the fire escapes because the loading bay was too narrow. But the intense labor was worth it and the result was magical. Guests enjoyed their dinner under the trees and felt swept away to paradise. Both Sally and Wilson were truly grateful because they got their dream to have a wedding in their exotic Maldives.





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