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Linda & Lim Han

Linda Tang, 29, and Lim Han, 32, celebrated their nuptials with a merry two-day affair. She tells us:

Reception after reception! Our celebrations spanned two days and included the gatecrashing and tea ceremonies, as well as a solemnisation witnessed by family and close friends. We even had two receptions as we couldn't fit all our guests into our dinner venue.

To have and to hold The solemnisation was the most touching moment by far. We opted to exchange our own vows and my hubby totally outdid himself. For a man who always says he's not good with words, we were both tearing soon after he started speaking.

Burning up the floor We were rather nervous about our first dance as a married couple despite two months of dance classes. Thankfully, our audience took to the dance floor to cheer us on. We ended partying the night away.

Magical memories The whole affair went by so fast, I was still buzzing with excitement and trying to relive the memories. I'd advise other brides to spend some time alone with your husband on your big day as it can get a bit overwhelming.

1&2 The bride looked resplendent in a Junko Yoshioka creation with a crystal-embellished sash. Lim Han looked just as stylish in his Dior tuxedo.

3 Guests came dressed to the nines for the celebration. **4** Wedding programmes doubled as paper fans during the outdoor solemnisation. →



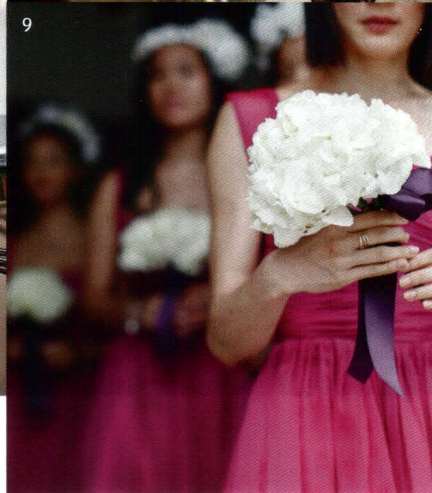
*“When we exchanged
our vows, we felt so
much love in our hearts.
I will remember that
moment forever.”*





THE BRIDE'S TOP 5 TIPS

- Find a good wedding planner that you can really communicate with. Chemistry is important! Kim was such a sweetheart and was somehow never stressed.
- Pick your battles. Know which parts of the wedding are more important to you and focus on them.
- Start shopping for your dress at least eight months before the date. You'll need to schedule time for at least three fittings.
- Plan your speech early. You do not want to be flustered, especially when you know your father-in-law and your best man are going to give great speeches.
- Don't stress and enjoy the process because everything is going to be just perfect!



CHECKLIST

VENUE Alkaff Mansion Ristorante (6510-3068); Sentosa Pavilion at Sentosa Golf Club (6373-7135); W Singapore – Sentosa Cove (6808-7288)

WARDROBE Wedding gown: Junko Yoshioka from The Prelude Bridal (6221-4982); evening gown: Valentino (6509-8062). Tuxedos: Dior Homme (6509-8828) and Jil Sander (6304-1353)

HAIR AND MAKEUP The Makeup Room (Bobbie Ng, 6235-8901)

PHOTOGRAPHY Tinydot Photography (Yu Hsin, 6674-7367)

VIDEOGRAPHY Keng's Cinematography in Malaysia (Edmund Lim: +60-123-877-246/ +60-123-227-448/ +60-392-267-636)

CAKE AND DESSERTS Pine Garden's Cake (6457-6159)

WEDDING PLANNER Heaven's Gift Wedding Concierge (Kim Tay, 6220-0378)

SPECIAL THANKS TO Kim, our wedding planner for being so patient, genuine and caring. Our wedding wouldn't have been a success if it wasn't for you, Kim! **LWB**

5&7 Linda dressed her hair up with pretty fresh flowers. **6** The new husband and wife getting ready to offer their first toast at the dinner reception. **8-10** Flower arrangements ranged from all-white bridesmaid bouquets to vibrant centrepieces for the reception tables.