

The Chronicle

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A little paper for a very big day.

SPECIAL ISSUE

THE BEST IS YET TO COME

Céleste & Adrien

Six years, one borrowed book, and a lifetime of chapters ahead.

01 / Céleste & Adrien, on their wedding day.

Dear family & friends

You have cheered us on through new jobs, new homes and countless Sunday lunches. Today, our favourite people are finally in one room. Make yourself at home, meet someone new, and save a little energy for the dance floor. We are so glad you are here.

With love, Céleste & Adrien

The Old Town Hall, Bath

OUR LOVE STORY

The beginning. The milestones. The everyday.



02 / A quiet laugh at the window table.

The rain stopped. We stayed.

Céleste Laurent was looking for a novel. Adrien Moreau was sheltering from the rain. Neither expected a Bath bookshop to begin a story they would still tell six years later.

They reached for the same book, started talking, and carried the conversation to the café next door. One coffee became two. When the rain stopped, neither mentioned it.

Their next meeting was a walk by the river, then dinner somewhere new. Adrien arrived early. Céleste brought the book, already finished and full of opinions.

What followed was a collection of very good ordinary days. Sunday markets. Train journeys. Dinner with friends around a table that was always a little too small.



The little things.

Céleste reads the last page before her coffee goes cold. Adrien lets the record play to the end.

Their shelves tell the story: books, vinyl, and more mugs than two people need.

The story so far

2021



THE FIRST HELLO
A bookshop in Bath.

2022



THE FIRST TRIP
A rainy week in Lisbon.

2023



OUR FIRST HOME
Books, records, mugs.

2025



THE EASIEST YES
A yes by the Cornish sea.

2027



EVERYONE HERE
One room. All our people.

THE FINER DETAILS

The vows, the people, and all the journeys that brought us here.

Order of the day

						
14:00	14:30	15:00	16:30	18:00	19:00	23:30
Take a seat	We say “I do”	Confetti!	Dinner	Raise a glass	First dance	Home time
The ceremony room	The ceremony	The front steps	Assembly Room	A few words	Then join us	Coaches depart

The ceremony

ARRIVAL

Please be seated by 14:15. The ceremony begins at 14:30.

UNPLUGGED VOWS

Phones away for the vows; photographs are welcome afterwards.

CONFETTI

Pick up a cone of flower petals as you leave; we’ll gather on the front steps.

A quiet half hour, a promise, and the people we love.

At the table

TO BEGIN

Burrata & heritage tomatoes
Basil and sourdough

THE MAIN EVENT

Roast chicken, summer greens
or wild mushroom risotto

SOMETHING SWEET

Lemon tart & crème fraîche
Wedding cake to follow

*Please tell us about allergies.
Vegetarian choices available.*

Good to know

A HELPING HAND

Find Emma, our maid of honour, if you need any help.

COATS & BAGS

The cloakroom is beside the Assembly Room.

EVENING AIR

The courtyard can feel cool after sunset, so bring a light layer.

GETTING HOME

Coaches leave from the front entrance at 23:30.

Wedding party

Maid of honour

Emma Reed

Best man

Oliver Brooks

Our parents

Helen & Peter; Sarah & David

From near & far



1 Vancouver
3 New York
5 Berlin
7 Sydney

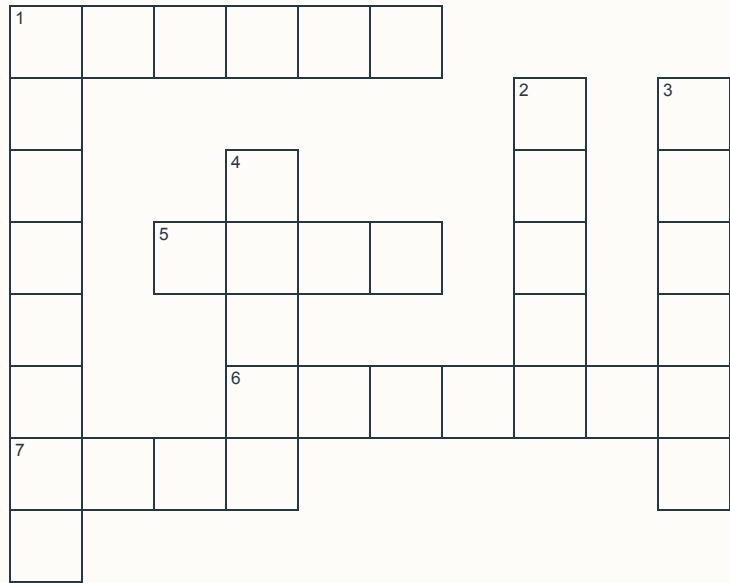
2 San Francisco
4 Lisbon
6 Singapore

SIP & SOLVE

A little play, a lot of love. This one's yours to keep.

A little crossword

A few clues for the quiet moments between the toasts.



ACROSS

- 1. One cup became two (6)
- 5. The city where our story began (4)
- 6. The bride's first name (7)
- 7. The reason we are all here (4)

DOWN

- 1. Where we got engaged (8)
- 2. What brought us to the same shop (5)
- 3. The groom's first name (6)
- 4. Save one for us tonight (5)

Answers: 1D CORNWALL · 1A COFFEE · 2D BOOKS · 3D ADRIEN · 4D DANCE · 5A BATH · 6A CELESTE · 7A LOVE

Who knows us best?

A · Céleste / B · Adrien

- 01 Who is more likely to plan a surprise? (A) (B)
- 02 Who takes the most photographs? (A) (B)
- 03 Who starts dancing first? (A) (B)
- 04 Who saves every little souvenir? (A) (B)
- 05 Who suggests one more adventure? (A) (B)

Answers: 1 B · 2 A · 3 B · 4 A · 5 A

A little love from home



Olive, our rescue cat and unofficial household editor, sends her love from the sunny windowsill. Extra cuddles have been arranged.

You made it here.

Some of you know us from school. Some became friends over work, dinner, or a borrowed book. Today, those different parts of our lives get to meet. It means so much to look around this room and see the people who have made our ordinary days brighter.

Thank you for the journeys, the time off, and the people looking after things at home. Thank you, too, for the conversations and encouragement that brought us here. We hope you leave with a new friend, a favourite photograph, and a story of your own from today.

With love, Céleste & Adrien

Through your eyes



Catch the moments we might miss.

- 1. A laugh you almost missed
- 2. Two people meeting for the first time
- 3. A little detail you love
- 4. Your favourite dance-floor moment