

250+ TOP LOCAL RESOURCES TO PLAN YOUR WEDDING

CALIFORNIA WEDDING DAY



Dreamy Dresses

FROM THE RUNWAY TO THE AISLE

CUSTOM SUITS for the Groom

BRIGHTEN UP colorful décor for your tabletop

WINE COUNTRY WEDDINGS In Paso Robles

REAL WEDDINGS that will inspire

Plus: DECADENT CAKES, GORGEOUS JEWELS AND MORE GOWNS



NEWLY WED | by *Betsy McLain* photographed by *Sky-Blu Photography*

Amanda Michelle Moreno & Kadir Erdagon

Wedding: September 24, 2011 *Married and Celebrated:* San Gabriel Mission in Arcadia and Vibiana in Los Angeles
Honeymooned: Istanbul, Turkey

The stars aligned for Amanda and Kadir, both on the night they met and at their stunning wedding. The couple met at a party when Kadir's friend asked Amanda, "What's your sign?" Instead of answering, she turned the question on Kadir, and the two found they had far more in common than just being Gemini's. Seven years later, the two made it official with an event inspired by their two cultures—Amanda is Mexican-American, Kadir is Turkish. Amanda wanted a bohemian feel, so the baroque cathedral-turned-event space décor included vibrant flowers, ikat fabric from Uzbekistan, luxurious sari fabric, and turquoise vases and lanterns. The foodie couple created a menu of seasonal ingredients and for dessert, guests were treated to three different wedding cakes and a sultan's dessert table filled with confections straight from Istanbul.



BAND: Latin Trio from Kimera Music **BRIDAL GOWN:** Ines DiSanto **CAKE:** Takes the Cake **CATERER:** The Food Matters **FLORIST:** Inviting Occasion
GROOMSWEAR: Sarar **HAIR:** The Loft **MAKEUP ARTIST:** Nikki Green **PROGRAMS:** Wedding Paper Divas **OFFICIANT:** The Rev. Stephen Niskanen
PLANNER: Brandi Smith, High Society Event Planning **RENTALS:** Signature Party Rentals **RINGS:** GNK Jewels **TUXEDO RENTAL:** Friar Tux Shop

