

Hedding catalogue

A FAIRYTALE WEDDING IN BLED

FRANCE PREŠEREN [1800—1849]: »CARNIOLA DOES NOT HAVE A PRETTIER SCENE THAN THIS ONE: IT IS TRULY HEAVEN'S TWIN.«







Its heavenly image måkes Bled one OF THE MOŠT ROMANTIC DESTINATIONS IN THE WORLD. PEOPLE HAVE ALWAYS BELIEVED THAT THE TOWN OF BLED and Bled Island in particular have MAGICAL POWERS; IT IS NO COINCIDENCE THEN THAT IT HAS BECOME SUCH A POPULAR LOCATION FOR WEDDING ceremonies. Couples come herè from ALL OVER THE WORLD TO SEAL THEIR LOVE AND PROMISE ETERNAL DEVOTION IN THIS FAIRYTALE SETTING.

Bled is proud to have the reputation of a town perfect for

romance.







A fairytale wedding in Bled

Imagine your special day in this fairytale setting, on the shore of an idyllic Alpine lake topped with a magical island and a small church. In the sumptuous surroundings of an elegant hotel, you take your first wedding dance as husband and wife with all your loved ones around you, then go on to enjoy the culinary masterpieces created by a renowned chef. Your life together starts with a romantic breakfast in bed. As you take in the enchanting view of the lake, the island and the mighty castle, you realise that your wedding was a true fairytale!

Did we mention that the day will always be remembered for the magical photographs taken against what is undoubtedly one of the most beautiful natural backdrops in the world?













Bled

- A wonder of nature with an emerald lake and Bled Island, which never fails to impress.
- Reinvigorating Alpine air and beneficial thermal water for your well-being.
- The wishing bell on Bled Island will make your secret wishes come true.
- The unforgettable flavour of Bled cream cake.
- Pampering at Spa Luisa with a touch of Alpine freshness.
- Delicious local seasonal gastronomy.
- Golfing on Slovenia's oldest golf course is a memorable experience.
- An active vacation to fill you with fresh energy.

Lake Bled with its island, the planet's most photogenic lake. (LONELY PLANET) One of the 25 most beautiful small towns in the world. (CONDE NAST TRAVELER) The romantic surroundings, tradition and timeless atmosphere make Bled the perfect place to start a marriage full of love.



The tradition of fairytale weddings in Bled

Many couples are completely enchanted and enthralled by Bled the moment they first set foot in it. You will be enthralled by its hidden and not-so-hidden corners – the perfect wedding photograph locations that you will remember for a long time to come. You will be enthralled by the fairytale nature of Bled with its emerald Alpine lake and charming little island and by the "pletna" boat ride to Bled Island, a truly unique experience.

Most of all, you will be charmed by an old Bled wedding custom . According to tradition, the groom has to carry the bride up the 99 stone steps to the church to ensure a happy marriage. At the top, the bride and groom ring the wishing bell, and their most secret wish will come true.





Magic moments at Grand Hotel Toplice

In 1818, two hot springs were discovered on the shore of Lake Bled. Believed to have healing properties, the renowned healer Arnold Rikli built a famous health resort on top of one of the springs. Today, this is the site of Grand Hotel Toplice, a hotel with over 80 years of tradition that the receptionist will be happy to tell you about. Throughout history, the most eminent guests have stayed at Grand Hotel Toplice. Housing its own thermal water swimming pools with a beneficial effect on the body and spirit, the hotel also boasts a private beach and boathouse. You are sure to be impressed by the beautiful views of the enchanting nature of Bled, the timeless elegance of Grand Hotel Toplice, the ever-present staff who will take care of your every wish, the authentic local dishes created by an internationally renowned Michelin-awarded chef, relaxation in beneficial thermal water and more.

Grand Hotel Toplice is a member of the prestigious international hotel association, Small Luxury Hotels of the World.

Marriage vows with the most beautiful views

Its unique location on the shore of Lake Bled makes Grand Hotel Toplice the best location for an unforgettably romantic wedding day that you will remember forever. Bled's only five-star hotel, with the longest tradition, Grand Hotel Toplice offers a variety of venues for wedding ceremonies and celebrations. Couples can exchange their vows in the shade of the majestic chestnut trees on the festive white terrace on the shore of Lake Bled, or in one of the hotel's elegant lounges with enchanting views of the lake.

The idyllic Julijana terrace on the lake
Jezero Lounge with the most beautiful view

3 The elegant atmosphere of the Presidential Lounge











A wedding to impress everyone

Situated on the lake shore, the exclusive Restaurant Julijana is ideal for celebrations for smaller groups. For a more lavish wedding celebration, we recommend the Grand Hall, a banquet hall with a large terrace and an elegant interior. Alternatively, you can choose a banquet setup with round tables in the Panorama Hall, where you and your guests can enjoy magnificent views of Lake Bled and the Julian Alps.

The luxurious Grand Banquet Hall with a private covered terrace
Intimate atmosphere in Restaurant Julijana







Enjoy the culinary masterpieces by an internationally renowned chef.







An outstanding gourmet wedding experience worthy of prestigious culinary awards

At Grand Hotel Toplice, you will find first-rate gastronomy services and friendly, helpful staff with plenty of experience in organising wedding celebrations. The renowned chefs, including chef Simon Bertoncelj, who received the Michelin Plate 2020 and 2021 and Recommended by Michelin 2022 awards for his work in Restaurant Julijana, will be there to help you decide between an elegant cocktail party or a sumptuous menu with a selection of culinary treats.

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For wonderful memories that last forever

Leave the organisation of the most important day of your life in the capable hands of our experienced wedding experts, who will be happy to take care of every single detail of your wedding day. That way, you will be free to focus on celebrating your love. The team will help you choose a menu that will convince even the most discerning guests. They will also take care of all the details that will make your wedding day a special event to remember forever.

Chef Simon Bertoncelj is known for the wealth of his ingredients and flavours. His dishes reflect the extensive knowledge he gained at the restaurants of acclaimed chefs: he trained with the excellent Gordon Ramsay, with the French chef Marc Meurin in Lille, who boasts two Michelin stars, and at the EssZimmer BMW Welt restaurant in Munich, which has been awarded one Michelin star. He also worked with the Austrian chef Bobby Bräuer, who was awarded three chef's hats and 18 points by the Gault&Millau restaurant guide. He and his team often participate in training abroad, where they discover the latest trends, expand horizons, learn from the best and find inspiration for new dishes. They then create new ideas following their feelings and adapt them to the local environment. Lovingly made, bursting with flavour and delicate in shape - the perfect choice for the sweetest moment of the day.



Style and elegance

Experience an unforgettable wedding night with a romantic breakfast and enchanting views of the Lake Bled panorama. Let yourself be pampered in the sumptuous environment of Bled's most famous hotel on the shore of one of the most beautiful lakes in the world. At the elegant Grand Hotel Toplice, the friendly, helpful hotel staff are always there for you to make sure that your wedding fairytale never ends.

The comfortable, hospitable accommodation is sure to be a hit with your guests as well. They can choose from a range of suites or rooms, and relax in the atmosphere of rich tradition and quiet elegance in the style of the 1930s.

For romantic memories

that you will revisit again and again.







A fairytale that lasts

Bled with Lake Bled, which is considered one of the most beautiful lakes in the world, will enchant you in all seasons! Spend your honeymoon in this Alpine paradise and deepen your love. Go on a romantic walk or take a carriage ride around the lake, rent a boat at the hotel's boathouse and visit the island in the middle of the lake, or simply enjoy the luxurious comfort of Grand Hotel Toplice. Staying in the hotel's luxury suite, being pampered in the intimate atmosphere of Spa Luisa, relaxing in the elegant swimming pools with thermal water and picturesque views of the Bled panorama – all this will enchant you during your unforgettable honeymoon in Bled!

Just a step away from making your dreams come true



GRAND HOTEL TOPLICE

Grand Hotel Toplice has 87 rooms, including 29 luxury suites. Each room has a bathroom with bathtub or shower, balcony, direct phone line, cable TV, mini bar, safe, air conditioning and Wi-Fi. For greater comfort, the mattress firmness can be adjusted, and guests can choose a pillow that suits them best.

The hotel has a private beach and boathouse; guests can also take advantage of a thermal swimming pool and select services for relaxation and well-being.

WEDDING NIGHT

Grand Hotel Toplice offers a number of attractive extras for newlyweds. When you book a wedding dinner for 30 people or more, the newlyweds are guaranteed an unforgettable wedding night in a room with views of the lake.

ACCOMMODATION FOR WEDDING GUESTS

Wedding guests can be accommodated at different Sava Hotels & Resorts hotels (Grand Hotel Toplice, Rikli Balance Hotel, Hotel Park and Hotel Savica Garni), all located in the centre of Bled. Guests can choose from four or five-star hotels.

THE WEDDING CEREMONY

The hotel offers unique locations for wedding ceremonies.

The Julijana terrace

Suitable for wedding ceremonies with up to 120 people (20 seats or 120 standing).

Lake Lounge

Suitable for wedding ceremonies with up to 120 people (60 seats or 120 standing).

Presidential Lounge

The lounge can accommodate up to 70 people (40 seats or 70 standing).

WEDDING CELEBRATION

Restaurant Julijana

Suitable for meals for smaller groups or standing receptions on the terrace. Number of seats: restaurant: 20, terrace: 30.

The Banquet Hall and the Grand Terrace

Particularly suitable for large wedding celebrations. Number of seats: hall: 220, terrace: 60.

TAKING CARE OF EVERY DETAIL FOR A PERFECT WEDDING

At Grand Hotel Toplice, we offer a range of additional services to help you organise your unforgettable wedding.

We offer newlyweds:

- ▶ a "personalised" wedding menu,
- a tasting of the wedding menu,
- menu cards,
- wedding cake,
- a "personalised" hall layout,
- ▶ an "a-la-carte" proposal for wine and food pairing,
- free accommodation for the wedding night when booking dinner for a minimum of 50 people,
- discount on accommodation for wedding guests,
- parking space for the newlyweds,
- ▶ 1 hour use of a rowing boat,
- room for the bride to get ready.

Recommendations:

If you wish, we are happy to recommend a professional and tried and tested wedding agency and a local florist who will take care of the personalised floral decoration.



To find out more and book your dream wedding, contact our wedding planners. Grand Hotel Toplice

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