

# Nikki Hernandez and Travis Smith Wedding

## General Information (Entertainment)

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### **Performers**

- Kevin Coon - kevinwcoon@gmail.com - 913-593-6707 (Piano)

### **Entire Wedding Day Time Frame**

09/23/2023 - 04:30 pm - 11:01 pm CST

### **Locations**

**Ceremony:**

Magnolia Hotel  
421 N 8th St

St. Louis, Missouri 63101

**Cocktails:**

Magnolia Hotel  
421 N 8th St

St. Louis, Missouri 63101

**Dinner:**

Magnolia Hotel  
421 N 8th St

St. Louis, Missouri 63101

**Dancing:**

Magnolia Hotel  
421 N 8th St

St. Louis, Missouri 63101

**Parking:** Hotel valet or local parking garage down the street. No easy parking.

### **Files**

- [Screenshot\\_20230802\\_090721\\_Docs.jpg](#)
- [Screenshot\\_20220612-014938\\_Google.jpg](#)
- [20211009\\_165331.jpg](#)
- [Screenshot\\_20220410-021924\\_Google.jpg](#)

### **Load-In**

This wedding is entirely indoors.

The ceremony and cocktails are in the SAME area.

**Duelers Load-In:**

You can start loading in at 02:00 pm.

### **Contacts**

**Photographer:**

Zach Dalin  
Zach Dalin Photography  
(314) 941-6253  
zach@zachdalin.com  
<https://zachdalin.com/>

**Independent Day Of Coordinator:**

Wendy Hillyer  
DK Boutique Flowers  
(217) 322-2550  
wendyhillyer@icloud.com  
<https://www.rushvilleflowersandgifts.com/>

**Venue Manager:**

Anna Hamilton

Magnolia Hotel

(314) 658-4082

AHamilton@magnoliahotels.com

[https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/stltr-magnolia-hotel-st-louis-a-tribute-portfolio-hotel/overview/?scid=bb1a189a-fec3-4d19-a255-54ba596febe2&y\\_source=1\\_NjE1ODE3MC03MTUtbG9jYXRpb24ud2Vic210ZQ%3D%3D](https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/stltr-magnolia-hotel-st-louis-a-tribute-portfolio-hotel/overview/?scid=bb1a189a-fec3-4d19-a255-54ba596febe2&y_source=1_NjE1ODE3MC03MTUtbG9jYXRpb24ud2Vic210ZQ%3D%3D)

**Upgrades**

- Mini-shells



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## Ceremony Information (Entertainment)

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### **Ceremony Time Frame**

04:30 pm - 05:00 pm CST

### **Ceremony Setup**

**Setup:** Set up in room where ceremony and reception takes place on 2nd floor in conference room.

### **Sound System Needs**

The officiant (Jack Muncie - brides brother) will require a handheld microphone with stand. Jack Muncie - brides brother is expected to arrive around 12:00 pm. **Important:** Remember to find out what the officiant's last words will be before the recessional music begins!

No readers will need a microphone.

You will be providing live music so have a keyboard set up.

### **Ceremony Attendance**

**Number of people in attendance:** 100-120

**Seating Music Begins At:** 04:00 pm

**Wedding Party Size:** 16 (12 adults)

### **Ceremony Music**

**Live Seating Music:** "La Vie en Rose," by Édith Piaf (piano cover)

<https://youtu.be/Qps4T7kOk5E>

500 Miles by Sleeping at Last

Any instrumental piano

**Live Wedding Party Processional Music:** "Turning Page," by Sleeping at Last

**YouTube Link:** <https://youtu.be/4Cry85KUzzU>

The last person(s) to walk down the aisle before the main entrance will be Maid of Honor/Best Man.

**Recorded Ceremony Processional Music:** Tale as Old as Time Beauty and the Beast

**YouTube Link:** <https://youtu.be/6n9Cysnoxug>

**Recorded Ceremony Recessional Music:** Just Like Heaven

**YouTube Link:** <https://youtu.be/lcKyYEujJds>

### **Load Out**

**Special Load Out Instructions:** Parking restraints on busy downtown street. Valet available.

Live music from 8:40 to 11:00. No dj hour as of now unless we magically can pay the extra \$500 they just sprung on us.

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## Cocktail Information (Entertainment)

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### **Cocktail Time Frame**

05:00 pm - 06:30 pm CST

### **General Cocktail Information**

**Expected number of guests for cocktails:** 100-120

**Location of the Couple at this time:** Taking pics with photographer at the arch. Limo arrives back at hotel at 630

**Music (Recorded) for cocktails:** Bridgerton



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## Dinner Information (Entertainment)

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### Dinner Time Frame

**06:30 pm** - Guests find seats

**06:45 pm** - Cake cutting

**06:45 pm** - Wedding party introductions

**07:00 pm** - Dinner is served

**07:02 pm** - Announcements

**07:50 pm** - Speech - Beka Francis

**07:55 pm** - Speech - Renee Rainey

**08:00 pm** - Speech - Jeremy Maglio

**08:30 pm** - First Dance

**08:35 pm** - Mother/Son Dance (Vickie Promisson & Travis Smith)

**08:40 pm** - Dueling Piano Show

**10:00 pm** - Photographer will be leaving

**10:59 pm** - DJ Show

**11:02 pm** - Bar closes

**Our Seating:** There will be a table for venue workers to eat! Will need to know preference for chicken, beef, or veggie.

### 06:45 pm Cake Cutting

**Announce Cake Cutting:** Yes

**Song:** [Sugar Pie Honeybunch](#) by n/a

### 06:45 pm Wedding Party Intros

**Intro Music:** It's just the bride and groom not the whole wedding party. Bring em out.

Going straight to cake cutting upon entrance - 6:45pm; Dinner served at 7pm.. B+G will do a champagne toast once cake cutting is done.

1 - Mr. And Mrs. Dr. Smith

Introduce the newlyweds as Mr. And Mrs. Dr. Smith

### 07:00 pm Dinner Is Served

**Dinner Type:** Plated

**Please List In Order The Courses That Will Be Served**

| Course   | Notes            |
|----------|------------------|
| Salad    |                  |
| Main     | Steak or Chicken |
| Cupcakes |                  |

### 07:02 pm Announcements

**Clinking:** Sing A Song With The Word 'Love'

**Other Dinner Announcements:**

We would like to play the shoe game at 9:30

There will be a taco bar buffet at 10pm

815 to 830 we'll run to tables with the photographer during the course of one \*fun song. Please announce that we're coming around for a group shot with each table (our coordinator will make sure the table is ready).

### **07:50 pm Speech**

Beka Francis - Maid of Honor

### **07:55 pm Speech**

Renee Rainey - Matron of Honor

### **08:00 pm Speech**

Jeremy Maglio - Best man

### **08:30 pm First Dance**

**Dancers:** Nikki & Travis

**Song:** Tennessee Whiskey by Chris Stapleton(Live)

<https://youtu.be/4zAThXFOy2c>

**Special Instructions:** at last chorus have wedding party join on the dancefloor

### **08:35 pm Mother/Son Dance**

**Dancers:** Vickie Promisson & Travis Smith

**Song:** The Wonder of You by Elvis(Live)

<https://youtu.be/F5eEvfOyb7k>

**Special Instructions:** Fade out appropriately around 2.5 minutes.

### **Other Dinner Information**

No Change

**Dinner Music:** Recorded Open

**Meet And Greet After Dinner:** Yes

**Other Details:** Brides father is not alive. Please do not mention father/daughter dance at all or it may crush me.

FELIX AND FINGERS  
DUELING PIANOS

# Nikki Hernandez and Travis Smith Reception

## Reception Information (Entertainment)

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### 08:40 pm Dueling Piano Show

### 10:59 pm DJ Show

### Must Play Songs:

A Thousand Years - by Christina Perri (Live)

Don't Stop Believing - by Journey (Live- my family is from Detroit this song will be a big deal)

Never Tear Us Apart - by INXS (Live)

### Songs To Avoid:

Hokey Pokey and chicken dance. Honestly all line dancing BS we're not interested in.

We would love comedy and crowd engagement more than anything. And when you play Journey Don't stop believing please shout out to my Detroit family as that is where we are all from.

**Explicit Lyrics:** We LOVE and prefer songs with explicit (not raunchy) lyrics for the humor, please don't shy away from them. There will be a few kids at the reception (estimated 5) and we've asked that they either leave by 9pm or accept the consequences of hearing explicit lyrics.

### Other Details

**Bouquet Toss:** None

**Garter Toss:** None

**Tipping:** Yes

**Tips Go To:** pianists - don't push!

**Tip Jar:** Yes

**Tip Promotion:** Mention it a few times

### Alcohol/Bar

**Bar In Same Room As Dance Area:** Yes

**Type:** Open

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## Miscellaneous Information (Entertainment)

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**No Of Guests:** No Change

### **Children**

**Approximate Number Of Children:** 5

**General Age Range:** 3 to 15

### **Wireless**

**Details:**

**Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password**

|                | <b>Wireless Name</b> | <b>Password</b> |
|----------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Marriott hotel |                      |                 |

### **Other**

**Honeymoon** - St. Lucia

**Wedding Colors** - Navy blue and white

**Performer's Attire** - Cocktail (Women: an above-the-knee hem is appropriate, or an evening pantsuit. Men: suit, tie optional.)

**Performance Expectations** - 2

This number represents a sliding scale between 0 and 5. 0 leans towards traditional bar show with lots of dueling piano banter and comedy. 5 represents a wedding show with little talking and non-stop dancing.

**[Please be sure to review the Wedding Guide!](#)**

### **Departure And Load-Out**

### **Send-Off**

**Details:**

Its not an official send off the wedding party is just going down to do sparklers then coming back up. We're not leaving just want for photo before photographer leaves.

**After-Party** - Announce the following details:

Downstairs lobby bar

**We must be packed up and out of the venue by 12:00 am**

**Additional Information:** Feel free to dress comfortable; hats, suspenders, etc. No preference just not casual please. Huge fans of dueling pianos and can't wait for the show! We have VERY outgoing families and have kept the entertainment a secret from everyone!



# Nikki Hernandez and Travis Smith Timeline (Entertainment)

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## Full Timeline

- 02:00 pm** - Arrival Time (musicians)
- 04:00 pm** - Guests Arrive For Ceremony
- 04:30 pm** - Ceremony Begins
- 05:00 pm** - Cocktails Begin
- 06:30 pm** - Guests find seats
- 06:45 pm** - Cake cutting
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- 11:02 pm** - Bar closes

## Reminders:

- Turn down the lights in the room (especially before first dances)
- Make sure the couple and their parents are present
- Communicate with vendors (like Photographer and Videographer), make sure they're ready
- Double check your sound board settings, speaker settings, lights, mics on, etc.

## Emergency Contacts

Below is the order of contact to follow:

### **1. National Entertainment Director**

Shawn Grindle - (412) 860-0544

### **2. Logistics Manager**

Tina Naponelli - (815) 382-4341

If they are unavailable:

### **3. COO**

Bre Podgorski - (818) 823-5799 (text only)

### **4. CEO**

Mike Potts - (815) 245-3623 (text only)

## The "No" List

- No blessing
- No WedPics
- No father/daughter dance
- No bouquet toss
- No garter toss
- No preference for last song of the night
- No special songs per heritage
- No expected fight songs
- No shuttle

## Gear Check List:

- Keyboard (with power cable and sustain pedal)
- Microphone
- Stands (Keyboard Stand, Music Stand, Mic Stand, Light Stands, Speaker Stands)
- Speakers (with power cables)
- Monitors (Players may bring their own. All monitors must use the Main Send, no independent mixes)
- Lights (With power cables and pedals)
- iPad (charged, or with charger)
- Mixing Board
- EIF/Questionnaire
- Pencils/Forms/Tip Jar/Gaff Tape
- Freddy
- Stool
- Cables (Power/Patch/XLR/DJ Cable)
- DJ Headphones
- Mini Shells
- Rockin Roller
- Extra Mic
- Clothing: Shirt/Pants/Socks/Shoes/Belt/Tie/Undershirt
- Business Cards

## Rig Setup/Operation Scribd

[Click here](#) or scan the QR code.

Scribd is a great resource for locating sheet music (ie. First



dances, ceremony music, special requests). Please feel free to use our account. Username:info@felixandfingers.com Password:FFPlayer88

### **Player FAQ**

Have other questions? Chat with our [AI Support](#)

