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"It does not bother me that she is older," says Rubicondi, who met Ivana through a mutual pal in Italy. "She's the whole package: smart, sexy, funny, athletic and an astute businesswoman."

# IVANA TRUMP'S FANTASY WEDDING

With something borrowed (The Donald's manse) and something blue (the Palm Beach sky), Ivana Trump marries someone new: Italian-born Rossano Rubicondi



**THE INVITATIONS** were made of linen and embroidered with gold thread.

The groom wore white but the bride wore pink—and plenty of it. At Ivana Trump's nearly \$3 million wedding to her longtime beau, Italian model-actor Rossano Rubicondi, 35, the 59-year-old socialite had three different pastel gowns for the April 12 bash at Mar-a-Lago, the Palm Beach club owned by her ex Donald Trump. After descending a butterfly staircase to the pool-side ceremony under a 15-ft. canopy of pastel orchids, roses and hydrangea, Ivana exchanged vows with Rubicondi, who entered to the *Rocky* theme song and yelled, "Finally!" to a happy roar from the 400 guests, who included The Donald and Rick and Kathy Hilton. Later the newlyweds tangoed to "Whatever Lola Wants, Lola Gets," and looked forward to a spa honeymoon in the U.S., followed by a trip to Dubai and the Maldives. As for the 24-year age gap? "I am very much in love," says Trump of her fourth husband. "I have so much energy, an older man cannot keep up with me!"



**RAINBOW COALITION** "I'm so happy my friends from around the world came to be with me," says Trump, who asked her 25 bridesmaids to pick their own pastel gowns and treated them to earrings and necklaces from the Ivana Trump Jewelry Collection.

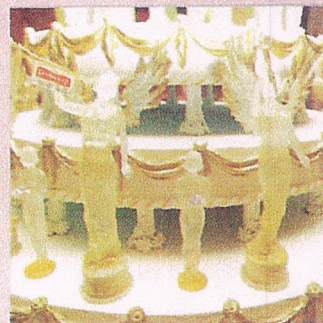


**A PRETTY PAIR** Maid of honor Ivanka Trump, 26 (in a Mark Zunino sheared silk and chiffon gown), shared a moment with Mom, who donned a diamond tiara to match her silk Zuhair Murad wedding gown embroidered with stars and flowers.

## THE DETAILS



**THE RINGS** Rubicondi gave his bride a \$1 million diamond band from David K. Jewelers to match her princess-cut, rounded diamond engagement sparkler, as well as her Leviev diamond necklace.

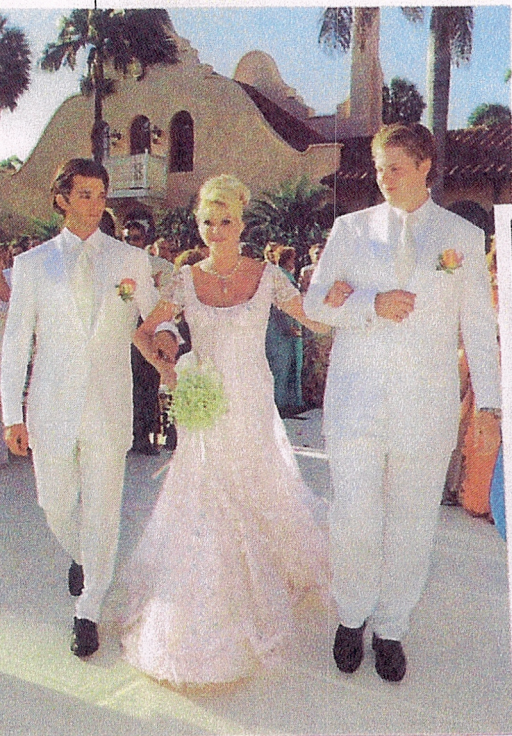


## THE WEDDING CAKE

The 12-ft., nine-level Lambertz Belgian chocolate mousse cake, imported from Germany, came with hand-painted reproductions of Michelangelo's angels.



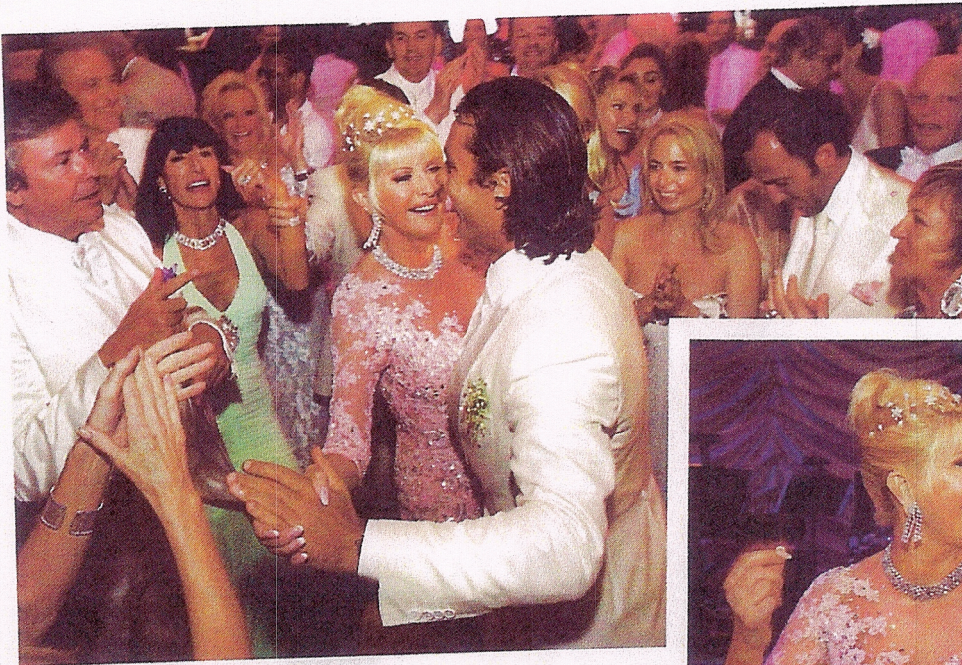
**THE SPREAD** Guests dined in the Grand Ballroom (where Donald and Melania Trump also held their 2005 wedding dinner) on stone crabs, lobster crepes and New Zealand racks of lamb.



**SUPPORT SYSTEM** When Trump tripped on her train during the procession, her sons Donald Jr., 30, and Eric, 24—who adhered to the “wear white” dress code for male guests—steadied her. Donald Sr.’s sister, Judge Maryanne Trump Barry, presided over the ceremony.



**MAN IN BLACK?** The Donald greets the groom but refuses to wear the required white.



**DANCING WITH THE STARS** "It was an incredible party," says wedding planner Cheryl Clisby of the 24-piece orchestra Ivana flew in from Paris. Guest Neil Sedaka also sang "Love Will Keep Us Together."

**YOU'RE FIERY!** "Other than the occasional squabble because we're passionate people, we get along great," says Trump of her man, who sang her a ballad he wrote.

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