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YOUR DREAM WEDDING <sup>SM</sup>



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BAKERSFIELD  
AT THE CONVENTION CENTER

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# relax

and enjoy

Our award winning chefs will work with you to create a wonderful dinner for family and friends. We'll handle all of the details so you can relax before your special day.



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## *Rehearsal Dinner Buffett*

each entrée is served with your choice of salad, fresh baked bread, dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee, and tea service.

| \$39

crisp garden greens with assorted dressings, tossed caesar salad with herb croutons and shaved parmesan, tomato and fresh mozzarella salad, antipasto display with marinated and grilled vegetables, olives and peppers, imported cheese, pepperoni and salamis, fresh fruit arrangement, chef's selection of vegetables and potato or rice, and a themed dessert station.

### *Choice of Two entrees*

top sirloin slow roasted and carved in room with creamy horseradish and au jus

enhancements | substitute prime rib | \$3

| garlic herb chicken breast with mushroom onion gravy

| pork loin crusted with a dried fruit compote

| choice of atlantic salmon or mahi-mahi with citrus herb butter

| jumbo shells stuffed with ricotta and mozzarella and sun-dried tomato cream sauce



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## *Rehearsal Plated Dinner*

each entrée is served with your choice of salad, fresh baked bread, dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee, and tea service.

### *Salad- Choice of One*

house salad: mixed garden greens, cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, shredded carrots, and our signature vinaigrette

caesar salad: romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese, butter garlic croutons and creamy caesar dressing

### *Choice of One Entrees*

*\$27* | cast iron chicken breast pan seared with smashed potatoes, roasted root vegetables, and mushroom onion gravy.

*\$30* | chicken florentine stuffed with spinach and parmesan cheese, rice pilaf, broccolini with lemon herb cream sauce.

*\$32* | top sirloin 8oz. baseball cut with shallot herb butter, roasted yukon potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

*\$37* | salmon filet pan roasted filet whipped saffron potato, asparagus, tomato and artichoke bruschetta.



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it's about  
**tradition**

We can accommodate every wish and family tradition for your ceremony, offering spectacular venues to make your wedding fairy tale perfect.



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## *Locations*

Wedding vows may be exchanged in a ballroom or outdoors by the pool. Please speak with our wedding specialist for information.

## *Wedding Ceremony*

The Bakersfield Marriott welcomes the opportunity to host your wedding ceremony. Please see our wedding specialist for more information.

## *Ceremony*

At the Bakersfield Marriott, we are dedicated to making your wedding a memorable one. Please contact one of our professional and experienced wedding specialists to further plan your wedding ceremony and to schedule an appointment for a personal tour



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# taste

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Your celebration may include a champagne brunch, bountiful lunch buffet or more formal sit down lunch. Whichever you choose, our wedding event planners will help you fashion a fantastic menu that you and your guests will savor.



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## *Plated Light Luncheon*

each entrée is served with your choice of salad, fresh baked bread, dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee, and tea service.  
(available from 10:00am-3:00pm)

choice of one:

house salad: mixed garden greens, cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, shredded carrots, and our signature vinaigrette

caesar salad: romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese, butter garlic croutons and creamy caesar dressing



### *Cast Iron Chicken*

| \$26

seared with smashed potatoes, roasted vegetables and mushroom gravy.

### *Italian Farmers Pasta*

| \$23

penne pasta with grilled chicken and fresh market vegetables.

### *Slow Roasted Tri-Tip*

| \$26

served with spinach rice pilaf, refried black beans and salsa fresco.

### *Stuffed Shells*

| \$23

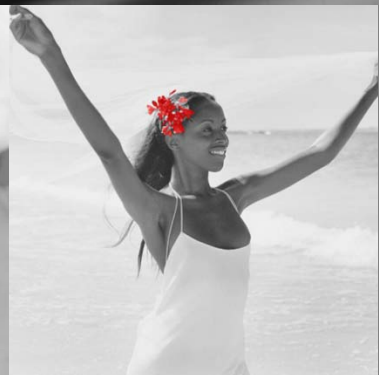
with spring vegetables and a sun-dried tomato cream sauce.



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# experience

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When it comes to tying the knot, Marriott Certified Wedding Planners are an important part of your special day. Our expert wedding event planners provide complimentary services, handling all of the event details and working closely with you and your wedding planner to ensure the perfect wedding.



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## Wedding Packages

choice of two hors d' oeuvres  
champagne or cider toast  
cake cutting or dessert service  
dance floor  
non-hosted bar  
china, silverware  
complimentary colored linens  
from our house selection

### **set-up & tear-down of room**

(tables, chairs, white linen, staging, etc.)

**complimentary junior suite for the bride & groom**  
with a chilled bottle of champagne and basket of late  
night treats.

(per 6-hour increment: 10:00am-4:00pm or 6:00pm-11:59pm additional  
increments may be available at \$1000.00++ per section/per 6 hours)  
1 hour prior to commencement of reception, available for set up.



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## *Hors D'oeuvres*



| beef brochettes with demi glace

| hand rolled meatballs

| greek spanakopita

| artichoke and tomato bruschetta on crustini

| spring rolls with sesame dip

| family style vegetable crudite

| chicken pot stickers served with a sweet chili sauce

### *enhancements | \$3*

shrimp cocktail shooter with avocado cilantro and lime.

mini crab-cakes

prosciutto, smoked salmon wrapped asparagus



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## *Dinner Buffett*

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house salad: mixed garden greens, cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, shredded carrots, and our signature vinaigrette

caesar salad: romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese, butter garlic croutons and creamy caesar dressing

### *\$48 | Choice of two Entrees*

slow roasted tri-tip with a red wine demi glace

garlic herb chicken with mushroom onion gravy

roasted pork loin with dried fruit compote

pan seared salmon with a citrus herb sauce

### *Dessert- Choice of One*

white chocolate raspberry ice cream truffle

cheesecake: strawberry, chocolate, new york

chef's assorted petite dessert platter

chocolate bundt cake with mixed berry coulis



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## Plated Dinner

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### Salad - Choice of One

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caesar salad: romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese, butter garlic croutons and creamy caesar dressing

### Chicken Florentine

| \$36

stuffed with spinach and parmesan cheese, rice pilaf, sautéed zucchini and carrots with lemon herb cream sauce.

### Tri-Tip

| \$38

slow roasted with rustic rice pilaf, seasonal vegetables, red wine mushroom demi glace.

### Cast Iron Chicken

| \$34

pan seared with smashed potatoes, roasted vegetables and mushroom gravy.

### Top Sirloin Steak

| \$40

baseball cut with caramelized onions, shallot herb butter, roasted yukon potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

### Dessert - Choice of One

white chocolate raspberry ice cream truffle  
cheesecake: strawberry, chocolate, new york  
chef's assorted petite dessert platter  
chocolate bundt cake with mixed berry coulis



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### *Saffron Salmon*

| \$37

pan roasted, whipped saffron potato, asparagus, tomato and artichoke bruschetta.

### *New York Strip*

| \$46

grilled medium with potato puree, roasted asparagus and demi glace.

## *Combo Plated Dinner*

### *Grilled Chicken Breast and Herb Roasted*

#### *Tri-Tip*

| \$36

with garlic smashed potatoes, sautéed green beans and a mushroom demi glace.

### *Filet of beef & Shrimp*

| \$48

grilled bacon wrapped filet with lemon garlic shrimp, roasted asparagus, potato puree and shallot herb butter.

### *Grilled Chicken Breast and Roasted*

#### *Salmon*

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with a spring rice pilaf, seasonal vegetables, and a lemon herb cream sauce.



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#### AVAILABILITY

Daytime events may be scheduled between 9:00am and 4:00pm. Evening events may be scheduled between 5:30pm and 12:00am. Hours are subject to availability. The hotel will provide a total of 2 hours prior to start time of your reception for set up of decorations.

#### CORKAGE FEE

Corkage fees for wine brought in to the hotel is available at \$13.00 per .750ml bottle and arrangements must be made in advance and approved by either your wedding sales or event management representative.

#### DECORATIONS

Bakersfield fire department does not permit the use of candles. Hotel will not permit the affixing of anything to the walls, floors or ceilings of rooms with nails, staples, tape or any other substance. The hotel does not permit the use of red or any darker colored rose petals on our ceremony aisles.

#### DEPOSITS

25% of your minimum revenue guarantee (non-refundable) will be required in order to make the reservation definite. This initial deposit will apply to your future balance. 50% of your minimum revenue guarantee will be due four (4) months prior to your event. 100% of your estimated total cost will be due seven (7) days prior to your wedding to be paid by certified check, money order, cashier's check, or credit card. We are unable to accept personal checks for the final payment.

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#### GUARANTEE

Your minimum revenue guarantee is determined by your wedding sales representative at the time of booking your event. All charges will apply to your minimum revenue guarantee with the exception of the 22% service charge, 8.25% sales tax. This will be considered your minimum financial guarantee, not subject to reduction, for which you will be charged, should less attend. Your actual attendance must be specified three (3) business days prior to your event.

#### LINEN

The hotel offers white or black floor length linen and white or black napkins included in the wedding package. Additional fabric and color choices are available and may incur an additional cost. Please check with your sales representative.

#### MARRIOTT REWARDS

Earn points for future stays at Marriott Hotels and Resorts or frequent flyer miles with 17 airline partners if you are or become a Marriott Rewards Guest. The Hotel offers three points for each dollar spent on all charges excluding service charge and sales tax. There is a maximum of 50,000 points or 15,000 miles per event and points will be processed and approximately 1 week after your wedding.

#### MENU PLANNING

We will make every effort to adjust the menus to conform to religious or dietary preferences. No food or beverage, alcoholic or otherwise, shall be brought into the hotel by the patron or attendees from outside sources without special permission of the hotel. The hotel reserves the right to make a charge for such services.



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#### MENU PRICING

All prices contained in this portfolio of services are subject to change without notice. This applies to applicable service charges and state sales tax as well.

#### MENU TASTING

Menu tastings are conducted complimentary for up to 4 people and may be scheduled up to 4 weeks in advance, between the hours of 12:00pm – 5:00pm.

#### MUSIC

Recommendations for orchestras and other entertainment are available through your wedding sales or event management representative. Should your entertainment require additional power, a fee of \$250++ may be applied.

#### PARKING

Complimentary self parking is available for your guests the day of the wedding only and is included in the wedding package.

#### SEATING

Seating will be at round tables of 10 people. If there is to be assigned seating, special seating diagrams with numbered tables are available with different numbers of people at each table from 8-12 people with an average of 10 people per table. A 72" round accommodates up to 12 guests. A labor fee of \$25.00 per table will be added if there is an average of 8 people or less per table in the ballroom.



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#### SERVICE CHARGE & SALES TAX

A 22% service charge and 8.25% state sales tax will be added to the cost of all food, beverages, audio visual charges, and room rental. The 22% charge is subject to a 8.25% state sales tax (California State Board of Equalization Regulation section 1603)

#### SLEEPING ROOMS

A courtesy block of sleeping rooms will be available for your guests at a reduced room rate with no minimum night stay. The hotel can extend the room block for up to 4 nights. The unreserved rooms will be released 4 weeks prior to the wedding date and there is no obligation to reserve a minimum number of rooms in the room block. Based upon availability and current pricing. Room blocks greater than 10 rooms will require a signed contract and client may be financially responsible for the room commitment.

#### WELCOME BASKET

A maximum of 10 welcome baskets may be distribute by front desk upon guest arrival on a complimentary basis. If your overall welcome basket quantities exceed 10, then the entire quantity of welcome baskets must be delivered by our bell staff directly to the guest room. In this event, a handling fee of \$4.00 per basket will apply.



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#### VENDORS

Recommendations for ceremony music, entertainment, photography, video-graphy and additional décor are available through the wedding department. A client may bring vendors onto the Hotel premises that have no contract or legal connection with the Hotel. In these cases, the Hotel must be assured that those Vendors are informed of all rules and regulations pertinent to any service or products to be used at the Hotel. Vendors must provide a certificate of Liability Insurance that lists the following as additional insured's:

Marriott International, Inc.  
Host Hotels & Resorts Inc.  
Marriott Hotel Services, Inc.  
Barney Hospitality LLC.

Your contract will contain a "Hold Harmless Clause" which protects the Hotel from any claims for loses or damages arising out of vendors activities.



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