



KCM STUDIOS

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WEDDING + ELOPEMENT GUIDE

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THE PROMISE

a note from Kara



For over a decade, I have mastered this craft to bring you an experience that leaves no close second. It's the only thing you walk away with, which means, my mission solely revolves around seeing what's precious and meaningful IN the moment that it is happening and catching it before it's gone.

Before you found me, I have already made a promise to create images that will stir you, no matter how much time has passed. To look through your life and be pulled into each moment so deeply, you can feel the hair blow across your face, the moment your eyes met, or what was said the moment before your lips cracked into a smile. I write moments exactly as they are in an image that is beautifully honest so that you feel it over again for years to come.

I am here to create a movement for authenticity. I am trusted to breathe in raw moments, leaving not a single detail of that place in time unwritten.

I am deeply in it with all my heart. Being the author to so many completely different stories is what I live for. Everything I do is intentionally designed around years of pivoting each step toward its own perfection. I want my place in this time in your life to be something that made it deeper, richer and more memorable.

My promise to you is simple;
consistent excellence, taken one step further.

XOXO
Kara



THE EXPERIENCE

After 20 years of experience in this industry, my love for my couples remains unmatched. Two of my three best friends were once clients.

I am in your corner for the entire process whether regards your photography, tastings, tours, finding the perfect dress, or having a bridal meltdown. With or without a camera, I'd love to attend your rehearsal dinner, brunches, and I will absolutely join you on the dance floor on the big day.

With the ocean of photographers out there, I set myself apart by being most positive and impactful presence for your wedding.

If your wedding requires research, certain wardrobe, travel, late nights, early mornings, special preparations, or other extra touches, I'm always ready to go.

During your day, I will be knowledgeable of your timeline, addresses, important arrivals, VIP family & friends and key details so guests and staff will be able to rely on me so that you and your other half can be fully present in the day and be blissfully unaware of any behind the scenes magic happening.

It's not just about the pictures you take, but the experience you take with you.



COLLECTIONS

ambience

3800

6 hours coverage
mini engagement
up to 400 images
online gallery

radiance

4800

8 hours coverage
petite engagement
up to 400 images
online gallery

brilliance

5800

10 hours coverage
essential engagement
up to 600 images
online gallery

elegance

6800

12 hours coverage
heirloom engagement
up to 800 images
online gallery

ALA CARTE

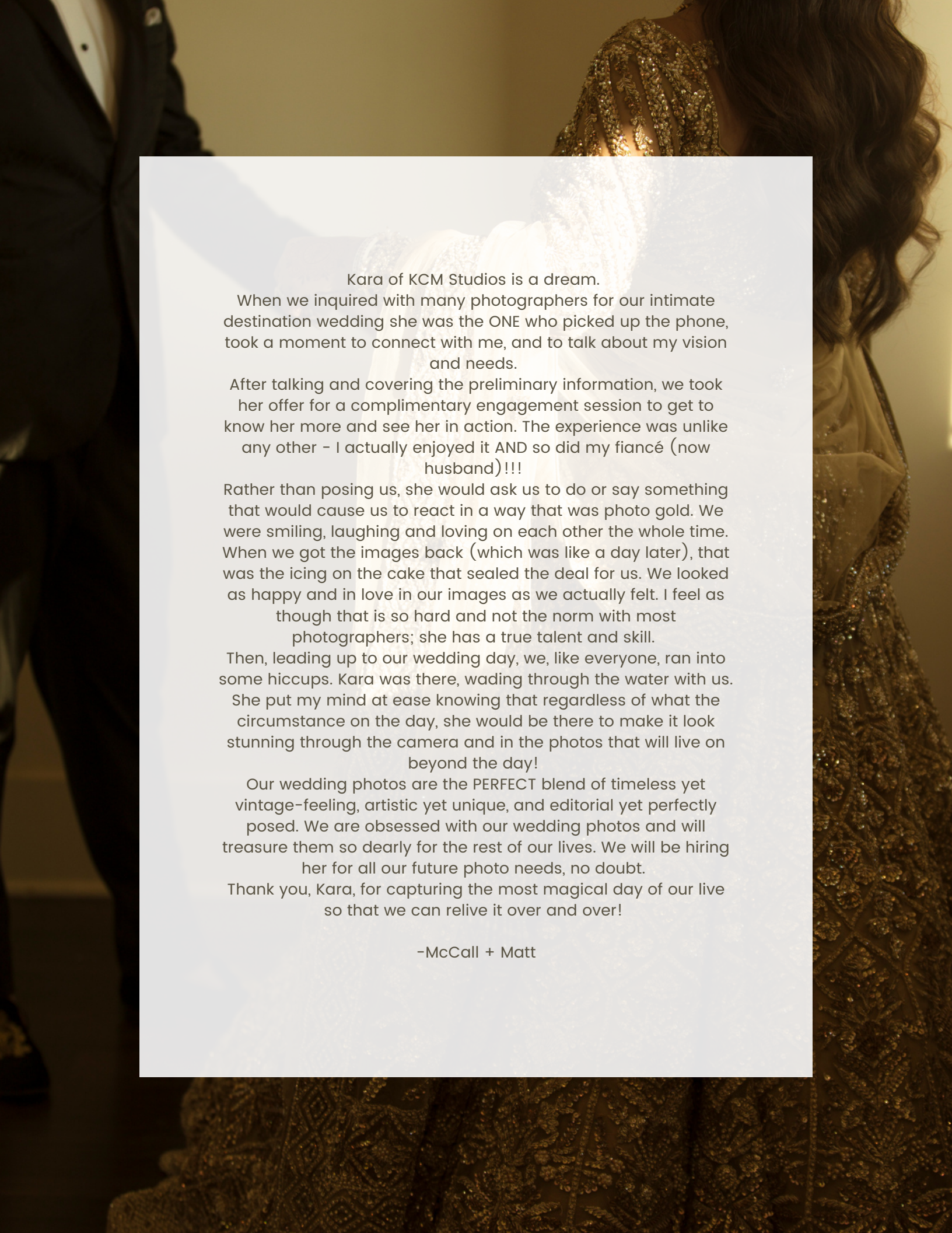
4-6 minute film - 3800

additional lead photographer - 600

rehearsal/brunch/bridal/boudoir - 1000

polaroid - 600

35mm film coverage - 1000



Kara of KCM Studios is a dream.

When we inquired with many photographers for our intimate destination wedding she was the ONE who picked up the phone, took a moment to connect with me, and to talk about my vision and needs.

After talking and covering the preliminary information, we took her offer for a complimentary engagement session to get to know her more and see her in action. The experience was unlike any other - I actually enjoyed it AND so did my fiancé (now husband)!!!

Rather than posing us, she would ask us to do or say something that would cause us to react in a way that was photo gold. We were smiling, laughing and loving on each other the whole time. When we got the images back (which was like a day later), that was the icing on the cake that sealed the deal for us. We looked as happy and in love in our images as we actually felt. I feel as though that is so hard and not the norm with most photographers; she has a true talent and skill.

Then, leading up to our wedding day, we, like everyone, ran into some hiccups. Kara was there, wading through the water with us. She put my mind at ease knowing that regardless of what the circumstance on the day, she would be there to make it look stunning through the camera and in the photos that will live on beyond the day!

Our wedding photos are the PERFECT blend of timeless yet vintage-feeling, artistic yet unique, and editorial yet perfectly posed. We are obsessed with our wedding photos and will treasure them so dearly for the rest of our lives. We will be hiring her for all our future photo needs, no doubt.

Thank you, Kara, for capturing the most magical day of our lives so that we can relive it over and over!

-McCall + Matt

WHAT TO EXPECT

Initial contact

It is equally important to me to make sure we have an alignment. I don't work with everyone who wants to hire me. It's important to find someone who "gets you" on a soul level. Let's meet for drinks or schedule a FaceTime to see if we're the same kind of human.

Payment

A 50% non-refundable retainer is required in order to reserve your date. The remaining 50% of your balance is due two weeks prior to your event. The payments in between are at your discretion.

Scheduling

Weddings are scheduled 10-18 months in advance. If your package includes an engagement, we schedule as best suited for you to make announcements or place orders for your event.

Planning

We have coordination and planning services available. If hiring solely for photo & video coverage, we will work closely with your planner throughout. If you are planning your event, we are happy to make the process smooth, suggest vendors, and introduce you to our favorites.

From start to finish, we are in your corner.



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