The Wedding Day ...

Michelle Nicole Blum & John William Gormley
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Every love story has to start somewhere. For Michelle and John theirs begins in the sweltering heat of a Texas summer time. Two young airman, who has just graduated from United States Air Force Basic Training, thrown into a new wilderness, Security Forces Technical School. Here they were fated to meet and spend the next six months together in school. After many aches and pains, Michelle and John parted in Texas, not knowing what the future held for either one of them. On one fateful day of traveling, Michelle and John met up again in the airport in San Antonio, Texas. This time they were heading to a new adventure, Ramstein Air Base, Germany.

Like all good love stories theirs had a twist. John and Michelle were best friends. To Michelle, John was just one of her many military brothers and John never wanted to mess up a good friendship. Thanks to the military, they worked opposite day and night shifts. Also when one of them would get back from a deployment, then the other would leave for theirs. One thing they both knew in their hearts, was that something was missing when the other wasn't there.

Seven years later, John and Michelle got married at 5:00pm on August 25th, 2012 at the Battle House in the Crystal Ballroom in Mobile, Alabama in front of their closest friends and family. Michelle won the 2011 Weddings to Brag About Grand Prize, winning them an amazing group of vendors and their honeymoon.

John and Michelle would like to thank the following vendors for making their wedding perfect: Squires Farm Events, Wendy Wilson Photography, Tulipfrog Design, Cakes by Judi, Charlie Roberts Entertainment, Sterling Event Design, the staff of the Battle House, The Fort Conde Inn, Namans Catering, I Do Bridal and Formal and of course Weddings to Brag About.

John and Michelle had an early flight out to spend their honeymoon in the Dominican Republic at the Hard Rock Hotel in Punta Cana. Sometimes all it takes is just a little bit of courage and some not so subtle pushes from your closest friends, to finally see what has been in front of you the whole time



