

FLORAL DESIGNS BY BOTANICALS



# IN FULL BLOOM

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**F**IND YOUR FLORAL STYLE, WHETHER RUSTIC cottage charm, uptown classic chic or a unique look all your own.

**BOUQUETS** – (No. 9) Encapsulating the wind-blown look, fuchsia gloriosa lilies edged with a dash of pale yellow are individually hand-wired and tied with ivory satin. (No. 6) – Often mistaken for hosta leaves, these green goddess calla lilies make a bold statement softened with lady's mantle and an ivory satin ribbon.

**CEREMONY** – (No. 4) Peach French tulips and pink-blossomed plum branches are arranged in custom-built wrought-iron stands draped with ivory raw silk and organza. (No. 5) Surrounded by lush foliage and luminous candlelight, a custom-made wrought-iron arch is intertwined with wild smilax, white waxflowers and dendrobium or-

chids. (No. 6) The bride's affinity for all things pink leads to an ethereal creation of hydrangeas, peonies, larkspur, snapdragons and spray roses. Pilsner vases are filled with three variations of rose petals to spruce up the alcoves.

**RECEPTION** – (No. 1) Burgundy-toned cymbidium orchids and pink spray roses are tucked in handmade paper cones, and strung with satin ribbon from curly willow branches. (No. 2) Platters of red bell peppers and tomatoes, rows of wheat grass and flowerpots of sunflowers, mustard yarrow, hydrangeas, and fuchsia alstoemeria decorate the tables. (No. 10) Chairs at the head table are adorned with wreaths of lavender waxflower, lemon leaf and eucalyptus. The table, with hydrangea, agapanthus, delphinium, waxflower, buttercream stock and white lisianthus. ■