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# Mary Brette & Cook

CATHEDRAL OF THE INCARNATION; UNION STATION HOTEL

October 8, 2016

Although they didn't start dating until a decade later, Mary Brette and Cook met as teenagers, while they were both lifeguards at Hillwood Country Club. Cook popped the question on a hike in Percy Warner Park, and the pair started planning their black-tie wedding for early October.

With an evening ceremony at the Cathedral of the Incarnation, Mary Brette and Cook decided on a more formal wedding celebration to follow, and the newly renovated Union Station Hotel fit the bill. (Plus, the couple loved its proximity to downtown for their out-of-town guests.)

"Once we settled on Union Station, I really wanted to keep the flowers and design simple and elegant, so as not to compete with the beauty of Union Station's Grand Lobby," Mary Brette adds.

Alongside the groom's tux and the bride's lace gown, a color scheme of navy and white complemented the design and décor of Union Station, making for a classically beautiful evening.

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 PLANNER *Ellen Hollis Events* FLORIST *Knestrick By Design* CAKE *Dessert Designs by Leland* CATERER *Union Station Hotel Nashville* PAPER GOODS *You're Invited Nashville* CALLIGRAPHY *Val Cole* RENTALS *Music City Tents & Events* MUSIC *The Atlanta Allstars* TRANSPORTATION *Grand Avenue; Hello Trolley (Franklin, TN)* BRIDE'S GOWN *Romona Keveza, The Bride Room* BRIDE'S SHOES *Jimmy Choo* BRIDE'S JEWELRY *Family heirlooms* HAIR TRIM *Classic Barber & Legendary Beauty* MAKEUP *Woo Skincare + Cosmetics* BRIDESMAIDS' DRESSES *Bella Bridesmaids*



"I was unsure about seeing each other before the ceremony, but I'm so glad we did. It really helped us relax a little and enjoy the ceremony more."

