



# Clark Gardens WEDDINGS



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BILLIE & MAX CLARK



# The Love Story

Clark Gardens was founded on the blooming love story of Max and Billie Clark. When it came to their mutual love for gardens and nature, Max built anything Billie desired. She served as much of the inspiration for the gardens, lakes, pavilions, and fountains seen at Clark Gardens today. Billie passed away in September 2012, just a few weeks short of their 62nd wedding anniversary.

Today Max continues his labor of love by working in the garden daily and carrying on what he started with his bride in 1972.

Billie left a legacy of beauty to North Texas. Clark Gardens has become an oasis to thousands year-round and is the starting point for couples as they begin their journey in marriage among the very space Max and Billie built together.





# East Side

## SEVEN VENUE LOCATIONS

Channel Garden

East Tent

Bowling Green

Chapel

Chapel Lawn

White Garden

Lion Head Fountain



# Channel Garden

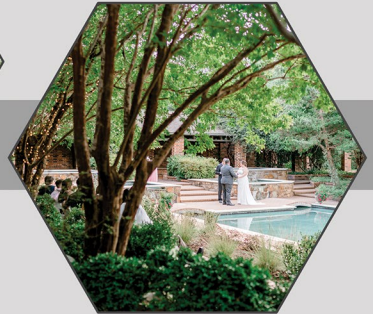
The Channel Garden has majestic fountains, tiered walkways, and two 700 square foot covered and furnished arbors. Chairs may be placed along the tiers for seating up to 300 guests.



Lifestyle Portrait



White Orchid Photography



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# East Tent

This spacious 6,000 square foot permanent facility is a supreme reception space at Clark Gardens. Surrounded by antique roses, this beautiful facility has views overlooking the Channel Garden. The East Tent includes chandelier lighting, a permanent stage, dance floor, and bar area, which can accommodate up to 300 guests.



Celina Gomez Photography



Payge Stevens Photography  
Ben Q Photography



Convey Studios



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# Bowling Green

This Bowling Green serves as a classic lawn setting and is beautiful for any occasion. The lush, grassy area is bordered by a rose-covered arbor. At approximately 5,000 square feet, this spacious and open site can easily accommodate up to 300 guests.





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# Chapel

Natural light streams through the windows and beautiful stained glass of our picturesque sandstone chapel. The pews accommodate 80 guests, and chairs can be added to seat up to 100.





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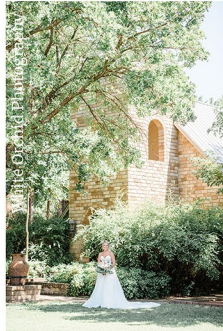
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# Chapel Lawn

Chapel Lawn has multiple pathways and lawns creating an enchanting atmosphere for any event. Surroundings include the serpentine wall of the Meditation Garden, Lions Head Fountain, and White Garden. This location accommodates up to 300 guests.



Ben Q Photography



Maria Rogers Photography



LG Photography



Lindsey Paradiso







# West Side

THREE VENUE LOCATIONS

Summer House Lawn

Rose Pavilion

West Tent



# Summer House Lawn

Enjoy the serene setting of Summer House- a large open top gazebo with tables and seating amidst a large, treed lawn. A floral filled fountain and colorful hanging baskets are what make this location picture perfect. Receptions on Summer House Lawn include a dance floor and café lights. This location can accommodate up to 150 guests.



Swan Photography



White Orchid Photography



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# Rose Pavilion

Surrounded by the scent of roses, the covered arbor leads up to a 1,000 square foot pavilion. The facility's waterfall is the perfect backdrop for any event. The lighted pavilion has tables and chairs, ceiling fans, and a large countertop with a sink. There is ample room for additional seating on the lawn surrounding the pavilion. The location can accommodate up to 115 guests or 150 guests on the lawn.





K & S Photography



K & S Photography



Ben Q Photography





# West Tent

The West Tent is a 5,000 square foot permanent tent amidst the Iris and rose beds. It includes chandelier lighting, a stage, a dance floor, and a bar area, accommodating up to 150 guests.





both photos  
Ashley Monogue  
Photography



Lindsey Paradiso  
Lake Pavilion



# Pavilions

Oxbow Overlook

or

Lake Pavilion





# Oxbow Overlook & Lake Pavilion

Water fountains add an elegant feel to the covered roof structures. A built-in buffet area for convenience, along with iron tables and chairs, makes these locations ideal for intimate events. Colorful hanging baskets and water lilies add to the ambiance. Oxbow Overlook and Lake Pavilion can accommodate up to 75 guests for a ceremony and/or a reception. The wildlife of ducks and turtles add a fun sight to see for all ages as well.



Richard Cochran  
Oxbow Overlook

# Wedding Planning Timeline Checklist

## *Just Engaged*

- Decide Budget
- Create A Guest List With Addresses
- Decide On A Few Possible Wedding Dates
- Book Clark Gardens
- Create Wedding Website

## *12 Months Out*

- Start Hiring Clark Gardens Preferred Vendors
- Choose Wedding Party
- Shop Wedding Dresses

## *11-10 Months Out*

- Plan Out Decor
- Finalize Guest List
- Start Building a Playlist
- Hire Officiant & Wedding Planner



## *9-7 Months Out*

- Order All Attire
- Start Planning Honeymoon
- Take Engagement Photos
- Reserve Hotel Wedding Rate for Guests
- Order Save-The-Dates & Formal Invites

## *6 Months Out*

- Purchase Groom's Ring
- Mail Out Save-The-Dates
- Create Bridal Shower Guest List
- Reserve Makeup & Hair Stylist

## *5-4 Months Out*

- Register for Gifts
- Finalize Dress Alterations
- Purchase Any Last Minute Bridal Accessories (Shoes, Garter, etc.)
- Schedule Dinner & Cake Tasting

### *3 Months Out*

- Follow Up With Wedding Party To Make Sure All Attire Fits Properly
- Do Trial Makeup & Hair
- Purchase Significant Other's Wedding Gift

### *2 Months Out*

- Take Bridal Portraits
- Purchase Wedding Party Gifts
- Finalize Rehearsal Dinner Head Count
- Mail Out Formal Invites

### *1 Month Out*

- Purchase Alcohol
- Confirm With Each Vendor Their Responsibilities
- Finalize The Floor Plan Layout
- Finalize Day-Of Timeline
- Schedule Rehearsal With Clark Gardens
- Purchase Any Last Minute Decor (Cake Topper, DIY Projects, Etc.)

### *3 Weeks Out*

- Apply & Receive Marriage License

### *2 Weeks Out*

- Send Day-Of Timeline To All Vendors
- Groom Schedule A Haircut, If Needed

### *1 Week Out*

- Write Cards For Loved Ones
- Send Wedding Day Timeline To Wedding Party

### *Wedding Day*

- Say, "I Do," & Enjoy!

*Notes*

# Vacation Rental Homes



## *The Retreat*

Boasting three gorgeous bedrooms, two lavish baths, a welcoming study, and cozy TV room with hideaway beds, our stunning and peaceful retreat can accommodate 1-10 guests. Unwind in the sparkling pool or soothing hot tub overlooking a picturesque view. Enjoy a lovely evening by the fire or a beautiful afternoon grilling. The options are endless, and most importantly, you get to be stress-free!



## *The Cottage*

The Cottage is a beautiful three bedroom two bathroom brick home, a welcoming living room with a TV and vibrant, gorgeous colors. The Cottage sleeps 1-6 guests for a relaxing and cozy get-away. A secluded and peaceful back patio with a covered awning and grill for cooking! Enjoy a relaxing and stress-free get-away while you get ready for your big day.





# Clark Gardens

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| A. Main Parking Lot            | L. Secret Garden         | W. Summer House                   |
| B. Admissions Booth & Bloom    | M. Lake Pavilion         | X. Heirloom Garden                |
| C. Iris Beds & Bike Path       | N. History House         | Y. Oxbow Overlook                 |
| D. Handicap Parking & Drop-Off | O. Children's Play House | Z. Lions Head Fountain            |
| E. Channel Gardens             | P. Historic Tree Trail   | a. Chapel                         |
| F. East Tent                   | Q. Rose Pavilion         | b. White Garden                   |
| G. Dressing Rooms              | R. West Tent             | c. Conifer Trail                  |
| H. Bowling Green               | S. Rock Saw              | d. Business Office                |
| I. Shady Alley                 | T. Emerald Lake          | e. Private Area; Closed to Public |
| J. Azalea Glade                | U. Cannon                | f. Meditation Garden              |
| K. Edible Garden and Orchard   | V. Train Station         |                                   |









# Love Notes

## Clark Gardens

The most amazing experience I've had. I was so blessed to have been able to partner with Clark Gardens. So helpful so flexible so caring and kind. All the staff were so helpful to just stop everything and help and guide us through the experience. So grateful and blessed by God for these wonderful people.

Sydney  
Wedding Wire

## Wonderful!

We had an amazing wedding at Clark Gardens! We used the Channel Gardens and the East Tent for our November wedding and it was wonderful! The Clark Gardens team was FABULOUS in helping us have the best day!

Kayla  
Wedding Wire

## Clark Gardens is Amazing!

We had the pleasure of having our elopement here at Clark Gardens because our big wedding plans were put on hold. Stephanie and Millie (not sure if that's spelled right, sorry!) were fantastic! Stephanie helped organize the when, where and how then Millie was there the day of the ceremony to help us with everything. The gardens are breath taking so the pictures we got were gorgeous and will be cherished forever. We are now thinking of having our big wedding reception here next year!

Gabby  
Wedding Wire

## Clark Gardens was Amazing!!

Clark Gardens helped make my vision come to life. Our wedding was everything I could've dreamed of! Stephanie was great and answered any questions I had! The grounds were stunning and the staff were truly fantastic. I would highly recommend this Venue to anyone!

Danielle  
Wedding Wire



## Bride

- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Ceremony Bouquet
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Toss Bouquet
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Head Piece
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Bridal Portrait Bouquet

## Groom

- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Boutonniere

## Wedding Party

- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Maid / Matron of Honor
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Bridesmaids Bouquet
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Flower Girl Petals
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Hair Pieces
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Best Man Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Groomsmen Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Officiant Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Ring Bearer Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Usher Boutonniere

## Family

- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Mother Bouquet
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Father Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Grandmother Bouquet
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Grandfather Boutonniere
- $\frac{\quad}{\text{QTY}}$  Additional Special Family Floral

# Ceremony Floral Checklist

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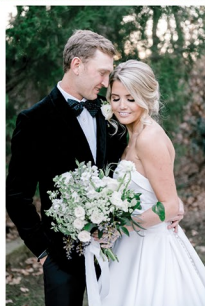
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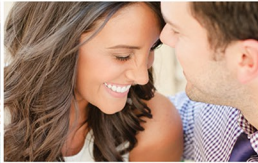
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