

# *LAST MINUTE DESTINATION WEDDINGS DEALS*

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Now that the world has reopened and wedding couples are yearning to fulfill their wedding vows after such a long wait, many are whisking away to tropical destinations with their loved ones in only a few months.





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# *PRESIDENT'S NOTES*

What a whirlwind these past two years have been. Though most had to face unprecedented times, love prevailed, as it always does. After thousands of forced cancelled weddings, Canadians are coming back and renewing their commitment, to their wedding and to each other.

At Romantic Planet Vacations, we have been serving such destination wedding and honeymoon dreams since 2004. We have supported so many couples as they navigated these uncharted waters.

We are seeing more last minute destination wedding requests than ever before. Though most weddings are planned 8-14 months in advance, it's not impossible to plan it in less. Give us two months and we'll make miracles happen. My team and I are as dedicated as we've always been, and will take care of finding you the right venue at the right price, provide you with a wedding website with online booking technology, take care of all of your guest travel inquiries and bookings, and book your wedding date and time. If you can't wait to wed your love any longer, than don't. We've got you covered.



Laurie Keith  
President  
Romantic Planet Vacations





# GROUP PROMOTIONS

**These incredible destination wedding group travel deals are for wedding group bookings deposited in March and April 2022**

## **Be My Valentine Promotion Valid until Mar 15, 2022**

When you book your wedding group between February 15, 2022 and March 15, 2022, for departures from November 1, 2022, onwards, all wedding couples will be entered into a draw to win free round-trip flights!

Terms and Conditions:

- Flights are valued at \$500 CDN each
- A minimum of 30 travelling adults / 15 rooms is required
- Full deposits required for all flights on file
- The draw will be held in June 2022
- All other regular terms for group bookings apply
- Valid on Sunwing bookings only

## **INSTANT GROUP SAVINGS Valid until April 26, 2022**

Book your wedding group by April 26, 2022 and save \$500 per couple!

For departures November 1, 2022 onwards and save \$500 per couple (\$250 per person)  
Terms & Conditions

"Instant Group Savings" and "Wedding Special Savings" is a limited time offer applicable to new groups of 10 adults/5 double rooms or more booked by April 26, 2022 for departures November 1, 2022 onwards. Savings will already reflected in the taxes of your quote, Flights are with Sunwing Airlines unless specified otherwise.



## **WED40! LIMITED TIME OFFER!**

For travel June 1, 2022 onwards. Wedding groups can hold 20 rooms/40 seats up to 90 days or up to 60 days prior to departure (whichever comes first) with only a \$600 group deposit!





# *SUMMER GETAWAY*

Looking for some summer love and a wonderful all-inclusive reconnection with your loved ones? Summer trips often offer the best value and a true escape.

## **SUMMER GROUP SAVINGS**

Save \$200 per couple

Book your all inclusive group vacation by April 26, 2022 for departures June 1, 2022 to October 31, 2022 and save \$200 per couple!

## **ROYALTON LUXURY RESORTS -**

6th Travels Free!

Book a group by April 26, 2021 with a minimum of 8 adults/4 rooms and up to the 6th adult travels free with Royalton Luxury Resorts. Taxes and fees are not included.

## **RIU HOTELS & RESORTS -**

8th Travels Free!

8th adult travels free is a limited time offer applicable to new groups of 8 adults/4 double rooms or more booked between by April 26, 2022 for travel between May 1, and October 31, 2022. Taxes and fees are not included. Group offers are not combinable with any other promotion and may be withdrawn without notice. Flights are with Sunwing Airlines unless specified otherwise.



# SCORE

## GROUP SAVINGS

BOOK A GROUPS VACATION PACKAGE BY MARCH 31, 2022

### EVERY 6<sup>TH</sup> TRAVELLER PAYS ONLY THE TAX AT THESE RESORTS

<b>Cancún/Riviera Maya</b>	Secrets Los Cabos
BlueBay Grand Esmeralda	Zoetry Casa del Mar
Breathless Cancun Soul	Sandos Finiterra
Dreams Aventuras Riviera Maya	<b>Puerto Vallarta</b>
Dreams Jade Resort & Spa	Dreams Bahia Mita
Dreams Natura Resort & Spa	Dreams Vallarta Bay
Dreams Riviera Maya	Hacienda at Hilton Puerto Vallarta
Dreams Sapphire Resort & Spa	Hilton Puerto Vallarta
Dreams Tulum	Dreams Villamagna
Dreams Vista Cancun Resort & Spa	Grand Park Royal Puerto Vallarta
Grand Palladium Costa Mujeres Resort & Spa	Grand Palladium Vallarta Resort & Spa
Grand Palladium Kantenah Resort	Krystal Vallarta
Krystal Grand Cancun	Krystal Grand Nuevo Vallarta
Now Emerald Cancun	Secrets Bahia Mita
Sandos Cancun	Secrets Vallarta Bay
Sandos Caracol Eco Resort	Sunscape Vallarta
Sandos Playacar	<b>Grenada</b>
Secrets Riviera Cancun	Royalton Grenada
Sunscape Akumal	<b>Costa Rica</b>
TRS Coral Hotel	Planet Hollywood Costa Rica
TRS Yucatan Hotel	<b>Montego Bay</b>
<b>Cozumel</b>	Grand Palladium Lady Hamilton Resort & Spa
Dreams Cozumel Cape Resort & Spa	Grand Palladium Jamaica Resort & Spa
Grand Park Royal Cozumel	Secrets St James Resort & Spa
Secrets Aura Cozumel	Ocean Coral Spring
Sunscape Sabor Cozumel	Ocean Eden Bay
<b>Huatulco</b>	<b>Puerto Plata</b>
Dreams Huatulco	BlueBay Villas Doradas
Park Royal Beach Huatulco	<b>Punta Cana</b>
Secrets Huatulco	Breathless Punta Cana
<b>Ixtapa</b>	Dreams Dominicus
Krystal Ixtapa	Dreams Onyx Punta Cana
Park Royal Beach Ixtapa	Dreams Palm Beach
Sunscape Dorado	Dreams Punta Cana
<b>Los Cabos</b>	TRS Turquesa Hotel
Breathless Los Cabos	Grand Palladium Punta Cana Resort & Spa
Dreams Los Cabos	Grand Palladium Bavaro Suite Resort & Spa
Krystal Grand Los Cabos	

### EVERY 7<sup>TH</sup> TRAVELLER PAYS ONLY THE TAX AT THESE RESORTS

<b>Cancún/Riviera Maya</b>	<b>Santa Clara</b>
Bahia Principe Grand Coba*	Grand Memories Santa Maria
Bahia Principe Luxury Sian Ka'an*	Memories Paraiso
<b>Montego Bay</b>	Royalton Cayo Santa Maria
Bahia Principe Grand Jamaica*	Sanctuary at Grand Memories Santa Maria
<b>Samaná</b>	Starfish Tropical Cayo Santa Maria
Grand Bahia Principe El Portillo*	<b>Varadero</b>
<b>Punta Cana</b>	Grand Memories Varadero
Bahia Principe Grand Punta Cana*	Memories Jibacoa
Bahia Principe Luxury Esmeralda*	Memories Varadero Beach Resort
<b>Cayo Coco</b>	Royalton Hicacos
Memories Caribe Beach Cayo Coco	Sanctuary at Grand Memories Varadero
Memories Flamenco Beach Resort	Starfish Cuatro Palmas
Starfish Cayo Guillermo	Starfish Varadero

### EVERY 8<sup>TH</sup> TRAVELLER PAYS ONLY THE TAX AT THESE RESORTS

<b>Cancún</b>	Hideaway at Royalton Negril
Costa Mujeres	Royalton Blue Water
Riviera Maya	Royalton Negril
Catalonia Royal Tulum	Iberostar Rose Hall Beach & Spa
Hideaway at Royalton Riviera Cancun	<b>Punta Cana</b>
Ocean Coral & Turquesa	Finest Punta Cana
Ocean Maya Royale	Catalonia Royal Bavaro
Ocean Riviera Paradise	Ocean Blue and Sand
Planet Hollywood Beach Cancun	Ocean El Faro
Planet Hollywood Adult Scene Cancun	Royalton Bavaro
Royalton CHIC Suite Cancun	<b>Antigua</b>
Royalton Riviera Cancun	Royalton Antigua
<b>Los Cabos</b>	<b>Saint Lucia</b>
Decameron Los Cabos	Hideaway at Royalton Saint Lucia
<b>Montego Bay</b>	Mystique Saint Lucia
Decameron Montego Bay	Royalton Saint Lucia
Grand Lido Negril au Natural	Starfish Saint Lucia

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Valid on new bookings of select vacation packages to the Caribbean, Central America and Mexico. Offer valid between 12:01 a.m. ET on February 14, 2022 and 11:59 p.m. ET on March 31, 2022. Offer: Every sixth, seventh or eighth guest pays only the taxes on their flight and stay at select resorts. Eligibility depends on the resort. Discount is applicable on the base fare and does not apply to surcharges, charges and taxes. Travel must take place within the following period: June 1, 2022 and April 30, 2023. A minimum 3-night stay is required. Applicable to new bookings only. A minimum of 3 rooms/10 passengers is required. Other restrictions and blackout dates might apply depending on the property. Subject to availability at time of booking. Cannot be combined with any other offer, discount, or promotion, unless otherwise specified. \* Travel window varies by resort. Seventh guest pays only surcharges, charges and taxes offer is valid for travel only between 12:01 a.m. ET on November 1, 2022 and 11:59 p.m. ET on March 31, 2023 at the following resorts: Bahia Principe Grand Coba, Bahia Principe Luxury Sian Ka'an, Bahia Principe Grand Jamaica, Grand Bahia Principe El Portillo, Bahia Principe Grand Punta Cana, and Bahia Principe Luxury Esmeralda. Subject to availability at time of booking. Terms and conditions are subject to change without prior notice. Prices on our website reflect applicable reductions and are valid if you purchase services in a same session. If you log off our website, prices may be different the next time you log on. Final prices will be displayed before confirming your payment. A supplement may apply for passengers travelling alone. Flights operated by Air Canada or Air Canada Rouge. For applicable terms and conditions, visit [www.aircanadavacations.com](http://www.aircanadavacations.com). Holder of Quebec permit #702566. TICD registration # R50013536 / W50013537. ■ Health and safety protocols, government recommendations and regional travel restrictions vary by hotel, ship and destination, may impact availability and are subject to change without notice. Due to evolving health protocols, imagery and messaging may not accurately reflect onboard and destination experiences, offerings, features, or itineraries. ■ Aeroplan and the Aeroplan logo are registered trademarks of Aeroplan Inc. \*Air Canada Vacations is a registered trademark of Air Canada, used under license by Touram Limited Partnership. 1440 Ste Catherine St West, Suite 600, Montreal, QC, H3G 1R8. 5925 Airport Road, Suite 700, Mississauga, ON, L4V 1W1.

# THE VALUE IN GROUPS

There are major benefits when booking as a destination wedding group with a professional travel agency like Romantic Planet Vacations. In addition to discounted group rates, you and your guests will receive the following;

- Complimentary seat upgrades for the wedding couple (based on availability)
- Complimentary access to the Plaza Premium Airport Lounges where available for the wedding couple.
- \$100 destination excursion for the wedding couple when pre-booked 14 days prior to departure.
- \$500 Anniversary Future Travel Voucher for the wedding couple. With a minimum of 20 seats/10 rooms booked.
- Private airport transfers with min passengers booked.
- Wedding Couple Attire Care Program.
- Book one low group deposit and hold 30-50 seats for 90-120 days
- Complimentary wedding or event web-site with valuable information and online booking technology for your guests
- A dedicated and certified group travel advisor to take care of all of the details

Min 10 people  
qualify as a group

\*min 8 in some cases







# EUROPE IS BETTER TOGETHER

Book a group vacation to Europe by March 31st and receive;

- The 16th traveller flies FREE
- 1st checked bag FREE
- Quotes are valid for 30 days
- Hold up to 30 seats for up to 120 days for just \$250 deposit per person
- Complimentary seat selection
- Connecting flights starting at \$49

Travel between: April 1, 2022 and October 31, 2023



# ROMANTIC PLANET EXCLUSIVE DEAL



**We know you're ready and so are we. We want to spoil you. We want to show you our support. We want to show you our appreciation. We are committed to making your dreams come true.**

Book your destination wedding with Romantic Planet Vacations and select suppliers by March 31, and receive the following extra perks:

- \$500 insta-credit for the wedding couple (min 30 passengers)
- Private transfers for 20 passengers or more
- Hold a group of 50 passengers (25 rooms) with only a \$600 deposit for 120 days
- Complimentary wedding couple seat upgrades plus \$100 OFF flight upgrades to Business Class for 4 additional guests
- \$300 in excursion credit for the wedding couple
- Up to \$600 in resort credit applicable on any service (wedding package, spa, speciality dinners, food & beverage, etc.)
- Guaranteed private check-in and check-out

Applicable to: Participating resorts in Mexico, the Caribbean and Central America. Travel November 1, 2021 - December 31, 2022. and onwards. Minimum 20 passengers required. Not applicable at select hotels offering a complimentary wedding package. Minimum 3-night stay required. Subject to availability at time of booking. Terms and conditions are subject to change without prior notice. This Offer cannot be combined with any other offer, discount, or promotion.

# SAMPLE LAST MINUTE GROUP RATES

## DREAMS ONYX, Punta Cana 5-star

Toronto, Sept 15/22.....	\$1580
Ottawa, Nov 2/22.....	\$1640

## BAHIA PRINCIPE GRAND BAVARO, 4.5 star

Toronto, Jun 27/22.....	\$1410
Calgary, Aug 22/22.....	\$1540

## DREAMS PALM BEACH, Punta Cana 4.5 star

Toronto, Sept 10/22.....	\$1310
Calgary, Aug 18/22.....	\$1720

## RIU PALACE PUNTA CANA, Punta Cana 4.5 star

Toronto, June 22/22.....	\$1540
Toronto, Oct 19/22.....	\$1585

## ROYALTON SPLASH, Punta Cana 4.5 star

Toronto, July 18/22.....	\$1595
Montreal, May 24/22.....	\$1495

## ROYALTON BAVARO, Punta Cana 5 star

Toronto, Sept 28/22.....	\$1585
Ottawa, Sep 30/22.....	\$1650

## MAJESTIC MIRAGE, Punta Cana 5 star

Toronto, Sept 2/22.....	\$1540
Calgary, Oct 7/22.....	\$1680

\*prices are per person, CAD\$, including airfare, transfers, 7-nights all-inclusive accommodations, and tax. Based on double occupancy. Subject to change and based on availability.

*Punta Cana*



# SAMPLE LAST MINUTE GROUP RATES

*Mayan Riviera*

## **BARCELO MAYA COLONIAL 4.5-star**

Toronto, JUL 8/22.....	\$1400
Montreal JUN 7/22.....	\$1370

## **DREAMS AVENTURAS, 4.5 star**

Toronto, MAY 26/22.....	\$1590
Edmonton, APR 26/22.....	\$1780

## **DREAMS JADE, 5 star**

Toronto, AUG 31/22.....	\$1610
Calgary, Oct 17/22.....	\$1690

## **IBEROSTAR SELECTION PARAISO MAYA/LINDO, 4.5 star**

Toronto, Sept 22/22.....	\$1470
Calgary, Sep 22/22.....	\$1590

## **OCCIDENTAL XCARET, 4.5 star**

Toronto, JUL 8/22.....	\$1340
Edmonton, OCT 19/22.....	\$1360

## **ROYALTON RIVIERA CANCUN, 5 star**

Toronto, SEP 22/22.....	\$1525
Halifax, SEP 27/22.....	\$1710

## **SANDOS PLAYACAR, 4.5 star**

Toronto, MAY 26/22.....	\$1410
Calgary, JUN 26/22.....	\$1720

\*prices are per person, CAD\$, including airfare, transfers, 7-nights all-inclusive accommodations, and tax. Based on double occupancy. Subject to change and based on availability.



# SAMPLE LAST MINUTE GROUP RATES

## BAHIA PRINCIPE GRAND JAMAICA, 4.5 star

Toronto, May 25/22.....	\$1410
Calgary, Sep 9/22.....	\$1750

## IBEROSTAR ROSEHALL BEACH, 4 star

Toronto, Sep 22/22.....	\$1440
Regina, May 26/22.....	\$1690

## RIU NEGRIL, 4 star star

Toronto, Jun 7/22.....	\$1520
Calgary, Apr 18/22.....	\$1795

## ROYALTON WHITE SANDS BEACH, 4.5 star

Toronto, June 9/22.....	\$1790
Ottawa, Apr 3/22.....	\$2085

## ZOETRY MONTEGO BAY, 5 star

Toronto, MAY 31/22.....	\$2620
Montreal, May 22/22.....	\$2680

## SANDALS SOUTH COAST, 5 star adult-only

Toronto, Sept 9/22.....	\$2540
Calgary, Sep 20/22.....	\$2800

## COUPLES TOWER ISLE, 4 star adult-only

Toronto, Sept 21/22.....	\$1995
St. John's, Jun 21/22.....	\$2070

\*prices are per person, CAD\$, including airfare, transfers, 7-nights all-inclusive accommodations, and tax. Based on double occupancy. Subject to change and based on availability.

*Jamaica*



# SAMPLE LAST MINUTE GROUP RATES

*Other Paradise*

<b>RIU PALACE ARUBA, Aruba 5-star</b> Toronto, JUN 6/22.....	\$2150
<b>RIU PALACE PARADISE ISLAND, Bahamas 4 star</b> Toronto, Oct 27/22.....	\$1920
<b>RIU GUANACASTE, Costa Rica 4 star</b> Montreal, Apr 18/22.....	\$1795
<b>PALMS at WAILEA MAUI, 4 star (not all-inclusive)</b> Vancouver, Aug 18/22.....	\$1920
<b>THE BONNINGTON DUBLIN, Ireland 4 star (not all-incl)</b> Vancouver, June 3/22.....	\$1795
<b>KINETTA BEACH RESORT, Greece 4 star (not AI)</b> Toronto, May 29/22.....	\$1630
<b>HOTEL DOM HENRIQUE, Porto, Portugal 4 star (breakfast)</b> Toronto, Jun 22/22.....	\$1580
<b>ROYALTON SAINT LUCIA, 5 star</b> Toronto, May 21/22.....	\$2295
<b>DREAMS CURACAO, 5 star</b> Ottawa, Oct 30/22.....	\$2120
<b>CLUB MED TURKOISE, Turks &amp; Caicos 4 star</b> Montreal, Sep 2/22.....	\$2199





# DESTINATION WEDDING BUDGETING

**Did you know that the average cost of a local wedding in Canada is \$30,000?**

But the average cost of a destination wedding at an all-inclusive resort in the tropics is only around \$8,000 - \$10,000. And the plus? It's a celebration over one week instead of only one day.

Here is the break-down on what destination wedding couples are spending when getting married away;

**Wedding Ceremony:** When getting married on the beach, there is no need for expensive décor when you have the natural beauty of the ocean as your backdrop. A legal minister, some luxury tiffany chairs and beautiful flowers will cost between US\$2000 - US\$4000.

**Cocktail Hour:** Entertain your guests with a local live band while you're off getting photos. Estimate: US\$500

**Photographer:** Save costs by hiring the professional photographer located right onsite. Budget between \$2000 - \$4000 depending on your chosen photo/video package.

**Reception Dinner:** Budget between US\$60 - \$120 for dinner per person in a private setting in paradise. Throw in some centerpieces at US\$50 each.

**Entertainment:** Hire a DJ for around US\$1000 (3-4 hours) or a live band for around US\$1500 - \$2000. Want to surprise your guests with a wow factor? Bring on the fire-works, float lanterns, fire dancers, or a drone light show for US\$1500 - \$3000. After the reception, continue the party at the resort's nightclub, lobby or sportsbar and save money here by utilizing the all-inclusive features. No bar tab here!

**Cake, Hair/Make-Up, Favors:** Don't forget the miscellaneous items that make up around US\$500 - US\$1000.





# THE PROCESS

Though it may be your first wedding, it's certainly not ours. Romantic Planet Vacations has been specializing in destination weddings for over 18 years. Utilize our expertise, knowledge and experience. It's our reason for being. Our motto: we take care of all of the details so you don't have to.

**1 Determine your dates & budget.** Speak to only your most important loved ones to see if they can make it. Keep the conversation broad - "we're thinking of getting married away somewhere on the beach for around \$2000 in May. Do you think you could make it?" When you have the green-light, the next step is to narrow down the search for the perfect destination and resort.

**2 Contact Romantic Planet Vacations.** Don't get overwhelmed by the options. Let our team of experience and certified destination wedding planners go to work for you to save you stress, money and time. We want to meet you for a complimentary consultation over phone, zoom or in-person and we'll listen to your vision and needs to help make expert recommendations for you.

**3 Obtain Discounted Group Quotes.** Once you have hired us, we get to work right away on obtaining and comparing discounted group rates with all suppliers to your destination and resort. We find the best travel deals, group amenities and inclusions. This process can take 2-5 business days. Thereafter, you will receive a expertly crafted proposal that will meet your vision.

**4 Secure Your Space.** We can hold up to 40 seats for up to 120 days with only a small group deposit. We'll create your complimentary wedding website with loads of information and an online booking tool for your guests. We can help you book your wedding date & time also.

**5 Guest Care.** We will answer all of your guest questions, inquiries and booking requests so you don't have to. We'll ensure that everyone is booked as needed. We'll ensure the wedding couple gets the perks they deserve. We'll process all final payments, invoices and travel documents. You will only need to coordinate the wedding details with the onsite planner then show up!



## NEXT STEP

The rest is in your hands. Connect with Romantic Planet Vacations today whether your planning for 2022, 2023 or beyond or are still not even sure if a destination wedding is the right fit for you. Our team of experts are here to help.

*Let's make your destination wedding dreams come true together.*



Schedule your complimentary destination wedding consultation:

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