



A Rental Guide For Daytime Garden Ceremonies





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Majestic and Magical

With its majestic architecture and elegant gardens on Biscayne Bay, Vizcaya Museum and Gardens is a stunning venue for an intimate Daytime Garden Ceremony.

For those who wish to celebrate a special occasion, our beautiful grounds offer an environmentally conscious setting that connects with the past, understands the present, and shapes the future. Our experienced staff in the facility rental program is eager to work with you to make your special day memorable.

For more information, schedule a site visit or to book a date for your ceremony contact Adrienne Kaiser.

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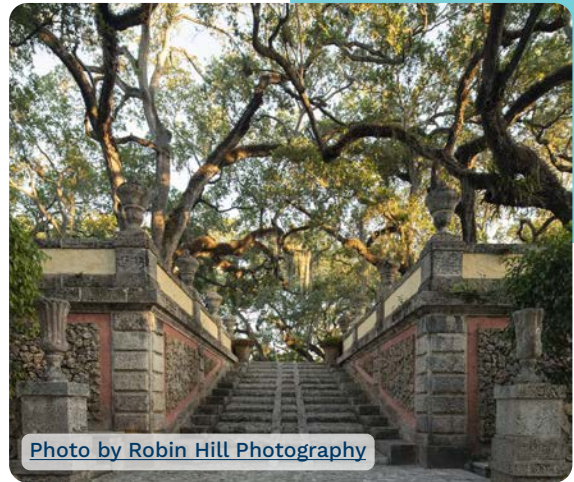


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LOCATIONS

The Garden Mound

Located south, toward the end of Vizcaya's gardens, the Garden Mound is a large open space near the beautiful Casino. You and your loved ones will be surrounded by gorgeous oak trees draped with Spanish moss as you promise your love to each other. This area is ideal for ceremonies or elopements of up to 50 people.

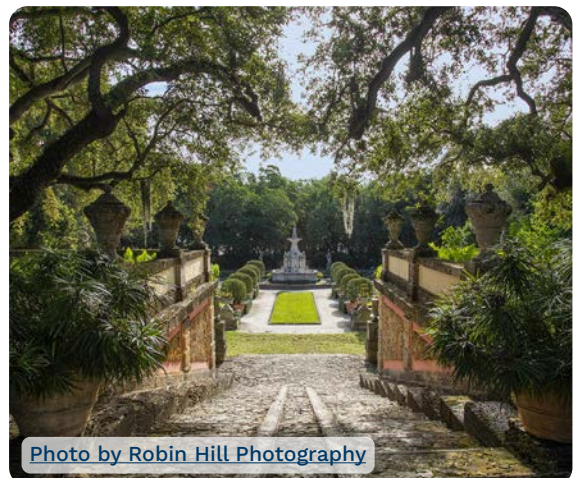


The Tea House

Located directly on Biscayne Bay, the Tea House provides a refreshing breeze with views of Downtown Miami. Visitors are welcomed by a beautiful Venetian-style bridge, which leads into a space adorned with pastel-colored geometric designs that complement its architectural features. This intimate venue is perfect for a small ceremony or elopement, accommodating up to 15 guests.

The Rose Garden

Find yourself surrounded by beds of roses, with the historic Sutri Fountain at its center. Roses are seasonal and not always in bloom, but the space is surrounded by mangroves and statuary, combining nature and romance.





DAYTIME GARDEN WEDDINGS

Vizcaya offers a beautiful setting for an intimate ceremony or other forms of personal commitment. Daytime ceremonies may take place in the formal gardens, Wednesday through Monday, during the hours of 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. No ceremonies may be held on Tuesdays, Thanksgiving Day or Christmas Day. Popular locations are the Tea House, Garden Mound and Rose Garden. There is no access to the Main House for garden ceremony clients or their guests. Photographers may accompany the group. We regret that we cannot allow chairs, wedding canopies or runners for the daytime garden ceremony. You may bring only hand-held chuppahs.

DAY-OF EVENT COORDINATOR

Vizcaya recommends you use the services of a day-of event coordinator who can help guide your guests to the ceremony, relieving you and your family of the stress and responsibility of ensuring a smooth arrival. As an example, a coordinator familiar with Vizcaya is [Small Miami Weddings](#).

GREEN AND SUSTAINABLE CEREMONIES

There's no better place than Vizcaya Museum and Gardens to tread lightly with an environmentally conscious event inspired by the beauty already found throughout the estate. Consider a simple Daytime Garden Ceremony on Vizcaya's Garden Mound under its majestic oak trees, surrounded by your closest friends and family.

OTHER CEREMONIES

Vizcaya is the perfect setting for marking significant life events. Consider a Daytime Garden Ceremony for an intimate memorial service or celebration of life. Human and animal remains are not allowed at Vizcaya. Ashes cannot be spread or scattered at Vizcaya nor in Biscayne Bay.

CATERING

Outside food and drinks are not allowed to be brought in for Daytime Garden Ceremonies. We recommend that our clients consider contacting the Vizcaya Café and Shop for a reception.

For Daytime Garden Ceremonies on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday, there is an additional reception option in Vizcaya Village, located across street on the west side of South Miami Avenue. The Vizcaya Village Café is available for rent for small receptions (up to 36 people). This indoor café allows for a private reception in the historic Superintendent's House for you and your guests.

In all cases, clients must first book their Daytime Garden Ceremony with the Facility Rentals Department before contacting the Cafe and Shop or the Vizcaya Village Cafe. For more information regarding receptions at the Café and Shop, please contact Paula Gooden at paulag@ajoywallace.com or 305-856-8189. For more information regarding renting the Vizcaya Village Cafe, please contact Samantha Ortiz and samanthao@ajoycatering.com

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FEES*

Daytime Garden Ceremony for up to 25 guests**

\$2,000

Each additional guest (up to 25 additional guests)

\$25 per guest**

A 7% sales tax applies to all fees.

*Fees subject to change without notice. Sales tax determined by the State of Florida Department of Revenue and Miami-Dade County.

**Guests are defined as all people associated with the garden ceremony, including photographers, musicians, or other vendors.

