



Christina and Paul

were married in May in Attica, Greece

The venue: Christina and Paul met in London before moving to Tokyo from where they planned their wedding in Greece. They fell in love with [Grecotel](http://grecotel.com/athens-sounio) Cape Sounio (grecotel.com/athens-sounio), overlooking the Temple of Poseidon and the crystal blue Aegean Sea. They sourced suppliers from Athens and London – including their photographer Sophocles Alexiou (sophoclesalexiou.co.uk). **Who came?** Around 200 guests for the Greek Orthodox ceremony at the hill top church of Ayia Irini and 120 for the reception. **On the day:** The wedding started at 7pm, avoiding the heat of the day. Christina walked up the steps to the church with her father to the sounds of a violin duo playing the Greek Wedding Song. Inside the church, a Byzantine choir sang and classic readings were made in the original Greek. The reception was held on a vast terrace at the Grecotel with flaming cauldrons and a jazz band playing. **After the party:** The reception went on until 4am when guests left in coaches for Athens, except for family who stayed over. With a long trip back to Tokyo ahead, the couple honeymooned in a villa on the Ionian Island of Lefkada, south of Corfu, **And finally:** Start planning your wedding early and delegate.