

# WEDDINGS

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CHICAGO · EST 1996

# RIVERS

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FISH · SEAFOOD · STEAK



**LARGEST  
COVERED  
PATIO IN  
DOWNTOWN  
CHICAGO**

**T**ucked along the banks of the Chicago River, Rivers Restaurant is a spectacular place to wed, dine, and celebrate with all of your family and friends. Perfectly positioned within the financial district of Chicago, this downtown venue presents an urban wedding and reception setting for brides and grooms seeking a lively city space without the usual urban noise.

An all inclusive venue, Rivers Restaurant provides an ideal mixture of style and service. Let us customize your wedding to create a day you and your guests will never forget.

Rivers Restaurant is designed with a blend of modern and industrial details providing a stylish atmosphere that is romantic and inviting.

The large dining room and outdoor deck overlooking the water provide ample space and flexible furniture arrangements to suit any size guest list whether you are planning an intimate gathering or a grand event.

**THE PERFECT  
LOCATION**



DELICIOUS  
Cuisine



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Lindsey [weddingwire.com](http://weddingwire.com)



## W edding Menu Options

### Silver Package

**\$109.95 per person**

4 hours of Premium Bar  
4 Appetizers for Cocktail Hour (passed)  
Salad Course  
Entrée Course  
Cake Cutting

### Gold Package

**\$119.95 per person**

4 hours of Premium Bar  
5 Appetizers for Cocktail Hour (passed)  
Salad Course  
Entrée Course  
Cake Cutting  
Late Night Snack or Sweet Table

### Platinum Package

**\$129.95 per person**

4 hours of Super Premium Bar  
Champagne Toast  
5 Appetizers for Cocktail Hour  
Salad Course  
Intermezzo Course  
Entrée Course  
Cake Cutting  
Late Night Snack or Sweet Table Option

### Diamond Package

**\$139.95 per person**

4 Hours of Super Premium Bar  
Champagne Toast  
Signature Cocktail Custom Designed  
5 Appetizers for Cocktail Hour  
2 Additional Cocktail Hour Platters  
Salad Course  
Intermezzo Course  
Entrée Course  
Cake Cutting  
Late Night Snacks or Sweet Table Option

# ATTENTION TO DETAILS

**R**ivers venue coordinator and staff are passionate about creating the perfect wedding day for each couple and their guests. Whether an intimate gathering with your closest loved ones or a grand event with everyone you know, Rivers will deliver an affair that will be remembered fondly long after the occasion.

It all begins with a personal consultation where our team gets to know the two of you - your story, your style, your idea of the perfect wedding. Our impeccable attention to detail will result in the wedding of your dreams, which leaves you free to relax and enjoy the most important day of your lives.

We invite you to visit our restaurant and patio to envision the possibilities. The color palette and hues of our venue are shades of soft white, charcoal, and grey which provide a blank canvas upon which you can build. All furnishings both inside and outside are fully removable for maximum flexibility in configuring the space to your specifications.

River's Weddings are beautiful and affordable. Dinner packages take the guesswork out of budgeting and allow you to have confidence that your wedding will stay on budget.

Rivers has created memorable events for over twenty years. Let us tell the story of your love on that one perfect day.

**WE MAKE IT  
A PERFECT DAY**

**ON SITE VENUE COORDINATOR  
EXPERIENCED STAFF  
5 STAR RATING ON THE KNOT  
5 STAR RATING ON WEDDING WIRE**



Elaine Simcox  
Rivers Venue Coordinator



# W A MAGICAL WEDDING DAY

LET US MAKE ALL OF THE ARRANGEMENTS

- CEREMONY
- CHAMPAGNE TOAST
- GOURMET DINNER
- BAR SERVICE
- LUSCIOUS DESSERTS
- DANCE FLOOR



## COMFORTABLE, ALL INCLUSIVE SETTING FOR GUESTS

- WE CAN HOST YOUR REHEARSAL DINNER, CEREMONY AND RECEPTION
- LOCATED IN THE FINANCIAL DISTRICT, WEEKENDS ARE QUIET WITH LOW TRAFFIC AND CROWDING
- GUESTS FEEL AT EASE WITH HOTELS WITHIN ONE TO TWO BLOCKS WALKING DISTANCE & ON SITE PARKING

WITH A FOCUS  
**O**n the Guest

**S**urrounding yourself with people close to your heart will make the wedding extraordinary.

Weddings aren't just about the couple. In celebrating their love, it's important for couples to remember that they are hosting their guests, and as good hosts, their guests' comfort and happiness should be top-of-mind.

Quite simply, guests want to know what they're doing, where they're going, and what is expected of them.

We keep your guests' experience foremost in the planning. As a result your guests will enjoy and long remember your wedding.



**R**ITTERGUT WINE BAR adjoins Rivers Restaurant and shares the same great view and patio along the Chicago River. With two private rooms and a bar that comprise 80 seats and an additional 50 seats on the patio, it is the perfect location for your Rehearsal Dinner or intimate wedding.

Rittergut Wine Bar and Restaurant may also be used to host a variety of social gatherings such as a bridal luncheon or wine tasting party so out of town guests can get acquainted.

### PRIVATE ROOMS

- INTIMATE WEDDINGS
- REHEARSAL DINNERS
- FAMILY GATHERINGS
- SOCIAL EVENTS
- WINE TASTING
- APPETIZER PARTY
- PRIVATE BREAKFAST, LUNCH OR DINNER

## WINE BAR

INTIMATE SETTING



**T**his restaurant is a hidden gem in Chicago. If you want your wedding guests to have the best wedding experience ever, this is your venue. Our guests are still raving about how it's the best food they have ever eaten, and not just at a wedding! The staff is extremely friendly and accommodating. We absolutely LOVE this venue and would recommend it in a heartbeat to anyone looking to host their wedding here.  
Alyse [weddingwire.com](#)

**I**would HIGHLY recommend Rivers to any bride and groom looking for a unique space that captures the beauty of the city, offers amazing food/drinks for guests, and guarantees an awesome wedding experience.  
Bailey [weddingwire.com](#)

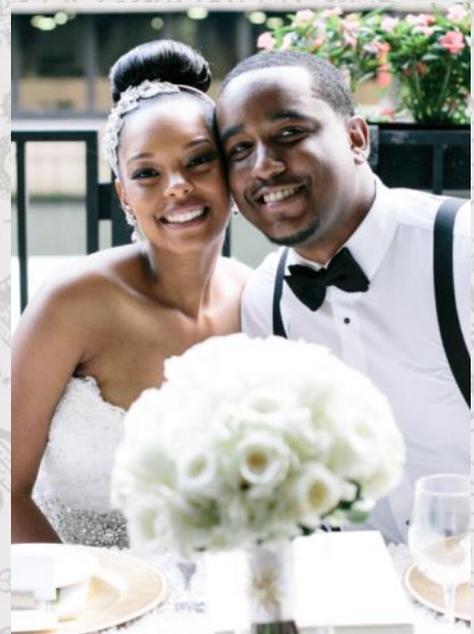
**W**hen looking for a wedding venue, we knew we wanted something outdoors and something "Chicago". We got both at Rivers, and for a reasonable price!! Allison [weddingwire.com](#)

**W**e had our wedding here on the outdoor terrace. It was absolutely breathtaking! If you're planning on having a true outdoor Chicago cityscape wedding with a plan B for rain (it's Chicago you know you have to have one) this is the place.  
Natalie J [theknot.com](#)

**F**rom the initial venue visit to the countless emails and phone calls back and forth and of course everything she did the day of, Rivers' staff was always responsive, friendly, flexible, helpful, and just simply a pleasure to work with! I had no idea how much work went into planning a wedding and I am so grateful that I had Taylor there to guide me through the process, and always be there with a smile. Overall, I couldn't recommend Rivers more. I wouldn't change a thing! I wish we could afford to throw that party every year. It was PERFECT!  
[theknot.com](#)

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Lindsey [weddingwire.com](#)

**W**e loved the flexibility of the venue from being able to dine inside and/or out. The view is incredible! Throughout the planning process they were always willing to try to accommodate our wishes. We are so happy we had the wedding reception here. Top notch all the way around!  
Donna [weddingwire.com](#)



## READ THE TESTIMONIALS

# CONSIDERING THE NUMBERS

- RIVERS WEDDINGS ARE BEAUTIFUL AND AFFORDABLE.
- OUR VENUE IS FIVE STAR RATED BY THE KNOT AND WEDDING WIRE.
- DINNER PACKAGES TAKE NEARLY ALL OF THE GUESSWORK OUT OF BUDGETING SO YOU CAN RELAX AND ENJOY YOUR WEDDING.

Our impeccable attention to detail will result in the wedding of your dreams, which leaves you free to relax and enjoy the most important day of your lives.

<b>FACILITIES RENTAL</b>	<b>\$4500</b>
Includes privacy fee for closing Rivers and Rittergut to the public. Includes furniture removal, set-up, and tear down. Includes rental delivery, installation, and return. Ceremony set-up fee is additional.	
<b>MENU TASTING FOR 6</b>	Complimentary
<b>CEREMONY SET UP FEE</b>	<b>\$500</b>
<b>APPETIZER, MUTI-COURSE DINNER , COCKTAILS AND CAKE CUTTING</b>	Per Guest starts at \$109.95



Weddings at Rivers  
Five Star Rated



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