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Eason & Fryer

LaToya Eason met **Aaron Fryer** – then a running back on **Duke's** football team – on **West Campus** following the university's homecoming game versus Virginia in 2006. Five years later, the couple found themselves at another football game in Miami for Aaron's birthday.

"We watched the Miami Hurricanes beat Georgia Tech and then relaxed in our hotel," LaToya says. "That night, we walked the streets of South Beach and laughed about how different things were since we had been there for Spring Break as undergrads."

Around midnight, the couple made their way down to the shoreline. After trying to pick out different constellations in the sky together, they were walking back when Aaron stopped suddenly and pulled LaToya close.

"He said he was tired from walking in the sand, dropped down and pulled out a ring from his shoe," LaToya says. "I repeated, 'Shut up! Are you serious?' several times before finally saying 'Yes.' When I looked down at my left hand, a star had landed on it."

LaToya and Aaron married in July at **The Cotton Room**, with help from **Amanda Scott** of **A Swanky Affair**. **Tre Bella** provided the flowers and **Lavish Hair Salon** assisted with hair. **DM**

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