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ON HER SPARKLING
NEW ROLE

PLUS
WEDDINGS AND
HONEYMOON SPECIAL

MARILYN MONROE'S
LEGACY



ISLAND ESCAPE

For a dream-like tropical retreat, make for Kokomo Private Island Fiji. Conceived by late visionary billionaire Lang Walker, it's set across 140 acres in the pristine Kadavu Islands fringed by the Great Astrolabe Reef, one of the world's largest barrier reefs. Walker was captivated by its unspoilt beauty and developed it into a private retreat that opened in 2017. Today it's home to 21 beachfront villas, each set within private tropical gardens with infinity pools, an organic farm supplying the island's three restaurants and a spa with traditional Fijian healing practices. This year there is a new pickleball court and catamaran experiences.

FUEL FOR THOUGHT

Newlyweds looking for an alternative type of honeymoon can hop in a supercar and tour some of Europe's most spectacular routes with Club GT. The global driving tour specialist was founded in 2005 by Kevin Giblin from a lifelong passion for driving and offers a programme of off-road adventures, supercar routes and private Formula 1 track days. This year's tours include a six-day Spanish Salsa tour of the Iberian Peninsula, a six-day La Dolce Vita tour in Italy that includes the legendary Stelvio Pass and the first British tour, a four-day Yorkshire Grand Tour that includes two nights at five-star hotel Grantley Hall.

From a private island in Fiji to an epic off-grid journey from Peru to Patagonia, here's our pick of the best honeymoons to suit newlyweds of every stripe

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GET AWAY

PEAK PRACTICE

For those seeking an active honeymoon experience as a family, Powder Byrne has introduced a new and exclusive four-night long weekend in the Dolomites. Combining adventure with exceptional alpine luxury, guests will stay at the new Aman Rosa Alpina in the village of San Cassiano. Available throughout July and August, the itinerary is designed for a family of four (from £3,495 per person) and includes a private Powder Byrne mountain host and private driver alongside a programme of activities that includes mountain biking, indoor climbing and a guided via ferrata (iron-rung climbing course) with a qualified expert.

