

# ELISE & MATT

## MET IN A CAFETERIA.

MATT ORDERED A STUFFED CHICKEN.  
ELISE RESISTED EATING IT OFF HIS PLATE.

THEY DIDN'T SEE EACH OTHER FOR TWO MONTHS.

THEN: DRINKS + RADIOHEAD = FRIENDSHIP.

MATT WAS THEN ASSIGNED TO COVER  
PRESIDENT BUSH AT HIS RANCH NEAR WACO.



## HE ASKED OUT HER.

TWO DATES FOLLOWED, INCLUDING ONE  
TO THE BRANCH DAVIDIAN COMPOUND.

**For the next  
three months...**

THEY DATED LIKE  
NORMAL PEOPLE.

## UNTIL

ELISE TOOK A JOB  
IN SOUTH CAROLINA

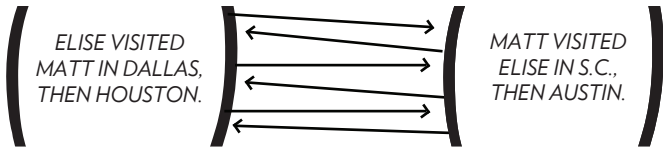
**And, right  
there...**

ANY NORMALITY IN  
COURTSHIP ENDED.

### WITHOUT MUCH OF A STRATEGY,

They gave the long-distance dating thing a shot.

IT WENT ON LIKE THIS FOR THREE FULL YEARS:



<b>MATT, TO HIS BOSSES:</b>	<b>BOSSES, TO MATT:</b>
<i>"PLEASE LET ME WORK IN AUSTIN."</i>	<i>"YES. MAYBE, BUT NEVERMIND. NO."</i>

### ANOTHER YEAR PASSED.

ONE QUESTION THAT KEPT COMING UP WAS...

**"DO YOU GUYS KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOING?"**

Ummm...

MATT WAS DIGGING AROUND FOR A SENSIBLE ANSWER  
WHEN HIS BOSSES LET HIM MOVE TO AUSTIN.

**(APPLAUSE!)**

Sharing a zip code for the first time in nearly half a decade...  
THEY SHARED A LONG-DELAYED REVELATION

*It took them five years and 58,716 miles to acknowledge  
that sometimes, when you know, you just know.*

**And since that's finally settled...**

## SAVE THE DATE

*for the wedding of*

ELISE HU & MATT STILES

**SATURDAY, MAY 29, 2010**

**AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS**

(DINNER AND PARTYING AND ETERNITY TO FOLLOW).