

True love is an art form for Thomas Ah Kuoi

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HE may want to offer an apology to the single men of Sydney.

Thomas Ah Kuoi set the marriage proposal bar to a new height when he dropped to one knee in elaborate fashion — with the help of the White Rabbit Gallery in Chippendale.

Disguising the ruse as a simple stroll past some art with girlfriend Chervonne Davies, Mr Ah Kuoi, an NAB bank teller, had arranged for his proposal to be printed on a didactic panel that accompanied a digital print — while their families waited secretly downstairs.

Visitors to the gallery were also in on the secret, with staff advising them the proposal was imminent.

"I wanted to do something different and I knew (gallery owner) Judith Neilsen because she is a customer at my bank so I asked her what she thought of the idea and she was happy to help me out," he said.

"Chervonne and I like art, mostly modern and contemporary stuff, so it was perfect."

Despite the planning, the proposal almost came unstuck when the bride-to-be wandered past the art without reading the panel which included the line: "Will you marry me Chervonne Davies."

And she did say yes.



Thomas Ah-Kuoi kept his proposal to his now fiancée Chervonne as artistic as possible.

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