

Garner-Skelton Marriage Solemnized in Garden Setting



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In a garden setting at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Garner, Katherine Lynne Garner became the bride of Mark Noel Skelton. The double-ring ceremony was performed September 18, 1971 at 7 p.m. by Bishop Reed Ray of the Nyssa LDS First Ward. Baskets of orange and yellow gladioli added to the garden decor.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Wilma Garner of Nyssa and Wayne J. Garner of Portland. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Skelton of Portland.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white polyester crepe. It was sculptured into a fitted bodice, with an A-line skirt, long fitted sleeves and a cowl neckline. The bodice front was enhanced with a bibbed vest of hand dyed African satin, in hues of blue sapphire to midnight blue. The fabric was a gift to the bride from Wadai Bright of Liberia West Africa, one of the bride's college roommates. She carried a nosegay of yellow roses, marigolds and babies breath and wore a wreath of marigolds in her hair.

Roxanne Mason attended as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Karen Zerbel, Anita Piercy and Patty Lowe. The attendants all wore dresses of identical style to that of the bride. They were of floor-length midnight blue crepe and featured gold crepe vests. Each

carried a nosegay of marigolds and babies breath.

Flower girl was Nickie Atagi, niece of the bride. She wore a midnight blue crepe dress and carried a nosegay of marigolds and babies breath.

Best man was Joe Loera and ushering the guests were Rudy Vendrell, Ron Moffis and Jim Dail.

The bride's mother chose a street-length dress of burgundy polyester knit. The mother of the groom wore a red polyester knit dress of street-length. Their corsages were one large orchid and rosebuds.

A reception followed the ceremony. A three-tiered wedding cake, decorated with fresh marigolds and topped with marigolds and blue birds was on the bride's table. Barbi Wilt and Janice Okano cut and served the cake. Susan Kouns was at the punch bowl. Also assisting with the serving were Mmes. Norma Atagi, Bert Wait, Wayne Garner, Don Beckstead and Miss Lynne Glenn.

Shelley Schulthies was in charge of the guest book. Mrs. Jenny Murphy, Mrs. Fidel Soliz and Mary Wahlert were at the gift table. Receiving the gifts were Misses Jamie Garner, Dorie and Marcie Beckstead.

The bride was graduated from Nyssa High School in 1970 and attended Bassit Fashion Institute in Portland. She is presently employed at Meier and Frank Company in Port-

REBEKAH LODGES DISTRICT MEETING

District #24 of Rebekah Lodge's was hosted by Yellow Rose Rebekah Lodge #202 in Nyssa, October 16. Golden Rule Lodge #64 Vale and Beatrice Rebekah Lodge #82 Ontario assisted.

The Nyssa Lodge opened in regular format at 1 p.m. Special guests who were introduced were Mavis Paull, Rebekah Assembly President of Oregon, of Portland, Arlene Young, Rebekah Assembly Secretary, of Portland; Jessie Fozier, Past President, LAPM of Idaho, Ontario; Emily Clapp, District Deputy President of District #24.

During Good of the Order District officers took the chairs: Blanche Weeks from Yellow Rose #202, chairman; Neota Sperling of Golden Rule #64, vice chairman; Merle Johnson, Yellow Rose #202, secretary-treasurer.

Seventeen past chairmen were introduced and presented gifts. Lovely corsages were presented to each of the District officers. A corsage with money leaves was presented to Assembly President Mavis Paull.

New officers elected for next year were Neota Sperling, Vale #64, chairman; Hazel Leavitt, Ontario #82, vice-chairman; Georgia Clark, Vale #64, secretary-treasurer.

After renewal of obligations and reports new officers were seated by Assembly President Mavis Paull and Assembly Secretary, Arlene Young.

The meeting was adjourned for the banquet at 6:30 p.m. Golden Rule #64 opened evening meeting at 8 p.m. Mavis Paull president gave an inspiring talk. Beatrice #82 closed in form and Rebekahs are to meet at Vale next year for their district meeting.

REBEKAHS MEET

Yellow Rose Rebekah Lodge met October 12 at the IOOF hall with Noble Grand Nellie Jenkins presiding. Eighteen members answered roll call. All the officers were present. Practice was held for the District meeting to be held October 16 at which time Mavis Paull, Assembly President of Oregon will be here for her official visit.

Emily Clapp was presented a gift as District Deputy from the Lodge. Hostesses Emily Clapp and Nita Mae Wiley served delicious refreshments. Next meeting will be October 26 at the IOOF Hall.

The groom, a 1967 graduate of Benson High School in Portland is in his senior year at Portland State University. For going away the new Mrs. Skelton wore a polyester knit pantsuit in shades of lavender, purple and rust. Her accessories were purple suede.

Following their wedding trip, the newlyweds are now at home in Portland.

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Houseguests this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. K.E. Kerby are Steven Kerby of Ashland, Bill Knox of Portland and Dr. Denny Thomas of Prineville.

Saturday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Kerby were Roger Cole and Whitney Ball of Corvallis and Hubert Leuck of Cottage Grove, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Oden had as their overnight guests October 13, old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lovell of Bunker Hill, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Penrod of Idaho Falls were guests at the home of his parents the Paul Penrods October 12 to 16.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Penrod October 13 to 17 were Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Ensley of Portland.

Dean Steinke of Vale, grandson of Mrs. Verda Steinke has enrolled as a student at Eastern Oregon College. Dean attended TVCC for two years.

Mrs. Steinke's son Dareld Steinke of Vale is also in La Grande attending school for heavy equipment operators. He has worked for the State Highway Department for the past several years.

Cherry Lee Steinke who had been staying with her grandmother for two months, returned to her home in Vale Oct. 10.

Mrs. Arthur Cartwright returned home October 17 after spending one week in Ogden, Utah getting acquainted with her new grandson. See Cradle Roll for details.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Blackey) Gunnels of Kelso, Wash., spent the weekend visiting Verda Steinke. Blackey was a former resident of this area. They are traveling in their camper that has been converted from a bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartley are visiting in the Nyssa area for a few weeks during hunting season. They have their trailer parked at the O.E. Cheldelin farm south of town.

Hartleys have their home at North Bend leased until next June, so will head south from Nyssa to spend the winter.

Gary Wilson of Madras spent the weekend at his parent's Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson and also went bird hunting while here.

Mrs. Ester Romaine of Portland is visiting the Emmett Sappe's this week.

Michael O'Brian and Dana Abbe of Shasta, Calif., were weekend guests of Michael's aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walart and family. They enjoyed the bird hunting in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne visited Mrs. Towne's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mull of Boise Sunday, October 17 and later in the day visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dority also of Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morgan and Mrs. Frank Morgan were Oct. 10 visitors at the home of Dr. Clay Morgan and family in Boise.

Mrs. Chester Chatman of Meridian visited her sister Mrs. Orma Cleaver October 9. They both visited Mr. and Mrs. Junior Goodell and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cleaver in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Osla Forbes of Seaside, Oregon are visiting Mrs. Audrey Ward and other friends and relatives in this area.

Toastmistress Club

Jay-C-Ettes were honored guests at Treasure Valley Toastmistress Club Thursday, Oct. 14 at the Nyssa Library Meeting Room. Louise O'Neil was Toastmistress for the evening. Members gave three minute talks on hobbies. This portion is to train members to stay within time limits. Ona Tuning gave the Lexicology lesson and Mary Greenway a book review. Job's Daughters catered the refreshments. Guests were Ava Kildow, Sandy Siegenhagen, Linda Uhl and Sharon Fletcher all of Parma.

Knowles Family Gather for Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. George Knowles entertained Oct. 6 with a potluck dinner for her sister, Mrs. Edna Miller of Camp, Colo., and her cousin's Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pratt of Chester, Okla.

The Paris' were on their way to Hermiston, Oregon to attend the 50th wedding anniversary reception of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Laughton, which was Sunday, Oct. 10.

Those of the Knowles family attending the Oct. 6 dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hiatt, Dan and Dewayne; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hiatt and Debbie; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hiatt; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hiatt and Scottie; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Stacy; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones; Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Knowles; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hiatt of Roseburg and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tanner.

The weekend of Oct. 9-10 Mr. and Mrs. George Knowles and Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Knowles traveled to Hermiston to attend the 50th anniversary reception of Mr. and Mrs. Laughton.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. James E. Phifer of Adrian announce the engagement of their daughter, Jan Louise, to Gerald John Freitag. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Freitag of Route 2 Nyssa.

Jan graduated from Adrian High School in 1968 and Lewis and Clark Business College in 1969. She is presently employed at Amalgamated Sugar Company.

Her fiancé graduated from Nyssa High School in 1962 and TVCC in 1965. He is also employed at Amalgamated Sugar and in farm work. A February wedding is planned by the betrothed couple.

FRIENDS HOST BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Yellow Rose Rebekah Lodge #202 and Friendship Circle hosted a birthday party October 7 for Ida Walters and Mary McConnell.

Nineteen friends showered the honorees with cards. Traditional ice cream and cake were served and the afternoon was spent visiting.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Golden Rule Chapter met October 18 at Masonic Hall. Past Matron Lois Cartwright presiding. Escorted and introduced was Floy Collins a member of Long Creek Chapter #90. She is Grand Committee member of the Cancer Committee. She was making her official visit here.

An invitation issued by Worshipful Master Ray Bacon to Women's Night November 8 at 6 p.m. for a potluck for all Stars, Jobies and Masons.

Hostesses Myrtle and Foy Sasser and Bill Webb served refreshments.

The next meeting will be November 1 at 8 p.m.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

All 4th, 5th and 6th grade girls, interested in joining Junior Girl Scouts, are asked to meet Thursday, Oct. 28, at the United Methodist Church, at 4 p.m.

Each girl is to bring \$2 for registration fees which includes insurance. Mrs. Carl Linegar will have uniforms available to exchange or sell.

BRIDGE ACTIVITIES

Mrs. Paul Penrod entertained members of the Thursday Bridge club October 14. Guest players were Mrs. Frank Morgan and Mrs. Artie Robertson. There were two tables in play with Mrs. Joe Cundall taking high honors and Mrs. Morgan taking second high.

The Friday Afternoon Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Ted Morgan, with three tables in play. Mrs. Ray Russell's sister, Mrs. James Kirby of Camarillo, Calif., was guest player. Mrs. L.A. Maulding was high prize winner.

Mrs. L.A. Maulding was hostess for members of Tuesday bridge Oct. 12. Winning high honors was Mrs. Ray Russell, second high was Mrs. Herb Fisher.

PINOCHLE PARTIES

Wednesday afternoon pinochle club met at the home of Louise Wernick October 13. Merle Johnson placed as high winner, Bessie McConnell low and Hazel Smith and Orma Cleaver traveling.

OES Chapters Hold District Meet

The District Meeting of OES Chapters of this area was held October 11 at Ontario with Star Chapter #69 as hosts.

The meeting was preceded by a no host banquet at the Eastside with approximately sixty attending.

Star Chapter #69 officers opened the meeting in form and escorted and introduced Virginia Wilkerson, Worthy Grand Matron and Carl Wipper, Worthy Grand Patron of Oregon; Jim Wheelock, Past Grand Patron of Idaho; Grand Ruth, Clare Cox; Grand Esther, Bernice Wipper; Grand Electa of Oregon, Burnita Eastman; Grand Ruth of Idaho, Helen Bevins; two Grand Representatives, Dorothy Walker of Star Chapter representing Idaho in Oregon and Mildred Bokin, representing Puerto Rico in Idaho. Three Grands came from Oregon and three from Idaho.

Three Worthy Matrons and two Worthy Patrons officers of the Golden Rule Chapter #131 of Nyssa took the chairs and exemplified the balloting.

Officers of Golden Chain #103 Vale did the initiatory work. Star Chapter #69 had Good of the Order under Worthy Patron Merrill Abrames.

A gift from the Chapter was presented with a very original adendum. Worthy Grand Matron and Virginia Wilkerson and Worthy Grand Patron gave some inspiring remarks.

There were several chapters in Idaho and Oregon represented. After closing of Chapter refreshments were served from beautifully decorated tables. Individual tables were decorated with the emblems of the three Chapters, Golden Rule, Golden Chain and Star.

District meeting will be held in Nyssa next year.

Mark Stephen and Bride Honeymoon in Canada



On Saturday, September 11, 1971, at 7:30 p.m., Carole Jeane Christenson became the bride of Mark N. Stephen, at Tieton Drive Bible Chapel in Yakima, Washington. The double-ring ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. John Crawford, in the presence of 125 guests. The Chapel was graced with baskets of yellow mums entwined with ivy. Soloist was Mrs. John Christenson.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Christenson of Cowiche, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stephen of Route 2 Nyssa.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a floor-length empire waisted gown of Quaker lace. The gown's round neckline was complemented with lace scallops and full Bishop sleeves accented with seed pearls and were gathered into cuffs. Her elbow length veil of illusion was held to a petal headpiece of satin and lace, edged with seed pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of yellow rosebuds and babies breath.

Attending her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Ron Garrison, who wore a floor-length dress in shades of lime green print. Bridesmaid was Mrs. Ron Christenson, she wore a yellow dress of floor-length. Candelighters Christine Stephen and Sandy Christenson, wore identical floor-length dresses of yellow and lime green print. The attendants all carried mums.

Flower girl was Kim Christenson, niece of the bride, she was attired in a yellow dress of floor-length. Serving as best man was Axel J. Stephen. Ushers were Ron Christenson and Robert Ewell. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Christenson chose a street-length dress of pink lace, while the bridegroom's mother was attired in a pink knit dress of street-length. Each wore a corsage of white and pink rosebuds.

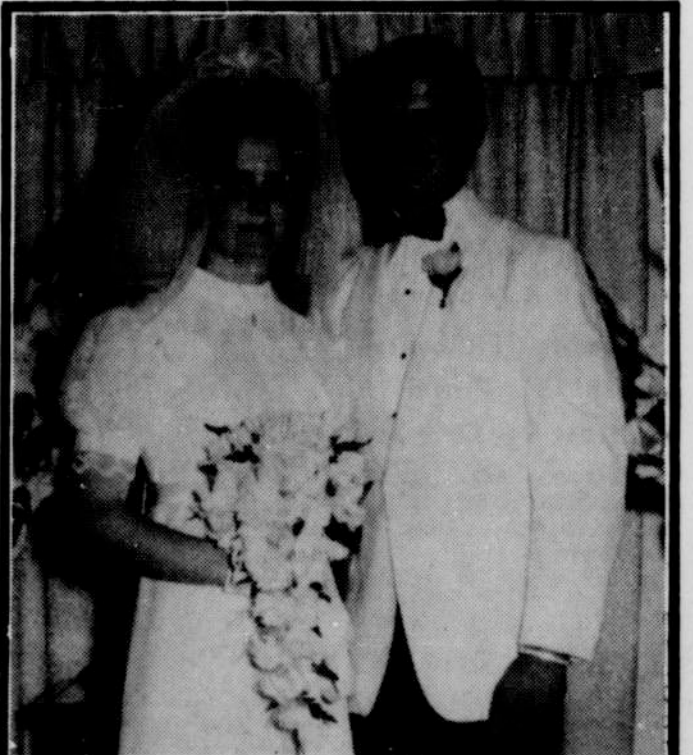
A reception was held following the ceremony in the Bible Chapel social hall. The three-tiered cake was decorated with yellow roses and topped with a miniature bride and groom encircled with fresh flowers.

Mrs. Dan Crosswhite and Mrs. Bob Mosso were in charge of cutting and serving the cake. Mrs. Robert Ewell poured coffee. Becky Christenson and Ruth Stephen served punch.

The new Mrs. Stephen attended Yakima Valley Junior College and University of Puget Sound in Tacoma. Her husband attended Treasure Valley Community College and Oregon State University.

For going away the bride wore a rust colored velvet dress. After a honeymoon trip to Canada the couple are making their home in Nyssa, where he is associated with his father in farming.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stephen and family of Nyssa; Mr. and Mrs. Axel Stephen of Ontario; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Findley, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Norland and Eric of Madras; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Crosswhite, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mosso of Payette.



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