

Social Events

Wright-Barker marry

Miss Tammy Sue Barker was married to Thomas Theodore Wright on August 24, 1985 in Randleman. The Reverend Jackie Ray officiated at the double-ring ceremony in the New Salem United Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Barker of Randleman. She is a graduate of Randleman High School and Guilford Technical Community College in Jamestown.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wright of Raeford. He is a graduate of Hoke County High School, Fayetteville Technical Institute, and John Wesley Bible College in High Point. He is presently employed as a Youth Pastor and Music Director for the Bannertown Wesleyan Methodist Church in Mt. Airy, N.C.

The church was decorated with brass candleabra placed on either side of the altar table. Ferns were placed around the candleabra and around the two baskets which contained purple tiger lilies, white gladioli, and white roses. The Unity candle and the communion tray were placed on the altar. A lighted brass candlestick was placed in each window of the church and decorated with violet flowers and green ivy.

Organist Allyson Witcher and pianist Jackie Lowdermilk provided wedding music. Mr. and Mrs. Tim Sessoms sang two selections, "Together" and "Together Forever." Mr. Sessoms sang "It Seems I've Always Loved You," and Mr. Ralph Trogdon sang "The Wedding Prayer."

Escorted by her father, Mr.

Thomas A. Barker, the bride wore a floor length gown of white summer satin with embroidered bodice. Her veil was covered with illusion. She carried a bouquet of white roses, violets and purple tiger lilies mixed with ivy.

Honor attendant was Miss Ellen McAden of Randleman. She wore a tea length gown of fresh violet taffeta. She carried a lighted candle decorated with violet flowers and white streamers.

Bridesmaids were Miss Lisa Charles of Greensboro, Miss Kandi Ling of High Point, Miss Lisa Barker of Climax, and Mrs. Kathy Warner of Raeford. They wore dresses like the honor attendant and also carried lighted candles.

Child attendants were Miss Jamie Warner of Raeford as flower girl and Master Joshua Ray of Mt. Airy as ringbearer.

Best man was Daniel Wright of Raeford. Ushers were Johnny Wright of Raeford, Robbie Young of Hope Mills, Paul Worsham of Chatham, Va., and Tim Sessoms of Greensboro. The men wore black tuxedos with lavender ties and cummerbunds.

The bride's brother, Spec. 4 Jimmy Barker of the U.S. Army, lighted the candles prior to the ceremony and presented programs to guests. The bride's register was kept by Mrs. Johnny Wright of Raeford.

The wedding was directed by Mrs. Audrey Wood.

The bride's parents were hosts for the reception following the ceremony. Preparations for a party in the church fellowship hall were made by Mrs. Joann Barker, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Jean York,



Mrs. Thomas Theodore Wright

Mrs. Mabel Ling, aunts of the bride, and by Mrs. Shirley Day, Mrs. Rose Inman, Mrs. Jean Henderson, Mrs. Fay Campbell, friends of the family. The cake was baked, cut and served by Mrs. Joanne Barker, and punch was poured by Mrs. Mary Smith.

A rehearsal dinner was held in the church fellowship hall on the

evening before the wedding and was hosted by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Wright of Raeford. The dinner was prepared and served by Mrs. Lela White and Mrs. Debbie White of High Point.

After a short wedding trip to the mountains, the couple will reside at 210 Mayberry Apts., Mt. Airy, N.C.

Engaged

The engagement of 1st Lt. Sheila Marie McRae to Donald Lee McAllister is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther McRae of Route 1, Shannon.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Hoke County High School and N.C. A&T State University. She is a Registered Nurse in the U.S. Air Force. She is stationed at Shaw Air Force Base and lives in Sumter, South Carolina.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Arizona Sanders of Fayetteville. He attended N.C. A&T State University and is now a senior at Morris College, majoring



Sheila Marie McRae

in professional biology. He is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

The wedding is planned for September 28 at Bridges Grove Church of Shannon.



Sister Patty makes profession

Sr. Patty McCulloch (right) of Raeford's St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, recently made her religious profession at the Motherhouse of the Mission Helpers of the Sacred, the community of women religious with which she is associated. Their central administration and training center is in Towson, Maryland. Officiating at the ceremony was her brother, Father Larry McCulloch (left), a Maryknoll priest from Costa Rica. Also present for this happy occasion were other members of her family.

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