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# Miss Gillis Becomes Bride Of Mr. Willis At Galatia Church

Miss Beth Gillis and David Willis exchanged wedding vows on Sunday morning at the Galatia Presbyterian Church during the morning worship service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gillis of the Galatia community of Fayetteville. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Willis of Raeford.

The bride and bridegroom chose to sit with their respective families and participate in the morning worship service which preceeded their wedding.

During the worship service the

Chancel Choir, directed by Pattie Hasty and accompanied by Nancy Brady, organist, presented as the choral introit "Morning Has Broken", a traditional Gaelic melody by Eleanor Fargeon. They sang "The Gift of Love" by Hal Hopson based on I Corinthians 13 as the offertory anthem. Mrs. Brady played "A Trumpet Chorale" by J.S. Bach for the processional. The choir sang the closing portion of "O Perfect Love" by Dorothy Gurney as the benedic-tory response. The "Prince of Denmark's March" by Jeriamiah Clarke was used for the recessional.

Two large arrangements of mixed summer flowers flanked by tall colonial-style brass candlesticks holding single ivory candles were used on the altar shelf. An arrangement of mixed roses grown by the bride's cousin, William J. Gillis and arranged by Wade McDougald were placed on a table in the

Given in marriage by her father. the bride wore a gown of white sheer organza with Venise and Chantilly lace and appliqued with seed pearls. The gown was designed with slashed neckline, near-natural waist, camelot sleeves and full circular skirt which extended into a chapel train. Her silk illusion two-tiered fingertip veil with reembroidered lace appliques was worn with a flowered cap. She carried a colonial-style bouquet of mixed summer flowers.

Kathryn Ann Gillis, of Raleigh, was her sister's honorary attendant. She wore a floral floor-length dress in shades of white, navy, green and yellow accented with a long navy ribbon at the waist.

Mr. Willis served as best man for

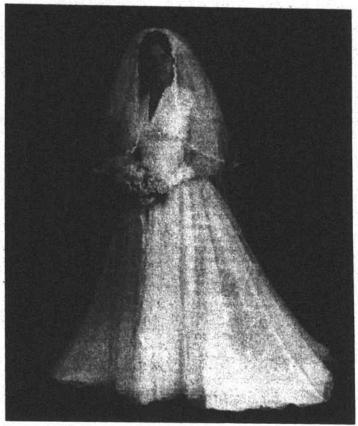
The mother of the bride wore a street length dress of teal blue silk. The bridegroom's mother chose a street-length dress of powder blue

After a wedding trip to the islands of Oahu and Kauai,









Mrs. David Willis

Hawaii, the bridal couple will reside in Hoke County. For travel-

ing, the bride wore a red linen suit.
The bride is a graduate of Robeson Country Day School (now Flora Macdonald Academy) in Red Springs. She is employed as a secretary-bookkeeper. The bridegroom is a graduate of Hoke High School and Sandhill Community College. He is self employed.

#### **OUT OF TOWN GUESTS**

Miss Jessie McInnis, Miss Jeanette McInnis, Florence, S.C.; Miss Catherine Ann McInnis, Summerville, S.C.; Mr. and Mrs.

### Mrs. Culbreth Celebrates 86th Birthday

Mrs. Ethel Norton Culbreth celebrated her 86th birthday Sun-day August 8th at the home of her daughter and son - in - law, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lasley in Cary.

Those attending were: Miss Jessica Lasley and Tommy, Raleigh; Mrs. Deris Almond, Lumberton; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cates and sons, Elizabeth City; Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Culbreth Sr. and Larry, Raeford; Mr. and Mrs. David Melvin. Winterville; Mrs. Ella Carr, Rae-ford; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Peeler; Raeford; Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Culbreth Jr. and Malcolm, Smithfield; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Culbreth and Carol, Selma; and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barbour of Smithfield.

Mrs. Culbreth is a resident at home of Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Culbreth on Route 2, Raeford.

William R. Miller and infant son Scott, Miss Susan Edens, and Miss Sue Meese, Raleigh; Mrs. Edna McGoogan, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene .. McKethan. Jr., and Miss Leslie McKethan, Red Springs; Mr. and Mrs. N.P. Mercer, Shannon; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Powell, Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Baker, Asheboro; Mrs. Lacy Patterson, Mrs. Jim Wilkerson, Fayetteville.

REHEARSAL DINNER

On Saturday evening, following the rehearsal, the bridegroom's parents held open house for family members of the bridal couple.

## Birthday

Sharon Weese

Sharon Weese celebrated her thirteenth birthday with a party at her home on July 24.

Guests included Andrea Jackson, Michael Baker, Jennifer Wiggins. Robbie Mitchell, Jason Branch, Diane Smith, James Keith Jackson, Marvin Jackson, Sue Ellen Weese and Robert Capps.

The guests enjoyed music to dance by and refreshments.

### Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Carl DeSilva and son, Patrick of St. Vincent West Indies, and Dr. Roger Wieland of Ft. Myers, Florida were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don

Coffield - Moss



Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McNeil Coffield of Hamlet announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Madeline, to Jeffrey Charles Moss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Russel Moss of Clarendon.

The bride-elect is a 1980 graduate of Pembroke State University. where she received a BS degree in math and is presently working with the Employment Security Commission of N.C. in the Raeford Branch. Mr. Moss is presently attending Pembroke State University where he is majoring in Accounting.

The wedding is planned for August 14, at 2:00 p.m. at the Laurinburg Presbyterian Church, in Laurin-

burg. All friends of the bride and groom are invited to attend.

#### Postponement

The wedding of Miss Susan Anne Bounds to Mr. Gary Marshall Gentry has been postponed due to the death of the bride's father.

## Pool Party Honors Couple

Miss Beth Gillis and Mr. David Willis, who married Sunday at Galatia Presbyterian Church, were honored at a pool party on Tuesday evening, August 3 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis K. Parker in the Galatia Church community.

Baskets, crafted by Judy Gillis McKethan and filled with summer flowers from the garden of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McKethan; ferns, lanterns and torches decorated the pool area. Tables on the lawn were spread with white cloths and adorned with pewter lanterns, ivy and summer flowers.

Thirty-two guests were served homemade ice cream and were invited to create their own sundaes with toppings served on the patio with cookies, cakes and punch.

Miss Gillis was presented a bouquet of white daisies, and Mr. Willis was given an electric ice cream freezer by their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner, Mr. and Mrs. James McKethan, Miss Karen Parker, Kirk Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Parker, all of the Galatia community.

## Personal

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDuffie were Mrs. McDuffie's daughter and husband T/Sgt. Michael Hinnant and daughter Melissa of Tampa, Fla. Other guests were Mrs. McDuffie's sons Don Conoly and family of Fayette-ville and Roy Conoly of Southern



Jones - Shields

Mr. and Mrs. David Jones Jr. of Raeford announce the engagement of their daughter, Delores Ann to Randy L. Shields, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Shields of Winston Salem.

The bride-elect is a 1979 graduate of Hoke County High School. She currently anticipates graduation from the Practical Nursing Program at Sandhills Community Col-

lege on August 20, 1982.
The groom-elect is a 1976 graduate of East Forsyth High School in Winston Salem, N.C. He served four years in the United States Navy. He is currently employed as an Electronics Technician in the Tele-Communications Dept. at Hanes Inc. Winston Salem.

The wedding ceremony will be September 25. at New Pilgrim Holiness Church, Raeford.

### Couple Honored At Dinner Party

On Saturday evening, July 24, Mrs. Charles E. Stewart, Jr., Mrs. Charles Stewart III, and Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart honored Miss Susan Bounds and Gary Gentry at a dinner party at the Pine Acres Restaurant in Pine Bluff. Miss Bounds, Mrs. Lawrence Bounds, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Bob Gentry, mother of the groom-elect, were each presented rose bud corsages by the hostesses. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Owens, the bride-elect's grandparents from Burlington. Miss Bounds and Mr. Gentry were presented a water pitcher and salt and pepper shakers in their chosen crystal pattern from the hostesses.



Mrs. Helen S. Barrington was honored on her 85th birthday with a dinner party at the home of her son. Sheriff and Mrs. Dave Bar-rington and family last Tuesday. August 3rd. Miss Bootsy Barrington and Mrs. Martha B. Upchurch also attended. She received many nice and useful gifts.

Thacker - Moore

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Paul Thacker of Raeford announce the engage-ment of their daughter. Kimberly Sue, to Michael E. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. G.P. Moore, Jr. of Satellite Beach, Florida.

Miss Thacker is a graduate of Hoke County High School and Technical College of Alamance, at Haw River. She is currently employed as a Dental Assistant for Dr. L.M. Long, Jr., Dentistry for Children in

Burlington.
Mr. Moore is a graduate of Satellite
High and Mid-Fla. Technical,
served three years in the U.S.
Army. He is employed as an

subcontractor. An October 9 wedding is planned at Galatia Presbyterian Church.

## Miss Tucker Feted Saturday

On Saturday afternoon, July 31, Miss Terri Tucker was honored with a lingerie shower at the home of Mrs. Bill McNeill. Co-hostess for the occasion was Mrs. Bill McNeill,

Upon arrival Miss Tucker was presented a corsage of silk red roses. After the honoree opened gifts, guests were invited to the dining room table for refreshments of cake squares, nutty fingers, cheese biscuits, a chipped beef log, mints and punch. A centerpiece of fruit balls in a watermelon basket adorned the linen and lace table-

Gifts were beautifully displayed in the living room. The hostesses presented Miss Tucker with a gift of matching cross stitched pillows.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Larry Morgan of Cary, Mrs. John Clark of Griffin and Mrs. Dwight Hasty of Greensboro.

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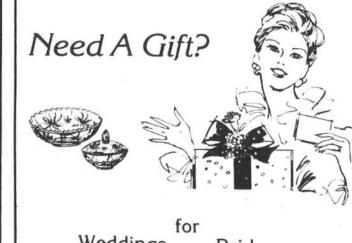
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