

## Stephens, Fontenot Wed In Wilmington

Cynthia Loraine Stephens of Castle Hayne and Kevin John Fontenot of Atlanta, Ga., were married Dec. 19 at 6:30 p.m. in Long Leaf Baptist Church, Wilmington.

The double ring, candlelight ceremony was performed by Dr. David Goodroe.

The bride is the daughter of Michael and Opal Stephens of Castle Hayne and the granddaughter of the late Manson and Mortie Smith, formerly of Ash. She is also the granddaughter of Mrs. Aline Hansford of Brunswick and the late Tilman Stephens.

The groom is the son of Dr. John Fontenot and Mrs. Barbara Fontenot of Houston, Texas.

The couple exchanged vows before a setting of red poinsettias, candlelight and Christmas greenery. The center aisle was flanked with lighted tapers, greenery and satin bows.

The bride was given in marriage

by her parents and escorted by her father. She wore a formal gown of white regal satin, with a fitted bodice of hand-beaded embroidered medallions and off-the-shoulder Elizabethan sleeves of beaded Schiffl lace and satin. The dropped basque waistline flowed into a monarch train of hand-beaded embroidered medallions.

Her headpiece was a halo of silk flowers and sprays of pearls accented with a pouf that fell into a fingertip illusion veil scattered with pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of red and white roses, button pom-poms, babies' breath, English ivy and sword ferns.

Miss Lisa Brady of Wilmington, maid of honor, wore a formal-length gown of red satin that featured a princess styling with a court neckline and leg o'mutton sleeves accented with red satin roses. She carried an arrangement of Christmas greenery

centered with a glass chimney and lighted candle.

Bridesmaids were Miss Lisa Baxley Miss Angie Williamson and Miss Sandra Williamson, all of Wilmington. Their gowns and bouquets were identical to that of the honor attendant.

Honorary bridesmaids were Miss Carol King, Mrs. Debbie Prince and Miss Joanie Edwards, all of Wilmington.

Miss Jennifer Baldwin of Wilmington was the flower girl and wore a white satin formal-length gown designed and made by her grandmother, Mrs. F.C. Metcalf. She carried a white lace basket of red and white flowers and wore a halo of flowers in her hair.

The groom's brother, Robert Fontenot of Houston, Texas, was best man. Groomsmen were Steve Russell of Wilmington, Warren Garrison of Wilmington and Steve Choplin of Yaupon Beach.

Wedding music was provided by Rev. and Mrs. Toby Frost, vocalists; Robert Hood, organist; and Steve Morgan, trumpeter.

Mrs. Katherine Godwin directed the wedding and Miss Karen Brady attended the register.

Other attendants were Miss Melissa Duncan of Whiteville, Mrs. Karen Hanson of Charlotte, Miss Melanie Sturgill, Miss Sherry Clements, Miss Bonnie Pratt, Mrs. Rose Meadows and Jack Sessoms, all of Wilmington.

The bride was graduated from E.A. Laney High School and has been associated with Clement Goodson, CPA, for five years.

The groom was graduated from Texas A & M with a degree in engineering and is a doctoral student at Georgia Tech.

After a wedding trip to the Pocono Mountains, the newlyweds are residing in Atlanta, Ga.



MRS. KEVIN JOHN FONTENOT  
... Cynthia Loraine Stephens

## Lang, Hewett Wed In Tarpon Springs

Dorinda Ione Lang and Dexter Allen Hewett were married Dec. 19, 1987, in a 1 p.m. ceremony at Bethany Temple Church of God, Tarpon Springs, Fla.

Pastor Robert E. Varnadore of Bain Bridge, Ga., performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lang of Tarpon Springs, Fla.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Hewett of Holiday, Fla., and the grandson of Ms. Eva Causey and Ms. Eunice White, both of Shallotte.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents.

She wore a formal gown of sheer polyester with a high collar of Venise lace with Esprit illusion yoke front and back and French pouf sleeves of Chantilly lace. The skirt was of lace over polyester sheer, with a cathedral train accented with scattered pearls.

Her waltz-length two-tiered veil with rolled edge was attached to a cap of Aliencon lace trimmed with pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of red and white silk roses with fresh babies' breath.

For travel she wore an antique white satin jumpsuit.

Chris Lang was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Marlo Thomas, cousin of the bride; Jamie Ramsey, cousin of the groom and Pam Hewett, the groom's sister. Faith Thomas, cousin of the bride, was junior bridesmaid, and Tara Compton, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore dresses of bright red fantanza, with ruffled rear bustle falling into a chapel-length train. The maid of



MR. AND MRS. DEXTER ALLEN HEWETT  
... Dorinda Ione Lang

honor carried a half-dozen silk roses accented with fresh babies' breath, while the bridesmaids each carried three silk roses with babies' breath. They wore red and white combs in their hair featuring a single flower with pearl sprays. The flower girl carried a white wicker basket of red and white rose petals, trimmed with red ribbons.

The groom chose his father as best man.

The groom wore a White Heat tuxedo with a white rose boutonniere.

Groomsmen were Toby Winwright and Rodger Fletcher, friends of the groom, and Jim Lang, brother of the bride. Tim Swaford was junior groomsman; Ricky Compton, cousin

of the bride, was ringbearer; and ushers were Jay Morehouse and Andy Lang, a cousin of the bride.

Groomsmen and ushers also wore the White Heat tuxedo, accented with red cummerbunds and red rose boutonnieres.

An arched candelabra and two seven-branch candlebras decorated with red and white roses, babies' breath, fern and red ribbons decorated the sanctuary. Red bows with flower sprays accented pews and windows.

Wedding music included "Hymn," by Vangelis, "Theme From Ice Castles," and "Through the Eyes of Love."

Following the ceremony, a recep-

tion was held at St. Nicholas Greek Cathedral Hall.

Following a honeymoon near Americola Falls in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Georgia, the newlyweds are residing at 184 Fulton Street, Tarpon Springs, Fla.

The bride will graduate this month from Tarpon Springs High School. The groom was graduated in 1984 from Pinellas Vocational Technical Institute. He is captain of a family-owned shrimp boat, "The Pollyanna."

## Son Born To Meares

Teresa Ann and Rev. William Meares of Shallotte have announced the birth of a son, Joshua Meares, on Dec. 25 in The Brunswick Hospital.

Born at 10:20 p.m. and weighing in at six pounds, 10 ounces, he was the only baby born at the hospital on Christmas Day.

He joins a sister, Melinda, 5.

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