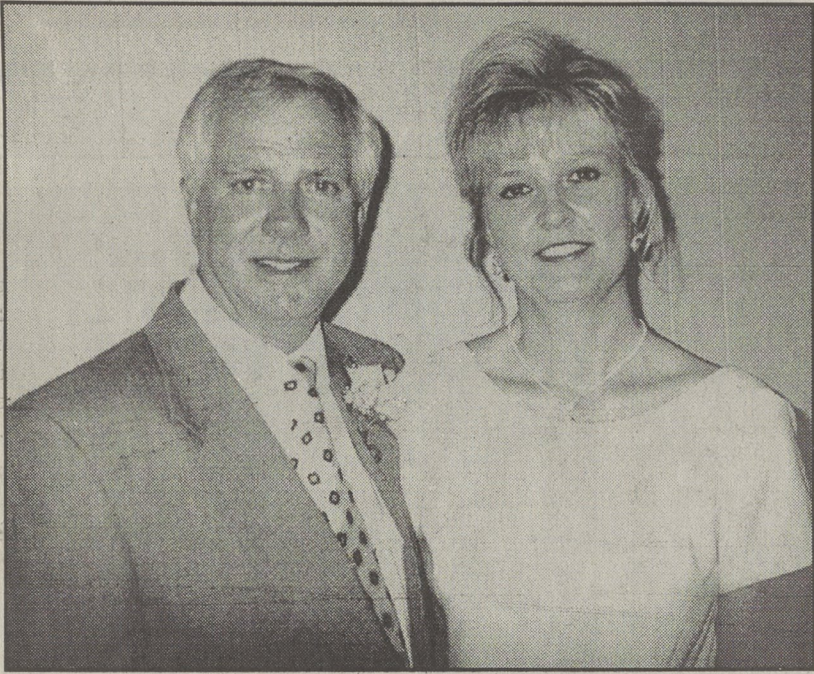


Wedding



MR. AND MRS. EDDIE L. MOTON
(Pamela P. Lee)

Lee-Moton

Pamela P. Lee of Gastonia and Eddie L. Moton of Lake Wylie, SC were married June 8 in a private ceremony at the home of the bridegroom.

The Rev. A. A. Bailey officiated the 2 p.m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Bobbie and Clyde Price of Gastonia. She is employed by the Kings Mountain School District.

The bridegroom, son of the late George Moton and of Mildred Moton of Gastonia, is employed by Preferred Finishing of Blacksburg, SC.

After the ceremony a reception was hosted by the bride and bridegroom.

Following a trip to Florida the newlyweds reside at Lake Wylie.

Pre-nuptial parties honor Amanda Hambricht

Pre-nuptial parties honored Amanda Hambricht, whose wedding to Danny Houser took place Saturday.

Debbie Heavner, Marci Houser and Judy Houser entertained April 14 at Reeps Grove Methodist Church in Vale at a miscellaneous bridal shower. The bride-elect was presented a corsage of miniature carnations. The 34 guests showered her with gifts.

The fellowship hall was decorated with flowers and candles in the bridal motif of fuchsia and white.

Jeanette Childers, Cindy Mixter, Beth Allen and Olivia Mayhew honored Miss Hambricht at a drop-in shower May 5 in the Parlor of First Baptist Church in Kings Mountain. The bride-elect and her mother, Mary Hambricht, received miniature carnation corsages and the bride-elect received gifts from 30 guests.

The bridal colors of fuchsia and white featured the decorative details.

On May 14 the bride-to-be was honored at a surprise shower by her 7th Period Language Arts Class at West Lincoln Middle School. The room was decorated with bridal

banners and balloons. A corsage of daisies was presented to Miss Hambricht along with an assortment of gifts.

Jeffrey Thomas, a student, entertained the class by singing the solo, "Wind Beneath My Wings." Party refreshments were served.

Kim Eagle and Eleanor Scism honored Miss Hambricht at a lingerie shower May 24 at the Scism home on Oak Grove Road. A lasagna dinner was served to 13 guests. The tables were decorated with candles and floral arrangements.

A bridal luncheon May 21 at Satterfields was hosted by the bride-elect's mother, Ms. Gary Hambricht. Miss Hambricht took the occasion to present gifts of jewelry to her bridal attendants. She presented her flower girl, Chelsea Buchanan, with a bride Barbie.

The faculty and staff at West Lincoln Middle School honored the bride-to-be at a brunch June 11. Picnic tables were covered with blue plaid tablecloths and decorated with greenery, pearls and ribbons. The bride-elect was presented a novelty corsage of cooking utensils. She received a variety of household gifts from the faculty and staff.

PEPPERS

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The bridegroom's father was best man.

Groomsmen were Ronnie Yarbro, Rusty McAbee, Richard Campbell, Jim Smith, Shane Sessoms, Kevin Parker and Shane Crocker, all of Kings Mountain. Tommy Payne of Grover, Lee Jay Mauney of Shelby and Eric Chickanosky of Harrisburg.

Kenneth and Angie Babb were register attendants and distributed programs. Linda Carpenter directed the wedding.

The bride's parents entertained after the ceremony at a reception in the church fellowship building. Kenneth and Angie Babb and Gerald Lovelace greeted guests. Betty Falls cut and served the wedding cake and Sonya Lovelace served punch.

Jewell Peppers, the bridegroom's mother, hosted the rehearsal dinner June 7 at David Baptist Church fellowship building.

The bride is the daughter of Don and Denise Sessoms of Kings Mountain and granddaughter of Walter E. and Joyce Babb and Betty Sessoms, all of Kings Mountain, and the great-granddaughter of Eunice Lovelace and the late Zeno Lovelace and Anis Babb and the late Cora Hartsoe, all of Kings Mountain. She is a 1993 graduate of Kings Mountain High School and a 1996 graduate of Gaston College. She is employed by New Hope Family Medicine in Gastonia.

The bridegroom is the son of Gerald Peppers and Jewell Peppers, both of Kings Mountain, and the grandson of Thomas and Hathleen Peppers of Caroleen, the late Mrs. Jessie Hord Camp, the late James R. Hord and the late Charles F. Camp, all of Shelby. A 1992 graduate of Kings Mountain High School, he attended Western Carolina University. He is employed by McKinney-Chrysler-Plymouth in Belmont.

The newlyweds have returned from a wedding trip to Gatlinburg, Tn. and are residing in Grover.

HOUSER

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Chelsea Buchanan was flower girl and Andy Allen was ring-bearer.

The bridegroom's father was best man.

Ushers were Tim Houser, Shane Heavner and Michael Cabiness, all of Vale, and Jeremy Hefner of Hickory.

The bride's parents entertained after the ceremony at a reception in the church fellowship hall.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal party Friday night at Carolina Country Barbecue in Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hambricht of Kings Mountain are parents of the bride. A graduate of Kings Mountain High School and Appalachian State University, she is a teacher in the Lincoln County Schools.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Houser of Vale. A graduate of West Lincoln High School, he is employed by McReary Modern Inc. in Newton.



This WEEK

WORSHIP GOD

VOLUME



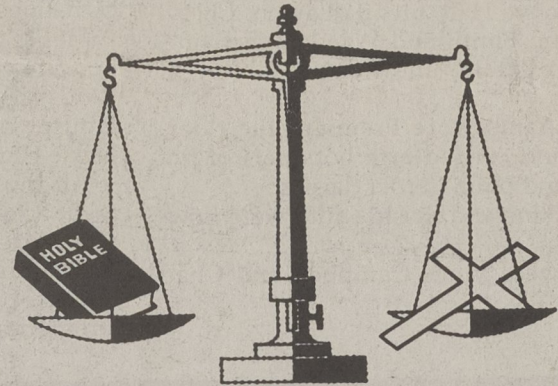
VS. VALUE

The story surfaces often in the business world. Two brothers entered the watermelon business. They bought a truck and loaded it with watermelons. They paid \$1.00 each for the melons, drove into the city, and sold the melons for \$1.00 each.

Business was booming, but they finally discovered they were making no profit. They had a meeting and decided the solution to their profit problem was to buy a bigger truck!

They were guided more by passion for the product than wisdom of profit. Often the passion to produce - to succeed at whatever cost - blinds us to the reality that life is not measured by VOLUME but by VALUE; that profit in life cannot be measured by what is gained, but by what is paid and what is lost in the process.

Jesus said it centuries ago: "What does it profit a man if he should gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?" (Matt 16:26). He indicated that volume is not a criterion for success. Even the volume of gaining the whole world is too small a gain to pay one's soul for.



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