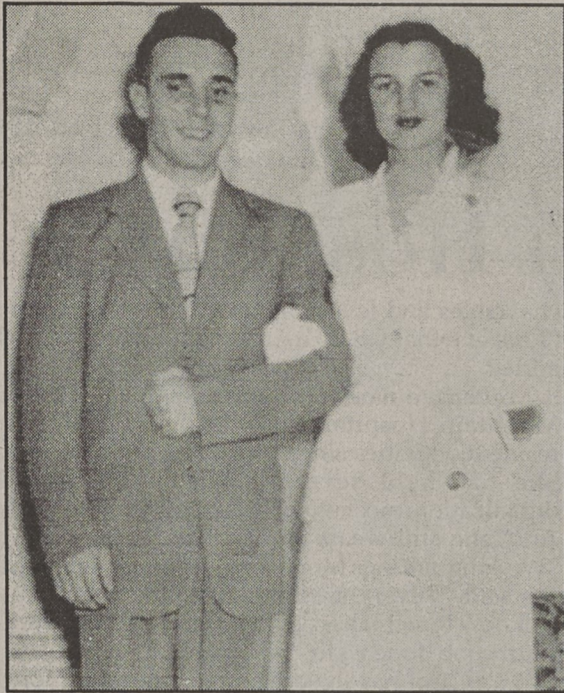


ANNIVERSARY

WEDDINGS



PEARSONS ON WEDDING DAY



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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearson honored on 50th anniversary

MR. AND MRS. ROY PEARSON SR., ...celebrate Golden Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Léon Pearson Sr. celebrated their Golden Wedding Day Sunday at an anniversary party hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. "Butch" Pearson Jr., of Kings Mountain, their sons, Isaac Watson Pearson and John Ray "Jack" Pearson, and Linda and Billy King and their sons, Billy Jr. and Brian Pearson King of Wilmington, hosted the reception at the Kings Mountain home of the Butch Pearsons.

Assisting in receiving and serving refreshments were Shirley Mayes, Libby Hawkins, Debbie Mauney, Mary Whisnor and Charlie Miller. The reception helpers were also present for the Pearsons 25th wedding anniversary party.

Debbie Mauney, who decorated the Pearson home as a gift to the honored couple, centered the dining room table with an arrangement of 50 pastel-colored roses. The anniversary cake, topped with a bride and groom figurine intertwined in double wedding rings, was cut and served by Mrs. Mauney. Libby Hawkins served punch in the family room.

Yellow and green featured the decorative motif. Family pictures and memorabilia were conversation pieces throughout the house.

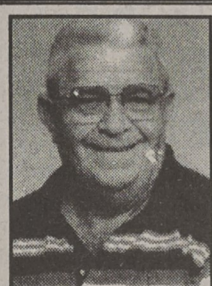
Elvia Smith and Roy Pearson started dating over 50 years ago when they were introduced at a youth fellowship meeting at Grace United Methodist Church. Kings Mountain natives, they were educated at Kings Mountain High School and have long been active in community life. They married August 12, 1949 in a ceremony officiated by Rev. C. B. Bobbitt at Macedonia Baptist Church parsonage. Their attendants were D. C. and Faye Caldwell Payseur and the Rev. "Poochie" Shytle.

Pearson is a retired recreation director for the City of Kings Mountain. Mrs. Pearson is retired from the Cleveland County Department of Social Services. They are members of First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Pearson is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith. She has one brother, Clyde Smith of Columbia, SC.

Mr. Pearson is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pearson. He has two brothers, Olland and Flay Pearson, both of Kings Mountain; and one sister, Roberta Cobb of Detroit, Michigan.

Seventy friends and family members attended the 2-4 p.m. reception.



Marshall "Coot" Camp

It will be a year August 29 that we lost you. Never forgot and never will be. You are still a big part of each of us and in our homes. As the pictures sit or hang on the wall and always in our hearts, We know you are with us.

As Candi said and still does, the doctor couldn't make Papa better so, the Angels took him to Heaven, so he can get better. But, He knows what we are doing bad or good, so we better be good.

You were a good Husband, Father, Father-in-Law, Grandfather and Great Grandfather. We all love you and miss you. Especially your wife, daughters and sons.

Doris, Kelly, Eddie, Misty, Joel, Candi, Cody, Brandon and the rest of the family.



KIMBERLY DIANE ROPER-GADDY
TIMOTHY ALBERT GADDY

Roper-Gaddy

Kimberly Diane Roper and Timothy Albert Gaddy were married on July 27, 1999, at the VanLandingham Estate in Charlotte with the Reverend Patrick Maloy officiating.

A rehearsal dinner was given at the bride and groom's home by the groom's father, Danny Gaddy.

The bride wore a white gown by Carolyn Shepard Design Group. Her bouquet included Nosegay of 30 Virginia roses.

The bride's wedding party included Autumn Sarah Roper, the bride's daughter, as the matron of honor; and Whitney Roper and Brittney Gaddy of Kings Mountain and Lora Price of Belmont as bridesmaids. They wore black gowns and carried bouquets of Nosegay of bright mixed flowers.

The groom's wedding party included Timothy Gaddy, the groom's son, as best man; and Troy Roper, Robby Gaddy, and Jack Jackson, all of Kings Mountain, as ushers.

They spent their honeymoon in Asheville at the Grove Park Inn.

Kimberly Roper-Gaddy of Grover, NC is the daughter of Donald and Carolyn R. Whetstone of Grover. Timothy Albert Gaddy of Kings Mountain is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gaddy of Grover.

The couple will reside in Kings Mountain.



MR. AND MRS. BRYAN KISER
(Jane Annis Campbell)

Campbell-Kiser

Jane Annis Campbell of Kings Mountain, daughter of Clarence Jennings Campbell and the late Matoka Lee Campbell, married Bryan Clay Kiser of Shelby on June 28 in Montego Bay, Jamaica.

The ceremony took place on the beach of Breezes resort and was performed in the Parish of Saint James by Ambrose Hind, marriage officer of the island of Jamaica.

The witnesses were Jamaican and dressed in Jamaican attire. Alecia Chiahholm attended the bride, and Emery Scott was the groom's attendant.

The bride wore a white ball gown in satin and lace. It was fashioned with a portrait collar neckline, basque waist and long sheer sleeves accented with schiffli lace, pearls and sequins. The bodice was trimmed with schiffli lace, pearls and sequins. The skirt flows into an extended chapel-length train with scalloped schiffli lace hem. The back is finished with a peplum of tulle and adorned with the scallop schiffli lace. She wore a pearl cluster tiara with a two tier elbow-length veil with scattered pearls and her bouquet was made of tropical flowers with colors of pink and crimson red.

The groom, son of Wilbur Clay Kiser and the late Mabel Deck Kiser, wore a Lord West New York notch full dress black tuxedo with a white vest.

The couple had an outdoor wedding reception July 17 at the Kiser home located on Moss Lake, Shelby. Students of Miss Campbell performed specially choreographed dances to "Amazing Grace" and "Arms of an Angel." The music was provided by Ron Feemster who played a variety of music on his keyboard, including Jamaican, Top 40, classical, love songs, jazz and hymns.

The bride has owned and operated Jane Campbell Dance Academy since 1980. She has a B.S. Degree in Dance Education from UNC-Greensboro. She also is co-owner and manager of All-American Fitness in Kings Mountain.

The groom is a lifelong resident of Shelby. He has an Education Degree from Gardner-Webb University in Boiling Springs and has been teaching 12 years in the Kings Mountain School System.



MRS. BRIAN LUTHER WARE
(Brandi Nicole Rogers)

Rogers-Ware

Brandi Nicole Rogers and Brian Luther Ware were married May 8, 1999, at the Bonclarken Chapel in Flat Rock, NC with the Reverend Rob Fuquay of Long's Chapel in Lake Junaluska, NC officiating.

A rehearsal dinner was at the Bonclarken Chapel grounds Dining Hall by Melvin and Janet Ware. A reception was given at the Bonclarken Chapel grounds by Paula Cobb, Tammy Bridges, and Karen and Marcia Brinkley.

The bride wore a white off the shoulder organza dress with open neckline and short sleeves. The gown had appliques of alencon beaded lace scattered throughout the skirt and royal cathedral train. She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses accented with yellow sweetheart roses.

The bride's wedding party included Maureen Nolte of Toronto, CAN as her maid of honor; Jaya Amar of Reidsville, NC, Susan Anderson of Barnwell, SC, Janet Ritter of Houston, TX, Michelle Strickland of Shelby, NC, Rhonda Wesson of Shelby, NC and Julie Gantt of Rock Hill, SC as bridesmaids.

The bridesmaids wore a tea-length navy georgette dress with scoop neckline and short sleeves. They carried bouquets of wildflowers accented with yellow sweetheart roses hand tied with a white bow.

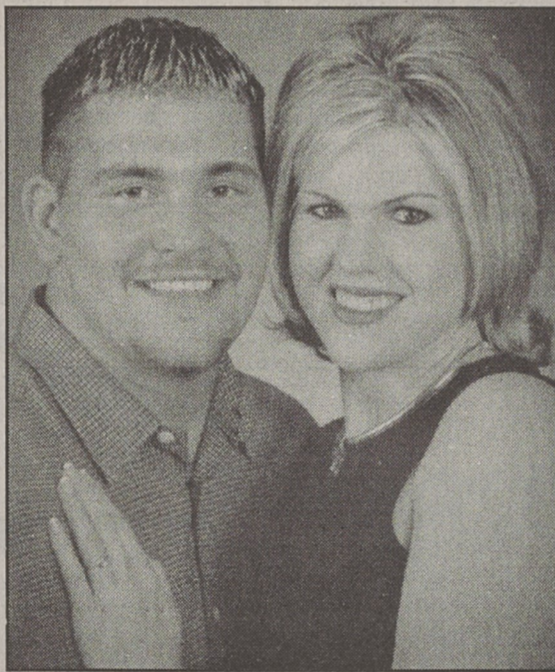
The groom's wedding party included Melvin Ware, the groom's father as best man; Mark Hardin of Smyrna, SC, Charlie Bridges of Jacksonville, NC, Tracey Rogers of Starkville, MS, Kenneth Ware of Raleigh, NC, Kale Anderson of Barnwell, SC and Mark Dodd of Mt. Carmel, TN.

Brandi Nicole Rogers of Mt. Holly, is the daughter of Ronnie and Susan Rogers of Canton. She is a 1992 graduate of Pisgah High School in Canton. She also a 1996 MIS graduate from Gardner-Webb University.

Brian Luther Ware of Shelby, is the son of Melvin and Janet Ware of Blacksburg, SC. He is a 1988 graduate of Blacksburg High School. He also graduated in 1992 from Erskine College and a 1996 MBA graduate of Gardner-Webb University.

The couple went to Savannah, GA for their honeymoon. They will reside in Kings Mountain.

ENGAGEMENT



Kimberly Lynn Mosteller
Christopher Breil Carrigan

Mosteller-Carrigan

Kimberly Lynn Mosteller is engaged to Christopher Breil Carrigan with an approaching wedding set for October 2, 1999.

Kimberly Lynn Mosteller of Lincolnton, is the daughter of Tom and Patsy Mosteller of Lincolnton. She attended Gaston College and is a hairstylist at Nu-Image in Lincolnton.

Christopher Breil Carrigan of Kings Mountain, is the son of Gerald and Brenda Carrigan of Kings Mountain. He is a plumber at Dellinger Plumbing.

Conner-Payseur vows exchanged

Donald Payseur of Shelby and Linda C. Conner of Kings Mountain were married Saturday, August 14.

The bride is the daughter of James Costner and Aleen Ware of Kings Mountain.

Deadlines

Deadlines for all social news, including weddings engagements, birthdays, anniversaries, club news, community news, business news, feature stories, and church news, is 12 noon Monday. Items received after that time will run in other parts of the paper if time and space permit; if not they will be withheld until the following week.



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