

Miss Smith Is Mrs. Hallman

Miss Sheila LuAnn Smith became the bride of Patrick Neil Hallman Sunday, June 25 at 3:00 p.m. at Second Baptist Church.

The couple pledged vows of the double-ring ceremony before the Rev. Eugene Land. Lavenia Saunders was organist for the program of nup-

tial music. Mrs. Larry Hallman presented the vocal selections.

The church was beautifully decorated with three candel-

brums, ferns and greenery. A Prayer Bench was also used. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Roger Greason. She wore a full-length gown of peau-de-soie, fashioned with an empire waist. Lace-covered sleeves and bodice with appliques on the front finished the gown. Her long veil, trimmed with lace and flower appliques was attached to a matching headpiece. The dress was made by the bride. She carried a white Bible topped with daisies and yellow mums with white streamers.

Mrs. Pat Greason, the bride's aunt, attended the bride as matron of honor, Miss Wanda Ford, cousin of the bride served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Judy Greason, aunt of the bride; Jean Turner of Grover, N.C.; Charlotte Burns of Kings Mountain; and Jill McAllister of Lincolnton, N.C.

All attendants wore formal dresses of yellow bridal satin, overlaid with floral sheer dotted swiss with an empire waist. Yellow mums were carried by each attendant. Stephanie Moss and Franklin Brackett, Jr. served as flower girl and ring bearer.

Gordon Wayne Hallman and Larry Reeves Hallman served as the groom's best men.

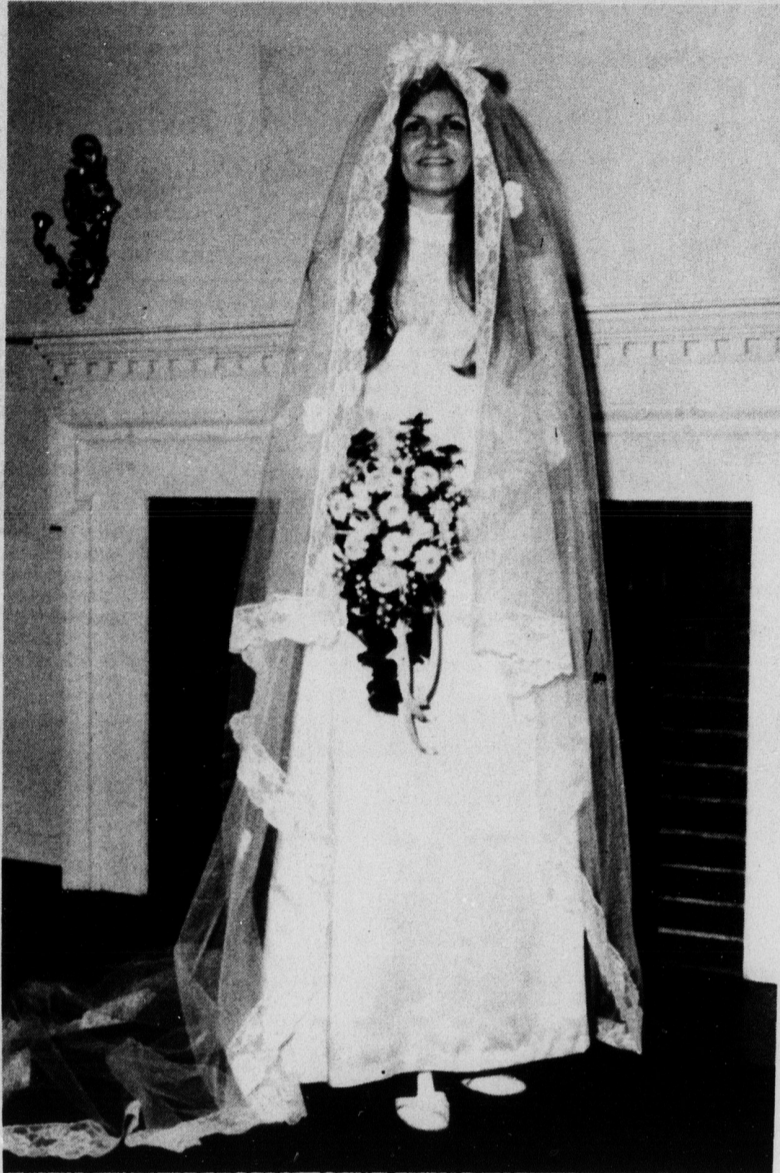
Groomsmen were Alan Wise, Charles Tipton and Kim Leonard, all of Lincolnton; and Ken Greason of Kings Mountain.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of Second Baptist Church. Mrs. Sarah Hallman, mother of the groom was hostess.

For a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S.C. the bride wore a baby-blue polyester dress with a matching jacket trimmed in white. When they return the couple will reside in Gastonia at 525 Harvic Avenue.

Mrs. Louise Greason Smith is the mother of the bride. She is a 1972 graduate of Kings Mountain High School and is presently employed as a secretary at Norris Supply and Mch. Co., Gastonia, N.C.

The mother of the groom is Mrs. Sarah Hallman. He graduated from Lincolnton High School and is now attending Gaston College. He is studying Computer Programming.



MRS. PATRICK NEIL HALLMAN

Kathy Rhea Weds Bumgardner

Miss Kathy Lynn Rhea and Robert Lane Bumgardner pledged vows before Dr. Paul K. Ausley at a 3 p.m. wedding, June 25. The double-ring ceremony took place at the 1st Presbyterian Church, Kings Mountain.

Organist for the program of nuptial music was Mrs. Darrel Austin. The Theme from Love Story was sung by Miss Debbie Burns, and Miss Judy Rayfield sang "Wedding Prayer" for the benediction.

The bride wore a formal gown of imported brocade with venise lace. The 3-tiered sleeves were satin over brocade and organze. Her full-length veil of bridal illusion was covered with venise lace and pearls.

Mrs. Jackie Crawford, college roommate of the bride attended her as matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Miss Trisha Robertson, Weaverville; Mrs. Scottie Walker, cousin of the bride, Kings Mountain; Mrs. Paul Reynolds, sister of the bridegroom; Debbie Ramsey, Seneca, S.C.; and Mrs. Chuck Ross, Kings Mountain.

The bridesmaids dresses were floor length dresses of petal pink dotted swiss posed over pink taffeta. They were styled in an empire silhouette with a deep scooped neckline and short sleeves. Venise lace trimmed the neckline and short sleeves. Venise lace insertion threaded with pin satin ribbon extended from the neckline down each side of the A-line skirt and finished with a front bow of satin ribbon. Each attendant wore a large white picture hat.

Barbara Rhea, sister of the bride, served as junior bridesmaid. The flower girl was a cousin of the bride, Lee Anne Sanders. Bradley Reynolds was ring bearer.

Ushers for the wedding ceremony were Paul Reynolds, Chuck Ross, David Goode, Jackie Crawford, Gary Wall and David Rhea.

Mrs. Bill Sellers, aunt of the bride, kept the register. Mrs. Chuck Ballew directed the wedding.

Human nature encourages individuals to find an excuse for what they happen to desire.

The human race will be greatly improved when individuals attend to the task of improving themselves.

The bridal party formed a receiving line in the chapel of the church to greet wedding guests after the ceremony.

For a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S.C., the bride wore a navy and white dress and the corsage from her bridal bou-

quet. When they return they will make their home at the Shamrock Garden Apartments in Charlotte, N.C.



MRS. ROBERT LANE BUMGARDNER

Discovering A Meaningful Faith

Sunday School Lesson

Pursuing our topic for today, our studies lie in the well-known, well-read Book of Job. Calamity seemed to pursue the good and faithful Job--troubles which would have broken the faith of a lesser man; instead, Job's faith became strengthened immeasurably. A non-Hebrew, Job was an ardent believer in God Wealthy, and the father of a large family, he had--in the vernacular of the present day--

"everything going for him."

Satan, however, dared God to let him test this devoted follower, and, so sure of Job's faith was God, that He permitted him to be put to the severest tests--tests that would have broken the faith of lesser men. Job lost his wealth, and his family. The only one that remained was his wife; but she (when Job was finally stricken with a dread disease) finally turned on him...crying that he might as well "curse God and

die."

It was a common belief in Job's day and time that those who suffered misfortune were being punished for some sin. This was the attitude taken by some of Job's friends, but Job stoutly maintained he had done nothing to bring his troubles on his hapless head. He felt that if he could but confront God, they could talk things out and reach a satisfactory con-

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Hawkins - Belt Pledge Vows

Mrs. Diane Harris Hawkins and Richard Dewayn Belt pledged their wedding vows at 3:00 p.m. Sunday at Faith Baptist Church, Kings Mountain. The Rev. Robert Hicklin officiated. Miss Judy Dellinger was organist and Mrs. Rob-

ert Hicklin, vocalist, presented a program of wedding music. Mrs. Hicklin sang "Oh Promise," "Sweetest Story Ever Told," and "The Wedding Prayer."

Richard Belt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bile Belt and is employed as a policeman for the city of Kings Mountain. After a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S. C., the couple will be at home at 309 Scot-

fin Drug. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jim Belt and Mrs. Wayne Parrish both of Kings Mountain; Mrs. Genell Early of Ban Wert, Ohio; Mrs. Billy Belt of Dallas, N.C. Junior bridesmaids were Miss Sharon Hawkins of Kings



MRS. RICHARD DEWAYN BELT

land Drive, Kings Mountain. Mrs. James Rushing directed the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rushing and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges and Kenny entertained the wedding party of Hawkins - Belt Friday night at a cookout at the Belt home on 309 Scotland Drive. Hot dogs and colas were served with all the trimming. The hostesses presented the couple with a miniature wedding cake tipped with a miniature bride and groom. Present for the outing were members of the wedding party and their families; Mr. and Mrs. James Rushing, Jan and Joanna; Richard Belt; Diane Hawkins and Chip; Mr.

and Mrs. Carl Bridges, Kenny and Carla; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Belt, and Aaron; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Harris, Jeff and Randy; Rev. and Mrs. Bob Hicklin; Mrs. Bill Belt and Pam; Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, and Michelle; Mrs. Genell Early; Mrs. David Lowery; Mrs. Wayne Parrish; Mrs. Bill Hawkins, Sharon, Beth and Craig.

The cake cutting was held at the Church Pastorium Saturday night honoring Mrs. Diane Hawkins and Richard Dewayn Belt.

The wedding cake was made by Mrs. James Rushing. There were 2 wedding cakes. One was accented by a bride with her attendants on it. It had yellow roses. The other had 4 wedding bells and yellow roses. The cakes were 6 tiers each.

Green punch, mints and nuts were served on a table covered with lace cloth over green satin.

Cake was cut and served by Mrs. James Hamrick. Punch was served by Mrs. Roger Austin, assisted by Mrs. J.F. White and Mrs. Hicklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Harris greeted the guests. Miss Hawkins wore a mint green party dress designed from a short form of her wedding dress with pearl trim around the neck and bow. This was also designed by Mrs. Joyce Bridges.

Club Women Make Toys

By JANICE CHRISTENSEN

One hundred stuffed animals will mean 100 smiling children at Caswell Center in Kinston.

The stuffed animals, including lions, turtles, frogs, dogs, kittens, rabbits and alligators, were made by 20 members of the West Edgecombe Extension Homemakers Club.

Each lady donated scrap materials for the bodies. Eyes, noses and mouths were hand embroidered. Touches of lace, yarn and trims were used for eyelashes, hair and other features.

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