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Suzanne Pasternak with CJOH host Bill Luxton.



Harry Pasternak with CJOH hostess Linda Felge.

County couple stars of television series

PICTON - Unique and simple solutions to common household problems will be discussed in a TV mini series featuring a Prince Edward County couple - Harry and Suzanne Pasternak of the Thousand Island Institute.

The series, consisting of eight segments, started Monday and will continue daily at 9:30 a.m. on the CJOH television program Life and Time. The segments deal with track lighting, do-it-yourself plumbing, repairs to brick veneer walls and how to have a continual, hot shower.

The Pasternaks say they conceived the series to fill the need for information of a practical kind for homeowners.

"A home is the largest single investment you will make in a lifetime," says the couple.

"There are many methods and materials that will give you high

quality, while saving on installation and usage costs. The problem is finding out about them in Canada."

The Pasternaks say they are continually comparing building methods and materials for their "Knack of Home Construction", - a course for persons who want to build or renovate their own homes, and are "appalled" at what most contractors produce.

"The homeowners' lack of knowledge leaves them open to shoddy work and exorbitant charges."

The couple hopes that their contribution, through the TV series, will not only help homeowners in the specific areas discussed, but will also stimulate them to seek other solutions and ask questions before contracting for work in their home.