

WEDDING BELLS



MCARTHUR - VIRTUE

A lovely wedding was solemnized in the Tolmie Presbyterian Church, Port Elgin, on Saturday evening, August 25th, 1973, when Rev. Calvin Sturdy, pastor of the North Bruce United Brethren Church, heard the vows of Janice Arlene Virtue and Harvey Alwyn McArthur.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arley Virtue, of Port Elgin, given in marriage by her father, looked lovely in a long gown of white organza over Peau-de-soie. It had lace panels highlighted with sequins, a sheer neckline, and sleeves trimmed with matching lace. The lace also enhanced the train and chapel veil. Her bouquet was of red roses, daisies and baby's breath.

The Maid of Honor, Miss Heather McCannel, of Port Elgin, wore a dress in a lovely shade of orange ice, fashioned with a shawl of nylon swiss dot over the backless top. Miss McCannel carried a crocheted basket of golden yellow mums and ivy.

The bridesmaids, who were gowned the same as the Maid of Honor, were Miss Patsy Pete of Southampton, Miss Ann McArthur of Port Elgin and Mrs. Linda Nason, of Toronto, a sister of the bride.

The flower girls, wearing dresses of the Nylon Swiss Net in the Orange Ice shade, were Miss Michelle McArthur, Miss Heather McArthur both of Mount Forest and Miss Jody and Tracy Virtue of Port Elgin. They, too, carried little crocheted baskets of mums and ivy.

The baskets were made by the mother of the groom.

The groom, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Murray McArthur, of R. R. 1 Holstein, Ontario, was attended by Mr. Allan Dodds, of Holstein, as Best Man and his ushers were Donald Virtue, of Toronto, a brother of the bride; Robert McArthur, Mount Forest, brother of the groom and Lyle Virtue, Tiverton, Cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Albert doll was at the organ in the church which was beautifully decorated with candelabra and baskets of bronze and yellow mums and accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Robert McDonnell, of Allenford.

At a reception in the Royal Canadian Legion Hall, the bride's mother received the guests gowned in mint green crimplene, trimmed with silver beading. With this she wore silver accessories and a corsage of yellow carnations.

She was assisted by the groom's mother, who chose a gown of pink crimplene and white carnation corsage and accessories.

For their going-away outfits the bride and groom wore matching McArthur tartan slacks and yellow shirts. They will reside at 1850 Victoria Park Avenue, Scarborough when they return from their trip to Washington and South Carolina.

Out of town guests were from Regina, Toronto, Mount Forest, Owen Sound, Hanover, Tara, Kingston and Ohio.

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EAGLESON - LAMONT
Wedding of Interest

Baskets of pink gladioli and white mums decorated Tolmie Memorial Presbyterian Church for the August 24th wedding of Doris Elizabeth Lamont and Franklin Gordon Eagleson.

Rev. D. MacDonald officiated at the ceremony, Mrs. Evelyn Doll played the wedding music and Mr. Harry Hoffman of Dashwood was soloist.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lamont, R. R. 5, Paisley, Ontario. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Eagleson, Southampton, Ont.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a snow white crystallite mori-lee gown, which featured long full sleeves with a fringe around the cuff and also on the neckline. A row of tiny petals trimmed the neckline, also around the bodice and down the front of the dress were two rows of matching petals, accented by appliqued daisies. Her Juliet cap was trimmed with matching lace, and held a long pure silk illusion veil, which was trimmed around the edge with tiny daisies. She carried a cascade bouquet of miniature white carnations and red roses with baby's breath.

Maid of honor was Miss Betty Pette. Bridesmaids were Misses Connie Steeper, Cathy Stevens, Sheryl Wark, Darlene Lamont and Ann Eagleson. They were identically gowned in a pretty violet shade of print sheer polyester organza, featuring a stand-up collar emphasized with a sheer bosom yoke of orchid nylon,

all outlined in white swiss daisies. Sleeves were short and ultra puffed, also in sheer nylon with white lace daisies on cuffs. An orchid velvet tie accented the empire waist. They wore mauve floppy brimmed hats.

The mother of the bride wore a long mint green polyester suede gown, accented with mint green beading, and complemented with matching shoes. Her corsage was a bronze orchid.

The groom's mother wore a powder blue polyester satin gown with matching shoes and a yellow orchid corsage.

Paul Eagleson, brother of the groom was best man, with Wayne Morrow, Wayne Lamont and John Eagleson ushering guests. Robert and Gary Lamont, lit the church candles. The male party wore grey tuxedo coats with striped pants.

The wedding dinner was held in the church basement, and a dance followed held at the Port Elgin Casino. During the smorgasbord intermission, Byron and Roderick McGillivray, cousins of the bride provided bagpipe music.

For a wedding trip, the bride and groom went to Pocono Mountains, Pennsylvania.

Upon returning from their honeymoon, they took up residence on the 6th of Saugeen.

Out of town guests came from Windsor, Paisley, Brampton, Hamilton, Tiverton, Toronto, Ottawa, Dashwood, Parkhill, Exeter, London and Guelph.

NASON - VIRTUE

To reside in Willowdale

Baskets of spring flowers, arrangements of mums and ferns enhanced by candelabra formed the setting at North Bruce United Brethren Church for the marriage on May 12th, 1973 of Linda Georgina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arley Virtue, R. R. 1, Port Elgin and Robert Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Nason of Willowdale. The ceremony, conducted by Rev. Calvin Sturdy was held at 4:30 p.m.

Mrs. Schlenker, Port Elgin, played the wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a floor length gown with train, of peau de soie, trimmed with lace. Her fingertip veil was held in place with a crown, trimmed with sequins. She carried a bouquet of baby's breath and mauve mums and wore pearl beads.

Mrs. Linda Martin, Huntsville, was maid of honor. Her gown was in pink flowered crimplene, and she carried a basket of mums fern and daisies.

The bridesmaids were Janice Virtue, sister of the bride, Kathy Nason, sister of the groom, and June Calaghan, a cousin of the bride. They all wore matching gowns of mauve flowered crimplene and carried baskets of fern, mums and daisies.

Two nieces of the bride, Jody and Tracy Virtue, were charming flower girls. They wore pink flowered crimplene gowns and carried baskets of flowers.

Master David Nason, a nephew of the groom was page.

Mr. Henry Martin, Toronto was groomsman. Ushers were Danny Nason, Toronto, brother of the groom; Douglas Virtue, Port Elgin, brother of the bride and Harvey McArthur, of Mount Forest.

Following the ceremony, dinner was served at the church at North Bruce and a wedding dance followed at the Royal Canadian Legion Hall, Port Elgin.

The bride's mother chose a gown of yellow polyester crepe with matching corsage, and the mother of the groom wore a pink crepe gown and a corsage to match.

For a wedding trip to Virginia, U. S. A., the bride donned a red and white plaid pant suit complemented with a white corsage.

Guests were present from Vancouver, Thompson Manitoba, Toronto, Hanover, Paisley and Hepworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Nason will make their home at 254 Connaught Ave., Willowdale.