

## Kathy Given, Kevin Hall exchange rings, vows

Standards of white gladiolas decorated St. Alban's Anglican Church on July 31 for the marriage of Kathleen (Kathy) Jane Given and Kevin Hall. The Rev. H. J. Dawson performed the double ring ceremony at four o'clock, and Mrs. Frank Oakes played the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Given, R.R. 2, Acton, and is employed at the Acton branch of the Imperial Bank of Commerce. She is a graduate of Erin high school.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, 217 McDonald Blvd., Acton is with the C.N.R. He attended Acton high school.

**Forever yours roses**  
The bride's floor length gown was of lace over satin with long lace sleeves tapering to lily points, its neckline embroidered with sequins and pearls. The full hooped skirt of alternating layers of lace and net, and lace front panel fell into a self train. Her waist length veil of tulle edged with lace was held in place by

orange blossom petals and a central tear drop pearl. Her bouquet was a trailing cascade of deep red "Forever Yours" roses and white carnations on a bed of fern.

**Four attendants**  
Maid of honor was Maggie Given, sister of the bride, and the bridesmaids were Bonnie Shortill, a friend, and Rosalind Hall, sister of the groom.

Little flower girl was Laura June Jansen, niece of the bride.

The attendants wore matching gowns of floor length floral chiffon over underskirts of pink, mauve and blue, with low neckline and short puffed sleeves. The Empire waistline was accented with a deep green velvet ribbon, the bow at the back falling into streamers the length of the dress. Each wore as a choker a cameo on matching green velvet ribbon, a gift of the bride.

The gowns were made by two of the attendants, Maggie Given and Bonnie Shortill.

**Edwardian bouquets**  
Their bouquets were Edwardian circular clusters in rows

of pink, mauve and blue carnations. A wreath of pink, mauve and blue carnations over their Victorian style hairdos completed their attire.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Allan Hall, brother of the groom, was groomsmen and the ushers were David Garrett and Steven Goy.

The men in the wedding party wore white Edwardian jackets and black trousers. The groom's boutonniere was a red rose from the bride's bouquet.

**Start dancing**  
The reception was held at Acton Meadows golf club, and the dancing began with the bride and groom dancing to "We're Only Just Begun."

The bride's mother chose a sky blue dress ensemble with white accessories and a corsage of pink sweetheart roses. The groom's mother wore yellow chiffon with yellow accessories and a corsage of yellow sweetheart roses.

The wedding cake was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. H. Brantley of Hornby.

Guests were welcomed from Toronto, Burlington,

Georgetown, Guelph and Acton. Telegrams and cards of congratulations came from England.

### Live in town

The couple left on a trip through Northern Ontario, the bride wearing a white lace outfit with red roses. They are living in the Winston Apartments, Acton.

Three miscellaneous showers were held for the bride-to-be, at the home of Mrs. E. Ryan, sister of the bride, on June 20; at the home of Miss Bonnie Shortill by the bridesmaids on July 18; and at the home of Mrs. Fred Kentner Jr., sister of the bride, on July 22.

Presentations to the couple were made by the lady members of Acton Meadows Golf Club and by the staff of the Bank of Commerce.

The bride's mother held an afternoon tea August 4 for friends to see the gifts.



SIGNING THE register at St. Alban's church are Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Hall. The bride is the former Kathy Given.—(Photo by Bill Stuckey)



EVELYNE Van den Brink and Glen Near were married in Acton United Church and are living at R.R. 2, Arthur.

## Evelyne van den Brink, Glen Near wed July 17

At four o'clock Saturday afternoon, July 17, Evelyne Elizabeth Van den Brink and Glen John Near were married in Trinity United church, Acton. The Rev. W. A. Fosbury performed the double-ring ceremony and George Elliott played the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Van den Brink, 277 Main St., Acton. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Near, 104 Mill St., Acton.

**Veil forms train**  
The bride wore a white lace dress over satin with an Empire waist and long cuffed sleeves. One tier of the three-tiered veil formed a train. She carried white orchids, red roses and white mums.

Matron of honor was Jacoba Near, sister of the bride, who wore a mauve full length dress of lace and flower patterned veil.

**Darker shade**  
Bridesmaids were Sandy Morden and Kathy McKenzie whose dresses were similar but in darker hue.

The attendants carried bouquets of pink sweetheart roses and pink mums.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Earl Near, the groom's brother was John Van den Brink, brother of the bride, and Bob Van den Sluis, a friend of the groom.

**Golf club**  
The reception was held at Acton Meadows golf club. The bride's mother received wearing a mauve dress with overdress of lace, white accessories and a corsage of yellow sweetheart roses. The groom's mother chose blue with white accessories and red sweetheart roses.

The groom's grandmother from Shelburne was a special guest, with others welcomed from Dallas, Texas, Belwood, Guelph, Listowel, Shelburne, Arthur and Acton.

The wedding cake was made for the bride by Mrs. A. Morden.

The couple left on a motor trip north, the bride wearing a light brown pant suit with corsage of orange sweetheart roses. They are living at R.R. 2, Arthur.

**Tea, showers**  
Before the wedding, Mrs. Van den Brink held a trousseau tea for her daughter on July 11.

Mrs. Lightle was hostess for a miscellaneous shower in Acton. Mrs. A. Long held a his and her shower at R.R. 1, Guelph. Mrs. Jordan and Miss McKenzie held a miscellaneous shower at the Jordan home. Another miscellaneous shower was held by Mrs. McCullough, R.R. 2, Acton.



MARIANNE Christensen and Douglas Allan were married in Knox Church and are living in Acton.

## Summer wedding in Knox church

Knox Presbyterian Church, Acton, on July 12, was the setting for a pretty summer wedding which united in marriage Marianne Christensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christensen, R.R. 2, Guelph and Douglas Grant Allan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Allan, 55 Lake Ave., Acton.

The Rev. A. H. McKenzie officiated at the double ring ceremony. The bride was attended by Dianne Macerollo of Guelph and Hans Anderson of Acton was groomsmen.

A family reception followed at the home of the bride's parents with the bride's grandmother from Denmark as a special guest. The couple honeymooned in Northern Ontario and are now living in Acton.

The bride wore a white dress over satin with an Empire waist and long cuffed sleeves. One tier of the three-tiered veil formed a train. She carried white orchids, red roses and white mums.

Matron of honor was Jacoba Near, sister of the bride, who wore a mauve full length dress of lace and flower patterned veil.

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## Tenth season for U.W. club

The Women's University Club of Milton and District will start its tenth year this fall with a Wine and Cheese Party on September 9.

The club has at present 41 members from Milton, Campbellville, Acton and Georgetown. The members meet the first Thursday of each month; guest speakers have covered a wide variety of topics from India to education, from poetry to the law.

The Chansonettes, a women's choral group led by Mrs. Judy Hunter, is sponsored by the Women's University Club. The choir has put on three successful Spring Musicales at the Ontario School for the Deaf with the proceeds going to scholarships for girls graduating from Milton, Acton, and Georgetown high schools as well as the Ontario School for the Deaf.

**Interest groups**  
Small interest groups within the club usually meet once a month. These have varied greatly over the past years and have included such topics as education, pollution, Canadian Indians, current events, investments, Great Books, art, Canadiana, and music.

Membership in the Women's University Club automatically confers membership in the Canadian Federation of University Women and the International Federation of University Women which links university women of 51 countries. The Canadian Federation of University Women, with membership of well over 10,000, is the second largest member of the International Federation of University Women.

The present executive includes the first president from Georgetown.

Any woman wishing to obtain more information about the Women's University Club is invited to contact Mrs. Kay Dills, 853-2024, and is cordially invited to attend the September 9 meeting at the home of Mrs. Liz Frame on 10 Sideroad and Highway 25.

## Acton events in booklet

Among events in Acton listed in a booklet entitled Ontario Fall Events, are the model aircraft racing September 5, the outdoor Sportsmen's Show September 4-5, Acton Fall Fair September 17-18, fishing derby September 4-5, outdoor films at the arena September 4-5 and boat races September 4-5.

All but one event -- the Fall Fair -- are actually part of the three day Sportsmen's Show slated for Acton on the Labor Day week-end.

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