



Colorado Honeymoon

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Darlene Madelyn Forrer Weds Ardell James Rocha

One of the most beautiful brides of the season was Darlene Madelyn Forrer when she became the bride of Ardell James Rocha, at St. Lawrence Martyr church, on August 10 at 11 a.m.

Darlene is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Forrer, 24224 Los Codona ave., WALTERIA, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rocha, 2022 W. 179th st.

Mr. Forrer escorted his radiant daughter to the altar, where Father Charles Ara waited to begin the marriage rites.

For her wedding the bride wore a ballerina length gown of white gossamer chiffon, over iridescent cellophane cloth. The fitted bodice had tiny cap sleeves and a series of small puffs of softly draped chiffon, formed scallops around the neckline. The extremely bouffant skirt was made up of yards and yards of chiffon, cellophane cloth and tulle. A tiny crown of seed pearls and chiffon, held the illusion veil in place, and she carried a bouquet of white orchids, stephanotis and lily of the valley.

Rita Montgomery was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were: Cynthia Jamson, Carol Phinney and Nora Irby. All wore matching grecian type gowns of lavender chiffon, with

cap sleeves and flowing ballerina length skirts. They carried lavender cradles of white carnations.

Rita Hancock was junior bridesmaid and Diane Cramm and Linda Jean Jarrett were flower girls. The frocks they wore, were white eyelet with lavender velvet ribbon inserts.

Sue Cramm, Carol Jarrett and Michele Cronk were at the guest book.

Jerry Rocha was best man and the ushers were: Ted Johns, Bobby Simmons, Manuel Maceda and David Rocha Jr. Arnold Lee Cordiero was the ring bearer.

Ralph Sigwald sang 'Ave Maria' and 'The Lord's Prayer.'

After the ceremony, 300 guests gathered in the Knights of Columbus hall for a buffet luncheon, and the dancing which followed.

Darlene is well known in this area through Darlene's Studio of Dancing, in WALTERIA.

After a honeymoon trip to Laguna Beach, the couple will reside in Redondo Beach.

Barbara Jean Shanahan Weds Michael Lee Koller

One of the loveliest weddings of the season was witnessed by approximately 300 guests at the Hawthorne Seventh-day Adventist church, Sunday, August 11, at 8 p.m., when Miss Barbara Jean Shanahan, daughter of Mrs. M. C. Shanahan, 1311 Acacia

ave., and M. S. Shanahan, National City, became the bride of Michael Lee Koller in a candle-light ceremony. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. M. Koller of South Gate.

After a medley of wedding music, Miss Gwen Case of Fresno sang "I Love You Truly" and Miss Case with Mr. H. Meissner of Torrance, sang "Through The Years." Candles were lighted by the ushers, Mel Skadshelm of Glendale and Ray Angel of Torrance. During the ceremony Mr. Meissner sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Heading the bridal entourage were the bridesmaids, Miss Elouise McKowen of Los Angeles and Mrs. M. A. Skadshelm of Glendale. Both wore ballerina gowns of blue crystalline with matching blue headpieces. They carried baskets filled with pink larkspur tied with a blue satin bow.

Miss Case was also the maid of honor. She wore a ballerina gown of pink crystalline with a pink hat similar to those worn by the bridesmaids, and carried a basket filled with blue delphinium tied with a pink satin bow.

Kathy Hamm, in pink crystalline was flower girl. Her brother, Tommy Hamm served as Bible boy. Both live in Long Beach.

Then came the lovely bride on the arm of her brother, M. H. Shanahan of Lomita. She wore a gown of imported French Chantilly lace over silk, fashioned with a sweet heart neckline and a long flowing skirt which fell into a chapel train. The fingertip veil of silk illusion was secured by a lace shell pillbox studded with pearls, and she carried a white orchid wedding bouquet.

Raymond Koller, brother of the groom served as best man. G. L. Goffar, pastor of the Torrance Seventh-day Adventist

church officiated at the ceremony and Miss Elise Thorson of Gardena registered the guests.

A reception followed at the Torrance Seventh-day Adventist church. Mrs. R. J. Peyton of Palos Verdes served as hostess.

The couple left for a honeymoon at Boulder, Colorado. Points of interest will be visited along the way.

The bride graduated from Torrance high school in 1954 and attended La Sierra college, Arlington. The bridegroom was graduated from South Gate high school and graduated from the California College of Mortuary Science this past June.

The newlyweds will establish their home in Torrance.

Playground Will Close

The Torrance Recreation department announces that the Howard Wood School playground will be closed as of August 16, 1957.

The closing of the playground is due to a changing and shifting of personnel duties and requirements.

PHI DELTA KAPPA PICKS DUNWORTH

John Dunworth, 2460 Torrance blvd., elementary principal, was initiated into Phi Delta Kappa, national education fraternity, in recent ceremonies at the University of Southern California.

He is currently working on his Doctor of Education degree at SC.



Wed in St. Lawrence Martyr Church

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'Starlight Evening' Theme Of Temple Cocktail Party

Renewing old friendships and making new ones will be the aim of Temple Menorah's annual Starlight Evening cocktail party at the temple, 112 N. Catalina, Redondo Beach, from 7 to 9 p.m., Saturday, August 24.

The party, being planned by the membership committee of the temple under the chairmanship of Dr. J. Bernard Rivo, is open to all prospective members in the area as well as the general membership.

Dr. Rivo expresses the hope that the temple will reach its goal of 100 new members this year and that all interested persons will attend this kick-off affair.

The evening will also serve to introduce Rabbi and Mrs. Henri E. Front, new full-time spiritual leader of the temple, to the Jewish population of the South Bay.

A blue and white color scheme will prevail, featuring decorative chandeliers and stars on the walls. Buffet tables will be set with plates of hors d'oeuvres and punch will fill cut-glass bowls.

Mrs. Rube Drabin is general chairman of the event. Assisting her are Mmes. M. Wald, Phil Weinstein, Jerry Yablonka and Melvin Schumacher, decorations; Lee Solomon, Jack Bozeman, J. Bernard Rivo and Stanley Lieber, food; Harvey Cole and Milton Feinberg, invitations.

STEELE PTA PLANS YEARS ACTIVITIES

At a recent meeting, the executive board of Carl Steele PTA made plans for the coming year. After the meeting had been called to order by the president, Mrs. A. D. Hawkins, the orientation luncheon was discussed. This affair, given by the board for school personnel, will be held September 11 at 1 p.m. Serving on the refreshment committee are: Mmes. H. G. Rix, L. F. Fisher, A. W. Beresford, J. F. Hubacek, and H. L. Thompson.

Mrs. W. H. Steele and Mrs. R. L. Golden reported that Saturday, September 28 is the date set for the Magic Show. There will be two performances, one at 10 a.m. and the other at 11 a.m. Refreshments may be purchased before or after each show.

Membership chairman, Mrs. W. A. Freeman, reported that the slogan will be "Add A Spot To Reach The Top." Mrs. R. J. Evans, apt chairman, is making posters of tall giraffes. Each room will have a poster and the spots will denote memberships received. There will be one large poster prominently displayed which will depict the overall percentage for the

Paper Drive

A paper drive sponsored by the Jayettes, will be held on August 30, and 31. The proceeds will go to a philanthropic project which will be announced at a later date.

The paper will be collected at the National Guard Armory on Cabrillo ave., and will be picked up by calling Mrs. Frank Dussel, FRontier 5-6495, or Mrs. John Mangan, FAirfax 8-1029, school.

"Education in the Changing World" is the theme for the program. Many acceptances from guest speakers have already been received, according to Mrs. L. F. Fisher, program chairman. A final draft will be presented to the board at the next meeting.

Mrs. R. J. Mullins, newswette chairman, indicated that an early edition of the paper is being formulated and it is hoped that this edition will be available shortly after school starts. The annual fun fest—the Hi-Jinks—will be held Saturday, October 26 from noon until 4 p.m. Mrs. D. J. Coleman, in charge of the affair, reported that there will be many booths this year. A costume parade will inaugurate the festivities. The plans certainly indicate that this fun and frolic day should be bigger and better than ever.

Baby Shower Anniversary

Mrs. Kenneth Edwins, president of the Flavian PTA, was given a surprise stork shower recently, at the home of Mrs. James Russell.

Former Torrance couple, who now reside in La Mirada, gave a buffet supper at their home recently to celebrate their wedding anniversary.

The house was decorated with pink and green storks and the color scheme was carried out in the lime green and cherry pink parfait pies which were served to the guests, and in the napkins which were cut and folded in the shape of a baby's night gown.

Those attending from Torrance were Messrs. and Mmes. John Schwartz, Philip Hoffman, Harry Lewis and George Blahnik.

Mmes. D. Sellers, Doyle Truitt, L. Spedale, A. Weber, Fred Griffiths, Arthur Fish and C. H. Wade.

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Concert-Time Planned for Younsters

It is almost concert-time for the children enrolled in the Recreation department's summer music program. Using for a theme "Fun Through Music," some 70-75 Torrance youngsters will be on stage at the Torrance park Band Shell on Sunday, August 18, to present a combined-parks concert. "This program, which begins at 1:30, will feature a band, some small combos, and an orchestra. The public is invited to attend. Jim Davidson directs the program, assisted by Bob Salisbury.

The Program
Band: Salutation March, Onward Christian Soldiers, Blue Danube, Merry Widow, East Side, West Side, Round and Round, Under the Double Eagle March, America.

Combos: Green Door, featuring Harry Sippel, trumpet; Sandie Baker, clarinet; Randy Power, alto saxophone; Richard Power, trombone; and Bob Salisbury, piano.
Mama Looka Booboo, featuring Harry Sippel, trumpet, and Bob Salisbury, piano.
Orchestra March for Young Folks, Bagdad, Western Hoe Down, Love Me Tender, featuring Janice Kleinski, violin, and Bob "Hound Dog" Salisbury, piano. Pop Goes the Weasel, Daisy Bell, When the Saints Go Marchin' In.

The parks that will be participating in this gala event include McMaster, Torrance, WALTERIA, El Retiro, Sea-Aire and El Nido.

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