

Mid-Winter Brides in the Spotlight

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MRS. LEE DAVID LAMPTON
(Art's Photography)

Married at High Noon

In a high noon ceremony on Feb. 5 at the St. Philomena Catholic Church, Miss Romayne Blaszk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Blaszk, 1152 W. 213th St., exchanged nuptial vows with Virgil Thomas Johnson, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil T. Johnson, 2571 W. 233rd St., Torrance are parents of the bridegroom.

The Rev. James Cavanaugh officiated at the double ring marriage ceremony. Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a white imported Alencon lace gown over peau de soie. The full skirt of the gown fell into a chapel train. A triple tiered crystal tiara held her silk illusion veil and the bride carried white roses encircling white orchids.

Miss Linda Blaszk served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Cheryl Verbeek and Chaundel Johnson. They wore pink and rose peau de soie gowns.

Jerry Johnson stood as best man and ushers were Pat Jones and Robert Blaszk, Jr.

A reception was held at the Moose Lodge in Torrance where Frankie Zietz furnished the music.

Following a Palm Springs honeymoon, the couple is now at home at 1311 Federal Ave., Apt. 7, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are both graduates of Narbonne High School. Mrs. Johnson attended Long Beach State College majoring in business administration.

Mr. Johnson is a pre-medical student at UCLA.



MRS. CRIS E. PARK
(Portrait by Seeman)

Wed in Church Rites

After a San Francisco honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Cris Eugene Park are now at home in Hawthorne. The couple was married on Jan. 29 at 2 p.m. at the South Bay Christian Church with Rev. Donald R. Jarman officiating.

Mrs. Park is the former Patricia Marie Greer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Kennedy, 1924 253rd Pl., Lomita. Mrs. Alcen Park, 4656 W. 130th St., Hawthorne is mother of the bridegroom.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a Mori Lee original of Alencon lace and taffeta. A princess tiara held her illusion veil and she carried white roses.

In deep pink crepe gowns, bridal attendants were Miss Shirley A. Dornoff, maid of honor; Mrs. Carole Goodwin and Miss Darlene Kennedy, bridesmaids.

Dean Park stood as best man and Donald Goodwin and Mike Baker were ushers.

A reception was held at the church.

The bride, a graduate of Torrance High School and Harbor College, is a police radio dispatcher in El Segundo.

Her husband, a graduate of Inglewood High, is a student at a barber college and is employed by a Hawthorne machine shop.

Torrance Teachers Wed

Christ the King Lutheran Church was the setting for a mid-afternoon wedding recently in which Miss Arlene Lee Kocs, daughter of Mrs. Frank Kocs, 16607 Ogden Ave., became the bride of Robert Craig Bailing, 2421 W. 227th St., Torrance. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Bailing of New Kensington, Pa., who came to California for the wedding.



MRS. R. C. BAILING
(Simms Photo)

The bride approached the altar on the arm of her brother, Frank E. Kocs. She wore a sheath gown of peau de soie trimmed with seed pearls and reembodyered Alencon lace. The chapel train fell from the waistline of the gown. An Alencon lace crown held the three-tiered illusion veil and she carried white orchids and a stephanotis.

Bridal attendants, in empire gowns of port and pink velvet and crepe were Mrs. Linda Bowman, matron of honor; Miss Becky Bailing, Mmes. Susan Hall and Jeanie Minburn, bridesmaids. Lucia Cimarusti was flower girl. All carried pink roses.

Best man duties were performed by Alex Hatalak and ushers were Paul Artman, Maurice Myers and George Webster. Scott Bergman was ring bearer. Kent Nelson, organist, accompanied Fred Wilkins, soloist, and the church choir.

Pastor Elmer Christiansen officiated at the vow exchange. A reception was held at the Plush Horse restaurant where Mrs. Jeri Chandler registered the guests.

The bride received her BS degree from USC and Mr. Bailing holds a masters degree from Pennsylvania State College. They are both teachers in the Torrance Unified School District.



MRS. VIRGIL JOHNSON, JR.
(Arts Photography)

Pair Continue Studies

At home in San Francisco where they are continuing their studies are Mr. and Mrs. Lee David Lampton, who were married in an afternoon ceremony at the St. Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church on Jan. 29.

Rev. John Foley officiated at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Lampton is the former Jeanne Marie Knoblauch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knoblauch, 22841 Kent Ave., Torrance. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lampton, 3727 Kite Ave., San Diego.

The bridal gown of ivory lace and peau de soie was fashioned with a chapel train. A pearl orange blossom crown secured the elbow-length veil and the bridal bouquet was of white roses encircling white orchids.

Wearing red and pink empire gowns, the bridal attendants were Miss Nancy Knoblauch, maid of honor; Misses Karen Aloan, Kathleen Knoblauch and Lisbeth Lampton, bridesmaids.

Best man duties were performed by Brian Clague. Ushers were Robin Ballantyne, Joseph Franco and Roy Ishil. Jay Hone was ring bearer.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The former Miss Knoblauch attended UCLA and will receive her degree in nursing from the UC Medical Center in San Francisco in June.

Her husband was graduated from Stanford University and is presently studying medicine at UC, San Francisco.

Anderson-Taubenheim Nuptials

Miss Carol Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Anderson, 1729 Manuel Ave., Torrance walked down the aisle of the First Methodist Church, on the arm of her father, at 3 o'clock on Feb. 5 to exchange marriage promises with Randall Taubenheim. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Taubenheim, 1728 Manuel Ave., Torrance, are parents of the bridegroom.

The wedding gown was of white French crepe trimmed with Venetian lace. The fitted gown had a portrait neckline and elbow length sleeves trimmed with lace. The sheath-front skirt was designed with a bouffant chapel train. A petal headpiece held her veil and she carried white chrysanthemums and hyacinths.

In grotto blue peau de soie, the bridal attendants were Miss Marcie Lee Kaye, maid of honor; Debron Beonde and Lana Kolkka, bridesmaids.

Roger Heinzen was best man and ushers were Robert Dottai, Tom Gruenewald, Ellis Wampler and Sy Moskowitz.

Rev. Edward Goodell conducted the vow exchange as Miss Elizabeth Adams played the nuptial music and accompanied Mrs. Charlotte Tierman, soloist.

A church reception followed with Miss Caroline Lincoln registering the guests.

The couple left immediately by plane for a honeymoon in Sheboygan, Wis. The new home is in Marina Del Rey.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School and the UCLA Dental Assistants School. Her husband received his early education in Wisconsin, attended Kenyon College in Ohio for three years and received



MRS. RANDALL TAUBENHEIM
(Portrait by Seeman)

his degrees in finance at the University of Wisconsin. He is employed as a financial analyst with J. Barth and Co.



MRS. ARTHUR SWORTFIGUER

Adams-Swortfiguer Vows

Miss Sharon Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Adams, 18102 Prairie Ave., walked down the aisle of the South Bay Church of God, on the arm of her father, at 7 p.m. on Jan. 8 to plight her marriage vows with Arthur F. Swortfiguer. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Pauline Linley of Palmdale and E. L. Swortfiguer, Sr. of Bakersfield.

The bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace with pearls and sequins enhancing the neckline. Her fingertip veil was held by a floral net headpiece and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley.

Miss Charlene Forsythe, in blue satin, was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Gayle Smith and Patti Joe Heffner,

gowned in pink satin. Kimberly Swortfiguer was flower girl.

Edgar L. Swortfiguer was best man and ushers were Roger Forsythe and LeVane Forsythe Jr. Brian Adams carried the rings.

Rev. Clifford Tierney officiated at the marriage ceremony and Mrs. Fred Schively played the nuptial music and accompanied Sylvia Keulen, soloist.

The 280 guests attended a reception at the church. The honeymoon was spent in northern California and the new address is 21109 Reynolds Dr., Torrance.

The bride, a North High graduate, is employed by an oil company in Los Angeles. Her husband, also a North High graduate, has just completed four years with the United States Navy.

Newlyweds Honeymoon in Hawaii



MRS. DARLTON BREAUX

Christ the King Lutheran Church in Torrance on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 16.

The Torrance couple was united in an impressive rite by the Pastor, Elmer E. Christiansen, and Dr. Luther Olman U.C.L.A. Campus Pastor and life-long friend of the bride's family. The bride, the former Cynthia Nell Overton, 2038 West 174th Street, Torrance, was given in marriage by her father Philip A. Overton.

Her floor length gown was of silk organza, with sabrina neckline and long sleeve lace fitted bodice adorned with seed pearls and sequins. The full bouffant skirt with Chantilly lace, paneling the front, was trimmed with organza bows and lace medallions and had a full Chantilly lace chapel train.

Mrs. Barbara Overton, matron of honor, and Mrs. Linda Gibbs, Mrs. Judy Plescia, Miss Jolene Shalander and Miss Barbara Peterson, bridesmaids, wore identical dresses of romance-blue crepe.

The two flower girls were Karen Lee and Dorice Ann Overton.

Stanley Gibbs, an associate of the bridegroom, who is an electronics engineer at AiResearch in Torrance, was best man. John Overton, Bruce Peterson, Tom Bruce and Richard Schiff served as ushers.

Soloist Rod Wilkes, sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Wedding Prayer."

The bride, who graduated from Westchester High School, attended Santa Monica Junior College and graduated from the United Airlines Stewardess School in Chicago. She is employed as a secretary at International Telephone and Telegraph in El Segundo.

A wedding reception for over 400 guests at the Los Verdes Country Club and Kelly Breaux of Ontario, attended Columbia University and Harvard prior to graduation followed by a two week honeymoon in Hawaii followed by a double ring wedding ceremony for Mr. Breaux and Mrs. Darlton K. "Tim" Breaux at member of Phi Beta Kappa.