

Bee Weddings & Engagements

Bride carries rosary given by grandparents

Lindsay Helen Fry married Ryan Matthew Kozyra in an afternoon ceremony on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at St. Teresa of Avila Church in Akron. Monsignor Robert Williamson officiated.

The bride is the granddaughter of Barbara and Charles Kopp of Akron. The groom is the son of Sharon and Anthony Kozyra of East Amherst.

The bride was escorted by her grandfather and Cortland Kopp, uncle of the bride.

She wore a white strapless gown of organza with a corset back and tiers of silver bugle beads and round seed pearls. A tiara of silver crystals accented her elbow-length veil, which was finished with beading similar to that of the gown. The bride also carried a Swarovski crystal rosary, given to her by her grandparents.

The maid of honor was Jessica Pequeen Cena, friend of the bride. The bridesmaids were Amy Tuyn, cousin of the bride; Danielle Kozyra, sister of the groom; Chloe Harper, cousin of the groom; and Jessica Schnitzer, friend of the bride.

The flower girls were Carilena Schreder, cousin of the groom, and MacKenzie O'Brien, friend of the bride and groom.

The best man was Lt. Jeffrey Pietrzyk, friend of the bride and groom. The ushers were Patrick Varth, Anthony Tabbi, Michael Rodgers, Matthew Grenzy, Darin MaGee and Andrew McMahan, friends of the groom.

The ring bearer was Dylan Schreder, cousin of the groom.

A reception was held at Samuel's Grande Manor in Williamsville.

The couple are at home in East Amherst after honeymooning at Walt Disney World in Florida.



Mr. and Mrs. Ryan M. Kozyra

Couple honeymoon in Dominican Republic

Tina Marie Broad married Eric Scott Brady in an afternoon ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 1, 2007 at Kloc's Blossom Grove in West Seneca. The Rev. Joseph Wolpert officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Barbara Broad of Cheektowaga and James Broad of West Seneca. The groom is the son of Kathy and Joe Brady of Hazelhurst, Ga.

The bride was escorted by her father.

She wore a Maggie Sottero strapless, A-line, lace-up gown with a draped satin overlay and lightly beaded tulle panels that were also on the sweep train. The front neckline was embellished with a floral beaded design of Swarovski crystals, pearls, sequins and seed beads. She wore a matching veil and carried a bouquet of roses and stephanotis with pearls and lilies.

The maid of honor was Karen Broad, aunt of the bride. The bridesmaids were Jennifer and Jackie Broad, sisters of the bride; Cari Broad, cousin of the bride; and Sarah Craig, Krista Shamp and Melanie Kraft, friends of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Alexis Chudzik, sister of the bride, and Brittney Broad, niece of the bride.

The flower girls were Taylor Broad, niece of the bride, and Madison Broad, cousin of the bride.

The best man was Mike Ozog, friend of the groom. The ushers were Kris Broad, uncle of the bride, and Scott Woodly, Ken Ritz, Jason Czechowski, Mark Manns and Robert Werner, friends of the groom.

The ring bearer was Michael Broad, nephew of the bride.

A reception was held at Kloc's Blossom Grove.

The couple are at home after honeymooning in Punta Cana in the Dominican Republic.



Mr. and Mrs. Eric S. Brady

Couple hold reception at Hyatt Regency

Jill Elizabeth DeLong married Jason Scott Niemann in an afternoon ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 1, 2007 at St. Joseph University Church in Buffalo. The Rev. Jacob Ledwon officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Joyce and Richard DeLong of Amherst. The groom is the son of Denise and James Niemann of Kirkwood, Mo.

The bride was escorted by her father.

She wore an ivory silk shantung gown with a finger-tip veil and carried a bouquet of white roses and hydrangeas.

The matron of honor was Nicole Krough, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Jennifer Mertz, Bonnie Vastola and Carrie Kurosko, cousins of the bride; Lauren Niemann, sister of the groom; and Julie Murphy, Heather Steinhilber, Mollie Humphrey and Marie Tillyer, friends of the bride.

The flower girl was Mia Krough, niece of the bride.

The best men were Ryan and Corey Niemann, brothers of the groom. The groomsmen were Patrick Krough, brother-in-law of the bride, and Emmett McDonald, Anthony Gennaoui, Harsah Maddipati, Michael Brigham and Thomas Moran, friends of the groom. The ushers were Christopher Devcich, cousin of the groom, and Ryan Gallagher, Michael Endre and Mark Pellegrine, friends of the groom.

The ring bearers were Elliott and Patrick Niemann, cousins of the groom.

A reception was held at the Hyatt Regency Buffalo.

The couple are at home after honeymooning in Costa del Sol, Spain.



Mrs. Jason S. Niemann



Mr. and Mrs. Scott J. Wolski

Pair wed in afternoon ceremony

Kelly Marie Mink married Scott Jacob Wolski in an afternoon ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 15, 2007 at the Expressway Assembly of God Church in Buffalo. The Rev. Karl Zielezinski officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Colleen and George Mink of Depew. The groom is the son of Debbie Wolski of Eden.

The bride was escorted by her father.

She wore an A-line, halter-style gown with a beaded bodice and train and an elbow-length beaded veil. She carried a bouquet of blue and white Gerbera daisies with white roses.

The matron of honor was Melissa Zielezinski, cousin of the bride. The bridesmaid was Amy Neiss, cousin of the bride.

The flower girl was Ashley Zielezinski, cousin of the bride.

The best man was Eric Wolski, brother of the groom. The usher was David Neiss, friend of the groom.

The ring bearer was KJ Zielezinski, cousin of the bride.

A reception was held at the Holiday Inn Airport.

The couple is at home after honeymooning in New York City.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brokaw

Bride's father officiates at ceremony

Greta Becker married Paul Brokaw in a noon ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 29, 2007 at First Christian Church in Machias, N.Y. The bride's father, the Rev. Gary E. Becker, and the Rev. Joseph Perticone officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Karen and the Rev. Gary Becker of West Seneca. The groom is the son of Claudia and Marion Brokaw Jr. of Pittsford, N.Y.

The bride was escorted by her brother, Daniel Becker Sr.

She wore an ivory satin gown with an empire waist and finger-tip-length veil. Her bouquet was an arrangement of burgundy and pink roses.

The maids of honor were Emma and Samantha Kalinowski, nieces of the bride.

The best man was Justin Brokaw, son of the groom. The ushers were Andrew Kalinowski, Daniel Becker Jr., Jacob Becker and Jashawn and Jason Marin, nephews of the bride.

The ring bearer was Max Kalinowski, nephew of the bride.

A reception was held at Odosagih Bible Conference in Machias.

The couple will be at home in Penfield, N.Y., after honeymooning in Niagara Falls, Ontario.



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. LoPiccolo

Pair receive guests at Kotecki's

Amy Marie Minard married Kenneth Michael LoPiccolo in an afternoon ceremony on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at Kotecki's Grandview Grove in West Seneca.

The bride is the daughter of Sandra and George MacPeck of Cheektowaga, and James Minard of Cheektowaga. The groom is the son of Sandra LoPiccolo of Cheektowaga and the late Henry LoPiccolo.

The bride was escorted by her mother.

The maid of honor was Ashley MacPeck, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Lynn Becker and Jackie Davis, friends of the bride.

The best man was John LoPiccolo, brother of the groom. The ushers were Neal Davis, friend of the bride and groom, and Mark Walter, friend of the groom.

A reception was held at The Lodge in Elma.

The couple are at home in Cheektowaga after honeymooning in Jamaica.



Andrew C. Terranova and Megan Hadley

Hadley-Terranova

Sara and David Hadley of Stow, Ohio announce the engagement of their daughter, Megan Hadley, to Andrew C. Terranova, son of Paula and Andrew Terranova of Amherst.

Miss Hadley graduated from Stow-Munroe Falls High School in 2003. She earned a bachelor's degree in English from Miami University in 2007.

Her fiancé graduated from St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute in 2003. He earned a bachelor's degree in computer science from Miami University in 2006. He works as a software engineer.

An August 2008 wedding is planned.