



Residing in Davidson

Sharon Ruth Bjelke, daughter of Barbara Bjelke and the late Harold Bjelke of Edmonton, became the bride

of Lance Dale Barlow, son of Dale and Carol Barlow of Davidson, when they chose the first day of their new life together.

Pastor Dennis Lueck, joined Lance and Sharon as they exchanged wedding vows on October 12, at 2:00 p.m. in the Zion Lutheran Church in Saskatoon.

Music was played on the organ by Kathleen McGillivray, cousin of the bride.

As the guests arrived, they were met and ushered in by Michael Dube and Mark Schmit, friends of the bride and groom.

The bridal procession entered to the music, "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desire" and began with the attendants walking up to the altar as couples, led by Kristan Tastad, cousin of the bride and Steven Barlow, brother of the groom. Next, the Matron of Honor, Carol Tastad, cousin of the bride and Best Man, Keith Farden. The groom was accompanied by his parents to the altar. Preceding the bride, were the flower girl, Karen Tastad and the ring bearer, Kirk Tastad, both cousins of the bride. As the groom reached the altar, he turned to watch the bride enter on the arm of her brother Dennis Bjelke and her mother.

The bride wore a gown of soft flowing organza with Schiffli embroidery and satin ribbon adorning the bodice,

neckline and cuffs. Her waistline was accentuated by a cumberbund of soft organza. The hemline and chapel train were trimmed with etched Schiffli embroidery. She also wore a matching picture hat of chiffon and embroidery that featured a fingertip veil. The bride carried a lovely bouquet of pink roses, white freesia, and white baby's breath with white satin ribbon.

The bridesmaids wore white satin blouses with cocktail length burgandy skirts and cumberbunds. The flowergirl wore a cocktail length burgandy dress with a white pinafore over top. Each

bridesmaid carried in her hand, a bouquet of pink and white freesia, burgandy rosarios and white baby's breath, with dusty rose ribbons. The flower girl carried a basket of pink roses, pink and white freesia, burgandy rosarios and white baby's breath with dusty rose ribbons.

The groom, his attendants and the ring bearer wore dark grey tuxedos with pin-striped pants and burgandy cumberbunds and bow ties. The groom's boutonniere was a white rose with white freesia and his attendants and ring bearer wore pink

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freesia boutonnieres.

The ceremony was made more meaningful, for all through Liz Bonnar, a friend of the bride's family, gave sign interpretation of the service.

During the ceremony, two solo selections were played, "The Wedding Prayer", sung and accompanied on guitar by Helen Godzella, friend of the bride and groom; and "The Lord's Prayer", sung by Carol Lueck, Pastor Lueck's wife and accompanied on piano by Kathleen McGillivray.

A family reception was held in the Bladworth Community Hall at 6:30 p.m. A beautiful supper was prepared by the Trenton-Concord Ladies of Davidson. Master of Ceremonies was Keith Farden, the best man. Grace was said by Sonia Olesuik, friend of the bride and groom. Toast to the bride was proposed by Garth Tastad, a cousin of the bride. Two solo selections, "For Life and All Its Riches" sung by Carol Lueck and accompanied by Kathleen McGillivray; and "Bless This House", sung and self accompanied by Kathleen, were performed.

Following the reception, a dance and social was held in the Bladworth Community Hall. A midnight lunch was served by the Rebecca Lodge Ladies of Davidson.

The gift opening was held at the home of Ralph and Edna Lund, grandparents of the groom. After a honeymoon to the mountains, the happy couple returned to Davidson.