

The Community Post Celebrations

Thursday, May 12, 2005

Couple united in March ceremony

Betsy Lynn Kruse and Benjamin Thomas Krieg, were united in marriage at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, March 19, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Botkins.

Fr. Pat Sloneker and Deacon Greg Bornhorst, uncle of the groom, officiated at the ceremony. Music for the ceremony was provided by organist, Diane Goette-moeller and vocalist, Andrea Luthman.

Ashley Kruse, sister of the bride served as the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Erin Kruse and Nancy Schwartz, sisters of the bride; Susan Albers, sister of the groom; and Ashley Arnett and Leslie Seaver, friends of the bride. The miniature bride was Megan Krieg, niece of the groom.

Matt Krieg, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Seb Krieg and Jeremy Krieg, brothers of the groom; Kurt Kruse, brother of the bride; Dan Albers, brother in law of the groom, Brett Wierwille, friend; and the ring bearer was Justin Albers, godson of the groom.

The bride was given away by her father, Alan Kruse.

She wore a white satin spaghetti strap gown A-line gown with beaded Schiffli lace and an asymmetrical solid white skirt. She wore a tiara crown with pearls and rhinestones and a sheer veil with pearls throughout and trimmed in white. She carried a matching handheld exposed stemmed arrangement of white roses accented with purple flowers and pearls.

The bridesmaids wore celadon colored, spaghetti strapped satin, full length gowns and carried handheld exposed stem arrangements of white and purple silk roses with purple tiger lilies, pink roses, mini purple roses and baby's breath accented with pearls and green tulle.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with a white rose boutonniere

The groomsmen wore a matching black tuxedos with a white point collared shirts with celadon-col-



ored, checkered satin, full back vests and matching bow ties.

The bride is a 2001 graduate of New Knoxville High School, a 2004 graduate of Wright State University and is enrolled in a MBA program. She is employed at Precision Strip Inc., Minster.

The groom is 2000 graduate of New Bremen High School and is employed by the Village of Fort Loramie.

The couple honeymooned in Gatlinburg, Tenn. and are residing in New Bremen.