

*The Giddings Star*

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**Dunk - Mittasch Nuptials Read**

In a pretty church wedding Sunday, April 19, in the afternoon at 3:30 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Serbin, Miss Junelle Dunk became the bride of William Mittasch before an altar decorated with gladiolas and shasta daisies, and potted ferns. Two large baskets of gladiolas and queen's lace graced either side of the altar. The bride's pastor, The Rev. A. Arndt performed the double ring ceremony, with the bride's uncle, Mr. Carl Dunk, presiding at the organ, while Mrs. Carl Dunk sang "The Lord's Prayer" just preceding the ceremony.

The bride was very pretty in a floor length dress of chantilly lace bodice topped net over taffeta with wide bands of lace insertion in the over skirt with lace gauntlets to match, her finger tip veil fell from a cap of tulle fashioned with tiny white rose buds. Her bouquet was of white carnations, lillies of the valley and large green leaves with ribbon streamers. She wore a rhine stone necklace, a gift of the groom. The groom wore a gray-blue suit.

Both the mothers wore navy blue Nylon dresses with white carnation corsages. Frances Zoch registered the guests and wore a pink Carnation corsage as did also Mrs. Carl Dunk.

Karl Kalbas attended his cousin as best man. Ushers were Clarence Mertink and Marvin Urban. Groomsmen were: Gilbert Brade, Roy Mickan and George Dunk.

Mrs. Ervin Zoch attended her sister as matron of honor, while Bernelle Bamsch, Junelle Kasper, and Ernie Brade served as bridesmaids. All wore identical light blue acetate empire gowns and carried pink and yellow shaded rose bud bouquets.

Joyce Dunk and Diana Mittasch served as flower girls, dressed in pink and white identical dresses with pink halos, and scattered flower petals from white satin and net baskets.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents for the reception. A tasty pork, beef and chicken barbecue supper with all accompaniments was served to the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mertink and family, The Otto Kasper's, Henry Stroebels, Ben and Willie Zochs, A. H. Bethkek's, E. E. Boriacks, Albert Iselts, E. A. Jaeglis, Frances Krause and Melvin Zoch, G. M. Zochs, Eddie Lehmanns, Carl Noacks, Chas. Tate's, John Mittaschs, H. J. Matthijetz, Geo. Schwausch, Herm. Brade's, Belmont Dunks, Herman Zochs, Carl Andreas, Elton Zochs, Mrs. Herm. Zoch, Jr., Carl Dunks, Theo. Gerschkes, Leonard Dunks, Harry Schulzes' Mrs. Selma Becker and Adele, Mrs. Anna Farrack, Tilford Tschatschulas, Alford Zochs, A. H. Weisers, Emil Miertschins, Otto Beckers, Gilbert and Ernie Brade, Reubin Melcher, Herm. Mittaschs, Louis Schättes, Hy. Namkens, Calvin Zochs, Louis Malkes, E. C. Knippas, Ben Buchhorns, Calvin Buchhorn, Ben Urbans, Wesley Ballmans, Dan Mickans, Karl Weisers, Charlie Dunk, Erwin Schautschick's, Mrs. Mary Schautschick, John Mittasch's, P. G. Tschatschula, Walter Matthijetz, Darvin Volney, Walter Mertinks, Ernest Oltmanns, Herman, Minnie and Arthur Dunk, Albert Krause's, Edwin Schulz and girls, Paul Patschkes, Ben Dunks, E. A. Mickan, Rudolf Tonns, R. H. Malkes, Lester Woytik's, L. O. Kaspers, Herbert Zochs, Robert Dunks, Gus Bamschs, Mrs. Hoting, Aug. Menzels, Erwin T. Zochs, Karl and Rich

ard Kalbas', Chas. Tschatschulas, Hy. Dunks, Jr., Hy. Dunk, Sr., Elton Namkens, Albert Walthers, Emil Zochs, Alvin Dunks, Clarence Mertinks, Herbert Mittaschs, Rev. and Mrs. Arndt, Chas. Arndts, Gus Malke, Aug. Schulze, H. E. Weisers, Albert Mutschunks, H. P. Weisers, C. M. Tschatschulas,

The brides' table was laid in white with red roses and candles. The wedding cake was three tiered heart-shaped with bells and lovebirds, decorated and adorned with lillies of the valley, centered with miniature bride and groom, made by the brides' mother.