



Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Weeden

## Vows exchanged at winter wedding

Gabriel T. Weeden and Kristina L. Martin were united in marriage on Saturday, Nov. 8, 2008, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Olpe. Rev. Anthony Williams officiated the ceremony.

The matron of honor was Elizabeth Skalsky, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Julie Argenziano, sister of the bride, Lindsey Snider, Jacque Wellnitz and Emily Sims.

The best man was Dustin Weeden, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Brian Ross, Joseph Metzner, Ty Long and Dustin Dunn.

The flower girl was Claire Martin, niece of the bride; the ring bearer was Ted Skalsky, nephew of the bride.

Ushers were Levi Weeden, cousin of the groom, Ben Stuhlsatz and Paul Lange.

Readers were Allisha Weeden, sister of the bridegroom, and John Martin, brother of the bride.

Wedding musician was Diana Kuhlmann.

A wedding reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Olpe.

The couple honeymooned at the Riviera Maya in Mexico and now reside in Pratt.

Kristina is the daughter of Roland

and Rosemary Martin of Olpe, and the granddaughter of C.R. Martin of Olpe.

Gabriel is the son of Dennis and Sonja Weeden of St. Francis and the grandson of Gaylen and Dorothy Weeden of St. Francis and Mary Glad of Green Valley, Ariz.

## September wedding planned for couple

Jami Perez and Jason Applegate are planning a Sept. 30 wedding in Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Parents of the couple are Alvin and Sharon Perez of Hays and Roger and Coleen Applegate, St. Francis.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Gorman and Delores Rubottom, Stockton, Laurine Hicks, Hoisington, Vicki Perez, Larned,

and the late Frank Perez. Great-grandparents are John and Opal Mason, Phillipsburg, and the late Norman and Bernice Rubottom.

Grandparents of the bridegroom are Nina Raile and the late Harold Raile, Emmor and Olga Applegate.

The bride-elect is a 2001 graduate of Stockton High School and a 2005 graduate of Fort Hays State University with a bachelor's degree in marketing. She is a marketing consultant for the *High Plains Journal*.

The bridegroom is a 1994 graduate of St. Francis Community High School and a 2002

## Double ring ceremony held

Kerrie Beth Olson and Nicholas Jon Wahlmeier received the sacrament of marriage at the Immaculate Conception Church in Leoville on Saturday, May 2, 2009. Father Henry Saw Lone and Pastor Charlotte Strecker-Baseler officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Randy and Sharon Olson, Oberlin; and Jeff and Mary Wahlmeier, Clayton. Grandparents of the bride are Darlene Feikert, St. Francis; and the late Ruben Feikert; Glenn and Eunice Martin, Oberlin; and the late Lowell Olson. Grandparents of the bridegroom are Stan and Ramona Shaw and Agnes Wahlmeier, Jennings; and the late Lawrence Wahlmeier.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father to Bach's "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring." She wore a strapless Maggie Sottero gown with jeweled bodice and corset closure. The gown's asymmetrical wrap waist was highlighted with a spray of beading. To accent her gown, she chose a fingertip Symphony veil with crystal beading. She carried a bouquet of pink gerber daisies with white pink-tip roses.

Kristi Ostmeyer, Ellis, attended her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Elise Engelbert, Kansas City; Katie Small, Manhattan; Abby Ream, Kansas City; Rena Unger, Manhattan;

and Kelsey Feyes, Bryan, Ohio. Candlelighters were Tawny Ochs, Manhattan, and Brandi Chandler, Wichita.

The bridal attendants wore strapless black satin tea-length dresses with a fuchsia colored sash and underlay. They carried three hot pink stemmed gerber daisies decorated with jewels and wrapped with black ribbon.

The flower girl was Taylor Claussen, Manhattan, cousin of the bride. She wore an ankle-length white satin dress with a fuchsia-colored sash.

Adam Wahlmeier, Norton, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. Groomsmen were Grant Davidson, Hays; Brett McKenna, Claffin; Jerry Lahnanen, Colby; Brent Olson, Oberlin; and Jonathan Iman, Hays. The groomsmen also ushered for the wedding.

Ringbearers were Jace and Tyler Ostmeyer, Ellis, nephews of the bride.

Organist was Mary Jo Lohoefer, Oberlin. Vocalists were Andrea Spanier, Oberlin; Dan Wahlmeier, Lenora; and Jim Billinger, Victoria.

Guest book attendant was Kendra Pelton, Burdett. Program and gift attendants were Amber Dunn, Overland Park; and Ashley Wright, Colby. The bride's personal attendant was her aunt, Connie Robison, Littleton, Colo.

A reception, dinner and dance



Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Wahlmeier

followed the ceremony at The Gateway in Oberlin. The reception hosts were Ken and Candy Rauhut, Garden City; and Lawrence and Carol Carter, Dresden.

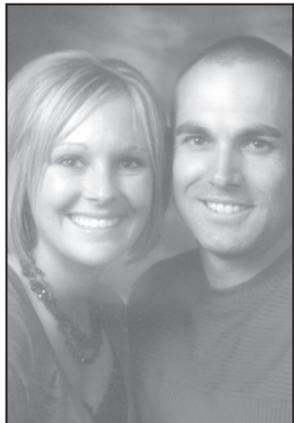
Reception assistants in the kitchen were Chris Gillespie and Tom Neff, Downs; Colleen Wagner, Sharon Springs; Cindy Black, Carlsbad, N.M.; and Aaron and Tara Gillespie, Hays.

Serving the wedding cake and punch were Sharon Feikert, St.

Francis; Kathy Feikert Bucklin; and Lance and Heidi Feikert, Bucklin. Don and Helen Juennemann, Selden, led the grand march.

The bride is teaching first grade in Ellis. The bridegroom is currently farming in the Jennings community.

After a honeymoon in Jamaica, they are living for the summer in Oberlin and will return to Ellis this fall.



Perez — Applegate

graduate of Fort Hays State University with a bachelor's degree in communication systems. He is employed by Westhusing's, Inc. as a service technician.

## Announcement made

Michelle Elaine Bremenkamp and John Raymond Bargo III are planning their wedding.

Parents of the couple are Mike and Elaine Bremenkamp, Colby, Judy Bargo, Box Elder, S.D., and John Bargo Jr. of Colby.

Michelle is the granddaughter of Rosetta Bremenkamp of Colby and the late Raymond Bremenkamp, and Duane and Ann Wente of Hoxie.

John is the grandson of Inez Bargo, St. Francis, and the late John Bargo, Sr., and Edward Baker of Rapid City, S.D., and the late Ellen Baker.

Michelle is a 2004 graduate of Colby High School and 2006 graduate of Johnson and Wales University, Denver, Colo., with a major in baking and pastry



Bargo — Bremenkamp

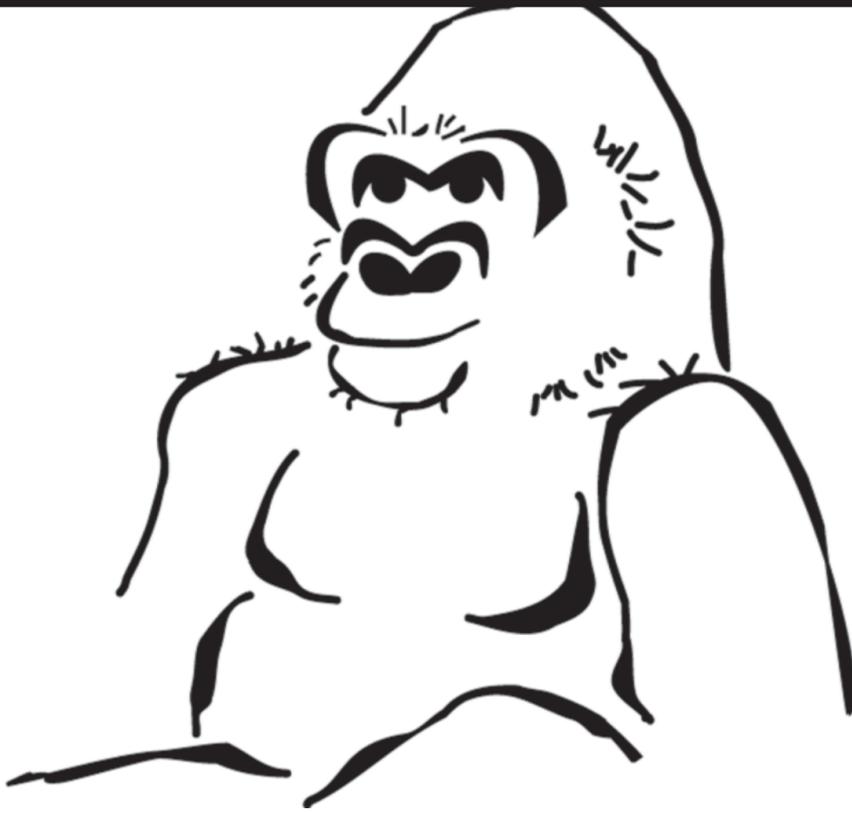
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John is a 2005 graduate of Douglas High School, Box Elder, SD.

They plan to live in Colby.



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