

Shot of beauty



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Natural therapy: Dr. Usha Raju and her husband Dr. B.N. Raju of Farmington Hills are used to people pulling up their driveway and staring at the flowering gardens that beautify their property. They moved into their new home on a two acre lot in 1992 and have spent countless hours pruning and caring for the flowers, shrubs and trees on three levels that include rock gardens, a stream and a wooded area.

Writer wants recognition

GRAPHOLOGY PROFILES



LORENE GREEN

Dear Lorene, I am very interested in what you can tell about me from my handwriting. I have been following your column for several months now and find your work fascinating. Since more and more employers are using handwriting analysis when selecting their employees, I'd like to see what they would see in my writing. I am right-handed, but some people have told me I write like a left-handed person. I am 27 years old. Thank you for your time!

J.G.,
Plymouth

Employers are turning to handwriting analysis more frequently to help them slot the best person into a position. When I do this type of work, I ask the employer exactly what he or she is looking for in the potential employee. I then address my report to those traits only.

Today's writer is a young woman

an with an inordinate concern for events in her daily life. What is happening right now is of paramount importance. She has a strong desire for recognition and notice and usually knows how to get it. Ego drives often override any insecurities. Interest in the philosophical or theoretical realms is not at the top of her priority list.

She enjoys working with people and before the public. She tends to do that which enhances her ego. In situations with prestige and/or applause, she is especially competitive.

Here is an exaggerated need for approval from others. To obtain it, she may behave with calculated friendliness. She tries very hard to have everyone like her. She may try to be familiar with others too soon.

This young woman is inclined to conform to established standards and feels she must do everything just right. She double checks and has limited tolerance for that which does not meet her high standards. She is so exacting and painfully correct that to some she may appear a little slow in her actions.

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ENGAGEMENTS

McClure-Stanecki

Shirley McClure of Farmington Hills, formerly of Birmingham, and Robert James McClure of Rochester Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie Jean, to James Stanecki, son of Stan and Barbara Stanecki of Northville.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Seaholm High School and the University of Arizona. She is employed by Octal Network Services in Allen Park as an account consultant.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Dearborn High School and Michigan State University. He is employed by Hydrex Industries Inc. as a project manager.

A December wedding is planned in the First United Methodist Church of Birmingham.

How to submit announcements

Local residents can send their engagement, wedding, anniversary or birth information along with a photograph to The Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River Ave. Farmington, Mich., 48335.

If you have questions, call (810) 477-5450.

Award winners

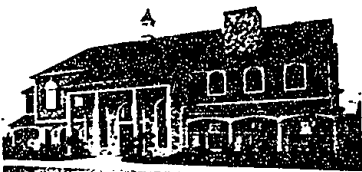


Scholarship recipients: Kimberly Davis of Farmington Harrison (far left) was among the 1995 winners of the Mary Alsager Scholarships. Also pictured are Mandy Schultz, Linda Rivetto, Ebony Reed and Emily Schmitt. The scholarships are funded each year by a fall luncheon benefit and are granted to high school junior or senior girls for the purpose of encouraging further enrichment of the recipients' life.

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