

A Word Portrait Of An Artist

Artists Make Home Castle Of Beauty

By BETTY BALDWIN

This is a "once upon-a-time story" about two artists who live on an average street in an ordinary neighborhood but they live in a most extraordinary castle of beauty.

It is a lovely jewel with the perfect setting. The last year's story one gets is that some fairly god-mother decided to bestow her blessings on this family, waved a wand and behold it appeared. The dream house of every little girl, and a home to take the imagination of women of every age, did not appear over-night however.

Betty Malloy, the artist with ideas, and a brush, her husband, Bob, the artist with wood, hammer, nails and paint, have together made this most beautiful and unusual home which is their continual project, their pride, their recreation, their love. Only love of beauty could have created this atmosphere.

As you walk to the front door you gasp at the delicate pink metal shutters and grill work against brown cedar shingles. An Italian bell ringer announces your visit and you are greeted by Betty or Bob Malloy, or son Robin, who is 16. The members of this household are an ardent and eager to show visitors around from the front door to the exquisite formal garden in back.

Novel decorating ideas abound everywhere. On the main wall in the living room is a shadow box with four rooms of dignity and rare miniature furniture. Before Betty Malloy became an artist she had another artist paint a miniature portrait of her son at 3 years of age, the painting hangs over the tiny organ in this doll house. Every room in the house and

the basement are rare and appealing, the excellence of every item is due to the careful thought and planning of these two artists.

The tool shed has scalloped shingles on its roof tall scalloped by the hands of Betty and Bob. As you stand before the home you half expect Hansel and Gretel to appear.

Robert Malloy is an engineer for Ford Motor Company and his engineering ability is evident everywhere. Betty Malloy said of her husband and son Robin, "they back me in everything I do. I don't think anyone could ask for anyone than that."

Recently Betty sold her first paintings at the Metropolitan Creative Art Guild Show. She helped greatly to make this show the success that it was. After selling her first painting she said, "I could hardly sleep all night I was so excited." We know she will sell many more paintings for she is very talented.

Betty makes attractive hooked rugs and gives them all away. She has been interested in chess painting and is also going to military classes. One of her latest creations was an Indian turban made of bright colored brocade with a large glass bubble drop, hanging from the center. It was the envy of all the women at a recent gathering.

Sarasota, Florida, has its famous John Ringling castle, California the Hearst mansion, all of the millions spent to impress people with the magnificent have achieved the exquisite, delicate refinement and beauty of this small American home at 1728 Wakendorn, Redford Township. It only proves that dollars and cents can't achieve what an artistic sense, and love of beauty, combined with patience and persistence can achieve along with the "know how."

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Kenwood Ladies Take Industry Tour in Detroit

Fourteen members of the Kenwood Women's Club were privileged to be included in the Detroit Backyards of Industry Tour sponsored by the Railroad Community Service Committee of Greater Detroit on Tuesday, Oct. 6.

Attending were: Mrs. William Hermann; Mrs. Nathaniel Banker; Mrs. David Lutz; Mrs. Clifford Seward; Mrs. Ted Ford; Mrs. Henry Dust; Mrs. Estelle Vaughan; Mrs. Robert Perry; Mrs. Axel Gabeiron; Mrs. Elmer Fiedler; Mrs. Everett Higgs; Mrs. Robert Beutner; Mrs. Howard Deane and Mrs. Fred Bokelmann.

There were approximately 650 club women of Metropolitan Detroit on this tour which started at the Michigan Central Depot with greetings from Mrs. George Romney and Mrs. Nell Staebler.

The train traveled south to Trenton, back through Detroit, then north to Seventeen Mile Road, viewing all the industries on the way, covering at least 100 miles of track.

Box lunches were served on the train and every courtesy was shown to the guests.



Jeanette Marlin

Mrs. and Mrs. Luigi Martini, Diddlestone Lane, Farmington, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanette, to William H. Zinger, son of Mr. H. Zinger, Harrison, Livonia. A May 1, 1965 wedding is planned. The prospective groom is a student at U. of M. Dearborn Extension Center and the future bride is a medical assistant for Dr. H. J. Kittler in Farmington. Both are 1961 graduates from Our Lady of Sorrows High School.

Following the monthly meeting a conservation program is planned. Highlight of the afternoon is a talk by Mrs. Blüch, the teacher sponsored by the club at Higgins Lake Conservation School.

Twins-Twice!
Dale and Patricia Wellings, Lyons Avenue, Livonia, are the parents of twin daughters, Valerie and Vickie. Everybody's doing fine, Valerie weighing in at 6 lbs., 8 oz. and Vickie at 6 lbs., 13 oz. Their birth date at St. Mary Hospital is Sept. 28. It is the second set of twins for the Wellings.

Newcomers to Mask for Party

The Plymouth Newcomers "Evening in Paris" party planned for Oct. 24 has been changed to a Halloween party. Costumes are optional. Chairman is Mrs. Robbie Robinson, 453-8393. Price will be one dollar per couple and everyone will supply their own beverages. Mrs. John Tveitman, 453-3368 or Mrs. Roland Godfrey, 453-9228 will be taking reservations until Oct. 22.

Newcomers are urged to attend; be frightened by ghosts and goblins.

Open House Begins New School Year

The P.T.O. of the Malley Catholic School of Holy Spirit School of Livonia will hold its first general meeting with an Open House so that all parents will have a chance to meet and talk with their children's teachers, and to inspect their children's work on Thursday, Oct. 29, at 6:30 p.m., Seven Mile Rd. and Gum.

Refreshments will be served by the P.T.O. Board Members.

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Federated Garden Club Flower Show At Warren's

One needs only to glance at the working plans of members of District One of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan to gather how expansive this 10th anniversary year of its table setting and flower arrangement exhibition is going to be.

The exhibit will be staged again under a sponsorship of Charles W. Warren and Company in Warren's Detroit galleries at 1520 Washington Blvd. with every bit of space on the three levels devoted to creations of the garden clubbers with an eye on the 1964 theme, "The Golden Torch." The dates are Oct. 14 through 16. The time is 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

Mrs. Keith B. Willoughby, District One director and chairman of the show, explains the theme as being "the torch shining far—embracing our state and our country in its warm glow." Symbolically, the "torch" reflects the many faceted impact of the United States on today's world as depicted in the dozens of table settings and arrangements for dawn to dusk functions.

All garden club members in District One have been invited to participate by setting tables, entering flower arrangements or serving as hostesses.

Mrs. Willoughby expects the exhibit to speak "significantly and appropriately of an eventual period in our country" and hopes that the theme which symbolizes the concept of liberty will challenge the artistry



of all flower arrangers and make the showing more beautiful than ever before. Coordinating the show, as she has done for the last decade, is Mrs. John F. Herling, of Warren's.

The center display window will feature a globe formed of golden hoops and an arrangement massed in a Steuben bowl to signify "Globe of World."

In the flanking windows, newly created Steuben eagles, on display for the first time, will be seen in one, while a miniature mountain with Steuben animals—great and small—in the other, are bound to bring forth a chuckle.

On past the lobby's "World Wide Welcome," a semblance of the good life and our heritage of ancient lands, the visitor will have an eye for the first-floor lighted niches which reflect the "Jeweled Look" through the use of small globes centered with dainty arrangements to complement matching pieces of jewelry.

Each interpretation is surpassed by the next and is a show well worth the trip downtown to see for all garden club members and their friends. A real exciting exhibit to excite the imagination.

Area garden clubbers who will exhibit or act as hostesses at the Federated Garden Club Show from Redford Township are Mrs. Allan Hill, Parkland; Mrs. Charles Langdon, Rockland; Mrs. C. K. Avery, Ivonhoe; Mrs. Joseph Mouray, Farley; Mrs. E. L. Ferris, Lexington; Mrs. Judson McWain, Naganogue.

From Livonia, Mrs. Henry F. Dust of Hillbrook. From Farmington in addition to Chairman Mrs. Willoughby, Mrs. Glenn H. Leland, Grand River; Mrs. O. H. Opt, Quaker Valley; Mrs. James P. Henry, Orchard Lake, and Mrs. Harold F. Brown, Mayfield.

Others are Mrs. Tracy Conroy, Grand River; Mrs. Walter M. Coon, Grand River; Mrs. Russell C. Lenz, Farmington; Mrs. Kenneth Trombley, Lee Lane, and Mrs. James E. Craig, Quakertown Lane.

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A Christmas Craft Workshop making decorations is in November. The second craft workshop is in April.

The Extension program is to educate the homemaker in many fields because homemaking is itself a large variety of chores.

The District Representatives, Mrs. Hovorka, Ve 3-6222, and Mrs. Andrews, 274-8116, are eager to talk to homemakers who are interested in joining, forming a study group to become a better Domestic Engineer.

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The Association, embarking on its Fifth Annual Christmas Card Sale, chose this young man's design not only because of its unusual beauty, but because it graphically demonstrates the potential of an emotionally disturbed youngster. The card, entitled "Candles," is done in red and black on a white background.

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MRS. VICTOR BUCCAFURRI

Buccafurri-Hart Wed

Choosing a floor length gown of Chantilly lace over slipper satin, trimmed in seed pearls, with waist train, Phyllis Ann Hart became the bride of Victor Buccafurri.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William Jarvin of Oak Park and Paul A. Hart of Westland, Redford Township.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor L. Buccafurri, Melvindale.

Rev. William Whitledge officiated at the double ring service Sept. 26 at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Livonia.

A maid of honor was Jean Padelford of Oak Park with Kathy Dewhurst, Connie Rice of Livonia and Kris Colston, Farmington, as junior bridesmaids.

Best man for the groom was Frank Migliacolo of River Rouge; ushers were Larry Smith, Garden City; Steven Rice, Livonia; Randy Wright, Detroit, and junior usher Gary Buccafurri, Melvindale.

Following the ceremony the young couple greeted guests at a reception at Roma Hall. After their wedding trip to Washington, D.C., they will be at home on Burgess St. in Detroit.

The new Mrs. Buccafurri attended Ferndale High, Cleary Business School and is now at Shaper School of Nursing, Sinal Hospital. Her groom attended Eastern High and is also at Sinal Hospital.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Ruppel of Florida and Mr. and Mrs. William Pickens, Sr., of North Carolina.

Alpha Chi Omega Make Fall Dates.

Epsilon, Group 4, of Alpha Chi Omega will attend the Founders Day Dinner, Tuesday, Oct. 20, at 6:30 at Greenfield Restaurant. Call reservations by Friday, Oct. 16, to Mrs. William McDonough, GA 2-3298, or Mrs. Eric Roberts, MI 6-2619.

A Halloween Costume Party for husbands and wives of Group 4 is planned for Saturday, Oct. 24, at 9:00 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones, 14209 Melvin, Livonia. RSVP, 423-2688.

Plymouth B&PW Travel via Talk

Plymouth Business and Professional Women's Club will hold their regular meeting on Monday, Oct. 19, at 6:30 at Hillside Inn. Guest speakers will be Dr. and Mrs. Fitch who have traveled a great deal and will talk on highlights of their trip through Mexico.

Final plans will also be made for the B&PW Membership Tea which will be held the first part of November.

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