

# Community Corner

## LOUISA'S LETTER



Dear Louisa,  
I was shocked several days ago when my young daughter asked me a simple question. She said, "Mother, is there anyone you really like?" I asked her why she said such a thing and she replied that everyone I mentioned was criticized and therefore she couldn't see how I could like them if I thought they were so bad, or so silly.

It made me think and I sat down and got a good look at myself. It was true that I had the habit of pointing out the unattractive habits of my friends as well

as those for whom I cared less. If someone said Mary had a pretty figure I would point out how fat she had become. If someone said Susie was friendly I'd remark that she was too friendly. If John was said to be good company I thought he was rather silly for one of his age.

Why had I been doing this? Everyone I had criticized was a very nice person with many admirable traits and few shortcomings. Why couldn't I have found something good to say about them?

Was it because I was envious or jealous of these people? I really had nothing to be jealous about. Am such an egotist that I think I can build myself up by tearing other people down? Do I think I am smarter and more perfect than other people? What do you think is wrong with me?

W.R.—N.J.

The people who look for the faults in others instead of praising their good traits do so as a usual thing because of an inferiority complex. They will be the last ones to admit this is so but they are actually trying to point out how much smarter they are than others and demanding homage from their associates.

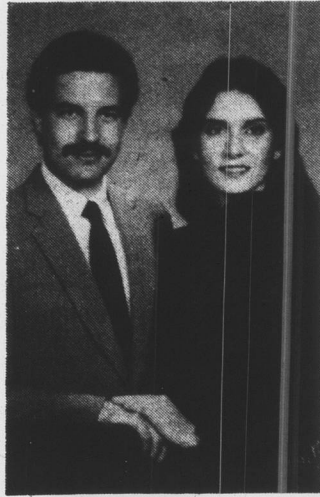
Unfortunately these people defeat the very thing they are trying to accomplish. They become very unpopular as many of their criticisms get back too those who were talked about.

They get the name of being conceited and dangerous as well as unpleasant to have around.

You should make a New Years Resolution for 1986 to accept people as they are. Every person is an individual and some who are agreeable and delightful associates are neither intellectuals nor of the highest social strata.

Try to see the good things in people and keep silent about faults.

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**PLANNING JUNE WEDDING**  
— Mr. and Mrs. David J. (Treva) Miller, 17331 CR 34, Goshen, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Emiline Miller, 636A Walter Way, Warsaw, and Jeffrey Brent Secaur, 677A Walter Way, Warsaw.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Willard (Irene) Secaur, 23171 Greenleaf Blvd., Elkhart.

Miss Miller is a graduate of Clinton Christian High School and received a bachelor of science degree in art from Grace College in 1984. She is presently employed with Ken Anderson Films, Warsaw.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Brethren Christian High School and received a bachelor of science degree in speech communications from Grace College in 1981. He is employed with The Image Group in Syracuse.

The couple plans a June 14 wedding at the Winona Lake Grace Brethren Church, Winona Lake.

## Visitor from Africa

Debra (Smoker) Ali is here from Sudan, Africa, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smoker.

Mr. and Mrs. Smoker entertained their family at a Christmas dinner with 26 present. The afternoon was enjoyed and a gift exchange was held.

## Cynthia Myrick becomes bride of Dov Rosenberg on Dec. 21

Cynthia Myrick became the bride of Dov Rosenberg in a double-ring ceremony Saturday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m. The wedding ceremony was conducted in the Goshen Holiday Inn with 140 guests present. Kosciusko County Judge James Jarrett officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myrick, 418 South Harrison Street, Syracuse, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Romer, Washington, D.C., and David Rosenberg, Kalamazoo, Mich.

The wedding room was decorated with an archway of doves woven through it. Green ferns were placed on either side of the archway. Candelabras with royal blue bows were also located in the room.

Annette Beer, pianist and Mary Hildinger, violinist, provided special musical selections. Sonya Shock, Syracuse, was the guest book attendant.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a long white gown with off the shoulder puff sleeves. The fitted bodice contained lace and seed pearls. The gown also featured a cathedral-length train. Her head-dress was a white derby hat with seed pearls and a veil. The bride carried white roses and baby's breath bouquet.

Mrs. Ryan Matherly, Elkhart, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor. She wore a royal blue taffeta tea-length gown with a jacket. Her head-dress was a royal blue cap edged in seed pearls with blue netting. She carried silk flowers in the colors of royal blue, white and pink.

Sarah Coy, Seneca, S.C., sister of the bride; Honna Rosenberg, and Janet Rosenberg, both of Lafayette and sisters of the bridegroom, were the bridesmaids. Their tea-length gowns were of royal blue taffeta with a jacket. Their head-dresses were royal blue caps edged in seed pearls with blue netting. They also carried silk flowers in



MR. AND MRS. DOV ROSENBERG

the colors of royal blue, white and pink.

Kelly Matherly, Elkhart, niece of the bride was the flower girl and Benjamin Matherly, Elkhart, nephew of the bride, was the ringbearer.

Al Grewe, Memphis, Tenn., was the best man. Grant Grigorian, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Craig Romer, Dallas, Texas; and Rob Langley, Titusville, Fla., were bridegroomsmen and ushers.

The bride's mother wore a pink crepe de chine street-length dress. The bridegroom's mother wore a gray velvet street-length dress.

A wedding reception was given immediately following the ceremony in Camelot Hall, North Webster. Royal blue candles with white flowers on the tables and blue bows and white bells hung

around the room decorated the hall. Portia Price, Syracuse, and Chris Humphrey, Kokomo, served the cake to guests. The buffet was of hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bitner, Syracuse, assisted in the serving. Music for listening and dancing was provided by David Knispel, Syracuse.

Following a wedding trip to Disney World, Fla., the couple will reside in Middletown, N.Y.

The bride is a graduate of Wawasee High School and will graduate this spring from Purdue University where she is majoring in retail management. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

Her husband is a graduate of Hobart High School and Purdue University. He is a member of Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity.

## Meals for Older Americans

Meals for Older Americans are served each day at the following locations: The Scout Cabin, Syracuse; the Piercetown Community Building; Mentone Community Room in the fire station; the Retired Tigers Center, 320 W. Main, Warsaw; and Packerton Community Building.

Meals for Older Americans is for persons 60 years or older and is a chance to meet new friends and enjoy hot, nutritional meals. The sites are opened several hours each day including noon for programs. Meals for Older Americans is not associated with welfare but is for the promotion for better health for the older

population. Donations are accepted for the meals.

The site directors request all persons planning on attending the meals to make reservations by 1 p.m. the day prior to attending.

Phone 457-2631 for Syracuse transportation and reservations.

January 9-January 15

**THURSDAY** — Orange juice, chicken and noodles, green beans with bacon bits, whole wheat bread, Bing cherry gelatin, milk, tea, and coffee

**FRIDAY** — Pineapple juice, sliced turkey roll with gravy, sweet potatoes, broccoli, dinner roll, pumpkin pie, milk, tea, and coffee

**MONDAY** — Assorted juice, chicken nuggets and sauce, potato salad, green beans w/mushrooms, whole wheat bread, margarine, sliced peaches, milk, tea, and coffee

**TUESDAY** — Orange-grapefruit juice, Italian veal patty w/cheese, florentine rice, Italian vegetables, Italian bread, margarine, milk, tea, and coffee

**WEDNESDAY** — Apple juice, smoked sausage, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, rye bread, margarine, frozen fruit salad, milk, tea, and coffee

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## Christmas Was Truly A Time Of Giving

The Wawasee Kiwanians were flooded with offers of money and goods during their collection time for the club's Needy Family Project. The contributions received helped to provide a very special Christmas celebration for those families who would have had either very little or nothing. Syracuse area residents and businesses truly opened their hearts to those less fortunate and brought in cash, toys, clothing, and food items! THANK YOU!

The Wawasee Kiwanis would like to offer special thanks to the following donors of \$100 or more, cash or merchandise:

Ace Hardware  
Helen & Harry Alfrey  
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Waterson's Grocery  
Wawasee Boat Co.  
Wawasee Kiwanis



## CALENDAR

Week Of January 8  
To January 15

### WEDNESDAY

Syracuse-Wawasee Chamber of Commerce  
7:45 a.m., in the Syracuse Town Hall  
Al-Anon  
9 a.m., in North Webster Church of God  
AA  
12 noon, in Syracuse Church of God  
Syracuse PTO Monthly Board Meeting  
12 noon in Syracuse Elementary LRC  
Goodwill Club  
1:30 p.m., in the House of Friendship  
North Webster Town Board  
7 p.m., in the town hall  
Syracuse Fire Department, Fire Drill  
7 p.m., at the fire station  
Eagles Auxiliary Meeting Aerie 3760  
7 p.m., in Lakeland Eagles, 404 Sycamore St., Syracuse  
Alcoholics Anonymous  
7:30 p.m., in Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road  
Al-Anon  
7:30 p.m., in Sacred Heart Church, Warsaw

### THURSDAY

Lakeland Woman's Club  
10 a.m., in North Webster United Methodist Church  
Wawasee Community Toughlove  
7 p.m., in Lakeland Youth Center, Syracuse. Parent support group for parents troubled by their teenager's behavior  
North Webster Lions Club  
7 p.m., fire station, North Webster  
Shady Ladies Bunco Club  
7:30 p.m.  
Turkey Creek Conservation Club  
7:30 p.m., in the Clubhouse  
Kappa Omicron Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority  
7:30 p.m.  
Adult-Children of Alcoholics  
7:30 p.m., in North Webster United Methodist Church  
Syracuse Lakeside VFW 1342  
8 p.m.,

### FRIDAY

Milford Kiwanis  
6:45 a.m., Milford Community Building  
Syracuse Retail Merchants  
8 a.m., in State Bank of Syracuse  
Alcoholics Anonymous  
7:30 p.m., in Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road  
Alcoholics Anonymous  
8 p.m., in Saint Andrew's United Methodist Church, Syracuse  
Heart of the Lakes Squares  
8-10:30 p.m., in Syracuse Elementary

### SATURDAY

Wawasee Kiwanis  
7 a.m., Gropp's, Syracuse  
Milford Area Development Council, Inc.  
9 a.m., in Milford Community Building  
Milford Emergency Medical Service  
11 a.m., in Milford Community Building  
Syracuse VFW Ladies Auxiliary  
1 p.m.

### SUNDAY

Alcoholics Anonymous  
10 a.m., North Webster Fire Station  
Milford Senior Citizens Carry-in Dinner  
1 p.m., Milford Community Building  
AA, Al-Anon, Alotene  
8 p.m., in North Webster United Methodist Church

### MONDAY

Lakeland Kiwanis  
6:45 a.m., in Church of God meeting room, North Webster  
Milford Town Board  
6:30 p.m., in the town hall  
F.O.E. Men's Meeting Aerie 3760  
7 p.m., in Lakeland Eagles 404 Sycamore St., Syracuse  
Al-Anon  
7:30 p.m., in United Methodist Church, Milford  
Columbian Reading  
7:30 p.m.  
Federated Women's Club Ladies of the Round Table  
7:30 p.m.  
Milford American Legion  
8 p.m.

### TUESDAY

Syracuse-Wawasee Rotary  
12 noon, Beacon Restaurant  
Home Arts Club  
1:30 p.m.  
Syracuse Business and Professional Women's Club  
6:30 p.m.  
Wawasee School Board  
7 p.m., in the administration building  
Syracuse Park Board  
7:15 p.m., in Syracuse Town Hall, open to the public  
Sugar N' Spice '81 Club  
7:30 p.m.  
Lakeland Art Association  
7:30 p.m., in Cardinal Center, Warsaw  
Milford Masons  
7:30 p.m., in the Masonic Lodge  
Warsaw Chapter of the Compassionate Friends  
7:30 p.m., in the Justice Building Community Room, Warsaw. A support group for bereaved parents. Anyone who has experienced the death of a child is encouraged to attend.  
Syracuse Coin Club  
7:30 p.m., in Lakeland Youth Center

### WEDNESDAY

Al-Anon  
9 a.m., in North Webster Church of God  
AA  
12 noon, in Syracuse Church of God  
Syracuse Lions Club  
6:30 p.m., in the Beacon  
Twilighters Bunco Club  
7:30 p.m.  
Lutheran Church Women  
7:30 p.m., in Syracuse Grace Lutheran Church  
Alcoholics Anonymous  
7:30 p.m., in Wawasee Episcopal Center, All Saints Episcopal Church, south shore of Lake Wawasee, one-half mile east of South Shore Golf Club on Vernon Road  
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7:30 p.m., in Sacred Heart Church, Warsaw  
Al-Anon  
7:30 p.m., in St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, Syracuse  
Syracuse Jaycees  
7:30 p.m., in Lakeland Eagles  
Psi Iota Xi  
7:30 p.m.