

"Beautiful Savior" Hymn 369

1. Beautiful Savior,  
King of Creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Truly I'd love Thee,  
Truly I'd serve Thee,  
Light of my soul, my Joy, my Crown.

2. Fair are the meadows,  
Fair are the woodlands,  
Robed in flowers of blooming springs;  
Jesus is fairer,  
Jesus is purer;  
He makes our sorrowing spirit sing.

3. Fair is the sunshine,  
Fair is the moonlight,  
Bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter,  
Jesus shines purer,  
Than all the angels in the sky.

4. Beautiful Savior,  
Lord of the nations,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor,  
Praise, adoration,  
Now and forevermore be Thine!

"Love Is the Gracious Gift" Hymn 505

1. Love is the gracious gift of your goodness;  
Love is the patient fruit of your care;  
Love is the gentle work of your Spirit,  
Who is the source of love ev'rywhere.

2. You loved me first, Lord, sending me Jesus  
Then I responded, trusting your Son.  
Now you invite me to love my neighbor,  
Showing your true love to ev'ryone.

3. Love means forgiveness, patience, and kindness;  
Love is not jealous, boastful, or rude.  
Love endures all things, bearing,  
believing;  
Love hopes forever, rejoices in truth.

4. Love in a marriage, love freely given,  
Love of a husband, love of a wife –  
Made to continue, blossom, and flourish,  
Grows ever deeper throughout this life.

5. Love among Christians, love in the fam'ly,  
Love for the Savior, whose blood was shed,  
Love and submission one to another  
As unto Christ, who reigns as our head.

We appreciate you for sharing in our happiness today. Each one of you are special to us, and we appreciate the love and kindness you show us.

Special thanks to Pastor Oliver Lindholm, who came out of retirement to counsel us and prepare us for our future together.

Thank you all for making this such a memorable day!

Russell and Kathleen Kludy

We each believe  
the other to be  
a giver of love,  
a bearer of sorrow,  
a bringer of joy,  
and a reason for life.



Kathleen and Russell  
July 22, 2011

Welcome to the Ceremony of Marriage Uniting

Kathleen Marie Saelens  
and  
Russell Dale Kludy

Friday, July 22, 2011  
3:00 PM

Risen Savior Lutheran Church  
McFarland, Wisconsin

Wedding Service

Processional:

“Canon in D” by Pachelbel

Call to Worship

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 128 - King James version

A song of ascents. Blessed are all who fear the Lord, who walk in obedience to him. You will eat the fruit of your labor; blessings and prosperity will be yours. Your wife will be like a fruitful vine within your house; your children will be like olive shoots around your table. Yes, this will be the blessing for the man who fears the Lord. May the Lord bless you from Zion; may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life. May you live to see your children's children — peace be on Israel.

Devotion:

Pastor Fager

Hymn: (lyrics on back cover)

“Beautiful Savior”

Marriage Rite: Marriage Promises, Exchange of Rings, Declaration of Marriage, and Marriage Blessing

Hymn: (lyrics on back cover)

“Love Is the Gracious Gift”

The Lord's Prayer:

Traditional Matthean version

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Recessional:

“Marche Triumphant” by Sassemannhausen

The Wedding Party

Matron of Honor:

Heather Lynn Jakubowski

Best Friend of Bride

Best Man:

William S. K. Kludy

Brother of Groom

Bridal Attendants:

Lori Ann Curley

Friends of Bride and Groom

Sharon Dillon

Tina Soede

Parents of Bride:

Dale and Bessie Saelens

Parents of Groom:

Frederic and the late Kathryn Kludy

Officiant

Pastor Nathan Fager

Organist

Carol Korth

In Memoriam

Kathryn Kludy (1944-2011)

“Kathy”, the groom's mother, was part of the design committee for the church. She picked out the church's décor, and her touches are everywhere. Kathy gave many hours of service to the church and its community, and her memorial service was at Risen Savior. We wanted to have happy memories here as well. She would have wanted us to be married in the church.

The prayer garden being built on the church grounds was started with money donated to the church from Kathy's memorial, as per her wishes. Following her example, we donated money for a meditation and prayer bench and a memorial brick as part of the pathway for the garden as a tribute to her.

Paul Saelens (1968-2008)

Paul was the bride's only sibling and a very important part of her life. No matter where they lived in childhood, the two were together. Although Paul has passed from this world, he remains ever-present in Kathleen's life, especially on this special day.