

LIFESTYLES

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ENGAGEMENT

Amy Morrison and Gary Hart

Amy Morrison, International Falls, and Gary Hart, International Falls, announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Leonard and Stephanie Morrison, International Falls. The groom-elect is the son of Karla and the late Raymond Hart, International Falls. Amy is a 2007 graduate of Falls High School and in 2011 received a bachelor's degree in banking and financial economics from the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, N.D. She is a real estate loan processor at TruStar Federal Credit Union, International Falls. Gary is a 2001 graduate of Falls High School and is a truck driver at Mannco Trucking, International Falls. A Saturday, Sept. 21, 2013, wedding ceremony at St. Paul Lutheran Church, International Falls, is planned by the couple.



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MEMORIAM

In loving memory of **Riley and Tasha Burnell**, who passed away one year ago, Sept. 6.
*We thought of you today,
But that is nothing new;
We thought of you yesterday,
And will tomorrow, too.*

*We think of you in silence,
And make no outward show;
For what it meant to lose you,
Only those who love you know.
Remembering you is easy,
We do it every day;*

*It's the heartache of losing you,
That will never go away.*
Lovingly remembered
by
**Linda Gari
Gary and Amanda
Ryan and Niki**

Make the library a family routine

The school year has started; establish habits now that will help your children succeed in school and life. Make the library a regular part of your family's routine.
Family has been on my mind and in the books I'm looking at lately. My thoughts on my family have definitely been cheerier than the books.
Susan Lewis has written a thoroughly suspenseful novel about the darkest secrets a family can hide in *No Child of Mine*. Alex Lake leads a life centered on helping people. She is a social worker and it is her essence. Then she encounters Ottilie Wade, a 3-year-old mysteriously silent and asocial even though she's perfectly healthy and lives in a nice house. But Alex senses something isn't right, but can she get to the bottom of the case without risking her job and the life she loves.
A Family Affair by ReShonda Tate Billingsley has the tagline "it's too late to change the past – but it's never too late to forgive." Sounds like pretty good advice for dealing with family. Olivia Dawson has dreamed of studying dance at Julliard and it is now in reach, but



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she turns down the opportunity to stay with her ailing mom, who upon learning that her daughter is sacrificing college for her reveals that her father isn't dead and in fact is the CEO of a rich corporation. Olivia must decide how to deal with this knowledge. Is healing possible to move on to a bright tomorrow?
How often do life's sweetest moment happen when you least expect them and when life seems darkest? Janis Thomas has written a bittersweet story in *Sweet Nothings*. Ruby McMillan is forty-something when her husband announces he is leaving her for another woman. Can she pick up the pieces, stop following the recipe for a successful life and just live?
"A thriller about the dangers of marriage and

a detective story about the unsolvable mysteries of love, art and other people" sounds intriguing and a little strange. *Mystery Girl* by David Gordon combines an unemployed used-book store clerk, a wife who left him, an eccentric private eye, Satanists and more to create a novel about the decline of western civilization or at least the death of the novel.
The library received a donation in memory of Dennis Lee Norwig with the request that we buy aviation materials. We've purchased a number of titles about pilots in World War II including *Frozen in Time* by Mitchell Zuckoff which is an epic story of survival and a modern quest for lost heroes. *The Tuskegee Airmen* by Joseph Caver, Jerome Ennels and Daniel Haulman is an illustrated history covering the years 1939-1949 with a comprehensive chronology of missions and events.
Cronkite's War by Walter Cronkite IV and Maurice Isserman which is his World War II letters home. John J. Geoghegan has written about Japan's top secret submarines and its plan to change the course of World War II in *Operation Storm*.

LOOKING BACK

BLAST FROM THE PAST

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25 YEARS AGO

In honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Don and Beryl Kirtland, their children invite you to an open house Sept. 11, 2 to 4 p.m., at Littlefork Apartments.
A longtime fixture of the Borderland business district at the corner of Third Street and Fifth Avenue vanished on Wednesday. The building, which housed at various times a pizza house, an insurance agency, a hamburger restaurant, a bakery and a beauty shop, was torn down to make room for a proposed office development titled Diamond Plaza.

40 YEARS AGO

Gordy Dault, a hard-nosed fullback for the 1967 Broncos, has been appointed to head Northome's nine-man football program this season.
Private Michael A. Sorensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Sorensen, 400 11th St., has completed the eight-week medical corpsman course at the U.S. Army Medical Training Center in Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

50 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Donald Hallgren, the former Kathleen Elizabeth Browman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Browman, 924 Sixth St., on Tues-

day began her duties as first grade teacher at John Hay Elementary School in Minneapolis.
Miss Carol Vold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Vold, 101 14th St., will graduate from the Crookston School of Practical Nursing at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 10.
Mrs. Alfred Leinum was pleasantly surprised on her birthday at a dinner party at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Leinum. Also present for the event were her grandchildren Jimmie and Sharlyn Leinum, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson.
A girl was born today at

Falls Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sandstrom, Roger's Route, 9 pounds, 4 ounces.
60 YEARS AGO
The new trailer home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Christensen was inspected by about 25 friends and relatives Tuesday evening when they called to help celebrate the couple's joint birthday anniversaries. The birthdays of both Mr. and Mrs. Christensen fall on Sept. 1.
John Piekarski, metalsmith fireman, USN, is spending a 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Piekarski, 1315 13th Ave.

Two new instructors will join the staff of St. Thomas Parochial School with the start of the new term Tuesday. They are Sister Virginia, who will succeed Sister Maxine as principal, and Sister Charlene, who will replace Sister Theresa Marie as seventh grade instructor.
Mrs. Kenneth Johnston, Island View Route, was honored at a stork shower at her home.
70 YEARS AGO
About 50 friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hall in Holler for a farewell party honoring Miss Marvel Hall, who will

leave next week to attend State Teachers College in Bemidji.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Passe, Ketola Apartments, announce the birth of a daughter, Pamela Sue, today at the Laurion Maternity Home.
A surprise birthday party for Mrs. Sadie Watrous was given at her home, 1110 1/2 Sixth St. Twelve guests were present.
Mr. and Mrs. G. Selsaas, 505 Sixth St., announce the recent marriage in St. Paul of their daughter, Edith, to Master Sgt. Henrik E. Sandstrom, member of a bomber squadron at Key Field, Miss.

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*Bridal Shower in honor of Mindy Ludovissie
(Bride to-be of Noah Anderson)*

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at Bethany Lutheran Church, Loman

Couple is registered at Target,
Mills Fleet Farm and Herbergers.

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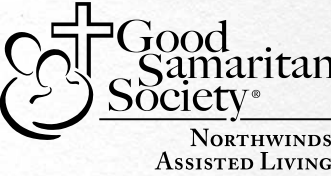
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