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The Björling Wedding Anders Björling and Judie Ziemke Marry



In the impressive surroundings of Christ Chapel on the campus of Gustavus Adolphus College in St. Peter, Minnesota, the wedding of Anders Björling and Judie Ziemke took place on May 17th, 2014. They were surrounded by family and some close friends, including Lars Björling and Stig Westman, who traveled from Sweden for the occasion. Mr. Westman and Anders have known each other since they were ten years old.

We see the couple in a photo taken during the ceremony, listening to Lars Björling singing Evert Taubé's "Så skimrande var aldrig havet," which brought tears to everybody's eyes; in Anders words, "a beautiful moment."

A reception followed at their home in St. Peter. It was a gorgeous Minnesota day (unlike much of the stormy weather earlier in May), so everyone was able to be outside and enjoy the comfort and splendor of their backyard, including Anders' daughters, Lisa, Susie and Jennifer (at left).

The couple honeymooned in Athens, Santorini and Istanbul, enjoying the history, architecture, sculpture, mosaics and frescos dating back as far as 1600 BC. They returned home on June 11th.

Our congratulations to the newlyweds!

