

Talk It Over

To Be Alone

By ANNE CULKIN



Dear Miss Culklin:
There are nine in our family. Our home is not too big and I share a room with two of my sisters. I don't mind this but sometimes I think I'll go crazy if I can't get off somewhere by myself. Is this a natural thing to want to be alone sometimes? My older sister said I'm nuts. I'm seventeen. Do you know of other girls my age who don't always want to be with people? Want To Be Normal?

Dear Want To Be Normal:
Relax, you are normal. You would have reason for concern if you had a fear of being alone. Everyone needs time away from all people regardless of how close we are, and this includes the family with whom we live. There must be some time when we can get off in our own little spot and figure out where we are going. Or, perhaps, to spend the time doing nothing more than allowing ourselves to "Unwind" completely.

Christ himself pointed out the need for it. For how many times do we read throughout the new testament where He left His apostles and went off alone. The person who should have cause for concern is the one who finds her own company even for a half-hour a day.

The one who must be constantly on the move or have some form of distraction (people, radio TV) if she is not to experience a frustrating restlessness. She is the one, Want To Be Normal, who is missing so very much. For never has she learned what a big lift a little solitude can give to the body as well as the soul. Be happy you have learned it while still young!

Dear Miss Culklin:
What do you think is the best brand of cosmetics for a girl of sixteen to use? Often you hear people say that all make-up will ruin your complexion but that some of it is worse than others. There are at least ten of us that will be waiting for your answer.

Dear Grace:
Brand names are not mentioned in this column. And yet if I did favor it, it would be difficult to state any one product as being the very best. But all women should remember that the high-priced brand doesn't necessarily mean the superior brand.

If all were conscious of this, women would not spend over six hundred-million dollars a year on cosmetics as they do in this country. The girl of sixteen should be contributing very little to this total, for her greatest beauty, youthfulness, that can't be purchased at any price, is her greatest attractiveness. In fairness, we can't say that your complexion would be ruined by makeup, but do rid yourself of it by washing your face well before retiring. The pores of the face must breathe.

Dear Perfume Lover:
A delicate aroma is definitely feminine; strong perfumes are nauseating to most people.

Dear Miss Culklin:
Isn't it all right to leave Mass after Communion if you really must. I have been criticized for this but I must do it in order that my mother can get to the

next Mass. I always sit in the back of the Church so not too many people can see me leave. Please reply soon. M.C.

Dear M.C.:
Anyone who really understood the Mass would under NO CONDITION leave until its completion unless there was a grave reason for their doing so. One cannot help but wonder if persons leaving a church during the distribution of Communion would "walk out" on a world of celebrities as they do on the King of Kings. If there is no way for you to arrange to attend an earlier Mass in order that your mother can attend a later one, then I suggest you discuss the situation with your pastor.

Dear Miss Culklin:
I'm one of the fellows from the University that you lectured to last year. I remember a lot of the things you said about what a girl expects of a boy in the way of etiquette, but need a refresher on what she expects when you take her to dinner. About To Do It

Dear About:
The rules aren't many, but they are important to any girl who feels worthy of being treated as a lady and important to a boy who wants to earn the title of gentleman. In brief:

The time set for the dinner should not be too early nor should it be so late that the girl finds it necessary to satisfy her appetite and spoil her dinner by eating something to sustain her before leaving her home.

When you meet the young woman, tell her where you plan to have dinner, but do ask her if your choice is agreeable to her or if she would prefer another restaurant.

Open all doors (restaurant, car) for her. And do remember it is she who follows the head waiter or hostess to the table by preceding you.

The girl is seated with your assistance before you are seated.

The young woman gives her order to you and you in turn give it to the waitress before placing your own order. "The lady will have . . ."

A gentleman stands when a lady leaves and returns to a table. If another woman stops at the table to say hello, again the man stands and remains standing until the woman asks him to be seated.

Have a good time!

Dear Mrs. G.:
When addressing a Bishop in person, call him either Your Excellency or Bishop.

Smorgasbord Set In Perkinsville

Perkinsville — The annual smorgasbord benefit of Sacred Heart Church, Perkinsville, will be held Saturday, Sept. 22 with servings at 4, 5, 6 and 7 p.m. at the fire hall. There will be entertainment. The food will be prepared by women of the parish.

Since this is an Ember Day, the committee reminds patrons to save their one full meal for the smorgasbord. Mrs. Adam Engel is chairman; Mrs. Robert Edmond, co-chairman; Mrs. Arthur Gessner, kitchen; Mrs. Stephen Malter, dining room; Mrs. Theodore Conrad, advertising; Mrs. Clarence Gessner and Mrs. Margaret Forsythe, co-chairman.

New Editions Of Two Books

"The Love of Learning and the Desire for God," by Jean Leclercq, O.S.B., and Karl Adam's "The Christ of Faith" will be published by New American Library on June 21st as part of its new paperback series, Mentor-Omega, a program devoted to publishing major works of Catholic scholarship. William and Mary Birmingham are the general editors of the series.

Father Adam, one of the great living German Catholic theologians, speaks in "The Christ of Faith" of the person and work of Christ. He compares the concept of Christ, Catholic and Protestant, pointing out those traditions which Catholic and Protestant share.

Libraries Open On Saturdays

The Rochester Public Library and its 12 branches will resume Saturday operations on Sept. 15.

The new fall schedule will reopen the main library and the branches from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays. Weekday hours will continue, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the main library and 2-9 p.m. at the branches. The libraries are closed on Sundays.

O'Malleys Mark 35th Anniversary

Geneva — Captain and Mrs. John E. O'Malley Sr., of 205 Fulteney St., were honored at a buffet supper recently on their 35th wedding anniversary.

The party, given by their children, was held in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John E. O'Malley Jr., of 281 Washington St.

The O'Malleys were married on Labor Day, 1927, in St. Francis de Sales Church. They have two sons, John E. O'Malley Jr. and Robert K. O'Malley; and two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Jane) Kelleher, of Arlington, Va., and Miss Eileen O'Malley, Geneva.

Family Rosary Radio Program

Family Rosary for Peace broadcast nightly by radio WSAY at 7 p.m. will be led by the following this week:

Friday, Sept. 14 — Thomas K. Cavanaugh, St. John the Evangelist parish, Rochester, accompanied by members of Rochester Council 178 K of C.

Saturday, Sept. 15 — William A. Feldman, Sacred Heart parish.

Sunday, Sept. 16 — Edward Johnson, Our Lady of Perpetual Help parish.

Monday, Sept. 17 — Robert Brophy, Sacred Heart, with St. Thomas More Club.

Tuesday, Sept. 18 — Representative of Holy Cross Alumnae.

Wednesday, Sept. 19 — James Brophy, Our Lady of Good Counsel parish.

Thursday, Sept. 20 — Dan Jerzak, SS. Peter and Paul's with Laymen's Retreat League of that parish.

General Retreats Set At Cenacle

A general retreat for women will be held at the Cenacle Retreat Home, 603 East Ave., during the two weekends of Sept. 28-30 and Oct. 5-7. These retreats will both be conducted by the Rev. John A. Hughes, S.J.

The first weekend is scheduled for nurses and members of St. John's parish, Greece; and the second for members of St. James Parish. However, places will be available to anyone from other parishes for either weekend. These are the last general retreats scheduled until December.

Reservations are being accepted at the Cenacle Convent now at Browning 1-8755. Early reservations will receive preference of choice of rooms. Seventeen private rooms are available in the new wing, as well as many lovely rooms in the older part of the house.

The retreats open with dinner at 6:30 p.m. on Friday evening and close Sunday afternoon about 4:30 p.m., following Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Included are eight conferences by the retreat master, and opportunity for daily Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament exposed.

MRS. JOHN CLAPP Clapp-Donovan Vows Exchanged

Miss Mary Ellen Donovan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Donovan of Warwick Ave., became the bride of John Clapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clapp of Timpat Dr., Sept. 8 at St. Augustine Church. The bride's uncle, the Rev. Robert J. Nelson, S.J., of Canisius College, officiated.

Mrs. Michael Donovan was matron of honor and Miss Jeanne Donovan, maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Thelma McDonald, Miss Mary Ann Garigan and Miss Elaine Nelson.

James Clapp was best man and ushers were Michael Donovan, Thomas Mooney, Roger Wagner and Thomas Nientim.

The bride and groom are both attending LeMoyné College.

'The One'

By MARY TINLEY DALY

You will find her wherever you go. Matter of fact, you can scarcely miss her.

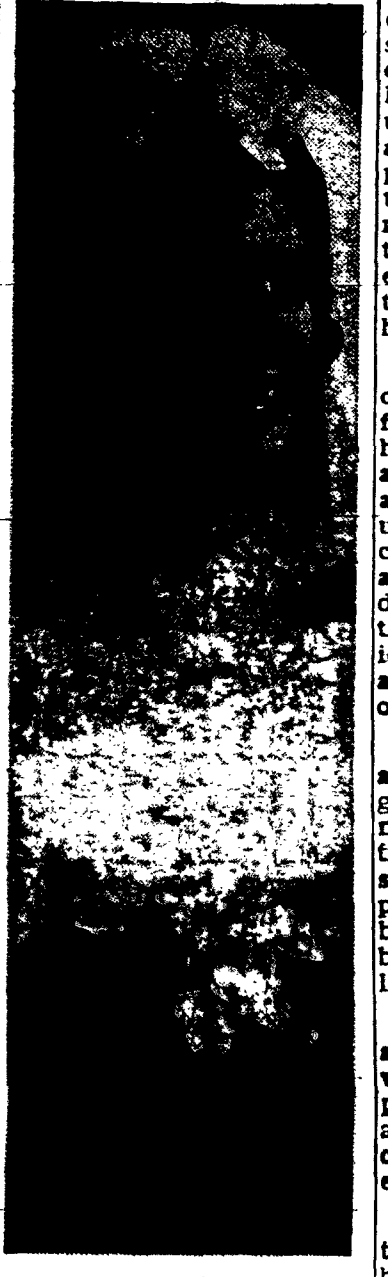
She is who parks her car straddling the white line, taking two spaces. In the supermarket, she and her cart stand squarely front and center of the "special for this week," be it lamb, turkey, ham or beef. As she picks up, squintingly appraising and discarding piece after piece of meat, other customers must reach in from around the fringes and accept what luck sends their way.

In the beauty parlor, she is the one who swoops up all the latest magazines on her way to the dryer, keeping them in her lap while other patrons read the oldies.

She is to be found in the bank. Umbrella, purse, coat, are spread across the counter while less intrepid customers double up at other counters.

AT A SALE, she is ahead of everybody else, draping six or seven of the choicest garments over her arm while she "makes up her mind."

On a bus, she pushes past the crowd and exclaims herself in an end seat, piling up bundles



MRS. JOHN CLAPP

MRS. CLIFFORD T. JOSLIN Joslin-Rowland Nuptials Said

Miss Patricia Mary Rowland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Rowland of Dunedin, Fla., and Clifford T. Joslin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Joslin of Camden St., were married Sept. 1 at Holy Cross Church. The Rev. Robert H. Fennessy officiated.

Mrs. John P. Tuffey Jr. was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Linda Walsh and Miss Sandra Heuck. Benjamin O'Brien was best man and ushers were John Chambers, William Kaiser and John Bellanger.

The room is a graduate of Boston College and the bride from the University of Rochester.

Women's Choral Club Rehearsal

First rehearsal of the Women's Choral Club for the fall season will be held at Alice Selbold's residence at 2407 St. Paul Blvd., on Tuesday, Sept. 18, at 8 p.m.

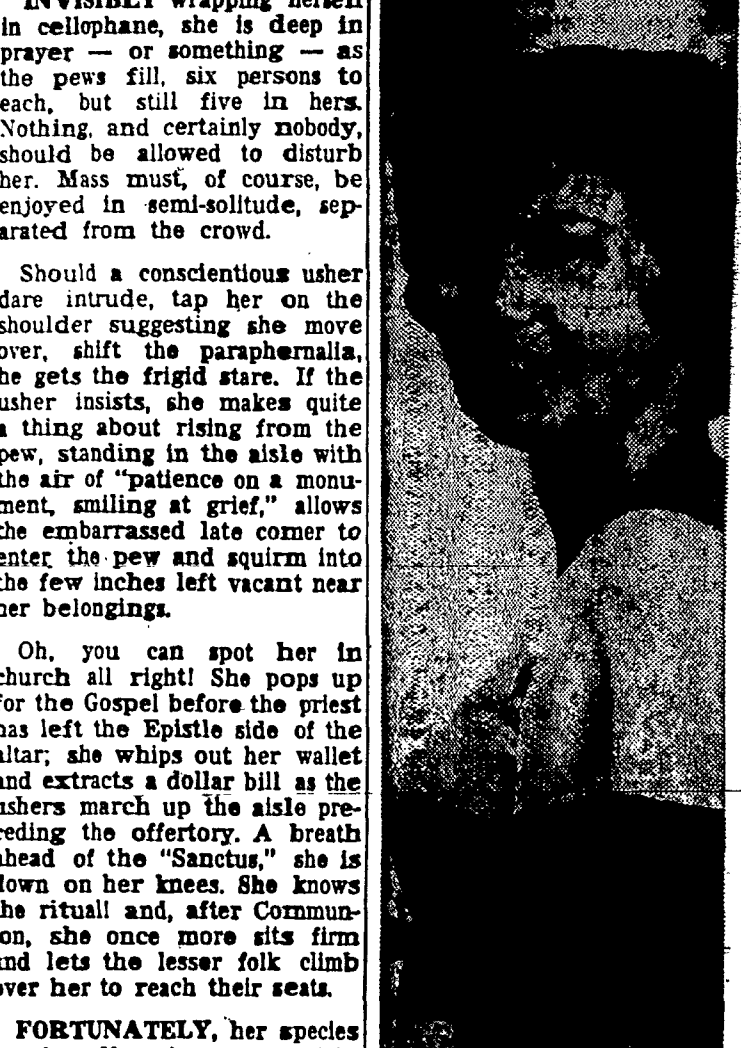
After rehearsal there will be a social get-together and plans will be made for next year.

Shank-Mangione Wedding Held

Miss Josephine Marie Mangione, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Mangione of Martin St., and Frederick A. Shank, son of Mrs. Charlotte Shank of Schwartz St., were married Sept. 8 at St. Bridget's Church. The Rev. William Reed officiated.

Mrs. Joseph A. Cappon was matron of honor and Miss Carol Ann Lane was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were the Misses Josephine Bellavia, Geraldine Morigelli, Elizabeth Shank, Mariann Tantalio, Beverly Vassallo and Sandra Baur. Barbara Bartlett was flower girl and Bruce Vassallo, ring bearer.

John Shank was best man for his brother and ushers were Charles Mangione, Gaspar Mangione, Ernest McGowan, David Healy, Gary Clark and Joseph Amoroso.



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