

Ritchey – Gress United



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ritchey

Misty Jo Gress of McConnellsburg and Michael Thomas Ritchey of Hustontown were united in marriage November 8, 2008, at Knobsville United Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mary Robison of McConnellsburg and Michael Gress of Statford, Okla. The groom is the son of Tom and Doris Ritchey of Hustontown.

The wedding ceremony was performed by Pastor Bill Kuhn. Music was provided by pianist Beth Barmont.

Bridesmaids were Tiffany Sowers, Krissy Buterbaugh and Amanda Souders, all of McConnellsburg, and Valerie Harper of Orbisonia, all friends of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Alexandria and Bridgette Ritchey, daughters of the groom. Malaina Ritchey, daughter of the couple, was the flowergirl. Guestbook attendant was Dawn Mahoney of McConnellsburg, friend of the bride.

Groomsmen were Joe and Timothy Ritchey, both of

Hustontown; and Jeff Ritchey of McConnellsburg, all brothers of the groom; and Chad Gress, McConnellsburg, brother of the bride. Junior groomsmen was Dayten Gress, nephew of the bride, was the ring-bearer. Ushers were Ronnie Barnhart and Chad Harmon, both of McConnellsburg, friends of the couple.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the American Legion in McConnellsburg. Decorations and flowers were done by Pat Decker and Elvey's Flower Shop. Photography was by Krissie Earley. Food was prepared and catered by Michael and Linda Banks and the wedding cake was by Sue Fleming.

The groom is employed by Pro-Tube in Zullinger and the bride is employed by Dr. William Milroth of McConnellsburg.

They reside in McConnellsburg.

Care Tips For Injured Pets

One of the most distressing events for pet owners to encounter is witnessing their pet being injured in a road traffic accident, or some other type of mishap that causes injury. When your pet does become injured, here are some tips from HomeoPet to increase your pet's chance of a speedy recovery.

Get your pet out of harm's way. If your pet was involved in a road traffic accident, move the animal to the side of the road, using slow, deliberate movements. You don't want to scare the already frightened animal or worsen any injuries that your pet may have suffered.

Call a veterinarian. Add your veterinarian's telephone number into your cellphone speed dial in case of an emergency, or if you are traveling, the number of a local veterinarian. Do not administer fluids or food to the animal in case an anesthetic is needed, unless instructed by the vet, as in the case of a diabetic with low blood sugar.

Stop any bleeding. To stop heavy bleeding, apply firm pressure with a clean towel or cloth. This is usually better than a tourniquet, which can lead to tissue death from lack of Olsen. To stop a graze bleeding, apply powdered pepper or turmeric, which are easily available and wonderful clotting agents.

If an injured animal feels icy cold due to shock, wrap a plastic bottle filled with warmed water in a towel to avoid burning or overheating the animal. Never put a hot water bottle directly against the animal. The animal can also be wrapped in insulating material such as a rug, a thermal blanket, or even bubble wrap. If an animal is in shock, a quiet, dimly lit space can be helpful.

When a pet has been badly injured and is not easily handled due to pain, use a large rug to transport dogs, or a cage (or box) lined with a towel for small pets such as cats, rabbits or hamsters. If you suspect fractures, a board can be used like a stretcher. Remember, even the most friendly

pet may bite when in pain. A thick towel wrapped around your arm and hands can help. A tie or soft rope can be used as an emergency muzzle or leash.

Clean wounds can be washed with calendula herbal tincture (available at most health food stores), 10-20 drops in tepid water. Infected wounds can be safely cleaned with tepid salt water. Use as much salt as will dissolve in water.

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