



MARRIED: Jessica Rosman and Marty McAuliff

Jessica Rose Rosman and Marty Matthew McAuliff were joined in marriage on September 5 aboard the MV Kearsarge in Sunapee Harbor. Captain David Hargbol performed the ceremony, attended by 50 friends and family members.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents, Andre and Joanne Rosman of Summit, New York. The groom's parents, James and Nadia McAuliff of Amsterdam, New York, and sister Allana McAuliff and her fiance Eric Sendz-

icki, were present to share their day.

The simple and elegant sunflower-themed ceremony kicked off as Jessica's father escorted her down the pathway to the harbor, and the couple boarded the MV Kearsarge to take their vows on the upper deck. During the wedding cruise, many boaters sounded their horns in congratulations to the happy couple.

Jessica and Marty own a home in Potter Place. The couple enjoyed a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Virginia.

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Wednesday: Hilly hard run
 Thursday: Easy one hour
 Friday: Easy one hour with 100-meter repeats
 Saturday: Easy one hour
 Sunday: Long run, two to three hours

This schedule has paid off. In January Brian ran the Disney Marathon. At 39 years of age he ran a 3:19 marathon, qualifying him once again for the famed Boston Marathon in both 2009 and 2010.

Brian isn't the only runner in the family. His wife, Dr. Sarah Lester, is an avid early morning runner, logging 40 plus miles a week. She's working her way toward an Ironman Triathlon next year. Their four children – Matthew, David, Sophia, and Mychal Reynolds – have all competed in 5Ks. Their youngest, Mychal, crawled across a finish line

at the mere age of 7-months. Brian adds that their kids don't run a race unless they want to.

I asked Brian how it feels to be an Ultraman? He says, "It's funny. When I hear 'Ultraman' I think of an old Japanese super-hero that was popular when I was eight." But he demurs, "In a way I feel sort of lazy. One reason to do ultras is to avoid speed work. It's mostly easy running...walking/hiking is part of the event...walk up a hill until you can see the top then run reasonably down hills and flats."

Brian may feel lazy, but perhaps the super-hero is a more fitting image. He's considering running the Vermont 50 at the end of September, and, while participating in this "hobby," Brian works full-time, has four children, is the den leader for his sons' Scout troop, and serves as a community representative on the School Board's Hamp House task force.

Sounds like an Ultraman to me!

Remembering Rick Nowell

By Rick Nowell's family

Read by Mike French, his brother-in-law, at the memorial service for Rick.

We would like to thank all of you for coming here today to commemorate the life of Rick Nowell.

We would like to express a special thanks to Jane for loving and caring for Rick. We know that it was not always easy, but you did it well. Thank you, Jane, and we love you. You brought to Rick's life much joy and happiness. You gave to him the most precious gifts of all, his two wonderful sons, Christopher and Derrick.

His love for his family was so great that he was able to step back, analyze his life, and make changes that enabled him to live more fully and enjoy his family and life.

Rick was a determined person, who worked very hard to achieve his goals. We as a family are very proud of his accomplishments. Rick conquered alcoholism 21 years ago. He enjoyed a 25-year marriage and was a devoted father, brother, neighbor, and friend.

He enjoyed vacations to the ocean, golfing, family gatherings, and his many friends. He especially enjoyed

watching his two sons mature into responsible young men.

He could always be found playing football, lacrosse and baseball from the sidelines. He knew all the players and had nicknames for each of them.

He was also very proud of his family's accomplishments: his son Christopher's college graduation, his career, and his beautiful fiancée, Melissa. As Rick would say, "She's a keeper!" We love you, Melissa and Chris.

Rick loved Derrick very much and could often be heard bragging of his accomplishments and athletic abilities and his acceptance to Proctor Academy. Rick enjoyed seeing Derrick through his freshman year. We all know he would want you to give it your best effort and to succeed. We love you too, Derrick.

We have learned many life lessons from you, Rick. One is that it takes determination to succeed, and another is that it takes love to build a happy family.

We love you, Rick, and we'll miss you dearly. Our lives are richer for the memories we have of you, the love you shared with us, the pain and challenges we faced together, and your unforgettable personality.



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