

October 20, 1979

Dear Sir,

~~Trust~~ all is well.

The Parish Council will appreciate you please print the enclosed before Nov. 11, 1979 in "The Armenian Churchman".

Many thanks.

Soon, I will send another publicity for 50th Anniversary of Holy Cross Church (N.Y.) Armenia.

Kind regards to all.

Sincerely,
Arax D. Mirjanian
Publicity Chairman

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kejejian to be Honored at New York Holy Cross Church of Armenia Holy Cross File

On November 11, 1979, following Church services, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kejejian of New Jersey will have an occasion to remember.

The Kejejian's will be celebrating their 75th Wedding Anniversary, which is, to-day, becoming a "precious rarity."

Thus, the Parish Council, together with the 50th Anniversary Celebration Committee of Holy Cross Church of Armenia found the Kejejian's deserving to "honor," also "respect."

Mrs. Kejejian was born in Surin. Mr. Simon Sepatier. Their meeting each other is a very interesting story and a blessing. Result a devoted loving couple.

The Kejejian's are sincere Homemakers and succeeded to raise their children, likewise.

Their daughters are Shemina Afarian, Marion Altabarnakian, son, George, son-in-law, Hagop Afarian and Roupen Altabarnakian, and five lovely grand children.

Mrs. Kejejian was for four years, the Kitchen Supervisor, for Ladies Society of the Holy Cross Church of Armenia. With her Capable Staff, prepared a variety of delectable meals, including "The Famous Katak."

Mr. and Mrs. Kejejian have always been sincerely active in their beliefs - also, generous with their time and financial contributions to organizations and Good Causes.

... have served on the Executive Committees of Holy Sepulchre,
Holy Cross Church of Armenia (N.Y.) presently, too, in St. Thomas
Armenian Church, (Tenafly, N.J.) active in Armenian Diocese
America, as well as A. H. B. U.

The musical portion will consist of Alice Kejejian,
Armenoulie Altabarnakian, piano, Levon
Altabarnakian, piano (grandchildren). Their son-in-law -
Louper Altabarnakian is a "master of the lute". He will
play it. Son George, will speak, along with Rev. Vartan
Meghuerian, Pastor, (Holy Cross Church of Armenia). Mr. John
Sembeck is the capable "Master of Ceremonies."

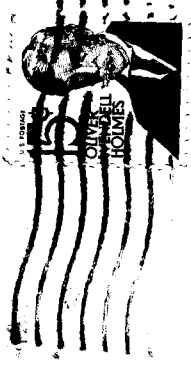
Archbishop Sarkom Manouagian will preside, during
Church services, and at dinner deliver the Invocation and
Convoation.

a delicious dinner will be served. Only \$5 per person.
May the Kejejian's, get celebrate their 75th Wedding
Anniversary.

Mark the date, Nov. 11, 1979. Too attend the Church.
See you then, at Holy Cross Church and in Auditorium.

Arax D. Merjanian
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- 1 a - Diocese of Armenian Church of America
- 1 b - Rev. Vartan Megherian
- 2 - 580 West 187th Street
New York, N.Y. 10033
- 3 - -
- 4 - yes - 630 Second Ave ^{N.Y. N.Y.} and 209-15 Horace Hardy
Bayside, N.Y. 11364
- 5 - Graduate of St. James Armenian Theological Seminary
of Jerusalem
Northwestern University of Evanston, Ill.
- 6 - a - yes
- 7 - February 29, 1948, ^{St. James} Armenian Church, Evanston, Ill.
by Archbishop Tiran Xercoyan (then
Diocesan Primate)
- 7 a - yes
- 7 b - no
- 7 c - none
- 7 d - Counseling of parishioners, occasional meetings
of parish committees.