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## Man's true thoughts about his marriage are laid bare

DEAR ABBY: Our son "Ted" met a young lady,
"Gina," who I really like.
She told him she had polycystic ovary syndrome and would have a hard time conceiving. Well, she got pregnant and they ended up, spur of the moment, going to the courthouse to get married.

When Gina went into labor, we drove three hours to be with them and stayed in a hotel, only to be told she didn't want company. She'd had a horrible three-day labor that ended with a C-section. I sort of understand her not wanting to see anybody, but we dropped everything and weren't able to

even see our grandchild.

My husband, "Peter,"
has a lot of resentment toward Gina and Ted. My problem is, when Peter and I married, I was three months pregnant. He has it stuck in his head that Gina "trapped" Ted into getting married. When Peter and I went through a rough patch, he made that comment about us a couple times.

When Ted and Gina come here, which isn't often, my husband makes no effort to get to know Gina, only to judge her. I try to text or FaceTime them every week or so to check in. I work the night shift, so I sleep during the day and am back up when they are asleep. How can I help my husband to see that they really do love each other and to help make Gina part of the family? -- TORN MOTHER-IN-LAW

DEAR TORN: appears your husband still has some unresolved issues regarding the circumstances of your marriage that he has projected onto your daughter-inlaw. Point out to him that this hasn't escaped your notice, and suggest that if he wants anything resembling a healthy relationship with his son, Gina, that baby AND YOU, he must start talking with a licensed therapist. It Angeles, CA 90069.

**DEAR ABBY** 

## Jeanne **Phillips**



may also require some sessions with a counselor who specializes in family therapy, if Ted and Gina Medical Equipment are willing. Cross your fingers. If your husband won't agree to it, go without him.

DEAR ABBY: I am a retired automotive worker. My employer allows me to share my company discount with close relatives. One of them has taken advantage of my discount for the last 15 years, which has saved this person literally thousands of dollars. I don't do it to get anything in this relative.

This person isn't hurting financially by any means. They constantly travel and entertain. The only contact we have is when they are ready to another vehicle. Then they text me to say they need the authorization number to give to the

I'd like to stop this relative from utilizing my discount, but I don't know how to handle this. We see this person at holiday gatherings. -- DONE WITH THE DISCOUNT

**DEAR DONE: Greet** the next holiday gathering. When you are asked again about that discount, give them the sad news that they starved their golden goose to death, which should get the message across. And if it is requested again, ignore it.

Contact Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los

### **Personals**

Common Interest\*

Looking for an older lady that is lonely for a great friendship. I'm an older man 5'10" 175 pounds. Been by myself too long. Likes to travel & has a nice camper for camping when weather permits. Wanting to take a trip to the Red Woods in Calif. Please write to:

Jerry 433 N. 24th St. Lewiston, ID 83501

### Merchandise

Barely Used! Pride Go Go Elite Traveller Mobility Scooter 4 wheels, hardly used 2 miles Paid \$1,250 Asking \$700 208-553-8390

**Rentals** Apartments/Unfurnished

Haier Air Conditioner w/

8.000 BTU

New in the Box!

Never Used!

22" min, to 36 max

\$250

Other odds and end

stuff in garage

208-791-9307

King Size Tempur-Pedic

Bed W/ Frame and Headboard and some

\$500

208-743-1013

Furniture

width

Clarkston. Lrg 2 bdrm, 1 bth, nice, clean, private parking, w/d hookup, stove, fridge, no steps, w/s/g pd. \$1,000 + \$800 dep. 6 mo. lease, no pets/no smoking/no drugs. 208-790-3428



2207 Riverside Dr. Clarkston \$549,999 return, but I have never received even so much as a thank-you card from this relative.

4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 3 Car Garage View, View, View! Close to River, Just Under 3/4 Acre 509-751-4640 or 509-758-9147 please leave message



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Line Dancing Ping Pong, Pool Tables. Sing Along first Thursday of each month Karaoke second and third Thursdays. Dine and dance to live music every Wednesday & Friday.

Find us on **(** 

# **LEGAL NOTICES**

Legal Notices deadline is four working days prior to date of publication

LEGAL NOTICE Storage Unit Auction Altima Storage Riverside & 13th St Clarkston WA Sat. January 13th 10 AM

Unit # 34 Stainless side-x-side fridge, chest freezer, 3 trunks, dining chairs, tool chest, tools, power tools and more. Winner takes all contents.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 23-4-0031-02

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR ASOTIN COUNTY

In re the Estate of:

MICHAEL LEE ODOM, Deceased.

named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, be-fore the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serv-

ing on or mailing to the personal

personal representative

representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is for-ever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate Date of filing with Clerk of Court:

November 30, 2023. Date of first publication: December 30, 2023. /s/ Milton W. Odom, II MILTON W. ODOM, II Personal Representative Attorney for Estate: KERRY A. WAGNER WSBA # 32626 COX & WAGNER, PLLC Post Office Box 446 1106 Idaho Street Lewiston, ID 83501 (208) 743-1234



### **December 31**

LEWISTON ELKS LODGE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Open to the public, • Members and their guests Live Music from The Katz Band Building opens at 6:00pm Band playing from 8-Midnight

## this relative warmly at Doonesbury Classic -

THAT WAS BIG PAUL. HE SAYS WE GOTTA MOVE THE SUMMER SCHOOL KIDS



WE'VE ALREADY OUTGROWN ROSENBLATT HALL, IF WE'RE GOING TO GROW A BILLION-DOLLAR BUSINESS BY CHRIST-MAS, WE NEED TO FIND SOME SERIOUS SQUARE FOOTAGE!





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