

Gloved One marries plastic surgeon's pregnant nurse

# Jacko ties the knot

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Who could have imagined Michael Jackson would do something so unconventional?

The Gloved One gave matrimony another chance yesterday and married the woman carrying his baby.

"They did it," a frazzled Jackson publicist Christine Holveas confirmed here yesterday. That was it, no other details.

Word first came in a statement saying he would exchange vows with Debbie Rowe — his plastic surgeon's nurse — during a private ceremony after his concert yesterday in Australia. She is six months' pregnant.

"Please respect our privacy and let us enjoy this wonderful and exciting time," Jackson said in a statement.

The announcement led to bedlam in Sydney, where reporters scrambled for details and camped out outside Jackson's hotel. But the happy couple wasn't talking. A concert official blamed Australia's sunny weather.

"He's basically been staying in the hotel, watching videos, reading, that kind of thing," Dainty Consolidated Enter-

tainment spokesman Brett Hiywa said. "He's just been taking it easy. Because the weather's been so hot, he's decided to stay inside."

Back in the land of Jackson's Neverland Ranch, Southern Californians reacted with disbelief and a collective "get real."

"I think he's as likely to find happiness in this marriage as he is to find work as a baritone," said John Wilson, a Los Angeles entertainment promoter.

"You're kidding! What a freakin' crock! It's a joke, puh-leeze!" said

Julia Hubner, a 28-year-old Malibu restaurant hostess.

Jackson is 28 and Rowe, who met Jackson 15 years ago at the offices of the pop star's plastic surgeon, is 37. It is the second marriage for both.

In January, Lisa Marie Presley cited irreconcilable differences in filing for divorce from Jackson. They were married for less than two years.

Jackson disclosed Nov. 4 that Rowe was pregnant with his child, and he denied a tabloid report that the couple used artificial insemination and that Rowe was paid \$528,000 to carry the baby. The child is due in February.



JACKSON  
Wedding No. 2



## Bay daze as nude shopper nabbed

By GRETCHEN DRUMMIE  
Toronto Sun

Bay shoppers got an eyeful yesterday when a naked man marched through the perfume department.

"I spoke to a half dozen women who saw him and they're still in awe," said Bay security supervisor Randy Nelson. "People were very, very surprised."

"He came in, had no clothes on, did a quick flash through ladies' fragrance and left," Nelson said.

A Metro Police S2 Division spokesman confirmed the naked lunchtime streak.

The spokesman said police took the man to a hospital.

### 'Mandatory pace'

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