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After reading your article in our local newspaper, and thinking back to my own honeymoon spent at Niagara Falls, I decided to share a happy, depending on your point of view, event that happened in Niagara Falls to us.

We left N.H. headed for Niagara Falls the day after our wedding. We were on top of the world, finally we would spend the rest of our lives together. Not being very experienced at map reading, and quickly realizing my wonderful new husband didn't like to ask directions, we finally arrived at Niagara Falls. We found a motel that suited our budget and ate at a nearby Italian Restaurant.

The next day we were back in the car again to "find" the falls. Between trying to read the French signs and the heavy traffic, I began to wonder

if we had made the right decision to go to Niagara Falls on our honeymoon. As I mentioned before, asking directions was out of the question! I was beginning to see an end to the honeymoon before it had begun. Tempus really were getting short. Thank goodness we had to stop for gas and he finally admitted defeat. When he came back to the car somewhat embarrassed, he said, "You're never going to believe this, the falls are right across the street!" We made it to the falls and fell in love with them at first sight. As we were standing at one of the overlooks suddenly I felt something wet on my face then I looked down to my chest and noticed a bird had left a calling card on me! Completely discouraged I found a ladies room and quietly cleaned myself up.

We did all the tourist attractions and had a wonderful time at Niagara Falls, the perfect honeymoon!

When we returned home we were telling my new in laws all about Niagara Falls. I couldn't wait to tell my mother-in-law about her son getting us lost right across from the falls and about the bird incident. She looked at both of us and said, "Don't be upset about that June, didn't you know that if a bird poops on you that means you'll have good luck the rest of your life!"

Well that was exactly 25 years ago this past August 12 and I guess my mother-in-law knew just what she was talking about. We've been blessed with 25 wonderful years together, 2 beautiful daughters and many happy memories of our honeymoon

in Niagara Falls. Thanks for  
the trip down "Memory Lane."

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