

The 50th Reunion of
Greenville High School
Class of 1957



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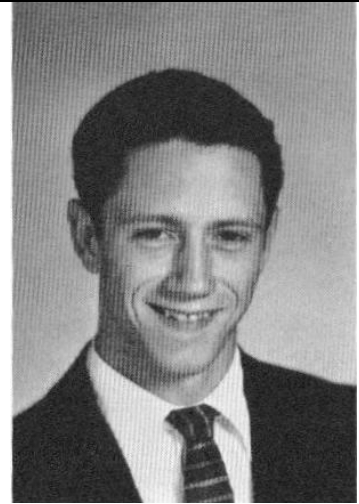
Class of '57

In Loving Memory

In loving memory of those who have gone before us, their memories will forever be in our hearts:

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James Earl Higson
Jerry M. Howell
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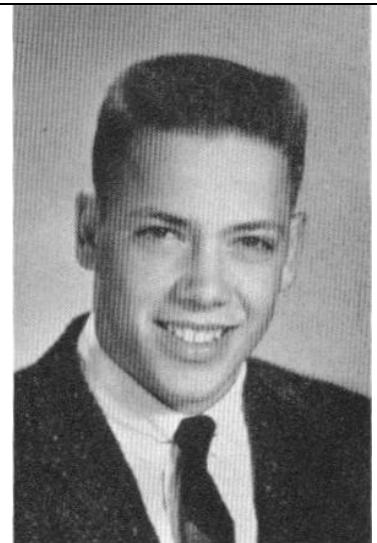


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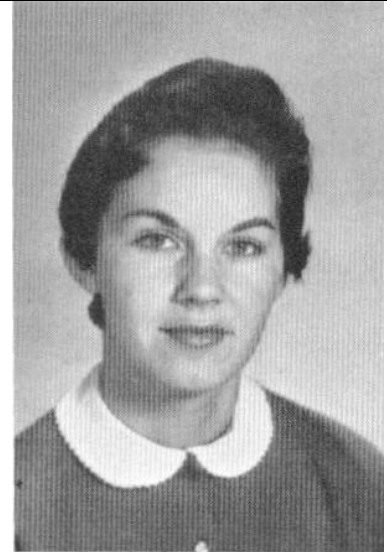
I was recently in Greenville so am not interested in the city tour. My Mom died at age 94 last August but I still have "lots" of family in the area so will still visit often.

See you on the 28th!



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Like to watch Nascar races.



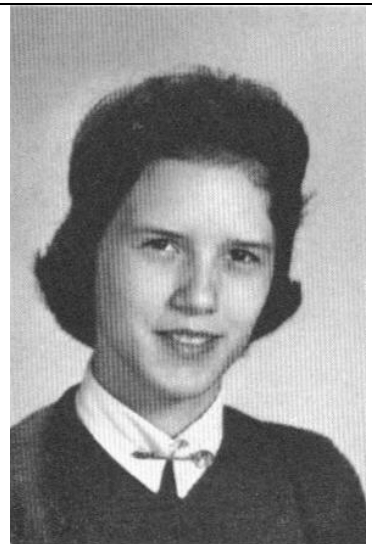
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Married Bill Hendrix 5/2/87. Retired from DuPont 2/93 with over 32 years (Admin Assist). Daughter, Karen age 41, works at GUC; grandson, Darrell 22; stepdaughter, Sandra Williams 48, ECU. Stepson, Toby Hendrix 38, Wachovia; step grandson, Bryce Hendrix 10 yrs old. Walk every day for my health – summer, I get in the pool too!. Go to First Pentecostal Holiness Church, Greenville. We love to travel.
I love to shop and love my family very much. In 2004 we had a condo at Kerr Lake – I actually water skied – the first time I tried! Last three years I've been taking care of Bill – health problems).

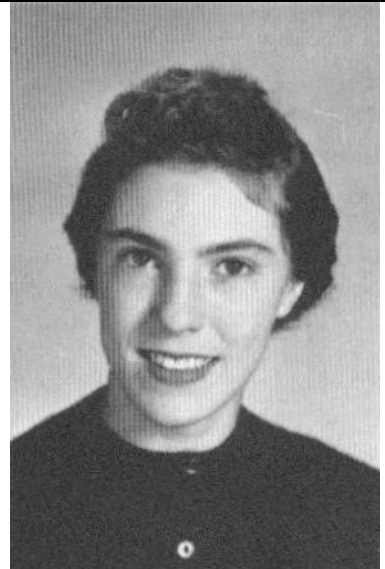


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I hardly remember life before Wayne. We have known each other so long (just celebrated our 49th anniversary). After I dropped out of college just before my sophomore year to get married, I worked while Wayne went back to school, served in the military, and went back to school again. He finally graduated from UNC-Chapel Hill in 1965 (GO HEELS!), and we were expecting our first little "Tar Heel." (Continued on page 32)



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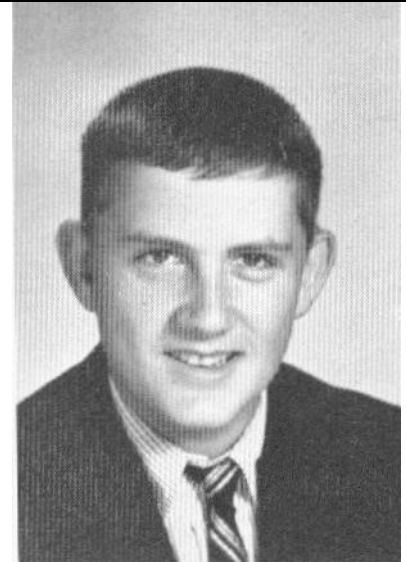
Husband William and her started B's Barbecue 1980. The food is so very good. Barbecue chicken and barbecue is cooked with wood...this was on the CBS morning show about 6 months ago. (written by Liddie) If you do not get there at a certain time, you have to wait in line also. Three daughters who run the business and 5 grandchildren.



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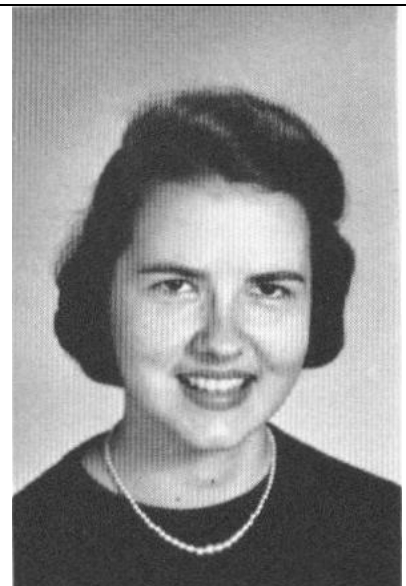
Two kids...boy and girl from 1st marriage...Both are married, one lives in the Raleigh area and the other in Delaware...two grandkids. Career wise...my work has been related...from the consumer financing business. to banking...to being a financial consultant in the automotive industry...to spending many years in auto dealer management and the retail automotive and commercial leasing business. Presently employed in the automotive financing business as a credit and funding manager.

Have remarried and my wife Sue and I spend a lot of time traveling as well as spending time with her kids and grandkids. Life is good.



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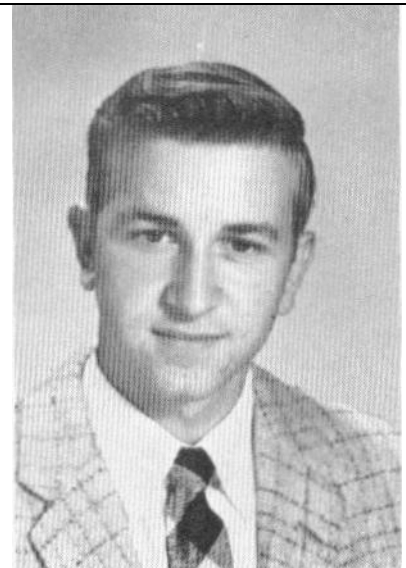
Ron and I are really enjoying our retirement. We have traveled extensively in the US and Europe through the years and more so since retirement. We have especially enjoyed taking our grandson, David, on trips out west. We both enjoy playing tennis. We are avid supporters of the ECU Pirates and attend most of their home football games and many of the out-of-state games. We are continuing to do bookkeeping for our son Bryan's veterinary hospital in Charlotte (via computer), as we have for the past ten years.



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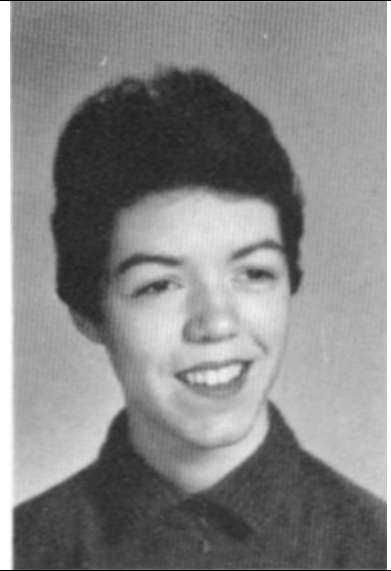
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I am so disappointed that I will be unable to attend. We planned some time ago to be away with friends at that time. Brad and I moved last week into a lovely retirement community here in Richmond. We have been too busy with the move to know if we're really going to love it here. We have many friends here that do, so we're assuming we will too. Brad had a big 80th birthday celebration August 1, and all the kids were here. (continued on page 32)



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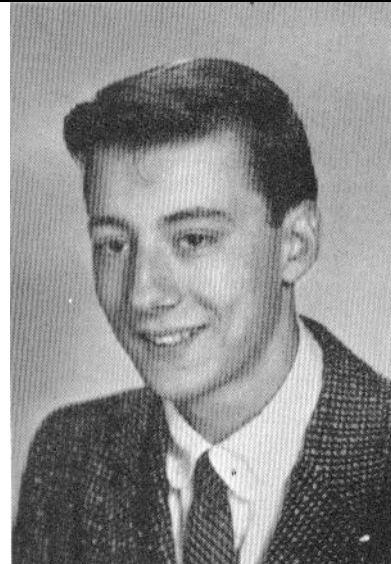
My husband, Ray, and I live in the Winterville area. We have 6 children and 8 grandchildren. I have been retired from ECU one year. I was secretary for the Dept. of Residence Life for 30 years. I enjoy working in my flower garden, reading, painting wall murals and furniture. I also collect antiques.



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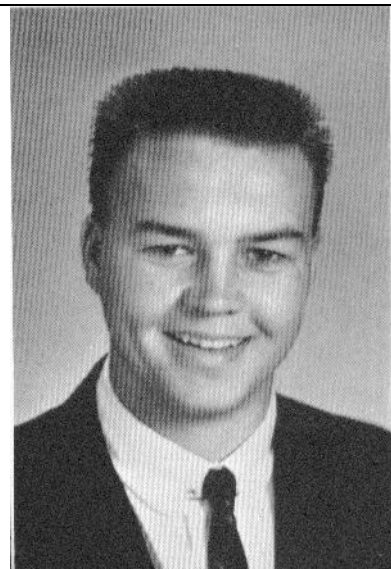
I am now 68 years old, retired, happily married and enjoying the good life. Am enclosing a recent photo, shot last December at lower Baja, Mexico.

Please tell all my classmates I send them a warm "Hello" and that I often think about those golden times. I am still living in Southern California, five miles from the ocean and we never get smog!



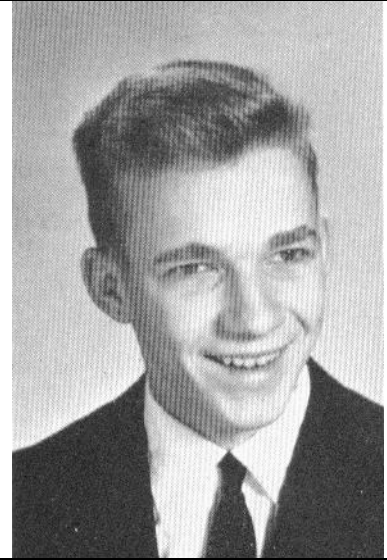
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Sorry I cannot be with you that weekend! More than two months ago, Jackie and I accepted an invitation from the Air Force Academy to fly with the football team to Annapolis for the game with Navy that same weekend. My 9 grandchildren are keeping me young (at heart) and very busy. Have a wonderful 50th Reunion, and let me know who was there!



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Sorry that I can't make the big 50th reunion. I am now fully retired after having three careers: first with U.S. Navy retiring as a Commander; second with the commercial nuclear power industry as a nuclear engineer and finally, with the Episcopal Church, spending 20 years pastoring churches in the Pacific Northwest. (continued on page 32)



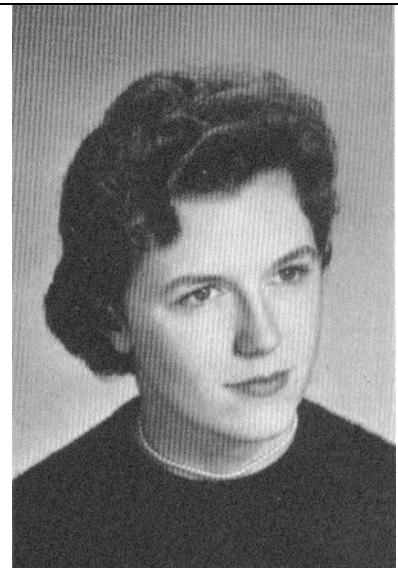
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When I got Liddie Braxton's phone call a couple of weeks ago, announcing the fiftieth anniversary of our high school class graduation, I was sort of surprised. But then—well, yes, it would be, I thought. I am sorry not to be able to attend the celebration week-end in September. But at that point I will be fully immersed in teaching fall semester at California State University, Chico, where I have been on the English faculty since 1982, and though now retired half-time, do have a half-year teaching commitment. (continued on page 33)



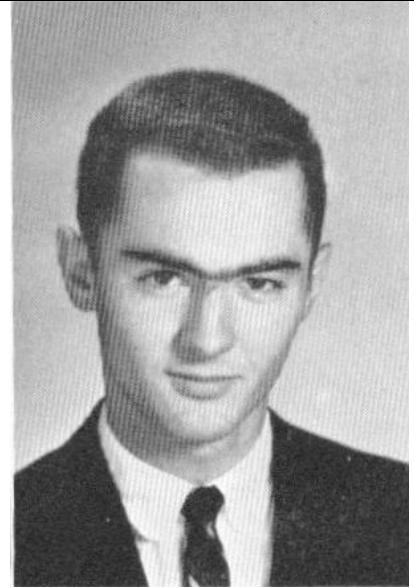
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I can't believe we've been out of high school for 50 years. Sherrill and I stay busy but I don't know what we're doing. We have three grandchildren (ages 11 yr, 8yr, and 3 months) in Richmond so we spend a lot of time on the road from Bridgewater to Richmond. We do some traveling, a son in Bradenton Beach, Florida; a daughter in Atlanta, and my other daughter in Richmond. Am looking forward to seeing everyone again.



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Lois and I attended our freshman year of college, she at ECU and me at NCSU. The being apart thing did not work well for us, so, on Aug. 31, 1958, we got married. She went to work and I returned to NCSU, but I was not ready for college. I dropped out in the fall of 1958 and worked for a year and then joined the military. I served three years in the 82nd Airborne Division at Ft. Bragg. At Lois's insistence, I enrolled at UNC, Chapel Hill, and finished in 1965, with a degree in business admin. (continued on page 34)



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Retired from us post office -
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1964. together they have 5
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Married Nina Fussell. Son, Tony, 40. Daughter, Donna Rogers (36), husband Charles. One grandchild, Ashley Lynn Rogers, 4 1/2. Worked for DuPont 19 1/2 years and am now retired



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Betty and I still live in Raleigh and have 8 grandkids scattered between Raleigh, Wilmington, and Greenville. Betty graduated from the ECU School of Nursing. She is still working as the head of medical oversight for the NC Department of Corrections but plans to retire soon. I am golfing, reading, and doing some part time work with a friend in the land surveying business. We plan to move to the Wilmington area when Betty retires.



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I am very sorry I cannot attend this special time. I will be thinking of all of you.

I am still married to the same man. Hve 4 grandchildren – ages 16, 15, 10, and 6.



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Elizabeth and I are enjoying a quiet retirement after my career with DuPont as an engineer and Elizabeth's as a teacher. We spend our time mostly in Greenville and Washington, where I can usually be found messing about with boats. We have one son, John, who is an electrical engineer with Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory in California.
I hope the years have been kind and rewarding to each of you. Sorry I can't be at this very special event. Best of luck and I hope everyone enjoys the years to come.



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Jean and I are looking forward to this weekend. We are both still working full time in our own Real estate business, The Triangle Team at Re/Max United. This past year we have traveled to Hilton Head, Miami, Branson, Mo., and Atlanta, for the Re/Max Convention and a visit with our oldest son . John Jr. and his wife Patti have our only two grandchildren, Courtney 14 ad Jackson 11. John Jr. is a senior pastor at Grace Community church in Marietta, Ga. (continued on page 34)



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After 40 years away from North Carolina, Jim and I finally made it back to "God's Country" in 2001. We are living on the coast in Sea Trail at Sunset Beach, about a mile from the beach and 5 miles from Calabash. We love being closer to our family members. Our daughter is in Charlotte and son is in Atlanta.
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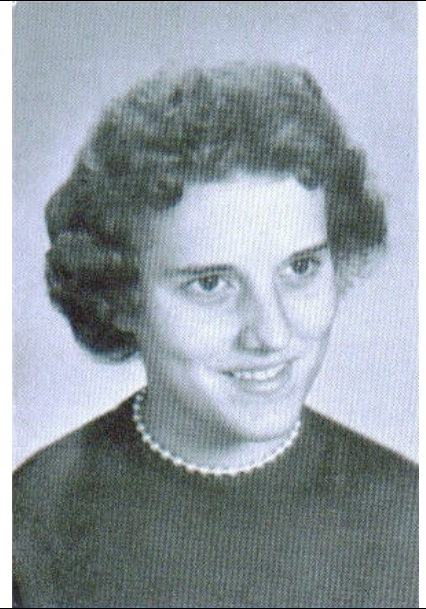


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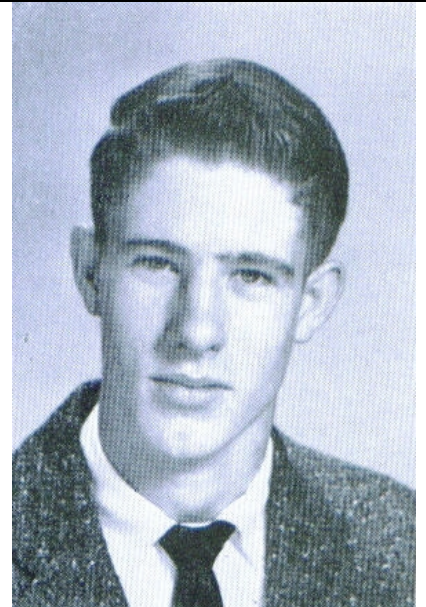


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I am looking forward to returning to Greenville for the reunion. Even though I only went to GHS for my senior year, I have many pleasant memories of that time. My husband and I have retired from teaching and enjoy travel, gardening, and our six grandchildren.

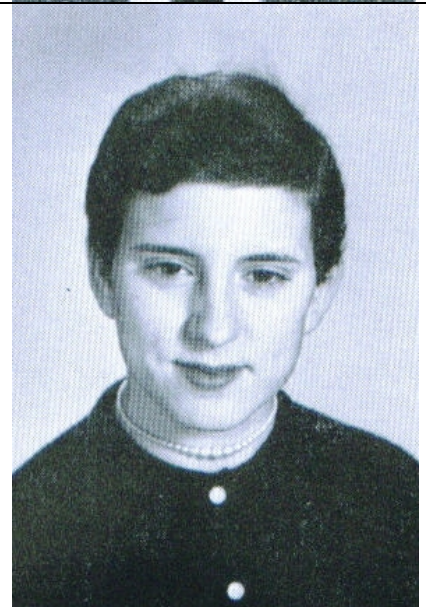


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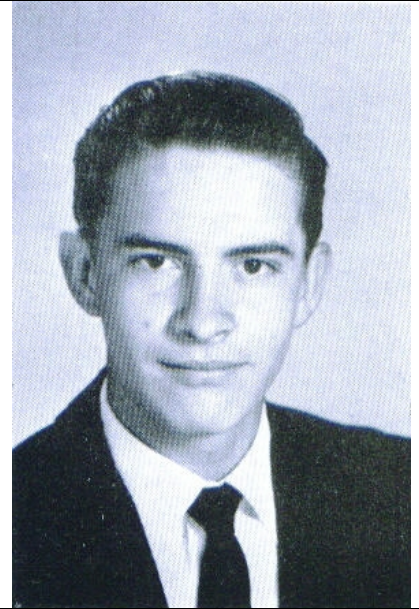


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1957 – Carolina Tel & Tel Co.
1958 - Married and started family (4 children) 2 boys and 2 girls. Seven grandchildren now. Lived around Winterville.
1962 – Planters Bank (now RBC) 32 years – now retired.
Divorced now.
Now sit with elderly people – love it!



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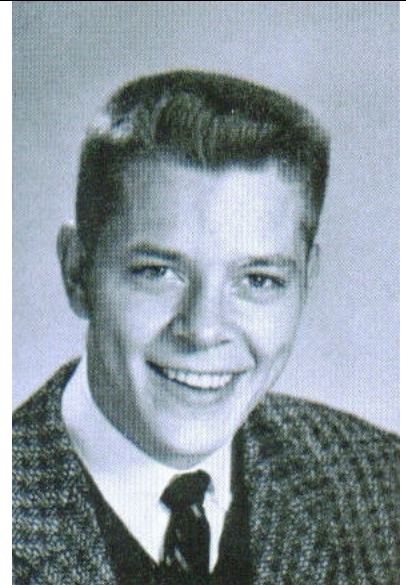
Peaches and I will miss seeing everyone but our last twin son is getting married on September 28th and we will be tied up the whole weekend. We'll miss seeing everyone.



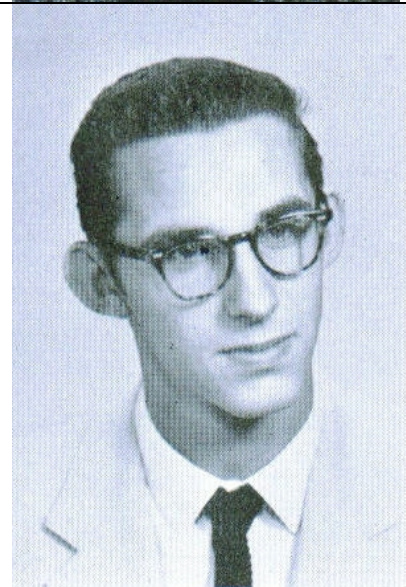
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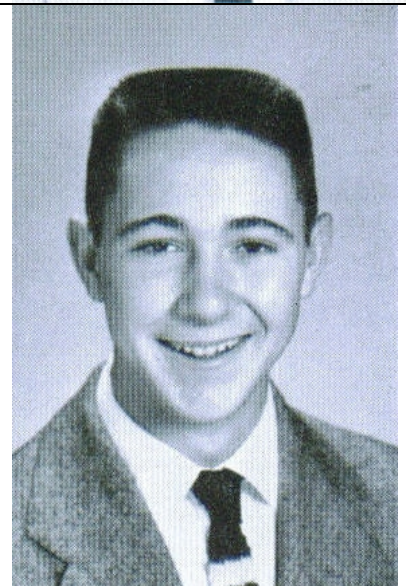


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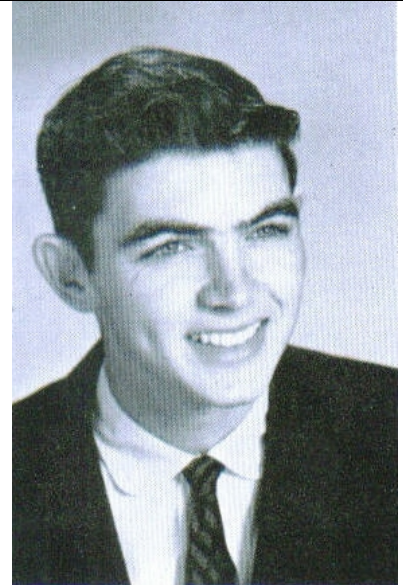


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I, too, wish I could be at the reunion, but it cannot be helped. I did not receive the materials mailed to my home on the reunion because I am currently out of the country so I am providing below information on what's happened since graduation. I would appreciate it if you could get this to the person putting together the booklet. Many thanks and I know you will have an outstanding class reunion. (continued on page 34)



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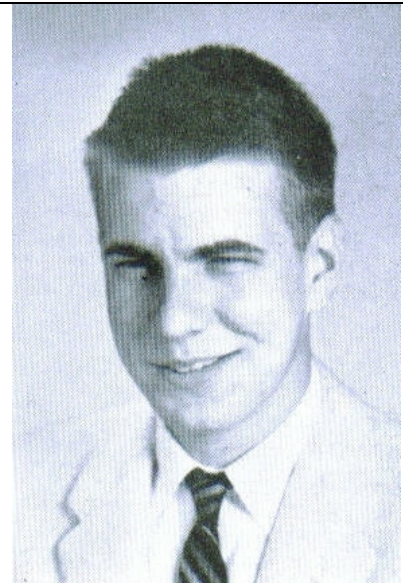


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After high school graduation in 1957, I enrolled at EC and continued there until I graduated in 1961. In the course of that, I married Bettie Faye Moore. Enlisted in the army in the fall of 1961. Assigned to U.S. Army Security Agency in the Canal Zone. Separated from army in 1964. We had one child in Panama when I was in service and one child when I was in graduate school at EC from 1965-67. They are both grown men now with children and grandchildren for us-- a great blessing for us.
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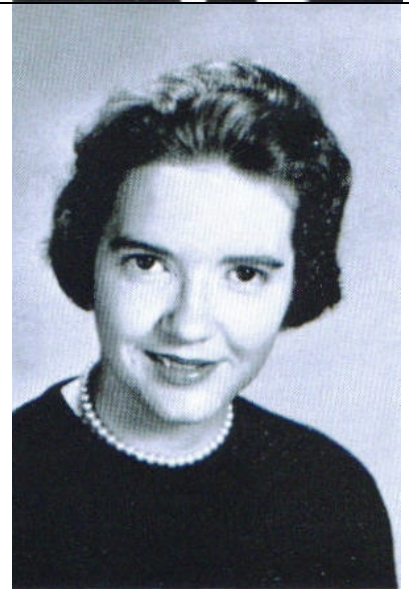


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Sara and Don have two sons and 5 grandchildren. We have lived in Valdosta, Georgia for 31 years now. Don retired from the USAF and also from teaching high school history. We made a Lewis and Clark Cruise last year on the Columbia River. Sara made a mission trip to Israel in March 2007 and we have just returned from a 2 week vacation to the Grand Tetons and Yellowstone. Don drives our church diesel bus on trips for missions and other activities. (continued on page 35)



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Ray and his wife Deborah have three daughters, three grandchildren and another grandchild is due in April. Ray retired from Buttercup Ice Cream in 1996. After finding retirement was not for him he obtained his NC Bail Bonding license and is the owner of B & B Bail Bond Service in Rockingham, NC. Ray enjoys spending time with his grandchildren, traveling and if he can ever get to the lake he still loves to fish.



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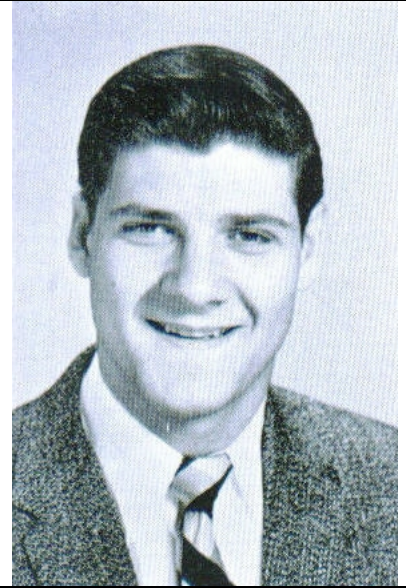


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After Howard retired five years ago, we moved to Savannah. Our home is in The Landings on Skidaway Island where Howard is busy with golf and I with duplicate bridge. I spent the summer near Morehead in Pine Knoll Shores. So sorry I am unable to attend the reunion but I made a commitment to play bridge in a sectional tournament at St. Simons.



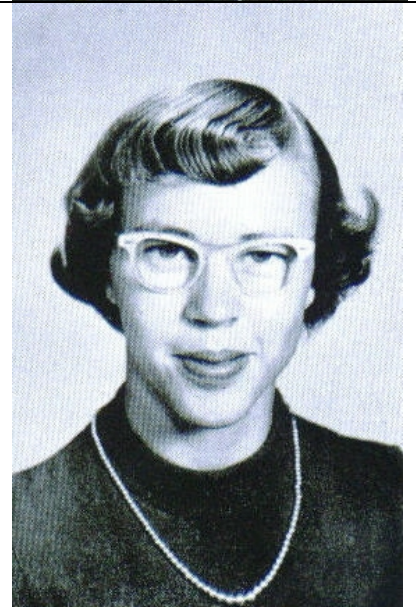
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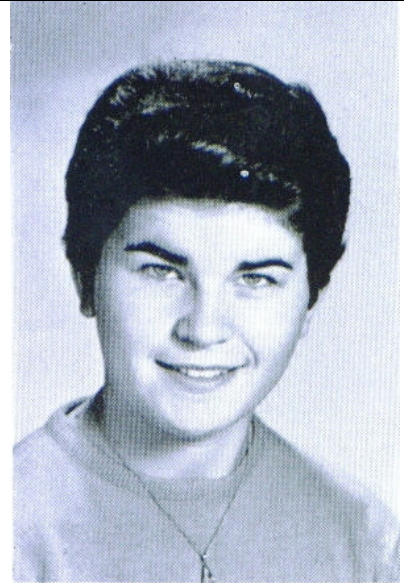
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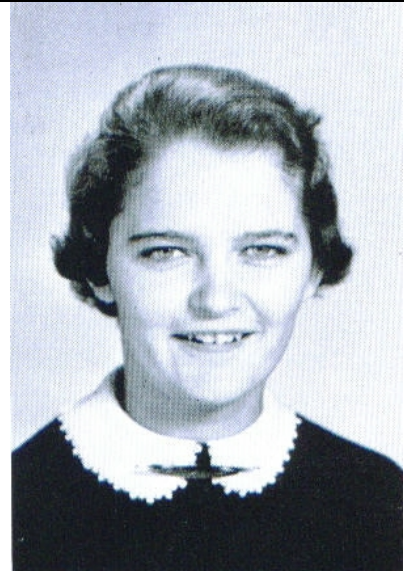
For sure, according to today, 1957 was a gentler, simpler time – one I miss and I’m sure many of you agree. Technology has opened many doors for us. So many things have happened since our high school days, including marriages, births, professional changes and even death.

October 6, 1958 I married the love of my life, Jack Edwards, to whom I’m still married. He’s been the ‘wind beneath my wings’ a terrific father and grandfather to our children and grandchildren.
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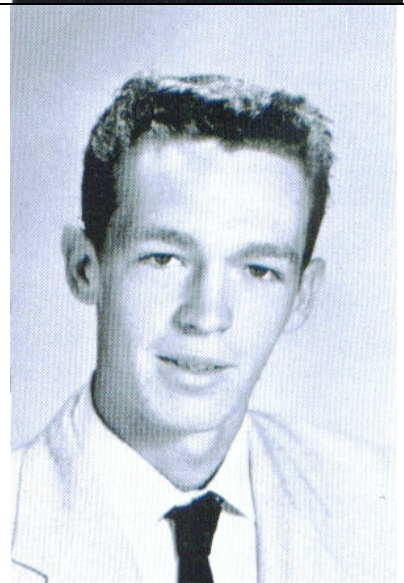


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I probably would win the prize for being married the most. I married my first husband (who was our typing teacher) Jarvis Arthur, divorced him and married him again. I was married the next time to Mr. Brown of New Bern – the last time (hopefully it really is the last time) to Greg Goode from Rocky Mount. We have been married 7 years.
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Wife — Ingrid — B.S. ECU —
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Of
Thomas Jefferson Powell

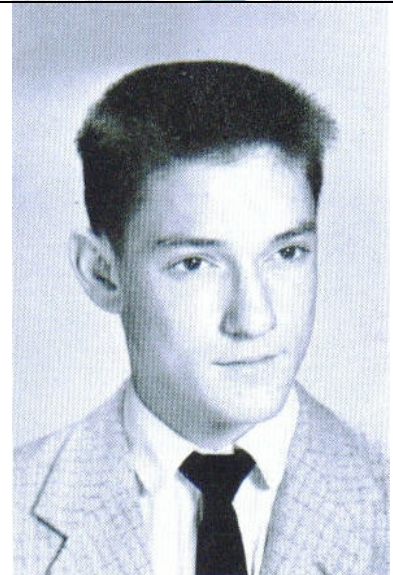
1. It takes a narrow minded person
to not be able to spell a word at
least two different ways.

2. I lived in the Meadow Brook
section of town (we went in pairs
for protection)

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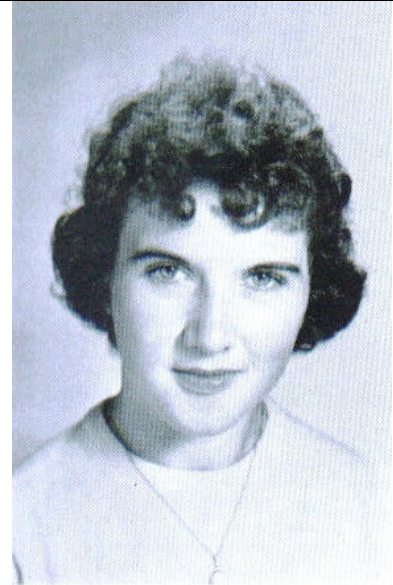


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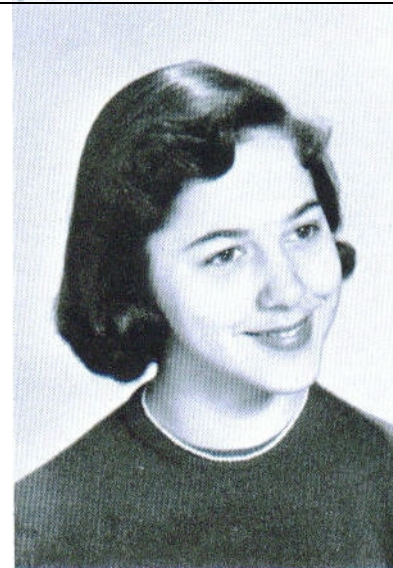
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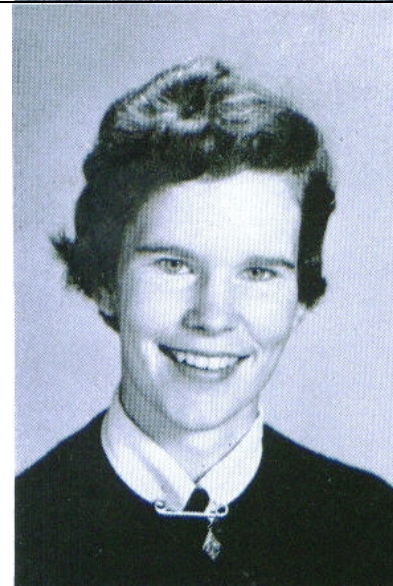
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"Life is Good"



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I wonder if I can remember what I've done since 2002!! I have 3 wonderful sons with families in Hickory, Texas, Tennessee and my 4 siblings. So I travel to visit family: I travel for fun: I do volunteer work that I didn't have time to do before retirement. I'm involved in local and state NC Retired School Personnel and basket making organizations. I design and maintain websites: I read and am a TV junkie. There are LOTS of things I want to do, so I have to continue to stay healthy. I am very blessed. Look forward to seeing everyone."



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Had a fire last November....just got moved in and is working to get everything going again. Wife Carolyn, one son 30 and daughter 25. He retired as Sales Rep for a Meter Company.

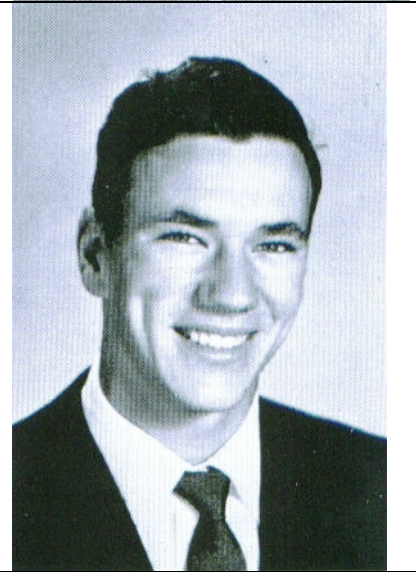


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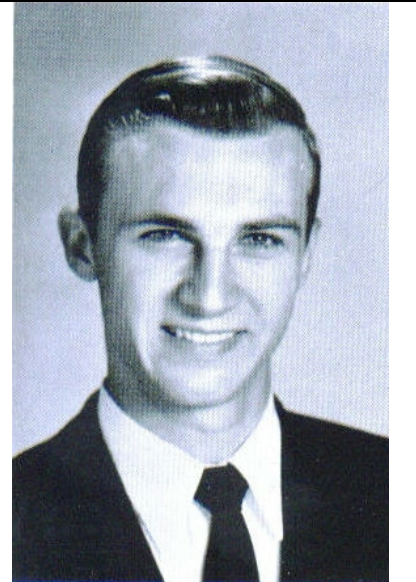


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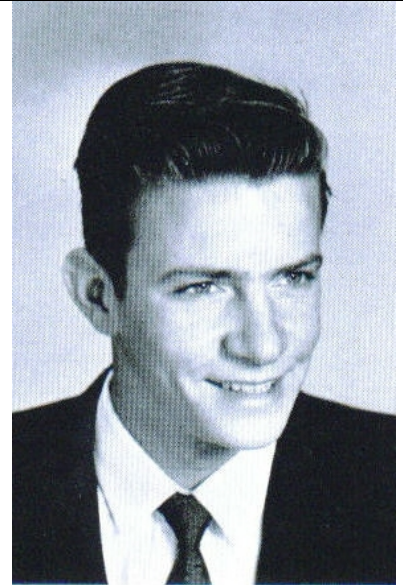
One of the most busy weeks was the week we graduated from school. School ,married ,off to fort Jackson in the same week.. Came home in six mo.. Military not for me not even if the class book said so. Came home. Went to work with the old Guaranty Bank. Worked there a year and half. Left there went to work with Sherwin Williams paint. More money. I worked for John Zeh some of you might remember his wife Joyce she taught us in school. Spent forty year in the paint business. Greenville, Petersburg VA, Greenville, Wilmington NC, back to Greenville. (continued on Page 38)



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I have been truly blessed. I had surgery for colon cancer in January 06 and chemo from March until August 06. In Feb 07 I had a tumor removed from my right kidney which was benign! According to my doctors, I am cancer free!
Jesse and I will be married 22 years in November. Our children are busy taking care of their children.
We have 11 grandchildren ranging from 2 – 21.
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I have been retired from Pitt County Memorial Hospital for four years now and am enjoying every minute of it. My time is taken up with travel (am going as long as I can still get out of the bus!), church work (am co-moderator of Presbyterian Women and also in charge of the senior group, the Age Venturers), two bridge clubs, reading and wasting time on the computer. I have two children, Tracy, aged 42, an occupational therapist at Caswell center, and Greg, age 40, a Cary policeman.
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I'm so sorry but will have to miss our reunion. A commitment in Indiana (friend having knee surgery) will keep me away. I'm retired a few years now....Life and health is good. I will be thinking of you all.



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Have lived in the Washington, DC area for 20 years. Continue to teach.
I have two grandchildren ages four and a half and 2 and a half, one boy and one girl.living in New Orleans. Son Michael teaches at Tulane University there.

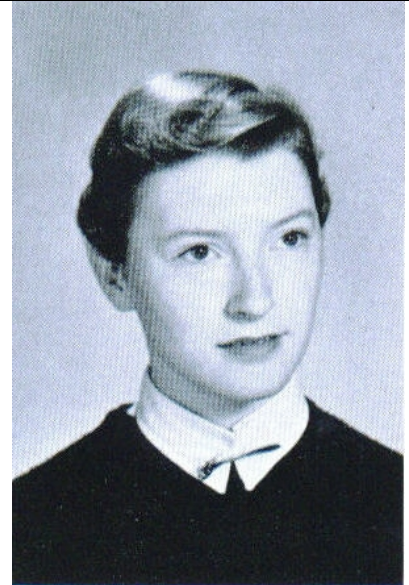


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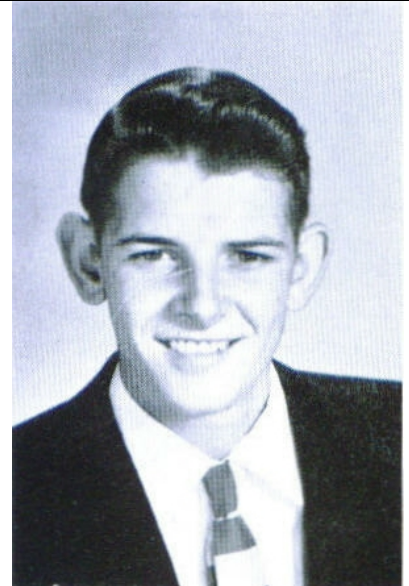
Eager to see each of you again.

I am enjoying our two grandsons while I have them here. The oldest is finally home from the Army but is eager to reunite with his true love in Texas.

“Mr. Monopoly” (age 9) keeps us entertained.



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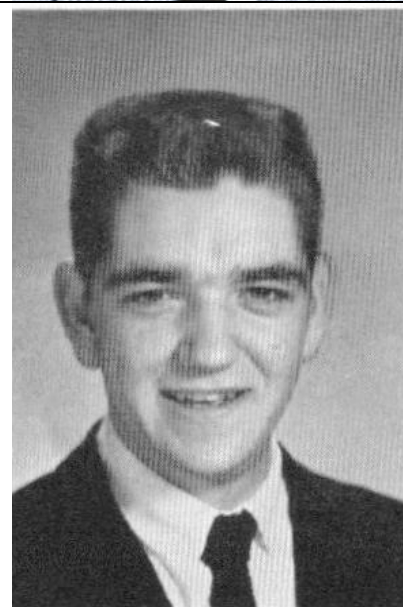


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Betty and I are still in Goldsboro where we spend our retired life wondering how we had time for our jobs before we retired. I am a rabid ice hockey fan and spend most of my time driving back and forth to games in Raleigh. I am very active as a Mason too. Our two grandsons (one 22 and the other 9) keep us young! The 22 year old finished a tour with the Army in Iraq in 2005 – we are glad he is home!

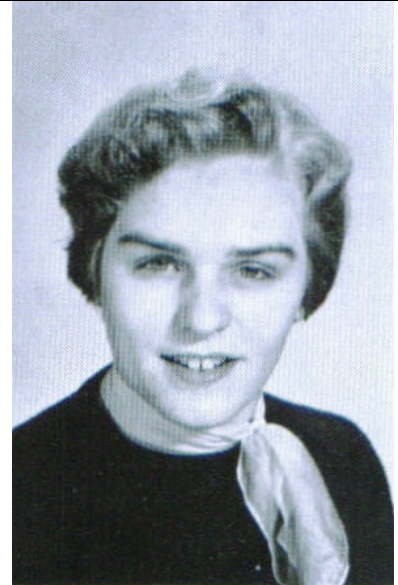


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Divorced since 2000

Have 2 daughters :
Renee – 47
Lisa – soon be 40

Have three grandchildren:
Nathan – 25
Ocean – 7
Rainbow - 4



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I hardly know where to begin. My eldest son died July 25, 1990. I was divorced in 1992. In 2006, my precious Mother died – my father still lives in the nursing community where I was the Director of Nursing for 14 years. I retired on 3/7/07 but now work part time as a Nurse Consultant. I developed benign essential tremor; it's not Parkinson's. In 2004 & 2005 I had back surgery resulting in fusion and suffer chronic pain. Now that's most of the bad news – now for the good news!

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occupation — pharmacist —
now working 2 days/week
hobbies — boating (sailing),
computer stuff, unit at Twin Lakes
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US Public Health Service — 17
years



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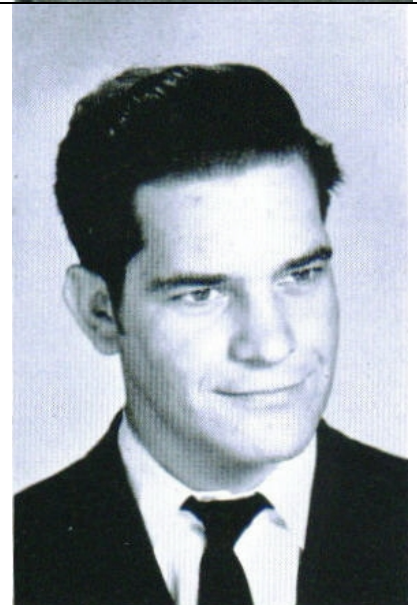
I'm still working for The Landin Companies, a Third Party Administrator for Workers' Compensation as well as an Excess Insurance placement broker. Jane is the Associate Nursing Executive @ the CJW Medical Center in Richmond, an HCA hospital with 2 Richmond campuses. Our son Kris, age 31, lives in Goochland, Va., and is the chef @ a BBQ restaurant. Our son Patrick, age 30, graduated from ECU in Dec '06 and continues to live in Greenville and is the Associate Manager @ CPW's Restaurant.
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Lois Brown (continued)

Brownie was born in September and our daughter, Carol, was born in March of 1969. Brownie was our soccer player and went to Wake Forest on a soccer scholarship, but he ended up graduating from Elon in 1990. He is now married and has given us three beautiful grandchildren—2 girls and 1 boy. He works with his dad.

Carol was our horse rider. She started riding when she was seven years old and showed hunter-jumpers through her freshman year at Meredith College. She ended her competitive riding in New York at the Garden. She is now married, has two beautiful children—1 girl and 1 boy, and is a licensed real estate appraiser.

I worked the first seven years of our marriage and after we had children, I became the typical stay at home mom (that was even harder work). After Carol starting riding, I traveled a lot taking her to horse shows. Wayne traveled with Brownie to soccer tournaments. We would all meet back at home on Sunday nights dead tired. The next weekend we would do it all over again. I wouldn't trade those memories, plus many others, for anything in the world.

Sandwiched in with children and all of their activities, I played a little tennis, bridge and joined the Women's Club of Raleigh. I now enjoy reading, walking and shopping for the grandchildren. My mother still lives in Greenville and I go to see her often. I can truly say I have had a blessed life.

Doris Davenport (continued)

Ruland (my daughter) was here from Norfolk with her husband, Rob, and my first two grandchildren, Madeleine (8) and Quinn (6). My son, Webb, and his wife, Lea and my latest grandchild, Carter (2). Webb is in business in Charlottesville and they live over the mountain in Waynesboro.

My love to all of you. I hope our paths will cross in the near future.

Hugh Duncan (continued)

Bev and I now spend winters in Sun City, Arizona and summers in Idaho where our two sons live. We enjoy spending time in our motor home and actually lived fulltime on the road from 1999-2002. My Mother is 94 years old and is in skilled care at Cypress Glen so I still get to Greenville several times

each year. During my most recent visit, I had lunch at Parkers with six classmates. It was a real treat and I hope we can have some more of these “mini-reunions”.

Lois Eaton (continued)

Chico is a lovely place, a beautiful small city in the northern Sacramento Valley, near the Sacramento River, on the Pacific Flyway with its great annual migrations of birds, and within sight of snow-capped mountains on three sides. Outdoor sports are one of the attractions of the area. Both Bill’s and my children, first Katherine and then Edward, attended CSU Chico as undergraduates. Now Katherine, her husband and two children live in Santa Fe New Mexico, where Gary is the surface water quality biologist for the State of New Mexico, and Katherine, a mechanical engineer by training, is a math and science (and bilingual) middle school teacher. They also own a small piece of Pecos River bottom land that they are gradually developing into a homestead. Edward and his wife Jill, both mathematicians, teach at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks, where their two children are little Alaskans, happy canoeing and blueberrying, eating home-caught salmon and watching moose out the windows. Ed’s specialty is the mathematics of Ice sheet formation and flow which is a cutting edge study that has him connected to geophysicists around the world studying the effects of global warming. Visiting both families is part of what keeps me happiest.

In the sad spring of 2004 I lost my husband Bill Ruder to a rapidly growing cancerous brain tumor. Bill, who had recently retired as a teacher of Mandarin Chinese at the Defense Language Institute in Monterey, California, had just returned from one of his annual trips to the Tibetan-Chinese borderlands in the western edge of Yunnan Province. He had visited China and Tibet for many years, trekking, arranging private expeditions over impossible roads, and generally making use of his Chinese language skills to get to know this exciting section of the world. We were grateful that he finished that one last trip, and a number of important writing projects, before symptoms overtook him.

I myself report gratefully that I weathered a very severe treatment for colon cancer in 1999 and following years, with its two bouts of chemo, radiation, two surgeries, a blood clot, and all the exhaustion and loss of fitness that cancer patients know so well. I have gotten steadily stronger since then and have been able to increase my own travel and its attendant pleasures. So this spring I took myself off to Manchester, England, for six weeks of interesting library research in what is coming to be an attractive and comfortable city (no longer smoke-filled, dirty and derelict) full of interesting history. Then Ed, Jill and their small children (going on five and three) joined me for three weeks traveling in the UK. We spent a week in Edinburgh and another in the beaches south of Bristol, but the most distinctive week was piloting our rented narrowboat around the canals of Cheshire. We had a marvelous family time on our 50-foot boat, the adults enjoying our increasing sense of competence at piloting and handling locks, the children particularly enthralled by the constant close-up views of families of water birds—swans, geese, ducks, moorhens—at their cutest. I recommend the pacing, the continuing small challenges, the ease of not having to hunt up a new bed every night, and the pleasures of tying up bank-side and sauntering along to the pub.

I look forward to reading about my classmates. Thanks, Liddie and Mickey, for your work at organizing and publicizing the reunion.

Wayne Eidson (continued)

That was in June of 1965, and in September of 1965, our son, Thomas Wayne, Jr. was born. I worked for about two years in management positions in the construction industry and in January of 1967, I started my own company in Raleigh, presently called Lan-Way Roofing Co., Inc. In 1969, our daughter, Carol, was born in Raleigh. We decided that two was enough since we had been blessed with a boy and a girl and we were both thirty years old.

We decided to call our son Brownie which came from Lois's maiden name. He lives in Tarboro with his wife and three of our grandchildren, two girls and a boy whose name is Thomas Wayne, III. Brownie is the Vice-President of Lan-Way and will carry the torch after I'm gone. Carol lives in Charlottesville, VA, with her husband and our other two grandchildren, a boy and a girl. The grandchildren range in age from one and a half to six.

Lois and I have been in Raleigh for forty years and have lived in the same house for thirty years. We have been members of the same Baptist church for thirty years and I had the pleasure of serving on the Board of Trustees at Meredith College in Raleigh for about ten years. Meredith is a Baptist Women's College and our daughter graduated from there in 1991. Beyond family and work, you can find me on the golf course.

John I. Harris (continued)

Christy is married to Darrin Trisley and lives in Nederland, Co., 20 miles from Bolder. She is 36 now and her passion is dance choreography.

Mihael is 26 and lives in Raleigh. He is a Mechanical engineer with Parata located in the Research Triangle Park. He has a serious girlfriend, Kim.

I still love cars and airplanes. Walking five miles a day helps me stay fit. It is hard to believe it has been 50 years since graduation. This reunion is a special occasion for us.

Nancy Harris (continued)

Sisters and brothers in Burlington, Morehead City, and Rocky Mt. I am a retired elementary teacher and Jim was in coaching and a regional insurance manager. I love having time to garden, go shelling, golfing, Mah Jongg, water yoga.... You name it, and I'm game. It has been especially fun to reconnect with old friends. Come to see us!

Ralph Lancaster (continued)

I retired as President and CEO of The Lancaster Group, a financial institution location consulting firm, in 2003, and currently serve as Chairman of the Board of Directors of that organization. After graduating from high school, I served in the U. S. Coast Guard for four years. After leaving the Coast Guard, I joined the Greensboro, N. C., News-Record, where I eventually became City Editor. I then joined Wachovia Bank where I became a Vice President, then moved on to become Executive Vice President of Heritage Bank in Florida, and then on to Executive Vice President of First Western Bank in Nevada. I formed The Lancaster Group in 1979.

My wife, Sandra, and I have been married 46 years and we have three children—Doug Lancaster, a

painting contractor in Florida, Julie Cowan, a retired Librarian in New Zealand, and Dr. Jeff Lancaster, an assistant professor at Virginia Tech in Blacksburg, VA. We spend our time between our home in New Zealand, our home in Florida, and our motorhome, referred to as "The Beast." We have traveled over 60,000 miles in the motorhome in the past five years, covering all 48 states at least three times

Donald McArthur (continued)

He is currently working with Honor Flight to fly WWII veterans to see the WWII memorial. The first GA flight was May 19 and the second one was August 11. (This is a free flight for WWII veterans, hoping some can see the memorial who would not otherwise be able to make the trip. Most are not in very good health.

A big thanks to the committee for getting the reunion together.

Roy Martin (continued)

I became Sunday editor of The Daily Reflector and after that moved on to Greensboro where I was Asst. City Editor, political reporter, columnist and had dealt with a number of other responsibilities. From there, I went to the Washington Journalism Center (Spring, 1969) for a fellowship. I spent four months in DC learning the political ropes and meeting great and gifted people who supported the Journalism Center Program.

From there, I went to The Washington Star and worked there seven years. I was night metro editor, asst. makeup editor and later asst. news editor. I enjoyed the experience and, after a divorce, met Sylvia Rice Allison. We became quite devoted to each other and remain so to this day----and it will be so in the great beyond. After five years as a TV news director, I decided to become a teacher. Taught immigrant children English for 18 years and don't regret a day of it. I retired in 2002, worked five years in the early retirement program of the Roanoke City Schools and am now a teacher at Huntington Learning Center in Roanoke. It's been a good life...a little rocky at times but still a good life. Thank you.

Memrie Mosier (continued)

I'm looking forward to a trip to China this October.

I have two children, a son Perry who lives in Crested Butte, Colorado with his wife Melissa and three children, Zuley, Riva and Quinn. My daughter Fraser lives closer, in Redding, Connecticut with her husband, Matthew Edwards, and a almost-two-year-old named Cooper.

Good luck, and I look forward to hearing news of all of the attendees.

Ruth Peaden (continued)

My first job after high school was with the newly opened Winn- Dixie grocery store in Greenville. Shortly thereafter I was secretary with Carawan Oil Company in Greenville. In 1964 Jack left WNCT-TV, Greenville to work at WNBE-TV in New Bern. In 1965 Jack took a job with WRAL-TV and we moved our family to Raleigh and we've been here since.

After our children started school I worked outside the home. My first job was with Colonial Stores/Big Star Grocery from 1969 until its demise in 1988. There, I was a secretary/records clerk. I was an executive secretary with Cooper Tools from 1989 until 2001 when I retired.

January 2007, Jack retired from WRAL-TV after 41 years. We're thoroughly enjoying our leisure time traveling, visiting with family and friends. When we can find the time between traveling and visiting, we are researching our family history and have found it to be an exciting, interesting and rewarding project and highly recommend it.

Even though our family has experienced its "moments" in the past fifty years, God has richly blessed us. We are forever thankful and grateful to Him for all the many blessings we have received and continue to receive.

For my classmates, I say, "Thanks for the memories." On any given day, I find it fun to travel down "memory lane" and reminisce about each one of you and our school days, teachers, etc. Thanks to our computers it's easier and quicker to be in touch with each other than ever before, so please keep in touch if only to say hello. I wish each of you the very best life has to offer and pray we will share many more reunions.

So, there you have it Class of '57...

Margaret Phelps (continued)

As you probably know, I was the last child of six. My brothers Ray and Hilary Phelps and my sister Jean have passed away. My brothers Rudolph and Herman still live in Greenville. There are three of us left.

Margaret Phelps Goode

(I could say – Margaret White Phelps Arthur Arthur Brown Goode!)

Jesse Powell (continued)

Children –

Ingrid P. Hunter – M.A. UNC-G. School teacher, Librarian. Husband Patrick, attorney in Charlotte. Two daughters- Sophie and Elisabeth- ages 4 and 3 years old.

Lisa P. Ryan – B.S. UNC-Chapel Hill. Subcontracting manager for Ratheon. Husband Charlie, pilot for United Airlines, Commander in Naval Reserves.

Jesse, Jr. – B.S. NCSU, MD Wake Forest School of Medicine, with pathology group at the hospital in Sumter, SC. Unmarried

Tom Powell (continued)

3. I got a degree from ECC in Industrial Arts. I wanted to help the poor kids, the country club kid will make it any how.

4. I worked on a farm after school to make money for college. (The next time I tell a mule to get up he will be sitting on my lap.)

5. One summer I dug up tree stumps. Teaching school is easier.
6. I married a little girl named Jonnette, best move I made. One child named Sheila.
7. I retired with 28 years in the classroom. (I'm here St Peter, I have served my time in hell) I enjoyed every minute of it, and 8 years Van line Furniture.
8. I work for a small company that pours footings for everything from a Johnny house to a school house.
If work gets too hard, the boss and I go hunting, fishing, or repair storm destroyed houses in Pascagoula, Mississippi – where the Mississippi squirrel came from.
9. I still think the best music I have ever heard is a pack of hounds hunting.
10. I work with 60 to 65 battered women.
11. I collect; guns, cast iron cook ware, White House vinegar jugs, and Real McCoy.
12. I made 7 mission trips to Haiti – 2 weeks to 2 months, in training for Zambia, Africa.
13. My bride and I spent 15 months in Zambia on a mission trip for the Presbyterian Church. Very rewarding – never a dull moment, I had several days with 25 hours.
14. When I die, I will not have rusted out, I will have worn out.
15. My experiences:
 - A. I have cleared a ditch bank with a bush axe.
 - B. Trucked tobacco with mules.
 - C. Primed tobacco for \$10 a day.
 - D. Had my tail beat by Earl Windley and was glad when he stopped.
 - E. I have eaten oysters at Cliff's Oyster Shack (best anywhere)
 - F. Pulled a net for shad on the Tar river.
 - G. Caught fish on the Pamlico River and cooked them on Indian Island before they stopped wiggling.
 - H. Ate the best beef ribs in Lyndon Johnson's Hill country in Texas.
 - I. Ate crawdads on Bourbon Street in New Orleans – can't be beat.
 - J. Gone rafting on the New River and thought I would die.
 - K. I have seen a yard long slice of watermelon and know how a little boy feels behind it. (Mark Twain)
 - L. While teaching, the Principal sent me out to direct the loading of busses – the bus driver were more of a problem than the students so I threw him off the bus and drove it myself. As I pulled away from the school, I heard MICKEY MOUSE. There was no song for MIGHTY MOUSE. They called me Mr. Mighty Mouse.
 - M. At another school, I drove an old school bus and the steering wheel came apart on my clothes, so I wore an apron to protect my clothes. A kid asked me if I thought that Keebler cookies were really cooked in a holler tree. I said I did not know. He said he thought the cookies were made in an old school bus. So they called me Mr. Keebler.
 - N. While working construction my boss and I stopped at a little convenience store for a Pepsi cola. I asked to use the rest room which she let me use. My boss asked if she let the public use

her rest room. She said no, “but I shot my last two customers because they were robbing the store.” The folks at work call me Doc Holiday.

That’s all you get for 5 cents.

Tom Powell

Charles Squires (continued)

Last 20 yrs with Glidden paint.

Retired in 1990. Company was bought out by a company in England. Got tired of all the garbage. Have not regretted it not one day. Miss the people but not the bull.

I now do as I want, well most of the time. If my wife will let me. We have a place down on the river across from Washington country club . Mouth of Blount’s bay no not the big house on the left look over to the right .

I enjoy boating ,fishing, . Working in my garden and yard. We have a men’s club down there that meets every Wednesday night. We solve all the world problems and bend our elbows. Tell lies and what not.

My wife’s name is Carol(my second one that is)

We have no children. I have two by my first wife one lives in Petersburg FL the other in Columbia SC

We got a bunch of great nieces and nephews. They keep us busy.

Hope life has been as good to you as it has me. Would love to hear from you’ll

Betty Sugg (continued)

Our oldest grandson, Michael, played soccer for UNC and was drafted by the Kansas City Wizards where he plays midfield and has done well. Our oldest granddaughter will be a sophomore at Elon and will make her debut in Raleigh in September. I won’t give a summary on the other nine, but will just say they are all good looking, smart, beautiful, and talented – just as your are!

Mickie Sumrell (continued)

There are no grandchildren but I love my four grand dogs and three grand cats. My own cat, Sweet Thing, is 16 now and suffers, as do I, from the maladies of old age. I have been a widow for 23 years. My late husband was career Army and our most exciting post was Seoul, Korea.

I can’t believe we have been out of high school for 50 years! My hope is that we can get together as a class much more often as we age and while all of us can “still get out of the bus”.

Sharon Wilfong (continued)

I am still alive and able to enjoy my small farm. Currently I have 16 chickens, 2 ducks, a pig, 4 miniature horses, 3 dogs, 3 cats, 2 birds, a turtle, and fish – oh, and a rabbit. I love animals. My four grandchildren are age 21, two are 19, and one 13, The oldest will be married in the spring. My remaining son, Rob, is in Iraq. He completed his career in the Army and now is over there for the US Government training the locals – I want him home! He is 45. My daughter is 41 and travels all over the country teaching cardiologists how to use a radiology/computer program; her title is Solutions Consultant/Analyst. Last year I was awarded the Nursing Administrator of the Year and Lifetime Achievement Award by the Florida Association of Directors of Nursing in Longterm Care – nice way to end my career. I have always loved the elderly and now I am one of them! Despite lifes curve balls, I am glad to be alive and know that God is good. He continues to love me in spite of my stubborn stupidity and poor judgment so I rejoice in His blessings and faithfulness to me. I look forward to seeing you all.

Billy King Willis (continued)

My daughter by a previous marriage, Courtney, lives in Glen Allen, Va., with husband Bob and children Ryan, 17, and Morgan, 14, and she works for the Henrico County Va School System. If all goes according to current plans I hope to retire sometime in 2008; however, since I have worked since I was 13 (my first job was @ Merit's Shoe Store) I will probably continue working somewhere, but on a parttime basis.

The Pre-reunion Reunion

On September 13, Hugh Duncan was in town to visit with his mother and had told us that he could not be here for the reunion. So – a few of us got together and met Hugh at Parkers (he can't get that good pig out there in the west!) for lunch. Here are a couple of shots from that day.



Hugh Duncan, Betty Tunnell Whichard, and Ken Whichard



Mickie Sumrell, Hugh Duncan, Betty Tunnell, Liddie Braxton, Ormon Whichard, and JoAnna Rooke
(names we knew them by!)

Greenville High School



Dear old Greenville
Loyally we stand united
Rough and ready
Fight the fight with all your might and win-Hey
Firm and steady
Eyes upon the ball always
Onward to victory, proud our future days
Fight the fight, Green and White
Onward we're pushing to win the goal
Then here goes, on your toes,
Let them know that we're death on foes
Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah!