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Anker, Vicki [Freimuth]

Monticello, IN 47960

Spouse/Partner: Dale Eugene Freimuth

Children: Scott (8/1970), Craig (8/1972), Kurtis (9/1980)

Employer: Retired



Arends, Lee

Elkhorn, NE 68022

Spouse/Partner: Kathy

Children: Sarah (1978)

Employer: Happily Retired

After 41 Years of being part owner of Arends Brothers Poured Concrete, I sold my stake in the company to my nephew and haven't looked back. We downsized to a smaller home last

August, moving back to Elkhorn from Omaha. I love that I don't have to worry about mowing the lawn or shoveling snow. The only grass I worry about now is the grass on the golf course! Our daughter Sarah, her husband Ryan and son Alex (7), live in Napier, New Zealand. For the 9 years they've been there, we have been fortunate enough to visit once a year. Kathy will be "semi-retiring" in September, so our next visit will be for two months instead of 3 weeks. Sarah and her family will be here for their yearly visit during the reunion. I'll miss catching up, sharing stories, reliving memories, the "Remember whens" and laughs with everyone. Have fun and don't stay out too late!



Arends, Arlene [Tolsma]

Ocheyedan, IA 51354

Spouse/Partner: John (deceased)

Children: Brian (1971), Alicia (1978)

Employer: Retired

John and I married Nov. 30, 1970. We lived in Ellsworth, MN. Brian was born in 1971, then to DeSmet, SD for 2 years, then to Bigelow, MN for 6 years. Bought a house in Ocheyedan, IA in 1978; been there ever since. In 1978 our daughter Alicia was born. John was a well digger with Johnson Well Co., then road construction until he retired. He died in 2011. I worked at Tim's Drive Inn for a few years, then got a job at Sather's in Round Lake, MN for 13-1/2 years. After they closed I worked for Sunrise Farms. In 1999 I started at Chase Bag in Sibley, IA, for 19-1/2 years. I retired in 2016. I'm enjoying my retirement years, keeping busy doing charity work and making home made cards.



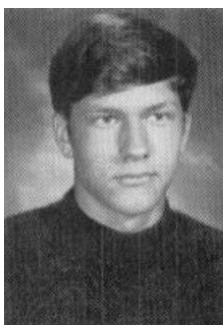
Arnold, Paula

Madison, WI 53704

Children: 2 incredible children (boy and girl)

I have 2 loving children and four grandchildren. Live in WI, graduated from college as Veterinary tech. Founder of Sung Oyate, 11 years of taking out veterinarians, vet students, vet techs, and farriers out to Pine Ridge reservation in South Dakota working on horses for people in need; we average doing 650 Horses in 4 days.

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Artley, Steven

Alexandria, VA 22314 United States

I can see Earth from my house. Twitter: @artleytoons
Blog: <https://artleytoonsonline.blogspot.com/>



Brunk, Barry

Deceased

Date of Death: 6/1969



Balk, Kathy [Mitchell]

Rushmore, MN 56168



Burkard, Barb [Walter]

Iroquois, SD 57353-2021

Spouse/Partner: Rollie Walter

Children: Ryan (1975) Reed (1977). Aaron (1979)

Andrea (1981)

Employer: Sheyenne Transportation (part-time)

I retired as a registered nurse 2 years ago. I currently drive a school bus part-time. Time continues to pass quickly. I enjoy working on many projects I did not have much time to enjoy when working full time. Babysitting our 2 grandchildren is a high priority; a girl and boy each who are 2-1/2 and 3 yrs old. I enjoy sewing, gardening and crafts. I always have several projects ready to work on.



Berning, Arlene [Hausmann]

Deceased

Date of Death: 6/18/1984



Boldt, Deborah [Rykken]

Lino Lakes, MN 55014

Spouse/Partner: Grant Rykken

Children: Nicole (1975)



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Buus, Rayola [Bryan]

Jasper, MN 56144

Spouse/Partner: Dale (deceased)

Children: Julie (1972-1998); Daniel (1974); David (1982)

Employer: Retired

After graduation I worked 2 years at Terrace Park Dairy in Luverne as a bookkeeper. In March 1971 I married Dale Bryan from Jasper and became a farm wife for 20 years. In 1992 I started working as a cook and bartender in KJ Korner Bar in Hardwick for 10 years. In 2002 I started as Head Cook at Jasper Sunrise Village in Jasper. In November 2018, I retired after knee surgery. In February 2009 my husband of 38 years passed away. In January 1998, my daughter Julie, at the age of 25, was killed in an auto accident. I still live on a farm east of Jasper. I have 4 grandchildren, Samantha 23, Megan 22, Cory 19, and Chloe 9. My hobbies are cooking, sudokus, scrapbooking and watching Hallmark.



DeBoer, Leslie [Giese]

Morganton, NC 28655

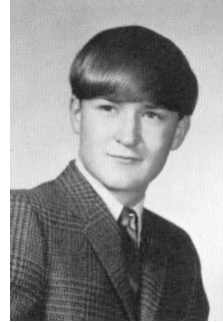
Spouse/Partner: Wayne Giese

Children: 2 daughters, Cara (78) and Valerie (80)

Employer: Retired from Burke County Schools

I graduated from the University of Minnesota with a degree in Early Education and moved with my husband, Wayne, to North Carolina. Wayne was a vocational rehabilitation counselor with the NC School for the Deaf and is now retired. His second career is as a tennis coach/instructor in our community. I taught first, second and Pre-K in Drexel, N.C. and retired from teaching in 2004. My second career has been with my brother, Bob's agency, called A Chance To Grow in N.E. Minneapolis. For the past 15 years, I've been one of the

presenters for the S.M.A.R.T. program (Stimulating Maturity Through Readiness Training). The workshops have been presented in 12 states around the U.S. and are for elementary and pre-K educators. I enjoy volunteering at the Friends for Animals Rescue Center, singing alto in my church's choir, reading, walking, traveling, painting, water aerobics, "ladies' lunches" with friends, discovering fun breweries and wineries and babysitting our granddaughter and grandson.



Diekmann, Dan

Lismore, MN 56155



Efting, Jo [McClure]

Jasper, MN 56144



Dietz, Cheryl [Wessels]

Chancellor, SD 57015

Children: Stacy, Greg

I married Marlyn (Marty) Wessels July 14, 1970. We lived in Sioux Falls until 1976. We moved to an acreage by Chancellor, about 20 miles southwest of Sioux Falls and lived there until Oct 2001. I had a beauty salon in my home and Marty had a repair shop. In 2001 we had an auction and moved into Chancellor. He went to work for Miller Loaders at Granite, Iowa. He retired three and a half years ago and loves retirement. 😊. I still have the

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salon in my home and work 2-3 days a week. We have two children, Stacy on the right in the photo, lives in Highland, Illinois. Greg and his wife Robyn, on the left in the photo live in Sioux Falls. They have one daughter, Morgan, who is 14. She will be a freshman at Harrisburg this Fall.



Engen, Connie [Hoffer]

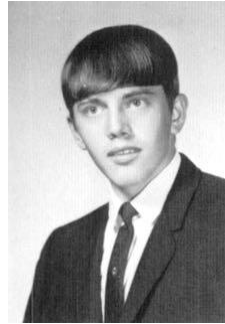
Adrian, MN 56110

Spouse/Partner: Gary Hoffer

Children: Thomas (1980), Ann (1983), David (1986)

Employer: Retired

After graduating from AHS, I attended Jackson Vocational School. I graduated from the General Secretary class and landed a Federal Civil Service job with the Social Security Adm. Gary and I got married August 15, 1970, and lived in Fairmont, MN. In 1981, I left the workforce to raise our family, we moved back to Adrian, and Gary became self employed in the auto body repair business. In 1990, I went back into the workforce, becoming employed at Sailor Plastics. In 1994, I was hired by School Dist. 511. I spent the next 21 years in many different capacities for the district. I retired in 2015 and have spent the last four years spending more time with family, traveling, and enjoying our only grand child who was born in March, 2018.

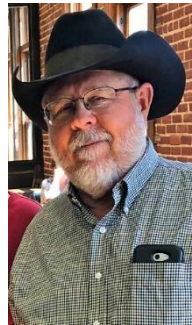


Freimuth, Alvin

Deceased

Alvin was born on September 4, 1951 and passed away on Monday, October 3, 2005.

Alvin was a resident of Reading, Minnesota.



Halverson, Randy

Fairview, SD 57027

Spouse/Partner: Pat Spieker

Halverson

Children: Dennis (1972), Michelle (1974), Robert (1976), James (1980)

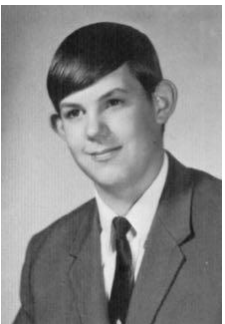
Employer: Retired

Attended Rochester Junior College and Southwest Minnesota State University. Graduated from Pipestone AVTI Ag Banking in 1978. Worked 40 years in banking as an ag lender.



Hausmann, Harlan

Rushmore, MN 56168



Fletcher, Richard

Streamwood, IL 60107

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Henrichs, Arlene [Rosdahl]

Northwood, IA 50459

Spouse/Partner: Jim Tanner

Children: Amy Jorgensen

Employer: Retired

After graduation I lived in Worthington, MN, for ten years. Then I moved to Northwood, IA, where Jim and I reside today. I have one daughter, Amy (Bryce) Jorgensen. She has two children, Jenna and Taylor. Both Attend Iowa State. Jim has two children, Kris (Steve) Lentz and Jaime (Scott) McCormick. Kris and Steve have two children, Justin and Miranda. Jim and I are retired. Jim was a Worth County bus driver. I was a med aide at the Pines Assisted Living. I still do part-time work as a private in-home caregiver. Life is good!



Henriksen, Butch

Minneapolis, MN 55422

Spouse/Partner: Therese

Children: Jason, Jeremy

Employer: Retired

I retired after 34 years as a meatcutter and have been enjoying my retirement ever since. Therese and I have been married for 47 years. We have two sons: Jason, 41 and Jeremy, 39. I enjoy golfing and spending our winters in Arizona.



Hieronimus, Joyce [Eickhoff]

Marshall, MN 56258

Spouse/Partner: Gary Eickhoff

Children: Chad (1975), Shanna (1978)

Employer: Eickhoff Enterprises, Inc.

Graduated from Jackson Vocational School in 1970.

Married my high school sweetheart, Gary Eickhoff, in

1972. Moved to Marshall, MN and started working at Swift in the accounting department until 1976. While raising my 2 children, I operated a daycare in my home

from 1977 - 1990. In 1990 started working as a teachers aide at Holy Redeemer School (HRS) and part time at Eickhoff Enterprises (our family owned business). I retired from HRS in 2015, and since have continued to work part time at Eickhoff Enterprises. I have 2 children, Chad and Shanna and 6 grandchildren: Mackenna, Mason, Logan, Tavian, Lydia and Leander. In my free time I enjoy reading, shopping and spending time with my grandchildren and attending their events.



Johnson, Jon

Sioux Falls, SD 57105



Jones, Brenda [Sailor]

Sioux Falls, SD 57108

Spouse/Partner: Terry Sailor

Children: Tara (1976), Derek (1980)

Following graduation I worked at Worthington Central Telephone Office. In August 1970 married Terry Sailor. We lived in Los Angeles, California for a year where I worked for an office supply distributor. We returned to Adrian in 1971. I worked at the for the School District and the Adrian City Hall before joining Terry at Sailor Plastics in 1983. I retired July 2015. Enjoying our 4 grandchildren.



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Kemper, Mary [Jobes]

Cheyenne, WY 82001

Spouse/Partner: Keith Jobes

Children: Nichoel (1972), Kyle (1974), Colleen (1977)

Employer: Retired

7 grandchildren (6 boys, 1 girl) 1 great-grandchild (boy)

Apple Computer business in Worthington in 1982 and then expanded to Marshall and Sioux Falls. I sold the business in 1989. I also sold Pioneer seed and farmed. Decade of the 90s: I sold crop insurance and Pioneer seed while farming. Now, as I slide into retirement, I can't quite quit the farming habit. Some day you'll probably see me out with my walker picking up rocks. Kathy and I have 3 children: a daughter (Angie) and son (Corey) living in Orange County, California, along with 3 grandkids there, and a daughter (Stephanie) near Luverne with two more grandkids. Life is good.



Krogman, Karla [Gedell]

Minneapolis, MN 55418-2558

Spouse/Partner: Alan Rust

Children: stepdaughters Justine Gedell Greene (1968) and Cinnamon Gedell Glassbrenner (1971)

Employer: Retired

Graduated from Mankato State College in 1973 (Business Admin., Marketing) and from Hennepin Technical College in 1976 (Typesetting). Worked for 15 years in the printing industry as a typesetter and desktop publisher. Returned to graduate school in 1994, receiving Masters in Library and Information Science from Rosary College in Chicago in 1996. Worked for State of Minnesota, Office of Attorney General as a law librarian (1997-2017). Retired 2/1/2017. Married Rick Gedell in 1988; he passed away in 2010. I have two stepdaughters, Justine & Cinnamon, four grandkids (Ayla, Amanda, Cece, and Vaughn) and a great-grandson born in Dec. 2018 (Jacob). Currently traveling & enjoying retirement!



Klooster, Jerry

Eden Prairie, MN 55347



Knips, Jim

Lismore, MN 56155

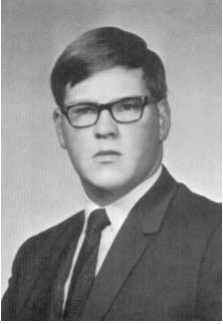
Spouse/Partner: Kathy

Children: Angie (1975), Stephanie (1978), Corey (1982)

Employer: Self

After AHS I attended Buena Vista College in Storm Lake, Iowa, and the University of Minnesota. So I started as a Beaver and ended up a Gopher. At the U I met a pretty brunette named Kathy that lived across the hall in our apartment complex. After a 2-year con job, I convinced her to marry me. Decade of the 70s: I worked a couple years for a commodity broker explaining hedging to farmers. I also started farming NW of Lismore and selling Pioneer seed. Decade of the 80s: I started an

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Krogman, Rev. David
Risen Savior Parish
Brandon, SD 57005

A.A., Worthington State J.C. B.A., Augustana University; Criminal Justice / Political Science Pre-Theology, St. Mary University M.Div., St. Paul Seminary I worked my way through college doing all kinds of jobs. Two that I hated: 1) chicken killer for Campbell Soup Co., and 2) turkey hanger for Campbell Soup Co. The summer job I loved was bartending and waiting tables. I worked at Michael's Supper Club, Ping's Bar, The Luverne Country Club, and I worked for my uncle Lee at the Lismore Bar. Upon graduation from college I investigated fraud for the State of Minnesota. In the Fall of 1976, I entered Immaculate Heart of Mary Seminary at St. Mary's in Winona, MN, to take my Latin requirement and complete a minor in Philosophy. I was then accepted to St. Paul Seminary in St. Paul. On May 29, 1981, I was ordained a Roman Catholic Priest for the Diocese of Sioux Falls. I have served at St. Joseph's Cathedral in Sioux Falls, and five years at Sacred Heart in Aberdeen. I also taught three years at Roncalli High School (I loved teaching, but discovered I was really lousy with kids). After Aberdeen I served ten wonderful years as a chaplain in the U.S. Air Force. My assignments were all over the world, from Greenland to Texas to the Philippines. I served in Desert Storm and received a couple really beautiful medals. In 1997 I was called back to my Diocese. I have been a chaplain at Avera McKennan Hospital from that time and continue to serve in that capacity. I was also Pastor at St. Mary's in Sioux Falls, and am now pastor at Risen Savior in Brandon. I enjoy reading and travel. I have hosted 17 pilgrimages/tours (again, all over), including one to China. This year we are going to Eastern Europe and next year doing the Alpine tour, including the world famous Passion Play in Oberammergau.



Lais, Jeannie [Peterson]
Garretson, SD 57030
Spouse/Partner: Dean Peterson

Dean & I were married in 1983. I have 2 stepsons, Bryan (deceased) and Ryan. We have 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. In 2013 I retired from First National Bank having been in the Valley Springs and Brandon offices a combined total of 39 years. Dean continues to work as a self-employed trucker. My loves are nature, critters, flowers, friends, family and ice cream.

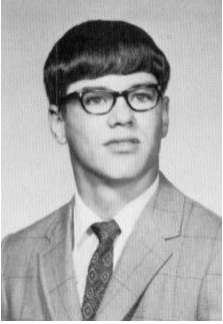


Lenz, Doug
George, IA 51237



Lenz, Ron
Deceased
Ronald Lenz, 56, of Lismore, died Thursday, Nov. 30, 2006, at Sioux Valley Hospital, Sioux Falls, S.D. Born Oct. 12, 1950, in Adrian, he was the son of Fred and Rosella Lenz. He married Sn Foley in 1987. They later divorced. He graduated from Adrian High School in 1969 and attended Jackson Vocational School. He served in the Army Reserve for four years and worked on the family farm. Over the years, he worked for the Farmer's Union Co-op and Adrian Co-op in Lismore, Loosbrock Digging and Push Construction. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and the Lismore Fire and Rescue Squad. Surviving are his parents, Lismore; three siblings, Brad (Karen) Lenz, Brandon, S.D., Mark (Shari) Lenz, Lismore, and Cindy (Jeff) Swanson, Glasgow, Mont.; and several nieces and nephews. Burial will be in the St. Anthony Cemetery West.

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Loonan, Tom

Littleton, MA 01460
Spouse/Partner: Cyan
Children: Christopher (1976), Nicholas (1979)
Employer: Hewlett Packard

Following AHS, I attended Worthington Community College and then Mankato State College where I graduated with a BS degree in Business. My working career started in my father-in-law's Commodity office in Worthington as a Broker. I continued in this line of work for 15 years. In 1988, I went into computer sales, where I was part owner of Compunet, International in the Twin Cities. In 2003, I accepted an offer to work for Hewlett Packard in Boston, and that's where I have been ever since. I'm anticipating retirement at the end of this calendar year, but all options are still on the table! I married my high school sweetheart, Cyan Knips; we raised two sons in the Twin Cities area. Once they struck out on their own, the timing was right to stretch our own wings. We nervously but eagerly relocated to New England, where it has been a most excellent adventure! Both sons finally married (compared to how old I was!!!); one lives in Denver, the other in Berlin, Germany, where our first grandchild was born earlier this year! Congratulations to all who are celebrating our 50th milestone anniversary!!!



Loosbrock, Carol [Olson]

Sioux Falls, SD 57013
Spouse/Partner: Larry Olson
Children: Stephanie (1983), Jeanoine (1987)

Attended Voc-Tech school at Jackson, MN (Clerical/Accounting) Worked at Family Service Agency, Worthington, MN (Food Stamp Program & Child Support

Collection). Married Larry Olson in 1976. Moved to Apple Valley, MN in 1979. Worked at the Minnesota Zoo in Payroll. Stephanie was born in Minneapolis, MN. Moved to Kansas City, KS, in 1986. Jeanine was born in Kansas City, KS. Moved back to Sioux Falls, SD in 1991. Went back to school at USD in Vermillion, SD; graduated in 2000, Bachelor of Liberal Studies (College of Arts & Sciences). Jeanine got married in 2014; Stephanie is getting married next year. No grandchildren.



Lorang, Nancy [Larson]

Prior Lake, MN 55372



Lursen, Jan [Sathre]

Ellsworth, MN 56129



Metz, Gene

Lismore, MN 56155-2130
Spouse/Partner: Mary Wieneke Metz
Children: Michael (1975) Jeanine (1976) Janelle (1979) Bryan (1981)
Grandkids: Morgan (22) Austin (19) Brycen (7) Jaxon (2) Camden (1) Jacob (13) Ava (11) Emma (11) Sidney (14) Logan (10) Owen (5) Great Grandkids: Aiden (2) Aaliyah (9 months)s

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Employer: Presently corn, soybean and swine farming.
Nobles County Commissioner

1972 – Married to Mary Wieneke
1973 – Graduated from South Dakota State University
with degree in Ag Economics
1973 to present – Farming
2014 to present--Nobles County Commissioner
Hobbies--Golf and following activities of children and
grandchildren



Nelson, Vyila [Culbertson]
Deceased
Date of Death: 11/1/1986
Show Low, AZ



Moser, Steve
Deceased

Steven Moser, 58 of St. Kilian, passed away at his home on Dec. 31, 2009. Steven was born on February 7, 1951 at Adrian, Minnesota, the son of Vernon and Teresa (Hartman) Moser. He attended school at Fulda, St. Kilian and Adrian, graduating from Adrian High School in 1969. Steve worked at the rendering plant in Worthington for a number of years and then went to work at the Armour processing plant for 13 years. His father passed away in 1983 and Steve began working and living on the family farm. Steve is survived by his mother, Teresa of Worthington and formerly of St. Kilian; four sisters, Cookie Paulson of Worthington, Laurie (Richard) Bohlke of St. Kilian, Mary (Dave) Krueger of Bigelow, and Jan Bachenberg of Welcome; four nieces and five nephews; and two great nephews. He is preceded in death by his grandparents and his father.



Mueller, Randy
Aurora, MN 55705



Palaschak, Sandi [Gertsema]
Slayton, MN 56172
Spouse/Partner: Jim Gertsema
Children: Bradley (1970) – Craig (1972) – Keith (1973) – TJ (1978) – Jerrod (1980)
Grandchildren: 15 (ages 1 to 22)
Great Grandchildren: 2 (girl and boy)

After graduation, I attended
Nettleton Business College in

Sioux Falls, SD. In December 1969, married Jim Gertsema from Ellsworth MN. We lived in Worthington MN for two years, then Luverne MN for two years. In 1974 we moved to Slayton MN where we have made our home and raised our family. In 1975 I started working for Peoples State Bank in Slayton as an administrative assistant. In 1990, I went to work for United Prairie Insurance Agency in Slayton as an insurance agent where I have worked for the past 30 years. In our spare time, Jim and I have owned and operated Broadway Bowl (bowling center) in Slayton since 2005. I enjoy spending time with our family, following activities of grandchildren, reading, and doing sudoku puzzles. We are fortunate to have sons Craig and TJ and their families live in Slayton. Our son, Brad's (passed away in 2012) family lives in St. James MN. Keith and his family live in Richfield, MN and Jerrod and his family live in Hutto, Texas which gives us a place to visit in the winter time. Thank goodness for facetime so that we can keep in touch with all of them.

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Petersen, Floyd

Rushmore, MN 56168

Spouse/Partner: Linda Petersen

Children: Dawn (1974; deceased 2016); Brent (1977), wife, Char, sons - Grant, 14, Wyatt, 10

Employer: Self

I graduated from Diesel Mechanics at NITC in Sheldon, IA, where I met my wife, Linda. We were married in June of 1972 and opened our repair shop in Rushmore in August, 1972. We had 2 children, Dawn & Brent. In 1976 we started farming. Even though we didn't have a lot of spare time, we managed to take the kids on a few vacations. Plus, there were a few trips to Las Vegas, one to Mexico, Hawaii & a road trip to Florida to see old friends. I did get to take a few fishing trips through the years, too, which were a nice break from work. One was even to NW Territories. Here's to 50 years!

1979 we bought the Rustic Razor/Barber Shop. In 1980 I joined the Adrian American Legion Post 32 and in the same year I joined the Adrian Fire and Rescue Squad. In 2007 I retired from the Adrian Fire and Rescue with 27 years of service. Proud to Serve. Mary retired from the Adrian School District after 32 years as a Para Professional. I on the other hand am still working but only 4 days a week and look forward to going to work. We have 3 kids: Cory-Teacher Glen-Deputy Sheriff and Jill Human Resource Manager. We have 6 Granddaughters and 1 Grandson It's so much fun to be a Grandparent.



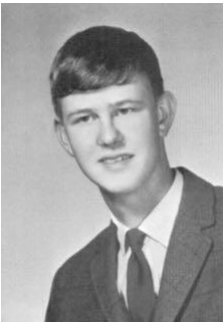
Reiter, Marilyn [Williamson]

Garretson, SD 57030

Children: Todd(1974) Leah(1977) Broc(1977)

Employer: retired

After graduation I worked at Rochester at the Methodist Hospital as a secretary for 2 years. Then I moved to Sioux Falls S.D. and worked at Sioux Valley Hospital (Sanford) as a staffing coordinator for 40 years. Live in Garretson S.D and have 7 grandchildren, 4 girls and 3 boys. Keeps grandma really busy. Besides spending time with grandchildren I spend a lot of time golfing in the summer.



Raley, Bob

Rockford, IL 61103

Spouse/Partner: Lanna

Children: Kristin (1979), Joshua (1981) Grandchildren Oliver (2009), Elliot (2012)

Employer: Self employed (Retired)



Reisdorfer, Randy

Adrian, MN 56110

Spouse/Partner: Mary Ellen Reisdorfer

Children: Cory (1975) Glen (1977) Jill (1984)

I went to Barber School in Sioux Falls S.D. In January of 1970 I joined the Army Reserve. Did my Basic Training and AIT in Fort Polk Louisiana. Proud to Serve. In November 1971 I married Mary

Ellen Konz in the St. Adrian Catholic Church. In 1974 Mary and I moved to Adrian where I started Barbering. In



Reiter, Mary [DeBuhr]

Ellsworth, MN 56129

Spouse/Partner: Marlyn

Children: Marla (1977), Sara (1979), Kayla (1983)

Employer: Retired

After graduation I worked at Sioux Valley (now Sanford) in Sioux Falls as a secretary. Married Marlyn DeBuhr in

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1976. Took time off from working until my girls were in school. I then worked for Southwest Mutual Insurance Agency for 10 years; then worked at the Ellsworth State Bank (now Security Savings) for 20 years. Didn't venture too far from Adrian! I live on an acreage 3 miles north of Ellsworth. My husband sold and serviced milking equipment until he retired. I have 6 grandchildren, 3 boys and 3 girls.

Rust, Alan

Minneapolis, MN 55418

Spouse/Partner: Karla Gedell

Children: Amber (1971) and Heather (1978)

Employer: Retired



Reker, Ron

Janesville, MN 56048



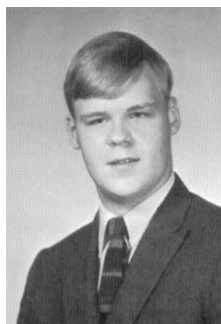
Rust, Robert

Apple Valley, MN 55124



Reker, Wayne

Worthington, MN 56187



Sailor, Terry

Sioux Falls, SD 57108

Spouse/Partner: Brenda

Children: Tara and Derek

Employer: Retired



Reuter, Barb [Loonan]

Fort Worth, TX 76137



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Schissel, Roxie [Peklo]

Backus, MN 56435
Spouse/Partner: Butch Peklo
Children: Sarah (1980)
Employer: Retired

Graduated from Swedish School of Nursing in 1973. Worked as an RN in Critical Care and Emergency Nursing for 43 years. Have been retired for 3 years now and love not having a schedule. Have been living in Backus MN since 1978. Our daughter has been living in California for the past 9 years so that gives us a great opportunity to get away from the MN winter for several months.



Schoeneman, Mary [Richardson]

Windom, MN 56101

Greetings everyone!
I attained a nursing degree after graduation. Have lived in Wyoming and California. Have lived in Windom, MN for many years. Have retired and am enjoying hobbies of crocheting and flower gardening. Love traveling also.



Schwebach, Shirley [Wieneke]

Lismore, MN 56155
Spouse/Partner: Ray
Children: Rhonda (1972); Renee (1975); Ryan (1984)
Employer: Retired

Started working at the nursing home in Adrian for 2 years. Worked at St. Anthony/St. Kilian School as a Secretary/Para for 13 years. Then started working for State of MN, Dept. of Public Safety. Worked as an Examiner, Inspector (E&I) until I retired in January 2018 (28 years). Worked with hubby mowing cemetery for 25 years and custodians of church for the last 35 years. Ray still works as a salesman at Jaycox Implement. We will be celebrating our 50th wedding anniversary in September 2019. We have 5 grandkids, 23-18-14-12-10. We enjoy traveling. We do a cruise every year for the last 13 years, plus yearly fishing trips. My hobby is doing a lot of quilting.



Spieker, Barbara [Daly]

Luverne, MN 56156

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Springman, Mike

Ashburn, VA 20147

Spouse/Partner: Tracey

Children: Trevor (1991), Haley (1993), Katelyn (1995)

Employer: Retired from Northrop Grumman/TRW (1975-2012)

I graduated from Southwest Minnesota State in 1973 with a degree in Mathematics, then from the University of Colorado in 1975 with a Master's in Applied Mathematics. I began working in the space and defense industry with TRW in Redondo Beach, CA, and stayed in the industry for 37 years through my retirement in 2012 from Northrop Grumman (which bought TRW in 2002). After a 5-year IT consulting gig in Las Vegas ended in 2017, I retired for good. I met Tracey O'Neill, a 3rd-generation southern Californian, at TRW and we married in 1988. While living in Huntington Beach, we had 3 kids: Trevor (1991), Haley (1993) and Katelyn (1995). In 2007, the family moved to the Washington, D.C. area in northern Virginia for a job promotion. Tracey and I currently live in Ashburn, VA. Trevor works for Northrop Grumman in McLean, VA, Haley manages production at live music venues in Boston, and Katelyn is with a gaming software company in Rockville, MD. The kids are still single, so grandchildren remain possible, but not imminent, which is fine by us. As retirees, we're traveling and cruising like there's no tomorrow. I'm also fulfilling long-time interests in history, particularly military and aviation history, Minnesota town baseball history, and family history and genealogy, including photo/video projects for family and friends. I spent decades playing basketball, softball, tennis, volleyball and golf. Though my golf game remains mediocre, that will likely be my retirement sport of choice. Isn't that what retirees are supposed to do?!



Stomberg, Dave

Kenyon, MN 55946

Spouse/Partner: Divorced

Employer: Retired

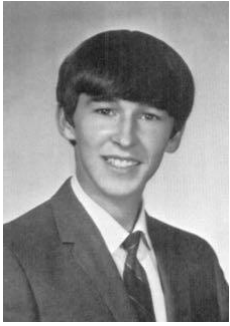
After graduation I went to work for A.R. Woods Mfg in Luverne as a metal fabricator. From 1972 to 1973 I sold and serviced Snowmobiles and Motorcycles at Mid States Sporting Goods. Returning to A.R. Woods as a Maintenance Technician and later as a Field Installation Engineer I oversaw the installation of their equipment in the Midwest as well as in Iran and Sicily. From 1976 to 1986 I worked as a Research and Development Technician building prototypes and testing the farm equipment and Mustang Skid Steers of Owatonna Mfg. Co. I married in 1977 and divorced in 1989. In 1987 I began working in Kenyon, Mn at The Foldcraft Company, a restaurant furniture manufacturer and over the next 26 years served in a range of Supervisor positions from Metal Fabrication, Welding, Woodworking, Tool and Die, Maintenance and Architectural Millwork. I also was Plant Manager and finally as their Senior Supply Chain Buyer. I retired in 2013. I was an avid golfer for decades until my back said enough! Retirement is quiet time, family, friends and some travel!



Tobiason, Lyle

Magnolia, MN 56158

Class of 1969



Vaske, Chuck
Wilmont, MN 56185

Roger worked at Raven Industries for 27 years as an electrical and mechanical draftsman. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening, and camping with his family. Grateful for having shared his life are his wife Karen; children Barb (Lyle) Berens, Humboldt, SD, Janet (Lee) Aaseng, Brandon, SD, and Randy (Cresa) Voss, Harrisburg, SD; 9 grandchildren, Morgan and Carson Berens, James, Theresa, Michael and Elizabeth Aaseng, Tate, Peyton and Knox Voss; 2 brothers, Jeff (Barb) Voss, Corcoran, MN and Glenn Voss, Sioux Falls; a sister Kathy (Mike) Roskop, Fairmont, MN; and his mother in law, Theresa Deelstra, Parker, SD. He was preceded in death by his parents, Alfred and Eleanor (Lenz) Voss.



Voss, Alan
Deceased
Date of death: Feb. 1998



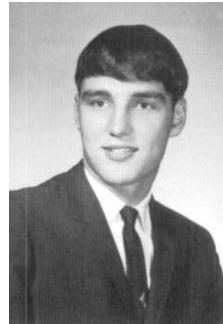
Voss, Ruth [Luettel]
Adrian, MN 56110
Spouse/Partner: James
(deceased 2001)
Children: Dean (1973), Kristi
(1976), Brad (1980), Sarah
(1983)
Employer: Retired



Voss, Roger
Deceased

Roger A. Voss, 65, Sioux Falls, SD died January 12, 2017 after a courageous 3-year battle with cancer.

Roger Alan Voss was born on January 25, 1951 at Worthington, MN to Alfred and Eleanor (Lenz) Voss. He was raised on the family farm 7 miles north and 3 miles east of Adrian, MN where he helped his father on the farm. He attended St. Mary's Catholic School in Wilmont and graduated from Adrian High School in 1969. After high school he attended Southwest Minnesota Technical College in Jackson, MN and received a degree in electrical and mechanical drafting. On May 6, 1972 Roger married the love of his life, Karen Deelstra at St. Christina Catholic Church in Parker, SD. They made their home in Sioux Falls for 18 years where they raised their 3 children. They moved to the outskirts of Sioux Falls where they built their dream home where he lived the remainder of his life.



Wieneke, Frank
Lismore, MN 56155



Wiese, Mary [Peitzmeier]
Sheboygan, WI 53081

Class of 1969



Wieneke, Kathy [Sangwin]

Laurens, IA 50554

pouse/Partner: Mike Sangwin

Children: Michelle (1973); Amy (1976); Amber (1980)

Employer: Retired

Attended Jackson Vocation School after graduation. Had several moves and jobs after that. Finally settled in Laurens, Iowa, in 1981. Was in purchasing at Bobalee Hydraulics for 20 years, and retired 2 years ago. I have 3 daughters and a stepson. We have thirteen grandchildren ranging in ages from 7 to 20. We enjoy camping at Lost Island in Ruthven, IA, in the summer. I am busy keeping up with the school and sporting events of the grandchildren. We also volunteer at the Albert City, IA Threshing Show held in August. In my spare time I enjoy quilting.



Wieneke, Mary [Metz]

Lismore, MN 56155

Spouse/Partner: Gene Metz

Children: Michael (1975) Jeanine (1976) Janelle (1979)

Bryan (1981)

Grandkids: Morgan (22) Austin (19) Brycen (7) Jaxon (2) Camden (1) Jacob (13) Ava (11) Emma (11) Sidney (14) Logan (10) Owen (5) Great Grandkids: Aiden (2) Aaliyah (9 months)