

SMETHPORT HIGH SCHOOL

CLASS OF 1944

SMETHPORT, PA

50TH

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

INDIAN ECHO COUNTRY
CLUB

115 GLASS PLACE

PORT ALLEGANY, PA

JULY 9, 1994



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Alderfer, Clement R (Bob)

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

Jolin Parker

YOUR ADDRESS:

RD 3 Box 21

Smethport

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

(814) 887-9162

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

30

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

2

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944-47 Merchant Marine - Radio Officer

1947-50 College of William + Mary

1950-52 US Army - Signal Corps

1953-54 College of William + Mary - Graduated

1955-58 Teacher Greenwood NY

1958-81 Teacher Portville, NY

1981 - Present Retired

Signed

Clement R Alderfer

Date

5/23/94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: CARL RICHARD AXBERG

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: CARMELITA "MELY"

YOUR ADDRESS: 4346 QUESTA CT,
LAS VEGAS, NV 89120

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: (702) 456-8484

MARRIED ☒ DIVORCED ☐ SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 15 YEARS

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 2 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? NO WHERE?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Two Marriages

Two Wives

Two Children

Two Boys

Too long no see

Opps!

Two Grand Children

Signed Carl R. Axberg

Date 6-1-97



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Ruth Bernard Okerlund

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Donald W. Okerlund

YOUR ADDRESS: 718 Osage St.

Manhattan, KS. 66502

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 913-776-5667

MARRIED X DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 47

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 2 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 4

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? No WHERE? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Graduated Westbrook Bus. Academy, Olean - 1946; married 1946. 1st son - 1948, 2nd 1950. Moved to Okla. - 1963; Don, an Ind. Eng., accepted position with Nestinghouse Air-brake Co. Our sons went to college 1966, & 1968. We had time to make our plans -- our goals: travel, golf, attend Art workshops (my dream come true). Our travels have been more than we even dared dream: early 70's - Mexico; '78 & '80 - Europe -- glad it was then, not presently. We love to travel the lovely USA, mostly Spring & Fall. We don't mind being attached to our golf clubs all summer. We are enjoying life, and are blessed in so many ways -- good health, being active. We work to keep it, fitness, that is! Good diet, regular exercise at Club. We seem to always have something interesting to do - our agenda is busy! We believe it keeps us feeling young. We are thankful.

Signed Ruth Okerlund

Date 4/22/94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Marilyn H. Bickford Brown

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: _____

YOUR ADDRESS: R. D. #3 - Box 230

Smethport, PA 16749-9214

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814-887-2352

MARRIED _____ DIVORCED X SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 31

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 1 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN _____

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? yes WHERE? McKean County Courthouse

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I married John F. Brown and we had one son Kermit Ward Brown.
We bought a farm on the Bordell Road and built and ran a slaughterhouse/
meat market. We also did custom farming, trucking and slaughtering.
This took the majority of my time.
We built our own home on the farm in 1969.
I lived with my son in Charlotte, NC and parents until my divorce was
final in 1976.
I worked at Import Design part time in Charlotte, NC until 1975.
Smethport Water Company 1975 - 1978
McKean County Courthouse 1978 - present.
I am now Deputy Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphans' Court.
I have traveled to Germany, Switzerland, Austria, London, Athens, Egypt
Israel and Nova Scotia through the years.
I presently live in my parents home.

Signed Marilyn H. Bickford Brown

Date 05-31-94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Vincent Bizzaro

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Ruby Jean

YOUR ADDRESS: P. O. Box 277 Mill Street

Port Allegany, PA 16743

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814-642-7661

MARRIED ☒ YES ☐ DIVORCED ☐ SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 44 Years

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ☒ 1 ☐ NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN ☒ 2 ☐

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? ☒ NO ☐ WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

- 1944 - 50 U. S. Marine Corps - South Pacific - 2 years; started at Pittsburgh Corning as a Lab Assistant; Married Ruby Jean Cummings in May of 1950.
- 1951 - 60 Promoted to Research Assistant; Elected to Boro Council - Chairman of Red Cross; Secretary McKean County Fair Association; President, Toastmasters Club; Son - Tim - Born 1958.
- 1961 - 70 Elected Area Governor of Toastmasters International; President of the Catholic Men's Club; President, Highland Finance Company; Promoted to Manager of Production Planning and Inventory Control.
- 1971 - 80 Chairman, Port Area Ambulance Service; Assistant Scout Master of Troop 61 Served on the United Fund Board.
- 1981 - 90 Promoted to Manager of Material Services and became a "Senior Associate". Grand-son Michael was born in 1988: Retired from Pittsburgh Corning in 1988 after 42 years of service. Grand-daughter Brianna born in 1990.
- 1991 - 94 Been spending some of our winters in Florida, but plan to visit other parts of the country. Working in my wood shop making signs. OH YES ----- Trying to keep track of you people.

Signed Vincent Bizzaro

Date 5-15-94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: RUTH NELSON

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: _____

YOUR ADDRESS: L.H. UNIVERSITY - RUSSELL HALL
LOCK HAVEN, PA. 17745

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 717-893-2362 - (OFF.) 717-893-2267

MARRIED _____ DIVORCED ☒ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 3 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 2 - 4 STEP

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? YES WHERE? L.H. UNIVERSITY

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

WORKED AT SYLVANIA ELECTRIC
MARRIED 1948 - 3 CHILDREN - DAVID - ROGER - DEBORAH
WORKED AT JOHNSON'S CHRISTMAS STORE & MARASCO'S RESTAURANT
STARTED WORKING AT LOCK HAVEN UNIVERSITY AUG-1973 AS
RESIDENCE HALL DIRECTOR
DIVORCED - 1980
2 GRAND DAUGHTERS - 4 STEP GRANDCHILDREN
TIME OF RETIREMENT UNDECIDED

Signed Ruth Nelson Date 4-11-94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

ELMER L DODGE JR

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

KATHERINE A DODGE

YOUR ADDRESS:

4264 SE NESS LANE

PORT ORCHARD WA 98366

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

206 871-7947

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

25

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

3

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

6

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

yes

WHERE?

U.S. NAVY, SUPPLY DEPT BREMERTON WA
CIVIL SERVICE

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Enlisted in the US Navy in August 1944. Honorably discharged June 1946. Reenlisted in the Navy in March 1948. Retired as a Lieutenant in June 1967. I married Katherine Love in August 1969. We moved to Glenview CO in March 1971. We moved to Albuquerque NM May 1973 where I worked for Norman S Wright & Co until September 1981. We then moved up here in Port Orchard WA where I'm working for Civil Service at the Manchester Fuel Depot.

Katherine and I are born-again Christians just waiting for the LORD to come back and take us home.

Signed

Elmer L Dodge

Date

6 June 1994



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Charles H. Freer

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Laverne Rodgers

YOUR ADDRESS: RD 3 Box 219
Smethport, Pa 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814-887 2865

MARRIED ☒ DIVORCED ☐ SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 48 in June

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 11 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 15
Great - 2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? ☐ WHERE? ☐

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

SERVED with 101 AIRBORNE 2 1/2 yrs.
MARRIED LAVERNE in 1946 June
WORKED AT QUAKER STATE 44 yrs
CUT wood & CARPENTER WORK ON THE SIDE
RETIRED in 1986
NOW we go HUNTING - FISHING - CAMPING
& ENJOY THE GRANDCHILDREN 3

Signed Charles H. Freer

Date 2-17-94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Helen "Freer" Roote

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Donald - deceased

YOUR ADDRESS: 399 Bentley Road
Wellsburg NY 14894

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: (607) 733-8574

MARRIED widowed DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 45

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 4 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 11

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? no WHERE ? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I moved to Elmira, NY in 1945 to work at Remington Rand boarding with an aunt and uncle. I
married Don there and lived in Elmira around ten years. I took time off from work to raise Cecil
Linda and Cathy. I again worked at Remington Rand. We then moved to Wellsburg NY where we built
our present home. We had another daughter, Alice. I then went to work for Moore Business from
where I was retired after twenty-two years. Linda married in 1968, Cecil and Cathy in 1970, and
Alice in 1981 and again in 1992. We took a four island trip to Hawaii, several trips to Florida,
visited brother Leroy in Texas, brother Gordon in Penn., several trips to Rixford and Smethport
to see Mom, Dad, Alice, and Charles. Don died of cancer July 11, 1992 after forty-five years together.
I spent my first winter without him in Florida with a cousin. We looked for sea shells on Marco
Island. I do a lot of reading and put together puzzles and try to keep a home.

Signed Helen A Roote

Date 5-12-94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

JOHN HALLSTROM

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

DORI

YOUR ADDRESS:

209 MINARD RUN

BRADFORD, PA 16701

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

814 362 2618

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

45

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

4

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

8

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944-6 NAVY SERVICE ABOARD THE U.S. SHIPS CABOT, MINNEAPOLIS AND SOUTH DAKOTA

1949 MARRIED DORI BARNHART

1943--85 WORKED FOR BELL TELEPHONE IN BRADFORD AREA

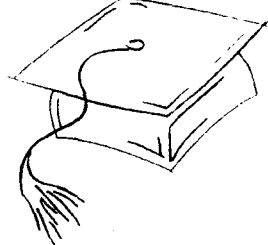
1985 TO PRESENT - KEEP BUSY WORKING IN WOODSHOP AND AROUND HOME.

ENJOY TRAVELING TO OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN AROUND THE U.S.

Signed

John Hallstrom

Date MAR. 18, 1994



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Le Roy Hendrickson

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

YOUR ADDRESS:

Box 121 - 401 1/2 W. Main St.

Smethport, Pa. 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

814 - 887 2998

MARRIED

3

DIVORCED

3

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

20 + 2 + 1

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

2

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

4

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

NO

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Three years in the U.S. Navy, with travels via Destroyers,
to Ireland, French Coast-Oran Algeria Italy's Coast, Boston and
Springfield Mass. Naval Hospital's. Then to Samar, Phi. via
Hawiiia and return via San Francisco.

I worked for south Penn Oil three and a half years. Kaul
Clay for a half a year, and I also worked at Quaker State Ref.
Corp. for 37 years and then retired in 1987.

I have put up my Fishing Pole and Guns, but I keep my camera
busy, and also my car. I'm a member of St. Bona's golf Course
and play weather permitting. A trustee and Choir member at the
United Methodist Church. A life member of the Keating Sportsmen's
Ass. Faternal order of Police, Destroyer Escort Sailors Ass.,
and Susquehanna Chapter DESA. I am also a member of Sampson
WW-2 Navy Veteran's, Eldred Legion, Smethport Fire Dept. etc.

Latest travels were (Nov.92) to Holy Land and to Egypt.

Signed Le Roy Hendrickson

Date 5-25-94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Andrew R. Hilaman - Bob

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

Thelma B. Hilaman - Becky

YOUR ADDRESS:

109 OVERLOOK CIRCLE
MONROEVILLE PA 15146

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

(412) 327-2809

MARRIED



DIVORCED

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

44

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

3 Daughters

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

Yes

WHERE? Self-Employed

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Married: 1950 USA Army: 1944-1946

Graduated Lehigh Univ 1951

Employed at Westinghouse 1951-1989

Children: 1951, 1956, 1957

Retired Westinghouse 1989

→ Univ. of Berlin 1966-67

Consultant 1989-1994

Grandsons 1992, 1990

Signed

AS Hilaman

Date

2/20/94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

EMILY (JOHNSON) DAVIELS

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

BILL DANIELS

YOUR ADDRESS:

2 HILTON AVE.

SMETHPORT, PA 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

814-887-9255

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

44 YEARS IN NOVEMBER

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

3

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

6

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944 - AUG. 1945 - WORKED AT J. ALFRED JOHNSON HARDWARE

1945 - NOV. 1950 - WORKED AT HAMLIN BANK FULL TIME

NOV 1950 - MARRIED BILL 1951 - 1992 PART-TIME AT BANK

APRIL 1992 - RETIRED. OUR CHILDREN, TOM - 1951; BEV - 1952;

DON - 1955; PROVIDED BUSY TIMES THROUGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES,

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE GRADUATIONS, MARRIAGES, AND

SIX GRANDCHILDREN.

BESIDES VISITING OUR FAMILY, THE LAST FEW YEARS, WE

ATTEND ALL HOME PENN STATE FOOTBALL GAMES AND SOME

BOWL GAMES.

WHEN WE ARE FEELING ENERGETIC, WE ENJOY RIDING

MOUNTAIN BIKES AND LOOKING FOR NEW BIKE TRAILS

Signed

Date



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Sherley (Johnson) Rossi

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

Joseph Rossi Sr. deceased

YOUR ADDRESS:

R.D. 1 - Box 210

Smethport, Pa. 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

814-887-2447

MARRIED Widowed

DIVORCED _____

SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

39

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

2

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

5 - 1 great grandson

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

Yes

WHERE?

Backus Co.

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

After graduation I worked at Smethport Spicelites & Sylvania for a few years. Later started at Backus Co where I've worked for 32 years. Married Joe Rossi in 1946. Have a son & daughter. Joe Jr & Dana Benjamin. Also 5 grandchildren & 1 great grandson. Lived in Crosby for 45 years. Joe Sr. passed away from cancer in 1985. Moved to Smethport in 1992. I am still working at Backus Co.

Signed

Sherley (Johnson) Rossi

Date

3.14.94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Dr. Paul B. Johnston

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Beverly Little Johnston

YOUR ADDRESS: 106 W. Mahoning Street
Punxsutawney, PA 15767

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814-938-4210-office, 814-938-9654-home

MARRIED X DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 42

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 4 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 6

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? yes WHERE? Punxsutawney - self

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

My first attempt at a great adventure failed when I tried to enlist in the Aviation Cadets. I flunked the color perception test. Shortly after graduation from "Good Old Smethport High" my greeting came from the President and I was drafted into the Infantry. The adventure escalated through the Pacific Islands and ended when I was wounded on Okinawa. From 1946 to 1953 I attended the University of Pittsburgh and graduated with B.S. and D.D.S. degrees. I married Bev in 1952 and we settled in the nice little town of Punxsutawney, PA in 1953. We have two beautiful daughters and two wonderful sons that make me very proud. We now have three beautiful granddaughters and three wonderful grandsons all living within three miles of us. Our younger son, now a dentist, our daughter Cyndie, Bev and I all work in the dental office. I am presently serving on the Board of S & T Bank, chair the Board of Punxsutawney Area Hospital, serve on the Board of the Pennsylvania Dental Association. Vice President of the Inner Circle of the Groundhog Club, and chairman of the John Jenks Memorial Foundation. Thanks to the reunion Committee, I have also had the opportunity to enjoy visiting with my friends from the Class of 44.

Signed

Rusty

Date

5-27-94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Corlena Kohn Enright

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

YOUR ADDRESS:

1721 E. Frankford Rd. #1727

Carrollton, Tx. 75007

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

214-394-6652

MARRIED

DIVORCED

X

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

4

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

3+

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

yes

WHERE?

Coldwell Banker Bank Stringer Realtors

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I hope I'm not the only one with a mental block as far as a chronological list of events in my life! I've had some great times, good times & bad times since leaving. Spent as I'm sure we all have.

I've lived in Buffalo, New York City, Camp Lejeune, N.C., McKinney, Tx, Rutland, Mass, Asheville, N.C. & now Carrollton, a suburb of Dallas. Three of my children were here when I arrived & finally I'll be down to my youngest son Daniel & daughter, Kaddy & family will move to Boulder, Co., Son, Jim & family live in Chapel Hill, N.C. daughter, Pam (39) lives in Scottsdale, Az. & is expecting her 1st child around reunion time. I had promised her I'd be there to welcome my new grandson! We are all so thrilled for her & us that I can't be too upset about missing my 50th.

I hope everyone has a grand time & I'll be thinking of you. If any of you come to the Dallas area, give me a call. And if you move here & need a good Realtor, remember me! Have fun!

Signed

Corlena (now Cory) Enright

Date

5/31/94



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Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Frances (McAnallen) Finley

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Francis

YOUR ADDRESS: R.F.D.#3 BOX 30 Smethport, Pa. 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814-887-2792

MARRIED 44 yrs. DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 37 yrs to Corkey Caldwell--7 yrs to Francis

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 3+1 Step-- NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 3 & 3 Step-
daughter Grandchild drea

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? NO WHERE ? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Office work--at Ration Board

Attended Beauty School--Pgh.

Opened a Beauty Shop

Married--Had 2 Sons and a Daughter. We did some traveling,

camping, and the usual school activities that families get involved in. Watched the kids grow up, go away to school and start a life of their own.

Since then, I have lost a husband, survived a "bout" with cancer, Met and married a wonderful man --Francis. He introduced me to golfing.--I closed the Beauty Shop. I quilt, we travel, camp, and do volunteer work. Retirement! A wonderful time of our lives !

Fran Finley

Signed Frances Finley

Date 5-17-94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Robert Edward McKean

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

Lois Dawn Anderson McKean

YOUR ADDRESS:

4404 Mayfield Drive

Kokomo, In. 46901

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

(317) 457-6271

MARRIED

☒

DIVORCED

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

44 years

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

5 { 4 boys
1 girl

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

10 { 7 boys
3 girls

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

Part time
Consultant - CMI

WHERE? Kokomo Ready Mix

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Fall 1944 - Marine Corp Boot Camp.

Spring 1945 - Left Norfolk Va For Pacific - China after War ended.

Fall 1946 - Returned to Smethport

worked in Oil Fields & highway Construction

June 1950 - Married Lois Anderson, Port Allegany

Fall 1950 - Entered School at Tri State University,
Angola, In. - Civil Engineering major

Spring 1953 - Graduated and started work with
the Portland Cement Assoc., Indianapolis In.
where I was employed for 15 years.

Winter 1969 - Moved to Kokomo In. where I have
been employed for 25 years as sales mgr,
Vice President and President of Kokomo
Ready Mixed Concrete Corp.

Retired Jan 1, 1994 but still work part time
as a consultant. Lois retired in the Spring
of 1992 from Northwestern Hi School where she worked
for 18 years as an Educational Secretary

Signed

Robert E. McKean

Date

5/16/94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Robert Gerald Mencer

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

Helen L.

YOUR ADDRESS:

4619 Ironwood Dr.

HAMBURG N.Y. 14075

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

716-649-5081

MARRIED



DIVORCED

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

44

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

4

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

8

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944-46 U.S. NAVY RADAR OPERATOR U.S.S. PRINCETON

1949 - GRADUATED ALFRED STATE COLLEGE
A-A-S REFRIGERATION AIR CONDITIONING

1950 July 10 Married Helen L. Miller

1951 hired as Salesman by Melchior Armstrong
Dessau Inc. A Manufacturer and Distributor of
Refrigeration and Air Conditioning products.

Retired on 10/1/91 as a District Manager responsible
for Eight Branch operations in upstate New York

Since retirement have been spending winters
in Florida

Signed

Robert G. Mencer

Date

5/18/94



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-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Daniel Ness

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

Barbara Ness

YOUR ADDRESS:

RD1 Box 183

Smethport PA 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

887-9947

MARRIED



DIVORCED

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

42

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

5

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

6

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

NO

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

After High School I went to work at Dresser Mfg. in Bradford - until I was called for the Korean Conflict. Discharged in 1951 - I married Barbara in 1952 and resumed my "Career" at Dressers - retiring in 1990. -

We have three daughters and 2 Sons and six grandchildren - 4 girls and 2 boys -

Thru-out our married life we did some traveling, but mostly stayed pretty close to home. We did alot of boating and camping.

Recently we moved to a much smaller home on the outskirts of Smethport and are enjoying a large back yard w/ swimming pool.

Signed

Dan Ness

Date

4 - 94



*CLASS OF 1944 GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY (50TH)
SMETHPORT PA. HIGH SCHOOL*

YOUR NAME: Donna (Okerlund, Barton) Hastings

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Melvin (Mel) Hastings

YOUR ADDRESS: 650 Jamaica Boulevard
Satellite Beach, Florida, 32937

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: (407) - 773 - 1170

MARRIED __X__ DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 33 years to Bill Barton - 8 years to Mel Hastings

NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 9 total - 6 of my own, and 3 stepchildren

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN: 16 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? __NO__ WHERE? __N/A__

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left " Good Old " Smethport High in 1944.

After graduation I went to beauty school in Erie Pa. I returned to Smethport and worked in Bradford as a cosmetologist, until August of 1945 when I married Bill Barton, most of you remember him. We then moved to Rochester N.Y. , where Bill finished college. We came back to Smethport in 1947 and opened Barton Studio on Main St. Aside from doing all the portrait painting for Bill, I had a beauty shop in our home. Bill and I had 6 children, 3 boys and 3 girls. In the spring of 1966 we packed up and moved our clan to Satellite Beach FL, where Bill went to work for Technicolor at the Kennedy Space Center. I changed careers, and worked as a chair side assistant to an oral surgeon for 12 years. Bill died of cancer in 1978. After his death I went to work at Holmes Regional Medical Center, a local hospital, in patient accounts. I was employed with HRMC until I met, and later married Melvin Hastings in June of 1986. As a result I gained 2 daughters, 1 son, and 3 grandchildren! Mel and I have a motorhome and travel every summer. We have seen all but 10 states in this great country of ours. We usually spend 3 to 4 weeks at camp on Prospect Hill in Smethport each summer. 2 years ago we stopped in Little Rock Arkansas long enough for me to have a triple heart bypass, which ended our traveling for 1992. 1993 only allowed 6 weeks travel time, but in 1994 we are back in the running!

I want to thank Vince for our books. I have seen many of our classmates because of them!

Signed Donna Okerlund Barton Hastings Date 06-02-94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

PETER OLSON

YOUR SPOUSES NAME:

MILDRED (PASSED AWAY DEC. 26-93)

YOUR ADDRESS:

R D #2 BOX 161

ELdred, Pa 16731

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

814 225-3332

MARRIED

DIVORCED

SEPARATED

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

33 yrs and 6 months

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

1 SON

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I worked as Dairy farmer with my father and later on my own. Worked in various factories and in various forms of construction from 1958 till 1961.
I married in 1960 and we were blessed with our son in 1961.
We lived at the same house near Corryville from 1960 until the present.
I was emp. by Peerce & Lass Co. in Port Allegany from 1962 until May 1991 at which time I retired.
My wife died very suddenly in Dec. 1993

Signed

Peter Olson

Date

June 6-94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Edith Pearsley Wilfong
YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Clarence C deceased
YOUR ADDRESS: 726 Welch St.
Kane, Pa. 16735
YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 814 837-7148
MARRIED _____ DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____
YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 35
NUMBER OF CHILDREN 5 one deceased NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 4
ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? No WHERE? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I worked, married twice Widowed twice
Had 5 children. I have been a widow
for 17 years. I took care of elderly people.
Now I am planning on moving soon. I
do not want to stay here another winter
I did some day traveling. I have a son
and daughter living in Red Lion, Mo. The
winters are not as hard there as they
are here.

Signed Edith Wilfong

Date 6/18/94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Phyllis Peterson Anderson

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: _____

YOUR ADDRESS: 405 West King Street
Smethport, PA 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: (814) 887-5773

MARRIED _____ DIVORCED X SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 7 years

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 2 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 3

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? No WHERE ? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

After graduation my first job was with Burdick's Insurance
Agency. I then took a position with the McKean County Commissioner's
Office where I was employed for 9 years. I was married in 1955 and
upon the birth of my first child I quit work and did not return to
work for 10 years. I was then divorced and went to work part-time
at the County Agricultural Office. From there I went to work full
time as a secretary for the Law Offices of Potter and Potter. When
William Potter became County Judge I then became secretary to the
Judge where I remained for 20 years until my retirement in 1988.
I have been enjoying retired life since then.

Signed _____

Date 6-6-94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Raymond Petruzzi

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Lena

YOUR ADDRESS: RD 1, Box 199 Smethport, PA 16749

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 887-5865

MARRIED Yes DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 45

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 2 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN None

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? No WHERE ? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

July 1944 to July 1946 active duty in U. S. Navy with service in the
Southwest Pacific Theater.

1946-1952 employed as apprentice printer at the McKean County Miner
in Smethport.

1952-1965 employed as printer at the Bradford Era in Bradford, Pa.

1965-1988 employed as printer at the Olean Times Herald, Olean, N. Y.
Retiring on September 15, 1988.

Have always resided with my family in good old Smethport.

Signed Raymond Petruzzi Date 6/1/94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Bryce C. Korman

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

Patricia J. Korman

YOUR ADDRESS:

7121 Windward Dr.

New Bern, N.C. 28560

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

919-636-2754

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

45

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

0

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

0

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

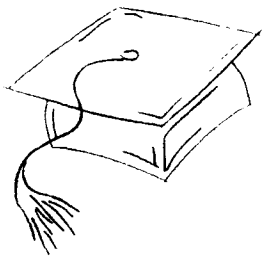
After graduation I spent 2 1/2 years in the Army Air Corp. I worked for Korman & Greene Inc. until 1960. I started my own business in coal stripping until 1965. I then was employed by Va. Dept. of Mines until I retired in 1987. I moved to N.C. from State College at that time. All I do now is play golf four days a week, 52 weeks a year.

Signed

Bryce C. Korman

Date

5/23/94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: Tillie Smith

YOUR SPOUSES NAME: _____

YOUR ADDRESS: 320 E Main St.

Bradford, PA - 16701

YOUR PHONE NUMBER: _____

MARRIED 1946 DIVORCED 1967 SEPARATED _____

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 21 - _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN 4 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 8

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? More or less WHERE? E-Z Toning & Tanning
I work for myself

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

- 1944 - Graduated from St. Nicholas Academy Buffalo, N.Y.
1946 - Married Orville Smith
1948 - Linda Lea born in August
1950 - Barbara and Babette born in February
1955 - David Brent born in December
1957-58 Raised Kids, worked at Bfd. City Hall, attended Univ of Pitt. part time
1961 - moved to Wellsville, N.Y. managed Fassett Hotel thru 1963
1964 - returned to Smethport, Director of McKean County ARC thru 1967
1967 - Divorced and later that year moved to Troy, Pa. Superintendent of Private school for girls attended the University of Mansfield. thru 1973
1973 - Moved to Warren, Pa. worked for United States Dept of Labor as Director of Adult Skills Training Facilities for 7 County area, later moved to Meadville, as Director of the Private Industry Council for the same 7 counties.
1980 - Moved to the West Coast and San Diego - served as Placement Director for Grossmont College and attended University of Calif. at San Diego.
1986 - Returned to Penna. and own and operate a small toning and tanning salon known as E / Z TONING AND TANNING 16 KENNEDY ST. BRADFORD PA.
KINDLY PHONE 368-3400 for appointments Open 7 to 7 Mon thru Fri - I serve coffee anytime and wine given any reasonable excuse.
Sometime during the years I traveled to many areas in the states and managed to get to HongKong and Red China, Hawaii, Japan, I sure do wish I had done more traveling and sightseeing and less moving. I am never moving again.
I have 8 grand children, 1 great grandchild with another expected in Aug.
Life is great - I am healthy, busy and happy.

Signed Tillie Smith

Date 5/25/94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

Jane A. (Stickles) McKellop

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

John A. McKellop Jr.

YOUR ADDRESS:

11271 Backus Rd.
Wattsburg, Pa - 16442

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

(814) 739-2963

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

39

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

2

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

2

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE ?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

I have been married to John for 39 years and we are both retired & enjoying life - we have 2 children and 2 grandchildren, all boys.

I graduated from Nursing - Hamot Hosp. Erie, Pa. along with Emma (Mrs.) Pancost in 1949 - after working 30 some years full & part time - I'm a Retired RN.

Most of my Nursing Days was in Pediatrics. I had open Heart Surgery in 1993 - for the Aortic Valve replacement - I'm doing very well - and doing all the enjoyments of life.

John & I, both will attend the Reunion

Signed

Jane (Stickles) McKellop

Date

5/23/94



Class of 1944: Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: DONALD F. TANNER
YOUR SPOUSES NAME: ROSALIE
YOUR ADDRESS: 5440 Nichols Run
LIMESTONE, N.Y.
YOUR PHONE NUMBER: 716 925 8511
MARRIED ☒ DIVORCED ☐ SEPARATED ☐
YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 15
NUMBER OF CHILDREN 4 NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 4
ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? NO WHERE?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944. NAVY FOR 2 YEARS
WORKED & LIVED IN BRADFORD, PA. FOR BIRDWELL.
LIVED IN PAINTSVILLE, KY FOR 3 YRS. 1952-55.
WORKED FOR BIRDWELL BRADFORD, PA. (1955-59)
MOVED TO WOOSTER, OHIO, FOR 1 YR. "
WORKED FOR BIRDWELL. (1959)
MOVED BACK TO BRADFORD (1959) WORKING FOR
BIRDWELL.
1959 MOVED TO TULSA, OKLA. WORKING FOR
BIRDWELL. (1959-62)
1962 MOVED BACK TO BRADFORD NOW WORKING
FOR PIPER WELL SURVEYS AND HAVE TWO DAUGHTERS
1970 STARTED EASTERN WELL SURVEYS IN
BRADFORD, PA. WORKED FOR EASTERN UNTIL 1989.
1979 MARRIED ROSALIE ENGLISH. ROSE HAD TWO
DAUGHTERS. NOW I HAVE 4 GIRLS.
1989 HAD BAD HEART ATTACK WHICH DISABLED
ME FROM WORKING.
AM RETIRED WITH MY WIFE IN LIMESTONE, N.Y.
I HAVE 4 DAUGHTERS & 4 GRAND CHILDREN.

Signed

Donald F. Tanner

Date

2/23/96



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

JOANNE "VAN SICKLE" CLARK

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

DON CLARK

YOUR ADDRESS:

21505 Redbeam Ave
Torrance Ca 90503

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

MARRIED ☒

DIVORCED ☐

SEPARATED ☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

46 3/4

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

6

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

15 / 1 great grandson

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE?

Retired

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

Worked at Backus, Herzog, and Kendall in Bradford. Married Don Clark (class of 1941) on Sept. 27, 1947. Had a Daughter and two sons born in Penna. Moved to Manhattan Beach, Calif in Aug. 1952. Another Daughter & Son born there. Purchased another home in Torrance, Ca. in 1960, another Son born there.

I worked at several hospitals in the Los Angeles/Torrance area as a diet technician, the last hospital I worked as a receptionist in the emergency dept. until I retired in Jan. 1991.

We are very fortunate, our six children, Diana; Mark; Donald II; Cynthia; Philip and Paul are still living and healthy. We are also blessed with sixteen (16) Grandchildren and one great Grandson. They all live in Calif. except Cynthia and family who live in Tucson, Ariz.

After I retired Don & I decided to become full time RVers, (Recreational Vehicle). This year, 1994 will be our fourth time across the country in four years. We've visited every State in the country and it looks like we're going to start all over again. We're on our second 5th wheel and one ton truck.

We still own our home in Torrance, Ca. Our son Philip and family rent it from us. We haven't decided where we'll settle and spend our last days but we think we have lots of time to make up our minds on the area.

JOANNE "VAN SICKLE" CLARK

Signed

Date 6/10/94



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME:

SHIRLEY (WINSLOW GRIFFIN) GOOD

YOUR SPOUSE'S NAME:

Bill Good

YOUR ADDRESS:

3116 SUNDALE DR.

GLENSHAW, PA. 15116

YOUR PHONE NUMBER:

412-486-4182 (Smpt.-814-887-9109)

MARRIED

☒

DIVORCED

☐

SEPARATED

☐

YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE:

10 in Oct. '94

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

9 + 2 step

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN

23

ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED?

No

WHERE?

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944-SATURDAYS AT BACKUS NOVELTY. ¹⁹⁴⁵ HULL'S GROCERY ¹⁹⁴⁶ PENNDOT
1947-MARRIED LEON GRIFFIN. 1948-HAD A SON. 1949-HAD A DAUGHTER.
1951-HAD A DAUGHTER. 1952-HAD A DAUGHTER. 1954-DAUGHTER;
1955 " " " 1957- " " " 1959-A SON!
1963- " " " 1964-1971 UNEVENTFUL? HA! 3 in college!
1971-3 WEDDINGS Jan, July & Oct. 1972-GRIFTS BY-PASS SURGERY &
first GRANDCHILD. 1973-2 MORE GR. CH. etc. etc.
1979-3 MORE Weddings - Aug, Dec & June of 1980. 1980-GRIFTS DECEASED?
1981 & 82-YOUNGEST SON GRAD. of West Point & YOUNGEST DAUGHTER-Hi.Sc
1982-DAUGHTER'S Wedding; 1984-My Second MARRIAGE to Bill Good &
GAINED 2 Step Daughters & 2 Step G.Ch. - 84 YOUNG SON GET MARRIED.
1985-YOUNGEST DAUGHTER & LAST MARRIAGE of the 9.
MORE GRANDCHILDREN-MORE & MORE & MORE
1994-LIVING IN PPAH-TRAVEL to Smpt. EVERY WEEKEND-WEATHER
PERMITTING. Still 23 + 2st. GRANDCHILDREN-TO DATE!
1994-TRIP to Cyprus; & forgot-1982-TRIP to KOREA
CAN'T WAIT for REUNION to SEE EVERYONE! And: Good Luck
to VINNIE & RUBY & THANK YOU!!!

Signed

Shirley Winslow Good

Date

4/20/94

P.S. IS THERE A PRIZE FOR THE LONGEST & FOR MOST PRODUCTIVE LIST?



Class of 1944 - Golden Anniversary (50th)

Smethport, PA High School

-- Questionnaire --

YOUR NAME: EVELYN G. WRIGHT SALLACK FREER
YOUR SPOUSES NAME: Edwin J. FREER
YOUR ADDRESS: 10595 Marysville Street
Spring Hill, Florida 34608
YOUR PHONE NUMBER: (904) 688-0251
MARRIED YES DIVORCED _____ SEPARATED _____
YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE: 25 YEARS - FIRST MARRIAGE - 16 YEARS - PRESENT
NUMBER OF CHILDREN 4 (1 DECEASED) NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN 15 AND 6 GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN
6 STEP-CHILDREN
ARE YOU STILL EMPLOYED? NO WHERE? _____

As best you can in the space provided below, please give us a chronological listing of events since you left "Good Old" Smethport High in 1944.

1944-1950: I lived and worked in Smethport
1950-1952: MARRIED JOHN SALLACK AND LIVED IN STATE COLLEGE WHILE JOHN WAS IN COLLEGE. OLDEST CHILD BORN THEN
1952-1975: WE LIVED IN JOHNSONBURG, PA AND RAISED 4 CHILDREN THERE. ALL 4 ATTENDED PENN STATE. I WORKED AS A SECRETARY FOR THE JOHNSONBURG BOROUGH COUNCIL FOR 10 YEARS. ACTIVE IN CHURCH, LIBRARY, & COMMUNITY.
1975-1978: I MOVED BACK TO STATE COLLEGE AFTER JOHN'S DEATH. I WORKED AS A SECRETARY AND WAS ACTIVE AS A VOLUNTEER AT THE WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER.
I MARRIED EDWIN FREER OF SMETHPORT IN MAY 1978.
1978-1989: WE LIVED IN SMETHPORT AND I DID VOLUNTEER WORK AT LIBRARY AND METHODIST CHURCH UNTIL ED RETIRED FROM DRESSER MFG.
1989-PRESENT: WE MOVED TO SPRING HILL, FL. WHERE WE PURCHASED A HOME. WE LIVE 40 MILES NORTH OF TAMPA AND 10 MILES FROM THE GULF OF MEXICO. I DO GARDENING AND VOLUNTEER AT THE LIBRARY. WE TRAVEL AND ENJOY RETIREMENT

Signed Evelyn Wright Freer

Date May 10, 1994