

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL, SIOUX FALLS, SD

An Internet Publication Especially for the Classes of the 1950's Decade. Your Photos & Stories Are Both Requested & Encouraged. Please Send to Jack Phillips: jackmp@me.com

Happy Memorial Day,

But Please, Let's Never Forget The Significance Of This Holiday.

In this edition of the Orange & Black you will find the updated
deceased lists for each of the ten WHS classes of the fifties decade.

To pay tribute and honor the thousands of our Washington High School Brotherhood that
have so valiantly served our great country, last year's O&B issue, #5-10 will be resent.



*Lets all offer a special prayer this weekend for all
of the wonderful men & women currently defending
our freedom all over this troubled world.*





106 Deceased Members of WFS 1950 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011.

* Seven names added since last update.

Kenneth Ackerman
Joe Adams
Eugene Adamson
Glenn Anderson
Virginia Anderson
Joe Artman
Fred Assam
Nancy Barber
Carol Barnes
Doris Benson
Roger Berdahl
Barbara Boyce
Albert Butler
Marvin Berry
Glenn Bertness
Bob Bissell
Leonard Blackburn
Joe Brown
Peggy Buck *
Roger Carnahan
Robert Crampton
William Crampton
Darrell Carpenter
Virgil Carlson
Sterling Crandall
Connie Dickenson
Gene Donovan *
Betty E. Erickson
Donna Erickson
Jim Elmen
Dick Enright
Dick Emery
Don Falmoe
Darwin Fields
Erwin Fields
Barbara Fremming
Barbara Fritts
Arlene Foster
Bob Garrett
Marlene Glendenning



Gordon Graff
Sharon Graff
Millie Hackett
Barbara Hanger
Bob Hanish
Fred Heib
Preston Hippen
Audrey Hoover
Bill Jacomet
Jim Henry Johnson
Richard Johnson
Harold Jones
Marlene Kapp
Wally Krohn
Jim Kepford
Lane Kuper
Carmen Legg
Joanne Livingston
Darlene Luther
Gerald Morgan
Mickey McDowell
Frank Miller
Bob Minick
Marlow D. Neuberger *
Don Peterson

Corrine Plagman
Dale Plooster
Dennis Plooster *
George Poletes
Huge Ranny
Dena Rallis
Ron A. Richardson
DeVona Rothenbuehler
Lavonne Richards
Lou Roberts
Chad Rogers
Martin Rosebrock
Marlene Rumohr
Donna Satter
Richard Sarver
Miriam Schafersman
Jerry Scott
Jim Sherman
Charles Simpson
Vernon Skadsen
Jim Slocum
Pat Stanton
Sandra Stenson
Hallie Stephens
Marilyn Strass
Dick Swedeen
Joan Tabor
John Teeman
Ruth Thompson
Betty Thorstenson *
Charles Thurston
Janice Timmerman
Douglas Tremere
Don Tunge *
Robert T. Wagner *
Beverly Warner
Nancy West
Marjorie White
Jim Wilkerson
Janet Wizbach
Lawrence Youngren (106)



75 Deceased Members of WFS 1951 Class



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* One addition since last update

Wonderful News: Richard Merrill '51 wrote regarding Robert Walton '51 whose name erroneously appeared on the last deceased list, "*Robert Walton is very much alive. He lives in Moorhead, MN. I just received a Christmas card from him.*"

Thanks so much to Richard Merrill '51 for sending me this correction. I got to know Bob briefly while attending Augustana and really liked him. I have most happily removed his name and sincerely apologize for it ever mistakenly appearing on the list. Jack

Ellen Aggergaard
Donna Mae Allen
Kenneth Anderson
Roger Bakke
Bonnie Beck
Wanita Behymer
Dorothy Brasel
Lois Brown
Mary Lou Calkins
Mary Chaney
Roger Christensen
Fritz Clements
Gene Cowan
Jackie Cowman
Richard Dargen
Tom Darr
Mary Ann Davis
Leah Derscheid
Joyce Duff
Barbara Dunn
Claire Eichinger
Darold Erickson
Duane Floren
Russell Gaffney
Margaret Gildemeister
Donald Ginther
Jerrould Greene
Doris Mae Groth
Robert Hersrud
Charles Hibbison



Dale Hintze
Richard Irvine
Barbara Jameson
Natalie Jensen
Dennis Johnson
Robert Jolivette
Richard "Dick" Kersten
Ken Kirkvold *
Bill Kraft
Carol Larson
Robert "Bob" Larson
Carolee Leffert
June Lehman
Dan Lennon
Mary Lindekugel

Mary Ann Lofswold *
Florence Lying
Arnold Martens
Patricia McCabe
Joan McGuire
Robert (Frank) Miller
Donna Murray
Sandra Murray
Robert Naylor
Joan Neuherstel
Patricia Nielsen
Bud Oistad
Kay Pasco
Richard Peterson
Helen Rallis
Dolores Runsberg
Frank Raymond
Gerald Schryver
Marlene Shelton
June Stene
Douglas Sugrue
Bill Townley
James Unzicker
Phyllis Wachendorf
Betty Walsh
Gerald Warren
Dwane Watson
LeOra Wikle
LaBelle Wilson
Margaret Zimmerman (75)

105 Deceased Members of WFS 1952 Class

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Updated May 29, 2011

* One addition since last update.

Allen Alderson
 Ron Alexander
 June Anderson
 Laramie Askin
 Richard Assam
 Emmett Aus
 Jack Bauch
 Dick Benson
 Orlen Berg
 Suzanne Berry
 Dick Bills
 Enneth Bird
 Betty Buckley
 George Burke
 Carol Burtch
 Donna Buus
 Sylvia Carlson
 Francis Chase
 Delano Collins
 Terry Conahan
 Shirley Cords
 Chester Cunningham
 James De Vries
 Roger Dean
 Peggy Dornberger
 Barbara Downard
 Alyce Erickson
 Nona Farstead
 Gladys Fenster
 Michael Fideler
 Darlene Fields
 Paul Fjelseth
 Patricia Fletcher
 Marlene Foss
 George Fredrickson
 Norma Fritts
 Denny Fuehrer
 Wayne Gabel
 Terrence Gelston



Harold Getty
 Art Goodsite
 Chris Graham
 Dennis Griffith
 Dorothy Hammers
 Kay Hanna
 Thomas Hill
 Barbara Hollmotz
 Dwight Hoover
 Roger Houck
 Don Irwin
 Jack Jennewine
 Ronald Johnson
 Jack Jones
 Sally Jones
 Dorothy Keller
 Neil Kelley
 Richard Kenney
 Harold Kirkegaard
 Dick Kittleson
 James Kolb
 Connie Kotz
 Gloria Kurth
 Selda Lacey
 Bill Legel
 Marya Leppik
 Alice Linton

Jack McElrath
 Doug McKenzie
 Chuck Miller
 Frank Miller
 Barbara Miller
 Laurel Mitchell
 Jim Monick
 Mary Jean Mueller
 Donna Murray,
 Wylum Nelson
 Faye Nelson
 Jane Nelson
 Glen Olson
 Mary Ellen Otteson
 Betty Pederson
 Robert Peters *
 Robert Phillips
 Parker Powell
 Lois Prince
 Jay Pryor
 Margaret Roskeland
 Bob Schmidt
 Mary Schoebotham
 Joan Scott
 John Scott
 Ona Mae Searls
 Helen Simpson
 Shirley Smith
 Nancy Sweet
 Gordon Swenson
 Janet Teeman
 Gordon Thorstenson
 Margie Timmerman
 Sharon Tradup
 Shirley Twedell
 Adele Van Loh
 Joe Waters
 Leora Wikel
 Mary Woods (105)



106 Deceased Members of WHS 1953 Class



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Updated December 16, 2010.

* Three additions since last update.

Dick Amundson
Florence Anderson
Bill Baker *
Stanley Andrew Barbas
Dave Bates
Roger Beckstrom
Alan Benson
Glen Bethke
Keith Bissell
Jerry Borden
Johnnie Boyd
Rev. Ono Brandt
Rob Brenner
Bruce Bringgold
Phyllis Brooks
Theresa Burhenn
Jane Butler
Charlene Callanan
Wanda Carlson
Eldon Christensen
David Dalthorp
time Audrey Doorn
Dick Erickson
Mary Fokken
Norman Foster
Shirley Fredrickson
Coralie Frost
Eileen Gage
Harold Gerry
Maynard Getman
Blaine Gilcher
Carolyn Graff
Lavvonne Gunderson
Luanne Gunderson
Jim Hagen
Sylvan Hagen
Claude Hamilton
Shirley Handel
Sonja Hanson
Robert Hanvelt



Alvina Hartman
Herb Hawkey
Richard Hayne
John Heide
Jim Higgins
Marjorie Homandberg
Lanny Horr
Anton "Buz" Hyden
Doug Johnson
Kenneth Johnson
Earlene Jones
Mary Jordan
Donald Glenn Kasak
Jerry Kosier
Bob Lamb *
Jerqle Leesch
Duane Leisinger
Janet Lee Lewis
Douglas Lind
Audrey Little
Dick Lokken
Kenneth Mehlhaff
Dick Millage
Ronald Neish
Melva Neuberger
Jack Neuroth

Maren Nielson
E.D. "Bud" Olson
Richard W. Olson *
Colleen Ormseth
Lorna Otten
Bob Parker
Lorin Parks
Ed Pennock
Bayard Phillips
Edwina Pierce
Vernon Plucker
Loren Posey
Myrna Rasmussen
Dr. Marv Rimmerman
Robert Schriever
Bob Scott *
Perron Shinneman
Lorraine Shipper
Bob Shrader
Carol Simmons
Ardyce Simpson
Geraldine Smelser
June Smitm
Connie South
William Stockstad
Beulah Straw
Kay Swenson
Fred Sykes
Donna Tracy
Wanda Troemel
Jerry Vandenberg
Duane Wardell
Jill Wear
Mildred Weber
Jack White
John Wiebe
Shirley Wiebers
Carl Wilson
Johnnie Winter
Leslie Young (106)



112 Deceased Members of WFS 1954 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011

* Two additions since last update.

Shirley Albertus
Robert Amburn
Sonja Anderson
Bonnie Assam
Richard Bakke
Steve Beckman
Stewart Bellman
Marcia Bishop
Don Boyd
Jerome Braa
Richard Briggs
Robert Briggs
Richard Byllesby
Wesley Calhoun
Ronald Carl
Warren Clancey
Shari Clayton
Dale Colwill
Robert Crowe
Clarence Curry
Richard Dahse
Dwayne Danielson
Elizabeth Darger
Barbara Denbow
Joan Determan
Evangeline Dick
Helen Eggers
Peter Eide
Richard Engel
Kathryn Engen
Dorothy Ennis
John Enright
Joy Erickson
James Fjelseth
Darwin Fletcher
Mary Freeburn
Barbara Getman
Earl Getty
Julie Gibson
JoAnne Gill
Robert Lee Goetschius
Janice Gray



Dorothy Grey
Sharon Gunderson
Leon Halstead
Robert Hammers
Marilyn Joy Hansen
Don Harriman
Shirley Hathway
Lee Hayden
Verlyn Helgersen
Richard Hoier
Joanne Hovdestad
Lila Husby
Ron Iossi
Jackie Janisch
Janice Johnke
James Lancaster
Evelyn Larson
Paul Lindberg
Marilyn Lundberg
Merlyn MacArthur
Roger Malcomb
Mary Maxwell
Kathryn McCahren
Myrna McFarlane
Neva Meyer
James Moe
James Morris
Ann Nachel

Robert Nason
Melva Neuberger
Beverly Ordal
Sonya Owen *
James Palm
Carolyn Palmer
Ken Palmer
Timmy Peaker
Frank Peck
Marylou Petrie
Bayard Phillips
Thomas Poulos
Clarence Quigley
Jerry Reedy
Ernest Renner
Fay Robb
Ed Roberts
Tom Robertson
Paul Rogness
Jerry Rohl
Edith Rowlee
Robert Sacre
John Sears
Constance Shank
Pat Stoops
Maurice Studer
Darwin Sweeney
Fred Sykes
Wynn Tabbert
John Tapken
Stan Thoelke
Glenda Thompson
Joyce Thoreson *
Lois Thorton
Bill Timmerman
Louie Tobiass
Betty Lou Tuller
Vance Turgeon
Ron VanRegenmorter
Dorothy Wallbaum
Mary Williams
Robert A. Young (112)



75 Deceased Members of WFS 1955 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011

* Three additions since last update.

Denny Adler
Dale Almont
Roger Axlund
Gary Bahr
Audrey Bakke
Kay Barnum
Beverly Barton
John Beardsley
Gloria Berg
Virgina Boekhoff
Edward Bourne
Marlene Brown
Barbara Bruce
Gene Bullis
Nile Berger
Dan Chesshir
Fanny Clark
Diane DeBoer
Julie Dinsmore
Blackie Craig
Richard Donnely
Carolyn Downard
Buddy Edelen
Marie Erickson
Stephanie Fantle
Rena French
Dudley Graff
Gary Grav
Bill Grevios
Royal Grinderland



Richard Hansen
LeRoy Hanson
Beverly Harkema
Don Harriman
Raoul Hechenbothan
Carl Henning
Duane Herrick
Harriet Hilton
Dick Hopewell *
Melva Huemoeller
Kenny Ingalls
Jerry Iseman
Barbara Johnson
Gerald Jones
Charles Kepford

Lynne Kersten
Sally Knight
Roger Larson
Wayne Larson *
Jim Lease
Carol Lemke
June Lewis *
Bob Martin,
Everett Martinson
Stanley Martinson
Larry Millis
Valerie Minden
Ron Moon
Donald D. Paulson
Karen Peterson
LaVerle Peterson
Connie Rames
Rosalie Reaves
Rob Redfield
Voy Scheinost
Owen Smidt
Gail Smith
Jerry Smith
Stanley Stearns
Don Steensma
Bob Story
Ray Syverson
Harlan Terwee
Bob Trouten
Don Wood (75)



100 Deceased Members of WFS 1956 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011 * Nine additions since last update.

Thanks to Georgia Severson Johnson '56 for sending me 7 of the 9 additions to this update
and to Paul Jeschke '56 for notifying me that Roland Chambers passed away on 2-12-09.

Darlene Alderson
Charles Anderson
Lannie Anderson
Rodney Anderson
Bill Armstrong
Joyce Ashley
Judy Assam
Rosalie Baldwin
John Bankson
Bob Bass
Don Bass
Karen Bird
Dennis Bissell
David Bork
Carol Buker
Garlene Burdette
Elbertha Buus
Woody Caldwell
Roland Chambers *
Beverly Chesterton *
Joan Clark
Doug Cook
Mike Cox
John Crisp *
John Dam
Ray Davis *
Jim DeBoer
Karen Dibben
Phalyn Dobson
Audrey Eliason
Dennis Farstead
Loren Fenstermaker
Diane Foster *
Sharon Fresvik
Dawn Gibson
Beverly Ginther
Sandra Gjovaag
Ken Gravelle
Roger Graves



Jerry Hagen
Jerome Halvorson
Marjorie Hanna
Bonita Harriman
Bonnie Henjum
Jerald Hisel
Roger Hofer
Bruce Iossi
Larry Jamison
Janice Jewell
Betty Jo Johnson
Rick Johnson
John Karnitis
Dennis Keenan
Judy Keller
Gene Kimmel
Janice Kirkvold *
Beverly Kittelson
Dick Koenekamp
Don Knox
Dan Koons
Jeanne LaMonda

Dennis Larson
Howard Leapley
Loralei Letner
Sharon Loomis
Robert Lunderman
Roger Martin
Betty McLaughlin
Junette Neuroth
Gary Noteboom
Oscar Oberg
Jack O'Connor
Delores Pederson
Elaine Questad
Lynda Reid
Richard Robinson *
Patty Rohlffs
Mike Rost
Orvald Roskeland
Bill Sadowski
Karl Schlicht
Rodney Sherman
Harris Simmons
Duane Smith *
Albert Sona
Gary South
Bill Soward
Jim Stensland
Rosemary Stewart
Leonard Stoops
Ray Syverson
Janice Thorstenson
Gretchen Tyler
Janet Van Haute
Paul Wegner
Anita Williams *
Barbara Wittrock
Leroy Wittrock
Mae Yesda
Kay Zuelke (100)



77 Deceased Members of WHS 1957 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011

* Five additions since last update.

Thanks to Bob Miller '57 for advising me of the passing of Fritz, Inglis and Selig.

Vernon Aker *
Herb Auginbaugh
Lois Baker
Jerry Bauch
Larry Behmeyer
Carol Belfrage
Bob Benney
Ralph Benson
Moreen Benson
Barbara Borst
Rodney Bouska
Shirley Boyum
Tom Brechwald
Donald Butts
Darryl Carman
Leonard Christian
Wanda Coffield
Renee Conger
Sharon Edmunds
Sam Fantle
Allen Fields
Ihla Fields
Shirley Fields
Helen Fisher
Laddie Freeman
Leland Fritz *
David Merle Garritson
Ronald Gulbranson
Lee Gustafson
Jerry Hagen
Robin Harmer
Fred Hecker



Sharon Hofkamp
Connie Horr
Janet Hrubetz *
Vern Husman
Gary Inglis *
Andrea Jackson
Kenneth "Joe" Johnson
Myron Kelley
David Larson
Halden Larson
Paul Lawrence
Robert J. Lemke
Janeen Madison
Jeanne Brekke Madsen

Philip Martin
Irvin M. Mears
Floyd Mellon
Jackie Myhre
Ronnie Miller
Marjorie Munson
David Peckham Olsen
Robert Dean Ostby
Katherine Ostlund
Carol Otelle
Dale Peterson
Stanley Peterson
Larry Prouty
Lorenz P. Rasse
Mary Ann Selig *
Marlyse Seubert
Don Skaro
Mary Sneve
Wayne Snook
Jerry Snyder
Loye Steltz
Vaughn Thompson
Larry Torkelson
Ned Tweedt
Randall Wellbrock
Sandra Werts
Mary Wheeldon
Ronald A. White
Jerry Wickre
Shirley Wiswell
James Woltjer (77)



89 Deceased Members of WFS 1958 Class



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* Two additions since last update.

Marcia Aldrich
Richard Anderson
Bob Arnold
Keith Aspaas
William Backus
David Bane
Gerald Baysore
Robert Billman
Anthony Boekhoff *
Rod Bouska
Jerry Brander
Deanna Brewer *
Gary Burdette
Jean Clark
Kay Coffitt
Janet Common
Mary Cook
Ron Crain
Robert L. Dam
Darryl Dawley
Dan Dinsmore
Shirley Doty
Judy Dreyer
Richard Eakes
Cliff Eggers
Timothy Flanagan
Barbara Foster
Judy Geegh
Gene Gerry
Molly Gleason
Nancy Glenn
Ron Gould
John Hanson
Sally Harkness



Marilyn Hartman
Joe Haugen
Gary Hawkey
Dick Houser
Judee Johnson
Steve Jorgenson
Bill King
Paul Kanuss
Tom Kohoutek
Leslee Kremer
Patricia Lane
Dianna Larson
Lauralee Larson
Judy Leighton
Harlan Lemohn
Dale Lokke
Jacque Mann
Dale Margeson
Ginger Mette
Pat Muller
Maddie Munson

Ronald Nelson
Julie O'Brien
Barb Olsen
Don Otten
Ray Pritchard
Tom Reid
Pam Reistroffer
Mary Rice
Bill Rober
John Rogers
Dennis Scheel
Mike Schirmer
Mary Seeman
James Seeman
Aileen Simpson
Greg Skaff
Dorothy Sona
Joyce Sona
Barbara St. Clair
Darla Stanga
Kathi Stegner
James Stewart
Phyllis Stofferahn
George Teeslink
Larry George Theis
Larry Todd
Stacy Unruh
Joy Wallace
Karron Wardell
Joyce Warren
Twyla Wells
Bob Westrup
Dale Willard
Keith Zuelke (89)



90 Deceased Members of WHS 1959 Class



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Updated May 29, 2011

* Five additions since last update.

Lanny Adler
David Anderson
Marilyn Atwood
Mary Bahnson
Dik Bale
Martha Beckman
Judy Bendixen *
Jane Berry *
Janice Blackburn
Gary Bott
Ramona Bruining
Dave Burns
Jack Butts
Ardel Caldwell
Ella Carlson
Carol Clark
Mike Claseman
Shirley Cloud
Willis Cowill
Jerry Crider
Dave David
Joyce DeGroot
Shirley Denbow
Thad Dolan
Marie Dubray
Joyce Duimstra
Dave Eliason
Anne Fellows
Paul Fishback
Brad Forster
Gerald Fox
Jon Froemke
Jan Garness
Jack Gibson



Sue Haggar
Richard Hahn
Gary Hamilton *
Mike Hart
Harvey Hoek
Robert Honey
Jim Jensen
Steve Jorgensen
Pam Josten
Carol Keiner
Denis Kelly
Ken Kraft
Darwin Lafrenz
Bruce Lambertson
Dale Larson
Russell Lease
Bill Lobe
Judith Lundberg
Joanne Luschen
Don Luymes
Dennis McLaughlin
Shirley Melton

George Mickelson
Carol Millage
Sandy Miller
Rochelle Moulton
Ronald Nelson *
Sharon Noteboom
Edith Ostrem
Donald Otten
Sandra Pekoske
Steve Perkins
Anita Prillwitz
Harriet Pulford *
Leona Raile
Marlys Rensberger
Mike Rice
Larry Rieger
Karen Rietz
Sue Rohl
Judy Rohlfs
Gene Schmidt
Ken Sederstrom
Ted Sheldon
Darrell Sona
Bob Streich
Tom Taylor
Gloria Twedell
Shirley Uphoff
Johan Van DeWalle
Doug Varns
Ed Wheeler
Raymond Wittrock
Richard Wolfe
Marcia Wollum
Sheldon Zabel (90)

Orange & Black Obituary Policy

The Orange & Black publishes an updated "master deceased list" for each WHS class from 1950 through 1959 twice a year on Memorial Day and Christmas. Additions are made to these "master lists" from daily checking of the Sioux Falls Argus Leader obituaries as well as from many of you who thankfully send notification of someone's passing.

Every effort is made to publish an immediate "**Special Edition**" to notify you of a classmate's passing when it can be done prior to the time and date of the funeral or memorial service. When word of the passing is received after the scheduled time of the funeral or memorial service the classmate's name is then just added to his class's master deceased list and published on the semi annual dates mentioned above. So far in 2011, fifteen "Special Editions" have been published.

Your help will always be needed and appreciated to help maintain each class's deceased list.

APOLOGY

Eleven issues of the Alumni Orange & Black were published in 2009 and twelve issues in 2010, but due to so many other demands on my time so far this year I am sorry to say that there has only been one issue, #1-11, published in 2011 and I sincerely apologize for that.

One of the two main reasons I have had trouble finding the time to publish more issues has been the building of a new 85,000 sq. ft. "Rust Bullet", manufacturing plant in Jakarta, Indonesia. Normally I am retired and not too actively involved with the company, but that project has demanded a great deal of my time including a 2 week trip to Jakarta. To explain; Rust Bullet is a rust / corrosion fighting paint company that I own with my daughter, Laurie, and son in law, David. I am happy to say that the building is finished and the equipment has been ordered so that project is almost completed.

The other main time consuming project that has required a great deal of my time is my upcoming wedding to Debra Davey. The wedding will be held here in Las Vegas this coming Friday, June 3, 2011, so that project will also be completed in 5 days (except for the honeymoon), and hopefully I can again devote more time to the O&B.

There is one other note regarding O&B issue #1-11: I finished that issue while I was in Jakarta and it was emailed to everyone from there. Several people have told me they did not receive it. If you did not receive it and would like for me to send it to you again just let me know.

Happy Memorial Day

Jack

Jack Phillips

WHS Class of '54

Las Vegas, NV



"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen."