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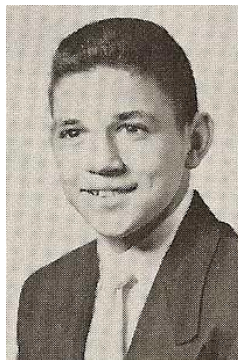
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Harold "Rudy" Rudisill '56 WHS Senior Photo Three Time Patron, Total \$300.00

Hello Jack,

Here it is 2023 and we are still here having survived so many ordeals of life. It has been a long drive to this point. Live has been good tho, looking back over the 65 years or so since WHS. Don't miss the weather South Dakota either. Like you, I really love the desert life. My God, it rained today. LOL.

My partner, Richard and I have celebrated 53 years together this year. Who knew? But its been good to us.

Really hope that this small donation will keep the O&B alive in some way. Again, many thanks for all you do for those of us still hangin' in there with you. I don't know how you manage to

get it all done and sent out to us in a timely manner. Maybe good wife, good life. LOL

Again, thanks and be safe.

Its Okay to use my info.

Rudy Rudisill

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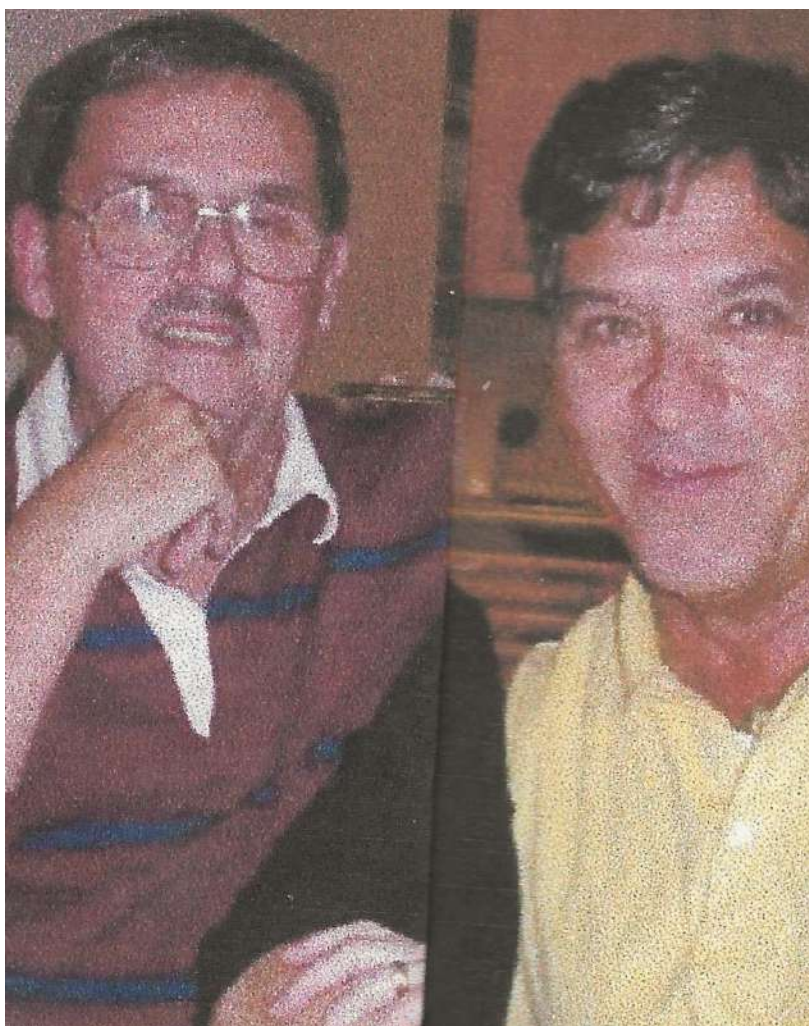
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Dear Rudy, I truly thank you for not only all of your continuous and loyal support you have given to me and to the O&B since you first became a subscriber on February 26, 2017, but also your most generous financial support thorough the Paton program.

Yes, I do credit so much of my good fortune and success to my "good wife" and my "good Life". I have indeed been extremely blessed. It sounds like you and Richard have also been generously blessed! I sincerely congratulate you both on your 53 years together and wish you both many more years of happiness.

Jack



Rudy Rudisill, WHS class of '56 on left and his life partner of 53 years, Richard Miller on right.



**Dr. Dale
Peterson '56
&
Camille Larson
Peterson '61
Wenatchee, WA
Four Time Patron
\$4,000.00**



Upon recently receiving Dale and Camille Peterson's **fourth \$1,000.00 Patron check** I feel it appropriate to reprint Dale's email of 12-27-19, that was solely responsible for the beginning of the "Patron" program and continuation of the O&B. At that time I had been publishing the O&B for nine and a half years and I was tired and definitely getting burned out from the considerable time required publishing the O&B and I had announced my intentions of retiring. I have to also admit that I was growing a bit tired of personally bearing all of the on-going expenses of the newsletter for those nine years. I still have no idea how Dale became aware of the financial burden of the O&B on me, but I did appreciate his thoughtfulness. Initially I definitely had strong mixed feelings of not even accepting Dale's check, much less publishing his email suggesting that others contribute to the expense of the O&B.

I learned very quickly how nice it was that I no longer had to personally cover all of the O&B expenses, but I also learned something else that was so much more important to me. I still can't believe how extremely generous your monetary support was, and still is. Each one of your unselfish contributions have been so moving and overwhelming to me. Your willingness to make such generous cash contributions to keep the O&B going made me realize how much it seems to mean to so many of you and that is so gratifying. Your personal monetary support was so personally rewarding to me it motivated me to not only continue, but to work even harder to try and justify your unbelievable support.

To **You**, my readers, you have always been so extremely generous with your written and phoned "thank you's" and compliments. I want to now thank you for how kind you have been in overlooking and accepting my mistakes, my typo errors and the amateurish journalistic level of the O&B. But now I just can't express how much your unselfish and generous financial Patron donations have meant to me.

There is one more very important acknowledgment and compliment of **Dale Peterson '56** that I would like to make about this classy man. He is truly a total man of his word. In his Dec. 27, 2019 email he said, **"Should you choose to continue we will be glad to do this on an annual basis."** I have been so extremely impressed with Dale because all on his own on the anniversary of each year since he made that pledge he has sent a new check for \$1,000.00. I have never even mentioned it, sent him a bill or a reminder of any kind! He just automatically sends an additional \$1,000.00 check each year. What an admirable trait!

Thank you Dale and Camille.

Respectfully,
Jack Phillips '54

NEXT PAGE, SEE 2 OF DALE'S EMAILS:

On Dec 27, 2019, **Dale Peterson '56** <dale1228@nwi.net>

Dale Peterson '56 & Camille Larson '61 wrote:

Dear Jack,

Thank you for all the amazing information, joy and wonderful photos and stories you have shared with all of us who were students of the 50's at WHS. Your desire to stop your editorial roll is entirely understandable realizing it couldn't continue indefinitely. The fact remains that you still are at the top of your game and does it have to be now. The time you have put in and the quality of the work you turn out has been a gift of immense proportions and you have asked for nothing in return. The realization of your expenses should have dawned on me before your last letter. We are putting a check for \$1,000 in the mail to you today at your address, 2261 Lauren Dr. Las Vegas, NV 89134. Should you choose to continue we will be glad to do this on an annual basis. I implore you, Jack, to put this letter in the next O&B, if there is one. Others, too, may feel a financial responsibility for our O&B that you have so capably published over the last 10 years.

You have my profound thanks and admiration,

Dale T. Peterson '56

2-28-23

Dear Jack,

You are one fantastic fellow and I am pleased to call you my friend. Your diligence is amazing.

I look forward to interesting and fond reading of the past O&Bs heading my way.

Again my sincere thanks and gratitude for all you do for the 50's men and women at Washington High.

My support will continue as we discussed years ago.

Blessings to you & Debra.

Dale

PS. I have a nice collection of ties that may even include the one you sold me at Crawfords.



Dale and Camille; The Look of Love.



JJ Anderson Johnson '53
WHS Senior Photo

February 25, 2023

Hi Jack,

I've been lax about sending a little something. Really enjoy the newsletter, seems everyone is doing so well.

Thanks for taking so much time to keep the 50 classes informed.

My best to Debra.

Love always,

JJ (JJ Jayne Anderson Johnson, Las Angeles, CA)

Dear JJ,

You have been such a strong and active supporter of the O&B ever since you first subscribed on December 18, 2010. Even though we have never met, we have communicated so often over those 12 + years I feel like I know you. I have always really appreciated all of your support and now I thank you again for your second Patron donation of \$100.00 for a total of \$200.00.



Mary Larson Montoya '59
WHS Senior Photo
Living in Sious Falls

The O&B wishes to extend a double thanks to Mary. First a special thanks to Mary for her three most generous Patron contributions that she made on August 1, 2020, April 8, 2021 and March 5, 2023. At Mary's request the amounts are withheld.

The second thanks are being offered for a second time for her most interesting story that I am reprinting below. It first appeared in the WHS O&B #16-20 issue on Sept. 17, 2020. Jack

On Mar 20, 2023, at 3:18 PM, **Mary Montoya '59**

<mary.montoya@sio.midco.net> wrote:

Jack, You already did a story on me a couple years ago and my experience as a volunteer for the Native American inmates at the SD State Penitentiary. I've enclosed a couple of photos. I keep busy with being a home visitor for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, volunteering for Alternatives to Violence at the local prisons, being a CASA volunteer, going out to lunch at ethnic restaurants with an adult education group, being in a book club, genealogy, and helping to plan a Friedrich family reunion for July 2023.

1 1/2 years ago we moved into the Village Cooperative in Sioux Falls and I found that my classmate Jim Eastman lives down the hall. I hadn't seen him since we graduated! **Mary Larson Montoya '59**



Mary Larson Montoya '59

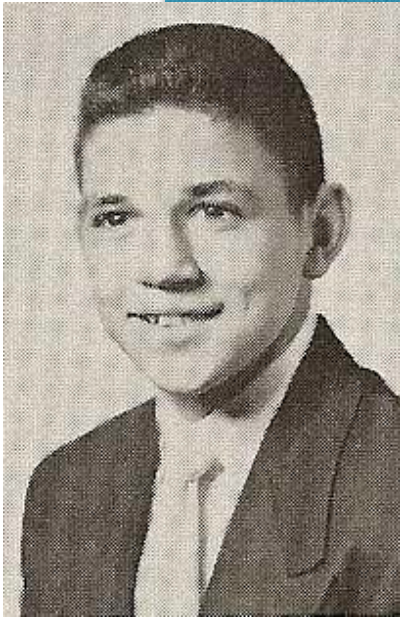


Email received from Mary on August 1,2020

I have spent much of the last 20 years in prison at the SD State Penitentiary. I volunteer there for the Native American inmates. My educational background is a BS from Creighton University in Omaha and an MBA from the U of South Dakota. I also took classes at Augie and the University of Sioux Falls and became the 4th female CPA in South Dakota. I was one of the founding members of KMWF & Associates, a CPA firm. Our classmate George Mickelson appointed me to the SD Board of Accountancy while he was governor. I've also been involved with a number of volunteer groups and professional organizations over the years. I still remember moving to Sioux Falls from Platte, SD, on the 4th of July 1950. I was 8 years old and was very happy when my dad stopped to buy fireworks. I've lived here ever since except for college years in Omaha and 2 years at Mtn. Home AFB, Idaho. Sioux Falls has seen many changes since 1950! Where I live now used to be pasture land for the Lakeside Dairy on S. Minnesota Ave. I've been married to Leonard Johnson for 36 years, have 2 children from my first marriage, 3 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

My Facebook name is Mary Larson Montoya. I would enjoy hearing from my classmates!

Mary Larson Montoya '59



**Darrell Modica '54
WHS Senior Photo
Living in Wilmar, MN**

On Mar 13, 2023, Darrell Modica '54 <darmar2@live.com> wrote:

Dear Jack,

After reading the last information about WHS classes, I felt it was time that I sent something to let our class of '54 know that I am still alive and well. The attached photo is my wife Marilyn of 67 years and I in Hawaii for part of Feb '23. We have had a time share on Waikiki for 36 years and made this trip our last, so sad!! I really enjoy what you do for our class and when I get something on the '50 class I send it to my brother Don who is now living in Naperville, Ill near his two children. After my years in the Air Guard, we ended up owning Crossroads Book and Music in Sioux Falls for 23 years. We had a great time serving the Lord in this way and after selling the store to our manager we spent the next 15 years doing mission work with Wycliffe Bible Translators. We spent most of our Winters in Orlando, Fl. and did construction work in England, France, Peru and the rest of the time in either Dallas or the Orlando center. When we retired 1996 we moved to Willmar, Mn. to be close to our third daughter and family. Two daughters live in Mpls, Mn and youngest in Denver area.

Our family now is four daughters and husbands, 14 grandchildren, and 18 great grandchildren. I ended up serving in the Air Guard and retired with 20 years so when we moved here I joined the Willmar American Legion and have done many funerals with the

Legion Honor Guard. Jack, I remember when I did the thoughts when we did the Bonnie Luke luncheon, you started calling me, "pastor" - not really but recently I was appointed Chaplain for our local Legion.

All our daughters, Kim, Dena, Dawn, and Karla attended and graduated from WHS and went to many reunions and get-to gathers over the years. Sioux Falls is still "my home" and we get there often to see all the growth over the years (I get lost driving around town). Note: to the younger classmates - one of you need to jump in to do this when us old folks are all gone!!

Dear Darrell, Thank you so much for your generous \$100.00 Patron donation. You were one of the O&B's first subscribers, since Aug. 25. 2009, and I have always appreciated your over 13 years of continuous support. I'm glad to hear that you & Marilyn are healthy and still so active. Jack



**Photo: Marilyn & Darell Modica '54
Valentine Day's photo Feb. 2023.**



BOB Stahmann '58
WHS Senior Photo
Orem, UT

Bob Stahmann '58

Bob, thank you for your generous Patron donation of \$158.00 and for the most interesting story on your life and career.



Tom Stahmann '58,
Pictured with his deceased wife, Kathy.

On Apr 18, 2023, Kathy/**Bob Stahmann '58** <kcsrfs@hotmail.com> wrote:

Dear Jack:

I add my appreciation to you for establishing and publishing the O&B! As I recall, my first acquaintance with the O&B was quite a few years ago when we received several calls on our land line that began with: "Sorry to hear about Bob", "What happened to Bob?", and when I answered the phone one time the caller asked, "Bob is that really you?" I thought it must be a prank set up by a friend. Apparently you had received incorrect information and added my name to the annual deceased list. You quickly corrected it and sent me an appreciated note. (I never did find an obituary).

After graduating from WHS, I graduated from Macalester College in Saint Paul Minnesota in 1963. Following the adage of go "west young man", I moved to Salt Lake City to begin graduate study at the University of Utah. I completed my MS degree in 1965 and my PhD in counseling psychology in 1967. During my graduate studies in Utah I met Kathleen Cook and we were married in 1965. Kathy graduated with a degree in elementary education in 1965 and taught school while I finished my doctoral studies. We moved to Iowa City in 1967 where I was on the University of Iowa Counselor Education faculty and a psychologist in the University Counseling Service, later becoming the UCS Director. We loved living in Iowa city and developed long lasting friendships with great people. Three of our sons were born there. At Iowa I developed and taught a couple of courses in the emerging field of marriage and family therapy. In 1975 I was offered a position as a professor in the newly developed marriage and family therapy graduate program at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah. We decided to accept the faculty position and moved to Orem Utah where we have resided since 1975. Another son and a daughter were born here and completed our family. Utah is a great place to live. Somewhat unexpectedly, Kathy passed away about a year and a half ago after dealing with MS for almost 30 years. I frequently think back to my years growing up in Sioux Falls and know that it was the greatest place for me to be raised, surrounded by so many wonderful friends and opportunities and WHS!

Best wishes, Bob Stahmann '58 (I am sending a contribution check via mail)

**AGAIN, THANKS TO ALL SEVEN OF THE ABOVE WHS CLASSMATES
FOR THEIR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THE WHS O&B!!!**



Tom Little '61
WHS Senior Photo
Lives in
Charleston, SC

“Mr. Excel”, aka, Dr. LOREN LITTLE '59, WHO SEEMS TO EXCEL AT EVERYTHING”! WINS ANOTHER GOLF TITLE!

On Feb 26, 2023, **THOMAS LITTLE '61** <thomasleelittle@comcast.net>
wrote:

Jack,

See [link below](#) for senior golfing achievements of brother Loren in an article written in the Las Vegas Review-Journal. I hope the link below works. I also "tried" to send a copy of the article following; I hope it works also. I'm sure he was too modest to alert you to his golfing achievements over the last few years; however due to long standing sibling rivalry (joking) he did not hesitate to send the article to me. I'm very

happy for his accomplishments, and he has worked hard on his game over the years to bring his golfing achievements to fruition, and they have been many. By the way, the WSHS Class of 61 had kind of a delayed 60th. reunion (i.e., mini-reunion) in SF this past summer of 2022--good times. Best wishes and I hope you can use the article.

Tom Little, WSHS Class of 1961
Charleston, SC

No I did not see the Chinese balloon in our sky, but I am following the Murdaugh murder trial in nearby Walterboro--a really crazy place.

The following in blue is the article that appeared in the LV Review Journal.



Dr. Loren Little '59
WHS Senior Photo
Lives in Las Vegas, NV

“81-year-old golfer honored by SNGA for remarkable year

"Loren Little, 2022 SNGA Silver Net Player of the Year (Courtesy of SNGA)"

**By Greg Robertson Las Vegas Review-Journal
February 21, 2023**

Golf truly is a sport for all ages, and nobody proved that more in Southern Nevada in 2022 than Loren Little.

As the 2023 Southern Nevada Golf Association tournament season begins, SNGA officials took time out this month to honor the standout performers for 2022 — including a remarkable season from Little, the 81-year-old Silver Net Player of the Year.

Playing against competition as much as 20 years his junior, Little put together enough strong finishes to win the points race in his division, including top-three finishes in four of the eight tournaments he played.

None was bigger than the Southern Nevada Amateur at Paiute Golf Resort's Sun Mountain layout in June, when Little was the only player under par in the field to earn his lone victory of the season. That, combined with third-place finishes in the Nevada State Senior Championship, Nye County Amateur and SNGA Team Championship, carried him to player of the year honors. Little was self-deprecating in accepting the award.

"My whole game is like Forrest Gump's box of chocolates," Little told SNGA. "I never know what the hell I'm going to get when I go out there. I could be first place. I could be last place."



Dear Tom, I just can't tell you how thankful and appreciative I am that you shared this exciting and well earned golf story that appeared in the Las Vegas Review Journal on Feb. 21, 2023 on your brother, Loren Little, WHS '59. I subscribe to the LVRJ and read it every day but because I was out of town the day his story appeared I completely missed it. For so many well deserved reasons I am truly a huge fan of your brother, Loren Little 'WHS '59.

It seems to me that Loren has excelled in everything he has ever involved himself in, from high school through now! In WHS he excelled in Band, Orchestra, All State Band, All State Orchestra, Student Government, First String Halfback in Football and Champion Sprinter in Track. Excelling did not change for Loren after WHS as evidenced by his resume below.

Special note: Each Memorial Day the O&B publishes a Military Issue that is a Tribute to America's Armed Forces. The headline on the May 23, 2020, Issue #9-20 read,



l. to r. Yours truly, **Jack Phillips '54**, **Dr. Loren Little '59** and **Paul Anderson '56**, now deceased, having lunch together in Las Vegas.

The O&B Now Salutes
The Last Known Living WHS Military Hero
From The Great Fifties Decade,
Lt. Colonel Loren Little MD,
United States Army.
Washington High School Class of 1959

Coincidentally the O&B has scheduled to rerun that salute to **Lt. Colonel Loren Little MD** this coming Memorial Day. In my opinion it is one of the most poignant, moving and inspiring stories the O&B has ever had the privilege to run. Memorial Day is May 29th this year. You won't want to miss this tribute to Lauren. Jack Phillips '54

Dr. Loren Little's Resume:

"Dr. Little obtained his MD at the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. After obtaining his MD, Dr. Little entered the U.S. Army in 1968 and was the recipient of several awards including: **Silver Star, Purple Heart, Bronze Stars, Air Medals, CMB, Parachutist Badge, ARCOM, VSM, VTSM, VCM, V. Cross of Gallantry, JCSC Medal and NDM.** He completed his residency in Ophthalmology at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, DC.

In addition to his military success, Dr. Little has also had an illustrious music career. He was a soloist for a number of performers including Tony Bennett, Sammy Davis Jr., and Debbie Reynolds. He was the producer of SNL Records, 1996 *Out of the Blue*, the only album ever awarded 5 stars in all four categories by the international Trumpet Guild. Dr. Little did the first HBO shows ever recorded in Las Vegas – Don Rickles and Rich Little. He was also a soloist on 2012 CD "Jimmy Wilkins – Live".

Dr. Little has had a private ophthalmology practice in Las Vegas for 36 years. He is a published researcher and a Fellow with the American Academy of Ophthalmology and American College of Surgeons."

"IT WAS AT THAT MOMENT I SAW THE GREATEST ACT OF COURAGE AND HEROISM AND VALOR... I WOULD EVER WITNESS IN MY LIFETIME....."DOC" LITTLE WAS BLEEDING FROM BOTH EARS, AND HE HAD A SUNKEN CHEST WOUND.... HIS BARE CHEST WAS WRAPPED IN GAUZE PADS. BLOOD WAS POURING THRU THE GAUZEBUT WITH A TOTAL DISREGARD FOR HIS OWN WELL BEING.....I SAW DOCTOR LITTLE ADMINISTERING AID AND HE SAVED THE LIVES OF AT LEAST 15 OR 20 SOLDIERS THAT NIGHT..... READ THE REST OF LOREN'S COURAGEOUS STORY IN THIS COMING MEMORIAL DAY ISSUE OF THE O&B!



Jim A. Carlson shared
Minnehaha County
Historical Society's post

Jim Carlson '58
WHS Senior Photo
Lives in Sioux Falls

Jim Carlson '58
shared Minnehaha
County Historical
Society's post
To: Jack Phillips

<jackmp@me.com>

Minnehaha County Historical Society

Actual Inscription on bronze plaque

"South Dakota Prison Quarry

Congress appropriated \$30,000 in 1881 for the construction of a prison in Sioux Falls to serve Dakota Territory. In order to finance a building large enough to house up to 150 inmates, the territorial legislature authorized a bond issue for a like amount. By November 1882 the first wing was finished. Prisoners were returned from Detroit, Michigan, where they had been sent to serve their sentences while Dakota was without a penitentiary. This location was obtained as a quarry for the prison."

Armed guards marched gangs of prisoners down the bluff to quarry Sioux quartzite. The prisoners then used horse drawn wagons to haul dressed blocks of quartzite up the 100 feet north bluff to build additional buildings in the prison compound. In two years the facility was nearly completed, including residence for the warden and his family.

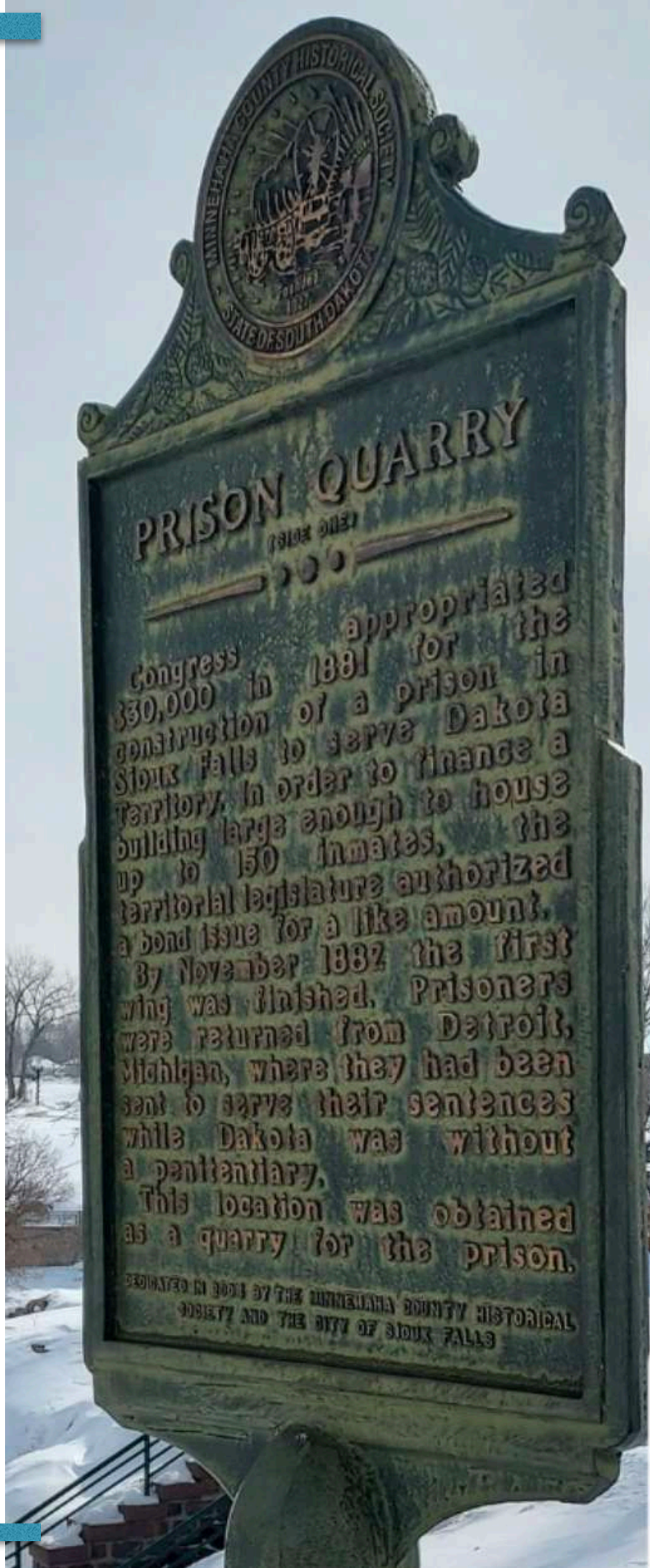
Prisoners also used stone from this quarry to build a wall to enclose the prison yard. It replaced the wooden stockade that first surrounded the prison.

This historical marker is located at Falls Park in Sioux Falls.

Jim Carlson '58

Jim, Thanks for submitting another most interesting item for the O&B. Jack

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The O&B thanks and gives full credit to author, Paul Higbee and to the beautiful “*South Dakota Magazine*” for this most interesting, revealing, thought provoking and excellent article titled, “*Football Revolutionaries*”. Joe Foss graduated from WHS in 1936 and USD in 1939.



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Football Revolutionaries

JAN 11, 2017

By Paul Higbee

South Dakota's connections to the Super Bowl are huge. I consider the start of Super Bowl history to be late 1963, when former South Dakota governor and then American Football League commissioner Joe Foss sent a letter to National Football League commissioner Pete Rozelle. Foss wrote, "The overriding fact is the establishment of a World Series of professional football is necessary for the progress of our game if we're to be true sportsmen and not merely businessmen in sports."

Rozelle said no, understanding the contest that Foss envisioned would pit the upstart AFL against the NFL, suggesting to the public that the two leagues were somewhat equal. But I suspect Rozelle knew he couldn't say “no” for many more seasons. For starters, Foss was an affable yet intimidating adversary, a look-you-in-the-eye South Dakota sportsman as likely to be found hunting pheasants west of Sioux Falls as sitting in his New York office. Sportswriters coast to coast loved Foss. Rozelle, by contrast,



South Dakotans (from left) Joe Robbie, Joe Foss and Frank Leahy all played significant roles in professional football.

“*Football Revolutionaries*”
is being
republished from
the beautiful and
well done, “*South Dakota*”
Magazine.
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Editor's Good Memories: I feel honored to have known two very impressive men from this story. I was fortunate to have had lunch in New York City with Pete Rozelle, the Commissioner of the NFL for 29 yrs., and private dinner in Vermillion, SD with Governor Joe Foss. Sadly, both men are now deceased but if you asked each of them if they knew me Mr. Rozelle would say “*Jack who?*”, but because years before I sometimes shoveled snow for him I am sure Governor Foss would definitely remember me and I think he would find something good to say about me. 😊 All fond memories and stories for another time. Jack

was more like a ... well ... businessman in sports.

In 1963, had Foss and Rozelle publicly debated the merits of a championship game, Americans would have demanded the big game be played immediately ... like the very next Sunday.

More important than personalities, though, was the fact that Foss was building the most successful rival sports league in history, with the help of a couple South Dakota cronies. The day was quickly coming when fans would no longer assume the NFL's top team was the best in professional football.

Frank Leahy of Winner, the former Notre Dame coaching legend, built the first edition of the Chargers. And as Foss argued for the big game's development, Sisseton's Joe Robbie was in Florida preparing to unveil his Dolphins, who would play in three consecutive Super Bowls in the 1970s and win two of them. By then AFL teams had been merged into the NFL. It was a classic case of, "If you can't beat 'em, join 'em." Or from the NFL perspective, "let 'em join us."

Half a century later professional football could use a leader with Foss-like vision, natural leadership and a sense of ethics. But rather than bashing the NFL, which has been a fad the past several months, I want to focus in a positive way on the Super Bowl. Beloved as it is, it would be easy to improve the big game in ways Foss likely would have appreciated.

First, let's give the game a real name. I only met Foss once, so I could be wrong, but he didn't strike me as a purveyor of puns. And the name Super Bowl is a 1960s pun, a takeoff on Super Ball, which was a synthetic rubber bouncy toy. Why not call the contest something no-nonsense and to the point, like World Championship Game. Wow! Did I just make that up? Nope. A little research tells me that was the big game's original moniker in 1967.

Second, lose the Roman numerals. In Joe Foss's home state, the only people who think in terms of Roman numerals are those who refurbish antique watches and grandfather clocks.

Third, retire the over-the-top halftime shows. This is a sore topic in South Dakota because of what happened in 2004 (whoops, I mean Super Bowl XXXVIII). Yankton-born and Rapid City-raised Adam Vinatieri kicked a game-winning field goal in the final seconds, but afterward all anyone talked about was Janet Jackson's "wardrobe malfunction" during the halftime show.

Fourth, as all South Dakotans know, some of the best football happens outdoors in the snow and cold. We need those kinds of championship contests now and then. The NFL should schedule more, like every other year or so. Or maybe a system should be devised so that one team is granted home field advantage and snow could fall where it may. Even in Green Bay in February.

Finally, sign a TV contract with a network that understands a football game can stand on its own merits. Americans are football savvy and don't need hours of pre-game analysis and reminders to stay tuned for clever commercials should the big game fall flat. They're also media savvy and can see that everything that distracts from the game is supported by more commercials, the work of "merely businessmen in sports," to use Foss's words.

Anyway, I hope readers enjoy the game on Feb. 5. Consider turning down your TV's volume during one of the commercial breaks. Then raise a toast to Joe Foss and his South Dakota team of football revolutionaries.

Editor's Note: This story is reprinted from the January/February 2015 issue of South Dakota Magazine. To order a copy or to subscribe, call (800) 456-5117.



Subject: For Most Of Us
That Grew up In The '50s
[You'll Watch To The
End, It's That Well Done]
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link name below.



<https://www.yout-ube.com/watch?v=TmsahlXby7c&autoplay=1>



Mary Larson '59
WHS Senior Photo

On Feb 27, 2023, **Mary Larson Montoya '59**

<mary.montoya@sio.midco.net> wrote:

Jack, Do you know how many were in the class of 1959?

In July 2022 I stepped on one of the elevators at the new Village Cooperative (an age 62+ building) in Sioux Falls and saw my old high school classmate, **Jim Eastman '59**. I had not seen him since we graduated in 1959. He moved back to Sioux Falls from Oregon. Jim now lives down the hall from me and is part of the 8 AM coffee group, which my husband faithfully attends. (They solve all the world problems.)

Jim and I were speculating the other day about how many classmates we had. My guess was around 525. Was I close?

Thanks for all your work keeping our classmates informed on our lives and deaths!

Mary Larson Montoya '59



Jim Eastman '59
WHS Senior Photo

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jack Phillips <jackmp@me.com>

Subject: Mary Montoya: Re: Question

Date: March 2, 2023 at 4:26:54 PM PST

To: Mary Larson Montoya '59 <mary.montoya@sio.midco.net>

Cc: James Eastman <lifeisgood66@hotmail.com>

Hi Mary and Jim,

The Number of Classmates In Your Class?

I am not sure any one in the whole world knows for sure the final number of graduates from any WHS class year. There is always a difference between the number of seniors pictured in our yearbooks as compared

with the number listed in each years "**Commencement Program**". I have very few Commencement Programs from the fifty class years in my possession and unfortunately I do not have your class of '59 Commencement Program. That means I only have the yearbook numbers to go by and there were **510 "graduating" seniors pictured in the '59 Warrior**.

However, it was typical, that the Commencement Program always listed a smaller number that actually graduated than were shown in the Warrior. An example of that is my class of 1954 which had 415 graduates listed in the Commencement Program, but 434 listed in the Warrior. That is simply because the Warrior was put together much earlier in the year and some students just didn't complete all of the requirements for graduation by the end of the year and did not graduate by year's end.

But I doubt that even the Commencement number is the final number. I have also found that there was an additional unknown number of students that would satisfy their graduation requirements in summer school and are then considered members of their graduating class.

I hope this come close to answering your question.

I will write more on this subject for the next full O&B Newsletter.

Jack

MORE INFORMATION GATHERED AFTER SENDING MARY AND JIM THE ABOVE EMAIL:

Another interesting number for class sizes is that the number of freshmen always far outnumbered the number of graduating seniors. For example your class of '59 had **653 freshmen** pictured in the Warrior when they entered WHS in 1956, but **only 510 were pictured in the 1959 Warrior**.

Here is the number of seniors listed in each yearbook for each class of the '50's decade. These numbers will give you an idea of the growth of Sioux Falls from 1950 through 1959.

**1950 - #426; 1951 - #376; 1952 - #379; 1953 - #504; 1954 - #434
1955 - #421; 1956 - #481; 1957 - #473; 1958 - #492; 1959 - #510**

To finish the Sioux Falls' high school enrollment picture, there are now 3 private and 4 public high schools in Sioux Falls. They are, private

www Sioux Falls School District now serves nearly 24,000 students. The district has 23 elementary schools, 6 middle schools and **4 high schools**.

What is the oldest high school in Sioux Falls?

Construction of **Washington High School** began in 1904, after Central School in Sioux Falls was outgrown. Upon completion in 1908, it was renamed from "Sioux Falls High School" to Washington High School. Three hundred twenty-eight high school students enrolled into the new building on February 14, 1908.



The new Washington High School opened in 1992.



On Apr 9, 2023, **Wauthena Nelson Brooks '54** <wauthenam@sio.midco.net> wrote:

Happy Easter,

Was going through some stuff and found this photo taken in the spring of 1950. Whittier had a big graduating class as several grade schools only went from k-6, and attended Whittier for 7-8. Mr Foss was our band director and moved to Washington High that fall.

Hope all is going well for you, all is well with me and my family. Spent our Easter morning together for brunch. That's it for now, take care, blessings,

WAUTHENA (Nelson Brooks '54) Resides in Sioux Falls, SD



Full Photo of 1950 Whittier Grade School
Courtesy of Wauthena Nelson Brooks WHS '54
See left half & right half of photo on next two pages.



**Left Half of
1950 Whittier Grade School Photo.**



**Right Half of
1950 Whittier Grade School Photo.**

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



Dr. Loren Little '59
WHS Senior Photo
Las Vegas, NV

On Feb 24, 2023, **Loren Little '59**, tpts1@aol.com wrote:
Certainly interesting and nostalgic reading your **much appreciated** efforts.
I wonder if Roger Wieting has any of the same recollections as I? He lived
behind us for a while when we were @ 3-4 years old, and he, being a year older,
sort of ran the neighborhood. We got into a tussle once and my
elbow? accidentally hit his mouth, knocked out an already very loose
tooth and he swallowed it. Scared the stuffing out of us both -
Shortly after that the guy in the house next to him had a gas leak
while in the bath tub, lit a cigarette and blew up the house. I
remember us kids standing around when the firemen carried out his charred body - I think
the guy was still alive.

LEL (Loren Little '59)



Roger Wieting '58
WHS Senior Photo

On Feb 24, 2023, **Jack Phillips '54** <jackmp@me.com> wrote:
Hi Loren, Love your email. Most interesting and fun to read. Hope you are doing good. Jack.

April 10, 2023: Loren, Obviously, you are doing good!!!! Huge congratulations to you on winning the Southern Nevada Golf Association (SAGA), 2022 Silver Net Player of the Year. (See entire story on page 7 of this newsletter.) **You never cease to amaze me and everyone who knows you! And you never cease to make me and all of WHS proud of every facet of your life!**
Jack



Rudy Rudisill '56
WHS Senior Photo
Palm Springs, CA

On Feb 25, 2023, **Rudisill Miller '56** <richrudy@live.com> wrote:
WOW!! This is one of the best issues ever. By the way in the pics?? The one of the floor model radio? I still have one (working) and sits in my den. More comments when visitors come by. Most ask what the hell is that. When I turn it on they are amazed at the sound. Thought I would just mention it. Great job as always and I will be in touch. Harold "Hal" Rudisill '56. Also, for the SF'er, It is raining in Palm Springs....lol

Rudy, thanks for the very nice compliment. I always appreciate your words of praise and encouragement. Jack



On Feb 25, 2023, **James Wylie '51** <jimwylie@sbcglobal.net> wrote:
Good to see; as we have observed before....."the beat goes on...."
Trust all is well with you Jack.

Jim Wylie '51, WHS Senior Photo, Prospect Heights, IL



On Feb 27, 2023, **Eric Gustafson '58** egustaf@me.com wrote:

Hi Jack, Just finished reading the latest O&B which contained your rather lengthy exchanges with **Roger '58** and **Kathy Hays '59 Wieting**. I couldn't help noticing Roger's comments regarding Anne Kliensasser.

Roger and I were both in Anne's homeroom (I always thought I was her favorite but will let that go). I was also in her English Lit class and remember how demanding she could be to make sure every student she taught would "get it" if you know what I mean. I will never forget when she pulled me aside and told me I was carrying too many subjects and that I needed to drop physics if I was going to keep my GPA up.

From what little I can find out, it appears that Anne K was responsible for making sure that several students who dropped out of school for one reason or another finally graduated because she took it upon herself to tutor them at her own expense. That, I think, is why the class of '58 has increased in size by at least 14 classmates who have been added after the fact usually upon reading in their obituary that they graduated with the class but their pictures or information can't be found in the annual. She was by far the best teacher I had. Both tough and kind at the same time.

Eric Gustafson '58



Roger Wieting '58
WHS Senior Photo



Kathy Hays '59
WHS Senior Photo



Anne Kleinsasser
WHS English Teacher
Photo 1956 Warrior



Jim Carlson '58
WHS Senior Photo
Sioux Falls, SD

On Apr 14, 2023, **Jim Carlson '58** pegandjim@sio.midco.net wrote:
Hi Jack,

I thought this license plate info would be of interest to your readers. The picture is from a Argus article. I have a vintage plate on my 1952 Ford. **(See two photos next page.)**

1952 was the first year that our national shrine, Mount Rushmore was on the South Dakota license plate. A 10 year dream of Pennington County Assessor, Carl H. Loocke, it was actually passed by the state legislature in 1941 but shelved. Spelling out South Dakota on the plate was a concession to Governor Sigurd Anderson and Loocke's sample included the governor's county identification number 19, for Day not

Single plates were issued by the state in 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1952 and 1953. For those car lovers who want a plate to match their cars year, they only needed to find one for those 6 years. The state allows you to use a vintage plates for your correct year, if in good condition and after research the number is being used. If single it must be fastened to the rear of the vehicle. **Jim Carlson '58**

On Apr 14, 2023, **Jim Carlson '58** pegandjim@sio.midco.net wrote: county to help sell his idea.

Hi Jack, Here is a picture of the license plate I have on my 1952 Ford.
Touched up the paint some and new faces decal added.
Jim Carlson '58

Next South Dakota License Plates . . .

**SOUTH
DAKOTA**



'52

19-100000

This is the type of license plate South Dakota cars will carry next year—if the state can obtain a sufficient supply of metal to make them. A 10-year dream of the Rev. Carl H. Looche, Pennington county assessor, came true last week when the state senate passed house bill 1134 authorizing a replica of Mount Rushmore national shrine on state motor vehicle identification plates. Looche's plan actually was passed by the state legislature back in 1941, but then was shelved. Spelling out South Da-

kota on the Mount Rushmore plate was a concession to Gov. Sigurd Anderson and Looche's sample included the governor's county identification number (19 for Day county) to help "sell" his ideas. Now the possibility of shelving letters for straight numeral identification numbers is being sought on a suggestion by state police and county sheriff departments who claim mixing numbers and letters sometimes makes identification difficult.



Jack and Debra Back To Work After Mexican Cruise.



Debra and I recently returned from a relaxing 10 day cruise to Mexico. We kind of took all of you with us in thoughts and spirit since a considerable amount of this newsletter was written while on board.

These two photos were taken on a moonlight cruise in Cabo San Lucas, Mexico. I didn't have time to work on the newsletter that night! Jack



Some Funnies



Remember the days of eating lunch at the Woolworth's lunch counter?



Who remembers wearing...



...gym uniforms?

DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN ALL THE STORES WERE CLOSED ON SUNDAY?



COMPLETE PATRON LIST

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	PATRON	DATE	AMOUNT OF GIFT	INCREASES or DONATION IN THE NAME OF, OR, IN MEMORY OF:
1	Dr. Dale '56 & Camille Larson '61 Peterson Wenatchee, WA	Dec. 27 2019	\$1,000.00	Dec.28, 2020 Dale '56 & Camille '61 donated an additional \$1,000 and then on 12-23-23 another \$1,000 making their total PATRON contribution \$3,000.. Thank you so much Dale & Cammy!
2	Terry Bradley '57, Tillamook, Or.	Feb. 2, 2020	\$100.00	Siblings: Linda Bradley Benson '54, deceased, Nita Bradley Bale '49, Olive Bradley Beckett '48 deceased and Bill Bradley '46 deceased
3	Patricia Jorgensen Palagi '56 Seattle, WA	Feb. 3, 2020	\$50.00	
4	Jim '51 and Myrna Irwin '53 Wylie Prospect Heights, IL	March 6, 2020	\$250.00	
5	Patti "Trish" Wilder Swanhorst '59 Sioux Falls, SD	March 10, 2020	\$100.00	
6	Stuart VanMeveren '58 Sun City, AZ	Mar. 11, 2020	\$108.00	On Sept. 18, 2020 Stuart increased his Patron Donation. Thanks Stuart!
7	Jim A Carlson '58 Sioux Falls, SD	March 12, 2020	\$58.00	On July 2, 2020 Jim increased his Patron Donation. Thanks Jim!
8	Kipp Koester '55 Mequon, WI	March 12, 2020	\$100.00	
9	Royce Adams '58 Sioux Falls, SD	March 12, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	On April 25, 2020 Royce increased his Patron Donation. Thanks Royce!
10	Bob Berguin '53 Scottsdale, AZ	March 12, 2020	\$152.00	
11	Pete Hegg '57 Sioux Falls, SD	March 12, 2020	\$200.00	
12	Dr. Elliot Miller, '50 Topsham, ME	March 15, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	
13	Gil Gjere '54 Viborg, SD	March 14, 2020	\$250.00	Siblings: Mary Gjere '58, Helen Gjere '56 deceased, Glenn Gjere '56 deceased.
14	Daryl '55 & Lois Bjerk '58 Fritz Mesa, AZ	March 15, 2020	\$100.00	
15	Marcia Blumberg Oleisky '57 Minneapolis, MN	April 6, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	
16	James Eastman'59 Placentia, CA	April 6, 2020	\$100.00	
17	Jane "JJ" Anderson Johnson '53 Los Angeles, CA	April 10, 2020	\$100.00	
18	Don Brown '53 Santa Barbara, CA	April 10, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	
19	Jerry Savold '56 Edwards, CO	April 11, 2020	\$100.00	Brother, Mike Savold '59 Deceased
20	Chuck Erickson '50 Overland Park, KS	April 13, 2020	\$200.00	
21	Dr. Jim Brown '56 E. Wenatchee, WA	April 11, 2020	\$100.00	Nov. 21, 2020 Dr. Jim Brown donated an additional \$100.00 making their total PATRON contribution \$200.00. Thank you Jim!
22	Darold Gieser '55 Michigan City, IN	April 12, 2020	\$155.00	

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23	Barbara Taylor Sampson '62 Sioux Falls, SD	April 13, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	
24	Judy Stevens '61 Arlington, TX	April 15, 2020	\$50.00	On 5-12-21 Judy Stevens donated an additional \$50.00 making her total PATRON contribution \$100.00 Thank you Judy.
25	Ken Eisenbraun '58 Bloomfield, Hills, MI	April 14, 2020	\$158.00	Dec.14, 2020 Ken Eisenbraun '58 donated an additional \$158.00 making his total PATRON contribution \$316.00. Thank you Ken.
26	Mary Taylor Herrick '56 Cleveland, OH	April 15, 2020	\$500.00	
27	Roger '55 & Vonda Fritz '56 Peterson Sioux Falls, SD	April 15, 2020	Patron requested \$ amount not shown	
28	Dr. Michael '56 & Carla Thoeke '56 Gibson Reno, NV	April 18, 2020	\$50.00	Nov. 21, 2020 Mike and Carla donated an additional \$100.00 making their total PATRON contribution \$150.00.
29	Roger '55 & Permella Bedford '56 Kielman Peoria, AZ	April 20, 2020	\$100.00	
30	Merlyn "Chris" Christensen '54 Hudson, NH	April 21, 2020	\$100.00	
31	Dick Jensen '55 Naperville, IL	April 22, 2020	\$100.00	
32	Betty Holmoe Pfeifle '52 Sioux Falls, SD	April 20, 2020	\$100.00	
33	Walt Leyse '50 Sioux Falls, SD	April 20, 2020	\$100.00	
34	Tom '55 & Marilyn Rush '56 Simmons Gold Canyon, AZ	April 30, 2020	\$50.00	
35	Terry Robinson '57 Peoria, AZ	April 30, 2020	\$57.00	
36	Bob '55 & Peg Ogle '55 Berdahl Portland, OR	May 1, 2020	\$100.00	
37	Sharon Frank Johnson '53 Sioux Falls, SD	May 8, 2020	\$50.00	
38	Gene Bushnell '56 Rapid City, SD	May 8, 2020	\$100.00	
39	Terry Feay '56 Quincy, CA	May 12, 2020	\$60.00	
40	Dennis York '55 Rapid City, SD	May 12, 2020	\$100.00	
41	WHS Class of '54	May 14, 2020	\$300.00	
42	Dick Sweetman '54 Sioux Falls, SD	May 15, 2020	\$100.00	
43	Warner '54 & Karen Gurley '54 Brown Scottsdale, AZ	May 20, 2020	\$100.00	
44	Ronald Larson '59 Sioux Falls, SD	May 23, 2020	\$100.00	
45	Dr. Glenn Gravelle '58 Centennial, CO	May 26, 2020	\$158.00	

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46	Dave '56 & Barbara Lease '55 Quigley Green Valley, AZ	May 13, 2020	\$100.00	
47	Wayne Gustafson '54 Rapid City, SD & Surprise, AZ	May 29, 2020	\$250.00	
48	Sherrill Wilcox Pohl '52 Amarillo, TX	June 9, 2020	\$25.00	
49	Marlene Rance '61 Sioux Falls, SD	June 11, 2020	\$100.00	
50	Lloyd '56 & Bernita Hagen '59 Greiner Loveland, CO	June 12, 2020	\$115.00	
51	Harold Rudisill '56 Palm Springs, CA	June 15, 2020	\$100.00	On January 27, 2021 Rudy donated an additional \$100.00 making his total PATRON contribution \$200.00.
52	Patricia O'Rielly Miller '59 Chicago, IL	June 12, 2020	\$500.00	
53	Dennis Luce '54 Rapid City, SD	June 16, 2020	\$100.00	
54	Jody Syverson Vanderploeg '54 Okoboji, IA	June 18, 2020	\$100.00	
55	Vincent Keenan '59 Sioux Falls, SD	June 18, 2020	\$100.00	
56	Barbara James Bymes '57 Overland Park, KS	June 30, 2020	\$100.00	
57	Hal Erickson '54 Surprise, AZ	July 1, 2020	\$100.00	
58	Dick Wold '53 Sioux Falls, SD	July 1, 2020	\$100.00	
59	Doug Olson '56 Avon, Ohio	July 2, 2020	\$100.00	On March 6, 2021 Doug donated an additional \$100.— making his total PATRON contribution \$200.00
60	Roger Teigen '56 Norman, OK	July 7, 2020	\$250.00	
61	Tom '58 & Linda McCahren '59 Graham Sioux Falls, SD	July 12, 2020	\$200.00	
62	Dixie Utesch Tilden '58 Montevideo, MN	July 15, 2020	\$200.00	
63	Dean Mann '50 Sioux Falls, SD	July 20, 2020	\$50.00	
64	Andy Weber '52 Houston, TX	July 24, 2020	\$100.00	Sister, Mildred "Millie" Weber Edwards '53 - Deceased
65	Romain Oliver Nelsen '53 Davis, CA	July 24, 2929	\$100.00	
66	Anonymous Patron Sioux Falls, SD	July 30, 2020	\$100.00	
67	Mary Larson Montoya '59 Sioux Falls, SD	August 1, 2020	\$100.00	April 8, 2021 Mary increased her Patron contribution significantly. Amount of increase private.

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68	Wally Boersma '54 Marshall, TX	August 1, 2020	\$50.00	
69	John Hedland '58 Anchorage, AK	August 4, 2020	\$100.00	
70	Gary '57 & Kathy Rea '58 Conradi Sioux Falls, SD	August 4, 2020	200.00	
71	Mavis Larson Carl '55 Sioux Falls, SD	August 5, 2020	\$120.00	Husband, Ronald Carl '54, deceased; Sister, Shirley Larson Wermers '54; Brothers, Dale Larson '58; & Lyle Larson '61; Dear friend, Mary Lou Jewett '55 deceased.
72	Lorraine Fremming Forslin '54 Bloomington, MN?	August 8, 2020	\$100.00	
73	Deane Gray '58 Sun Lakes, AZ	August 20, 2020	\$25.00	
74	Bob '54 deceased & Connie Hammit '54 Zimmerman, Mesa, AZ	August 20, 2020	\$100.00	Donation from dear friend, Jack Phillips '54
75	Kent '54 deceased & Judy Morstad Sioux Falls, SD	August 20, 2020	\$100.00	Donation from dear friend, Jack Phillips '54
76	Robert Miller '57 Sun City West, AZ	August 26, 2020	\$100.00	
77	Joe Floyd '54 Sioux Falls, SD	August 31, 2020	\$50.00	
78	Debra Phillips Las Vegas, NV	Sept. 7, 2020	\$100.00	Donated by Jack Phillips '54, in appreciation of the ever increasing time my wife Debra spends working on the WHS O&B.
79	Sharon Johnson '54 Frank & Bill Frank '52 Wayzata, MN	Sept. 7 2020	\$100.00	Our dear friend, Arthur "Bud" Olson '54 deceased.
80	Gary Robertson '58 Dove Canyon, CA	Sept. 11, 2020	\$102.50	
81	Jane Shingledecker Miller '54 Dillon Beach, CA	Sept. 26, 2020	\$5,000.00	
82	Mike '58 & Bunny Aikens Howes '58 Sioux Falls, SD	Oct. 12, 2020	\$327.00	Also for brothers, Tom Howes '53 and Dick Howes '51 deceased, and their respective wives, Joyce McFarland Howes '54 and Donna Kranz Howes '53. \$327.00 for the total number of their WHS class years.
83	Lee Lane '58 Manchester, MO	Oct 19, 2020	\$300.00	In memory of Lee's deceased sisters, Jane Lane '55 and Janet Lane '56, and Lee's deceased friend, Dick O'Connor '58.
84	Col. (Dr.) Joyce Wait Teters '57 Twentynine Palms, CA	Nov. 4, 2020	\$100.00	
85	Dr. Michael '56 & Carla Thoeke '56 Gibson Reno, NV	Nov. 21, 2020	\$50 + \$100 = \$150.00 Current	Original contribution, PATRON #28, was \$50 on page #2 dated 4-18-20
86	Dr. Jim Brown '56 E. Wenatchee, WA	Nov. 21, 2020	\$100 + \$100 = \$200.00 Current	Original contribution, PATRON #21, was \$100 on page #1 dated 4-11-20
87	Ken Eisenbraun '58 Bloomfield Hills, MI	Dec. 14, 2020	\$158.00 + \$158.00= \$316.00 Current	Original contribution, PATRON #25, was \$158 on page #1 dated 4-14-20
88	Jane Winnett '54 Dallas, TX	Dec. 14, 2020	\$100.00	
89	Dr. Dale '56 & Camille Larson Peterson '61 Wenatchee, WA	Dec. 28, 2020	\$1,000.00	Original PATRONS CONTRIBUTING \$1,000 on page #1 dated 12-27-19. Dale and Camille have now made three \$1,000.00 contributions for a total of \$3,000.00. THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH. JACK

90	LaDell Swiden '57 Madison, SD	Dec. 30, 2020		\$100.00
91	Georgia Severson Johnson '56 Sioux Falls, SD	Dec. 30, 2020	\$75.00	
92	Sam '52 & Jenny Boersma Pfeifer '52 Omaha, NE	Jan. 4, 2021	\$100.00	
93	Jim Redfield '50 San Diego, CA & sister, Jean Redfield Kracht '54 Sioux Falls, SD.	Jan. 8, 2021	amount private	
94	Anita Robinson Bierman '56 Sioux Falls, SD	Jan. 15, 2021	\$100.00	
95	Rudi Rudisill '56 Palm Springs, CA	Jan. 27, 2021	\$100 + \$100 = \$200.00 Current	Original contribution, PATRON #51, was \$100 on page #3 dated 6-15-20
96	Wanda Shelp Chinnery '55 Lees Summit, MO	March 4, 2021	\$100.00	
97	Douglas Olson '56 Avon, OH	March 6, 2021	3 - \$100 donations Total \$300	Original PATRON contribution, #59, was \$100 on page #3. Doug has now made THREE \$100.00 donations for total of \$300.00 Thanks Doug for your continued support. Jack
98	Mary Larson Montoya '59 Sioux Falls, SD	April 8, 2021	2nd amount private	On August 1, 2020 donated \$100. 2nd donation amount private.
99	John Hisel '57 Aberdeen, SD	May 4, 2021	\$100.00	
100	Judy Stevens '61 Arlington, TX	May 12, 2021	\$50.00 + \$50.00 = \$100.00	Original contribution, PATRON #24, was \$50.00 on page 1 dated 4-15-20
101	John Beal '59 Naples, FL	July 30, 2021	\$300.00	
102	Harry Hoiland '54 Gig Harbor, WA	August 4, 2021	\$50.00	
103	Jeanne Frieze Holm '59 Wayzata, MN	Oct. 10, 2021	\$100.00	
104	Dr. Jim Brown '56 East Wenatchee, WA	Dec. 10, 2021	\$100 + \$100 + \$200 TOTAL \$400.00	Original contribution was \$100 on 4-11-20; 2nd donation was \$100 on 11-21-20 and 3rd donation \$200.00 for a total of \$400.00
105	Jim Eastman '59 Sioux Falls, SD	Dec. 13, 2021	\$100.00 = \$100.00 = TOTAL \$200.00	Original contribution was \$100.00, plus 2nd donation of \$100.00 = Total donation of \$200.00.
106	Dr. Dale '56 & Camille Larson '61 Peterson Wenatchee, WA	Dec. 23, 2021	\$1,000 + \$1,000 + \$1000 = \$3,000.00	Original contribution, PATRON #1, was \$1,000 on page #1 dated 12-27-19. Each December they have added an additional \$1,000.00 Total now \$3,000.00

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	PATRON	DATE	AMOUNT OF GIFT	INCREASES or DONATION IN THE NAME OF, OR IN MEMORY OF:
107	Sandy Brix Hembd '59 Birmingham, AL	1-18-22	\$200.00	Thanks Sandy for becoming a Patron. Jack
108	Karen Jacomet Walters '56 Mission, TX	1-18-22	Donation Amount Private	In memory of Karen's deceased sister, Francis Jacomet Deets '42 and her decease brother Bill Jacomet '50.
109	Kent Scribner '56 Westminster, CO	3-4-22	\$100.00	Thanks Kent for becoming a Patron. Jack
110	Doris Graff '52 Deceased Donated by Jean Graff Kenyon, from Sioux Falls, SD	3-28-22	\$25.00	In memory of Doris Graff '52, donated by 2nd cousin, Jean Graff Kenyon of Sioux Falls.
111	Doug Olson '59 Avon, Ohio	9-10-22	\$100.00	Thanks Doug for your 3rd Patron donation totaling \$300.00. Jack
112	Bob '58 & Gloria Welch '58 Legvold Winchester, MA	1-5-23	\$300.00	Thanks Bob and Gloria for becoming a Paton. Jack
113	Stu VanMeveren '58 Sun City, AZ	1-17-23	3rd Donation. Amount Private	Thanks Stu for your 3rd private Patron donation. Jack
114	Dale Paulson '53 Bennington, NB	1-17-23	\$100.00	Thanks Dale for becoming a Patron. Jack
115	Rudy Rudisill '56 Palm Springs, CA	2-26-23	\$100.00	Thanks Rudy for your 3rd Patron donation totaling \$300.00. Jack
116	Jayne "JJ" Anderson Johnson '53 Los Angeles, CA	2-25-23	\$100.00	Thanks JJ for your 2nd Patron donation totaling \$200.00 Jack
117	Dr Dale '56 & Camille Larson '61 Peterson Wenatchee, WA	2-28-23	\$1,000.00	Thanks Dale & Camille for your 4th Patron donation totally \$4,000.00 Jack
118	Mary Larson Montoya '59 Sioux Falls, SD	3-5-23	3rd Donation Amount Private	Thanks Mary for your 3rd Patron donation. Jack
119	Darrell Modica '54 Wilmar, MN	3-13-23	\$100.00	Thanks Darrell for becoming a Patron Jack
120	Robert "Bob" Stahmann '58 Orem, UT	4-18-23	\$158.00	Thanks Bob for becoming a Patron. Jack

**THANKS TO EACH AND
EVERY PATRON!
YOUR SUPPORT MEANS
MORE THAN YOU KNOW!**

Jack