

Bushy Tales

Dedicated to all who attended London Central High School
at Bushy Park, London England from
1952 to 1962



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CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

**1953 – Mariann (Walton)
McCornack (d. 2022)**



**1954 – Betsy (Neff) Cote
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1955 – Nancie Anderson (d. 2016)



**1956 – Edie (Williams) Wingate
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**1958 – Pat (Terpening) Owen
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**1959 – John "Mike" Hall
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**1960 – Ren Briggs
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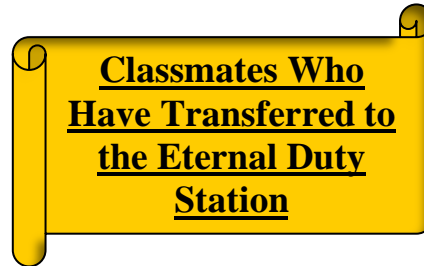


**1961 – Betsy (Schley) Slepetz
bslepetz@comcast.net**



**1962 – Dona (Hale) Ritchie
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A little reminder to all –if/when you change your email address, please let Pat Terpening (58) Owen nemoamasa@sbcglobal.net or me know, if you want to continue to receive the newsletter. Too many times we only find out when you send us an email saying you haven't received the newsletter in few months. Thanks, guys.



From: Sean Lou Jowdry (58) McMahon

I would like to add to the obituary for Mr. Walsh in the last newsletter. I met the Walshes at the reunion in Houston in 1988 and was pleasantly surprised to find that Mrs. Walsh was the one and only MISS REAGAN, my biology teacher, and the next year my chemistry teacher. I just loved her. She was bright and humorous and serious, and I never had a clue they were possibly dating in '56 or '57! She made me like learning and science and I have never forgotten her. If she has not also passed away, please pass on our thoughts and prayers to her and her family. We were so fortunate to have good teachers at Bushy Park.

Sean Lou Carr (Jowdry, then McMahon). Class of 1958, but graduated at our next base which was Lackland AFB in San Antonio, and my high school was Thomas Jefferson.



Mary F. Walsh
May 7, 1925 - April 17, 2016

Mary Florence Walsh, 90, a longtime resident of the area, passed away Sunday, April 17, 2016, at her home in Monroe, NY. Mary was the widow of Dr. Raymond James Walsh who passed away in 2010. Daughter of the late Charles Reagan and Eliza Jewell Hembroff Reagan, Mary was born May 7, 1925, in Valparaiso, Indiana. She graduated from Marquette University with a Chemistry Degree and began her career with Sterling Drugs in Rensselaer, NY. Later she trained as a teacher and embarked on a 40-year career teaching science with the U.S. Department of Defense Schools in North Africa and Europe. Dedicating her life to learning, she never stopped her own pursuit of knowledge, transferring her passion to the generations of students she taught.

She is survived by her sister, Dr. Lenora C. Semrad of Oakland, CA; her children Timothy C. Walsh of New York, NY; Mollie S. Walsh-Stroh of Monroe, NY and David I. Walsh of New York, NY; her grandchildren: Christopher, Teague, Liam, Ailill and Ezekiel; and many nieces and nephews. Mary was predeceased by her son Patrick J. Walsh, her brothers Thomas J. and Charles Reagan, and her sister Ellen L. Sviland. Requiescat in pacem. There will be no visitation. A Memorial Mass was celebrated Saturday, April 30th, 2016, at Chapel of the Sacred Heart, 151 Stage Road, Monroe, NY. Cremation at Cedar Hill Crematory, Middle Hope, NY. Memorial donations may be made to [Orange County AHRC](http://www.OrangeCountyAHRC.org), 249 Broadway, Newburgh, NY 12550.

To plant a tree in memory of Mary F. Walsh, please visit our [Tribute Store](http://www.TributeStore.com).

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Cynthia B. Guertin (57) Porter
September 4, 1939 – July 23, 2020

Cynthia B. (Guertin) Porter, 80, died of natural causes on July 23, 2020, in Palmyra, PA. Cynthia was born in Leominster, MA on September 4, 1939. She was the second of seven children born to Henry Guertin, Sr. and Rita G. (Gagne) Guertin. Cindy, as she was known to her friends, lived a full and active life.

She lived in Japan, England, and many places across the country as her family relocated to her father's various assignments in the United States Army. She relished her father's service to the nation and regarded her childhood in a military family as a wonderful educational experience. Cindy graduated from Mineral Wells High School, in Mineral Wells, TX in 1957 and was the first in her family to attend college. She began her college days at Mississippi State College for Women in Columbus, MS majoring in English. While in school she met and married Thomas (Tom) E. Porter. She finished her degree at Mississippi State University in 1962. Shortly after graduating the couple moved to Wardell, MO to teach in the North Pemiscot School District. After a few years they relocated to Caruthersville, MO where both Cindy and Tom worked in the Caruthersville School District.

Cindy dedicated her life to education. She spent many years teaching English. After receiving her master's degree in education from Memphis State University she worked as a guidance counselor both at Caruthersville Junior and Senior High Schools. She spent the last few years of her career as the high school principal. Cindy was active in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church as a Lecturer. She loved to read and do cross word puzzles. After retiring she and Tom travelled to Europe, Russia, and Egypt. They moved to Louisiana in 1995 to be closer to their children. Cindy continued working in education at St. Mary's Catholic school as a teacher and temporary principal.

She is survived by her two sons Lieutenant Colonel Thomas G. Porter, Alexandria, VA and Reverend Christopher G. Porter, Jonestown, PA and their spouses Stacey and Nannette as well as five grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by four siblings, Ann Mitchell, Bedford, TX; Susan Dagg, Silver Springs, FL; Sherri Guertin, Georgetown, TX; and Michelle Roy, Milbury, MA. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and two siblings Henry Guertin, and Coralie Lajoie.

Funeral mass was held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church on 5 Aug. 2020 with interment following in Little Prairie Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family request that memorials be given to [Caruthersville High School](#).

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Edward Phillip "Ivan" Klohe (57), 80, technical writer, died December 17, 2020

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Harry J. "Jack" Onufrock (59)

Onufrock, Harry J. "Jack" Passed away on December 6, 2012, at the age of 71. Resident of Shorewood. He was preceded in death by his parents Harry and Helen Onufrock. Beloved husband for 44 years of Elizabeth "Betty" Onufrock. Loving and caring father of Jennifer Onufrock and Jonathan (Barbara) Onufrock. Proud Papa of Madelyn, Olivia and Cailyn Onufrock. Dear brother of Christine (Nicholas) Reppucci and brother-in-law of Barbara Haynes. Uncle of Nicholas and Jonathan Reppucci, Anna Chapman and Kristen Knight. Jack will be remembered for his adventurous spirit. He was a kind and gentle man, a lover of animals and nature. He especially enjoyed outdoor activities with his family. The family wishes to extend a very heartfelt thank you to Dr. Ranveer Nand for his compassionate care.

A service and time of sharing honoring Jack's life was held at the Feerick Funeral Home, December 9, 2012. Interment at Forest Home Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials in Jack's name may be made to the North Suburban Special Olympics, c/o of Kevin Szydel, 1008 Woodview, Grafton, WI 53024.

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Shirley Elizabeth (Huff) Dulski (57)

April 29, 1940 – January 29, 2023

Shirley Dulski, age 82 of Mankato, formerly of Northfield, passed away Sunday evening, January 29, 2023, at River's Edge Hospital in St. Peter.

Shirley Elizabeth (Huff) Dulski was born April 29, 1940, in Atchison, Kansas, to Woodrow and M. Irene Huff. She was part of a military family with amazing opportunities to live around the world. She shared these experiences with her parents and brother Gary. Shirley's father joined the Army Air Corp and was assigned to a base in Arizona. The family resided there until end of WWII. From 1945-1950 the family returned to Rushville, MO, then from 1950-1952 resided in Japan at Yokota, AFB. In 1952-1955 the family resided in Topeka, KS at Forbes AFB, moving to London, England from 1955-1957; where Shirley graduated from Bushy Park High School. Shirley attended college in Switzerland from 1957-58, then moved to The University of Kansas in Lawrence, KS. Shirley met Roman Dulski while he was stationed at Bovingdon Air Force Base; the same base where her father was stationed. After Roman was discharged from the Air Force, he joined Shirley at U of K and they married on August 12, 1960.

After marriage, Shirley and Roman moved to Overland Park, Kansas where their sons, Tony and Mike were born. They lived in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, moving to Northfield in June 1976. Shirley worked with Roman at College City Beverage until his untimely death on September 10, 1977. Following his death, Shirley had the strength and tenacity to establish her own business, Insty-Prints, in Northfield. She was involved with other women business owners in Northfield throughout her business life. She operated Insty-Prints until 1992. She worked in the business office at Carleton College until she retired in 2009. After retirement, Shirley lived at the Northfield Retirement Community for several years, until moving to Mankato in 2018.

Shirley was a member of the Church of St. Dominic, and a former member of the Defeat of Jesse James Committee, and College City Sertoma. She was an avid sports supporter of University of Kansas; she loved watching NASCAR and many other sports. She enjoyed playing cards, bridge, trivia and reading. Shirley loved life and she will be greatly missed.

Survivors include her sons Anthony of Manila, Philippines, Michael of Mesa, Arizona, 4 grandchildren Elissa (Alex) Frandle, Joshua, Samuel and Benjamin Dulski; 3 great-grandchildren

Heather (8), Oliva (2), Dominic (6 months); her brother Gary (Joanie) Huff of Nashua, NH; other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband and her parents.

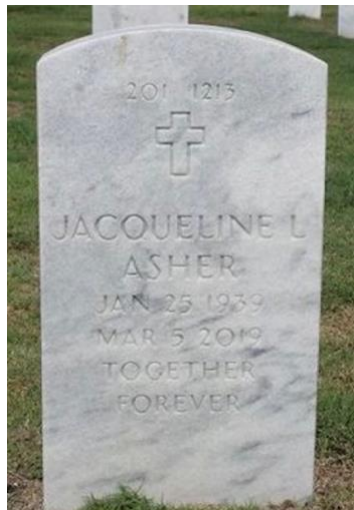
A memorial service will be held in Spring/Summer 2023 at the Church of St Dominic in Northfield, MN. Interment will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Lenexa, Kansas.

Arrangements are with the Benson & Langehough Funeral Home. www.northfieldfuneral.com

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Jacqueline Leah “Jackie” Holder Asher (57)

January 25, 1939 - March 5, 2019 (aged 80)



Laingsburg, Shiawassee County, Michigan, USA

DEATH

Citrus Springs, Citrus County, Florida, USA

BURIAL

[Florida National Cemetery](#)

Bushnell, Sumter County, Florida, USA

PLOT

SECTION 201 SITE 1213

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Husband of Jackie Holder Asher (for whom no obituary could be found; they share the plot at Florida National cemetery)

Kenneth E. Asher, age 79, of Citrus Springs, was called back home by God on Monday, October 27, 2015, at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Kenneth was born on January 19, 1936, in Terre Haute, IN to the late Clinton and Edith Maxine (Sewell) Asher.

He relocated to Citrus Springs from Negaunee, MI 3 years ago with his loving wife Jacqueline. He proudly served our country as a member of the United States Air Force for 22+ years. He also worked throughout his life as a skilled dental laboratory technician. Kenneth was a Christian man who enjoyed many things in life including gardening, fishing, playing pool and horse shoes. He once bowled a perfect game, loved playing guitar and was an excellent harmonica player.

Kenneth played baseball in his youth and had a great love for the game and was a huge Green Bay Packer fan in the NFL. He enjoyed listening to country and western music and swimming with his beloved wife Jackie.

In addition to his wife Jackie, he is survived by one son, Clint Asher and his wife Erika of Beverly Hills. Also left to mourn his passing and cherish his memory are two brothers, Steven Troy Asher of Myrtle Beach, SC and Gary Clinton Asher of Sacramento, CA, sister-in-law, Suzan Benko and her husband Stephen of Palm Coast, FL. He also leaves behind 4 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

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Richard Russell Guise (57)

August 16, 1939 – September 27, 2021



Richard Russell Guise, age 82, who entered into eternal rest on Monday, September 27, 2021, at his residence in Port Barre.

Mr. Guise was a native of Boonville, Indiana, and a resident of Port Barre. A veteran of the military, he proudly served his country in the U.S. Air Force. Afterward, Richard went on to work for T.L. James for over 20 years as a carpenter, specializing in bridge construction. In his spare time, he enjoyed fishing and attending services at Faith Lutheran Church in Lafayette.

Survivors include his daughter, Cheryl Guise Sanders; a son, Russell Kelley Guise and his wife, Peggy, of Port Barre; a brother, Marvin McKinley and his wife, Kaye; his sister, Donna McKinley Tharp; his grandchildren, Celeste Robin Verette, Jessica Kelley Guise, and Jacob Russell Guise; numerous great-grandchildren; a great-great-granddaughter; and many much-loved nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by a son, Richard Stevens Guise; his father, Russell L. Guise; his mother and stepfather, Helene Kelley McKinley, and Winferd L. McKinley; and a brother, James McKinley.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial donations be sent in care of Mrs. Peggy Guise to P.O. Box 781, Port Barre, LA 70577, to help defray costs of the memorial service being held at a later date. Interment will be in Maple Grove Cemetery in Boonville, Indiana.

Melancon Funeral Home of Opelousas, 4708 I-49 North Service Road, (337) 407-1907, is in charge of arrangements.

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Glynda Marie Fitts Dupuy (57)
June 22, 1939 - January 8, 2021

Ms. Glynda Marie Dupuy, 81 of Snyder, TX died on Friday, January 8, 2021, in Sweetwater, Texas.

Ms. Glynda Marie Dupuy was born on June 22, 1939, in Snyder, TX to Levon Fitts and Julia Von Roeder. She married Robert Dupuy and lived her life as a housewife. She loved horses, feeding birds, and any stray animal that came along the way.

She is survived by three daughters: Cheryl Bullard and husband Thomas, and Jeanie Warr, Snyder, TX, and Alicia Elam, Dallas, TX; two sons: Robert Dupuy, Abilene, TX and Gerald Dupuy, Lubbock, TX; numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by husband Robert Dupuy, daughter Julie Dupuy, and brother Levon Fitts and her parents Levon and Julia Fitts, and great grandchildren Caitlin Green and Christopher Green

Donations can be made to Alzheimer's Association at PO BOX 96011 Washington D.C. 20090-6011, an animal shelter of your choice, or to stroke research of your liking.

Online Condolences may be posted at www.bellcypertseale.com

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Cleo Chambliss Courington (57)
April 23, 1939 – February 12, 2023

Cleo Chambliss Courington, age 83, of Hawthorne, Florida passed away on Sunday, February 12, 2023. Cleo was born in NY.

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Memories of Bushy Park

Robert Harrold (60) maintains a Bushy Park website at BushyPark.org Among the things you can see at this website is a "Guestbook", in which many website visitors have left comments. There are many entries, dating back to April 2007.

Here is a direct link: [Bushy Park Guest Book](#)



Letters to the Editor



Fr. Aaron Sheldon "Pete" Peters, O.S.B. (57)

Bill, You and Pat have outdone yourselves this issue. It was a good read about the faculty...

I remember the Billingtons quite well. They brilliantly team-taught the sophomore Biology class in 53-54. One of the best classes I had in high school other than Latin with Richard R. Dickenson. Three years with him. He was a marvelous teacher. Too bad he was killed in a motorcycle accident in Texas not long after we graduated in 57...1960 or 61. I don't remember which English class he taught Junior or Senior. Rosemary Hynes-Threlkeld taught whichever class he didn't.

I'm about settled-in to my two-room apartment. Am still unpacking - a formidable task - 55 years of literal stuff. I look past it and shake my head and say to myself, "Self, why on earth, and in the name of every deity humanity has ever come up with, did you ever bring all this stuff?" I've taken 12 boxes to the Salvation Army, and probably will end up taking at least that many more. Someone will make good use of it all I'm certain, because none of it is "trash".

It's up to 105 F. again today - that's 10 days straight and more to come. Thank the Good Lord it's a dry heat. If I were back at the abbey on the Missouri River, it would be horribly humid.

I was thinking the other day, which as you both know, is a very dangerous occupation. Nonetheless, I was doing it, precaution thrown to the wind: I don't recall, even with all the rain and fog, during those 4 years in England, it was not all that humid. Perhaps it's just old age not recalling unpleasantness, eh?

Do keep up the good work.

God bless,

Pete

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