

# A Class of 1963 Profile

Most common name (men):

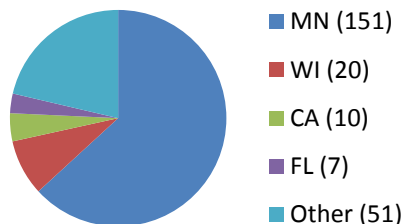
**David (10)**

Most common name

(women):

**Carol/Carolyn (11)**

Where Auggies Call Home:



Most common majors:

1. English
2. History
3. Sociology
4. Mathematics

**Married Auggies within the Class of 1963:**

Paul Batalden and LaVonne (Olson) Batalden  
Karen (LaMere) Bosmoe and Roger Bosmoe  
Lannell Farmer and Mary (Lower) Farmer  
James Inwards and Harriet (Hillyer) Inwards  
Susan (Fish) Kallestad and William Kallestad

Percentage of the class who married other Auggies:

**13%**

**1963 Grads married to another Auggie (1963 grad is listed first):**

Carol (Jacobsen) Anderson and Clayton  
Anderson '64  
R. Charles Anderson and Lois (Luthard)  
Anderson '65  
Nelvin Botten and Jeanne (Bjornton) Botten '53  
Helen (Anderson) Gildseth and Bruce Gildseth  
'62  
Donald Gjesfeld & Kathleen (Matter) Gjesfeld  
'67  
Martha (Carlson) Hatfield and Dennis Hatfield  
'60  
Richard Hermstad & Marilyn (Larson)  
Hermstad '62  
Peter Heryla and Joann (Krebs) Heryla '64  
Barbara (Beglinger) Larson and Dean Larson '62  
Karen (Tangen) Mattison and Phillip Mattison  
'62

Joshua Meena and Nduminyaya (Sisia) Meena  
'66  
Karen (Triden) Mortenson and Gerald  
Mortenson '62  
Andre Nelson and Elaine Snustad Nelson '93  
Patricia (O'Reilly) Olson and Lyle Olson '65  
Rochelle (Jerve) Olson and Kenneth Olson '62  
James Roback and Patricia (Stenson) Roback '65  
Hans Sandbo and Marie(Bergh) Sandbo '65  
Lesley (Schwarten) Schmid and Byron Schmid  
'60  
Ruth (Sather) Sorenson and John Sorenson '62  
David Steenson and Karen (Henry) Steenson '64  
Sara (Halvorson) Strom and William Strom '64  
Steven Thompson & Dagmar (Vijard) Thompson  
'64  
Diane (Petrik) Ziemann and Kenneth Ziemann  
'64

## **Total Donated to Augsburg by the Class of 1963, since graduation: \$1,975,659.85**

*This figure includes cash gifts, pledges, planned gifts, and matching gifts.*

% of the Class of 1963 that has made a contribution since graduation: **61%**

Members of the Sven Oftedal Society, which recognizes donors who have included Augsburg in their will or estate plans: **9**

Members of the Maroon & Silver Society, which recognizes donors who give \$1,000 or more annually to the College's unrestricted annual fund, The Augsburg Fund: **4**

## **Alumni Award Recipients in the Class of 1963**

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### **Distinguished Alumni Award**

Dr. Paul Batalden, 1984  
Dr. Clarice Staff, 1984  
David Steenson, 1998  
Dr. Ordean Torstenson, 1999

### **Spirit of Augsburg Award**

Stephen "Gabe" Gabrielsen,  
2010

### **Athletic Hall of Fame Inductee**

Lloyd "Butch" Raymond, 1978  
Jim Roback, 1990  
John Ryski, 1988  
Chris Wagner, 1982

### **Past Alumni Board Members**

LaVonne (Olson) Batalden  
Jerelyn (Hovland) Cobb  
Ruth (Sather) Sorenson  
David Steenson  
Carol (Erickson) Zwernik

### **Former Board of Regents**

Paul Batalden, 1979-1990  
Nancy Bottemiller, 1980-1992

### **Former Faculty and Staff**

Stephen "Gabe" Gabrielsen, 1963-2011: Music Professor and Organist  
Brad Holt, 1978-Present: Religion Professor  
Rev. Gordon Olson -1998: Development Officer  
Jim Roback, 1995-2007: Assistant Football coach  
Clarice Staff, 1995-2001: English Professor

### **In memoriam (year indicated when known)**

Roger Bevis (2012)  
Nancy (Bloomfield) Bottemiller  
(2000)  
Reta Clauson  
Ermon Deen (2001)  
Wilbur Freeburg (2004)  
Gabe Gabrielsen (2013)  
Clifford Gilomen (1990)  
Ronald Hagenson (2012)

Linda (Oscarson) Hansen  
William Jiran  
Doris Johnson  
Grace Johnson (2010)  
Kenneth Koss  
Wallis Larson  
Roger Lauve  
Virginia Merritt (2001)  
Allen Mjones (2000)

David Mortrud (2003)  
Elizabeth Petersen (2000)  
Bruce Peterson (2011)  
Marvin Peterson (2009)  
Kathleen Steer (2005)  
Ordean Torstenson (2010)  
S.J. Trelstad (2006)

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Charles Anderson 218-236-8510

1701 14<sup>th</sup> Street South, Moorhead MN 56560

[Canderson@702com.net](mailto:Canderson@702com.net)

Spouse: Lois Luthard Anderson Augsburg 1965

Children: Heidi and Stacy

2 grandchildren

Additional degrees: M Div Luther Seminary St. Paul MN

Present interests: Walking, reading presidential biographies, grandchildren

Treasured memories: Member of basketball team

Influenced as student: History faculty

### **Additional information**

I am a first generation graduate

Wife Lois is third generation graduate

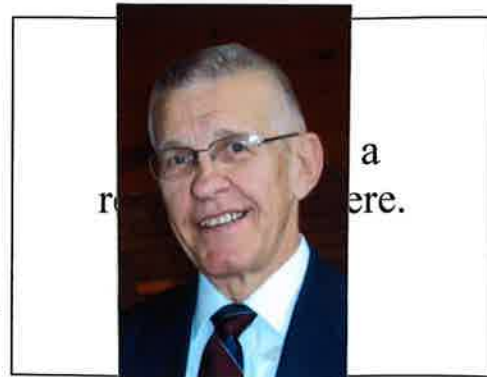
Daughter Heidi is fourth generation graduate

Work history in years: US Navy--2, student seminary--4, pastor--13, life insurance-- 4, misc--2, interim pastor--19, retirement--6

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Name: Charles Arndt Phone: 715-825-5323  
First Maiden Last  
Address: 1628 236th Ave Luck, WI 54853  
E-mail Address: amarndt@lakeand.us  
Spouse: Mary Jo Handeland Arndt  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: Marcus Arndt Connie Clausen  
I/we have 7 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees BD Luther Seminary St Paul, MN

Present Interests/activities:

Part time chaplain at St. Croix Falls Good Samaritan Center  
I enjoy working with the local Habitat For Humanity - Brush with Kindness  
program one day per week.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

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Name: Patricia Louise Stinson Phone: 763-788-3042  
First Maiden Last

Address: 3711 Lincoln

E-mail Address: pstinson23@comcast.net

Spouse: None  
First Maiden Last

Children: None

I/we have None grandchildren None great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MED University of MN.

Present Interests/activities: Writing historical fiction, Christian  
short stories, and memoir of my 2 years in  
New Guinea as a lay missionary.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

The small class size for elementary education and  
making friends.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Basic Bible - Dr Tollefson

Dr. Mattson - Elementary Education

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Dr. Mattson, Dr. Tollefson, parents.

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website is psread.com



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Spouse: MILLIE ST. AMANT PAULSON

Children: CHRISTOPHER <sup>First</sup> ! MARNIA <sup>Maiden</sup> <sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren MA - UG MN great grandchildren. Additional Degrees

Present Interests/activities: GOLF, FLY FISHING, SINGING

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg? A very  
helpful FACULTY, Great campus Atmosphere, football  
games at PARADE STADIUM & BB games on campus.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student? Ms. LUND, Advisor,  
PAUL Sonnade, Rel., Erling URDAHL, Bio,

Who would you like to thank if you could? Ms Lund

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Heart attack in 1991  
Transplant in 2011, MAY - DOING  
great!!

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Jr.  
yr.



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Name: KEN CARLSON  
First Maiden Last  
 Address: 2868 SUGAR BUSH RD FIS  
 E-mail Address: dkenaco@gmail.com  
 Spouse: NAOMI BRODERIUS CARLSON  
First Maiden Last  
 Children: AMY, JULIE, JON  
 I/we have 7 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees 0



Present Interests/activities:

PART TIME WORK - SELLING WINE & CHEESE  
PREACH OCCASIONALLY  
GOLF & PICKLEBALL — WOOD CARVING & STAINED GLASS  
TRAVELING WITH NAOMI - ENJOYING FAMILY

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

THE WHOLE STUDENT LIFE EXPERIENCE PREPARED  
ME FOR MY FUTURE LIFE AND CAREER.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

DR. TORSTENSON - SOCIOLOGY (MAJOR FIELD)  
DR. HALVORSON - PHILOSOPHY (MINOR FIELD)  
DR. COLACCI - GREEK STUDIES

Who would you like to thank if you could?

DR. BERNHARD

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to the class)



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Name: JAMES DONALD Phone: 763-757-2264

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E-mail Address: JMWDONALD@GMAIL.COM

Spouse: LANA DONALD

Children: MARK<sup>First</sup>, KARL<sup>Maiden</sup> DONALD<sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.Th. (Master of Theology)

Present Interests/activities:  
READING, TRAVELING, BRITISH SPORTS CARS, FAMILY

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
great professors, excellent education

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
DR. ANNE PEDERSON, DR. GERALD THORSON, DR. CARL CHRISLOCK,  
DR. MARIO COLLACI, DR. PHILIP QUANBECK

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
All of the above + more

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Name: DICK FRANZEN Phone: 408-779-0854  
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Address: 16720 SPRING HILL CT MORGAN HILL CA

E-mail Address: NEZNARF@USA.NET

Spouse: CHEYL MILLER FRANZEN  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: SHANNON + MARK

I/we have \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:  
RETIRED - WORK AT GOLF COURSE

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
MANY FRIENDS

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
MR. HEMMINGSON - BUSINESS ADM MADE CONTACT WITH MY FIRST  
EMPLOYER AND I STAYED WITH THAT COMPANY FOR 40+ YEARS

Who would you like to thank if you could?

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First Maiden Last  
Address: 2205 INNSBRUCK PARKWAY Columbia Heights, MN  
55421  
E-mail Address: Mattisonpk@comcast.net  
Spouse: Phillip MATTISON ' 62  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: 2  
I/we have 4 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities: Retired from out of state back to MN  
to be close to family. Involved in volunteer work  
at church. I enjoy meeting individuals who come  
to the U.S. from other countries.  
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I was an off campus student. But I met several  
life long friends who I've kept in touch with  
occasionally.  
What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr's Agre, Alton, and Holm. Arthur Nash, Erwin Mickelberg,  
and Erling Urdahl. Philip Quanbeck, Paul Sonnack, William  
Halverson and Terence Fretherm.  
Who would you like to thank if you could?  
Glen Johnson for teaching a math class to some of us struggling  
to fulfill a math requirement. Pres. Harbo for signing my diploma.  
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Name: Janet Evenson Potratz Phone: 763-546-2008  
First Maiden Last

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E-mail Address: ejpotratz@hotmail.com

Spouse: Ed Potratz  
First Maiden Last

Children: Julie, Gregg, Karlene Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 6 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees       

Present Interests/activities:

Two book clubs - Library Team at church  
Traveling - Spending time with the family

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Student Teaching at Longfellow School in mpls.  
Religion class with Dr. Quanbeck

Working at the grill in Montenson Hall - Fun times in Edda House

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Miss Mattson  
Dr. Quanbeck

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Miss Mattson - Elementary Ed.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Ed and I have lived at  
3117 Boone for 33 years.  
We have traveled a lot during  
our marriage -  
All 48 states Two cruises  
Europe Caribbean  
Israel Panama Canal





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Name: Mary Llower Farmer Phone: 218 829 7935  
Address: 17150 Dewes Rd Brainerd MN 56401  
E-mail Address: mllf@charter.net  
Spouse: Lannell Farmer 1963  
Children: Thomas Patricia Michael Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have 1 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MS

### Present Interests/activities:

Working for MN United for all families on the "Vote No" campaign. Inclusivity + Justice issues  
in the church and state/local politics. Lakes Area Music Festival-band member. Absolutely

the best classical music festival around! Google it + come to Brainerd next August. Church, AAUW,  
arts organizations area Women's Shelter. Hanging out on Lannell's boat. Visiting kids in CA, CO + MN  
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

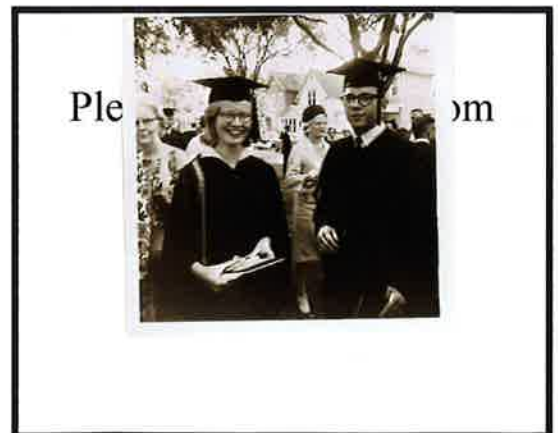
Alaska Band Tour - Math classes with the same students, sitting in  
alphabetical order. Now I treasure the classes taught by Paul Sonnack + Phil  
Quanbeck. Not too sure I realized that at the time. George Solberg! Math teacher. Good  
person who gave all for his students.

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Geo Solberg, Paul Sonnack, Phil Quanbeck, Art Nash

Who would you like to thank if you could? Charlie L + Hans S for math classes. Hans for hauling me  
to Augsburg every day. The 4 friends who continue to write letters (Diane Z, Diane L,  
Nancy R + Ellen M.) The above mentioned teachers.

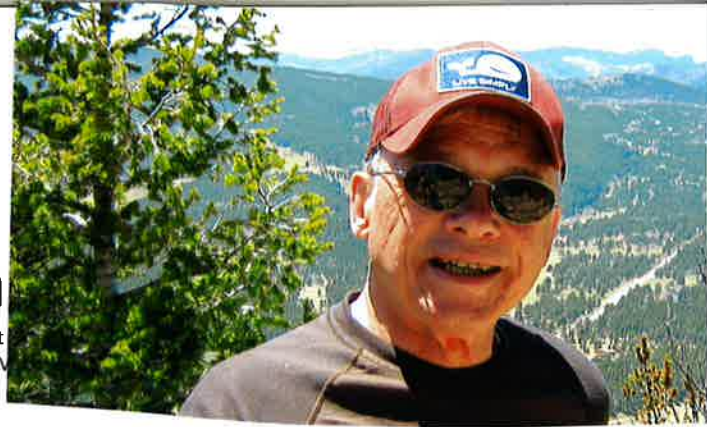
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First Maiden Last

Address: 17150 Newes Road, Brainerd, MN 56401

E-mail Address: m.l.f@charter.net

Spouse: Mary Lower Farmer 1963  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Thomas, Patricia, Michael

I/we have 1 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MSW

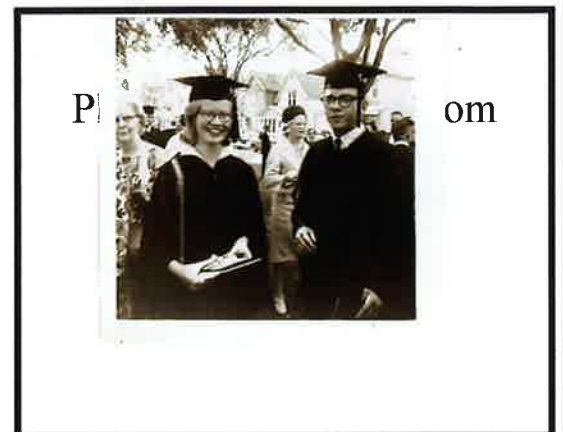
Present Interests/activities:  
Sailing, reading, yoga, gym workouts, limited part time work  
in a bookstore

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Band tour to Alaska summer of 1960, dorm life, saw some  
great basketball games, student life in general

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Sociology classes, particularly Dr. Joel Tonstenson. Also enjoyed Psychology  
courses. Dr. DeYoung comes to mind.

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
Probably Dr. Tonstenson first — many really dedicated faculty when I was there.

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Name: Morris Bjurlin Phone: 320-587-2753

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E-mail Address: mmbjurlin@gmail.com

Spouse: Maris Johnson Bjurlin

Children: Matthew, Marc, Michael <sup>First</sup> <sup>Maiden</sup> <sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 2 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA - University of New Mexico

Present Interests/activities:  
Family, Traveling, Church Activities, Volunteering at local Food Shelf,  
Concerts, Reading, Biking, Tutoring (math students).

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
I enjoyed all my Mathematics classes. I remember attending chapel,...  
listening to Dr. Quanbeck reading scripture, ... making flats and sets  
in stagecraft with Dr. Cole, ... trying to translate/speak German for Dr. Landa.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
I can still feel the warm embrace from Dr. George Soberg as  
he gave individual attention and help to me.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of

Augsburg College was the right place for me  
from 1958-1963 and the friendship of  
my roommates/best friends, Glenn Peterson,  
John Wanner and Don Gjesfjeld, (at 2411  
East Franklin) will be cherished all my life  
(John, Don, Glenn, Morris =>)





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Address: 2143 126<sup>th</sup> Ave NW, COON RAPIDS, MN 55448

E-mail Address: PAULS MONSON @ mac.com

Spouse: KRISTIN MONSON

Children: PETER JOSHUA RACHEL MICHAEL REBECCA

I/we have 8 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MD

Present Interests/activities:  
WOODWORKING (DINING TABLES TO BOXES), PHOTOGRAPHY,  
BIKING, BIRD HUNTING & WATCHING, WEEKLY "OLD" DRS  
MEETINGS

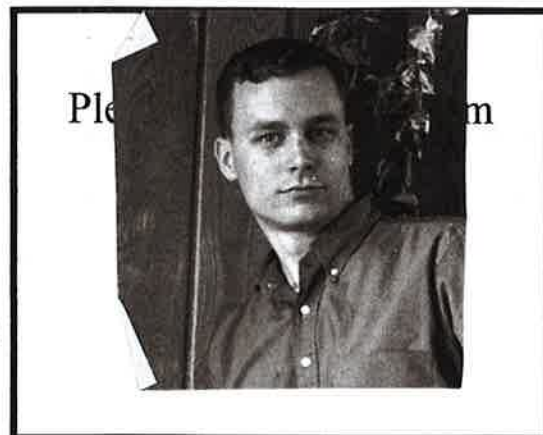
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
CHEM LAB

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student? DR AGRE

Who would you like to thank if you could? DR GISELCHRIST

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

THE YEAR IN VIETNAM, AS A DOCTOR,  
CHANGED ME AND NOT ALL FOR THE BETTER.  
THE 20 YEARS IN FLORIDA MANAGING  
HMOs AND THE BUSINESS OF HEALTH CARE  
WAS MORE CHALLENGING THAN MEDICINE.



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E-mail Address: ywarn@att.net

Spouse: Robert

Children: Jayson, Meredith Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 2 grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.A. Concordia College

Present Interests/activities: quilted, golf, gardening  
some traveling  
Riverforest, Curriculum & IL Instruction

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I remember living in Kappa House as a junior transfer student. Also enjoyed living in the girls' dorm my senior year. I appreciated the block courses that made it easier for us to student teach.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Dr. Einer Erickson, Mimi Baez, Dr. Thorsen  
Dr. Zwanbeck, Mrs. Pat Parker

Who would you like to thank if you could?

All of my professors the friendly students & God for leading me to Augsburg College.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmate)

I am still teaching a 6 hr. ESL High Beginning class at ~~LCC~~ Elgin, IL.  
Elgin Community College

YVONNE M.  
PETROSKEY  
Virginia, Minnesota  
English Education





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First Maiden Last

E-mail Address: lavonnemb@gmail.com

Spouse: PAUL BATALDEN 1963  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Maren , Sonja

I/we have 3 grandchildren          great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Ph.D.

Present Interests/activities:  
Family, Church, Quilting, Gardening, Reading

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Friends, Finding a mate, dorm life, chapel, Culman Hotel

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Religion classes

Paul Sonneck, Phil Quenbeck, John Holm, Mayo Savold, Gerald Thorsen,  
Don Gustafson, Carl Christlock, Bill Halvarson

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
All of above

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Spouse: LAVONNE OLSON BATALDEN 1963

Children: MAREN, SONJA Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 3 grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.D.

Present Interests/activities: in Boston, London + Sweden  
Family, Teaching/mentoring health professional faculty development,  
Health care reform, photography, reading

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Friends, stimulating faculty, finding a life partner

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Religion classes.

Paul Sennack, Phil Quabbeck, John Helum, Gerald Thorsen, Carl Christlock,  
Bill Halverson, Joel Torsenson, Ray Anderson

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
All of the above



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Name: Robert D. TUFFORD Phone: 612-872-4005

Address: 301 CLIFTON Ave. # 4L, Mpls. Mn. 55403

E-mail Address: BTUFFORD + TUFFORD - Hughes. Com

Spouse: MARIE TUFFORD

Children: We are a blended family & it is too complicated to write down

I/we have grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees LLB U. of Minn Law School 1966

Present Interests/activities:

I still work (not too hard) - work sat each day -  
play golf, Read, go to concerts, sporting events,  
theater - etc. - Travel a little - spend time with family

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Learning to be away from home for the 1st time - pick  
up basketball at the gym - part time jobs - friends in the  
dorm - cramming at the end of the semester to make up for  
lack of studying & poor attendance during the semester.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

I have to say that I was not much of a student -  
I had a lot of distractions & my interests were  
mostly outside of the classroom - So, I owe an  
apology to all of the great AFAC My one had

Who would you like to thank if you could?

the dedicated staff & faculty at Augsburg -

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Name: Karen Triden Mortenson  
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E-mail Address: jkmortenson@centurytel.net Phone: 715-865-2708  
Spouse: Jerry Mortenson 1962  
Children: Pam <sup>First</sup> and Jill <sup>Maiden</sup>  <sup>Last</sup>  <sup>Class Year (if attended Augsburg)</sup>  
I/we have 4 grandchildren  great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Media Generalist

### Present Interests/activities:

Traveling, scrapbooking, geneology, reading,  
boating and spending as much time as possible  
here at the lake with our extended family

### What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Living in Edda House; The "friendly" teasing from  
the hockey players because I was dating Jerry;  
working in the Augsburg Library

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Miss Martha Mattson and fellow students in all of our  
elementary education classes; Pat Parker who  
taught the library classes

### Who would you like to thank if you could?

Pat Parker for so much individual  
attention

### Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to y

In 2000, after retiring from being  
a Media Specialist, mainly in  
Minneapolis, we moved permanently  
to our new home on Lac Courte Oreilles.  
If you are ever in the Hayward  
area give us a call - 715-865-2708.  
You might have to leave a message  
because we spend a lot of time outdoors.





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Name: Sara Halvorson Strom Phone: 651 437 5665  
First Maiden Last  
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 E-mail Address: sstrom@gmail.com sstrom71@gmail.com  
 Spouse: William (Bill) Strom 1964  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
 Children: Carmen Peter  
 I/we have 2 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees       

Present Interests/activities: Harp, Piano Playing in Retirement homes (Vets, Assisted  
Living etc.) churches, book club, golf

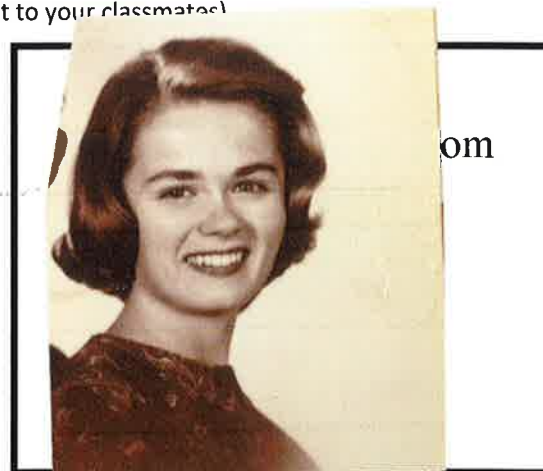
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
establishing great friendships

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Augsburg in general - great people - opening my mind/thoughts - liberal Arts!!

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)



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E-mail Address: lavonnemb@gmail.com

Spouse: PAUL BATALDEN 1963  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Maren, Sonja

I/we have 3 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Ph.D.

Present Interests/activities:  
Family, Church, Quilting, Gardening, Reading

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Friends, Finding a mate, dorm life, chapel, Culman Hotel

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Religion classes  
Paul Sonneck, Phil Quasbeck, John Holm, Mayo Savold, Gerald Thorsen,  
Don Gustafson, Carl Christlock, Bill Halvarson

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
All of above

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your class)  
        
        
        
        
        
        
        
      

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Children: MAREN, SONJA  
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I/we have 3 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.D.

Present Interests/activities: in Boston, London + Sweden  
Family, Teaching/mentoring health professional faculty development,  
Health care reform, photography, reading

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Friends, stimulating faculty, finding a life partner

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Religion classes.  
Paul Snareck, Phil Quabeck, John Helum, Gerald Thorsen, Carl Christlock,  
Bill Halverson, Joel Torsenson, Ray Anderson

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
All of the above

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your class)



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E-mail Address: mmbjurlin@gmail.com

Spouse: Maris Johnson Bjurlin

Children: Matthew, Marc, Michael <sup>First</sup> <sup>Maiden</sup> <sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 2 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA - University of New Mexico

Present Interests/activities:  
Family, Traveling, Church Activities, Volunteering at local Food shelf,  
Concerts, Reading, Biking, Tutoring (math students).

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
I enjoyed all my Mathematics classes. I remember attending chapel,...  
listening to Dr. Quanbeck reading scripture, ... making flats and sets  
in stagecraft with Dr. Cole, ... trying to translate/speak German for Dr. Landa.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
I can still feel the warm embrace from Dr. George Soborg as  
he gave individual attention and help to me.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of

Augsburg College was the right place for me  
from 1958-1963 and the friendship of  
my roommates/best friends, Glenn Peterson,  
John Wanner and Don Gjesfjeld, (at 2411  
East Franklin) will be cherished all my life  
(John, Don, Glenn, Morris =>)



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                    First                    Maiden                    Last  
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E-mail Address: bcapek@aol.com

Spouse: Richard Capek

Children: Jason Wanner, Laura Carter, Ray Capek  
                    First                    Maiden                    Last                    Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 6 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA U of Chgo.

Present Interests/activities:

Play piano + Violin - in Community orchestra. Church  
Deacon; Book Club; Yoga, Swim, Walk regularly +  
Dance; Red Hats; Visit Family + Friends + See  
The World.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Treasured memory being crowned Homecoming  
Queen fall of 1962 with "Smothers Brothers" entertaining.  
Being Mary in an Easter Pageant + other drama  
with Eileen Cole.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr. Torstensen in Sociology, Miss  
Cole in drama, and Miss Peterson  
in English - and Mr. Hemingson in statistics  
(which I tested out of in grad. school!)  
Who would you like to thank if you could? all 4 of the above professors.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Being awarded a social  
work scholarship for  
grad. school. Help with  
financial concerns  
including summer jobs +  
part-time jobs during the Augie  
school year.

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Name: KEN CARLSON  
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E-mail Address: dckena@gmail.com  
Spouse: NAOMI BRODERIUS CARL  
Children: AMY, JULIE, JON  
I/we have 7 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees 0

Present Interests/activities:

PART TIME WORK - SELLING WINE & CHEESE  
PREACH OCCASIONALLY  
GOLF & PICKLEBALL WOOD CARVING & STAINED GLASS  
TRAVELING WITH NAOMI - ENJOYING FAMILY

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

THE WHOLE STUDENT LIFE EXPERIENCE PREPARED  
ME FOR MY FUTURE LIFE AND CAREER.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

DR. TORSTENSON - SOCIOLOGY (MAJOR FIELD)  
DR. HALVORSON - PHILOSOPHY (MINOR FIELD)  
DR. COLACCI - GREEK STUDIES

Who would you like to thank if you could?

DR. BERNHARD C

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to)





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Spouse: Grace Nyberg Carlson

Children: Jeffrey Nabs and Todd

I/we have 4 grandchildren          great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA

Present Interests/activities:

AFTER retiring from Minnehaha Academy (43 years) as Director of College Counseling, I started an agency that brought high school students from China and Korea to Minnesota for school

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Four years as a resident of Memorial Hall and the many friends there. Being a member of MIAE basketball Champions.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr Einar Johnson

Ernie Anderson

Howie Pierson

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think we

After living in MN. my whole life, my wife and I are moving to Denver to be by grand kids and son and daughter in law. Other son & family live in Orange Cty, CA.



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E-mail Address: wbchris@augsburg.edu  
Spouse: Bernadine Lundberg Christiansen  
Children: Jennifer Christiansen <sup>First</sup> Elizabeth Christiansen <sup>Maiden</sup> Gutierrez <sup>Last</sup> <sup>Class Year (if attended Augsburg)</sup>  
I/we have 2 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.A.T.

Present Interests/activities: Substitute teaching,  
Men's Chorus, Mixed Community Chorus  
Summer Musical Theater, Summer Opera Chorus  
Travel, Church board member

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Lunch in the cafeteria with friends.  
Chapel services  
Working for 2 yrs. for Mr. K. Berner Dahlen

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Literature with Miss Anne Pederson + Dr. Gerald Thorson  
Acting class with Miss Ailene Cole  
New Testament classes with Dr. Philip Quenbeck

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
Classmate David Sandgren for our lifelong friendship

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

This year marked 50 years  
of teaching in the Virginia, MN,  
public schools.

My wife and I traveled to  
Scandinavia this September.





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Address: 7451 <sup>First</sup> BERKSHIRE <sup>Maiden</sup> WAY N <sup>Last</sup> MAPLE GROVE,  
E-mail Address: NONE  
Spouse: CLYDE COBB  
Children: MARK, MARTHA <sup>Class Year (if attended)</sup>  
I/we have 4 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:

STILL AN ACTIVE ANTIQUE/JUNK DEALER; motto is REUSE, Repurpose, RECYCLE.  
KEEP UP WITH GRANDCHILDREN AGES 19 TO 2yrs, FOSTER ORPHAN KITTENS  
AND SPECIAL NEEDS DOGS, PLAY PIANO AT CHURCH, ENJOY WINTERS IN CALIFORNIA.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

DAILY CHAPEL — DORM HOURS: 8PM ON WEEKDAYS —  
10 PM ON WEEKENDS —

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

MISS RUTH SEGOLSON, HOME ECONOMICS DEPT. AND GERDA MONTOMSEN, DEAN  
OF WOMEN STUDENTS, THEIR FINE EXAMPLE OF CHRISTIAN WOMEN CAREERS

Who would you like to thank if you could?

THE EARLY NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN LEADERS WHO STARTED THIS COLLEGE

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Address: 932<sup>First</sup> 136<sup>th</sup><sup>Maiden</sup> LANE N.E. HAM LAKE<sup>Last</sup>, MN. 55304

E-mail Address: JMWDONALD@GMAIL.COM

Spouse: LANA DONALD

Children: MARK<sup>First</sup>, KARL<sup>Maiden</sup> DONALD<sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.Th. (Master of Theology)

Present Interests/activities:  
READING, TRAVELING, BRITISH SPORTS CARS, FAMILY

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

great professors, excellent education

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

DR. ANNE PEDERSON, DR. GERALD THORSON, DR. CARL CHRISLOCK,  
DR. MARIO COLLACI, DR. PHILIP QUAMBECK

Who would you like to thank if you could?

All of the above + more

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Address: 711 <sup>First</sup> S. Fir <sup>Maiden</sup> Street <sup>Last</sup> Lamberton MN 56152

E-mail Address: erickmd@rrcnet.org

Spouse: Marlow Erickson

Children: Christine <sup>First</sup> Eric <sup>Maiden</sup> Thor <sup>Last</sup> Kari /Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 8 grandchildren 3 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:  
Resident Manager @ Valley View Apts.  
Buying & selling antiques for Main Street Peddler  
in Lamberton

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Cantorians  
Gerda Mortensen Hall

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Music + Business  
Mayo Sarold, Leland Sateren, Gertrude Lund  
Merton Strommen

Who would you like to thank if you could?

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Name: Lannell Farmer Phone: 218.829.7935  
First Maiden Last

Address: 17150 Newes Road, Brainerd, MN 56401

E-mail Address: mlf@charter.net

Spouse: Mary Lower Farmer 1963  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Thomas, Patricia, Michael

I ☒ have 1 grandchildren ☐ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MSW

Present Interests/activities:

Sailing, reading, yoga, gym workouts, limited part time work in a bookstore

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Band tour to Alaska summer of 1960, down life, saw some great basketball games, student life in general

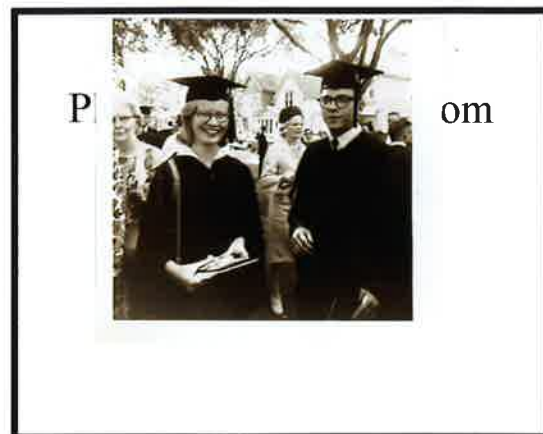
What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Sociology classes, particularly Dr. Joel Tonstenson. Also enjoyed Psychology courses. Dr. DeYoung comes to mind.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Probably Dr. Tonstenson first — many really dedicated faculty when I was there.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)





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E-mail Address: mllf@charter.net  
Spouse: Lannell Farmer 1963  
Children: Thomas Patricia Michael Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have 1 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MS

### Present Interests/activities:

Working for MN United for all Families on the "Vote No" campaign. Inclusivity + Justice issues  
in the church and state/local politics. Lakes Area Music Festival-board member. Absolutely

the best classical music festival around! Google it + come to Brainerd next August. Church, AAUW,  
arts organizations area Women's Shelter. Hanging out on Lannell's boat. Visiting kids in CA, CO + MN  
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

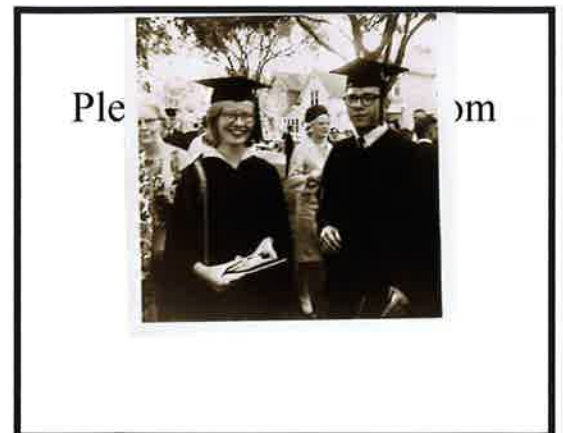
Alaska Band Tour - Math classes with the same students, sitting in  
alphabetical order. Now I treasure the classes taught by Paul Sonneck + Phil  
Quanbeck. Not too sure I realized that at the time. George Solberg! Math teacher. Good  
person who gave all for his students.

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Geo Solberg, Paul Sonneck, Phil Quanbeck, Art Nash

Who would you like to thank if you could? Charlie L + Hans S for math classes. Hans for hauling me  
to Augsburg every day. The 4 friends who continue to write letters (Diane Z, Diane L,  
Nancy K + Ellen M.) The above mentioned teachers.

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Spouse: CHEYL MILLER FRANZEN  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: SHANNON + MARK

I/we have \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:  
RETIRED - WORK AT GOLF COURSE

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
MANY FRIENDS

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
MR. HEMMINGSON - BUSINESS ADM MADE CONTACT WITH MY FIRST  
EMPLOYER AND I STAYED WITH THAT COMPANY FOR 40+ YEARS

Who would you like to thank if you could?

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First Maiden Last

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E-mail Address: bgildse1@d.umn.edu

Spouse: Bruce Gildseth 1962

Children: Karin Kristin Andrea Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
First Maiden Last

I ☒ have 5 grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA Ed. Psych U of MN

Present Interests/activities: MA Counseling U of MN Duluth

Music, Grandchildren, Books, Church, Walks, Cabin,  
Contemplative Outreach, Garden, Photography

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Alaska Bond Tour, Edda House - Friends, Student  
Development Council, Dr. Quenbeck's way with words, look to This  
Day Performance.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Philip Quenbeck, Mayo Savold, Martha Mattson, Kenneth  
de Young. I look back and am so grateful for the  
spirit and character of the faculty, and  
for the chance to have been there.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

After looking again at the  
'60 to '63 Augsburgians, I  
was surprised that there  
were really so few of us,  
and we were so young!





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Name: Donald Gjesfjeld Phone: 715-834-4308

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E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: Kathleen (Matter) Gjesfjeld 1967

Children: Kimberly, Christopher, Erik Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.S.W. - Washington U.

Present Interests/activities:  
Golf, Gardening, Volunteering,  
Vikings football, Visiting Children and  
grandchildren, Traveling

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Roommates, Discovering a love of sociology,  
Male chorus, Basketball team

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Social Psychology and Dr. Torstenson, Terrence  
Freitham, Marilyn Belgum

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Christopher Gjesfjeld also  
graduated from Augsburg  
and is a Social Work  
Professor at Illinois State  
in Bloomington-Normal

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College days!

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Name: Joyce Gustafson Hauge  
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E-mail Address: joyce.hauge@gmail.com Phone: 320-634-3623  
Spouse: Earl Hauge  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: None  
I/we have \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Masters Elem. Ed.

### Present Interests/activities:

I work with Augsburg Associates, an organization that raises money for Auggie student scholarships; sing in church choir; community & church activities; travel; politics; reading; piano lessons

### What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Augsburg was a friendly home with caring faculty and staff and friendly students; the fun of dormitory life; working at the dorm switchboard; playing in the Auggie Band; the Alaskan Band Tour; the lifelong friends I met at Augsburg.

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Margo Savold who made band/music a fun and enriching experience.  
Martha Mattson who helped prepare me for my career as a teacher.  
The many professors who helped prepare me for life.

### Who would you like to thank if you could?

Professors, staff, Classmates and all who made college a rich experience.

### Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your

Earl & I have adopted (unofficially) 3 Sudanese refugees as our children. 2 of them are now American citizens and live in Colorado. They both have graduated from the U of CO and have BS and MS degrees. Our son in Africa graduated from college and now works resettling refugees back in South Sudan.





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E-mail Address: mphaus@verizon.net

Spouse: George Haus  
First Maiden Last  
Children: Naomi Haus-Roth; Nikolaus Bates-Haus; Stephanie Schorge Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have 16 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.B.A., U. of Massachusetts

### Present Interests/activities:

Writing - currently finishing a memoir. Running. Kayaking.  
X-country skiing. Dinner parties with friends. Serve on several  
boards. traveling on vacations and to visit our children/grandchildren

### What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Band trip to Alaska, summer of 1960  
SPAN trip to Italy, summer of 1961  
Roomates at Gerda Mortensen Hall and Edda House (Edda 3)

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr. Paul Sonnack and anything he taught.  
Dr. Carl Christock and his love of history.  
Dr. Gerald Morsen and his enthusiasm for English.

### Who would you like to thank if you could?

Dr. Sonnack, which I had a chance to do a few years after I graduated.

### Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

When our youngest child went to kindergarten,  
I went back to school for an M.B.A. and  
launched a twenty-seven year career in  
the paper industry before retiring a  
few years ago. We (my husband and  
I) love living in the Berkshire Hills  
of western Massachusetts.





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Spouse: DEAN LARSON 1962  
First Maiden Last  
Children: KARL - wife GRETA ; HEIDI  
Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:

TRAVEL, VOLUNTEERING

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

CHALLENGING CLASSES - CHOIR REHEARSALS, CONCERTS, & CHOIR TOURS  
HELPFUL & CONCERNED FACULTY - WONDERFUL CONTACTS & FRIENDSHIPS

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

RELIGION & MUSIC CLASSES -

Who would you like to thank if you could?

LELAND SATERN

Additional Information (Please type anything else that you think would



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Spouse: Daniel LeMon - we are divorced  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: (step) James, Heidi, & Holly

1 we have 2 step grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees BSN mostly nrs g. homes + home health  
AA in Community Recreation -

Present Interests/activities:

making my own greeting cards, active member of my small  
pentacostal church, enjoying participating in my senior  
high rises' activities, writing, photography, volunteering in an  
Assisted Living Facility

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

being able to be a roommate of LeVonne (Olson) Batalden + hanging  
around with her + her Wisconsin friends

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

the nurse in Gerda Mortenson Hall

Who would you like to thank if you could?

instructors - Mrs. LeVonne Peterson, Mr. DeYoung

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

I transferred to the U of M + grad-  
uated in '65 with a BSN - bachelor of Sci-  
ence in Nursing. I returned to Anoka Ram-  
sey JC + finished an AA program in Com-  
munity Recreation in '71 after working as  
an RN. I worked in both fields until I re-  
tired in '03. I worked in other fields also p.t. - sales + waitressing



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55421  
E-mail Address: Mattisonpk@comcast.net  
Spouse: Phillip MATTISON ' 62  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: 2  
I/we have 4 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities: Retired from out of state back to MN  
to be close to family. Involved in volunteer work  
at church. I enjoy meeting individuals who come  
to the U.S. from other countries.  
What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I was an off campus student. But I met several  
life long friends who I've kept in touch with  
occasionally.  
What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr's Agre, Alton, and Holam. Arthur Nash, Erwin Mickelberg,  
and Erling Urdahl. Philip Quaabeck, Paul Sonnack, William  
Halverson and Terence Fretherm.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Glen Johnson for teaching a math class to some of us struggling  
to fulfill a math requirement. Pres. Harbo for signing my diploma.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)





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Name: Carol Anderson McCuen Phone: 715-386-5662

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E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: Gary - deceased

Children: Mindy Marnie Class Year (if attended Augsburg) \_\_\_\_\_

I/we have 1 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:

Church choir, community choir, reading, walking  
my dog Birgit, cat Nils, and enjoying my 37<sup>th</sup>  
year on Lake Mallalieu.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I loved my math + Spanish classes.  
I'm enjoying a lifetime friendship with  
my <sup>college</sup> roommate Linda Johnson Merriam.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Mr. Stenstrom, Dr. Saberg, Senora Kingsley

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

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E-mail Address: rmerriam@hotmail.com  
Spouse: Robert Merriam - deceased  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: Joseph Merriam  
I/we have \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:

Travel, Gardening, Reading

I enjoy being retired, but I enjoy teaching also.  
I am still working as a substitute teacher.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Einer Johnson who was one of the people  
who encouraged me to become a teacher.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

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Name: PAUL MONSON Phone: 763-757-1894

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Spouse: KRISTIN MONSON

Children: PETER JOSHUA RACHEL MICHAEL REBECCA

I/we have 8 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MD

Present Interests/activities:  
WOODWORKING (DINING TABLES TO BOXES), PHOTOGRAPHY,  
BIKING, BIRD HUNTING & WATCHING, WEEKLY "OLD" DRS  
MEETINGS

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
CHEM LAB

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student? DR AGRE

Who would you like to thank if you could? DR GISELCHRIST

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

THE YEAR IN VIETNAM, AS A DOCTOR,  
CHANGED ME AND NOT ALL FOR THE BETTER.  
THE 20 YEARS IN FLORIDA MANAGING  
HMOs AND THE BUSINESS OF HEALTH CARE  
WAS MORE CHALLENGING THAN MEDICINE.





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Name: Karen Triden Mortenson  
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E-mail Address: jkmortenson@centurytel.net Phone: 715-865-2708  
Spouse: Jerry Mortenson 1962  
Children: Pam and Jill  
I/we have 4 grandchildren          great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Media Generalist

Present Interests/activities:  
Traveling, scrapbooking, geneology, reading,  
boating and spending as much time as possible  
here at the lake with our extended family

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Living in Edda House; The "friendly" teasing from  
the hockey players because I was dating Jerry;  
working in the Augsburg Library

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Miss Martha Mattson and fellow students in all of our  
elementary education classes; Pat Parker who  
taught the library classes

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
Pat Parker for so much individual  
attention

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to y  
In 2000, after retiring from being  
a Media Specialist, mainly in  
Minneapolis, we moved permanently  
to our new home on Lac Courte Oreilles.  
If you are ever in the Hayward  
area give us a call - 715-865-2708.  
You might have to leave a message  
because we spend a lot of time outdoors.



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Spouse: ELAINE SAUSTAD NELSON 1962-1963 NURSING STUDENT  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: JENNIFER NELSON BUCHHOLZ, RENEE NELSON 1989-1991  
I/we have 2 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MD

Present Interests/activities:

GARDENING

TRAVEL

MEDICAL ETHICS (ETHICS COMMITTEE-CHILDRENS HOSPITALS + CLINICS)  
OF MINNESOTA

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

LIVING IN DORM NEXT TO ROOM WHERE BRADLEY  
NOLT + STEVE GABRIELSON WERE AND ENJOYING CONVERSATIONS  
IN LATE NIGHT HOURS.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

DR. PHILIP QUANBECK

DR. JOHN HOLM

DR. C. AGRE

Who would you like to thank if you could?

DR. JOHN HOLM

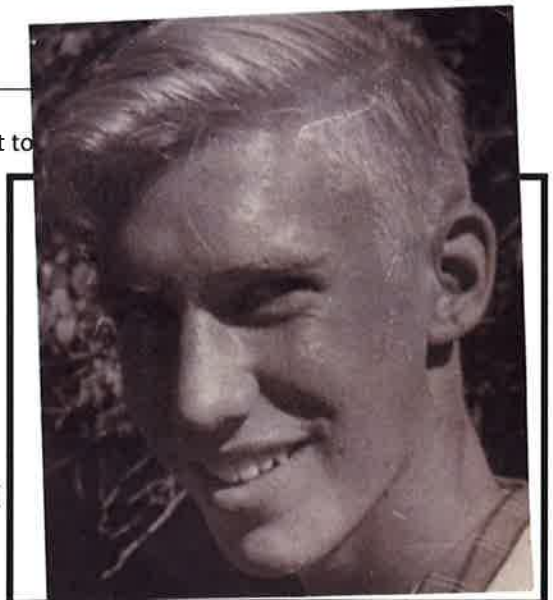
Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to)

PHYSICIAN-AT MISSION HOSPITAL (CHIAI)  
CHRISTIAN HOSPITAL-TAIWAN) 1968-1971,  
1975-1979.

NEONATOLOGIST

- HENNEPIN COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER-1979-1981

- CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL-MINNEAPOLIS -1981-2007





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Spouse: Betty Kofstad Pankuch  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: 3: Sarah, Rebecca, Stephen

I/we have 8 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MDiv, Northwestern Lutheran Theo. Seminary

Present Interests/activities:

International and domestic travel, photography and videography, attendance at numerous plays with my wife, especially at the Guthrie Theater

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Challenge of adjusting to pace of academic world, and meeting term papers and other requirements. Friendliness of faculty, peers and upper classmen. Treasured memories include regular attendance at chapel, time when "circle games" were allowed on campus.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Religion classes, Dr. Philip Quanbeck, L.B. Sateren, Mario Colacci

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Ailene Cole

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your class)

Served for 32 years (8 years as an enlisted man) in the U.S. Army Reserve and Minnesota Army National Guard. Attended the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, KS in 1979 and retired as a Chaplain (LTC) in 1989. Completed a year-long Clinical Pastoral Education residency at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in 1992 after serving as a parish pastor for 19 years. Accepted a position as a Staff Chaplain at Mayo Medical Center in Rochester, MN in 1992 and retired in 2005. Taught English as a second language at my home congregation, Grace Lutheran Church, Apple Valley, for two years. Visited Alaska with Betty in 2013 and thus completed tours in all 50 states during 50 years of marriage.

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Spouse: MILLIE ST. AMANT PAULSON

Children: CHRISTOPHER <sup>First</sup> ! MARNIA <sup>Maiden</sup> <sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren          great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA - U of MN

Present Interests/activities: GOLF, FLY FISHING, SINGING

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg? A very

helpful FACULTY, Great campus ATMOSPHERE, FOOTBALL  
games at PARADE STADIUM & BB games on campus.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student? Ms. LUND, ADVISOR,

PAUL SONNADI, REL., Erling URDahl, Bio,

Who would you like to thank if you could? Ms Lund

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Heart attack in 1991  
Transplant in 2011, may - doing  
great!!

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Spouse: Erna Barstad Peterson U of M '62  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: Neal Peterson, Esq. & Naomi Tetzlaff, MD  
I/we have 5 grandchildren — 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Masters in Education

### Present Interests/activities:

After retirement from 35 yrs. of teaching, I founded and  
continue to operate a small business: Garden Street  
Landscape, LLC in Duluth. Both my wife and myself are very  
active at First Lutheran Church, Duluth and Duluth Sister Cities  
Some of the most treasured memories are the friendships  
that made with my classmates and especially roommates  
International!

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

I majored in Speech/Drama and Music Education; and  
the faculty that influenced me the most were Leland Sateren  
and Eileen Cole.

### Who would you like to thank if you could?

I owe a debt of gratitude to the faculty named above and  
I thank them for enriching my life.

### Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

My wife and I celebrated our 50th  
wedding anniversary on Aug. 10, 2013.  
We've had a wonderful life together  
sharing interests in our faith, music,  
drama, gardening, <sup>traveling</sup> and raising  
two great children.





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Spouse: Ed Potratz  
First Maiden Last

Children: Julie, Gregg, Karlene Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 6 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees       

Present Interests/activities:

Two book clubs - Library Team at church  
Traveling - Spending time with the family

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Student Teaching at Longfellow School in mpls.  
Religion class with Dr. Quanbeck

Working at the grill in Mortenson Hall - Fun times in Edda House

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Miss Mattson  
Dr. Quanbeck

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Miss Mattson - Elementary Ed.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Ed and I have lived at  
3117 Boone for 33 years.

We have traveled a lot during  
our marriage -

All 48 states Two cruises

Europe Caribbean

Israel Panama Canal





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Spouse: BEVERLY JOHNSON PROCTOR  
First Maiden Last  
Children: DAVID - DUANE - JONATHAN - JAMES - BRIAN  
Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have 7 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MASTER OF DIVINITY

Present Interests/activities:  
TRAVELING TO SEE MY GRANDCHILDREN  
SUPPLY PREACHING  
HELPING HURTING PEOPLE

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
DEVOTED ATMOSPHERE IN WHICH LEARNING TOOK PLACE  
PERSONAL FRIENDSHIPS - DAILY CHAPEL SERVICES

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
SOCIOLOGY AND RELIGION CLASSES

Who would you like to thank if you could? DR. PHILIP

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you would like to share)

DAVID PROCTOR  
(MICHIGAN)

JOSHUA MEENA  
(TANZANIA)



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Spouse: BRENDA FOWLER RASMUSSEN

Children: KIRSTEN<sup>First</sup> & ERIK<sup>Maiden</sup> Last  Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 3 grandchildren  great grandchildren. Additional Degrees

Present interests/activities:  
Physical fitness, applied mathematics problems,  
condominium unit owners association issues, philosophical  
issues, current events, politics.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Outings to Bridgeman's for ice cream or to the underground  
pizza parlor with live jazz music in Dinkytown near the  
U of M. Deep philosophical discussions. Homework in library.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Psychology classes with Mr. DeYoung and Dr. Hintz. Philosophy class  
with Dr. Halverson. Statistics and economics classes with  
Mr. Hemmingson. Chemistry, math, physics and religion classes.

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
Teachers of the classes named above, including Dr. Agte and Dr. Holm.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

In recent years, I took several calculus  
classes and a physics class, going  
beyond what I took at Augsburg.  
You can see some of my present  
interests if you Google  
mstc uoa

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E-mail Address: RAYMOND@NORTHERNSUN.ORG  
Spouse: LINNEA Raymond  
First Maiden Last  
Children: TRACY HUNT, SUZY MEITZ, BRAD RAYMOND - STEP DERIK ZIMMEL, BRITT ZIMMEL  
Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
I/we have 15 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MS PHYSICAL EDUCATION  
Present Interests/activities: ATHLETICS, GOLF, WATCHING GRANDCHILDREN PERFORM -  
COMPLETE

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

THE CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS ESTABLISHED WITH TEAMMATES AND FRIENDS -  
THE WILLINGNESS OF EVERYONE TO PITCH IN AND SUPPORT AUGSBURG

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

ERNE ANDERSON - EDOR NELSON (ATHLETICS)  
GEORGE SOLBRAG (MATH PROFESSOR)

Who would you like to thank if you could?

JEROY CARLSON

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

BEGINNING 50<sup>TH</sup> YEAR IN ATHLETICS  
33 AS A COACH  
7 AS A COLLEGE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR  
10 AS A CONFERENCE COMMISSIONER

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Name: Nancy Joubert Raymond Phone: 218-326-1113

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E-mail Address: nmraymond@juno.com

Spouse: N/A 1963

Children: Tracy Suzanne Bradley

I/we have 9 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MS in Adult Edu/Counseling  
Lis. in Elementary School Counseling

Present Interests/activities:

I live in a small condo on a fishing lake near Grand Rapids. I love taking my kayak out at sunset. I also have enjoyed my book clubs, AAUW, PEO, and my involvement in my church. Every summer for the last 15 years I have taken grandkids to camp with me. Since retirement I have traveled every year with the St. Olaf Adult Study group. This year was Norway and next year it's Australia and New Zealand. I also had a fun but hard working winter when I volunteered at Holden Village near Chelan, WA.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I lived at home during my college years and put myself through college (couldn't do that now!) working 16 hours a week. I brought my bag lunch every day and bought the bag home for the next day. As a cheerleader for three years I was able to be a part of school activities. I was also a member of the first graduating class of elementary school teachers and helped organize our student group. Those were such busy years, but also a lot of fun. Chapel every day was so meaningful.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr. Phil Quanbeck stands out for me. I took several classes from him and studied as much for his classes as for my major. I grew in my faith through those classes. From Mrs. Christiansen, my freshman English teacher, I learned about Camp Sharpshoon. I worked out there two years and lived my faith as I worked with teens from troubled areas of New York City. Miss Pederson was a jewel as a teacher. There is no way I could have understand Western Literature without her guidance.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Miss Mattson when she said we teach from who we are.  
I understand that statement now after my years in education/counseling.  
Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest)

When I entered Augsburg I planned to major in Social Work. I switched to education my junior year. I ended my career in my most satisfying job that of an elementary school counselor. I actually combined the two fields eventually. That field didn't even exist when I was at Augsburg. I have established a scholarship for a woman in education as part of my estate. I hope it helps someone else with their hopes and dreams.

Presentation in 1963



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E-mail Address: jlryski@comcast.net Phone: 952-443-2997  
Spouse: Linda  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: Randy, Mike, Lynn, Scott (dec.)  
I/we have 6 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees       

### Present Interests/activities:

Weight training, fishing, spending time on Maui, enjoying  
our family, volunteering (Feed My Starving Children, Meals on Wheels)  
currently president of Trustees at my church

### What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

The "Syndicate", foot ball, base ball, intra mural basketball. The  
day a classmate (name withheld) drove a DC 9 cat onto  
Greta Mortenson's flower bed. The fun + life long friendships

### What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr Chrislock (sp?), Edor Nelson,  
Ernie Anderson

### Who would you like to thank if you could?

My wife, Linda, for helping me through college!

### Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

I may not be able to attend the reunion  
because I'm having open heart surgery on  
August 28, 2013. A big surprise - I thought  
I only needed a new hip! Patch, patch, patch  
"at our ages".  
Best wishes to all my classmates!

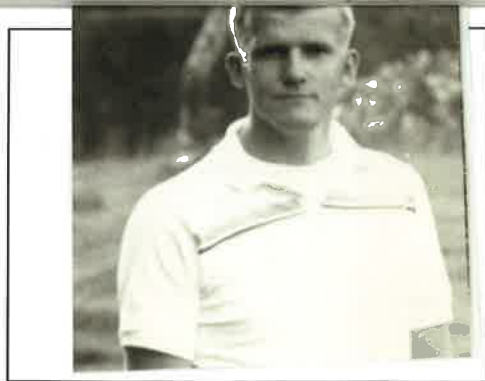
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Name: David Sandgren Phone: 612-254-5439

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E-mail Address: Sandgren@cord.edu

Spouse: Ann Sandgren

Children: Gina, Peter, Emily <sup>Class Year (if attended Augsburg)</sup>

I/we have 6 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA + Ph.D (each)

Present Interests/activities:

I enjoy reading, biking, gardening and cross-country skiing.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

My four years at Augsburg was a very maturing and intellectually awakening period in my life

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

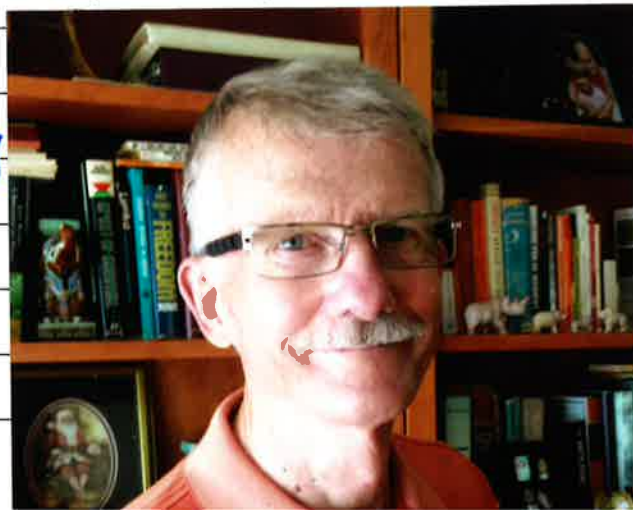
Carl Chrislock and Don Gustafson mentored me in History. Through them I came to understand how knowledge is generated and critiqued

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Many Professors opened up the world to me, but I would like to especially like to thank Philip Quambeck and Don Gustafson for doing so.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Ann and I have just retired from long careers in the Fargo/Moorhead area and have moved back to the Twin Cities where we both were raised.





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E-mail Address: blsch@comcast.net  
Spouse: Byron Schmid 1960  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
Children: Allison and Paul  
I/we have 3 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

The many friendships

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Gerda Mortenson

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to you)

Due to a neurological condition  
that makes walking  
impossible, I now am a  
resident at the Benedictine  
Health Center in New Brighton, MN.

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E-mail Address: AGONIC@ATHENET.NET

Spouse: SANDY STARKEY

Children: GLENN Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 1 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees PhD - CHEMISTRY

Present Interests/activities: PHOTOGRAPHY, CANOEING, GOLF, &  
VISITING OUR SON & FAMILY IN CA.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
ORGANIC CHEMISTRY & DR JOHN HOLUM

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Who would be of interest to you?



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Name: Patricia Louise Stinson Phone: 763-788-3042  
First Maiden Last

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E-mail Address: pstinson23@comcast.net

Spouse: None  
First Maiden Last

Children: None

I/we have None grandchildren None great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MED University of MN

Present Interests/activities: Writing historical fiction, Christian  
short stories, and memoir of my 2 years in  
New Guinea as a lay missionary.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

The small class size for elementary education and  
making friends.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Basic Bible - Dr Tollefson

Dr. Mattson - Elementary Education

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Dr. Mattson, Dr. Tollefson, parents.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Website is [psread.com](http://psread.com)





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Spouse: MILLIE ST. AMANT PAULSON

Children: CHRISTOPHER <sup>First</sup> ! MARNIA <sup>Maiden</sup> <sup>Last</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 4 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees MA - U of MN

Present Interests/activities: GOLF, FLY FISHING, SINGING

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

A very helpful FACULTY, Great campus ATMOSPHERE, FOOTBALL games at PARADE STADIUM & BB games on campus.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Ms. LUND, Advisor, PAUL Sonnade, Rel., Erling URDahl, Bio,

Who would you like to thank if you could? Ms Lund

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

Heart attack in 1991  
Transplant in 2011, may - doing great!!

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E-mail Address: dkenao@gmail.com  
Spouse: NAOMI BRODERIUS CARL  
Children: AMY, JULIE, JON  
I/we have 7 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees 0



### Present Interests/activities:

PART TIME WORK - SELLING WINE & CHEESE  
PREACH OCCASIONALLY  
GOLF & PICKLEBALL — CARVING & STAINED GLASS  
TRAVELING WITH NAOMI - ENJOYING FAMILY

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

THE WHOLE STUDENT LIFE EXPERIENCE PREPARED  
ME FOR MY FUTURE LIFE AND CAREER.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

DR. TORSTENSON - SOCIOLOGY (MAJOR FIELD)  
DR. HALVORSON - PHILOSOPHY (MINOR FIELD)  
DR. COLACCI - GREEK STUDIES

Who would you like to thank if you could?

DR. BERNHARD C

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to)



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First Maiden Last

Address: 1628 230<sup>th</sup> Ave Luck, WI 54853

E-mail Address: amarndt@lakeand.us

Spouse: Mary Jo Handeland Arndt  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Marcus Arndt Connie Clausen

I/we have 7 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees BD Luther Seminary St Paul, MN

Present Interests/activities: Part time chaplain at St. Croix Falls Good Samaritan Center

I enjoy working with the local Habitat For Humanity - Brush with Kindness  
program one day per week.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
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What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
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Who would you like to thank if you could?  
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Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)  
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 E-mail Address: sjstrom@gmail.com sjstrom71@gmail.com  
 Spouse: William (Bill) Strom 1964  
First Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)  
 Children: Carmen Peter  
 I/we have 2 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees       

Present Interests/activities: Harp, Piano Playing in Retirement homes (Vets, Assisted  
Living etc.) churches, book club, golf

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
establishing great friendships

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Augsburg in general - great people - opening my mind/thoughts - liberal Arts!!

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Paul Stromberg 480-585-7398 \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 24201 North 85<sup>th</sup> Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85255 \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: pstromberg@cox.net \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ Linda Olson Stromberg \_\_\_\_\_

Children: Kimberle Larson (Scott), Canyon Lake, CA Blake (Becky) Stromberg, Kirkland, WA \_\_\_\_\_

We have 2 grandsons Erik Larson (senior-UCLA) and Sean Larson (freshman- Point Loma Nazarene) \_\_\_\_\_

### Present Interests/activities:

Currently working full time as a fund raiser for The Salvation Army. Reading, singing in the Scottsdale Bible Church choir, walking three miles a day, golfing now and then, attending concerts, live theatre, and an occasional sporting event provide much of our entertainment. We travel as often as we can. We enjoy hearing the Centennial Singers whenever they are in Arizona.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

A lot of part time jobs including one on campus. Reconnecting with some high school friends that I had not seen for several years. Sophomore speech class defending candidate JFK and exposing Walter Mitty. Dozing in Dr. Kleven's first hour U.S. History class. Commuting to the campus with Bonnie Lassila. All treasured memories.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

\_\_\_\_\_ Math, math and more math! \_\_\_\_\_

Who would you like to thank if you could?

Mimi Kingsley. She encouraged me to attend Augsburg. \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest.) \_\_\_\_\_

Through the years, I have been involved in insurance administration and marketing; computer manufacturing; computer marketing; 20 years in computer sales; electronics start up sales and trust company/estate planning. For the past thirteen years, I have raised funds for The Salvation Army - about \$25 million. Linda Olson (not from Augsburg) and I will celebrate our 52<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary in November. We lived in Northern California for 20 years and now live in Scottsdale, Arizona the last 20 years. We have been fortunate to be able to travel to many European and Middle East countries.



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Address: 301 <sup>First</sup> CLIFTON <sup>Maiden</sup> Ave. # 46 <sup>Last</sup>, Mpls. Mn. 55403

E-mail Address: BTUFFORD + TUFFORD - Hughes. Com

Spouse: MARIE TUFFORD

Children: We are a blended family & it is too complicated to <sup>First</sup> write down <sup>Maiden</sup> Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees LLB U. of Minn

Present Interests/activities: I still work (not too hard) - work out each day - 1966

play golf, Read, go to concerts, sporting events,  
theater - etc. - Travel a little - spend time with family

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Learning to be away from home for the 1st time - pick  
up basketball at the gym - part time jobs - friends in the  
dorm - cramming at the end of the semester to make up for  
lack of studying & poor attendance during the semester

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
I have to say that I was not much of a student -  
I had a lot of distractions & my interests were  
mostly outside of the classroom - So, I owe an  
apology to all of the great AFAC My we had  
the dedicated staff & faculty at Augsburg -

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Spouse: N/A  
Children: N/A Maiden Last Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have ☒ grandchildren ☐ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees Certificate  
Life Underwriter Training  
Council Fellowship (Insurance)

Present Interests/activities:

I am presently self-employed (part time) as an insurance agent  
I primarily handle life insurance, annuities, medical and dental  
insurance. I have been in the insurance business close to  
30 years.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

As a student I remember the good friends that I made. I still keep  
in contact with several of them. I treasure the small campus at the  
time and easy it was to get to know class members and the professors.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

The classes that influenced me the most was Art in Daily Living because  
we learned how each artist has their own style and paints in the time  
they live. I enjoy going to art museums. Another class was nutrition  
learning about food groups, what was a balanced diet and the need for  
exercise.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

I would like to thank Cole for teaching us how to prepare and deliver an  
interesting speech.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

At the present time I am very interested in  
technology. I didn't start learning about  
it until 2 years ago. I have a computer  
IPad and iPhone.  
Another interest of mine is supporting  
homeless pets. I contribute to North Shore  
Animal League and the Best Friends  
Animal Society. They are both no-kill shelters  
I would like to volunteer at the Best Friends  
Animal Society in Kanab, Utah if possible.

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John & Jean Wanner

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First

Maiden

Last

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Spouse: Jean Nosker Wanner

First

Maiden

Last

Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

Children: Mark (deceased) Jason

I/we have 3 grandchildren        great grandchildren. Additional Degrees AM Social Service Administration

Present Interests/activities: We live half of the year on the shores of Lake Michigan and the other half near the Chesapeake Bay in Maryland two blocks from son Jason and family. While in Maryland I am very active with our grandchildren. "Grandpa" transports and attends a lot of hockey, LaCross swimming and school events. Being a part of their young lives is very rewarding. I am an admitted news junkie. I also enjoy hiking, bicycling, swimming and reading.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
Augsburg was a liberating experience for me, coming from a rural area to the "Big" city. The exposure to new ideas challenged me to broaden my perspective in several areas, including religion and politics. The exposure to psychology and sociology led to a career in mental health human services.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student? Dr. Peter Armacose taught Introduction to Psychology which sparked a life long interest and career. Dr. Joel Torstenson was my HERO and fifty years later I still believe he was right on track in his assessment of our social problems. Dr. Paul Sonnack broadened my entire religious perspective. He exposed me to several religious thinkers whose works have remained important to me. Dr. Halverson started me on the path to more critical

Who would you like to thank if you could? Thinking. I would like to thank all those early Norwegian Lutherans whose commitment and sacrifices resulted in Augsburg College.

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Spouse: Robert

Children: Jayson, Meredith Class Year (if attended Augsburg)

I/we have 2 grandchildren great grandchildren. Additional Degrees M.A. Concordia College

Present Interests/activities: quitting golf, gardening  
some traveling River Forest, IL Curriculum & Instruction

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

I remember living in Kappa House as a  
junior transfer student. Galed enjoyed living  
in the girls' dorm my senior year. I appreci-  
ated the block courses that made it easier  
for us to student teach.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Dr. Einar Erickson, Mimi Baez, Dr. Thorsen  
Dr. Zwanbeck, Mrs. Pat Parker

Who would you like to thank if you could?

All of my professors, the friendly students & God  
for leading me to Augsburg College.

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmate)

I am still teaching a  
6 hr. ESL High Beginning  
class at ~~CCC~~ Elgin, IL.  
Elgin Community College

YVONNE M.  
PETROSKEY  
Virginia, Minnesota  
English Education





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Spouse: Richard Humphrey and Russell Zenk - both deceased

Children: Eric Humphrey, Stephanie Anderson

☒ We have 5 grandchildren          great grandchildren. Additional Degrees         

Present Interests/activities: I am involved with my business in Grand Marais, the Lake Superior Trading Post. Church and family are very important to me.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?  
I enjoyed being in Mpls., meeting new friends, singing in choir.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?  
Choir, elementary ed, religion and science  
The elementary ed program was just beginning and it was great being a part of it.

Who would you like to thank if you could?  
        

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your class)  
          
          
          
          
          
          
          
          
          
        



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Name: Diane Petrik Ziemann Phone: 952-233-4160  
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E-mail Address: Kad.Ziemann@mchsi.com  
Spouse: Kenneth Charles Ziemann 1964  
Children: Karri Diane and Mark Kenneth  
I/we have 4 grandchildren 0 great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

### Present Interests/activities:

After serving 25 plus years on the Prior Lake - Savage school  
board, I continue to keep active in the community, right now a  
good share of my time is spent on the call committee of our local  
church, as we interview candidates for senior pastor.

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Augsburg was exactly the right place for me after  
graduating from Washburn High School. I think the college  
atmosphere was a good blend of academics, activities, core Lutheran  
values and our Scandinavian heritage.

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Even though we're now in a super high tech world, I'm still a fan  
of the diverse sampling of classes in music appreciation, art  
history, speech and religion all help make a fuller life.

Who would you like to thank if you could?

I'd like to thank the best P.R. Guy Augsburg ever had: Mark Johnson

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

While this 50<sup>th</sup> year reunion is  
special, next year is really the Big  
one for us, Ken & me - It's our  
50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary!

Please attach photo from  
College days!

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Name: Carol Erickson (Nelson) Zwernik Phone: 952-938-5820  
First Maiden Last

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E-mail Address: cazwernik@gmail.com

Spouse: Don Zwernik  
First Maiden Last

Children: Cris + Kyle Class Year (if attended Augsburg) NO

I/we have 6 grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ great grandchildren. Additional Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

Present Interests/activities:  
Church activities, choir, educational organizations, lake/water activities,  
writing family stories

What do you remember from your time as a student? What are your treasured memories of Augsburg?

Band, choir, chapels, roommates, Auggie sports

What classes or faculty or staff influenced you most as a student?

Martha Mattson, Leland Soterren, Mayo Savold

Who would you like to thank if you could?

friends

Additional Information: (Please include anything else that you think would be of interest to your classmates)

My parents and Augsburg thoroughly prepared  
me for a rich career as an educator  
and children's choir director.

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