



Waggener High School



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961 — 3rd. Edition

This is one of many sections that contain information, photos, newspaper articles, internet items, etc. of the St. Matthews area and especially of Waggener High School. Many of the items came from Al Ring's personal collections but many people have helped and I have tried to give credit where I can.

The purpose of this "collection" was to create the history of Waggener and the students and teachers who were there during my time. Being retired I now have time to do many of the things I have always wanted, this project is just one of them. The collection is continuing today, so if you should have old or new information on the St. Matthews area from 1950 to 1962 or Waggener High, please contact Al Ring.

All graphics have been improved to make the resolution as good as possible, but the reader should remember that many came from copies of old newspaper articles and photos. Credit to the source of the photos, etc. is provided whenever it was available. We realize that many items are not identified and regret that we weren't able to provide this information. As far as the newspaper articles that are not identified, 99% of them would have to be from one of three possible sources. *The Courier-Journal*, *The Louisville Times* or one of the *Voice* publications. Books that we have used for some information include, *Randy*, *Cactus*, *Uncle, Ed and the Golden age of Louisville Television*, *Waggener High School Alumni Directory 1996*, *Waggener Traditional High School Alumni Directory 2007*, *Memories of Fontaine Ferry Park*, *St. Matthews The Crossroads of Beargrass* by Samuel W. Thomas, *St. Matthews, 25 Years a City Two Centuries a Community*, *St. Matthews 1960-1995*, *Waggener Lair's 1958 to 1962*, *The Holy Warrior*, *Muhammad Ali*.

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Explanation of the following pages, (Please Read)

This section is divided into two sections. One is a list of alumni of the class of 1961 and the other provides individual information on deceased alumni of this class.

In the list of alumni we have listed them first as they were in school and secondly, as they are today.

In the second deceased alumni section, the female alumna are listed in alphabetical order based on their last names at the time of their death, their maiden name is capitalized.

In the individual information section we have included everything we have on the deceased to date. If the name and information is in **BLUE** the person is deceased. We only mark those if we are sure of their death. Many of the names in red may have passed on, but we have not found anyone to verify the death.

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If you are sure of the death of some of these people noted in red, we would appreciate you contacting me and letting me know. Also if you have any information of both the living (with permission) or those who have passed, I would be appreciate that as well.

You can contact me (Al Ring) at ringal@comcast.net

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

1961 Alumni:

Aboud, John (Hunna)	John & Jeanette Aboud		
Adams, Anna Ruth (Ann)	Lynward & Anna Adams Ayscue		
Allen, David Leslie	Michele & David Allen		
Asher, Jane Sherrill	Steve Jane Asher Coomer		
Attix, Willa Jane (Willie)	George & Willa Attix Imorde		
Axton, Woodford Edwin, Jr. (Woody)	Woody & Sue Axton		
Bailey, Lee Worth (Bettle)	Lee Bailey & Anne Brinton		
Baldwin, George Rose	Rose Baldwin Osoteo		
Baldwin, William Reeve (Bill)	Bill & Lyn Baldwin		
Barkla, Lillian Hays (Lilly)	Lilly Barkla Grubbs		
Barr, Beverly Diane (Bev)	"Bud" & Beverly Barr Ackerman		
Beck, Daryl Walter	Daryl & Susan Beck		
Bedwell, Richard Allen (Dick)	Dick & Sharon Bedwell		
Beierle, Don Lee	Don & Shirley Beierle		
Bennett, David S. (Dave)			
Bertoli, Bonnie C.	John & Bonnie Bertoli Gaines		
Bestebreurtje, Hendrickje Maud (Driek)	Michael & Driek Bestebreurtje Zirinsky		
Bickel, Nancy Gail	Vincent & Nancy Bickel Pearson		
Biggs, Patricia Beatrice (Patty)	Robert & "Patty" Biggs Strawbridge		
Blakeslee, Marcella Jean (Markie)	Marcella Blakeslee May		
Bledsoe, Sharon Louise	Sharon Bledsoe		
Bloch, Julia Ingram (Li)	Julia I. "Linda" Bloch		
Bloch, Margaret Wardall	Wardall Bloch Brown		
Blunk, John Ross	John & Diana Blunk		
Boiarsky, Kenneth Robert (Ken)	Kenneth R. Boiarsky		
Boles, Virginia Lee (Ginger)	"Ginger" Boles		
Bond, Sherry Gayle (Cricket)	Jim & Sherry Bond Vitatoe		
Borie, Bonnie Wood	Francis & Bonnie Borie Tasi		
Borsch, Linda Sue	Paul & Linda Borsch Neeley		
Bowden, William Austin (Bill)	William "Bill" Bowden		
Brackett, Martha Jean	"Bobby" & Martha Brackett Britton		
Bridges, Sandra Hulsey (Sandy)	Sandra Bridges & Corrado Gurgo		
Broadhurst, Jeanine	Jeanine Broadhurst Springer		
Brooks, Anne Tyler	Anne T. Brooks Stallings	6/18/1943 -2/8/1989	AI
Brooks, Judy K.	Judy Brooks Yancy		
Brown, Douglas Harper		11/28/1942—5/4/1981	
Bunyan, Roberta Susan (Bert)	Roberta Bunyan		
Burckle, Barbara Lynn	Mike & Barbara Burckle Wood		
Burrice, Robert Nickell (Nick)	"Nick" & Ann Burrice		
Buschemeyer, Mary Gwenn	Mary Gwenn Buschemeyer Knight		
Bush, John Richard	John & Jane Bush		
Campbell, Helen Brewer (Cam)	James H. & Helen Campbell Akridge		
Carby, Sharran Lynn	Sharran Carby Summer		
Carter, Karen Christine	Carl & Karen Carter Bohro		
Case, John Richardson	John & Pat Case		
Casey, Betty Ruth	Tom & Betty Casey Longwell		
Cates, Shelia Darlene	Sheila Cates Wathen		
Caywood, Sally Peggs	Tom & Sally Caywood Brown		
Chaney, James Clifford (Lon)	James "Lon" & Donna Chaney		
Chreste, Herbert Leroy (Herby)	Herb & Bonnie Chreste	1/5/1943—5/1/2009	AI
Clements, William A. (Bill)	William A. Clements		
Coates, Jan Elbert	Jan E. Coates		
Cockerill, James Robert (Jim)	"Jim" Cockerill		
Collins, James Porter, Sr. (Jimmy)	Cherelyn & James P. Collins, Sr.		
Collins, Marilyn Ruth	Marilyn Collins Kurtz		
Combs, Owen T. (Tate), Jr.	Tate Combs		
Connor, Henry David	Henry & Nancy Connor		

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Cook, Carol Cooper	Harvey & Carol Cook Zimmerman		
Cooke, Laura Susan (Susie)	Larry & "Susie" & Cooke Wyatt		
Cooper, Edythe Sharron	Charles & Sharron Cooper Blincoe		
Cornell, Elizabeth Ann (Betty)	Juno & Elizabeth "Betty" Cornell Bryon		
Cottier, Robert Richard (Bob)	Robert R. Cottier	5/24/1942—6/22/2008	AI
Cowan, Betty Jean	Betty Jean Cowan		
Coward, Ronald Edward (Ronnie)	Ronald & Mary Coward	10/4/1943—12/9/2010	AI
Cox, Roiana Grace (Roi)	Roiana Cox		
Crume, William Keith	Keith & Alexandra Crume		
Crutcher, Walter T. (Walt)	Walt & Kay Lynn (61) Crutcher		
Cunningham, Walker Crittenden Jr.	Walker Crittenden Cunningham, Jr.	5/6/1943—2/23/2006	AI
Davis, Fred Lee, Jr.	Fred Lee Davis, Jr.	2/2/1943—2/13/2006	AI
Davis, Harry Scott, Jr. (Scott)	"DeeDee" & H. Scott Davis, Jr.		
Davis, James Mount, Sr. (Mount)	J. Mount Davis, Sr.		
Davis, Joyce Roslund	"Bob" & Joyce Davis Yates		
Davis, Juliann (Ann)	Gary & Juliann Davis Edwards		
Davis, Marian Barnett (Bonnie)	Dr. Phillip & Bonnie Ankrim		
Deeb, Phyllis Lee	Phyllis Deeb Buise	March 26, 2013	AI
Degener, Louis E., Jr.	JoAnn & Louis E. Degener, Jr.		
Dickison, Emma Lou (Lou Lou)	Emma Lou Dickison Rightnour	4/30/1942 - 1/17/2001	
Diercks, Joyce Ann	Jerry & Joyce Diercks Enyeart		
Dierking, Daniel Lee (Dan)	Dan & Linda Dierking		
Dixon, Robert Andrew, Sr. (Andy)	"Andy" & Shelby Jo Martin (61) Dixon		
Dorsey, James Moore, Jr. (Jim)	James M. & Carol Dorsey		
Douglas, Bruce Douglas	J. Bruce Douglas		
Duncan, William, G.	William G. "Bill" Duncan		
Duncan, William Michael (Bill)	William Michael Duncan	6/22/1943—7/21/1967	AI
Duvall, Elizabeth Ann (Libby)	Elisabeth Ann "Libby" Duvall & Gage T. Thurman, Jr.		
Edwards, Joe Carl	Joe & Carolyn Edwards		
Eerenberg, Elisabeth Johanna (Elsa)	Elizabeth J. Eerenberg		
Eklund, Jane Louise (Janie)	Allen & Jane Eklund Anderson		
Elston, George Wakefield (Wake)	George "Wake" & Marie Elston		
Ensor, Clyde Franklin, Jr. (Frank)	Donna & Frank Ensor, Jr.		
Epstein, Richard Sales (Ep)	Richard S. & Carol Epstein		
Ericksen, Carol Ellen	Carol Ellen Erickson		
Espich, William Arnold (Wolfgang)	Bill & "Jimmie" Parrot (61) Espich		
Eubank, Thomas H. (Tom)	Thomas H. Eubank		
Evans, Joan Lynn (Jo)	Joan Lynn Evans		
Ewing, Barbara Lee (Bobbie)	Barbara Ewing Morse		
Farrar, Gerald E.	Gerald E. Farrar		
Finley, Gordon Bennett, Jr.	Margaret & Gordon B. Finley, Jr.		
Fisher, Marvin Jameson (M. J.)	Marvin "M. J." & Candy Fisher	????—9/9/2012	AI
Foley, Charles William (Chuck)	Charles W. "Chuck" & Bonnie Foley	5/31/1943—2/1/2011	AI
Fredenberger, Carolyn Francis	Christopher & Carolyn Fredenberger Preu		
Freeman, Bobbie Ann	Bobbie A. Freeman		
French, Millard Douglas (Doug)	Millard Douglas French	1/29/1943—2/11/1995	
Fuchs, Carol Ann	Anthony & Carol Fuchs Phillips		
Fust, Phyllis May	Gary & Phyllis Fust Arnold		
Gambill, John Michael (Mike)	Mike & Linda Gambill		
Garrett, Karen Hill	James & Karen Garrett Lorson		
Gary, Earl Mason	Mason & Marge Gary	9/17/2016	AI
Geiser, Martha Jane (Janie)	Jane Geiser Bowen		
Georgi, Otto Karl	Otto & Gay Georgi		
Gibson, Elizabeth Jean (Betty)	Elizabeth Jean Gibson		
Gish, Judith Ann (Judy)	Judith Gish Branham		
Goode, David Richard (Rick)	Richard D. "Rick" Goode		
Goodin, Brenda Sue	Roy & Brenda Goodin Moore		

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Goodin, Linda Lou	Linda & Larry Goodin Palmer		
Goodley, Dennis Leon	Dennis L. Goodley		
Gorbandt, Patricia Jean (Pat)	Michael & Patricia Gorbandt Flynn		
Gower, William Hank (Goobar)	"Hank" & Kathy Gower		
Gray, Daniel Tilley, III (Danny)	Linda & Daniel Gray, III		
Greene, Joyce Brent	Joyce Greene Waddell		
Gregg, Ann Turner	Gene & Ann Gregg Swift		
Gresham, Charlotte Oneida	"Tom" & Charlotte Gresham Moody		
Griffin, Steve Charles	Steven & Virginia Griffin	4/30/21943—10/2/2018	AL
Groot, Julia Ann	Julia Groot Bader		
Grubbs, Frank Cooper	Franck C. Grubbs		
Grube, Barbara Suzanne	Bill & Barbara Grube Evans		
Guenther, Marilyn Celia (DeeDee)	Louis & Marilyn "DeeDee" Guenther Belvoix		
Guyton, James Clay (Jim)	James Clay Guyton	7/9/1943—10/7/2002	
Guyton, Leonard Claude	Claude & Ann Guyton		
Hall, Sammy Hugh (Sam)	Sam & Sue Hall		
Hammon, William Matthew (Bill)	"Bill" & Dian Hammon	- 10/19/2010	AI
Hampton, Barbara Ann (Barb)	Dale & Barbara Hampton Henderson		
Harbolt, James (Jim)	Jim Harbolt		
Harmon, Margaret Ann (Maggie)	Margaret Ann Harmon		
Harrer, Margaret Ann	Margaret Ann Harrer		
Harring, Joan Elayne	Joan Harring Patton		
Hassmann, Gayle	Gayle Hassmann Deleo		
Hasty, Mary Joe	Mary Jo Hasty Jacobs		
Hatton, Howard Dean (Howie)	Howard & Cynthia Hatton		
Hawley, James Henry (Jim)	James H. Hawley		
Haworth, Joseph Robertson (Jim)	Joseph W. "Robbie" Haworth		
Heilman, Seymour Eric (Jay)	Seymour E. & Nancy Heilman		
Hellmueller, Joseph Allen (Joe)	Joseph A. & Marlette Hellmueller		
Henderson, John Sherman (Sherm)	J. Sherman & "Judi" Wylie (60) Henderson		
Heneisen, John Robert	John R. & Martha Heneisen		
Henry, Barbara Mae (Barb)	Barbara M. Henry		
Henry, Judith Ann	Vern & Judith Henry Rezendes		
Herren, Harry Kenneth, Jr.	Harry & Cynthia Herren		
Heuser, Maren Janis	William D. & Maren Heuser Smith		
Heuser, Marshall Vogt	Marshall & "Mimi" Heuser		
Hickerson, Mary Alice (Mitzi)	Mary Alice "Mitzi" Hickerson		
Hickerson, Sue	Sue Hickerson		
Hilbers, Marjorie Gail (Margie)	Todd (60) & Margie Hilbert Hoon		
Hill, Carol Brent	Carol Brent Hill	4/8/1943 —	
Hilpp, Charles E. (Charlie)	Charles E. Hilpp	6/10/1943 —	
Hoetz, Edith Abigail (Abby)	Gail Hoertz (Abby) Johnson		
Hoffmann, Gayle	Richard & Gayle Hoffmann Kloss		
Horlander, Gerry Irene	Gerry Horlander		
Hradecky, Ryna Isabel (Reen)	Ryna Hradecky		
Huff, Mary Annette	Mary Ann Huff Richardson		
Hunt, Robert Dale (Bob)	Robert D. "Bob" Hunt		
Hussung, David Lee (Dave)	David L. & Elizabeth Hussung		
Hutcheson, Harry Trent (Trent)	Trent & Anne Hutcheson		
Jaggers, Dorothy L. (Dottie)	Dorothy L. "Dottie" Jaggers		
James, Jeanette Grayson	Robert & Jeanette James Athey		
Jarvis, Sam Willis (Jerry)	Sam W. Jarvis		
Johnson, Jacqueline McLean (Jacque)	Jacqueline M. "Jacque" Johnson		
Jones, Bobbie Jean	Bobbie Jean Jones		
Jones, Richard Lambert (Dickie)	Richard L. & Linda Jones		
Jorgensen, Jim F.	Jim & Kay Jorgensen		
Kauffman, Sally Anne (Sally)	Sally Kauffman Bramblette		

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Keith, Mary Diane	William & Diane Keith Kolar		
Kelly, Cheryl	Cheryl Kelly Haffler	- 5/25/1970	
Key, Everett Terry	Terry E. Key		
Kik, Nancy Jane	Nancy Kik Kouns		
Kittell, Janet Lynn	Janet Kittell Ray		
Knopf, Zara Lee	Robert & Zara Knopf Alexander		
Kouns, Martha Alice	Leonard, Jr. & Martha Kouns Kik		
Kuchenbrod, Gary Joseph (Kuchie)	Gary J. Kuchenbrod		
Laffoon, Sharlene Maria (Bunny)	Dan & Sharlene "Bunny" Laffoon Abbott		
Lamar, Diane	Donald & Diane Lamar King		
Lapsley, James Allen, Sr. (Jim)	James Allen Lapsley, Sr.	1/22/1944—5/27/2005	AI
Lewis, Kenneth Lee (Kenny)	Kenneth Lee Lewis	- 4/28/1998	AI
Llewellyn, June	June Llewellyn		
Lloyd, Sarah Stark	Dan & Sarah Lloyd Davis		
Long, Richard H.	Richard H. Long		
Lovelace, Judith Anne (Judy)	Judith A. Lovelace		
Lovell, Frank Leon, Jr.	Debbie & Frank Lovell, Jr.		
Lowrie, Robert Edward (Bob)	Robert E. "Bob" Lowrie		
Lynn, Harry Richmond	Harry R. Lynn		
Lynn, Katherine Lee (Kay)	"Walt" (61) & Kay Lynn Crutcher	9/25/1943—7/31/2018	AI
Mace, Jennings Roy	Jennings & Ruth Mace		
Mader, John Edward (Jack)	John "Jack" & Wendy Mader		
Marret, Varina Jefferson (Nina)	Nina Marret Tyler	8/29/1942 to 12/15/1995	
Martin, Donald H. (Don)	"Don" & Barbara Rosenthal (60) Martin		
Martin, James Bruce	J. Bruce Martin		
Mashburn, Henry Hamilton	Henry Hamilton Mashburn	11/4/2006	AI
Mathis, Oscar Lee (Butch)	Oscar "Butch" & Doris Zibart (61) Mathis		
Mattox, Judith Frances (Judy)	R. L. & Judy Mattox Ackerman		
May, James Warren, Jr. (Jimmy)	Linda & James W. May, Jr. MD		
McCreary, Stephen Douglas, Sr. (Steve)	"Steve" & Angela McCreary		
McDonald, Samuel Mason, III (Sam)	"Sam" M. McDonald		
McGill, Joel Lewis (Joe)	Joel & Sara McGill		
McGloshen, Sharon Lea	Sharon McGloshen Heidt		
McGrath, Patricia Anne (Pat)	Patricia McGrath		
McGuffy, Susan Kathleen (Susie)	Sue McGuffy		
McNally, Richard Patrick (Pat)	"Pat" McNally		
Meeker, Charles Kenneth (Robin)	Charles K. "Robin" Meeker		
Meister, Herbert E. (Herb)	"Herb" Meister		
Meyer, Bonnie Jean	Bonnie Jean Meyer	No Information	
Miller David Whitaker (Dave)	"Dave" Miller		
Miller, Jane Ellen	Neil & Jean Miller MacDonald		
Miller, Linda Marshall	Gordon & Linda Miller Dabney		
Miller, Suzan (Sue)	Suzanne Miller Phillips Long		
Miller, Vernon Robert	Vernon Robert Miller		
Mills, Phyllis May	Zachary & Phyllis Mills Smith		
Miner, Judith (Judy)	Judith Miner		
Minnich, Gail Lee (Gae)	Gail "Gae" Minnich Wolfe		
Moeller, Elizabeth Buchanan (Beth)	Elizabeth "Beth" Moeller Townsend		
Moore, Carol Ann	Carol Ann Moore		
Moore, Elizabeth Carolyn	"Skip" & Carolyn "Betty" Moore Cunningham		
Moore, Martha Courtney	"Mike" (60) Martha Moore Gladden		
Moore, Nancy Wood (Nan)	Albert "Buddy" & Nancy Moore Sattich, Jr.		
Moore, Ruby Belle	Ruby Belle Moore	No Information	
Morgan, Thomas Everett (Tommy)	Thomas "Tom" & Jan Morgan		
Morris, Clay Beale, Jr.	Clay B. Morris, Jr.		
Morris, Gary H.	Gary H. Morris		

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Mosher, Norman Wilbur (Norm)	Norman & Lynn Mosher		
Musick, Daniel Martin (Dan)	Daniel M. Musick		
Nathan, Mary Ann	Mary Ann Nathan Williams		
Newman, Marilyn Faye	Steve & Marilyn Newman Pendleton		
Nichol, Sandra Ann (Sandy)	Robert & Sandra Nichol Ervin		
Nichols, Garvin Thomas (Garvie)	Garvin T. Nichols		
Niemann, Joyce Ann	Leroy & Joyce Niemann Lauer		
Nowak, Martin C. (Marty)	Martin & Sharlene Nowak		
Nuss, Betty Jean	Betty Nuss Mueller		
Oehrle, Elizabeth Ellis (Libby)	Elizabeth "Libby" Oehrle Crutcher	- 11/16/1973	
Ogle, Thomas Frank (Tom)	Thomas & Sandra Ogle		
Oliver, Pamela Sue (Pam)	Pamela S. Oliver		
O'Nan, Beverly Jane (Bev)	Meredith & Beverly O'Nan Johnson		
Ornstein, Nancy Jo (Nance)	James & Nancy Ornstein Berlo		
Orr, Clark, Jr. (Buddy)	Clark Orr, Jr.		
Oswald, Toni Lee	Toni Oswald Owens		
Oyler, Dorothy Lee (Dottie)	Dean & "Dottie" Oyler Ilig		
Paletti, Barbara Ann (Barb)	Barbara Paletti & Thomas M. Strickland, MD		
Pallada, Theodore Robib (Ted)	Theadore & Phyllis Pallada		
Parrott, Jimmie Clark	"Bill" (61) & Jimmie Parrott Espich		
Payne, Sarah Kendall	Sarah K. Payne		
Perry, Pamela Rose (Pam)	Charles & Pam Perry Hill		
Peskoe, Stephen Michael (Steve)	Cimdy & Steve Peskoe M.D.		
Pfeifer Polly Ann	Polly Pfeifer Wilson		
Pfingst, Bryan Ernest	Bryan E. Pfingst		
Pope, James Wallace (Jim)	James W. Pope		
Porter, Stephen Tullis (Steve)	Steve & Devona Porter		
Potts, Stephen John (Steve)	Steve J. Potts		
Powers, Marilyn Ellis	Marilyn E. Powers & Terry Lane		
Price, Blanche Ann (Ann)	Blanche A. Price		
Prochnau, Luci	Luci Prochnau		
Puckett, Bonnie Sue	Robert & Bonnie Puckett Arvin	—2/22/2012	AI
Purdom, Ray C.	Ellen Sommer Purdom	4/10/1943— 3/21/1991	AI
Ramsey, Sandra Sue (Sandy)	Sandra Ramsey Rogers		
Reasor, Linda Carroll	Linda C. Reason		
Redmon, Gloria (Glo)	Charles & Gloria Redman Faught		
Renn, Jo Ann	Daniel & Jo Ann Renn Eves		
Rieser, Mary Jane	Mary Jane Rieser		
Riley, Ann Campbell	Ann Riley Seppenfield		
Ring, Alan Douglas (Al)	Al & Karen Ring		
Ringwalt, Ann Louise (Annie)	Ann Ringwalt		
Rodman, Dennis T.	Dennis T. Rodman		
Roe, Carolyn Margaret	Carolyn Roe Hubbs		
Rogers, Christina Lillian (Tina)	Joseph & "Tina" Rogers Newlin		
Rogers, Edwin Lee (Eddie)	Edwin L. & Theresia Rogers		
Rose, Brenda Lee	Robert & Brenda Rose Knopp		
Rosenbaum, Robert Leslie Jr. (Bob)	Robert L. Rosenbaum, Jr.		
Rosenkrans, Bruce Robert	Bruce & Linda Rosenkrans		
Rule, William Stock (Bill)	William S. Rule		
Rush, Hilda Sue	Hilda S. Rush		
Ryan, Tom Noonan (Tom)	Tom N. Ryan		
Saunders, Sharon Sue	Howard "Buddy" & Sharon Saunders Minrath		
Scherer, Edwin Phillip, III (Phil)	Kathryn & E. Phillip Scherer, III		
Scholl, Sharon Louise	Sharon Scholl & Richard H. Coop MD		
Schueler, Kenneth Bruce (Ken)	Kenneth & Susan Schueler	10/16/2014	AI
Scott, Mary Lou	Mary Lou Scott		
Seagraves, Susan Lynn	John & Susan Seagraves Taylor	1943—2/4/2011	AI
Seitz, Marilyn T.	Marilyn T. Seitz		

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Setser, Victor Dennis (Dick)	Victor & Nan Setser		
Shapero, Richard Dale (Dick)	Richard Dale Shapero	6/11/1943—12/31/2006	AI
Shelby, Penny Dillard	Penny D. Shelby		
Shields, Dale Finn (Dale)	Dale F. Shields		
Shomer Daniel E.	“Dan” Shomer		
Shrewsbury, Timothy Whitcomb (Tim)	Timothy Whitcomb Shrewsbury	11/12/1942—11/1/2007	AI
Silliman, Sharon Gail	Wilbur “Bud” & Sharon Silliman Willer		
Small, James Arthur (Jim)	Jim & Adelaide Small		
Smalley, Marilou Helen	Marilou Smalley		
Smith, Donald Maxie	Don M. Smith		
Smith, James Parker (Jim)	James P. Smith		
Smith, Robert Jackson (Jack)	R. Jackson Smith		
Smoot, George Tom (Tommy)	Tom & Jennifer Lynn Smoot		
Snyder, Foster Leslie (Les)	“Les” & Pamela Snyder		
Snyder, Nancy Suzanne	Suzanne Snyder		
Sokol, Gail Eileen (Gail)	Gail E. Sokol		
Sommer, Margaret Ellen	Margaret Ellen Sommer Purdom	4/10/1943 - 3/21/1991	AI
Sparks, Nancy Jane	Robert & Nancy Sparks Frank		
Speer, James Alexander (Sandy)	James A. Speer	1943—January 14, 2011	AI
Springer, Alan Geoffrey	Alan Geoffrey Springer		
Stanbery, Cassie Oveta	Keith & “Cassi” Stanbery Nall		
Steffen, David Michael (Dave)	David M. Steffen		
Steiner, Lois Evelyn	Richard & Lois Steiner Waugh		
Sternberg, Barbara Sue (Bunny)	“Bunny” Sternberg & Guy Henning-Barattieri		
Stevens, Richard Gregory (Dick)	“Dick” Stevens		
Stewart, Ronald Hayes (Kool)	Ronald H. Stewart	- April 10, 2016	
Stiles, Patricia Jeane (Pat)	Patricia J. Stiles		
Stone, Kay Shannon	William & Kay Stone Cloyd		
Stoops, Barbara Elaine (Barb)	Barbara Stoops Wright		
Stopher, Edward Hardin (Ed)	Edwin & Catherine Stopher		
Sturm, Margaret Carol	Dennis & Carol Strum Grzanka		
Stutzenberger, David Bay (Dave)	Dave & Linda Stutzenburger		
Sundberg, Danny Lee (Dan)	Daniel & Jane Sundberg		
Tabler, William Biggs, III	Biggs & Ward Tabler		
Tate, Thelma Marie	Thelma M. Tate		
Taurman, Chastain (Choose)	Chastain T. Taurman, III		
Taylor, Diane Ford	Diane Ford Taylor Sanders	5/29/1943 - 10/17/1999	AI
Tennill, James Byron, Jr. (Jimmy)	James & Pricilla Tennill		
Tharp, Michael Edgar (Mike)	Michael E. Tharp		
Thompson, John Huxley (J. T.)	John H. “J. T.” & Valerie Thompson		
Thompson, Martha Louise (Lou)	Lou Thompson Landt		
Timberlake, Lawrence Clifford (Larry)	Larry Timberlake		
Toy, James Nicholls (Jim)	James N. Toy	February 15, 2015	AI
Trubey, Rex P.	Res P. Trubey	- January 16, 2002	
Tucker, Carol Jean	Carol Jean Tucker		
Turnheim, Betsey Zellner (Betz)	Betsey Turnheim Bennett		
Tuton, Melinda Lee (Two Ton)	Melinda Tuton		
VanHoose, Warren Evans (Goose)	Warren E. VanHoose		
Veatch, Geraldine (Gerry)	Don & Gerry Veatch Allender		
Voit, Larry Allen	Larry A. Voit		
Vollmar, Carol Ann	“Kit” (60) & Carol Vollmar Georgehead		
Wade, Elizabeth Pennington (Betsy)	“Ben” & “Betsy” Wade Rosenbaum		
Waford, Carol Ruth	Carol Waford & Howard B. O’Koon, MD		
Walker, Shelby Kay	Shelby Walker Hunt		
Wallace, Jane (Janie)	Jane Wallace Schneider		
Walsh, Thomas Edward (Tom)	Thomas E. Walsh	1/19/1943—12/26/2017	AI
Wardle, Sydney Caroline	Milton & Sydney Wardle Gardner		

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Warren, Jerry Dwight	Jerry D. Warren	9/18/1943—4/17/1999	
Watts, Florence Ann (Flossie)	Florence A. Watts		
Watts, Richard A. (Dick)	Richard A. Watts	— 12/24/2008	AI
Watts, Richard Pendleton	“Pen” Watts		
Weikel, Alvin Russell (Russell)	Alvin Russell Weikel	5/19/1943— 4/29/2005	AI
Weller, David Weston	David W. Weller		
Wellinghurst, Mary Anne	Mary Wellinghurst Harper		
Wendelkin, Charles Philip (Phil)	Maj. C. Philip & Bonnie Wendelkin		
Westerman, David Lee (Dave)	David L. Westerman		
Wetherton, William Maurice, Jr. (Bill)	William M. “Bill” Wetherton		
Williams, Jr. Kirk		9/25/2004	AI
Willis, Audie Jane	Audie J. Willis		
Wilson, John Lamont	Lamont & Katie Wilson		
Wilson, Kay Lee	Kay Lee Wilson		
Wilson, Sally Faye (Salli)	Sally F. Wilson		
Wofford, Jack D., Jr.	Jack D. Wofford, Jr.		
Womack, Sharon L. (Shar)	Ronald & Sharon Womack Wood		
Wood, David George (Davy)	David G. Wood		
Woodring, Michael Newman (Mike)	Michael N. “Mike” Woodring	10/8/1942—10/16/1991	
Woodward, Fielden William (Bucky)	Fielden W. “Bucky” Woodward		
Woolley, Kirk Allen (Kirk)	Kirk A. Woolley	4/15/1943 - 2/11/1969	AI
Yoakum, Ralph W., Jr.	Betty & Ralph Yoakum, Jr.		
Young, Barbara Jane (Barb)	Lloyd & Barbara Young Sparks		
Yunt, John Rowland	John & Doris Yunt	February 2018	AL
Zehnder, Ralph Gerome (Zeke)	Ralph & Toni Zehnder		
Zemon, Alan James (Spot Cash)	Alan J. & Gail Zemon		
Zibart, Doris Gail	Oscar “Butch” (61) & Doriz Zibart Mathis		

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Bonnie Sue PUCKETT Arvin

— February 22, 2012



Bonnie Sue Puckett Arvin

Monday, February 27, 2012 at 4:16 pm

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Bonnie Sue Puckett Arvin

Bonnie Sue Puckett Arvin, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2012, at Baptist Hospital Northeast.

Arvin graduated with honors from Waggener High School in 1961 and Georgetown College in 1965.

She was a teacher in Harrison County for three years before becoming a full-time mom and homemaker.

She was a faithful Christian who served as prayer group leader and deacon at Crestwood Baptist Church.

In recent years Arvin was an active member of Phos Community Church.

She is preceded in death by her infant daughter, Susan Lynn; father, Foster Carl Puckett Sr.; and brother, Foster Carl Puckett Jr.

Survivors include her husband, Robert Leonard Arvin; mother, Martha Ellen Puckett; two sons and daughters-in law, Robert Foster (Jessica) Arvin and Michael Leonard (Lisa) Arvin; and five grandchildren, Lucas Nathaniel Arvin, Chloe Elisabeth Arvin, Isabel Arvin, Robert Vincent Arvin and Benjamin Carl Arvin.

Services were Feb. 27

at Phos Community Church.

Stoess Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Memorial contributions may go to Phos Community Church, 4200 Centerfield Drive, Crestwood, KY 40014.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Herbert L. "Herb" Chreste

January 5, — May 1, 2009

Herbert L. "Herb" Chreste

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CHRESTE, HERBERT L. "HERB," 66, of Crestwood, KY passed away May 1, 2009, surrounded by his family. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, friend and businessman. He was born in Louisville on January 5, 1943, the son of Anne (Schreiber) Chreste and Gaylord L. Chreste, who preceded him in death. He was a graduate of Waggener High School (1961) and Bellarmine College (1965). He was the past owner and president of The Chreste Co., Inc., general contractor. He built many fine homes and remodeled many homes and businesses over the past 35 years. He demanded and showed meticulous quality for his clients. He was a member of Home Builders of Louisville, Remodelers Council, as well as the National Builders/Remodelers. He had a great passion for his Austin Healey and enjoyed being an avid member of the Austin Healey Bluegrass

Club, where he was a board member. He was a lieutenant on the St. Matthews Fire Dept. and a Kentucky Colonel. He is survived by the loves of his life, his wife of 44 years, Bonnie Brotzge Chreste; daughters, Debbie Landers (Paul) of Cincinnati, OH, Dawn Bow (Eric) of Louisville; and son, Dan Chreste of Fisherville KY, who succeeds him in the business. He is also survived by six grandchildren, Faith, Austin, Sydney, Zachery, Ethan and Payton; as well as his brother Gerald Chreste (Diana) of Louisville, a brother-in-law, Larry Brotzge (Pat) of Malvern, PA; and several nieces, a nephew, and their families. Herb will leave an empty space in his home and in the hearts of those who loved him. However, in time precious memories will fill up those spaces and we will come to realize that he is gone to be with God in a better place where he has been set free of pain and suffering. The family would like to express the deepest appreciation and gratitude to Dr. John Huber, Dr. Byron Morgan and Dr. Kerry Short. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 5, 2009, at Pearson Ratterman Brothers Funeral Home, 12900 Shelbyville Road. Burial will be at Cave Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 3-8 p.m. Monday, May 4, 2009, and 9:30 a.m. until service time Tuesday, May 5, 2009, at the funeral home. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Hosparus of Louisville.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Robert Richard Cottier

May 24, 1942 — June 22, 2008

COTTIER, ROBERT RICHARD, 66, of Shepherdsville, KY, was born May 24, 1942 to the late Dick and Mabel (Hauch) Cottier in Louisville and returned to his Heavenly Father, Sunday, June 22, 2008 at Saints Mary & Elizabeth Hospital with his family by his side. He was a retired accountant and plant manager for International Harvester/ Navistar and was also preceded in death by his beloved wife, Charlene (Morrissey) Cottier "Marcy". Robert leaves to cherish his memory; his sons, Richard Cottier and his wife Jennifer, and Robert Cottier and his wife Robyn; a sister, Constance Black; grandchildren, Lyndsey, Chelsey, Kyle, Kasey, Roy and Brittney and one great-grandchild, Leah. The funeral service for Robert Richard Cottier will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Schoppenhorst

Underwood & Brooks Funeral Home (Preston Highway at Brooks Road) where friends may pay their respects from 1-8 p.m. Wednesday and after 10 a.m. Thursday. Interment will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Ronald Edward Coward

October 4, 1943 — December 9, 2010

MEMORIES & CANDLES

  *"I miss my Daddy. He always had my back, even if I was in trouble. My father protected me, loved me and helped me grow. The world has a big hole in it...Read More »"*

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Ronald E. Coward Sr., 67, went home to be with the Lord on December 9, 2010. He was born in Knoxville, TN.

Loving devoted husband, father, grandfather and mentor. He is a former employee of Graybar Electric Co., Westco Electric, PTI, and Blue Green. Past President of Unchained Gang

Motorcycle Ministry and minister with Manna homeless ministries. He was preceded in death by his parents Ralph and Maxine Coward and son Russell Lee Coward. Survivors include wife Mary Mahorney Coward, sister Debbie Coward Rogers and husband Will, children Ronald E. Coward Jr. and wife Jennifer, Mark Randall Coward and wife Jennifer, Heather Marie Doan and husband Kestan, grandchildren PFC Russell Lee Coward Himes, Lukas, Samuel, Julia, David, and Moriah Coward, Austin and Levi Doan, nephews Timothy and Christopher Rogers. Calling will be Saturday December 11, 2010 from 4:30 PM to 8 PM at Flanner and Buchanan Funeral Center Washington Park North 2706 Kessler Blvd West Drive Indianapolis, IN 46228. Additional calling will be held on Sunday from Noon to 3 PM with the service starting at 3 PM. Burial will be in Washington Park North Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to New Wineskin Ministries 4501 West 38th Street Indianapolis, IN. 46254.

You are invited to go to the Guest Book page to pass along your personal message or tell a story.



**Ronald Edward
Coward, Sr.**

BORN: October 4, 1943

DIED: December 9, 2010

RESIDENCE: Indianapolis, IN

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Walter Crittenden Cunningham, Jr.

May 6, 1943 — February 23, 2006

Dear Classmates and others,

It is with great sadness that I tell you of the passing of Walker Cunningham at 6:30 PM, February 23, 2006. He was surrounded by his wife Pattie, his two sons Crit and Andy, and his sister, Mary V. He passed peacefully. Walker died of pneumonia, brought on by his treatment for pancreatic cancer, which was discovered last Thanksgiving. The only blessing is that he did not have to go through the inevitable discomfort and severe pain that is part of dying with that cancer. Funeral arrangements are being made by Ratterman's, and he will be buried in Elizabethtown beside his parents.



For those of you who only remember him as the boy selected as "Friendliest" in his senior class and as the manager extraordinaire of varsity basketball and baseball, Walker went on to graduate from Vanderbilt undergrad and UK law. He married Pattie shortly thereafter and they have two great children. Andy has been in TV production and Crit (the 3rd) has followed Walker as an attorney. Walker had a long career as a prosecutor and legal advisor to local government officials, and maintained a successful private practice as well. Early in his career, he was instrumental in getting substantial reforms accomplished in the local criminal justice system. He was active at Beargrass Christian, in the Boy Scouts and was even president of the Waggener PTA. He had a great positive impact on his community and those who knew him. He died too young and will be sorely missed.

Now, since I am in a melancholy mood, for those of us who take this all in too easy a stride, take a look at pages 96 and 97 of the '61 *Lair*, the section of "Senior Specials". There were ten boys and ten girls selected. With the recent passing of Walker and Fred Davis, only four of the boys remain. One of the girls is also gone. Life is brief and surely not fair. Please call an old friend, take him or her out to lunch, have a party with classmates, do something to honor the good times, before it is too late. Sorry to be the bearer of bad news and sad thoughts.

Steve Porter '61



PTO News

The 2007 Walker Cunningham Memorial Scholarship winners have been selected and will be presented at the Senior Awards night May. The PTO once again assisted in the February Conference Day scheduling. The next big event will be the Teacher Appreciation luncheon on May 9. We are asking for parents to send in desserts for this event. I realize that this is quite a time away, but if you can help, please call me at 458-2709 and we will have someone call the week before the luncheon to remind you.

Carole Vold, PTO President



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Walter Crittenden Cunningham, Jr.

May 6, 1943 — February 23, 2006

Courtesy of Bruce Douglas:



Walker in Senior Play, November 1961



Bruce Douglas & Walker Cunningham, 1984

Steve, What awful news.

I moved to Louisville from Lexington the summer between 2nd and 3rd grades. That fall, Walker and I were both in Mrs. Osborne's 3rd grade class at Greathouse. Truly, Walker became my first friend in Louisville. After that Walker went on to Stivers and I stayed at Greathouse. We renewed our friendship when we joined up again at Waggener.

Walker didn't have a car and I had a beat-up, pea green, '53 Ford which I financed with my earnings from my stock-boy job at Baccos. Walker was always calling me wanting a ride somewhere. Of course, anywhere Walker wanted to go, I wanted to go too. My mother was concerned that I was always taking Walker somewhere, and one day when Walker called, she said Ray wasn't at home but he could be reached at such and such number. The telephone number was the St. Matthews Cab Co.

Oh, those poker games!

Walker always had a get rich quick scheme. I think his last one was gold mining. I remember when he came to visit us once at Duke, he received in route a \$5 bill that wasn't printed on the back side. He was sure that it was worth millions. If we loaned him money so he wouldn't have to spend that bill, he would split the millions with us. Of course, we didn't have a spare nickel between us and the \$5 bill was spent before he left Durham.

What wonderful memories!!

What an awful disease pancreatic cancer is!! It's been almost exactly 15 years since it took the lives of both Ellen and my father. My colleague here at our center is in the last stages of pancreatic cancer. There has been some progress made in treatment and I was hoping against hope that Walker would benefit from that progress.

Walker will be missed!!

Ray

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Fred Lee Davis, Jr.

February 2, 1943 — February 13, 2006



September 3, 1964
The Voice Of St. Matthews

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Phyllis Deeb Lohman Buise

— March 26, 2013



Phyllis Deeb Lohman Buise

Obituary



BUISE, PHYLLIS DEEB LOHMAN, 69, died Tuesday March 26, 2013.

She was a beloved, devoted mother, grandmother and loving daughter. She practiced law for over 30 years, the majority of that time spent working with her father and brother with Deeb & Deeb, PSC. She was a trusted counselor and true advocate for all that she represented during the course of her practice. She was a former member of St. John Lutheran Church and was preceded in death by her beloved mother, Mary Lee Deeb; and her brother, G. Phillip Deeb Jr.

She is survived by sons, Robert G. Lohman III (Tami), Chicago, IL, Sean P. Lohman, Dr. Eric R. Lohman (Angela), Maysville, KY and Adam C. Buise; her father, G. Phillip Deeb Sr.; grandchildren, Connor, Carter, Kennedy, Abigail, Kerrigan, Nathan, Gianna and Sienna Lohman; nieces, Lisa Montgomery and Julie Sharp; nephews, G. Phillip Deeb III and Gary Harris; and cherished friends, Lynn and Ron Grossman.

Her funeral service will be 10 a.m. Thursday at Pearson's, 149 Breckenridge Lane, with burial to follow in Evergreen Cemetery. Visitation: 4-8 p.m. Wednesday and after 9 a.m. Thursday until time of service.

Guest Book

Be the first to share your memories or express your condolences in the Guest Book for Phyllis Deeb Lohman Buise.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



William M. Duncan

June 22, 1943 — July 21, 1967



See Tribute to Vietnam Killed, a separate section.

WILLIAM MICHAEL DUNCAN

First Lt. William Duncan's plans for a career in the U.S. Army were ended July 21, 1967, when he was killed in combat in Vietnam at age 24.

He was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Duncan of Louisville. His mother still lives in Louisville, while his uncle, Marvin Duncan, lives in Henderson.

He is buried in Fairmont Cemetery here.



December 19, 1960 Chit Chat

Bill Duncan, who was in the Senior play cast, is a member of the track team, Introspect Staff, and the Pep Club, and is treasurer of the German Club.



BILL DUNCAN

Each year Bill looks forward to Christmas so he can "leave beer (8 cases) and bratwurst for Santa Claus, so his reindeer will not get hungry."

His favorite winter pastimes are sled riding and ice skating. He also enjoys New Year's Eve.

Bill's ambition is "to be a college history professor (after finishing high school) or a professional vagabond."

Marilyn Newman is a member of the French Club, Pep Club,

May 23, 1961 Chit Chat



WAGGENER LAKE? . . . Bill Duncan found boating quite good lately. Fishing was another matter.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Marvin J. Fisher
— September 9, 2012



Marvin J. Fisher

Obituary



FISHER, MARVIN J., 69, of Louisville, passed away on Sunday, September 9, 2012.

Marvin retired from BB&T after 35 years and was a veteran of the United States [Army](#). He was previously a director in the Derby Festival, a participant in Leadership Louisville, a volunteer for Citizens for Better Judges and the Convention Bureau of Louisville, and was a member of many other civic organizations.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Marvin and Mildred Fisher.

He was the beloved husband of Candace Fisher; loving father of Paul Fisher (Lindsey) of Birmingham, AL, and adoring grandfather to Anna and Sara Fisher. He is also survived by a host of extended family and long time friends.

There will be a celebration of his life on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Hurstbourne Christian Church, 601 Nottingham Parkway. All friends and family are invited to attend the service. Anyone who would like to come earlier to visit with the family the church will be open at 10 a.m. There will be a reception following. The family requests that attendees wear brightly colored clothing in celebration of Marvin's life.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hosparus.

Arch L. Heady and Son at Westport Village has been entrusted with arrangements.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Marvin J. Fisher

— September 9, 2012

September 10, 2012, WAVE3TV.com:

September 10, 2012, WLKYTV:

Second victim of deadly dispute dies

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Posted: Sep 09, 2012 4:49 PM EDT
Updated: Sep 09, 2012 5:00 PM EDT

By Heather Smith - email



LOUISVILLE, KY (WAVE) — The second victim of a deadly dispute in an east Louisville church has passed away.

According to Melissa Deaver with University Hospital, Marvin Fisher, 69, died Sunday morning.

PREVIOUS STORIES

- Two shot inside Louisville east end church
- Alleged HGA gunman made threats in the past
- New details released about deadly church shooting
- Family of shooting victim in mourning after deadly dispute
- Police: Hindi gave account of shooting

Police said Mahmoud Yousef Hindi, 55, opened fire at an east Louisville homeowners association meeting. The shooting happened Thursday night at the Springdale Community Church.

David Merritt, 73, was killed during the shooting and Fisher had been in the hospital since the shooting.

Hindi pleaded not guilty Saturday morning in court. He is currently charged with murder, assault and seven counts of wanton endangerment. There is no word on if more charges will be filed.



Springdale Community Church on the evening of the shooting



Mahmoud Yousef Hindi

Second victim in Springdale church shooting dies

Mahmoud Hindi faces charges after a homeowner's association shooting

UPDATED: 7:49 AM EDT Sep 10, 2012

IMAGES: MAN SHOOTS 2 AT HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION MEETING

Two men were fatally shot at an east end church. Read the complete story here. MORE »



The man suspected of the shooting appeared in court earlier this week.

Investigators said Mahmoud Hindi opened fire in the middle of a Spring Creek Homeowner's Association meeting, killing 73-year-old David Merritt and critically injuring Fisher.



Hindi's attorneys said their client used to practice nuclear medicine, but his medical license expired because of health issues that included back surgery two weeks ago.

Khalid Kahloon, Hindi's attorney, argued to lower Hindi's \$1 million bond. He argued Hindi was not a flight risk because of his large Jordanian-American family.

Kahloon said Hindi lived with his wife and seven children, the youngest of whom are 14-year-old twin girls.

"This is a family that's very peace loving, law abiding family enjoying their American dream and its shattered by this unfortunate, very tragic incident," Kahloon said.

The judge denied the request for a \$75,000 cash bond or \$150,000 property bond, but Hindi still gave his attorneys a thumbs up before exiting the court room.

Detectives said Hindi confessed to the crimes during a police interview.

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — His defense team said their client and the Hindi family are in shock and disbelief, and ask for patience and prayer.

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Todd Lewis, an attorney defending Hindi, said the defense team looks forward to the story being heard. He said their hearts and Hindi's family's hearts are with the Fisher and Merritt families.

Hindi is scheduled to appear in court next on Friday.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Marvin J. Fisher

— September 9, 2012

September 10, 2012, *The Courier-Journal*:

Second victim dies from injuries in Springdale Community Church shooting

Association board member shot Thursday

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Marvin Fisher didn't forget his boyhood roots.

Decades after their days of riding bicycles and playing pickup football and baseball as neighbors on Greenlawn Road in eastern Jefferson County, Fisher would call longtime friend Allen Steinbock and ask him to lunch.

"He didn't take his friendships lightly. He really worked at them," said Steinbock, a Louisville businessman.

Fisher, 69, died Sunday at University Hospital, three days after he was shot at Thursday's Spring Creek Homeowners Association meeting at Springdale Community Church in northeastern Louisville. The association's president, 73-year-old David Merritt, was fatally shot at the meeting.



Executive Pastor Jeremy White of the Springdale Community Church on Springdale Road addresses members of the media at the church in Louisville, Kentucky, September 9, 2012.



Members of the Springdale Community Church and Spring Creek subdivision attend a church service at the church on Springdale Road in Louisville, Kentucky, September 9, 2012 / John Sommers II/Special to the Courier-Journal

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Fisher was remembered Sunday as a dedicated bank executive, tireless civic volunteer and welcoming neighbor.

A retired bank vice president, Fisher worked for 35 years for Bank of Louisville and BB&T, which acquired the Louisville bank in 2002. He was a former volunteer for the Kentucky Derby Festival's Pegasus Parade and poster premiere committees, a graduate of Leadership Louisville and a member of Citizens for Better Judges' citizens review board.

"He loved his family very much. He was always there for us," said son Paul Fisher. Marvin Fisher's wife, Candace, said her husband was "a great, great man."

A neighbor of both victims, Mahmoud Hindi, has been charged with the shooting and is jailed on a \$1 million bond. He had a long-running dispute with the association involving a fence and driveway at his home.

Fisher attended Thursday's meeting because he was a board member of the association, his family said.

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Marvin J. Fisher

— September 9, 2012

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Earlier Sunday, members of the Spring Creek subdivision came together for an informal prayer vigil at Springdale Community Church, seeking solace after the shootings.

Jeremy White, the executive pastor, said residents responded to the church's invitation to pray together Sunday.

"We're here to minister to them in whatever way we can," he said.

The theme of Sunday's vigil was solidarity and the start of healing, White said.

"The message today is that our church is praying for the people of Spring Creek and especially the victims, those who were most deeply and clearly affected by this.

"He sort of liked to find the humor in most any situation," Steinbock said.

Dan Goyette, chief public defender for the Louisville public defender's office and a past chairman of Citizens for Better Judges, said Fisher was a "very caring, civic-minded individual who was committed to ensuring a high quality judiciary in this community."

"Even though his background was in banking, not law, he was dedicated to the mission of (Citizens for Better Judges) and gave generously of his time and insight to improve our court system by electing the best qualified candidates," Goyette said. "We will miss his leadership and his significant contributions to the organization."

In addition to Fisher's wife and son, his survivors include a daughter-in-law, Lindsey, and granddaughters Anna, 3, and Sara, 3 months.

His funeral arrangements are pending.

Visitation for Merritt is planned from 2 to 8 p.m. today at Evergreen Funeral Home, 4623 Preston Highway. Merritt's funeral is planned for noon Tuesday at the funeral home, with entombment to follow in Evergreen Cemetery.

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"Our message always, every Sunday, is that our hope is in Jesus Christ, and we want to offer that same hope to the people who were so clearly affected by this."

Hindi's wife and children were among those at the vigil, said Jason Autry, the church's lead pastor.

They were welcomed with open arms by community and church members, which was a powerful sight, Autry said. "It was moving."

Like everyone at the service, the Hindis were just looking for answers, Autry said. Hindi's family members "were very gracious," he said. "And very broken, and certainly just trying to make sense of it all."

Autry was upset later Sunday to learn that Fisher had died, saying Fisher's sister-in-law attended the morning vigil and said his condition was improving. He remembered Fisher as a "kind man" who was passionate about his neighborhood.

Fisher was a member of Hurstbourne Christian Church, where the Rev. Mike Gatton said Fisher volunteered on an administrative committee and was known for his love of food.

"His favorite thing was eating. He absolutely loved fellowship meals," Gatton said.

Wendy Jacob, a vice president and regional employment manager for BB&T, said Fisher trained her in the early 1990s at a bank branch on Whittington Parkway. He was a meticulous worker and instructive teacher who frequently hosted meetings in a community room at the bank.

"He was always willing to give the client what they needed, always went above and beyond," she said.

Jacob, who is head of the Derby Festival's board of directors, said Fisher helped inspire her enthusiasm for community involvement.

Steinbock, who later worked on Leadership Louisville with Fisher, remembered his friend as a loyal Bank of Louisville and BB&T employee who was always smiling.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Marvin J. Fisher

— September 9, 2012

September 11, 2012, WDRBTV:

LOUISVILLE, KY. (WDRB) — The wife of one of the men shot inside a Louisville church last week says the community has lost a great man. Marvin Fisher passed away Sunday morning at University Hospital.

WDRB's Tamara Evans sat down with his wife, who says she had a feeling something was wrong Thursday evening. Candace Fisher says her husband was on the Board of Directors for the Spring Creek Homeowners Association, and was a past president. She never imagined that an HOA meeting, would turn violent.

69-year-old Marvin Fisher was critically injured that evening when police say 55-year-old Mahmoud Hindi shot Fisher and another man over a property dispute. The other man, 73-year-old David Merritt, was the president of the Homeowners Association and died from his injuries.

Candace Fisher was holding out hope that her husband would survive the shooting. On Thursday evening, when she realized what happened nearby at Springdale Community Church, she went there hoping to find her husband.

She says, "I saw two ambulances leave at that time and in my heart I knew my husband was in one of those ambulances. You just know these things somehow, I guess."

When asked, "You just had a feeling?" she replied, "Yes, and it's really great they took him there because I used to work at University Hospital and I got so much support when I was in the hospital with all the nurses and people I used to work with coming up to the floor and hugging me and telling me how sorry they were."

Fisher is planning a celebration of life for her husband this Saturday at 11:00 a.m. at Hurstbourne Christian Church. She's asking people to wear bright colors to remember him.

As for David Merritt, his visitation was Monday at Evergreen Funeral Home.

Mahmoud Hindi is in jail on a \$1 million bond, and police say is expected to face another murder charge.



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Charles William Foley

May 31, 1943— February 1, 2011



Charles William Foley



DANVILLE - Foley, Charles William, 67, of Danville, formerly of Winchester and Louisville, passed away Tuesday, February 1, 2011, at Haggin Hospital in Harrodsburg.

Born May 31, 1943, in Louisville, he was a son of the late Charles Watson and Violet Ecton Foley. Bill, as known by many, was a retired consultant. He also was a former employee for the Joseph Griffin Company in Louisville, which was a trade show and convention company. Chuck, also known as by many, worked in the family Jerry's Restaurant business as a manager in his early years. He also was involved with the family farm in Winchester. Charlie Bill, yet another of his various nicknames, was proud of his involvement with the Boy Scouts, where he was himself an Eagle Scout and Order of the Arrow. He was a member of the NRA and former member of the

Danville [Rotary Club](#), as well as many other civic organizations and committees in and around Danville and Louisville. He also was a member of the First Christian Church in Danville. He was a Kentucky Colonel and attended the University of Kentucky. He was thus an avid UK fan.

Survivors include his dear wife, Bonnie Jean Nix Foley; son, David L. (Wendi) Foley of Lexington; stepson, Louis J. (Dana) Payton Sr. of Louisville; granddaughter, Kathleen M. Foley; and stepgrandchildren, Hannah, Louis Jr., Jamison, Jacob, Hailey and Chase.

Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, February 5, 2011 at Preston-Pruitt Funeral Home, with Dr. Jerry Shepard and Rev. Odis Clark officiating with a short reception to follow at the funeral home. Burial will be privately in Winchester Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Dave Hussung, Jimmy Taulbee, Putney Guerrant, Louis Payton, Sr., Louis Payton, Jr., Roger Washburn, Ron Melton, and Danny Arvin will serve as the pallbearers.

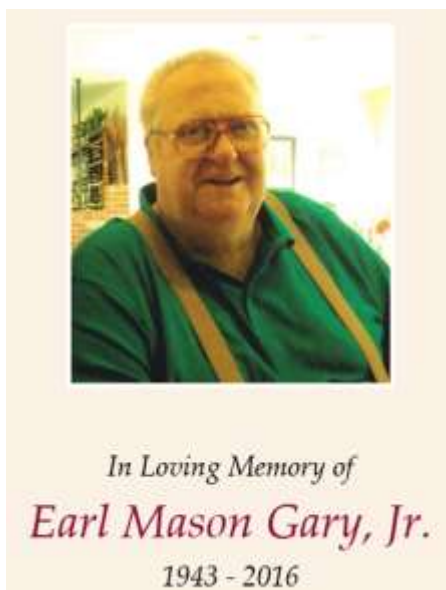
In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to the [American Diabetes Association](#). Tribute wall available at www.preston-pruitt.com.

Published in The Courier-Journal on February 3, 2011

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Earl Mason Gary

January 4, 1943— September 17, 2016



Earl Mason Gary, Jr., 73, of Clarksville, Indiana, left this world on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at Rolling Hills Nursing Home in New Albany, IN. He was born on January 4, 1943 to the late Earl Mason Gary, Sr. & Elsa (Baumgarten) Gary in Louisville, KY. Mason was an expert in all areas of automobiles. It was said he could identify the type of car going down LaGrange Road at the age of 3. He graduated from Waggener High in Louisville in 1961 and attended Bible college at Campbellsville, KY. He said he wanted to save lives either as a minister or an auto mechanic, and his love of cars won out. He drove Figure 8 race cars from the age of 16 until he was 40. He was an ASE Certified Mechanic working at various garages, finally owning Auto Critic, an inspection service, the last 8 years before retiring. Mason was an avid NASCAR collector and was considered the expert in that field by many.

Mason is survived by his wife of 33 years, Marjorie (Henderson) Gary; son, Joel Gary (Katrina); daughters, Donna Seibert (Mike), Cynthia Gary; step daughters, LaDonna Tully (John), Cindy Henry; step son, Michael Gatton (Julie); grandchildren, Shanna, Alayna, & Cooper Gary, Travis Seibert, Kyle & Damon Tully, Karmen & Bryce Henry, Alexandria, Leanna & Shane Gatton; and great granddaughter, Raelee Tully.

Visitation will be from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 20, 2016, at Newcomer Funeral Home (3309 Ballard Lane, New Albany). His Funeral Service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions can be made in Mason's name to Eastside Christian Church (2319 Veterans Parkway, Jeffersonville, IN 47130) or the Alzheimer's Association (6100 Dutchmans Ln, Ste 401, Louisville, KY 40205-3284).

Please consider sharing a memory of Mason or leaving a special message for his family by clicking the "Share Memories" button above.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



William Matthew Hammon

— October 19, 2010



From *The Courier-Journal*, 10/21/2010

William Matthew Hammon



HAMMON, WILLIAM, MATTHEW, 66, of Clarkson, KY, formerly of LaGrange, KY, passed away on Tuesday, October 19, 2010.

He was a retired cattle broker for United Producers and a member of White Mills Christian Church and the Butler County Beagle Club.

He is survived by his wife, Dian Hammon; two sons, Matthew and Beau (Michelle) Hammon; two daughters, Tracey (Corwyn) Hodge and Elizabeth (Phillip) Hackler; a brother, Robert Hammon; a sister, Barbara (Francis) Vanlangendonck; six grandchildren, Chase, Preston and Braxton Hammon, Abrielle Hodge, Isabelle and

Hudson Hackler; and his beloved beagles.

Funeral service will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Oldham County Funeral Home, 706 W. Jefferson St., LaGrange, KY, with burial to follow in the Valley of Rest Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday from 2-8 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to the White Mills Christian Church, 231 Cave Road, White Mills, KY 42788 or the Butler County Beagle Club-KY, 2402 Needmore Road, Morgantown, KY.



706 W. Jefferson St. | LaGrange, KY 40031

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



James Allen Lapsley

January 22, 1944 — May 27, 2005

From *The Courier-Journal*, 5/29/2005, 5/30/2005:

LAPSLEY, JAMES ALLEN, 61, of Louisville, died suddenly on Friday, June 27, 2005. He was retired from the US Army Corps of Engineers, having been the chief engineer in charge of the mechanical and electrical branch, and a



member of Trinity Presbyterian Church and Polo Fields Golf Club. Survivors include his wife of 35 years, the former Sherill Collins; sons, James Allen Jr. (Abby) and Robert Brown (Robin) Lapsley; grandchildren, Paul Stephen, Jacob Robert and Mallory Elizabeth Lapsley; and a sister, Cile Brooks (Bill). His funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 10200 Shelbyville Rd., with interment in Cave Hill Cemetery. The family will receive visitors from 1-5 p.m. Sunday and 4-7 p.m. Monday at Pearson Ratterman Bros. Funeral Home, 12900 Shelbyville Road. The family suggests that, in lieu of flowers, memorial gifts be made to the Davis Barkley Fund in care of his church.



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Kenneth Lee Lewis

— April 8, 1998

E-mail from Steve Porter

Marilyn and others,

Yes, Kenny Lewis passed away a few years ago. I was with him a lot just before he died, including his final day. He had cancer for some time and fought it just like he was behind 3-0 to a batter. He and I went to Coach Vernon Jones' funeral together and had a great time telling Farmer Jones stories to his wife and children. We talked constantly about our days at Waggener and he wanted me to tell everyone that his days there were so happy for him. He loved all the memories and all the friends. By the way, he was the first architecture student to make it through U of K on schedule while on a full athletic scholarship. The dean told him in advance he could

never do it and should drop baseball, But Kenny needed the scholarship. At the end, the dean was at his games. I was honored to spend his last couple of years with him coming by my office and engaging in good, old-fashioned bull sessions. That strong, athletic body was ravaged, but his spirit was strong.

Hello to all from Kenny. He'll be there in September in my heart. Perry Wood died recently. Maybe someone knows more details than I.

Steve Porter

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Kay Lynn Foley Crutcher

September 25, 1943 — July 31, 2018



Kay Lynn Foley Crutcher

Louisville - of Louisville, Ky passed away on Tuesday, July 31st. Born, September 25th, 1943. A graduate from Waggener High School and the University of Louisville, she was the daughter of the late Murriel and Jimmy Lynn.



A beloved wife, mother, grandmother and friend who led by example, not by words. Kay touched the lives of so many, a person of deep personal faith. Throughout her illness, she still laughed, never hesitated to speak her mind, and lived life on her own terms. Her positive attitude and actions were an inspiration to all who were lucky enough to have known her.

Her life was enriched by the love of her husband, Walter; son David Foley (Wendi), Lexington, Kentucky; daughter, Tess; sister Gail Zeh (Steve); grand-daughter, Katie Foley Deinema (Mason), Charleston, SC.; stepson Tab Crutcher; step-grandson Chase Canady; and special nephews Andrew Zeh (Jessica) and Evan Zeh (Katherine); as well as countless friends.

Kay's imprint on our lives will last forever. She never failed to answer the call to any charitable cause or anyone in need. Her extensive volunteer work began at a young age as a Cub Scout den mother and carried on throughout her life to include Big Brothers and Sisters, the Foster Care Review Board, and as a hospital advocate for The Center for Women and Families for over 15 years. Kay's favorite charity was Green Hill Therapy, where she served on the board. Green Hill's mission shared her love of animals and those who need extra love in their lives.

Visitation will be from 4-7:30 pm on Thursday, August 9th at Pearson's, 149 Breckenridge Lane. Funeral Service at 10 am Friday, August 10th at Pearson's. A private graveside service will be held at Kay's request following the funeral.

Please consider a gift in her memory to: Green Hill Therapy, 1410 Long Run Road, Louisville, KY 40245

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Stephen C. Griffin

April 30, 1943— October 2, 2018

Louisville - Stephen C. Griffin, 75, passed away on Tuesday, October 2, 2018.

He is survived by his wife Virginia, his son Paul, and his nieces Susan, Laura, Karen and Jennifer. He is

preceded in death by his parents Floyd and Barbara and his brother Michael.



Steve was born on April 30, 1943. He grew up in Terre Haute and in Louisville, graduating from Waggener High School in 1961 with a football scholarship to Western Kentucky. After serving in the Navy, Steve traveled the world, to places like Australia and Central America. He returned to Louisville, where he married, adopted a son, and worked as a carpenter and foreman for his brother's Griffin Construction Company. Later he worked for Stonelake Homes. He became a Catholic and was a member of the St. Aloysius parish.

On Monday, October 8, at 11:00am, there will be a celebration of Steve's life, to be held at the St. Aloysius chapel (the small church, not the big one), at 212 Mt Mercy Drive in Pewee Valley. Burial will follow at the St. Aloysius cemetery.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Henry Hamilton "Hank" Mashburn III

— November 4, 2006

MASHBURN, HENRY "HANK" HAMILTON III, 63, died Saturday November 4, 2006. He was a retired computer analyst for Carnegie Mellon University. His interests were Bluegrass music and the outdoors. He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry H. and Theodosia Tebbs Mashburn. Survived by his sister, J. Rounsavall Mashburn of Louisville; and his daughter, Adrienne Mashburn Pickett of Newberry, FL. A celebration of his life will be 7 p.m. Wednesday at Bluegrass Brewing Company, Shelbyville Road, Louisville. Burial is Friday in Lexington, KY.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Margaret Ellen SOMMER Purdom

April 10 , 1943— March 21, 1991

Ellen Sommer Purdom dies at 47

Ellen Sommer Purdom, 47, formerly of Louisville, died Thursday, March 21, in Owensboro.

She was a registered nurse at Mercy Hospital in Owensboro and a teacher at Kentucky Wesleyan College.

Survivors include her husband, Ray C. Purdom; two sons, John K. and Clayton C. Purdom, both of Owensboro; a daughter, Elizabeth S. Purdom of Owensboro; her father Edward G. Sommer; and two brothers, Edward G. Jr. and John R. Sommer.

Memorial service was held Saturday at First Christian Church in Owensboro.

Memorial gifts; Kentucky Wesleyan College of First Christian Church.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Diane Ford TAYLOR Sanders

May 29, 1943 — October 17, 1999

Diane F. Sanders, instructor at Louisville Tennis Club, dies at 56

Diane F. Sanders, 56, of Salem, Ind., died Sunday, Oct. 17, 1999, at her home.

A native of Louisville, she attended Waggener High School and graduated from Eastern Kentucky University. She taught math at Ballard High School and was an instructor at the Louisville Tennis Club. A member of the

Salem Ind.) United Methodist Church, she was the widow of Jerry V. Sanders, a pharmacist in Salem.

Mrs. Sanders is survived by a son, Jerry V. Sanders Jr.; her parents, Harold and Louise Taylor of St. Matthews; and sisters Nancy Ray and Mary Lou Taylor.

Services were held at her church Oct. 19 with burial at Crown Hill cemetery in Salem. Arrangements, Dewalt Funeral Home, Salem.



Mrs. Jerry V. Sanders Sr., former instructor for Louisville Tennis Club, dies at 56

Mrs. Jerry V. Sanders Sr., 56, died Sunday, Oct. 17, 1999, at her home in Salem, Indiana.

Mrs. Sanders was the former Diane F. Taylor, a native of Louisville, a former instructor for Louisville Tennis Club and a member of Salem (Ind.) United Methodist Church.

Survivors: a son, Jerry V. Sanders Jr.; her parents, Harold and Louise Taylor; and sisters Nancy Ray and Mary Lou Taylor.

Funeral services were held at Salem United Methodist Church with burial in Crown Hill Cemetery in Salem. Dewalt Funeral Home in Salem handled the arrangements.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Kenneth B. Schueler
January 1, 1943 — October 16, 2014



Kenneth B. Schueler

Obituary



Schueler, Kenneth B.,

71, of Louisville passed away Wednesday October 16, 2014 at Norton Audubon Hospital.

Ken was born January 3, 1943 to Edward Henry Schueler and Nell Stocker Schueler in Louisville, Kentucky. He was a former graduate of Waggoner High School and attended the University of Louisville.

He retired in 2013 after thirty eight years of service with the University of Louisville, Physical Plant at the Health Science Center.

Ken was a locksmith by trade and a member of the Central States Locksmith Association. He also had served as the Mayor of the City of Norwood for many years, and a past member of Glenn Oaks Country Club, St. Mark's Episcopal Church and a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's.

He loved his Louisville Cardinals and enjoyed traveling to follow them on the road. Ken also was an avid model railroad enthusiast. The activity he enjoyed most though was spending time with his beloved granddaughters.

Ken is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Susan Carol Brawner Schueler, his daughter Sarah Elizabeth "Beth" Carlton (Brent), and his two granddaughters Shelby Katherine Carlton, and Emma Elizabeth Carlton, and his brother Edward Terry Schueler.

Memorial Service 11 a.m. Monday at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 2822 Frankfort Ave.
Visitation 2-6 p.m. Sunday at Pearson's, 149 Breckenridge Lane.

Memorial Contributions may be made to Crusade for Children, Kosair Children's Hospital or St. Mark's Episcopal Church Renovation Campaign.

Guest Book

"Ken was a good neighbor and friend of the family. Your..."

- Jim Krumpelman

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Susan Lynn SEAGRAVES Taylor

1943 — February 4, 2011



Susan Lynn Seagraves Taylor



TAYLOR, SUSAN LYNN SEAGRAVES, 67, of Louisville, KY, passed away Friday, February 4, 2011 at Baptist Hospital East.

Susan was a native of Louisville and a graduate of the University of Kentucky, a devoted wife and amazing mother, a member of Crestwood Baptist Church and was active with many organizations, including Crestwood Civic Club and bridge club. Susan was a faithful Christian, loved the Lord with all of her sweet heart and cherished the fellowship of her Sunday school class.

Susan was preceded in death by her parents, John Kean and Lenora Marie Seagraves.

Survivors include her husband of 39 years, John; her four children, Anne-Marie Roth (Kevin), Matt (Monica), Mark (Bridget) and Brad; her seven grandchildren, Jonathan, Caroline, Madeline and Nicholas Roth, and Kean, Natalie and Lauren Taylor; as well as a very special aunt, Marie Potter.

Visitation will be on Sunday from 1-4 p.m. at Newcomer Funeral Home, 235 Juneau Drive in Middletown. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, with visitation after 10 a.m. at Crestwood Baptist Church, 6400 Sweet Bay Drive, Crestwood, KY, with a private burial to follow in Cave Hill.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorials be made to Crestwood Baptist Church or Hosparus.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Richard Shapero

June 11, 1943 — December 31, 2006

SHAPERO, RICHARD D., 63, was born June 11, 1943, and died at his home Sunday, December 31, 2006. Richard was an attorney and Pin Ball Wizard. Richard's U.S. Supreme Court Case, *Shapero vs. Kentucky Bar Association* established laws regarding lawyer advertising in the United States. Richard is survived by his daughters, Annie Rose and Robin; his beloved companion, Jodie Riebel; three brothers, Larry (Karen), Kenny (Chloe) and David (Francoise); four nieces and four nephews. Richard chose cremation. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, with visitation beginning at 1 p.m. at The Temple, 5101 U.S. Hwy 42. Herman Meyer & Son in charge of arrangements. Published in *The Courier-Journal* on 1/1/2007.

Lawyer Richard Shapero dies; he challenged attorney advertising laws and won

Personal injury lawyer Richard Shapero, best known for his U.S. Supreme Court case establishing laws regarding lawyer advertising, died at his Louisville home Sunday.

Shapero, 63, challenged Kentucky's prohibition against targeted direct mailings in 1985, when the state's Supreme Court refused to let him send letters to homeowners facing foreclosures.

In its 1988 ruling in *Shapero vs. Kentucky Bar Association*, the U.S. Supreme Court said that states like Kentucky violated the right of free speech when they banned lawyers from soliciting business through truthful letters to people with particular legal needs.

"He had a profound effect on the law and on attorneys across the U.S.," said Jodie Riebel, Shapero's girlfriend and an attorney for the U.S. Enrichment Corp. in Paducah. She said it appears Shapero died of a heart attack.

"He was one of the first attorneys in Louisville to do a lot of saturation advertising," said Robert Ewald, president of the Kentucky Bar Association. Ewald was head of the Kentucky Attorneys' Advertising Commission when the bar lost the Supreme Court decision.

"There was nothing mean-spirited about Dick. He was a good-hearted, decent guy," Ewald said. "He had his opinion about advertising, and he fought for his position and won."

Shapero's daughter, Annie Rose Shapero, said her father put a lot of zest into everything he did.

"He was audacious. He had lots of chutzpah," she said. "He loved what he did. He loved helping people, striking a good deal."

Amy Arthur, who had been his secretary for nearly eight years, said Shapero was open with all of his clients and colleagues and always let his assistants speak their minds.

Shapero was host of a law talk show on WAVG-970 AM in the late 1980s and once sued the city of Louisville for removing several benches bearing the name of his practice after it called them "visual clutter" in the public right of way.

In 1991, Shapero tried getting around the city's rules by attaching a cup for bench-sitters to drop in coins. "I have a vending machine. It vends seats," Shapero quipped at the time. He went back and forth with the city about his benches for several years. One of the benches still faces Sixth Street near Market Street with an arrow pointing to his office on an upper floor.

Riebel said Shapero was a "neat guy" with a great sense of humor and was one of the most ethical attorneys she had ever met.

"I've never met an attorney who would not disclose a client's name or who would not tell you facts about some juicy person that they were representing, except Richard. Not a word. Not a word," she said.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Richard Shapero

June 11, 1943 — December 31, 2006



The Voice-Tribune, 2/8/2007

Richard D. Shapero, 63, Louisville attorney

Richard D. Shapero, 63, was born June 11, 1943, and died at his home Sunday, Dec. 31, 2006.

Richard was an attorney and Pin Ball Wizard. Richard's U.S. Supreme Court Case, Shapero vs. Kentucky Bar Association established laws regarding lawyer advertising in the United States.

Richard is survived by his daughters, Annie Rose and Robin; his beloved companion, Jodie Riebel; three brothers, Larry (Karen), Kenny (Chloe) and David (Francoise); four nieces and four nephews.

Richard chose cremation. A memorial service was held Wednesday, Jan. 3, 2007.



**Richard Shapero Thinks Ahead
To College Days - - - And
He's Saving For Them Too!**

A few years from now, Richard will face what is rapidly becoming the most important prerequisite to a college education—the finances to pay for it. Richard, like other thrifty students, saves regularly for it at American Building and Loan Association. Their savings earn 5% per annum. Let American College Counselor advise you of the financial and academic start at the college you choose.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Timothy Whitcomb "Uncle Tim" Shrewsbury

November 12, 1942 — November 1, 2007

SHREWSBURY, TIMOTHY WHITCOMB "UNCLE TIM," 64, of Norfolk, VA passed away Thursday, November 1, 2007 in the hospice unit of Baptist Northeast in LaGrange, KY. Tim graduated in 1961 from Waggoner High School in Louisville after which he attended Indiana University. Later, he served as a first lieutenant in the United States Army. He was later a partner in Commonwealth Land and Timber Company in VA. He was an elder of First Presbyterian Church in Norfolk and taught Sunday school and led small groups for 20 years. He was preceded in death by his father, Colonel Martin Whitcomb Shrewsbury; his mother, June Remmers and his stepfather, George Remmers. He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 15 years, Judith; stepdaughter, Meredith Wilkins; mother-in-law, Peggy Blassingham; two sisters, Lynne Shannonhouse and Pamela Knapp (Wally); five nephews, Timothy Skomsky (Zita), Jesse Wesselman (Megan), Gabriel Wesselman (Heather), Paul Michael Wesselman (Theresa), and Christopher Junk; one niece, Joanna Brandt (Doug); two godchildren, Scott and Alison Larmee; and uncle and aunt, Admiral Dean and Sally Axene; two stepbrothers, Jim (Diana) and Rick Remmers; and two stepsisters, Sue Baldwin (Andy) and Jane Meuter (Craig). He is also survived by many close friends and loved ones. After his illness was diagnosed, "Uncle Tim's" acceptance and faith in the Lord served as an inspiration and encouragement to all who had the privilege of knowing him. We all thank God for the time we were able to share with him and the blessings he brought to each of our lives. He will be forever in our hearts. A memorial service will be held noon Friday, November 9, 2007 at the First Presbyterian Church of Norfolk, 820 Colonial Avenue, Norfolk, VA 23507. In honor of his memory, donations may be made to the missions fund of the church.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

James Alexander “Sandy” Spear

1943 — January 14, 2011



Alexander "Sandy" Spear

SPEAR, ALEXANDER "SANDY" Funeral will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at St. Matthews Episcopal Church, 330 North Hubbards Lane, Louisville. A reception will follow the service.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Actors Theatre of Louisville www.actorstheatre.org, Parkinson's Support Center of Kentucky www.parkinson.org, or the Episcopal Church Home, 7554 Westport Road, Louisville.

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Alexander 'Sandy' Speer, who helped put Actors Theatre on path to prominence, dies

By Chris Otts • cotts@courier-journal.com • January 16, 2011

Alexander "Sandy" Speer, a fixture of Actors Theatre of Louisville for 40 years, died of an apparent heart attack at his home in Goshen early Friday morning, said his sister, Marty Wyle.

He was 67.

Speer retired as executive director of the theater in 2006 following the conclusion of the 30th Humana Festival of New American Plays. He stepped down shortly after learning he had Parkinson's disease, said Wyle, a nurse who lives in Los Angeles.

Speer's death came as a surprise, as he appeared to be managing the disease well and had just spent the holidays in California, his sister said.

Speer joined Actors in 1965 and was promoted to general manager in 1969. At age 25, he was "one of the youngest general managers in the 30-odd regional theaters in the country," according to a Courier-Journal account from the time.

Jon Jory, who worked with Speer for three decades at Actors, said if not for Speer's leadership, the theater might not even exist today, much less enjoy the same prominence.

"Sandy assumed the financial leadership at

Actors Theatre at absolutely its lowest point," he said. "1969 through 1971 were times when it would have made sense to close the operation."

But Speer's "deep roots in Louisville" and "wonderful web of contacts" helped put the theater back on track, Jory said. In 1972, Actors moved from an abandoned railway station to its current home at 316 W. Main St.

Trish Pugh Jones, another longtime associate of Speer's at Actors, described him as "a consummate gentleman and a wonderful co-worker and a very loving and loyal administrator."

Besides the theater, he loved collecting antiques and "puttering around in his garden" at his house in Goshen, she said.

Jones said Speer also had a "wicked sense of humor that will be sorely missed."

She recalled that years ago, before Actors Theatre had its parking garage, she once

complained to Speer about a deep puddle near her parking spot on Main Street. Speer proceeded to stock the puddle with some small fish and a sign that said "Lake Louisville."

Speer also is survived by his brother, Kent Speer, of Louisville. He never married or had children.

Funeral arrangements are pending, Wyle said.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Alan Geoffrey Springer

—October 18, 2018



Alan Geoffrey Springer

Louisville - Age, 75, passed away on October 18 in Louisville. He was born in Bridgeport, CT, a son of the late Elmer E. and Lucille Springer. The family was transferred to Louisville with General Electric.

Alan's survivors include his brother, Dean (Jean), sister, Carol Bloyd (Joe), sons, Geoff (Michelle), Aaron, Graeme, 6 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren, nephews, great nephews, and great-nieces.



Alan was devoted to his family who will forever remember him for his storytelling, wit, and musical talent.

Funeral was Wednesday which included, a heartfelt eulogy given by Alan's granddaughter, Ashley. Burial in Cave Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's favorite charity.

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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Anne Tyler BROOKS Stallings

Jun 18, 1943 — February 8, 1989



ANNE TYLER BROOKS (STALLINGS) - BORN: 6-18-1943 DIED: 2/8/1989 - pancreatic cancer - KY Death Index 1911-2000 - Vol. 8 - Certificate #3931 - Jefferson Co., KY - age 45. - Anne was survived by her son James Tyler Stallings. From 1960 until her death she resided at 1104 Fenley avenue, Louisville, KY 40207.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Ronald Hayes Stewart

April 10, 2016

Ronald Stewart

👤 Obituary ➔ Condolences



STEWART, Ronald,

73, of Louisville, passed away Sunday, April 10, 2016 at his home.

He was a Marine Veteran and graduate of University Of Louisville Law School. He was a partner at Stewart & Brammer where he worked with Tarc Bus Company and the City of Louisville.

He is survived by his sons, Paul-Louis Stewart, James Lucas Stewart; mother of his children Helen Flechler Stewart and a dear friend Lindsey Brooks.

Memorial visitation will be Thursday April 14, 2016 4-8pm at Ratterman Funeral Home, 3711 Lexington Rd. "In St. Matthews".

Memorial contributions in his name may go to Hosparus.

Published in The Courier-Journal from Apr. 12 to Apr. 14, 2016



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

James Nicholls Toy

December 22, 1942 — February 15, 2015



Toy, James Nicholls,

of Ft. Myers, FL, passed away in Louisville, Sunday February 15, 2015 after a short illness.

Formerly of Louisville, he was born December 22, 1942 in Lexington to parents Elizabeth Nicholls Toy and James Dyer Toy, who preceded him in death. He graduated from Waggener High School, Centre College and post grad from University of Louisville. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity, the Bachelor's, and a Kentucky Colonel. For a short time he was a stockbroker but found his career as a realtor. Beginning with Mike Skelton Co. and later owning Jim Toy Co. Realtors on US Hwy 42. After moving to Florida, he became involved in building and real estate exchange where he was twice elected Exchangor of the Year.

He is survived by Emily Maxwell; and cousins, Peggy Fleming, Julia Lewis, and Patty Wood (Wally) of Nashville, TN.

Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Pearson's, 149 Breckenridge Lane with burial in Lexington Cemetery. Visitation 4-8 p.m. Friday.

Memorials to Olmstead Parks, Audubon Society, or donor's choice.

Send remembrances to empathyfirst@twc.com



Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Thomas Edward Walsh

January 19, 1943—December 26, 2017



WALSH, THOMAS EDWARD,

74, of Louisville returned to his Heavenly Father on Tuesday, December 26, 2017. Tom was born January 19th, 1943 in Louisville, Kentucky. He worked at Celanese, Devoe and Specialty Coatings Services. Tom is a veteran of the United States Coast Guard. He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church in Jeffersontown. He attended the University of Louisville and was a member of the Triangle fraternity. Tom was an avid fly fisherman and past President of the local Trout Unlimited Chapter. He was also a lifelong Green Bay Packers and U of L Cardinals fan!

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife of 47 years, Nancy Walsh; daughter, Lori Smith (Steve); son, Rob Walsh; grandchildren, Steven Smith, Daniel Smith, Kyla Walsh and Elaina Walsh; sister, Virginia Walsh and best friend Dee Kelly and family.

Funeral service will be held at 10:00am on Friday, December 29, 2017 at Christ Lutheran Church, 9212 Taylorsville Rd. Visitation will be on this Thursday from 2:00 pm until 8:00 pm at Highlands Funeral Home, 3331 Taylorsville Rd.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Christ Lutheran Church.



Highlands
Funeral Home
3331 Taylorsville Rd.
Louisville, KY 40241

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Richard A. "Dick" Watts

— December 24, 2008

WATTS, RICHARD A. "DICK," 65, went home to his Heavenly Father Christmas Eve. Dick was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother and uncle. He will be greatly missed. He was a member of Middletown United Methodist Church and was an independent insurance agent. He will be remembered for his kindness to all those who came in contact with him, his deep faith, his love for his family and his wonderful sense of humor. He is survived by his wife, Janice (Allsmiller); sons, Michael (Kathy) and Todd (Jill); four grandchildren, Michaela, Molly, Caroline and Charlie Watts; two sisters, Doris White (Bob) and Eleanor Blocker (Jerry); four nephews and two nieces. Funeral: 10 a.m. Saturday at Middletown United Methodist, with burial in Cave Hill Cemetery. Visitation: 2-8 p.m. Friday at Pearson-Ratterman. Expressions of sympathy to: Wayside Christian Mission or

Salvation Army.

The Courier-Journal, December 26, 2008

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Alvin Russell Weikel

May 19, 1943— April 29, 2005

Age 62, of Louisville, passed away Friday. He is survived by a son, Alvin Weikel III. Cremation was chosen. Arrangements by Highlands Family-Owned Funeral Home, 3331 Taylorsville Rd. Published in *The Courier-Journal* on 5/4/2005.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



Kirk Williams, Jr.

— September 25, 2004

From *The Courier-Journal*, 9/27/2004:

Williams, Kirk, Jr., 61, of Louisville, died Saturday, September 25, 2004, at Jewish Hospital. He was a retired partner of Williams Pic-Pac Food Stores. He is survived by his wife, the former Kay Melton; three sons, Kirk Williams III (Brenda) and David C. (Kristin) and Scott J. Williams; two sisters, Betty Morris (Hume) and Jane Bolus (David); three grandchildren, Colton J. Williams, Kirk Williams IV and Ruby A. Williams; one niece; and several nephews. His funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Pearson's, 149 Breckenridge Lane, with burial in Cave Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Monday. Memorial gifts

may go to the WHAS Crusade for Children or Kosair Charities.

Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:

Kirk Allen Woolley

April 15, 1943 - February 11/1969

See Tribute To Those Killed in Vietnam, a separate section.



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Waggener High School Alumni, 1961:



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February , 2018



YUNT, JOHN R.,

He was known for his warm humor, friendship and kindness. He retired in 2011 after many years in the design and construction industry. He was an avid motorcyclist and past president of Louisville Tour Riders.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Tom and Irene.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Doris L. Yunt, his daughter Amy L. Lococo, (David), and his son, Lt. Col David W. Yunt (Katrina). John had 4 loving grandchildren, Jordan Lococo, Simon Lococo, Henry Yunt, and Thomas Yunt, that were the light of his life and kept him young.

A celebration of John's life, family and friends will be held Saturday, 10 February from 2-5 pm at Pearson, 149 Breckenridge Lane.

In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation to the WHAS Crusade for Children.



**75, passed away peacefully at home on
Monday, 5 Feb 2018.**

He was a lifelong resident of Louisville,

KY.