

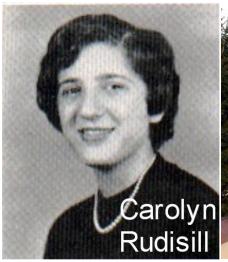
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PASSING OF A CLASSMATE

Carolyn Rudisill passed away on 12.13.10. We extend our deepest sympathies to Walter (Nick) Carter and his family during this difficult time. "Carolyn, you will be sorely missed not only by your family but by your Classmates of 1957 as well.





DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Bob Cianelli



Nancy Nunamaker



Jewel Smith



Dave Ridenour



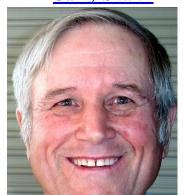
Carole Smith







Garry Shank



Larry Shank



DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES





CLASSMATE ACTIVITIES

Glenn Julian



I will travel to Fort Benning on Dec 13, along with son Gerry, to see his son Jeremy Julian graduate from Infantry basic training.

Editor's Comment: Jeremy, our sincere thanks!

For something special from the third graders of Tussing Elementary in Colonial Heights, Virginia, click on the following link: <u>Tussing Elementary</u>

Terry Strock

1990 Georgia Tech National Championship Reunion

The weekend of November 12, 13 & 14, Georgia Tech honored the 1990 National Championship football team with a 20th year reunion. Cindy and Terry Strock were among over 120 players, managers, coaches, trainers and administrators who attended the festivities.

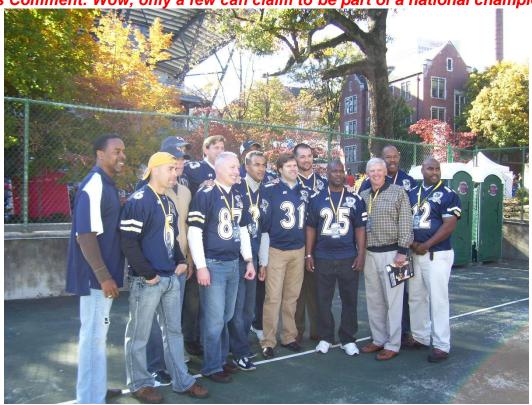
The weekend kicked off on Friday evening with a Welcome Reception at the Hotel Palomar. On Saturday, there was a Pre-game tailgate followed by the 1990 players and coaches leading this year's team on the Yellow Jacket Alley Walk. The players and coaches were recognized at halftime of the Miami-Georgia Tech game. Unfortunately, the day ended with a disappointing loss to Miami.

The 1990 Georgia Tech team had an 11-0-1 record including a 45-21 victory against Nebraska in the Citrus Bowl. They were voted # 1 in the UPI Coaches Poll & in the Sporting News Poll. The AP Poll (Sports Writers) selected Colorado #1 and Georgia Tech #2. The Head Coach was Bobby Ross who had come to Georgia Tech in 1987 after 5 successful seasons at The University of Maryland. Terry was fortunate enough to be hired by Coach Ross in March 1990 to coach the wide receivers. Other coaches on the staff included, Ralph Friedgen, presently the Head Coach at the University of Maryland, Danny Smith, the Special Teams coach of the Washington Redskins and Brian Baker, who played for Ross at Maryland.

We enjoyed seeing and reliving the special moments with the players, meeting their wives and children. This was a very special group of student-athletes. They all have achieved success in their chosen field of work.



Cindy & Terry with the National Championship Trophy Editor's Comment: Wow, only a few can claim to be part of a national championship!



Coach Strock with his boys

Linda Delauder

I have great memories of growing up in Hagerstown, especially during the Christmas season. How did we manage to have our big Christmas show at Surrey School, standing on the hallway steps while adorned with crepe paper collars and holding flaming candles? I recall

some singed hair but the school still stands. St. Marks Lutheran Sunday School gift exchanges brought a pack of life savers, a coloring book w/crayons or nothing, if the kid who had your name didn't show up that Sunday. Some of the highlights of the holidays at our house were the beautiful and delicious ice cream molds from Superior Dairy. Daddy would set up the Lionel trains in our "middle" room and the treat was making the room dark, except the Christmas tree, and Daddy putting the butt of his Camel cigarette in the train smokestack. One year Mother went away for a few days and came home with a baby brother named "Dickie." As I grew older, I remember trips to Baltimore to see the beautifully decorated store windows. The twice a day mail service the week before Christmas was exciting as the deliveries were always made by good looking ... and much older ... college boys home for the holidays. After getting to high school I was allowed to get out of school every afternoon 2 weeks before Christmas so I could work at Leiter's Department Store. Then there was the fun of joining the "gang" to help decorate South High's first Christmas tree in the front hall. It was a very special time.

My family is doing well. Our wish for all is a very safe, healthy, happy and peaceful New Year, after a wonderful holiday season.

Gordon Sanders

Wow, Gordie won 70+ category for the Turkey Trot, a 5K Race at Hagerstown Community College! Most of us couldn't walk 5K let alone run. Gordie also ran the 50 mile JFK in 2002. And plans to run the JFK again in 2012, which will be the 50th anniversary of the race.

Editor's Comment: Hey Gordie, let us know what you eat for breakfast!

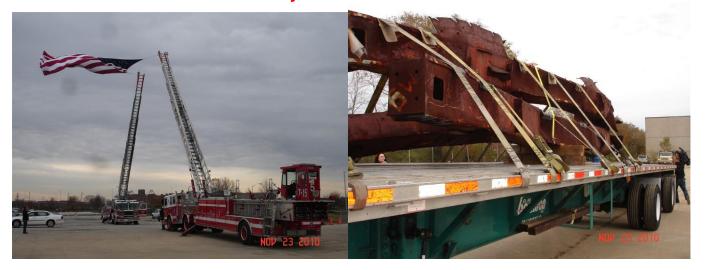
Paul Keplinger

Paul Keplinger ran the JFK 11 times previously. His wife, Nancy, also ran a couple of times and won it in 1974.

Editor's Comment: This is not a surprise since Nancy can kick his butt in golf too!

EDUCATION CORNER

A piece of the North Tower of the World Trade Center in NY recently arrived in Baltimore. It will become a memorial in front of the World Trade Center in Baltimore and will be dedicated on 9.11.11. *Editor's Comment: Mark your calendars and come on down!*



How the world works lately...

If a man cuts his finger off while slicing salami at work,
He blames the restaurant.

If you smoke three packs a day for 40 years and die of lung cancer, Your family blames the Tobacco company.

If your neighbor crashes into a tree while driving home drunk, He blames the bartender.

If your grandchildren are Brats without manners,



You blame television.

If your friend is shot by a deranged madman,
You blame the gun manufacturer..

And if a crazed person breaks into the cockpit and tries to kill the pilot at 35,000 feet, and the passengers kill him instead,

The mother of the crazed deceased blames the airline.

I must have lived too long to Understand the world as it is anymore.

So, if I die while my old wrinkled butt is parked in front of this computer, I want all of you to

Blame Bill Gates ...

The titles of the following newspaper articles clearly demonstrate that proofreading is a dying art these days in the printed media!

Man Kills Self Before Shooting Wife and Daughter

Something Went Wrong in Jet Crash, Expert Says

Police Begin Campaign to Run Down Jaywalkers

Panda Mating Fails; Veterinarian Takes Over

Miners Refuse to Work after Death

Juvenile Court to Try Shooting Defendant

War Dims Hope for Peace

If Strike Isn't Settled Quickly, It May Last Awhile

Cold Wave Linked to Temperatures

Enfield (London) Couple Slain; Police Suspect Homicide

Red Tape Holds Up New Bridges
Man Struck By Lightning: Faces Battery Charge

New Study of Obesity Looks for Larger Test Group

Astronaut Takes Blame for Gas in Spacecraft

Kids Make Nutritious Snacks

Local High School Dropouts Cut in Half

Hospitals are Sued by 7 Foot Doctors

And the winner is......

Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery; Hundreds Dead

COMEDY CORNER

I was in the express lane at the store quietly fuming. Completely ignoring the sign, the woman ahead of me had slipped into the check-out line pushing a cart piled high with groceries. Imagine my delight when the cashier beckoned the woman to come forward looked into

the cart and asked sweetly, 'So which six items would you like to buy?' Wouldn't it be great if that happened more often?

Because they had no reservations at a busy restaurant, my elderly neighbor and his wife were told there would be a 45-minute wait for a table. 'Young man, we're both 90 years old, ' the husband said ..'We may not have 45 minutes..' They were seated immediately.

The reason congressmen try so hard to get re-elected is that they would hate to have to make a living under the laws they've passed.

All eyes were on the radiant bride as her father escorted her down the aisle. They reached the altar and the waiting groom; the bride kissed her father and placed something in his hand. The guests in the front pews responded with ripples of laughter. Even the priest smiled broadly. As her father gave her away in marriage, the bride gave him back his credit card.

Women and cats will do as they please, and men and dogs should relax and get used to the idea.

Three friends from the local congregation were asked, 'When you're in your casket, and friends and congregation members are mourning over you, what would you like them to say?'

Artie said: 'I would like them to say I was a wonderful husband, a fine spiritual leader, and a great family man.'

Eugene commented: 'I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher and servant of God who made a huge difference in people's lives.'

Al said: 'I'd like them to say, 'Look, he's moving!'

Smith climbs to the top of Mt. Sinai to get close enough to talk to God. Looking up, he asks the Lord...'God, what does a million years mean to you?'

The Lord replies, 'A minute.'
Smith asks, 'And what does a million dollars mean to you?'

The Lord replies, 'A penny.'
'Smith asks, 'Can I have a penny?'
'The Lord replies, 'In a minute.'

John was on his deathbed and gasped pitifully. 'Give me one last request, dear,'he said.

'Of course, John,' his wife said softly.

'Six months after I die,' he said, 'I want you to marry Bob.'

'But I thought you hated Bob,' she said.

With his last breath John said, 'I do!'

A man goes to see the Rabbi.. 'Rabbi, something terrible is happening and I have to talk to you about it.'

The Rabbi asked, 'What's wrong?'

The man replied, 'My wife is poisoning me.'

The Rabbi, very surprised by this, asks, 'How can that be?'

The man then pleads, 'I'm telling you, I'm certain she's poisoning me, what should I do?'

The Rabbi then offers, 'Tell you what. Let me talk to her, I'll see what I can find out and I'll let you know.'

A week later the Rabbi calls the man and says, "I spoke to her on the phone for three hours. You want my advice?'

The man said yes and the Rabbi replied, 'Take the poison'

Ten Thought to Ponder

Number 10	Life is sexually transmitted.
Number 9	Good health is merely the slowest possible rate at which one can die.
Number 8	Men have two emotions: Hungry and Horny. If you see him without an erection, make him a sandwich.
Number 7	Give a person a fish and you feed them for a day. Teach a person to use the Internet and they won't bother you for weeks.
Number 6	Some people are like a Slinky-not really good for anything, but you still can't help but smile when you shove them down the stairs.

Number 5 Health nuts are going to feel stupid someday, lying in hospitals, dying of nothing.
 Number 4 All of us could take a lesson from the weather. It pays no attention to criticism.
 Number 3 Why does a slight tax increase cost you \$800.00, and a substantial tax cut saves you \$30.00?
 Number 2 In the 60's, people took acid to make the world weird. Now the world is weird and people take Prozac to make it normal.

And the Number 1 Thought:

Life is like a jar of Jalapeno peppers--what you do today, might burn your ass tomorrow.

--- and as someone recently said to me: "Don't worry about old age--it doesn't last long."