

# NORTH & SOUTH Hagerstown High Schools Class of 1957 Online Newsletter January 2011 Edition



# **JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

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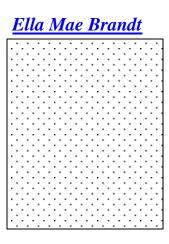


Arlise Weaver



John Urner





Francis Norris



**Bob Westphal** 



Mary Angle

# **JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES**

**Bob & Arlise Weaver Cianelli** 



Dick & Nelda Baker



Larry & Nancy Nunamaker Weber



**Bob & Audrey Smith** 



**Carroll & Jane Wright** 



And now, our "Rookies",

John & Alice Ann Lindsey Colton



**Congratulations!** 

Our wedding was definitely the defining event of 2010. On August 21 we began our life's journey together with joy. What an incredible gift! How we got there is a story of its own. In January John and I went to visit Doug and Fran Pollard in Bonita Springs, FL. We left the warm sunny weather and came home to six fresh inches of snow, but that was just a warm up for February! By Feb. 6 we had 28 inches of snow. I got out briefly then we had more snow and I was stuck in the house with snow over the top of my deck railing and up to my hips in the driveway! John rescued me on my birthday. I walked down my steep and winding driveway in that deep snow to meet him at the bottom. Between the snow confinement and being in love with a long time bachelor, I was pretty discouraged. My driveway was finally plowed and clear on February 17. On February 23 I decided I could no longer handle being just a good friend to a man I loved so deeply. With great sadness, I prepared to end our relationship. But wonder of wonders, that evening John proposed and the way that looked so dark and impossible filled with light and love!! Thanks be to God!!The big day in August finally arrived. We celebrated with 171 friends and family in attendance!! Good friends and family came from New York, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee! I would have never looked for a relationship like this, but God can do more than we can ask or even imagine! Happy New Year to all!

### **CLASSMATE ACTIVITIES**



Private Jeremy Julian, graduated from basic training as Infantryman on 15 December 2010. He is wearing the Army Combat Uniform. His MOS is 11C ("Eleven Charlie"), mortarman. On 4 Jan 2011 he reports at Ft Hood TX for advanced training with the 1st Cavalry Division.



(Click on Pic above for Additional Pics)

On December 3, I left sunny Florida for a very cold, very snowy cruise on the Danube River to visit the Christmas markets. In Germany, I started out in Nuremberg. There, I visited the building where the Nuremberg trials were held, and also the stadium where Hitler held all the parades and drills for the Nazis, and of course the Christmas market. Next I stopped in Regensburg, the oldest city on the Danube. During the 12th and 13th century, Regensburg was the wealthiest and most populated city in southern Germany. The city suffered no damage during the war, so all of the churches, palaces and buildings are preserved as they were 100's of years ago. And then, I stopped at another Christmas market. Next stop was Passau. Here, we visited the St. Stevens Cathedral, which is located on the highest point in the City. The organ is the largest organ in a Catholic Church with 17974 organ pipes, 233 stops and 4 carillons. And of course, I stopped at another Christmas market. Next stop was Melk in the Wachau Valley Austria, a wine producing area. 200 feet above the city is an Abbey dating back 900 years, and a Christmas market. Next was Vienna, where I attended a Mozart/Strauss concert in the Kursalon, built in 1865. Vienna was ruled by the Hapsburg Dynasty from the 13th Century until 1918. And....another Christmas market. Last on the tour was Budapest. Until 1873 Buda and Pest were actually two cities. Then a chain bridge was built by engineers from Scotland, so the two cities became one. I stayed two extra days in Budapest. My hotel was in the old section of Buda, high on the hill and it was originally part of an old Castle. Budapest is a really beautiful City, with many beautiful old buildings. They also have a diamond factory, where you can see how diamonds are cut and polished. And.....the last Christmas market. The markets are all beautifully decorated and are all very different. One thing that is common to all the markets is the sausage sandwiches and the Glubwein (pronounced Glue Vine) which is a hot spiced wine. Delicious!! Arrived back home on the 13th to 35-40 degree temperatures, which seemed almost balmy after the cold and snow I had just left.

# **Bob & Arlise Weaver Cianelli**

We were fortunate that our family could be together at Christmas. All of us wanted to welcome the troops home during this special season. We are well aware that many of these brave young men and women have served multiple tours in Iraq and Afghanistan and most, as a result, have been away from their loved ones during the Christmas Season. The grandchildren handed out the "goodie bags" to 240 troops on December 28<sup>th</sup> as they arrived back in the "The Good Ole USA!" (For you vets, "The Land of The Big PX!")They want to welcome the troops every time they visit Grandma & Pap. Colin made a presentation at his middle school in Aliso Viejo, CA requesting that his fellow students prepare welcome home cards for the troops. His entire middle school participated and he brought the cards with him from CA to Grandma & Pap's house.

(L-R Back Row: Angie, our son-in-law Bob Rowe, our daughter-in-law Kelly and Tom.) (L-R Front Row: Brady, Colin, Mia, Ava.)



## **EDUCATION CORNER**

# (Debated on where this should be placed, Comedy or Education – Education won out.) ONE-LINERS

- There's a self-help group for compulsive talkers called On & On Anon.
- Funny that most of our best-sellers are written at a 9th-grade reading level.
- I'm not rude, I'm "attitudinally challenged"
- > If the alarm clock woke you up this morning, you didn't get enough sleep.
- I'm not paranoid! Which of my enemies told you this?
- > Being over-conservative is the most reckless kind of driving.
- > I was born intelligent . . . education ruined me.
- No one is funnier than people who take themselves too seriously.
- > Ambivalence may or may not be my problem.
- > The average man is the one who thinks he isn't.
- Today is the last day of your life, so far.
- > People never grow up; they just learn how to act in public.
- > In a nuclear war, all men will be cremated equal.
- ➤ When men send flowers for no reason, there's a reason.
- Knowing your destination is half of the journey.
- > Hell hath no fury like the lawyer of a woman scorned.
- ➤ We ridicule the homeless, but we're the ones waking up to alarm clocks.
- Don't question authority..... It hasn't got a clue!
- > It's easy to spot the smart people . . . they're the ones listening.
- Crime wouldn't pay if the government ran it.
- > They tell you not to shy away from your problems and then they have the nerve to call themselves shrinks.
- > Conscience is what hurts when everything else feels so good.
- > Talk is cheap because supply exceeds demand.
- Even if you are on the right track, you'll get run over if you sit there.

- An optimist thinks that this is the best possible world. A pessimist fears that this is true.
- There will always be death and taxes; however, death doesn't get worse every year.

# What Was Happening in January 1957?

- January 3 Hamilton Watch Company introduces the first electric watch.
- ➤ January 4 After 69 years the last issue of Collier's Weekly Magazine is published.
- ➢ January 6 Elvis Presley appears on The Ed Sullivan Show for the 3rd and final time.
  He is only shown from the waist up, even during the gospel segment, singing "Peace In
  The Valley". Ed Sullivan describes Elvis thus: "This is a real decent, fine boy. We've
  never had a pleasanter experience on our show with a big name than we've had with
  you. You're thoroughly all right."
- January 9 British Prime Minister Anthony Eden resigns.
- ➤ January 10 Harold Macmillan becomes the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom.
- > January 13 Wham-O Company produces the first Frisbee.
- **➤** January 16 The Cavern Club opens in Liverpool.
- ➤ January 20 Dwight D. Eisenhower is inaugurated for a second term as President of the United States.
- ➤ January 22 -The New York City "Mad Bomber", George P. Metesky, is arrested in Waterbury, Connecticut and is charged with planting more than 30 bombs.
- ➤ January 23 Ku Klux Klan members force truck driver Willie Edwards to jump off a bridge into the Alabama River; he drowns as a result.
- ➤ January 31 Three students on a junior high school playground in Pacoima, California are among the 8 persons killed following a mid-air collision between a Douglas DC-7 airliner and a Northrop F-89 Scorpion fighter jet, in the skies above the San Fernando Valley section of Los Angeles, US.

# **COMEDY CORNER**

# LARRY MAY BECOME MY NEW FAVORITE!!!!



A new teacher was trying to make use of her psychology courses. She started her class by saying, 'Everyone who thinks they're stupid, stand up!' After a few seconds, Little Larry stood up. The teacher said, 'Do you think you're stupid, Larry?' 'No, ma'am, but I hate to see you standing there all by yourself!'

Larry watched, fascinated, as his mother smoothed cold cream on her face. 'Why do you do that, mommy?' he asked. 'To make myself beautiful,' said his mother, who then began removing the cream with a tissue. 'What's the matter, asked Larry 'Giving up?'

Larry's kindergarten class was on a field trip to their local police station where they saw pictures tacked to a bulletin board of the 10 most wanted criminals. One of the youngsters pointed to a picture and asked if it really was the photo of a wanted person. 'Yes,' said the policeman. 'The detectives want very badly to capture him. Larry asked, "Why didn't you keep him when you took his picture?"

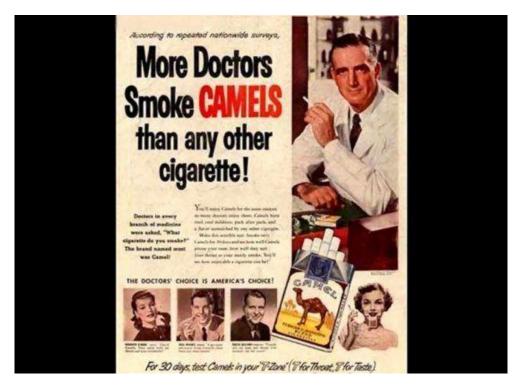
Little Larry attended a horse auction with his father. He watched as his father moved from horse to horse, running his hands up and down the horse's legs and rump, and chest. After a few minutes, Larry asked, 'Dad, why are you doing that?' His father replied, because, when I'm buying horses, I have to make sure that they are healthy and in good shape before I buy.

Larry, looking worried, said, 'Dad, I think the UPS guy wants to buy Mom ....'



Ahh, Don't We Miss The Good Ole Days!



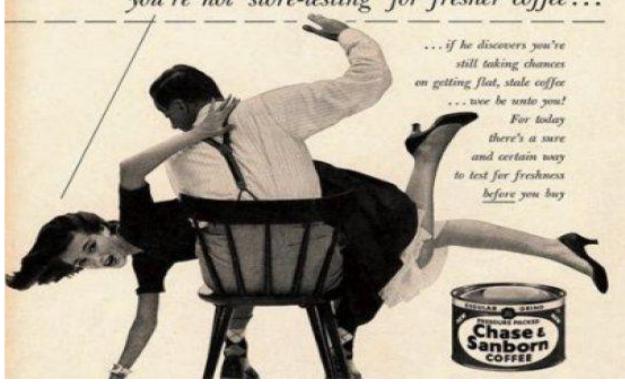




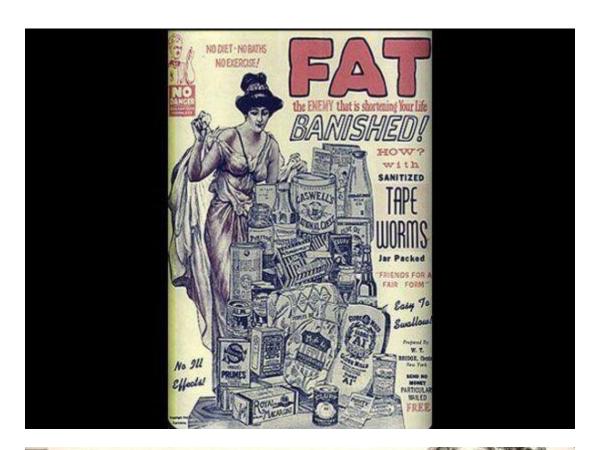


# If your husband ever finds out

you're not "store-testing" for fresher coffee . . .









A case of <u>Blatz Beer</u> in your home means much to the young mother, and obviously baby participates in its benefits.

The malt in the beer supplies nourishing qualities that are essential at this time and the hops act as an appetizing, stimulating tonic.

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