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Greetings to the Loveland High School class of 1964

I was a little reluctant to write this short summary of my life because I feel so very blessed, so let me begin by giving credit to the One who deserves it, Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Education

After leaving LHS I attended Colorado State University for two years before transferring to University of Colorado where the partying really got serious. I also had the best job of my life while there, working as a waiter at the Gamma Phi Beta Sorority House. After graduating with a Finance degree I went to work, but returned to law school at night at Denver University where I got a Law degree in 1975 and was admitted to the Bar in Colorado and California.

Employment

After a 6 month stint with an insurance company, I went to work for Chevron Oil Company where I enjoyed a wonderful 35 year career. During my time there I worked in Chevron's marketing, property tax, income tax and Land groups, with most of my career being spent in the Land Group (That's the people that lease property for oil and gas exploration and production and negotiate and write the various land related contracts) . My career included stops in Denver, San Francisco, Houston and Bakersfield, with my last days before retiring being spent in Houston.

After retiring from Chevron I spent a few years doing part-time consulting work for Quorum Business Solutions in Houston.

Family

I have been married to my wonderful wife Pat for 33 years and have two children, Haley, who works as a software developer with Netflix and lives with her husband, Philip, in Mountain View, CA and Brandon, who lives with his wife Madison in Katy, TX and works as a buyer for Kinder Morgan in Houston, TX. I also have two beautiful grandchildren, Daisy (2) and Darby (8 mo).

Pat and I have retired in an active adult community named Robson Ranch outside of Denton, TX, where my focus now is trying to learn how to play golf.

Memories from Loveland High School Days

What I remember most about my classes at LHS was my great math teacher, Walt Speece. Had they offered Calculus in high school then I would probably have taken a whole different career path. Outside of school I most enjoyed spending time with my best friend, Gary Disney, rock climbing in the Big Thomson Canyon and playing pick-up football games.