

Proudest Achievements

- “Against All Odds Award” on projects at work.
- Being a key person involved in the restoration of a vast water supply system in Saudi Arabia including meeting with Sheiks and other high ranking personnel in their government.



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Pictured left: Ron (right) enjoys a birthday with friends (photo of band he plays with on bag)



MHS Memories

- Summer band camp at KSU and making new friends with kids from out of town who played the same instrument,
- Hanging around the Student Union and playing the various games available there.
- Summer outings and campouts
- Spending hot summer afternoons at the swimming pool and horsing around
- Exciting incidents that took place at Teen Town—sitting in w/Matt Betton Band there
- Attending concerts at KSU when big name bands came to town

Career / Post High School Education / Military Service

Career: Project Manager/Lead Engineer, US Corps of Engineers (USCOE) and FAA – Retired from engineering work only. I am involved in several business activities and real estate investing.

Post HS Education: Kansas State University, BSME; University of Missouri and Inter American U. – post-grad credits

Military Service: US Air Force, 1963-1968, Rank of Captain
Other Training: Numerous military and civilian schools provided by employers

Hobbies / Interests / Sports / Church

Sports: Softball, table tennis, miniature golf

Hobbies/Interests: Scuba, music, travel to exotic places

Church: Variety of church activities



Recognize the center trumpet player?

Travel

Three years in PR while in the Air Force. One year each in Waco, TX and in CA while training for the Air Force.

Travels to **Germany, Japan, Hawaii, Mexico, Jamaica, Virgin Island, Saudi Arabia, FL, etc.**

1950s Pop Culture

Favorite songs in HS: “Rock Around the Clock”; *Favorite 1950s songs now:* “Wayward Wind”

Favorite singers in HS Rosemary Clooney and Patti Paige

Favorite 1950s recording artists now: Harry James, Stan Kenton, Woody Herman, etc.

Favorite movies in HS: *Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea, Underwater*

Favorite 1950s movies now: *A Star Is Born*