

**Family & Pet Friends**

Sons: Derrick (Rick) and David Randall (Randy)  
*Grandchildren: 5*  
 Great-granddaughter: 1

*Rick is a Lt. with the Dallas Fire Dept. His wife, Djuna, is a pediatric nurse. They have 3 boys and 1 girl.*

*Randy is a carpenter. He and his wife Debbie live just outside Junction City. They have one grown daughter.*

*Pets like family: 5 beautiful Shelties: Roxy, Ranger, Ralph, Callie & Duke currently share our home and hearts.*



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**Proudest Achievements**

Being the mother of two fine sons

**Career**

*Career: Housewife; Longest employer: Denny J. We have some rental properties that I have always managed, help clean, etc. etc.*



**1950s Pop Culture**

*Favorite songs in HS: Pretty much whatever was on the top of the charts; Favorite '50s songs now: Same as then. Favorite singers in HS. Elvis, Pat Boone, Everly Brothers, Kingston Trio; Favorite '50s singers now: Elvis, Kingston Trio, Harry Belafonte*

Denny surveys the Cape of Good Hope.

**Hobbies / Interests / Sports / Volunteer**

*Sports: I walk my dogs 2 miles every day on a trail in a local park with other dog-loving friends. Sometimes we have as many as 14 dogs*  
*Hobbies & Interests: Travel, camping, bridge, mah jongg, reading, scrapbooking*  
*Volunteer: Friends of Animals, Elks Lodge, Junction City Little Theater*

**Town Memories**

For me, life centered around the swimming pool in the summer. We took every swimming lesson we could take so we could be there in the morning, too. We all flirted outrageously with the life guards. I even married one.

Remember Fran Schneiders' ballroom dance classes at the Community House? We'd walk to Dunne's Drug for a smoothie before calling our parents.

I remember the '51 Flood was spooky with the water getting deeper in the basement all night and close to the house. We waded out in hip deep water the next day. Everyone had to take a typhoid shot, but I didn't because I had taken that dreaded shot at school that spring. I thought I was lucky.

Driving around to see the homecoming displays at the fraternities and sororities was always a lot of fun. Unfortunately, despite their enthusiasm, KSU never seemed to win the game.

We lived in HI for 2½ years while Denny was in the Marines. We have traveled extensively in the U.S. Since Denny's retirement, we try to travel outside the U.S. at least once a year. We went to **Africa** on safari and visited **Peru, Ecuador, Australia, China, Thailand, Vietnam** & European destinations. We visited Janet and Pat Duncan in **England, Trinidad**. In Jan. '08, **Egypt & Jordan**; Dec. '08, Anactica to celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

**MHS Memories**

- A bunch of us would pile in Sandy's or Glenda's car every day after school and drive to Charco's for a coke.
- Did anyone ever wear that jumper we made in 8<sup>th</sup> grade sewing? Everyone for 20 years made the same one.
- Janet and I spent hours and days making a scale model of a Roman house for Latin class. That same house got an "A" the next year, too (different teacher) and yet again, a couple years later for a friend.
- How we loved to get Bryce Todd talking about football—good for a whole period with no geometry
- Remember slam books & the "purity test"?