



REUNION DAY 2023

CLASS OF 1973

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS



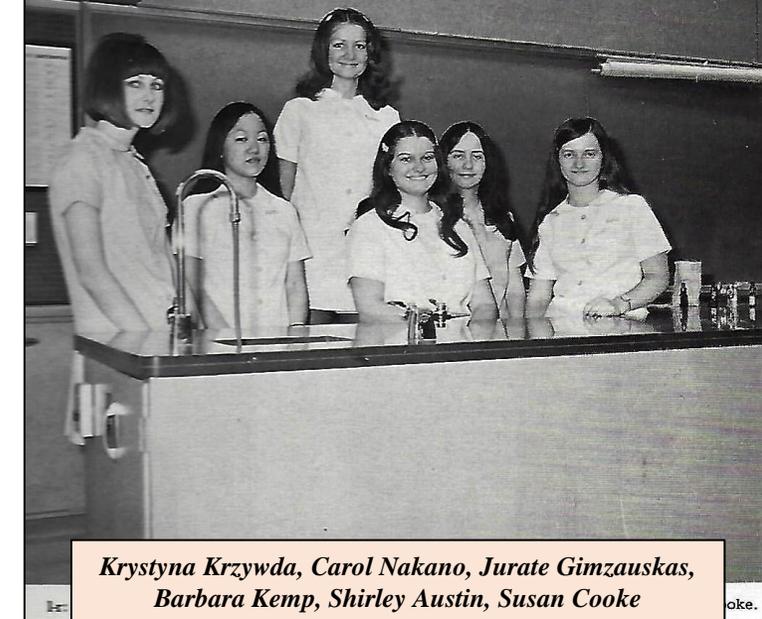
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FRONT ROW: Mary Ann Smith, Marie Barrett, Suzanne Burkhardt, Judith McInnes



Judith McInnis



Gail Burke



Krystyna Krzywda, Carol Nakano, Jurate Gimzauskas, Barbara Kemp, Shirley Austin, Susan Cooke



**Sister Dorothy Goetz '73 and Sister Eileen Morrissey '56
 Sisters of Notre Dame**



STANDING: Lucy Sawicki, Karen Bedeus, Diane Przewczek, Patricia Yipchuck
SEATED: Marilyn Lambertus, Ruth Phillips, Michele Beaugrand, Faye Bittner



Janne MacDonald



Judy Hemsley



STANDING: Louise Bordin, Barbara Earl, Magda Duiker, Bonnie Sipkema,
SEATED: Vera Harasym, Margaret Newport, Mary Beth Showalter, Nelda Eising, Janne MacDonald



*Heather Adamson, Patricia Bond, Wendy Smith, Susan Maas, Janet Minor
Deborah Riddiough, Jane Steele, Theresa Moczynski, Bonnie Embry*



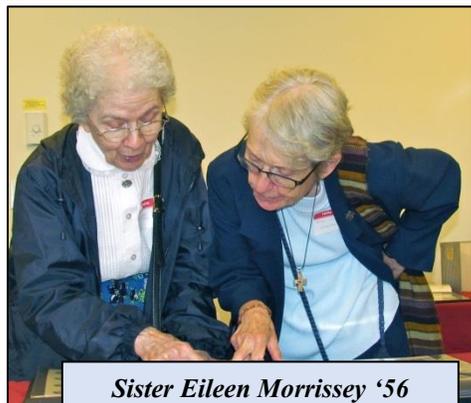
*Susan Humphrey '73 gave the closing grace.
Reunion Day 2018*



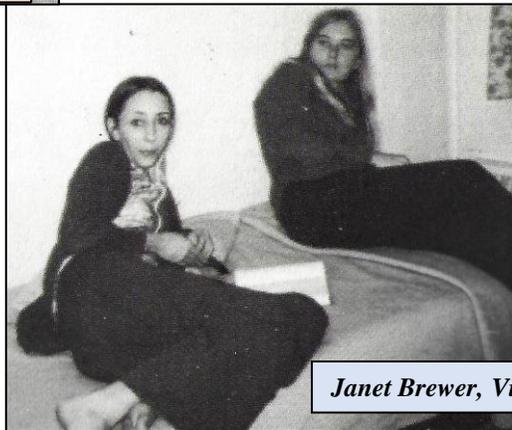
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*Melanie Ruiz '73
Sister Patricia Hanlon '50*



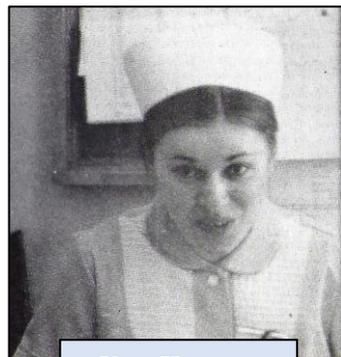
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Sister Dorothy Goetz '73
Sisters of Notre Dame*



Janet Brewer, Vilja Landers



*Cheryl Gravelin McQueen '66
Moirra Brown Neil '73*



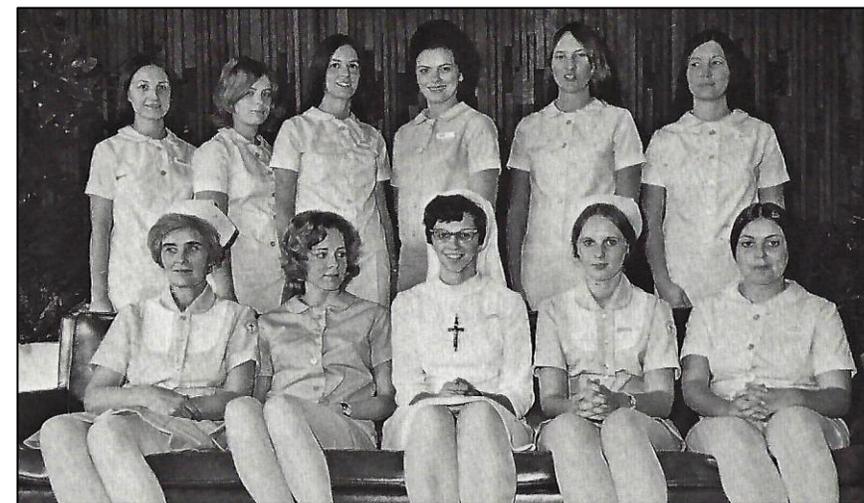
Vera Harasym



Moire Neil



*Joan Mulrain Joyce Kellar
Gregory '73 Grohn '73*



*STANDING: Brenda Hacking, Caroline Houser, Joanne Winter,
Norma Hickey, Caroline Winstanley, Jo-Anne Taylor
SITTING: Mary Pickett, Elsinde de Jonge, Sister Barbara Graf
Sonja Rogers, Sharon Tenenbaum*



STANDING: Sandra Cameron Johnson, Shirley Anderson, Catherine Abbs, Marilyn Annable, Margery Kollee, Jean Arthur, Deborah Taylor
SEATED: Gail Burke, Anne Rawson Hardy, Marianne Fochuk, Beverly Hollo, Linda Huyghebaert, Elva Academia



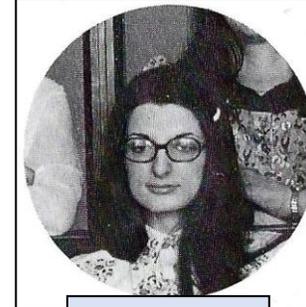
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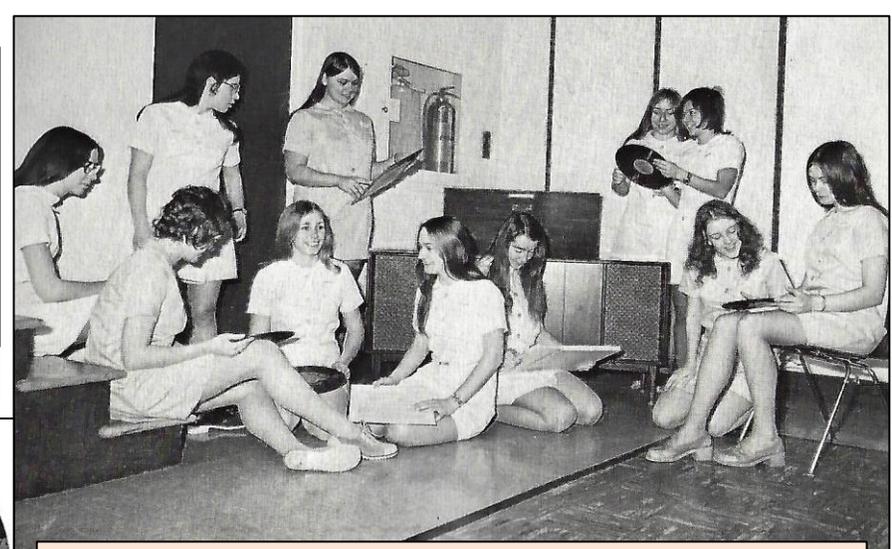
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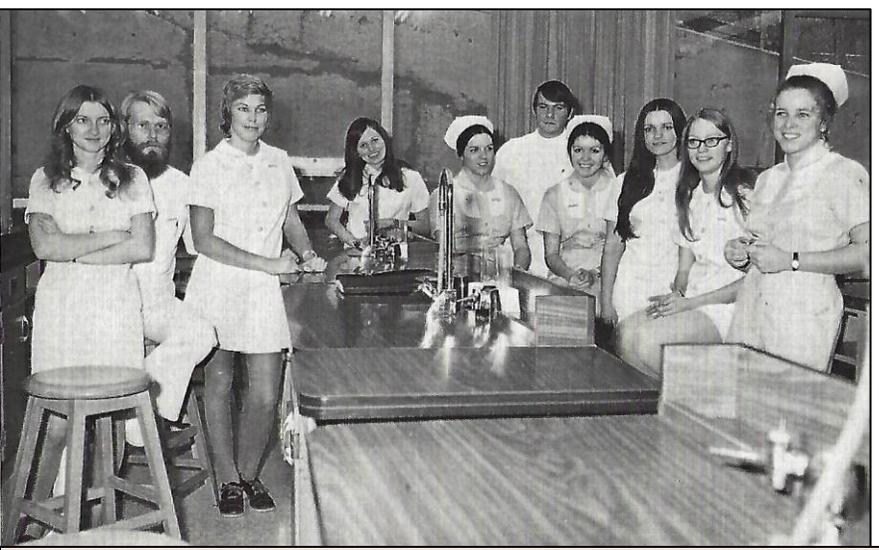
Janet Cutten



Ann Purser



Susan Smith, Patricia Day, Maria Stanziani, Joyce Keller, Marsha Ferri, Moira Neil, Cathy Burns, Debbie Ufton, Marie Chernets, Linda Pigott Smith, Kathy Alexander



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Kathy Alexander



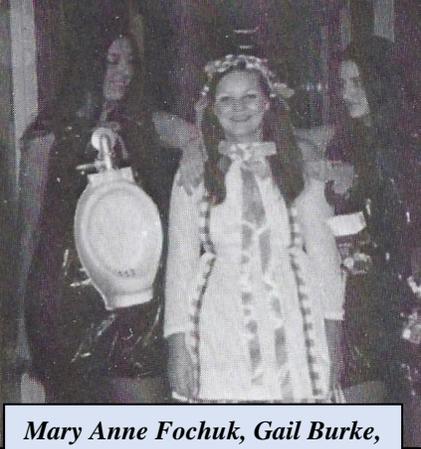
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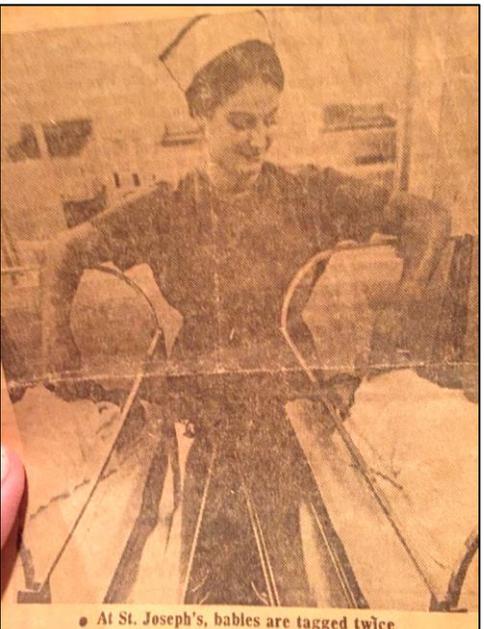
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STANDING: Judy Hemsley, Joan Currie, Darlene Ellis, Sheila Montague
SEATED: Corinne Gower, Deborah Abbs, Vilja Landers, Janet Brewer



**Mary Anne Fochuk, Gail Burke,
 Linda Huyghebart**



• At St. Joseph's, babies are tagged twice

Barb Kemp Sharpe '73
 Newborns are tagged and identified twice at St Joe's



Janet Cutten



Nancy Manninen, Cyndy Campbell



Kathy Alexander



Colleen Young Williams '73
Karen Wilson Martin '69



Joyce Kellar, Joan Mulrain



Janne MacDonald



Diane MacKenzie



Jo-Ann Cavin

ESTIMATED COSTS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1972-73

TUITION FEES

A tuition fee in the amount of \$250.00 per year will be charged to each student. This fee will be collected yearly in two equal instalments per year - the first \$125.00 at the time of admission and the second \$125.00 in January of the same academic year.

INSTALMENT PAYABLE ON REGISTRATION DAY	\$ 125.00
INSTALMENT PAYABLE IN JANUARY, 1973	125.00

EXPENSES

The sum of \$325.00 is payable only once and covers the 2 year programme. This amount is payable to St. Joseph's School of Nursing on Registration Day and covers the cost of the following:

Textbooks (includes year book)	\$ 150.00
Uniforms (includes caps, name bar, school year pin, scissors)	90.00
Travel expenses (field trips, community agencies, etc.)	25.00
Graduation expenses	60.00
	\$325.00

EXPENSES PAYABLE ON REGISTRATION DAY \$ 325.00

This money, other than Graduation Expenses, is not refundable after 10 days. We require that uniforms, caps and School insignia be returned to the School authorities when a student withdraws for any reason.

STUDENT COUNCIL FEE

A Student Council fee of \$7.00 is payable to the Student Council on Registration Day. AMOUNT PAYABLE . . . \$ 7.00
This amount is payable to STUDENT COUNCIL, ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL OF NURSING.

RESIDENCE ACCOMMODATION

Beginning in September, 1972, students living in residence will be charged at the following rate:
SINGLE ROOM - \$60.00 per month - \$650.00 per school year
DOUBLE ROOM - \$50.00 per month - \$550.00 per school year
PAYABLE - SEPTEMBER 1st - 50% (for term Sept. 1st to January 31st)
- FEBRUARY 1st - 50% (for term February 1st to June 30th)
No refund will be made for room charges for incomplete terms.
Meals may be purchased in the Hospital Cafeteria as desired.
PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHEQUE PAYABLE TO: ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL OF NURSING

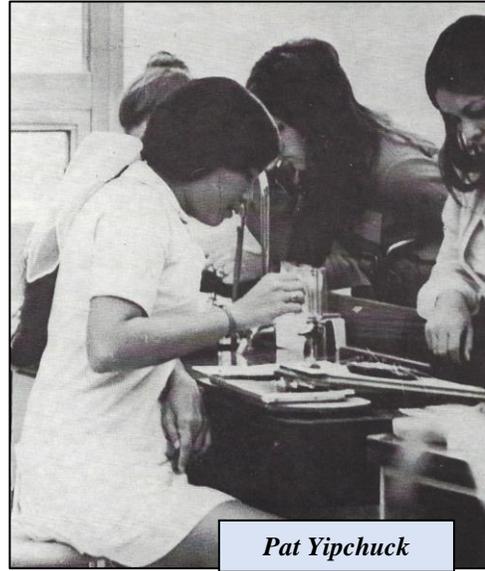
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		graduation expenses	\$60.00
Student Council Fee	\$7.00		

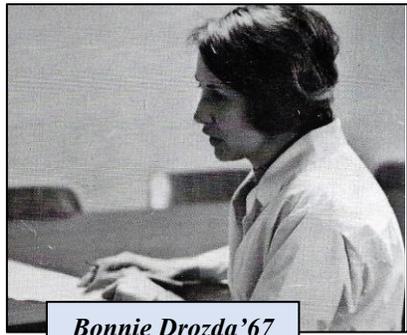
Students paid \$325.00 on Registration Day



Joyce Bechthold, Patty Day



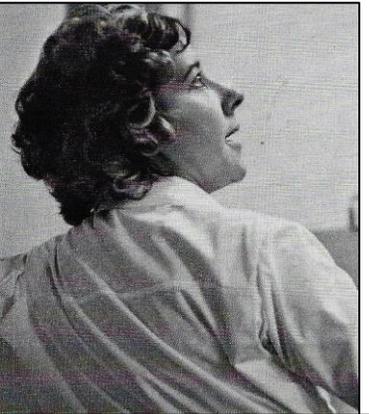
Pat Yipchuck



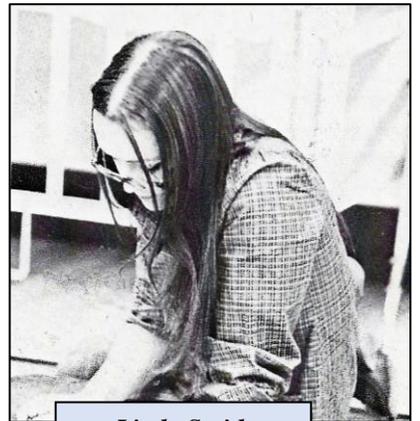
Bonnie Drozda '67



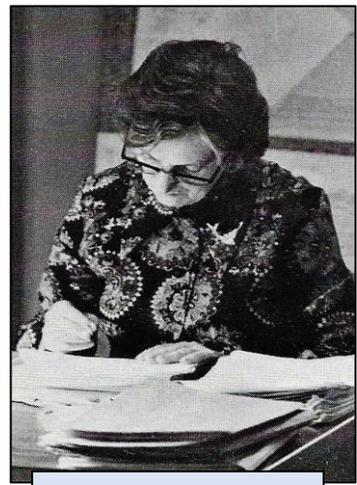
Patricia Gilbert '62, Virginia Frere



Doreen Duncan Valente '55



Linda Smith



Violet Jennings '38



Susan Humphrey '73 won the 50 / 50 draw Reunion Day 2018



1st Year Teachers
BACK ROW: Marg Golding, Virginia Frere, Sheila Sisson
FRONT ROW: Violet Jennings'38, Bonnie Drozda'67, Patricia Gilbert'62, Doreen Duncan Valente'55, Holly Green

Board of Directors of St Joseph's School of Nursing

**An organization established to review policies and to oversee the management of the School of Nursing
The board consists of 10 elected members and 7 appointed members to the Board, who are prominent members of the community**

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There are two student members who sit on the Board; a second year and a first year student. This year's first year student appointed to the Board was Ellen McKelvie. Each alternate year a student member is appointed to the Board. Marie Yakimoff was the faculty member appointed to the Board this year.

The Board of Directors is subdivided into four groups which meet independently throughout the year and then meet as a total Board at meetings held intermittently throughout the year. The sub groups of the Board include the Executive Committee, the Personnel Committee, the Finance Committee and the Educational Committee (of which the two student representatives are members).

Such policies which are discussed at the Educational Committee, the Learning Resource Centre, which has been discussed at length these past two years in relation to the new programme established here in our school, and other pertinent business which arises throughout the year.

As Student members, both Ellen and I shared similar experiences at our first meeting of the Board. Personally it has helped me gain insight into the government about our school. This year has been exceedingly busy with the recent announcement from the Ministry of Colleges and Universities that the Nursing Schools throughout Ontario are to become affiliated with the Community Colleges. St. Joseph's is very special to me in very many ways, having seen the time and dedication that the number of interested people in our community have spent with the overall management of our school. I can understand why St. Joseph's is very unique in its own way.

I'd like to extend my thanks to those who elected me to the Board and I hope that Ellen finds her experience of working on the Board of Directors a very intriguing one.

Louisa Bordin



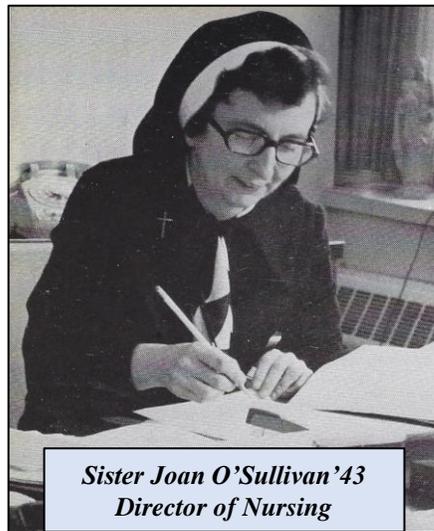
**Marie Andreychuk Yakimoff '54
Faculty member**



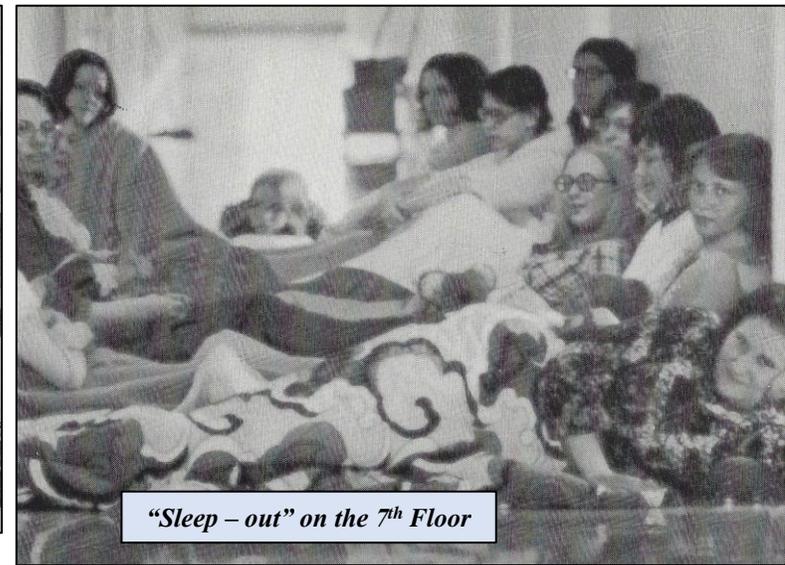
Elizabeth Foley



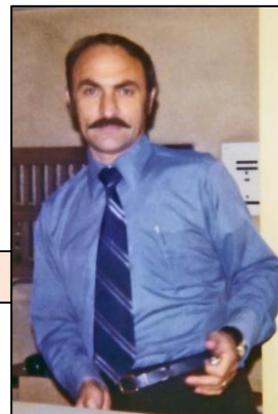
Isabel Kerr '60



**Sister Joan O'Sullivan '43
Director of Nursing**



"Sleep - out" on the 7th Floor



Tony - SECURITY



Sydney Bright



**Pat Ostapchuk
Associate Director of Nursing**



Ellen McKelvie '74



Louisa Bordin '73



**Michele Beaugard, Nancy Minninen
Reunion Day 2018**



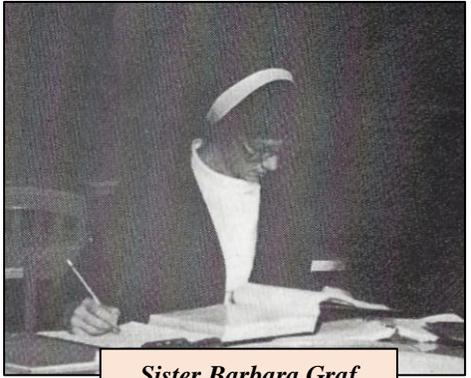
**Joan Mulrain, Debbie Abbs, Kathy Alexander
Reunion Day 2013**



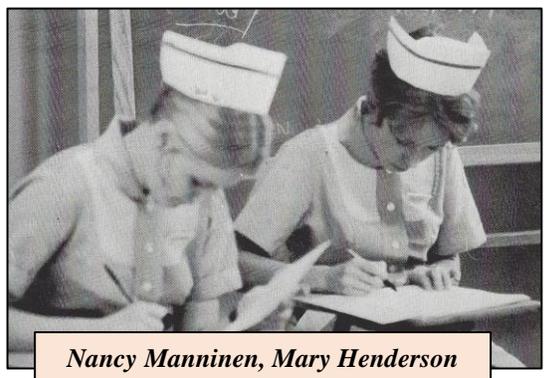
**Sue Tucker, Anne vanDomselaar & Pat Day
Stapling Professions Papers on "Staffing"**



Colleen Young, Joyce Kellam, Gail Burke, Linda Huyghebaert, Jo-Ann Taylor



Sister Barbara Graf



Nancy Manninen, Mary Henderson

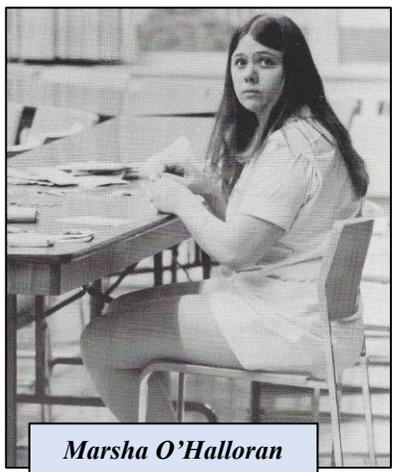
As traditional at St. Joe's as the caps we don is the class song. Each class gets together and hashes out ideas until the masterpiece is created. At the time this book went to press the Class of '74 had yet to present us with their song. Therefore all we could produce for you was:

CLASS SONG of '73

Hey look us over,
 Who do you see?
 We're the St. Joe's gang, Class of '73.
 Sleeping in carrels,
 Snoring in G.A.S.,
 Slaving over objective tests and mouthing off in S.A.S.
 And then it's up very early,
 Off to the wards,
 Showing in the enemas and praying to the Lord.
 So please beware all patients 'cause we're coming to you next,
 Hey look out world here we come.

We live in residence,
 Gee what a ball,
 Especially on Sundays, squeaking beds and all.
 Chasing the Mac Men,
 Belting back the beer,
 Staggering into residence with Sister standing near.
 And it's hassles over telephones,
 One call each night,
 Remember the limit or else you'll have a fight.
 We were all such very quiet kids before we came in here.
 St. Joe's look what you've done!

We stuffed our faces,
 This year we fast,
 We take the forty five and hope that it will last.
 Happiness will be the mood when we get out of here.
 Summer of '73 ---- Here we come!



Marsha O'Halloran



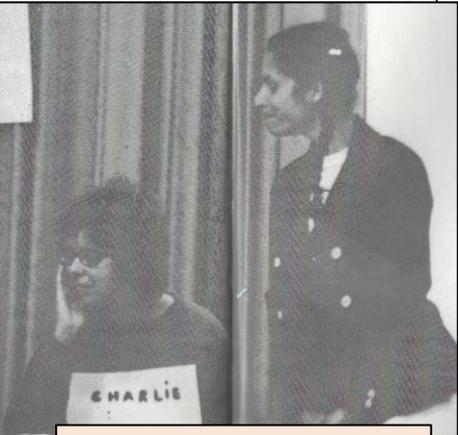
Jo-Ann Cavin
BLACK BANDS



Left to right: *students on the 4th floor Fontbonne*
Back Row: *Caroline Clarke, Betty Foley, Vera Harasym, Judy Schmidt, Debbie Riddiough, Sue Maas, Anne vanDomselaar, Janet Minor, Cindy Campbell*
Front Row: *Janice Smith, Pat Day, Pat Bond, Nancy Manninen*



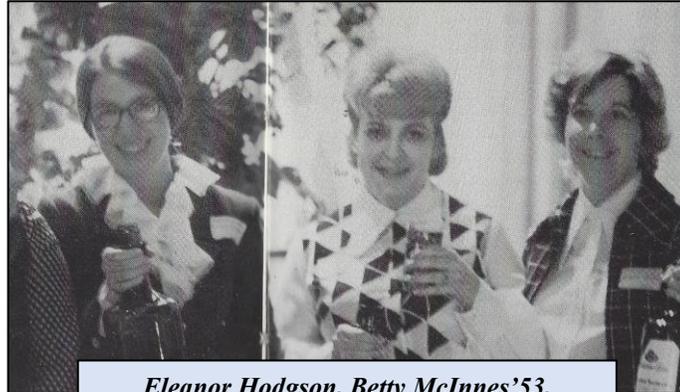
Marie Barrett



Bonnie Sipema, Zina Nichols



Judy McInnes, Carolyn Winstanley, Jo-Anne Taylor, Suzanne Burkhardt, Patricia Giesbrecht, Sister Barbara Graf, Mary Ann Smith



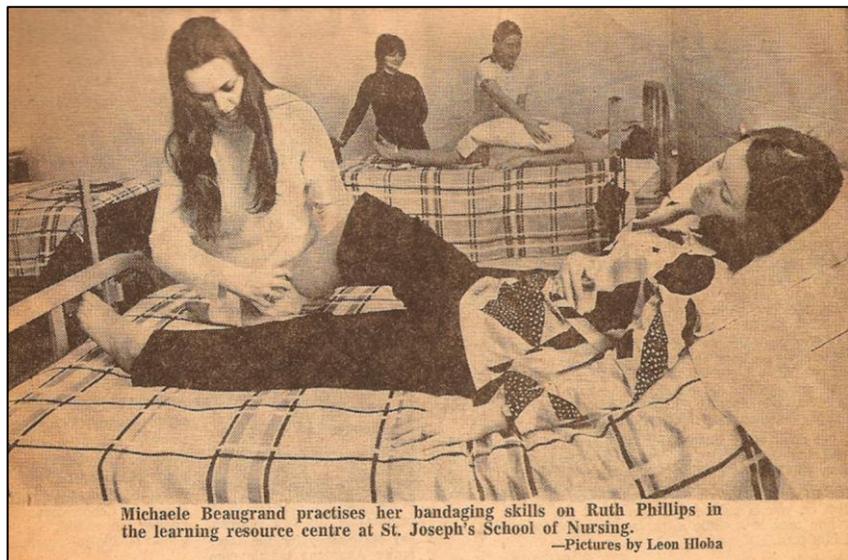
Eleanor Hodgson, Betty McInnes '53, Doreen Duncan Valente '55



Sharon Tenenbaum, Nancy Mannenin, Janne MacDonald, Jean Arthur

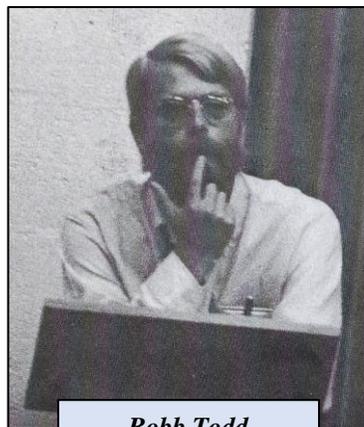
INDEPENDENT LEARNING

Published in the Hamilton Spectator February 7, 1972

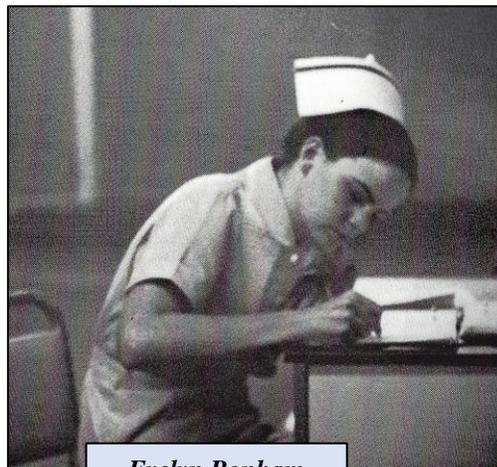


Michele Beaugrand practises her bandaging skills on Ruth Phillips in the learning resource centre at St. Joseph's School of Nursing. —Pictures by Leon Hloba

Michele Beaugrand, Ruth Phillips



Robb Todd



Evelyn Bonham



2nd Year Teachers

*BACK ROW: Sydney Bright, Cecily Smith, Jeanette Tada, Evelyn Suva, Ann Murphy, Isabel Kerr '60
FRONT ROW: Liz Foley, Marie Andreychuk Yakimoff '54, Simon Kam*

MOHAWK TEACHERS



Shaheed Mohammed, George Koblyk, Mona McAnuff



John Lambert



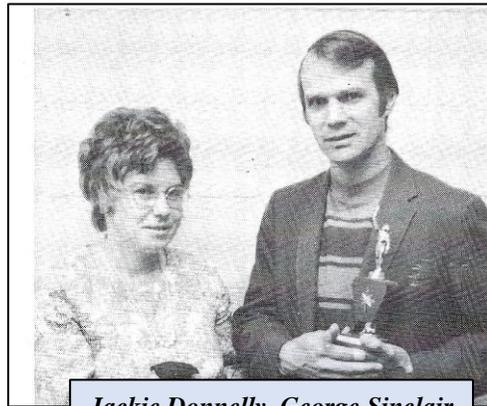
*Kathy Alexander Jackson '73
Pat LaFlamme Savelli '57*



*Linda Huyghebaert, Marianne Fochuk, Joan Mulrain,
Joyce Kellar, JudyHemsley
Reunion Day 2003*



Ed Babiski, Roger Mann, Bob Donnelly



Jackie Donnelly, George Sinclair

MISS HOPE

The crab – most people know what a crab looks like, but they don't know anything about it, and hence try to avoid any contact with it (to the point of not learning about it). Crabs are scavengers and are therefore considered unclean. They reside in shells cast off from other shellfish and, once they've outgrown that abode, move on to another one – not highly selective. Instead of moving forward or even backward as other creatures do, they inch sideways, resolutely, almost insiduously. It seems difficult to stop them – one can only alter their course towards an unknown destination. You can't even stop them by cutting off a limb – a new one grows back again.

It was this animal that inspired Hippocrates when he labelled cancer with the name that still causes dread and fear. The Roman Galen described this disease as an accumulation of "melancholy", or black bile. His word was accepted as complete truth for 1500 years. Thankfully science has advanced greatly since the Middle Ages and much has been learned about cancer. Unfortunately, however, the public and many professionals have not progressed as rapidly as research has. There is still great ignorance, fear and superstition surrounding cancer. It is in this area that the nurse's role is so vital.

The nurse, both as a professional and a concerned citizen of the 20th century has an obligation to look at cancer – and learn as much as possible about it. Her role with a cancer patient is very complex – not only is she responsible for physical care and great emotional support, but also for educating the patient, his family and the people around him. We must dispel the myths about cancer, and replace them with facts. Not all the facts are pleasant but the public must be informed.

When I worked at Princess Margaret Hospital people kept asking me "How can you do volunteer work there? Don't you find it terribly depressing?" I cannot find that hospital depressing. I've seen so many people treated successfully. I've seen children run and laugh again and men and women go back to their families. I've seen hope and amazing results. Certainly there are deaths – many of them unnecessary because the person was ignorant of the facts or afraid to go to a doctor. This is the depressing aspect of cancer nursing – knowing that someone may die who wouldn't have to if he had sought early treatment and help. There may never be one single miraculous cure – we can't lead the public to expect that – cancer is too complex a disease. Treatment may be long, involved and painful – not always as easy as swallowing pills – but it is definitely treatment – successful and very worthwhile.

We in the 20th century equate treatment with cure. Treatment for cancer involves preventative and palliative measures, as well as curative ones. It can be more important to an individual to be relieved of his pain than to be cured of the disease. It is often not death that people fear. Extension of life itself is an accomplishment that we often underrate.

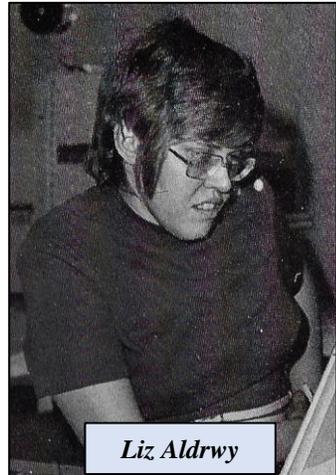
To me it is fitting that Miss Hope is a student nurse – she represents energy, enthusiasm and a desire to learn. She doesn't pretend to have all knowledge – but she hasn't stopped trying to acquire the facts. We must stop running from the crab. We must clear away the misconceptions and look at what we can rightfully fear, in order to conquer this disease – "you can't fight a foe that you don't even know". Cancer CAN be beaten – it has, it is, and it will continue to be beaten if we all work together.



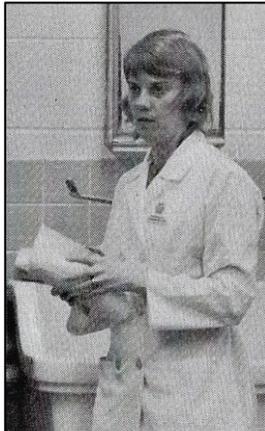
Sincerely,

Janet Cutten

LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRE



Liz Aldrwy



Doreen Good



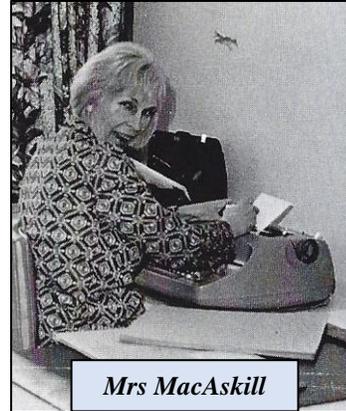
Penny Neville



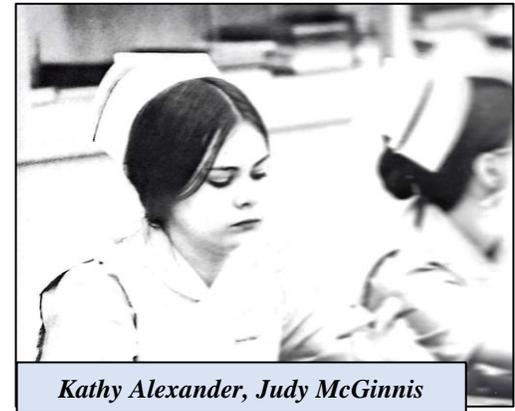
*Janet Brewer
Reunion Day 2013*



Sheila Smith



Mrs MacAskill



Kathy Alexander, Judy McGinnis



Pat Boyko



*Marie Barrett, Robb Todd, Wendy Spangenberger
Reunion Day 2008*



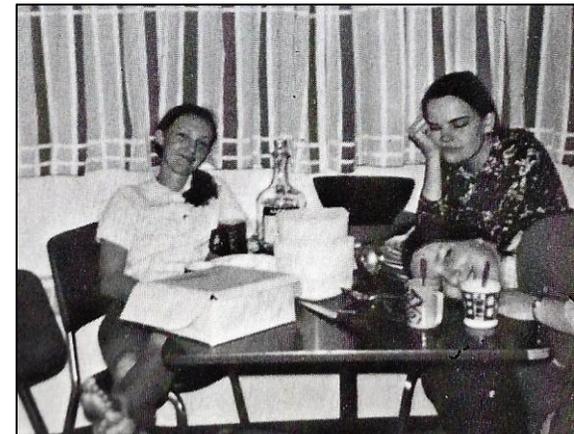
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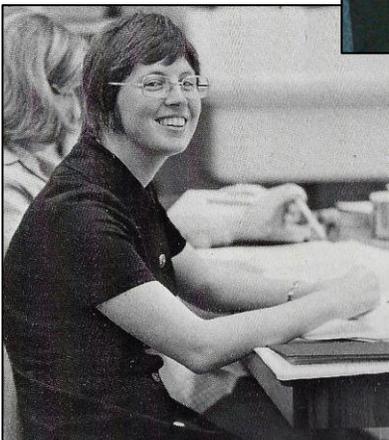
Mrs. Brown



Pat Yipchuck



Marie Barrett, Evelyn Bonham, Colleen Young



Karen Wilson Martin '69



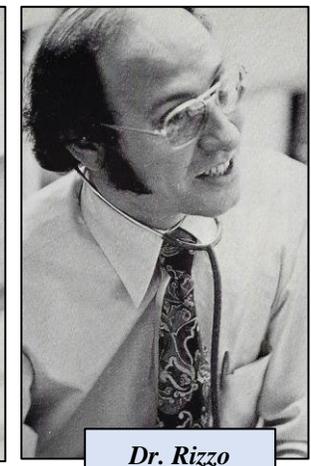
Dorothy Yelland, Ellen Kenyon '68, Eleanor Hodgson



Betty McInnis '53



Mrs. Reid

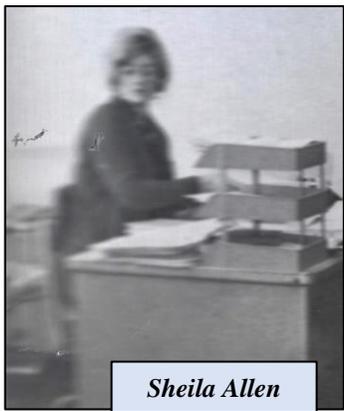


Dr. Rizzo

HOUSEMOTHERS



Mrs Core



Sheila Allen



Mrs Spera in SUMO



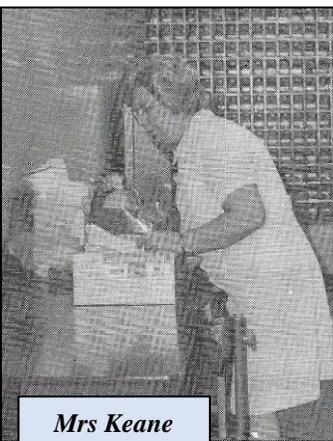
Mrs Hanlon



Moira Brown



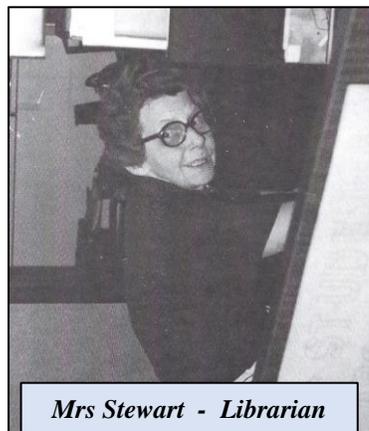
*Margaret Newport '73, Judy Wilson Ersser '73,
Karen Wilson Martin '69, Kathy Alexander Jackson '73,
Ellen Shepperd Monkhouse '68
Alumnae Tea 2015*



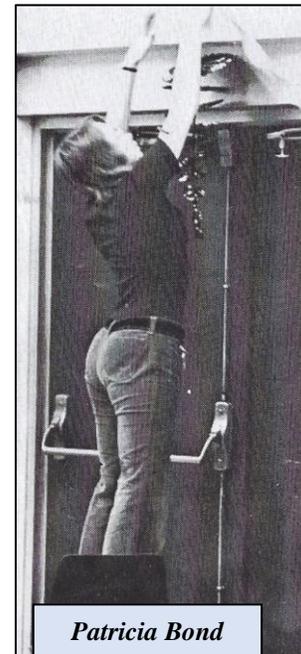
Mrs Keane



Judy Wilson, Judy McInnis



Mrs Stewart - Librarian

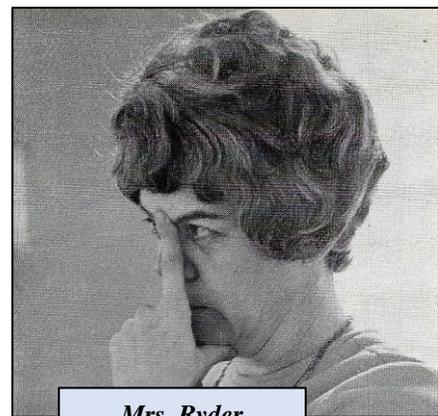


Patricia Bond



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ABSENT: Maureen Bitner '73 (Treasurer), Barbara Baker '73 (Lay-outs)*



Mrs. Ryder



Mrs. Kalry



Mrs Mancini



June Anderson

STUDENT COUNCIL

President's Message



On behalf of the Students' Council, I would like to express our appreciation to the students and staff for the success of many activities during the past year.

The yearbook, "Vox Omnium", would not have been possible without the devoted time and effort of the Committee. For this, we "thank you".

Best wishes to those students who will be continuing their education at St. Joseph's School of Nursing.

To those who are graduating this year, I wish you every success possible in the future. Although we have completed our two years of education at this school, may you ever be mindful that nursing is a constantly progressing career, that our education is ever ongoing, and that it is now up to us to keep ourselves and others around us motivated. I hope that your enthusiasm and the qualities which compelled you to choose nursing as a career continue - that you maintain your caring attitude and sensitivity to others. If situations appear to get out of hand and become too much for you to comprehend, I hope you will keep this short poem close at hand,

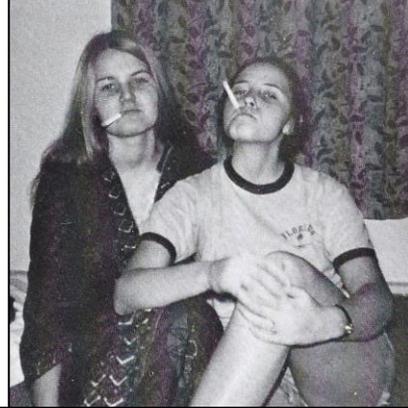
"Though we travel the world over
to find the beautiful,
we must carry it with us
or we find it not."

(Emerson)

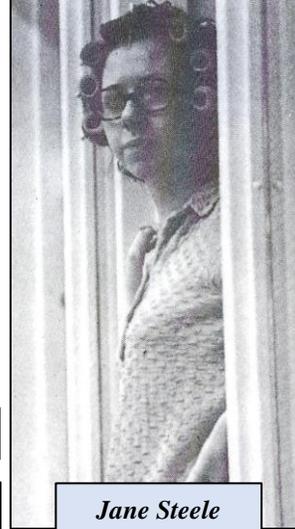
May we now express our sincere appreciation to Sister Joan, our parents, and our friends to whom we turned to, for their understanding and that extra word of encouragement.

Yours sincerely,

Kathy Alexander



Nancy Manninen, Pat Giesbrecht



Jane Steele



BACK ROW: Terry Maas '74, Jane Shepherd '74, Kathy Krar '74
MIDDLE ROW: Debbie Tyler '74, Suzanne Burkhardt '73, Mary Beth Showalter '73, Jackie Zenick '74,
FRONT ROW: Rosina Martinello '74, Nancy Manninen '73, Pat Giesbrecht '73, Kathy Alexander '73
ABSENT: Janice MacDonald '73



Vera Harasym



DORM PARENTS
BACK ROW: Colleen Young '73, Pat Blackburn '74, Jo-Ann Cavasin '73, Moira Neil '73, Sharon Tenenbaum '73
FRONT ROW: Diane Labrie '74, Frances Schott '74, Pat Strong '74



Virginia Rizzo, Patricia Bond
Reunion 2008



Nelda Eising, Debbie Abbs, Darlene Ellis
Reunion Day 2013



Editor's Note

Today is special for a very good reason:

Not because of the month,
Not because of the season
But because you are you and
Because I am me and
Because we are friends.

This piece of prose was given to me by someone who felt that it summed up completely and beautifully what our yearbook was trying to say this year. It is not only that we at St. Joe's are friends, but also that we act as a family, helping, sharing and caring. Each section of the yearbook is preceded by the member family image. We, the yearbook staff, hope that this moment of 1972-73 will recall this to you in the years to come.

I'd like to thank the yearbook staff, especially Ann Purser, for their initiative, imagination and hard work that they put into this book; Pat Boyko, who assisted with the photography, Betty McInnes, teachers, and Isabel Kerr (our staff advisor) for her assistance throughout the year.

Thanks,

Sheila Smith '73



Isabel Kerr '60



Kathy Alexander & Buster



Ann Purser '73



Joanne Winter



*Moire Neal '73, Robyn Innes '78,
Terrianne Dowhaniuk '78*



Sue Burkhardt



Colleen Young



*Quilt square made by members of the class of 1973
which became part of the quilt celebrating the 150th
Anniversary of the City of Hamilton in 1996
Photo submitted by Marilyn Lambertus Wolsley '73*



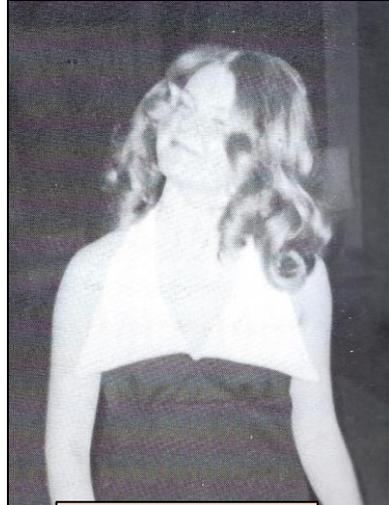
Janne MacDonald, Nancy Manninen



*Linda Huyghebaert, Gail Burke
Reunion day 2013*



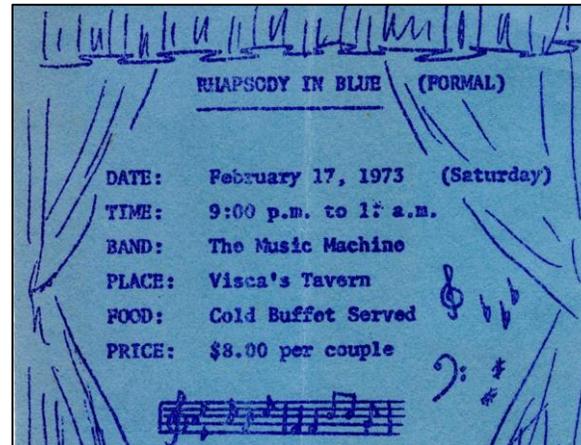
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Kathy Alexander Jackson '73, Pamela Sefton Fisher '69
Alumnae Tea '2015*



Nancy Manninen



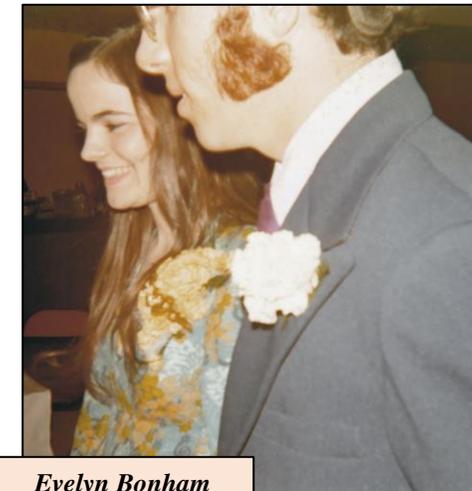
Joanne MacDonald



RHAPSODY IN BLUE
Held Saturday February 17, 1973
At Visca's Tavern \$8.00 per couple



Karen Wilson Martin '69 and her husband Doug



Evelyn Bonham



Bonnie Baker, Barbara Baker, Debbie Abbs, Judy Schmidt, Elva Academia



Valerie Carpenter



Class of 1973 Celebrating 40 Years



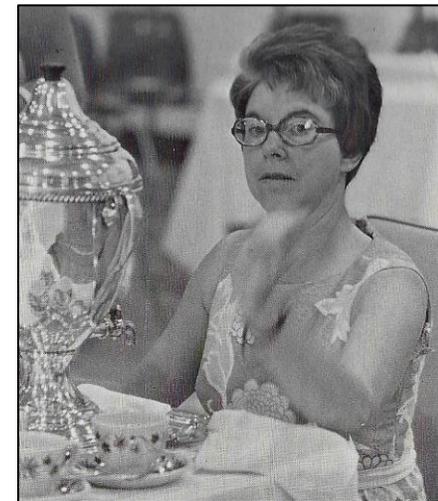
*Mother – Daughter - Son Tea Sunday July 8, 1973
Linda Hugebart, Mrs. Fochuk, Marianne Fochuk, Mrs. Neil,
Mrs. Day, Patricia Day, Barbara Baker, Zina Nichols*



Marilyn Botham



*It was a very hot and muggy day but the turn-out was quite good
Mothers got a chance to meet the girls that their daughters went
through their training with..*



Marion LeSeuer Langballe '51



Marie Barrett, Colleen Young, Valerie Carpenter



Class of 1973 Celebrating 40 Years at Hidden Valley Park, Aldershot



*Mother – Father – Daughter – Son Banquet
Friday July 13, 1973*

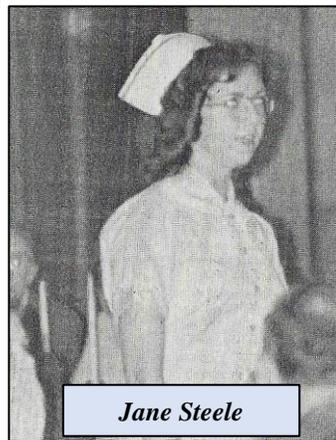
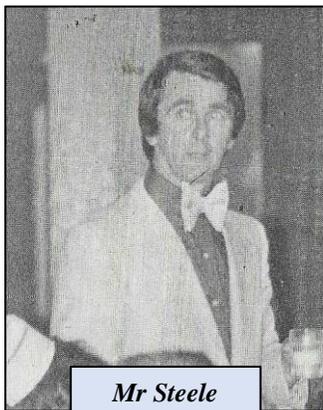
*Miss Isabel Kerr was a guest speaker.
Mr. Steele toasted the grads.
Jane Steele'73 returned the toast to the parents,
The banquet was followed by the Wine and Cheese party.*

Vera Harasym

Isabel Kerr'60

*Karen Wilson Martin'69
Educator – Learning Resource Centre*

Colleen Young



Mr Steele

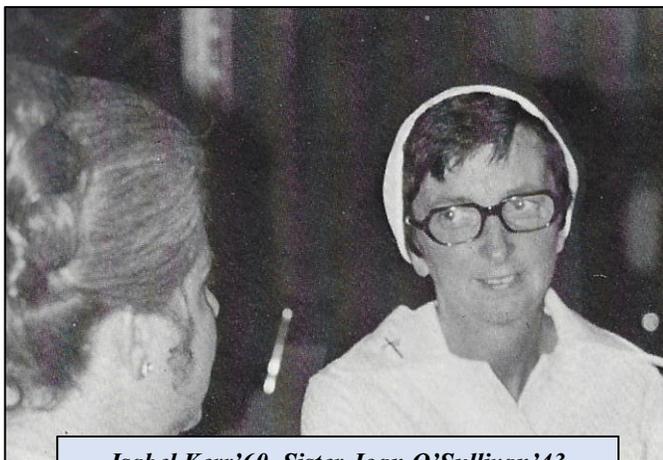
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Marie Barrewtt, Evelyn Bonham



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Isabel Kerr'60, Sister Joan O'Sullivan'43



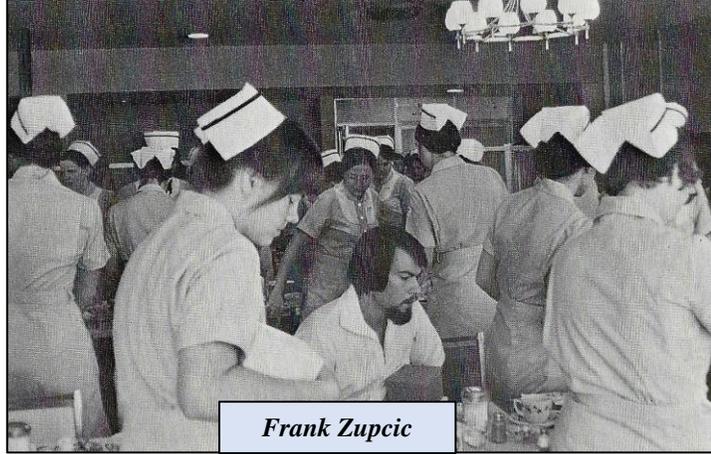
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Jo-Ann Cavin, Lucy Sawecki, Nancy Manninen



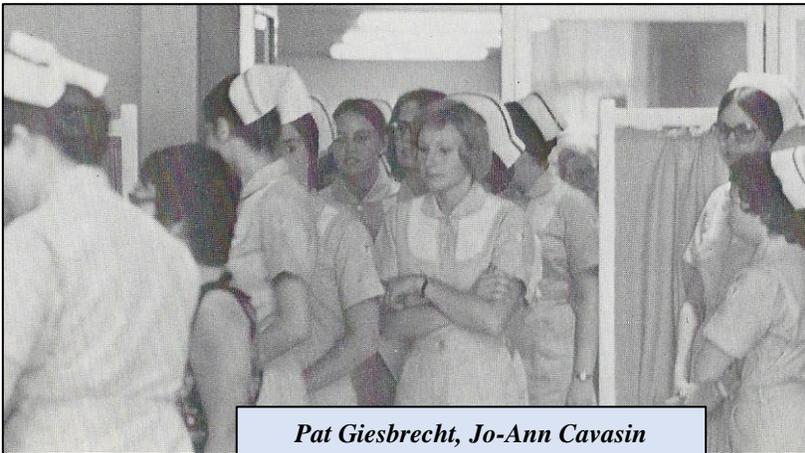
GRADUATION BREAKFAST



Frank Zupic



*Barb Kemp, Jurate Gimzuaskas, Susan Cooke, Shirley Austin
Reunion 2013*



Pat Giesbrecht, Jo-Ann Cavasin



Sue Burkhardt



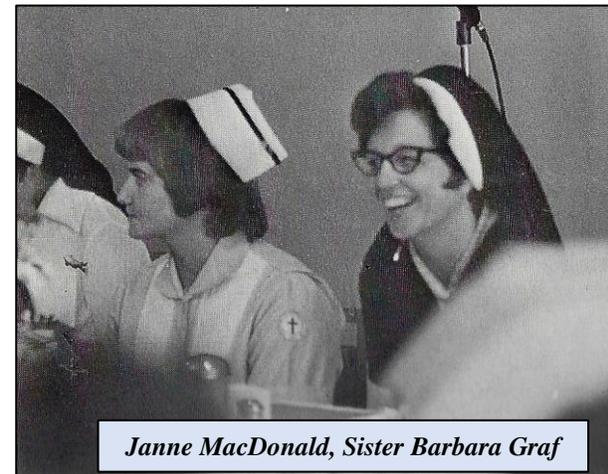
*Bob Todd
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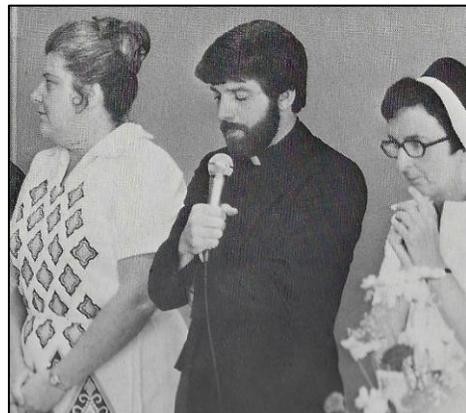
*Janne MacDonald, Donna MacKenzie
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Suzanne Burkhardt



Janne MacDonald, Sister Barbara Graf

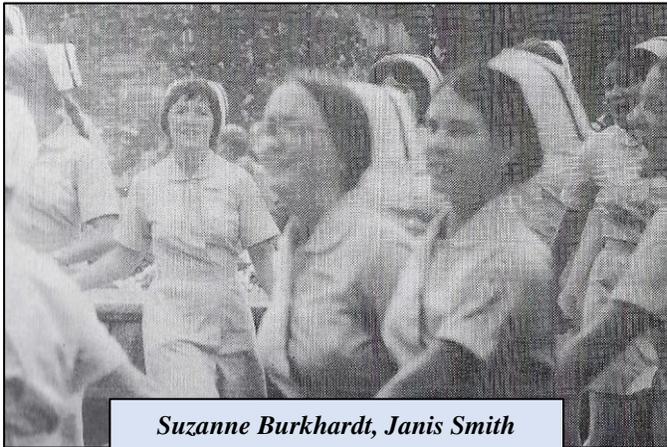


Isabel Kerr '60, Sister Joan O'Sullivan '43

GRADUATION DAY ----- Off To Gore Park



*Suzanne Burkhardt, Marilyn Lambertus,
Pat Yipchuck*



Suzanne Burkhardt, Janis Smith



Terri, Valerie Carpenter, Sue Burkhardt, Jo, Gerri, Eve, Virginia Rizzo, Pat Giesbrecht



*Ruth Phillips, Sharon Tenenbaum
Reunion 2013*



Valerie Carpenter, Evelyn Bonham



Suzanne Burkhardt, Nancy Manninen



The Board of Directors
and the Graduating Class of 1973
St. Joseph's School of Nursing
cordially invite you to be present at
The Graduation Exercises
Friday afternoon, July the twentieth,
nineteen hundred and seventy-three
at two o'clock
Mohawk College Theatre
135 Jennell Avenue West
Hamilton

Admission by ticket only

GRADUATION
FRIDAY JULY 20, 1973
MOHAWK COLLEGE THEATRE

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL OF NURSING



GRADUATING CLASS - 1973





60th Graduation Exercises

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL OF NURSING
HAMILTON, ONTARIO

Friday, July 20th, 1973



Graduation



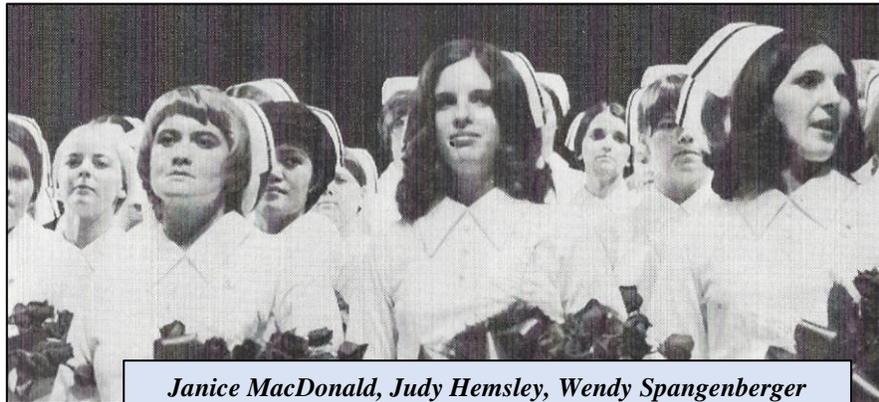
Colleen Young



Bonnie Baker, Janet Minor, Susan Maas, Virginia Dwyer, Judy Stewart



Kathy Alexander & her family



Janice MacDonald, Judy Hemsley, Wendy Spangenberg

Graduating Class 1973

DEBORAH ABBS, Mississauga, Ontario
 ELVA ACADEMIA, Hamilton, Ontario
 HEATHER ADAMSON, Hamilton, Ontario
 KATHERINE ALEXANDER, Mount Forest, Ontario
 SHIRLEY ANDERSON, Port Hope, Ontario
 MARILYN ANNABLE, Beamsville, Ontario
 JEAN ARTHUR, Ottawa, Ontario
 SHIRLEY AUSTIN, Hamilton, Ontario
 BARBARA BAKER, Hamilton, Ontario
 BONNIE BAKER, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARIE BARRETT, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 MICHELE BEAUGRAND, Hamilton, Ontario
 KARIN BEDEUS, Burlington, Ontario
 FAYE BITTNER, Hamilton, Ontario
 PATRICIA BOND, Port Colborne, Ontario
 EVELYN BONHAM, Copetown, Ontario
 LOUISA BORDIN, Mississauga, Ontario
 MARILYN BOTHAM, Greensville, Ontario
 JANET BREWER, Hamilton, Ontario
 SUZANNE BURKHARDT, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 GAIL BURKE, Hamilton, Ontario
 CATHERINE BURNS, Stoney Creek, Ontario
 CYNDA CAMPBELL, Tillsonburg, Ontario
 VALERIE CARPENTER, Burlington, Ontario
 JO-ANN CAVASIN, Port Colborne, Ontario
 MARIE CHERNETS, Hamilton, Ontario
 CAROLINE CLARKE, St. Catharines, Ontario
 SUSAN COOKE, Dundas, Ontario
 JOAN CURRIE, Cambridge, Ontario
 JANET CUTTEN, Willowdale, Ontario
 PATRICIA DAY, Hamilton, Ontario
 ELSINA deJONGE, Smithville, Ontario
 MAGDA DUIKER, Hamilton, Ontario
 JOANNE DULAJ, Port Colborne, Ontario
 VIRGINIA DWYER, Leamington, Ontario
 BARBARA EARL, Simcoe, Ontario
 NELDA EISING, Jarvis, Ontario
 DARLENE ELLIS, St. Catharines, Ontario
 DOROTHY EMRICH, Preston, Ontario
 LYNDA ENNIS, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARIANNE FOCHUK, Carlisle, Ontario
 PATRICIA GIESBRECHT, Vineland, Ontario
 KARYN GILCHRIST, Kitchener, Ontario
 JURATE GIMZAUSKAS, Hamilton, Ontario
 JANE GIVEN, Kitchener, Ontario
 SISTER DOROTHY GOETZ, Waterdown, Ontario
 DEBRA GOOCH, Burlington, Ontario
 CORINNE GOWER, Hamilton, Ontario
 BRENDA HACKING, Hamilton, Ontario
 BARBARA-LYNN HALYK, Mount Hope, Ontario
 SANDRA HANNA, Drumbo, Ontario
 VERA HARASYM, Hamilton, Ontario
 ANNE HARDY, Hamilton, Ontario
 JUDY HEMSLEY, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARY HENDERSON, London, Ontario
 PATRICIA HINCHLIFFE, Hamilton, Ontario
 BEVERLY HOLLO, Hamilton, Ontario
 LINDA HUYGHEBAERT, Delhi, Ontario
 SANDRA JOHNSON, London, Ontario
 JOYCE KELLAR, Hamilton, Ontario
 BARBARA KEMP, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARGERY KOLLEE, Canfield, Ontario
 CHRISTINA KRZYWDA, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARILYN LAMBERTUS, Hamilton, Ontario
 VILJA LANDERS, Hamilton, Ontario

BRENDA LEACOCK, Hamilton, Ontario
 PAULINE LEFEBVRE, Windsor, Ontario
 SUSAN MAAS, Stoney Creek, Ontario
 NANCY MANNINEN, Whitefish, Ontario
 JOANNE MARSHALL, Hamilton, Ontario
 JUDY MATTHEWS, Burlington, Ontario
 VERA MERCURIO, Hamilton, Ontario
 SHARON MERILOVICH, Welland, Ontario
 MARIA MIKLOS, Hamilton, Ontario
 JANET MINOR, Port Colborne, Ontario
 SHEILA MONTAGUE, Port Dover, Ontario
 THERESA MOSZCZYNSKI, Burlington, Ontario
 JOAN MULRAIN, Brantford, Ontario
 JANICE MacDONALD, Hamilton, Ontario
 DONNA MacKENZIE, Hamilton, Ontario
 JUDY McINNES, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 TED McNABB, Hamilton, Ontario
 CAROL NAKANO, Hamilton, Ontario
 MOIRA NEIL, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARGARET NEWPORT, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARIA REGINA NICHOLS, Hamilton, Ontario
 LYDIA O'BRIEN, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARSHA O'HALLORAN, Hamilton, Ontario
 PATRICIA OSTRYHON, Wainfleet, Ontario
 SANDRA PEACE, Hamilton, Ontario
 RUTH PHILLIPS, Guelph, Ontario
 MARY PICKETT, Caledonia, Ontario
 DIANE PRZECZEK, Hanmon, Ontario
 ANN PURSER, Delhi, Ontario
 DEBORAH RIDDIOUGH, Hamilton, Ontario
 DIANE RIORDAN, Beaconsfield, Quebec
 VIRGINIA RIZZO, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 SONIA ROGERS, Hamilton, Ontario
 MELANIE RUIZ, Guelph, Ontario
 SYLVIA SALTARELLI, Welland, Ontario
 LUCY SAWICKI, Hamilton, Ontario
 MARIA SCATTOLON, Hamilton, Ontario
 JUDITH SCHMIDT, Cargill, Ontario
 MARY BETH SHOWALTER, Hamilton, Ontario
 BONNIE SIPKEMA, Burlington, Ontario
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 JANIS SMITH, Hamilton, Ontario
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 MARY ANN SMITH, Hamilton, Ontario
 SHEILA SMITH, Brantford, Ontario
 SUSAN SMITH, Hamilton, Ontario
 WENDY SMITH, Port Dover, Ontario
 WENDY SPANGENBERGER, Hamilton, Ontario
 JANE STEELE, Welland, Ontario
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 SHARON TENENBAUM, Hamilton, Ontario
 ROBERT TODD, Burlington, Ontario
 SUSAN TUCKER, Tillsonburg, Ontario
 DEBORAH UFTON, West Hill, Ontario
 ANTONIA vanDOMSELAAR, Cambridge, Ontario
 CATHLEEN VANWART, St. Thomas, Ontario
 JUDITH WILSON, Burlington, Ontario
 CAROLYN WINSTANLEY, Galt, Ontario
 JOHANNA WINTER, Brantford, Ontario
 TRAUDY WOLF, Hamilton, Ontario
 PATRICIA YIP CHUCK, Hamilton, Ontario
 COLLEEN YOUNG, Niagara Falls, Ontario
 FRANK ZUPCIC, Hamilton, Ontario




*The Board of Governors and the President
of the
Mechanical College
of Applied Arts and Technology
request the pleasure of your company at
The Graduation Exercises
of
St. Joseph's School of Nursing
at 2:00 p.m. Friday, July 19th, 1973*

THEATRE
 FENNELL CAMPUS

 122 FENNELL AVE. WEST
 HAMILTON, ONT. L8N 8T8

RECEPTION AFTER IN NORTH CAFETERIA



Programme

- *PROCESSIONAL - - - - - *Land of Hope and Glory*
—Edward Elgar

 - CHAIRMAN—*Dr. S. E. O'Brien, Chairman, Board of Directors,
St. Joseph's School of Nursing*
 - *O CANADA

 - *OPENING PRAYER - - - - - *Reverend Matthew Grogan*
 - VALEDICTION - - - - - *Miss Nancy Manninen*
 - GREETINGS TO THE GRADUATES - - - *His Excellency Paul F. Reding,
Administrator,
Diocese of Hamilton
Controller Robert M. Morrow,
City of Hamilton
Dr. James B. Osbaldeston,
Chairman, Board of Trustees,
St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton*

 - PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS - - - - *Sister Ann Marshall,
former Director,
St. Joseph's School of Nursing*

 - PRESENTATION OF GRADUATION PINS - *Sister Joan O'Sullivan,
Director, School of Nursing
Mrs. Patricia Ostapchuk,
Associate Director,
School of Nursing*

 - Bridge over Troubled Water*
—Simon & Garfunkel *Sister Mary Clare, C.S.J.
Miss Antoinette Mancini*
 - All Good Gifts*
—Stephen Schwartz

 - INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKER - - *Dr. James D. Galloway,
Executive Director,
St. Joseph's Hospital*

 - ADDRESS TO THE GRADUATES - - - - *Mr. Séan O'Sullivan, M.P.,
Hamilton-Wentworth*

 - PRESENTATION OF AWARDS
*GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

 - RECESSIONAL - - - - - *Land of Hope and Glory*
—Edward Elgar
- *Stand where indicated by asterisk

School to end an era tomorrow

The last nursing graduation under the auspices of St. Joseph's Hospital will take place tomorrow.

Beginning Sept. 1, the present St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing will be known as Mohawk College,

department of nursing, St. Joseph's campus.

Classes will continue to be held in the school on James Street South.

Tomorrow's ceremony, beginning at 2 p.m., will be at Mohawk College, where 130 graduates will receive diplomas.

Four of the students will receive special awards.

Nancy Manninen of Whitefish, Ont., will receive the prize for outstanding performance and a St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary bursary for

post-graduate nursing study. The prize is given in memory of Dr. Kenneth Murray by the hospital's department of surgery.

Frank Zupcic of Hamilton, one of three men in the graduating class, will receive the merit award, given by the faculty of the school of nursing.

The prize for general proficiency, given by the school's alumnae, will go to Judith Matthews of Burlington.

Shirley Anderson of Port Hope will receive a bursary for post-graduate nursing

study. The award is given by the hospital's medical staff.

Faculty, students and guests will attend a graduation dinner and dance, Saturday evening, at the Hillcrest Restaurant.



FRANK ZUPCIC



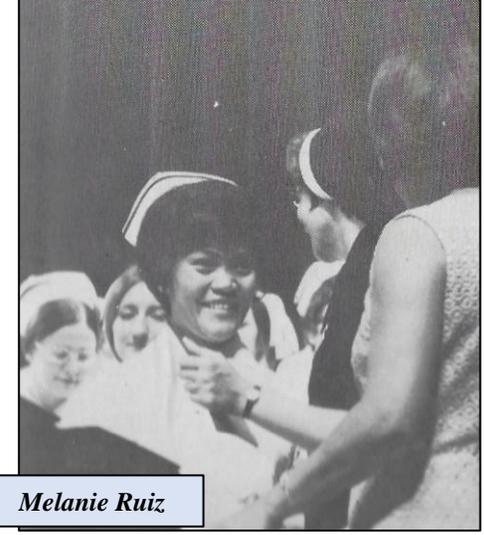
NANCY MANNINEN



SHIRLEY ANDERSON



JUDITH MATTHEWS



Melanie Ruiz

Awards

PRIZE for Outstanding Performance

Given in Memory of the late Dr. Kenneth Murray by the Department of Surgery, St. Joseph's Hospital Presented by Mrs. S. M. Hudecki

NANCY MANNINEN

PRIZE for General Proficiency

Given by the Alumnae, St. Joseph's School of Nursing Presented by Mrs. S. Richards, President

JUDITH MATTHEWS

MERIT AWARD

Given by the faculty of St. Joseph's School of Nursing Presented by Miss P. Gilbert

FRANK ZUPCIC

BURSARY AWARD for Post-Graduate Study in Nursing

Given by St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary Presented by Mrs. H. Patzalek

NANCY MANNINEN

BURSARY AWARD for Post-Graduate Study in Nursing

Given by the Medical Staff, St. Joseph's Hospital Presented by Mrs. J. J. Carroll

SHIRLEY ANDERSON

PRIZE WINNERS 1973

- Shirley Anderson Bursary for post graduate study in Nursing
- Nancy Manninen Bursary for post graduate study in Nursing
- Nancy Manninen Prize for Outstanding Performance
- Judith Matthews Prize for General Proficiency
- Frank Zupcic Merit Award

- Given by St Joseph Hospital Medical Staff
- Given by St Joseph Hospital Auxiliary
- Given by St Joseph Hospital Department of Surgery
- Given by St Joseph School of Nursing Alumnae
- Given by Faculty of St Joseph School of Nursing



Moire Neil



Lynda Ennis



Kathy Alexander, Patricia Giesbrecht



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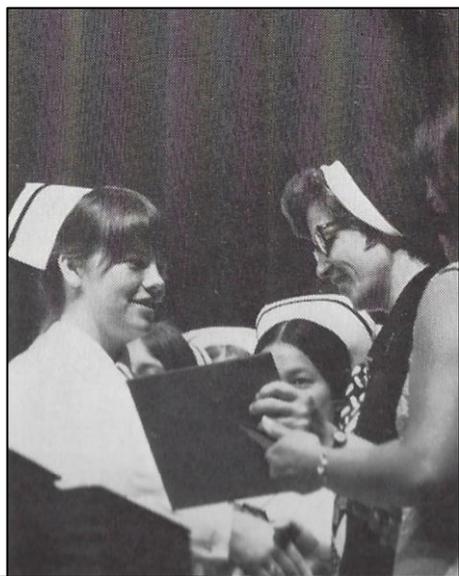
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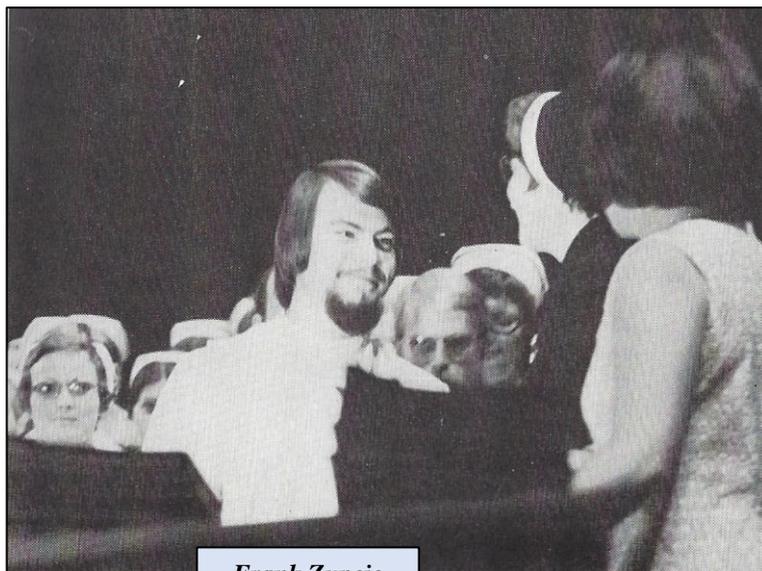
Mary Pickett



Nancy Manninen - Valedictorian



Marilyn Botham



Frank Zupcic

Valedictory Speech



Graduation Day! To many, this signifies the attainment of a long strived for goal. However, to our class today, I am sure it has other meanings. Although we have dreamt, planned and worked for this day, we greet it with mixed thoughts and emotions. We feel nostalgic as we recollect the effort we have exerted, the humorous and more serious incidents we have experienced. Secondly, we look toward the future which looms before us. What challenges, trials and rewards await us.

As our thoughts wander back, we reflect upon the last two years of our nursing education. It really doesn't seem so long ago, we arrived both excited and somewhat apprehensive upon the doorstep of Fontbonne Hall with all our luggage and also our goal of becoming a nurse.

We remember the first day we proudly donned our blue students uniform and cap. We had the first taste of being called "nurse" and also a glimpse at the responsibilities

awaiting us. We now had actually begun the first mile of the road leading to this day.

It is difficult to forget the hours we worked - the things we discovered and learnt together.

Most importantly, we shall always remember the friends we made. As I look at each familiar classmate so proudly wearing the white uniform and black band, I cannot help feeling touched. Each of you seem to have matured and grown as a person these last two years.

As we reminisce, all those who offered us guidance and encouragement come to mind.

To our parents, thank you seems such a meager token of the gratitude we feel. Whether it was a few extra dollars or a word of reassurance we needed you were always there. Mom and Dad, I hope our nursing care will always reflect all your patience and kindness.

To our teachers, we would like to express our appreciation. Those who taught us in our first year prepared and cemented the foundation for our skills and knowledge. The others, in second year refined, rounded and polished the unsmooth corners.

We wish to thank the Nursing and Medical staff for their guidance on the units. I am sure there were times we tried your patience, but you always offered your assistance willingly.

To Sister Joan and Pat Ostapchuk, our graduation must hold some special meaning to you also. We are the last class to graduate from St. Joseph's School of Nursing. The future students will be part of the St. Joseph's Campus of Mohawk College. We hope we will always uphold the standards the other graduates of this school and both of you have set for us.

To the alumni, the Sisters of St. Joseph's and all the guests, thank you for making this day possible. We are honoured to have you share today with us.

The future now lies waiting for us. Like in a garden, the seeds of knowledge have been planted. It is up to each of us to provide the nurturance to make them grow. Medicine is an ever-changing field in which, we, as nurses, must move also. By remaining static, by ceasing to learn and change, we deprive ourselves of self-development, and also the patients who depend on us of utmost care.

To each of us the class of 1973, this graduation truly means something different. Some of us are continuing our education at the university level, others are remaining here at St. Joseph's Hospital to work, yet others are leaving to nurse in cities throughout Canada and the U.S..

All of you have your own unique aims and talents awaiting to surface. Each of you had something special to offer the world. Remember, let today be only a stepping stone to the realization of all your dreams and goals.



*Kathy Alexander Jackson '73, Karen Wilson Martin '69,
Isabel Kerr '60*



*Barb Kemp, Virginia Rizzo,
Jurate Gimzauskas, Susan Cooke, Sister Dorothy Goetz*

GRADUATION DAY, JULY 20, 1973

LITURGY

0800 Hours

HERE WE ARE

Entrance Hymn

CHORUS

Here we are all together as we sing our song joyfully; Here we are joined together as we pray we'll always be.

Verse (1)

Join we now as friends, and celebrate the Brotherhood we share all as one. Keep the fire burning, kindle it with care. And we'll all join in and sing.

FREEDOM WE do shout for everybody. And unless there is, we should pray that. Soon there will be one true brotherhood. Let's us all join in and sing.

GLORIFY THE Lord with all our voices. Show Him we're sincere by all our deeds. Shout the joys of freedom everywhere. And we'll all join in and sing.

HAPPY IS the man who does his best to free the troubled world from all its pain. Join we with that man and free the world, as we all join in and sing.

LET US make the world an ALLELUIA! Let us make the world a better place. Keep a smile handy, have a helping hand; Let us all join in and sing.

Offertory

DAY BY DAY

Day by Day,
Day by Day,
Oh Dear Lord
Three things I pray,
To see thee more clearly,
To love thee more dearly,
To follow thee more nearly,
Day by Day

FIRST SOLO. SECOND TOGETHER

SING:

Christ has died, Alleluia, Christ is Risen, Alleluia
Christ will come again, Alleluia, Alleluia

COMMUNION HYMN NO. 1

I BELIEVE

I Believe for every drop of rain that falls
A flower grows
I Believe that somewhere in the darkest night
A candle glows
I Believe for everyone who goes astray
Someone will come to show the way
I Believe, I Believe.

I Believe above the storm the smallest prayer
Will still be heard
I Believe that someone in this great somewhere
Hear's every word
Everytime I hear a new born baby cry
Or touch a leaf

HYMN NO. 1

I BELIEVE

Or see the sky
Then I know why
I Believe, I Believe.

COMMUNION HYMN NO. 2

LORD, TEACH US TO PRAY

CHORUS:

Lord, Teach us to pray,
It's been a long and cold December-kind of day;
With our hearts and hands all busy in our private
little wars,
We stand and watch each other now from separate shores -
We lose the way.

1. I need to know today the way things should be in my head;
I need to know for once now the things that should be said;
I've got to learn to walk around as if I were not dead;
I've got to find a way to learn to live.
2. I still get so distracted by the colour of my skin;
I still get so upset now when I find that I don't win;
I meet so many strangers - I'm so slow to take them in;
I've got to find a way to really live.
3. I stand so safe and sterile as I watch a man fall flat;
I'm silent with a man who'd like to know just where I'm at;
With the aged and the lonely I can barely tip my hat;
I need to see the sin of "I don't care".
4. I stand so smug and sure before the people I've outguessed;
To let a man be who he is I still see as a test;
And when it all comes down to "must" I'm sure my way is best;
I've got to find what "room" means in my heart.

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HYMN NO. 2

LORD, TEACH US TO PRAY

- 4 -

5. I walk and haul myself along - can't tolerate a guide;
And when the camp's split up I'm sure to put You on my side;
And dare someone to challenge me and swear I will not hide;
I've got to find a better way to live.
6. I mouth so many things - take so little time to weigh;
I've let it all slip by in the sweep of yesterday;
I can't believe you mean it all to grace me on my way;
I've got to find a way to really live.

FINAL CHORUS:

Lord, teach us to pray - we still believe that we can
find a better way:
Teach us to pray..... We lose the way.....Teach us
to pray.

RECESSIONAL

THANK YOU LORD

Thank you Lord on this day, For our many good blessings,
Thank you Lord on this day, For our many close friendships.
Glory to God, may you hear our prayer. Guide us on forever,
Thank you Lord on this day, For our blessings and friendships.

REPEAT: Glory to God etc.

God our Father we today, Bring our gifts to the altar,
All our prayer, work and play, All our hopes for tomorrow,
All our failures and our success, In this day we're living,
All we are and can be, In Christ's sacrifice giving.

REPEAT: All our failures, etc.



Teresa Maas '74 & Patricia Giesbrecht Fullerton '73
taking luncheon tickets - Reunion day 2017



Pam Sefton Fisher '69, Pat Faulkner Duxbury '66, Kathy Alexander Jackson '73
Reunion Day 2016



Moira Neil Brown '73, Kristine Brock Rogers '69
Reunion Day 2018

June, 1973

Graduation Day - 2

- Corsages or gifts may be delivered to St. Joseph's School of Nursing switchboard, but not to Mohawk College. These articles must be claimed by you or members of your family at St. Joseph's.
- Graduates and their guests may tour the school and hospital after the Graduation Exercises or at any other appropriate time. Remember, the hospital is for the sick and we must not do anything to jeopardize their recovery.
- If any of your guests require assistance before or during the Graduation ceremonies, leave this request in writing with the Director.
- Appropriate Graduation uniform may be worn following Graduation.

C. GRADUATION ACTIVITIES

✓ Sunday, July 8th	Mother-Daughter Tea Guests of the Alumnae in Fontbonne Auditorium	2.00 - 4.00 p.m.
✓ Friday, July 13th	Alpha Omega Banquet Visca's Tavern, 1182 Barton St. E.	\$4.50 6.30 p.m. Sharp
✓ Wednesday, July 18th + ✓ Thursday, July 19th	Graduation Practices at Mohawk College Auditorium	1.00 p.m.
Friday, July 20th	GRADUATION EXERCISES Mohawk College Auditorium	12.45 p.m.
Saturday, July 21st	Graduation Dinner & Dance at the Hillcrest Restaurant Dress - formal - \$10. couple Band - United Brass Faculty, students & dates, only	6.15 p.m. Sharp

God bless each and every one of the Class of '73

Sister Joan
Sister Joan

June 1, 1973
/dm

GRADUATION ACTIVITIES

Sunday July 8, 1973

Friday July 13, 1973

Wednesday July 18, 1973

Thursday July 19, 1973

Friday July 20, 1973

Saturday July 21, 1973

Mother - Daughter Tea

Alpha - Omega Banquet

Graduation Practice

Graduation Practice

Graduation Exercises

Graduation Dinner & Dance

GRADUATION DANCE AND DINNER

WHEN: SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1973

TIME: 6 O'CLOCK P.M. - 1 O'CLOCK A.M.

WHERE: THE HILLCREST

DRESS: FORMAL

BAND: ASHUR

TICKETS: \$10 PER COUPLE

MUST BE PURCHASED BY JULY 16TH!

Graduation Dinner & Dance
July 21, 1973
Hillcrest Restaurant
\$10 / couple

TO: ALL STUDENTS
RE: UNIFORMS

The accepted length for the Graduation Uniform will be three (3) inches above the knee.

THANK YOU,

Elizabeth Foley
(Miss) Elizabeth Foley,
Faculty Representative
EF:w1

Graduation Uniforms
will be 3 inches above the knee

Dear Graduate,

The month of July is your special month this year. The administration, faculty and students sincerely hope that you will have many pleasant memories of your graduation. Here are the guidelines which will ensure that all will go smoothly:

A. GRADUATION NOTATIONS

- Your Graduation invitations should be sent out no later than June 29th.
- You are allowed nine guests - eight invitations and nine admit cards (One of your invitations with two admit cards will admit your parents or any two people).
- Your personal cards and admit cards are to be enclosed in invitation.
- Graduation practice is scheduled for Wednesday, July 18th at 1.00 p.m. and Thursday, July 19th at 1.00 p.m. at Mohawk College Auditorium. Bring your duty shoes and caps to these practices. Leave sufficient time to find the auditorium. **EVERY GRADUATE MUST ATTEND BOTH PRACTICES AND BE ON TIME.**

B. PROGRAM FOR GRADUATION DAY

- On Graduation morning be dressed in the school blue and white uniform, duty shoes and caps by 7.55 a.m. (0755 hours). Assemble in the Hospital Chapel to attend Holy Mass.
- Breakfast in the Hospital Cafeteria at 8.45 a.m. Dr. J. D. Galloway and o t h e r s will be guests on the occasion
- Assemble in Mohawk College Auditorium change room no later than 12.45 p.m. Besides change room facilities, a locked area for valuables will be provided. Transport clothing, etc. in a locked suitcase.
- You may not leave this assembly area to visit guests until after the exercises.

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Moire Neil Brown '73

Moire is a graduate with the class of 1973. She worked at St Joseph Hospital on 2 Medical unit for 2 years. She then went to Europe for 5 months, then returning to St Joseph Hospital, working in Coronary care for 4 years.

Moire married in 1979 and moved to Bremerhaven Germany for 8 years working in another St Josephs Hospital on a surgical unit and the eye clinic. She also worked at the Berlitz language school teaching English.

1989, they returned to Canada settling in Dundas.

One summer she worked as a Night Supervisor at Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital in Burlington.

She attended McMaster University part-time taking leadership courses and German courses.

She also worked at McMaster University Hospital in Complex Chronic Care unit and in an Acute Medical Ward. When McMaster closed the adult wards and became a children's hospital she moved to the Hamilton General Hospital on the Integrated Stroke Unit, including working with Neuro and Medical patients.

She retired from the General in April 2017. Moire had 2 children and now has grandchildren.

Moire has spent many years working with the Nurses Alumnae, transporting composite pictures and many other supplies to the Annual Reunion Celebrations.



Moire receiving graduation diploma



Moira Neil Brown '73 doing repairs to the Alumnae Crest Reunion Day 2019

Dear Mo **WELCOME**
Today is the first day of the rest of your life and today you're starting one of the most beautiful careers one can have
I hope you love it as much as I do
Love Ben
Brenda Leacock '72
* RT 507

Welcome note to Moira Neil from her "Big Sister" Brenda Leacock '72



Moire donated many articles to the Alumnae archives including uniforms Blue and white for "duty", pink for "community" and white for "graduation"

Affiliation, not integration, urged for nursing schools

By JOAN HOLLOBON
Schools of nursing must retain some independence when they are shifted to community colleges, otherwise their quality and traditions may suffer, the Ontario Hospital Association has told the Government.

The OHA suggested that the schools should be allowed to become affiliated with the colleges, rather than be totally integrated as a college department.

Charles E. Boyd, OHA president wrote yesterday to the ministers of health and of colleges and universities seeking a meeting to discuss the matter. Before doing so, he obtained the support of many schools by telegram.

The Government announced a week ago that after Sept. 1 diploma nurses will be trained in community colleges.

Mr. Boyd said that there is no quarrel with transferring the financing of the schools from health to education or with allying them more closely with educational settings.

Mr. Boyd said a check of the federal-provincial Fiscal Arrangements Act, under which financing is being arranged, shows no reason why the nursing schools should be reduced to the status of integrated departments of community colleges in order to qualify for federal cost sharing.

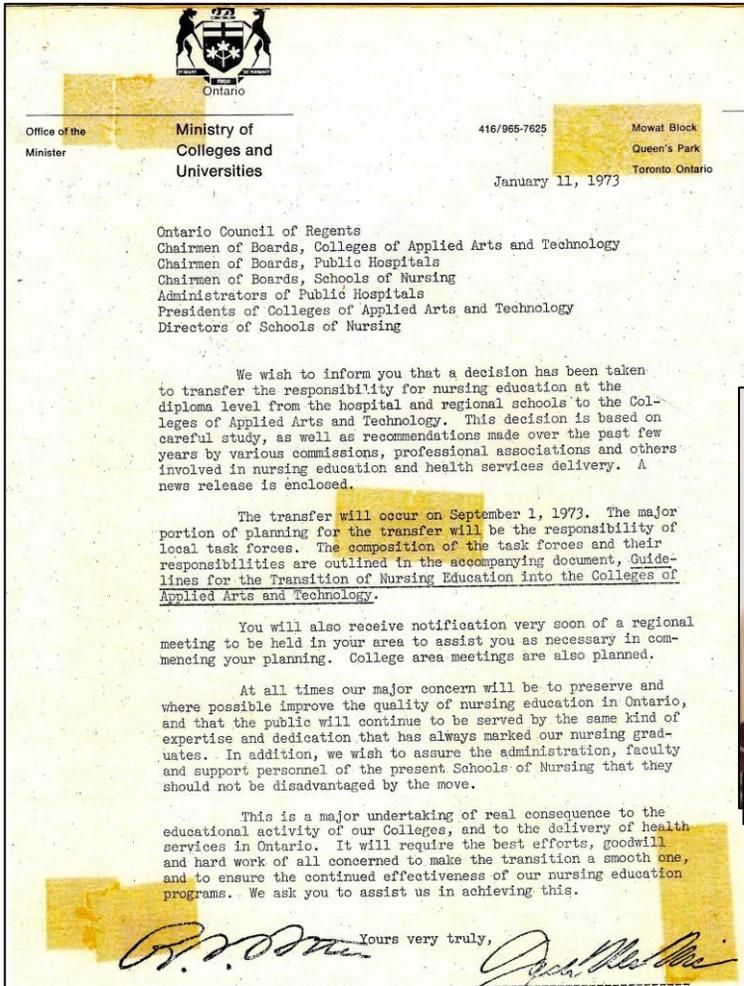
"Schools of nursing have the unique purpose of preparing students to accept responsibility for human life and their educational methods are uniquely designed for that purpose. Many of them have

proposals for integration were acceptable or if the schools would prefer to retain their identity, control over courses, budget and selection of staff and students.

Peter Wood, assistant executive director, said more than 20 replies had been received by the time Mr. Boyd's letter was issued and others were coming in. He said most school preferred affiliation, leaving them some independence, rather than integration. Even those less adamantly opposed to integration, were greatly concerned about the Sept. 1 deadline. They felt that the changeover could not be accomplished within this time.

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Janne MacDonald, Donna MacKenzie
Nancy Manninen



Nancy Manninen, Judy Matthews, Pat Giesbrecht



Studying the program for the 60th graduation exercises of St. Joseph's School of Nursing at Mohawk College theatre Friday, are (left to right) Dr. J.D. Galloway, executive director of the hospital; Sean O'Sullivan, MP Hamilton-Wentworth, guest speaker at the commencement; Sister Joan O'Sullivan, director, school of nursing, and Dr. S.E. O'Brien, chairman, board of directors.

Mohawk College St. Joseph's School of Nursing graduation marks end of an era

The 60th graduation exercises of St. Joseph's School of Nursing Friday afternoon at Mohawk College theatre marked the end of an era for the school. Effective Sept. 1 the school will become Mohawk College, department of nursing, St. Joseph's campus and classes will continue in the school on James Street South, Hamilton.

Guest speaker for the graduation was Sean O'Sullivan, MP Hamilton-Wentworth, and a nephew of Sister Joan O'Sullivan, director, School of Nursing. He told the graduates that

in viewing the ceremonies as the end of an era, one is tempted to look back over past achievements and said "I think of whose decades of toil have given this institution such a respected reputation for excellence in the field of health services".

"On the other hand," he continued, "the change which the school is to undergo might also be regarded as the beginning of a new era, in which the legacy of St. Joseph's will be given new avenues in which to grow and many more people to affect and to touch."

He urged the graduates not to simply accept graduation as having established oneself in life. He cited the many temptations to settle into "the soft life" and be

He continued "If we are to have real success as a generation, we must get tough with ourselves. We must view our past achievements only as the right to achieve more and greater things in the future."

Among the 130 nursing graduates were two area girls, Misses Evelyn Bonham, Copetown, Ont. and Barbara-Lynn Halyk, Mount Hope, Ont. Chairman of the program was Dr. S. E. O'Brien, chairman, board of directors. St. Joseph's School of Nursing. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. Matthew Grogan, chaplain.

Greetings to graduates were brought by His Excellency Most Rev. Paul F. Reding, Apostolic Administrator, Diocese of Hamilton. Controller Robert Morrow on behalf of Mayor Victor K. Copps who was attending the annual meeting of Mayors and Municipalities in Ottawa, Ont., and Dr. James B. Osbaldeston, chairman.

1973 GRADUATION

- Dr. J. D. Galloway Executive Director St Joseph Hospital
- Sean O'Sullivan M. P. Hamilton Wentworth Guest speaker at Graduation
- Sister Joan O'Sullivan Director St Joseph School of Nursing
- Dr S. E. O'Brien Chairman, St Joseph Hospital Board of Directors St Joseph's School of Nursing

Transfer of the responsibility for nursing education at the diploma level from the hospital and regional schools to the Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology will occur on September 1, 1973

St. Joseph's School Of Nursing
Hamilton, Ont.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF
ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL OF NURSING

presents this

DIPLOMA IN NURSING

to

Katherine Mary Alexander

with all its rights, privileges and obligations, given at
Hamilton, Canada on the 20th day of July 1973

Richard Marcus Zuber, C.S.J.
General Board of Directors
St. Joseph's School of Nursing
General Board of Directors
Sister Joseph O'Sullivan, C.S.J.
General Board of Directors



Kathy Alexander Jackson '73

2014 – 2023 Kathy served on the Nurses Alumnae Executive as the Luncheon Coordinator

Ritual of Remembrance

Sister Dorothy Goetz



Called to Life
July 26, 1950

Called to Vowed Life
August 28, 1972

Called to New Life
June 11, 2014

Love gives everything gladly,
everything
again and again, daily.

Trust and Dare, August 25
Mary Theresa of Jesus Gerhardinger



Sister Dorothy Goetz

Dorothy Anne was born on July 26, 1950, the second daughter of Martin Simon and Teresa Ida Goetz. She attended St. Louis School in Waterloo and completed her secondary education at St. Mary's High School, Kitchener.

Sister Dorothy attributes her religious vocation to her Catholic home life, family prayer, daily attendance at Eucharist and the example and influence of the SSNDs who taught her. In 1968 she entered the postulancy in Waterdown and studied Grade 13 subjects at Notre Dame Academy. She was received into the Novitiate in August, 1970. During her second year of novitiate she lived at Lamoreaux convent while studying nursing at St. Joseph's School of Nursing, Hamilton. She made her promises in 1972.

Upon graduation Sister Dorothy nursed at St. Joseph Hospital from 1973-1975. Then, she was in charge of the infirmary at Notre Dame Convent, Waterdown from 1975 - 1981 and 1984 - 1988.

While in Regina, Saskatchewan from 1981-1984 she assisted in pastoral care in Melville Hospital and was on the nursing staff at Pasqua Hospital. To extend her knowledge in health care, Sister Dorothy took several courses at universities and colleges and participated in SSND interprovincial conferences.

In 1990 she began her missionary work in La Paz, Bolivia. Here she was involved in pastoral ministry and health care. Before Sister Dorothy left La Paz in 1998 she had successfully supervised the water project which piped water to homes in the villages in San Miguel Parish.

On her return to Ontario, she was appointed Health Care Coordinator for sisters. Her loving, dedicated and professional care was appreciated by all whom she attended.

Sister Dorothy was an active participant in all SSND provincial and congregational affairs. She was coordinator of area assemblies and more recently a delegate for a dialogue group.

Sister Dorothy was a keen advocate for social justice. In 2005 she co-initiated the SSND Stop Human Trafficking Committee which has given numerous workshops to students and adult groups.

For a number of years she was a member of the RCIA team at St. Joseph Parish, Hamilton.

Above all, Sister Dorothy was a devoted daughter of our foundress, Mother Theresa. Although her prayer for physical healing was not answered, she felt the close presence of Mother Theresa during her final illness.

Our loving God has prepared a special Homecoming for Sister Dorothy.



Class of 1973

Celebrating 40 Years

Reunion Day 2013

Colleen Young Williams '73

Looking back on an almost 50 year career inspired me to ponder how I got here...of course, my education at St. Joe's had a big hand in that! How did I get there though? I do remember setting a goal, very early on, during my high school days, to be a family practice nurse. This goal was primarily inspired by the two nurses who worked in my family doctor's office, one of whom was a graduate of St. Joseph's School of Nursing herself! The idea of being involved with families from birth to death was very appealing and I knew that no two days would ever be the same. (I was so right!) However, I had to get the school part over with. After being accepted by 3 or 4 schools, it all came down to the cap! St. Joe's had the best one and the rest is history!

My time at St. Joe's proved to be the best grounding for my future career that I could have ever hoped for, cap or not! Solid values and work ethic were instilled in us. I never had any doubts that following the tenets of my education would serve my patients the best way possible. Of course the friendships I formed, that stand to this day, and the treasure trove of memories created throughout my time in Fontbonne Hall and Undermount are pure gold.



Colleen Young & her mom



*Marie Barrett
At Graduation Dance*

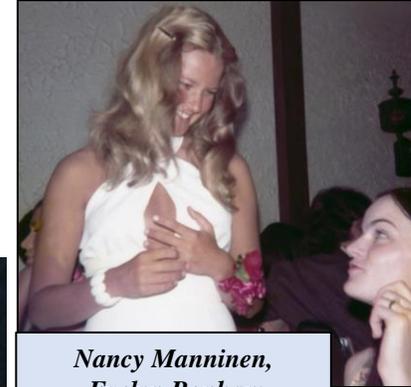
I began my career at North York General Hospital on the Post-Partum Unit and went on to work for an agency where I was exposed to many options. My last assignment with that agency was to a family practice where my goals were finally validated. I have spent the majority of my career working in family practice settings in the Toronto and Vancouver areas. I know that my care has had a direct impact on patient outcomes and I have developed a great number of lifetime friendships with the people I have worked with over the decades. My last full time position found me tasked with establishing roles for RN's and NP's in a large family practice setting. By the end, these roles were well and truly entrenched. I tried retirement, but the first attempt didn't last. I have spent the past year helping with COVID clinics and working with Public Health with their school immunization program. We'll see if my second attempt at retiring is successful! However, my career has been gratifying...all thanks to a cap!



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*Ted McNabb
at Graduation Dance*



*Nancy Manninen,
Evelyn Bonham*



Virginia Rizzo

COPEMAN HEALTHCARE



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Colleen Williams
Family Health Nurse

Colleen Williams is a Family Health Nurse at the Copeman Healthcare Centre in Vancouver. She is a registered nurse, with a special interest in family centred care. Born and raised in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Colleen attended St.

Joseph's School of Nursing in Hamilton, Ontario. After graduating, she worked in Obstetrics at North York General Hospital in Toronto, before moving on to Family Practice nursing, which remained as her focus until her family relocated to the Vancouver area in 1994. Since then, she has gained experience in other areas, such as working with ENT surgeons, managing clinics and travel medicine.

She is delighted to have the opportunity to return to her first love - family practice.

Nancy Manninen Jacko '73

Nancy is a graduate of St. Joseph's School of Nursing, Class of 1973 as well as a graduate from the University of Windsor. She worked in Critical Care and Public Health at the beginning of her career in the Hamilton and Toronto area. In 1980, Nancy joined the hospital system in North Bay where she held various management roles. Since 1997 until retirement, Nancy had been a member of the senior administrative team with responsibility for numerous clinical programs and participated in corporate planning and goal setting. She led the inaugural strategic planning process for the newly amalgamated North Bay Regional Health Centre and developed the first corporate score card for the organization.

Nancy served on many hospital, local, LHIN and provincial Boards and committees such as a Family Health Team, the Ontario Hospital Association and the Canadian Military. She presented at various district, regional, provincial and international conferences on various topics related to health care. In 2011, Nancy was honoured to receive the Influential Women of Northern Ontario award for the Public Sector in recognition of her leadership in health care. She was also recognized in 2019 by the Canadian College of Health Leaders of North Eastern Ontario as a Difference Maker in the field of

Healthcare. In March 2020, she was awarded the Davedi Order of Merit for her contribution to healthcare in the community.

Nancy retired from the North Bay regional Health Centre in December 2014 where she was Vice President and Chief Nursing Executive. On retirement, she managed a project with the North East LHIN implementing Quality Based Procedures across the region and also did private consulting. Nancy had a progressively varied career in healthcare spanning 43 years, including two hospital corporate amalgamations and the planning and moving to a new hospital in 2011. She led several initiatives to achieve operational and systemic efficiencies and processes for truly patient centered care.

Nancy was also an active member of the community involved in various volunteer activities. She was the Chair of the Board of the North Bay Parry Sound District Public Health Unit and was a member of the Northern Ontario School of Medicine Board from 2016. She also sat on the Governance Committee and chaired the Nominations Relations Sub-Committee.

Nancy returned to clinical practice during the pandemic to vaccinate members of her community as part of the public health team.

Nancy always said nursing was "the best job in the world" as she prepared to celebrate her 50th year in the profession and graduation from St. Joseph's School of Nursing.

Sadly, Nancy passed away untimely on November 30, 2022 at the age of 70, leaving behind her husband Bill, of 46 years, a daughter, Hilary (Mike) and 2 grandchildren, Camdin and Blakely, the loves of her life.



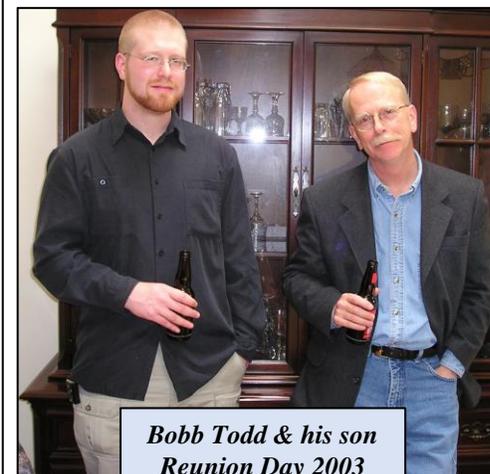
*Joan Mulrain, Debbie Abbs, Virginia Rizzo,
Nancy Manninen Reunion Day 2013*



*Seated: Johanna Winter, Elsina deJonge, Carol Nakano
Standing: Colleen Young, Susan Smith, Marianne Fochuk
WEST COAST GRADS 2018 REUNION*



*Lucie Sawicki, Janne MacDonald,
Nancy Manninen*



*Bobb Todd & his son
Reunion Day 2003*



*Jo-Anne Taylor, Pat Day, Gail Burke, Joanne Winter,
Virginia Rizzo Reunion Day 2013*



Class of 1973

Reunion Day 2003



*Material in this presentation was gathered
from several sources:*

Vox Omnium Yearbook 1972

Vox Omnium Yearbook 1973

-newspaper articles in the Hamilton Spectator

*-Alumnae Minutes & articles from the
archives at the Motherhouse*

-photos from reunion day celebrations

Special thanks to

Kathy Alexandre Jackson

Moira Neil Brown

Colleen Young Williams

*for providing their photos and information
and for identifying their classmates.*





Reunion Day 2023 Class of 1973 Celebrating 50 Years

BACK ROW: Valerie Carpenter Halliwell, Suzanne Burkhardt Mate, Patricia Day Hachey, Colleen Young Williams, Wendy Forgrave Spangenberg, Joyce Kellar Grohn, Judy Hemsley Guidolin, Virginia Rizzo, Ann vanDomselaar Bartlett, Moire Neil Brown, Joan Mulrain Gregory, Darlene Ellis Fawcett

MIDDLE ROW: Kathy Alexander Jackson, Lucy Sawicki Caron, Ruth Phillips Burns, Michele Beaugrand Mann, Marilyn Annable Elbestawi, Gail Burke, Patricia YipChuck Wright, Linda Huyghebaert Grant, Margaret Newport, Barbara Kemp Sharpe, Maria Stanziani Scattolon, Patricia Giesbrecht Fullerton, Janne MacDonald Grant

FRONT ROW: Barbara Baker Jardine, Elva Academia Mendoza, Susan Maas Humphrey, Marie Barrett, Sharon Tenenbaum Pitto, Bonnie Baker Leuser, Judy Schmidt Sloan, Jo-Anne Taylor Mrezar, Susan Smith Frizzo, Judy McInnes Sauder, Judy Wilson Ersser, Evelyn Bonham Culshaw