

AlumNews

1950s

William (56) and Ruth (McMahon) (54) Bennett moved to Crescent, Okla., to be near their daughters. Bill retired this summer after 35 years in teaching and 11 years working at the local museum.

John (54) and Viola Adams, Donald (56) and Jeanette Adams (56), Anne (Adams) (59) Harris, and Marlin (64) and Kathleen (Adams) (65) Wells met and stayed at the Alumni House for a family reunion.

Dr. Wil (57) and Pollie (52) Spate are moving to Chandler, Ariz., to serve on staff at CrossRoads Church of the Nazarene. They have most recently pastored at Oro Valley Church of the Nazarene in Tucson. Dr. Spate served as chair of PLNU's board of trustees.

1960s

David Kennedy (60) retired after 40 years of ministry in Bend, Ore.

Glenn (65) and Cynthia (67) (Jantzen) Bolden live in Monrovia, Calif.

Steve (67) and Mary (Gilster) (67) Cowdrey live in Colorado. Steve retired from the school district and now works as a computer consultant. Mary retired after 36 years of teaching. They have two granddaughters.

1970s

Jan Tuin (70) was selected as teacher of the year. He is in his 35th year of teaching high school in Colorado.

Mark (76) and Marilyn Madsen live in Colorado where Mark is a middle school principal. He earned a master's degree in educational administration this summer while his two daughters earned master's degrees in high school counseling and bio-psychology, respectively.

Mel Shuster (76) teaches at Simpson College in Redding, Calif.

He and his wife, Karen, have two sons: Tyler, 14, and Ryan, 12.

Becky Kliever (77) relocated to Bend, Ore. She is an administrative assistant for Lancair Company.

Andrew Howard (79) earned a master's degree in organizational management. He lives in Iowa with his wife, Theresa. Their daughter, Lola, is a senior at PLNU.

1980s

Patrick Major III (80) relocated to Long Beach where he is a school administrator of preschool, elementary and middle schools at the First Baptist Church of Lakewood.

Tammy (Burger) (86) Talent lives in Tucson where she teaches at a Christian school.

Daryl Johnson (87) moved to Aberdeen, Wash., and works as a marketing representative for a radio group.

Sheriene Saadati (87) published an autobiography, *Persian Weddings: A Personal Journey into Iran's Culture*. She lives in Northern California.

Crystal (Abell) (88) Nielsen is director of communication for Sunrise Community Church in Santee, Calif. She earned her master's in educational technology from SDSU in 2003.

1990s

Jan (Horton) (90) Darch lives in Idaho with her two daughters: Alyssa, 9, and Kathryn, 6.

James E. Farrens (93) was awarded his third Navy Commendation Medal. In June 2004 he accepted a commission from the active Navy to the Navy Reserves. In April 2004, he moved to Oahu to work as a DigitalNet Secure Systems Analyst contractor.

Jill (Faulkner) (94) Naranjo lives in Borrego Springs, Calif., with her husband, David. She is a school nurse.

Brian Dobrenen (97) returned from Iraq where he served as an Army reservist in Baghdad.

Scott Peluso (98) was recently appointed the assistant women's volleyball coach at the Colorado School of Mines, a Division II school in Golden, Colo.

Forrest Erickson (99) received a master's degree in fine arts in film production from the University of Southern California School of Cinema-Television.

Angie Foust (99) is a missionary teacher in Malawi, Africa, at African Bible College Christian Academy.

Joel Watts (99) recently received a master of arts in vocal pedagogy at San Diego State University.

Jason (99) and Angie States live in Winchester, Calif. Jason works for the San Diego Police Department.

Jason (2000) and Brooke (Langford) (99) Rowland live in San Diego and have a 1-year-old daughter. Jason is an electrical engineer. Brooke works as a marketing consultant.

2000s

Joshua Whitham (00) teaches middle school math in New York City while working on a master's degree from Columbia University and Bank Street College of Education.

Luke (00) and Christine (Chambers) (00) Navarro are working to help plant a church in Soledad, Calif. Luke recently graduated from Dallas Theological Seminary.

Chris Poynter (01) is a program director and grant writer for a nonprofit social service agency in Thousand Oaks, Calif.



Nicole and Steve Harris

Jason (01) and Maya (01) (Hubbard) Evoy live in Prescott, Ariz., where they serve in full-time ministry. They have one son, Brady, and are expecting their second child this Christmas.

Rachel Ann McCormick (02) earned a master's degree in social work from the University of Chicago.

Joshua and Nancy (Cuthill) (02) Penwell live in Modesto where he attends nursing school and she is a teacher.

Anthony and Melissa (Romines) (03) Lueders will leave for Japan in February where he will continue his career in the Navy. Melissa plans to teach.

Jennifer Forrest (04) is a flight attendant for Sky West Airlines.

Marriages

Kevin Wakley (00) and Julie Riggs (01) were married March 15, 2002. They live in Texas where Kevin is a lawyer.

Hyun Su Youm and Amanda Madden (00) were married June 14, 2003. They live in Korea and work at two schools.

David Edick (01) and Hayley Hammett were married June 28, 2003.

Steve Harris (91) and Nicole (90) Freeman were married July 20, 2003. They live, work and surf in San Diego.

Tom Keller and Jennifer (00) Heap were married January 2004. Jennifer is a catering manager in Carlsbad, Calif.

Births

Selah Lorraine: born to Ruben (97) and Tina Fontanes on Dec. 22, 2001.

Presley Cole: born to Christopher (92) and Sally (Kopitzke) (92) Kosciusko on Feb. 16, 2003.

Macey Victoria: born to Eric (94) and Michelle (Bube) (97) Groves on March 5, 2003. Sibling: Sydney, 4.

Michael Scott: born to Greg and Lori (Blatt) (95) Chronister on April 20, 2003. Stepbrothers: Daniel, 14, and Matthew, 11.

Madison Leann Cordelia: Born to Kelly (Swindle) (96) and David Truax on October 9, 2002. They were married June 27, 1998.

Makaila Paige: born to Chad (96) and Teralynn (Layton) (96) Swank on April 26, 2003.

Dylan Wesley: born to Dustyn (00) and Mary (Becker) (00) Severns on June 9, 2003.

Hayley Lynne: born to David (86) and Susan (Van Slyke) (86) Bartell on July 20, 2003. Sibling: Heather Leighann.

Madyison Kim: born July 20, 2003 and adopted by Jim (86) and Amy (87) (Neuharth) Nichols. Siblings: Bobby and Sam.

Alyssa Claire: born to Scott and Christine (Teasley) (99) Sutherland on Oct. 26, 2003.

Joel Thomas: born to Manuel and Christine (Hallett) (98) Fonseca on Dec. 18, 2003.

Leighton Hamilton: born to Colin (93) and Allison Bell on Jan. 12, 2004. The family recently moved to Santa Barbara, Calif.

Elle Therese: born to Nabs (91) and Kathy Carlson on Jan. 17, 2004. Sibling: Jake, almost 3.

Nathan Jacob: born to Dean (91) and Jodi (Koons) (93) Takamori on Feb. 10, 2004. Siblings: Tommy, 4, and Katie, 1.

Derek Edward: born to Edward and Stacey (Jennings) (93) Masterson on Feb. 13, 2004.

Lily Anna: born to Jonathan (03) and Jennifer (Hall) (02) Howe on Feb. 15, 2004.

Jesse Nathaniel: born to James and Amy (Piro) (93) Bennett on Feb. 26, 2004. They were married July 8, 2001 and live in San Diego.

Ethan Forrest: born to Thane (99) and Amy (Souza) (00) Erickson on March 6, 2004.

William Micheal: born to Randy (00) and Amber Webb on March 15, 2004. Sibling: Andrew, 3.

Kamdyn Joy: born to Chad and Andrea (Herrera) (95) VanderKooi on March 21, 2004.

Quinn Aaron: born to Dathan and Tricia (Wilcox) (93) Garcia. Sibling: Caleigh, 3.

Gabriel Allen: born to Dan (00) and Shannon (McRae) (00) Rundio on April 4, 2004. Sibling: Brennan.

Cade Matthias: born to David (93) and Amy (Moore) (94) Swearingen on April 8, 2004. Sibling: Ashley Nicole, 3.

George Thomas: born to Scott and Rebekah (Simpson) (02) Handley on April 13, 2004.

Heather Elizabeth: born to Rod and Nicole (DeForrest) (90) MacDonald on April 13, 2004.

Finn Christopher: born to Chris (01) and Jennifer Bingham on April 17, 2004.

Allison Grace: born to Aaron (95) and Dayna (Allison) (93) Helfer on April 21, 2004. Sibling: Matthew, 2.

Hailey Marlane: born to Matt and Chrystal (Miller) (98) Seaman on April 22, 2004.

Camille Elise: born to Rebecca Braaten (01) on May 6, 2004.

Breanna Adelle: born to Cliff (00) and Christina (99) (Lawton) Slike on May 13, 2004.

Rylan Jacob: born to Christopher (97) and Julie (Garver) (97) Curtis on May 27, 2004. Sibling: Matthew Austin, 3.

Ethan Carter: born to Doug (97) and Leslie Fahsbender on May 28, 2004. Sibling: Paige Nichole, 2.

Mason Isaac: born to John and Amanda (Lee) (95) Huckstep on June 2, 2003. Sibling: Jenna, 3.

Sebastian Alan: born to Cameron (94) and Paula Galofre-Taylor on June 3, 2004.

Timothy Lee: born to Kevin and Rene (DeBurle) (97) Kirk on June 22, 2004.

Katelyn Renae: born to Jonathan (00) and Julie (Brower) (02) Little on August 23, 2004. Jonathan is in his final year of law school at American University in Washington D.C. Sibling: Jeremy, 1.

In Memoriam

Aron E. Jantzen (46) passed away Feb. 13, 2004. He and his late wife served as missionaries in India. He is survived by his daughter, Cynthia (Jantzen) (67) Belden.

Vera (Jones) (41) Purdy passed away June 16, 2004. She is survived by her husband, Lee; son, Clark; daughter-in-law, Lorie; and two grandchildren.

Andrea (Zimmerman) Mischel (99) passed away on June 25, 2004. Daughter of Gary (70) and Jerri (Stump) (66) Zimmerman, Andrea attended Point Loma for two years. She endured a long and courageous battle with cancer until the time of her death at age 30. Her missionary and servant spirit made a significant difference in the lives of many. She is survived by her husband, Robert; two sons, Tyler, 6 and Kyle, 3; parents, Gary and Jerri; brother, Darin; sister, Annette (Zimmerman) (94) Stone.

Dr. Ronald R. Schmidt (60) passed away on July 26, 2004. Dr. Schmidt served as vice president of Institutional Advancement at Southern Nazarene University

1982-1986. In 1986, he became the executive vice president and chief operations officer for the Young Life Foundation. He went on to serve as executive vice president at Colorado Christian University, starting in 1992. He became president of Crichton College in 1998 and served the school until his retirement in July 2003. Dr. Schmidt received the Distinguished Achievement Award from the PLNU Alumni Association in 1994. He is survived by his wife, Dr. Sylvia Schmidt, and their daughters Ronlyn, Erika, and Kirstin.

Esther Mae (Roberts) (46) Wright passed away on April 29, 2004. Esther Mae was a junior high school teacher for 34 years and volunteered her time directing a choir and coaching several athletic teams for the school. She was active in a variety of ministries for nearly 30 years at First Church of the Nazarene in Pueblo, Colo. She is survived by her sister, Eva R.

Sandusky II, and several nieces and nephews

Rev. John Brewer (63) passed away on May 28, 2004. He served as a minister for the Church of the Nazarene and was a veteran of the Army Air Corps. He is survived by his wife, Billie; daughters, Robin and Kandi; son, Daryl; sister, Gloria and five grandchildren.

U. Edwin Harding (47) passed away on Jan. 1, 2003 after battling diabetes for many years. Mr. Harding was a social worker and parole and probation officer in Los Angeles. He also served as a child welfare and attendance officer for the Orange County Department of Education. An active member of Trinity United Presbyterian Church, Ed was a strong advocate for social justice and helped coordinate many projects to assist those in need. He is survived by his wife, Beau (45), daughter, Robin, son, Scott, a daughter-in-law, six grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters.



Andrea (Zimmerman) Mischel

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