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ROSELEAVES88 REUNION

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- **Basic Urban Kitchen and Bar**
- **Travel Information**
- **Focus on classmates**

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TRAVEL INFORMATION

For alumni not planning on staying with family or friends during the reunion, I have put together a small list of hotels and some suggested travel sites for you to make price comparisons. I noticed several sites with bad reviews for Howard Johnson Inn, in Rocklin, so be sure to read reviews if you're not familiar with the property.

- Oct. 18th (Reunion Dinner) The Hilton is offering a guest room rate of \$99 for single/double rooms. Reservations may be made by calling 1-800-HILTONS and requesting the "XTG" Group code or online at www.sacramentoardenwest.hilton.com

Rocklin Area

- Heritage Inn Express, Rocklin Park Hotel, Days Inn, Comfort Suites, Staybridge Suite

Roseville Area

- Best Western, Holiday Inn Express Suites, Hilton Garden Inn, Homewood Suites by Hilton, Larkspur Landing, Residence Inn by Marriott, Courtyard by Marriott, Courtyard by Marriott Galleria, Fairfield Inn by Marriott, Extended Stay America (Lead Hill Rd), Heritage Inn, Orchid Suites, Hampton Inn and Suites, Oakwood at the Terraces.

Online Sites

- Travelocity.com \$67-160 Expedia.com \$73-130
Orbitz.com \$61- 149 Hotels.com \$62-130
Priceline.com \$65-159

Airlines Servicing Sacramento Airport (SMF)

<http://www.airports.co.sacramento.ca.us/int/airlines/index.html>

Rental Cars:

<http://www.airports.co.sacramento.ca.us/int/terminal/rental.htm>

Ground Transportation:

http://www.airports.co.sacramento.ca.us/int/parking/ground_transporation.html

OOPS!

It's bound to happen, so if you see something that needs correcting, please let us know.

Military Honors: Greg Bormann's name was misspelled.

More Twins :

Leigh Anne (Burroughs) Collins (boy/girl) & Kristina (Crawford) Wilson (unknown).

BASIC URBAN KITCHEN & BAR

112 Pacific Street Roseville, CA 95678

(916) 749-4641

Basic serves up East Coast style pizza in an urban industrial backdrop. The brick walls and cement floors strengthen the warehouse ambiance.

The bars are fully stocked with traditional well drinks, beer and wine. Several VIP couches can be reserved for groups and when the over sized roll-up doors are open, the dining area transforms into a street side café.

The menu consist of garden salad and pies, pizza for those on the West Coast, which are made with a red or white sauce on a true thin crust, you choose the toppings like fried eggplant, sun-dried to-

matoes, pepperoni and their signature pie: mashed potato and bacon! Yes, go ahead read it again. *Mashed potato and bacon.*

This is the second expansion location for the San Diego based company, the Roseville has been open since May. Our RHS link are two of the investors: Cory Tapia (87) and our own Marc Buljan.

Food is served until 2am
7 days a week.

Happy Hour is between 4-7 with free pizza slices and drink specials. Minors are welcome in the dining area.

Every Thursday it's a flashback to the 80's starting at 8:30 and going until 2am. ■

REMINDER

REUNION TICKET

PRICES JUMP TO \$85

STARTING SEPT. 1ST

To get the \$75 (per person) price, you must have your payment postmarked this weekend!

CHECK YOUR EMAIL FOR THE CURRENT MAIL IN FORM.

The form is also on the home page at the website.

<http://www.freewebs.com/roseleaves88>

MILITARY HONORS

If you or a family member are in the military please let us know so we can proudly display your names.

Branch Unknown: John Swatzke, Bob Steinhoff, Letti Bravo



- Greg Haley (Cathy Blakely's husband)
- Misty Markham Licata
- Anthony Licata (Misty's husband)
- Mike Retzlaff
- Krista Lively
- Jordan Lively (son)



- Greg Bormann
- J.J. Napper
- Kristine Saltzman
- Paul Dowling



- Chad Moreland
- Chris Hays
- Shelly Mihulka
- Mike Dali (Vicky Totaro's husband)



- A.J. Southwell
- Garrick Galvez
- Mike Retzlaff
- Richard Galvez



**When you complete and submit a Bio/Survey. One question is...
“Anything you want to share with the class?”**

Erin Reese

Location: India and U.S.A.

I'm a freelance travel writer and write for magazines, blogs at <http://bindigirl.blogspot.com> and books on topics related to world philosophy and spirituality, off-the-beaten-path travel, and awakening to your life's purpose. I can't make it to the reunion because I'll be living in Mumbai, India. Hope you'll email me or visit sometime - and perhaps I'll be at the 25th reunion. Have a great time, everyone!

Chad Mooreland

Location: San Antonio, TX

I've lived in San Antonio for 15 years now and have become a huge San Antonio Spurs fan. For all of you Laker lovers out there, we're coming for you next year!!!

Heather Wright DeLoach

Location: Orangevale, CA

I love being a mom and not having to take them to daycare. Would not change that for the world. My husband is a great provider, father, and husband. Would not change him for anything in the world. One of my daughters had open-heart surgery at 6 months and is thriving now. I would not change any of my kids for anything in the world. God has blessed us and looked after us!

J.J. Napper

Location: Roseville, CA

I am still alive I didn't die in the parachuting accident that I had in the Navy. I broke my back and was Hospitalized for 4 months.

Julie Starkey Huff

Location: Sheridan, CA

I'm headed back to school again! I have an AA in Business management, only 4 classes away from an AA in psychology and then I'm starting cosmetology school so I can own my own salon. I've also written 8 poems and a partial book that are all with the US Copyright Center. Publishers keep contacting me to publish my work.

Chris Bartlett

Location: Wake Forest, NC

I asked Dawn to marry me after 2 weeks of dating, we married 6 months later in 1993. She's awesome.

In the 2007 Pasadena Rose Parade, George Lucas had two big Star Wars floats. I was in the C-3PO suit on the front float standing next to R2D2. I've been a Lucas film's stand-in C-3PO for several public events

I'm a video game artist for Epic Games and my work appears in the Game of the Year, "Gears of War" as well as "Unreal Tournament III"

Two years after High School I served a full-time 2-year mission in Oklahoma and Missouri for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (also known as the Mormon church)

ALUMNI CLOSE UPS: STACY (MELLEBY) MCCARTHY

REBUILDING WITH FIVE

Stacy (Melleby) McCarthy

You might remember seeing me on the football field, as a student trainer. I still take care of scrapes and broken bones, only now it's with my kids. And yes, I tell them to "just ice it."

After graduating from Sierra College with two associates degrees, I began an internship with a local architect firm working as a project manager for several different construction companies throughout California's central valley. My mom always got a kick out of telling her friends that I "boss around six foot men all day". Today, I still manage construction projects, but for my own design business.

I'm a recent newlywed. On August 25, 2007, one year after our first date, I married Matt McCarthy (OHS '88). Many of you might remember him from Eich. We originally met each other in 1979, through the youth group at the First Presbyterian Church in Roseville after my family moved to Rocklin from Southern California.

We reconnected on August 1, 2006 through

church. Matt shared that he had moved from Pennsylvania about 5 weeks prior, where he was working with IBM, to live in the house he inherited from his grandfather. Just ten hours after we reconnected, the very same house burned down. This just happened to be both his grandfather's and my daughter Caitlin's birthday! This isn't going to be forgotten any time soon.

We met for our first date on August 25th and spent time catching up on the last 18 years.

Since I had been working in disaster restoration, Matt got a designer and I got a project. Little did I know I would be living in the house we ended up rebuilding together.

Bringing the family together turned out to be a blessing for all. The kids began to heal and enjoyed working together on the house. We learned to paint, decorate and dream together.

Together, we have five wonderful children (three girls from my previous marriage and a boy and girl from his). All are in public school, my daughters are in Roseville, but due to some temporary constraints, Matt's children still attend in Folsom while living with us. As you can imagine

transportation is a problem, but we make do until we can get a resolution.

Matt is a real estate re-developer and on the board for Roseville Connects. I am working as a certified interior, kitchen and bath designer. Both of us are involved in revitalization with the City of Roseville and I have been on the board for the National Kitchen and Bath Association. We like to involve the kids on simpler projects, such as renovating single family homes.

Matt and I both work from home, so we have some flexibility with our schedules, but it has its challenges as well, because the laundry is always calling. We've helped the kids develop their own chore schedule and they're at an age where they put the pressure on themselves to get things done. With five of them, no one does the same chore twice in a week, but we do bring in a cleaning service for the details. This means less nagging for me and allows some actual free time.

We eat together as a family, continue our Tuesday family nights and attend church regularly (Matt is the bass player in the band).

Matt and I make an effort to spend one-on-one time with each of the kids, even if it's a mundane er-

"I actually got my varsity letter in football!"



David 14, Amanda 13, Megan 11, Caitlin 10 and Emily almost 9

rand to fill up the car. But there are days when getting everything done is a challenge, so I try to pick and choose my shopping trips with kids in tow. They always want to spend every penny they have, so I expect a little chaos when they come along. We haven't truly entered the teenage zone as of yet, but David is preparing for high school this fall. As Matt jumps for joy that our district line just changed from Roseville to Oakmont, I grin and remind him that I actually got my varsity letter in football! ■

