

## Class of 1961

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## **Class Agents Letter**

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## HAFFY NEW YEAR (DECADE!!!)

Dear Many Miler,

Well, we will soon have lived in TEN decades! Wow! Never thought that would happen. We reflect over this long span with joy and appreciation for the positive things that have happened, not to include Washington DC!

The Little Giant basketball team recently defeated Greenville at a tournament by the score of 137 to 131 with a record 67.5% field goal shooting. Also shot 66.7% of 3s (4 of 6). The rest of their season has had some highs and lows, but time will tell. After losing to Rose-Hulman, their record is 6-4.

Not sure that the final would be different, but the ref called our receiver out of bounds, thus negating a touchdown. After a field goal, DePauw made a quick

touchdown, so they get to keep the Bell in Greenydingle. In the photo, the white line is OB! Final score: W 13 – D 17. It was actually a rather disappointing display of offense on both teams. Wabash faced North Central (IL) in the Div III playoffs. And pretty



much got a lickin'. North Central knocked off Mount Union and Wis. White Water and will play in the Stagg Bowl Dec 20. It has been a while since Wabash football lost 4 games in a season.



Wabash Soccer team wound up 10-6-3 for a good season. They earned a berth in the Conference tournament, losing by 1 goal against Ohio Wesleyan, whom they had defeated during the regular season.

Dennis Edward Sheridan, age 80, of Marshall passed away Wednesday, November 20, 2019 in Kalamazoo, MI surrounded by his loving family. He was born February 24, 1939 in Muskegon, MI the son of Edward James Sheridan and Nellie (Fairchild) Sheridan. Dennis attended Wabash College, class of 1961. He was employed with Starr Commonwealth in Albion and then retired from Oakland University after many years of service. He served on the Board of Directors of Orchards Children's Services. Dennis was married to Sue Rollin on January 22, 1966; she survives him. He also leaves to cherish his memory two children, Kevin (Patty) Sheridan and Kathleen (Alex) Romig; two grandchildren, Kevin Sheridan Jr. and



Denny & Sue Sheridan

Shannon Sheridan; two brothers, Jim (Nancy) Sheridan and Tom (Betty) Sheridan; and many nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends at Kempf Family Funeral & Cremation Services, 723 US Hwy 27 N, Marshall, MI 49068 on Sunday, November 24, 2019 from 4-7 p.m. A Vigil Service will be held at the funeral home at 7 p.m. on Sunday, led by Rev. Fr. Craig Lusk. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Parish Church, 212 W. Hanover St., Marshall, MI 49068 at 11 a.m. on Monday, November 25, 2019, with Rev. Fr. Craig Lusk officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial gifts may be directed to The Sisters of the Holy Cross Memorial Scholarship, https://www.saintmarys.edu/donate. Please visit https://www.kempffuneralhome.com to view the online obituary, sign the guest book or leave condolences for the family.



J B with Denny's grandchildren, Kevin Jr (Wabash '20) and Shannon (St. Mary's of Notre Dame '20) (twins).

J B with Kevin Sr. (Wabash '90) with sister Kathy and Sue.





Thad Seymour and his famous Packard.... Thad passed away at the end of October in Florida. He was such a fun and interesting guy!

Charlie & Corky Bowerman with their daughters at Christmas!





Recent photo of Don & Vicky Weddle – looking happy!

Jay Moore reports that he and Nancy have moved into a retirement village and have a cottage in Rock Hill, SC. He also happily reports that they are both currently in good health!

From: Die Laughing calendar....

After church one Sunday morning, the preacher takes Randall aside congratulates him on his eightieth birthday, and gently suggests that it's time for him to be thinking about the hereafter.

Believe me, I think about it all the time, says Randall. No matter where I am - in the kitchen, the living room, the bedroom, I ask myself, "Now, what am I here after?"

Every week, we are reminded that our friends are incurring health issues. We are so fortunate to have survived past the average length of life (especially Joe Kiley who is 85!) Keep us in the loop if you hear of or face rough times regarding your health.... We hold all cancer victims in our prayers.

Wabash College continues to gain national attention for the great things which are going on with our faculty and students... The retention of freshmen into the sophomore year is among the highest in the USA. The graduation rate has soared since our day when we went from 212 Many Milers to a mere 112 who graduated! And, our class is now about to drop to below 100 living classmates! I appreciate you, each and every one. We hope you have a Healthy New Year!

Remember Wabash as you finish out the year!

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Many Miles Before the Night......

## J B