

SCHUTZ AMERICAN SCHOOL

May 1994

Dear Friends of Schutz American School,

It is always a pleasure to report to you about our school. It is a wonderful place to live, to work, to teach. Education is always exciting and education in a multi cultural community like Schutz American School is even more exciting!

We all know that world events change so rapidly; it is difficult to keep abreast with all of the changes. Egypt is changing in many ways as well. As a result the school also changes. We are constantly looking at the present and trying to project the future to see what is best for our students. As you know we underwent a detailed self study two years ago in preparation for accreditation. We are fully accredited and an excellent self study was conducted at that time. This self study is a very solid base from which to build.

In order to prepare for the future in the best possible way, our board has committed itself to strategic planning during the 1994-95 school year. We will work very closely with board members, faculty and staff, students, parents and interested community members in order to set the future for Schutz School. We have an excellent tradition at Schutz School and want to keep the strong points of that tradition as we look to the future. The Board of Trustees in Alexandria is an excellent board and we look forward to developing Schutz together in the future.

On another note it was wonderful to have a reunion in Washington, DC. There were 19 dedicated Schutzites at a reunion hosted by Betty and Roy Atherton, and Walter and Franna McClelland. We had a wonderful time recounting the stories and ideas of Schutz and it was a pleasure to get acquainted with other supporters of Schutz.

We have been blessed this year with frequent contacts with John and Clare Meloy. John is in Cairo in a Fullbright scholarship and we have been able to visit with them a variety of times. We are also looking forward to seeing George and Mary Lou Meloy when they visit Egypt in April of this year. We are always glad to see friends at Schutz in Alexandria, so we invite any of you to attend at any time. We like to hear from you, so feel free to contact us any time.

Schutz is doing well this year and we anticipate doing well in the future. You can be proud of our current students, just as we are proud of all our former students, faculty staff and friends. It is still an excellent school!

Larry Pattee
Headmaster



The Smiths
Chad, Wayne, Heidi, Brenda

March 1994
Greetings from Schutz,

Spring Break provided a welcome rest and now we have renewed energy to finish the school year in style. Ten teachers attended the NE/SA Conference, this year in beautiful Sri Lanka. The theme was the integration of the Language Arts. One of our teachers, Kelly Sullivan, gave a workshop entitled "Language Arts in the Math Curriculum."

School work and activities keep everyone busy. Three students went to the Hague for Model United Nations this past winter; and in a few weeks eight students will go to Kuwait for Academic Games. This year Schutz hosted the EMAC Cross Country meet. It was very successful with students running the races at Montazah and Agami.

We have had an exciting series of guests this year starting in October with Clare Leader (at Schutz 1982-1986) and John Meloy (1959-1977) who are living in Cairo for at least a year. Clare has been doing substituting at Schutz periodically, and was one of the speakers for our Career Day.

In late October Ron Walters flew to the USA to have open heart surgery (5 bypasses). He's now in better shape than ever, exercises regularly and diets carefully. The hardest thing to give up was mayonnaise!

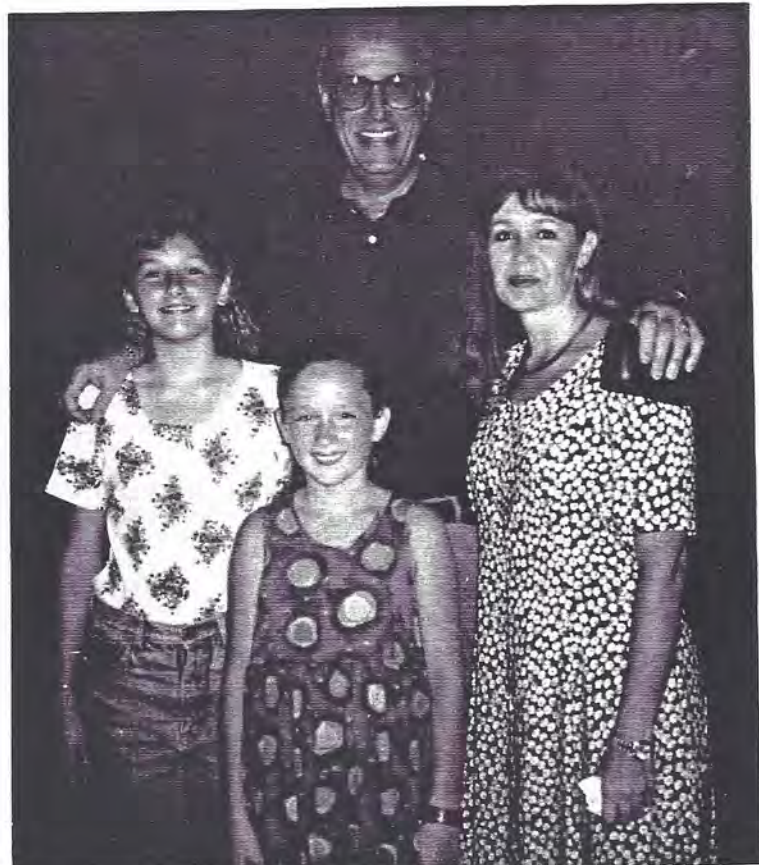
Visitors in December included the Elayadis-Nasser, Wanda, and Anissa who are now living in North Carolina. In January Wayne Smith (1966-1970) visited Egypt with his three kids, Heidi, Chad and Brenda. Wayne spent time giving teachers some advice about middle school operation.

Then in February Walt Veasy (1976-1978 and 1980-1987) stopped in for an afternoon. He is now teaching near Rome, Italy. Greg Walters (1968-1985) visited for a few weeks after being in the Peace Corps in Namibia. He will be in Albuquerque for the next two years in a Peace Corps Fellowship program.

Most recently, Lars and Margareta Morling (1983-1989) came by for a brief visit. They took pictures of the students who are in the classes their own children were in when at Schutz. Elia, their oldest, would be in this year's senior class.

Ron and I had a memorable moment when we were in Sri Lanka attending the teachers' conference. There were 850 delegates, and one of them walked up to us and said, "Do you remember me?" It was Cherise Taylor, who spent 6 years at Schutz, 1968-1974, with the last 2 in the boarding department. She's now a first grade teacher in Kuwait, is married and has two daughters. Seeing her brought back so many wonderful memories of those good ol' days. The warm feeling of seeing Cherise again is just like attending a Schutz reunion. See you there!

Janie Walters



Cherise Taylor McIntyre
Don, Ashley, Danielle 3/94

George/Mary Koklanaki, Niziidon 80 Paleon Faliron 17561 Greece 12/93 To all members of Schutz American School I wish you Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. I acknowledge receipt of your latter journey which gave me a great pleasure to know that I still recognized as one of Schutz School members. Lots of Love - Mary

Vivian Hoffmeier, Landis Homes 1001 East Oregon Rd Lititz PA 17543 (717) 560-2376 12/93 I'm especially thankful for my family and I have asked each to give you the "highlights" of their year. Herb, Sharon, Mark, Lisa, Joel and Tami Garber - a busy year on the farm, and with having four teenagers, much of our life revolves around their activities. Mark played baseball for Elizabethtown and his team had the excitement of winning the State Championship and graduation from high school on the same day. He is now at Penn State majoring in agriculture. Lisa, a Senior, is busy visiting & applying to colleges. Lisa is a varsity cheerleader and going to Dallas to compete in a National Competition. Joel, a Sophomore, has just passed his driver's test and purchased his first truck. Tami, a Freshman, is adjusting well to high school. Jim, Cathy, Jessi and Benji Hoffmeier - a highlight of 1993 was a trip for the whole family along with the Wheaton College study program in the Holy Lands. We spent a week in Greece, three in Israel and two in Egypt. We stayed on in Egypt after the students returned to Israel so that Jim could teach a week long seminar for the Egyptian Bible Society for pastors and lay leaders. Over 100 had registered. Cathy continues part-time work at Chapel of the Air, and Jim is in his 14th year at Wheaton, happily looking forward to a sabbatical leave beginning in Jan. Michael, Mary Lou, Trisha, Kevin and Lauren Joline - Trish is a high school Freshman and has a great support group in her friends from Youth group. On July 4, she was baptized. She plays the cello in the orchestra. Kevin is in his first year of Middle School. It's been challenging but a good experience with new teachers and new friends. Lauren is a happy 3rd grader. She loves reading and playing with friends. Michael is kept busy at Donnelley Printing Co. Except for an extended time last Spring when Mary Lou did substitute nursing in the Warwick School District, she keeps the home fires burning.

Alma & Alex Wilson, 304 Madison Ave., Grove City PA 16127 12/93 A year of celebrations! A reunion of all the people who had worked together in the Sudan. Fifty gathered in Nebraska - an excellent update, and what terrible and wonderful news. In the midst of all the horrors of civil war which has gone on for 27 of the last 30 years, hunger, disease, devastation, and death, the church is growing, growing, and growing. The church is growing faster in the Sudan than anywhere else in the world! Three celebrations for our 50th wedding anniversary - a reception after church for the East Main Church people, a supper for all the family, and then the immediate family (all Wilsons) went to the Retreat Center at Seneca Hills for a few days, and that was marvelous. Don and Peg in from Calgary and we joined them for a few days of vacation at their condo near Myrtle Beach. Paul in Minn. is teaching again at St. Olaf College. Sara chose to enroll in St. Olaf in their "paracollege" and Scott is on the cross country ski team at his high school. In Minn. George has arranged his life so that he is out of jail for Christmas. His "big" trial (on a state charge) is scheduled for Jan. 20, and Jennifer has hers Jan. 19. George is still working with Missionaries to the Preborn. While he was in jail last month, Dianna (and the kids) took care of two babies whose mother was in jail on drug charges. Such "opportunities" seem to gravitate to George & Dianna. East Main Church has asked Alex to become their full-time Interim Pastor. Alex is pleased to do it, a little more pleased than Alma is. Alma enjoys playing the piano and giving lessons and is on the Evangelism Committee.

Penny Pollock McFarland, 163 Pilgrim Dr, Sewickley PA 15143 12/93 Brad Watkins and Joe Hopkins are going to the Sudan with my dad on a work and teaching trip if their visas arrive. Ed is trying to expedite that on his lunch hour in D.C. I'm going to South FL on a work trip Dec. 27. I have my hammar and paint brush ready.

Eleanor Gersiek, River Road, APT 1-C, Walkill NY 12589 12/93 I've been fine and enjoy the quiet country life of Walkill. The letters from Egpt get fewer each year, but I do appreciate each one. God bless in 1994

Bob Kraft, Jibla Baptist Hospital, Box 70080, Ibb, Yemen Thanks for the newsletter. Note my new address although I get in to Sanaa about once a month and am still able to get letters at my old address.

Finney, 45 McMillan RD, Mercer, PA 16137 12/93 Roberta still goes to work but Lois has finally taken some days off and stayed home. She has been having some fun making some of her toys. In Oct, with Sara Baker we went on our Presbytery's mission bus tour to Montreal, NC.

Gayle (Swart) & Richrd Smith, Box 60548, Longmeadow, MA 01116 12/93 Gayle has finished her Master's degree program at the American International College. She is teaching in a private school for children with learning disabilities. She sings in the church choir and in the Springfield Symphony Chorus. Richard continues as a general Pediatrician in HMO-Blue in Springfield. Next year when we move to our new home, we will have more room to entertain you all.

Marilyn (Law) & Elwyn Tedford, 107 S. James, Sparta, IL 62286 12/93 In June we went to CA to visit son Kris, who lives in Sunnyvale, near San Francisco. We visited the Iranian Church where he works. He and the church secretary prepared an

Iranian (Persian) dinner for us. We enjoyed the different foods and getting to meet several of the church members who have come out of Islam. Our daughter, Lynne, came back from Brazil this summer and is now teaching 3rd grade in a Christian school in Fort Lauderdale, FL. We are thankful for our health, our jobs (Marilyn continues with Hospice and Elwyn as pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church), our family and our faith in the One who is the "Water of Life".

Lou Ann (Purvis) & Harold Dillman, PO Box 22, Corydon, IN 47112-0022 12/93 All is well here in Hoosier-land. See you next summer.

Norma Insley, PO Box 42, Shoshone, CA 92384 12/93 It has been over a year since I left the hospital and went to stay with my daughter, Anne. After 10 months I returned to Shoshone and am getting stronger daily. The newsletter is so interesting. I am especially interested in what all of the ex students are doing. I wonder about our Yugoslavian students often.

Joyce Gordon Thompson, 4266 N. Country Lane, Wichita, KS 67220 12/93 Bob's and my employment is the same. We have a new home as of Dec. 17. Leslie will be 10 in a couple weeks and Jenny is 8 and 1/2. They are excited about Christmas, a new home with their own room, and living within walking or biking distance from their school. I enjoy receiving the newsletter.

Mary Lou Hoffmeier Joline, 33 Karen Court, Lititz, PA 17543 12/93 What fun it is when the Schutz letter comes, to go back in time & think of friends from the past. Thanks for your faithfulness in sending it out each year after year.

Ann (Quick) Akers-Ramm 12/93 The "Quick girls" - all 4 - and children re-joined on July 4th weekend - a first! We plan to do it again in 1994. I continue in my practice (psychotherapy) and Dan is pastor in Flatbush, Brooklyn. Nathaniel is 4 1/2! We attended Carol Thompson's wedding in Oct. Henry, Dan, Ann & Evelyn were all there! It was beautiful and great to see them!

Milly (Cook) Stonehouse, 5401 Sharon TR, Lakeland FL 33809 12/93 A snow covered wagon, a bird on a tree, Nature's decoration for all to see. Season's Greetings.

John & Gwen Haspels, % ACROSS PO. Box 44838, Nairobi, Kenya 11/93 As we rotate in and out of Tugit during this time of construction, we have been leaving our tent and equipment behind. One night, when we were out, a thief broke into our tent and began collecting, in the middle of the tent, pots and pans, blankets, and food which he intended to take. Unfortunately for the thief, he was caught by our Surma guards. Later when we returned, the guards reported on what had happened. They told us their first response was to kill the thief. As they discussed what they should do, however, they came to this conclusion. "Mr. John," they said, "you have been teaching us that God is not pleased with killing. You told us that even if the person is killed secretly, his blood cries out to God (Gen. 44:10). So we did not kill him." Instead they tied him to a tree for the rest of the night and the next morning he was publically humiliated as the community came to view the captured thief. We were quite pleased to hear that the Surmas in coming to their decision, had wrestled with what God expected of them. Is this not a first step for the Surma to bring Glory to God?

Dave & Jeannie (Jordan) Byer, 1449 N.E. 12th AVE Rochester, MN 55906 12/93 Dave is still in anesthesia at Methodist most of the time. Jean keeps busy trying to insure the family is fed, laundered, and car-pooled! Lois is still working on her master's in counseling. Brian is a senior and Elaine a sophomore at Bethel College. Craig, in high school, is our computer expert. Glenn is in eighth and Paul in fifth grade.

Sandy Jamison, 76 May DR Dillsburg, PA 17019 12/93 Work at Messiah College has been constant. In addition, I was fully engaged in helping my parents get settled into a lovely cottage at Messiah Village. Dad, fully recovered from unexpected bypass surgery, is busy ministering encouragement to many around him and sorting through many years of letters, pictures and documents related to his years in Egypt. Mother's musical gifts and her beautiful personality bring joy to those around her including myself. I spent ten days at Cedar Campus in Michigan participating in the annual Nurses' Christian Fellowship retreat that helped me prepare for a very different fall than I had been expecting. I had anticipated a busy year with a greatly increased nursing enrollment, initiation of the Degree Path nursing program for nontraditional students, and preparation for a professional accreditation visit. However, I could not have predicted the tremendous turmoil in the college as a whole and serious family illnesses of nursing faculty which have "rocked the ship." Additionally there have been more needs among students than I ever remember. It seems that God is in the business of purifying and strengthening His people. These are days to walk and not grow weary, run and not faint because of His strength and grace.

Bill and Carolyn (Kraft) Pollock, PO Box 129, Hunt, NY 14846-0129 12/93 Allison managed the snack shop, averaging 45 hours a week, at Blue Mountain. She also managed the men's and women's track teams at Messiah College. Dawn made it to Greece to visit Luisa at Easter, graduated from high school in June and says the best part was when Dad handed me my diploma and told us that we officially graduated. I chose to attend Geneva College in Beaver Falls, PA. Carolyn writes

the most notable change this year is the "empty nest." My hours in the elementary school office have increased and I'm not getting the sporadic days off that used to help keep me sane and caught up. The good news is that my preschool enrollment is up to 14 and we actually have a waiting list. Other changes include having Bill home more evenings since his term on the school board ended, and that has been wonderful. Bill writes the highlight of his year was the trip to Ethiopia with his dad, brothers Ron and Tom and sister Leah - two weeks in Surma tribe area where friends John and Gwen Haspels are working. While there, we lived together in tents, ate MREs, and reminisced about our childhood lives. This was the longest period of time we have ever spent together as adults, and allowed for a time of family bonding. In May we received the INC.500 award that Optimization Technology had earned the previous year. Highlights this year included receiving the "Blue Chip Award" from the US chamber of commerce and a second "Quality First" service award from Kodak.

Mary Beth Neely, 14 Winston DR, Goshen, NY 10924 12/93
I love getting the Schutz newsletter. It's been a very long time since I've seen most of my Schutz friends, but those three years were filled with lasting memories. It's been a hard year for our family. Dad died in March, and I still feel a huge weight of sadness without him. He truly lived the love of God. Also, Deb had two mastectomies in the last three months. Thankfully, she is doing very well - physically and emotionally. She is planning to be married soon. My children, Amy (16) and Jeff (13) keep me positive and looking ahead. Their sense of humor and loyalty to me make all the loneliness of single parenthood worth it. I look forward to two Europe excursions in 1994 - one with "my beau" to Madrid; another as chaperone for students, including Amy, to France and Switzerland.

Shirley Small, 2557 Old Washington RD, Pgh PA 15241 12/93
Peace - Love - Joy

Mary Lou & Jack Lorimer, R D 1 Box 481, New Wilmington, PA 16142 12/93
Except for 3 weeks in CA to visit Susan and friends, the rest of our journeying consisted of local trips --- we rather enjoyed staying at home and enjoying life in western Pennsylvania. Jack was asked by the Ecumenical Theological Center at Thiel College to teach a course on Preaching to lay people and a 5 week course on Islam at one of the Pittsburgh churches. Mary Lou continues to be a homemaker, and with frequent visits from friends and family sometimes wishes for Shehata, our cook in Cairo! She does volunteer work at nearby Jameson Hospital and Overlook Nursing Home. Susan continues as a counselor at American River College and has turned into a politician, travelling around the state pleading the cause of counseling.

Ken & Ethel Bailey, P. O.Box 2075, Nicosia, Cyprus 12/93
We continue our thrice yearly treks to Jerusalem in Feb., June and Oct. where Ken teaches at the Ecumenical Institute and the Ecce Homo Convent. We spent Easter in Muscat, Oman, in the Gulf where Ken was the Holy Week speaker for the many church fellowship groups there. The new video movie on Luke 15 that Ken has written is now ready for filming. The filming location is a villa in the Fayum province in Egypt, and is scheduled to begin in April 1994. The last Arabic-language film from Ken's GOD IS... book, released last year, has now reached about 10 million viewers. An exciting point in the year was the recent visit of HM Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip to our little cathedral here in Nicosia. The Queen unveiled a plaque in connection with the centennial celebration of the building of the church, and Prince Philip read the scripture lesson. Ken is one of the canons of the cathedral so we were all there. Both Ken and Ethel were privileged to greet Her Majesty and the Prince in person. Now that "Mickey" is a grandmother she is starting to prefer the name "Ethel." She shares fully in the coming and going of our busy international ministry and finds that being a grandmother is not a substitution but an additional pleasure to being wife and mother. Daughter Sara is her dad's mainstay in the office, as she continues to deal with CFIDS. Son David has a new job with a smaller computer company and is both very busy and very happy in it and the creative opportunities it affords. He and Leslie and daughter Kelcey are expecting a fourth member of the family in early Jan..

Ken & Rosella (Hutchison) Nolin, R.D. 3 Box 48, Claysville PA 15323 12/93
Four nearby homes: the old farmhouse, where Ada Margaret is gracious hostess in what she jokingly calls her "Bed and Breakfast"; the former church at the head of our farm valley, where their paternal grandfather and mother came to worship, and which Steve (Bald) and Sharon, with lively two-year-old Daniel, have made their home; Doug and Marlene's farm, just a few miles further out; and our home, looking out over the valley in its constantly changing beauty. The other two parts of the extended family come as often as they can: Susan and Mark (Shopland), no more than a three-hour drive away from Indiana, PA. They come with Bethany 10 and Benjamin a first grader. And Rachel, the farthest away in Atlanta join us at Christmas with Greg (Gillespie), Scott 4, Erin 2 and Ryan 2 mo. Sister Ruth is in on any family gathering and has the exciting prospect of moving soon into an apartment on the extended campus of Presbyterian Seniorcare in Washington. Jim Hutchison is also here from time to time, with his lady-friend, Jean.

Ruth Nolin, 820 Redstone Rd Unit 313, Washington, PA 15301 12/93
After almost 20 years in the same place, I have found a nice apartment. The big sell point other than location and size, was that the color scheme is exactly my own! In Aug. I

attended a weaving workshop. The following I wrote for our newsletter and send to you all as my wish for you:
Think for a few minutes about the threads in our lives that weave the pattern of our days. At a workshop I learned to weave on a floor loom. There were many steps to the process: measuring, winding and threading the loom. Before that the choice of yarn, colors and pattern. Finally I sat at my loom and created that which I had envisioned. There was another threading in this week. A group of very dissimilar women made up the class. As the week progressed, we explored, tentatively at first, then more boldly, the threads of each others lives. Stories were told, much laughter and at the end, a few tears and lots of hugs. A few examples: an attorney from New York City came late each morning because she stayed to have her morning devotions, wore a scarlet and purple stole for a minister friend; another lady came with bags of rags from which she made wonderful rugs; our youngest wove a poncho for her father who came one day and sat with her as they each wove a side of the poncho. As I said my goodbyes, YoKo, our Japanese friend said: "Do you know this song, it is for you?" Still at her loom she sang to me in Japanese, "God be with you till we meet again." I was so touched and realized as I drove home that I had indeed been blessed by this group of new friends who had woven their threads into the fabric of my life. May we continue to be woven together in friendship, sharing and mutual appreciation into a pattern pleasing to God.

Paul & Martha Jamison, 545 Messiah Village, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055-2045 11/93
May I recommend Messiah Village as the perfect retirement facility. Our two bedroom cottage is spacious to meet all our needs. Perhaps the best part of this move is that we live just a few miles from daughter, Sandy. For 17 years she lived in Indiana and we saw her only twice a year. At the same time we do miss Glenn and Stephen and their families who had been near us for the past eight years. Debbie and Eric and little Hans live only 2 hours away. Not long after we arrived at the Village, Martha's musical talents became known and she plays the chapel organ several days a week. She also has played several organ-piano duets in the church where we attend. Both of us sing in the church choir and I am a member of the "Singing Men" here in the village. I have begun work on my autobiography which includes the story of my parents. Retirement can be fun!

Maria Teresa Brandt De Oliveira, Caixa Postal 71.516 Sao Paulo -SP 05020-990 Brazil 12/93
Thank you for keeping me in touch with Schutz through the newsletters. Please note my new address.

Wally, Margaret (Philips), and Philip Cheasbro, 246 Road 2900 Aztec, New Mexico 87410 12/93
Wally's move from fifth to fourth grade has given him an interesting change of pace. He's still barbershop singing, being a volunteer fireman and playing an active role in church. He still has his goats and one earned the title of highest milk producer among those tested at a competition this summer. I'm working as an elementary school counselor in two Farmington schools. I still do some freelance writing for magazines and enjoy that a lot. Philip is doing very well in second grade. We spent Thanksgiving in Ariz. to help Wally's parents celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. My parents had their 50th in Greeley, CO in 1992.

Dorothea Meloy, 530A Waugh Ave. New Wilmington PA 16142 12/93
For almost two weeks over Thanksgiving I visited with Sarah's, Alice's and David's in Texas and Louisiana - a good trip.

Sara Baker, 150 W. Vine, New Wilmington, PA 16142 12/93
I have just reread my diary and am aware of how much cooking, baking, visiting and eating I have done but in each case there has been touch of friends and warm fellowship. We here in New Wilmington (Ken Bailey calls us "Egyptians in exile") have enjoyed visits from many mission friends. I continue to write our church newsletter 6 times during the year. Being on General Council for the presbytery has broadened my understanding of the work of presbytery and has helped me get to know who's who in the church in this area.

W. Robert Meloy, 2802 14th ST W # 84, Bradenton FL 34205 813-746-8508 12/93
Many projects keep me more than busy in my retirement: working 4 half days at the County Tourist Information Center; very active in Trinity Methodist Church, arranging a monthly LUNCH BUNCH - average of 80 who go out to eat once a month after church; being on the Board of the Volunteer Services Inc. has allowed me to meet others in the community; playing each week for an hour at Presbyterian Manor has gotten my piano playing back to par; have helped a friend from Sarasota with several Heifer Project displays; and retired YMCA Execs and their spouses meet four times a year that gives an opportunity to see some old friends and make new friends.

Max and Erika (Erskine) Lauffer, 190 Lauffer RD, Middletown PA 17057 12/93
Erika is beginning her seventh year as Peace Partner for the 57 congregations of the United Church of Christ in Lancaster and Lebanon counties. Max is finishing his term as Chair of Council of Carlisle Presbytery. He is a member of the Pastor Nominating Committee of our Middletown Presbyterian Congregation. John is in his last year at Lebanon Valley College, Bilingual Max E. is moving along in pursuit of his MA degree in geography (in German!) at the Univ. of Dusseldorf, Susan completed her Master of Arts in Teaching degree at Smith and is teaching math to junior high students at Farmington, CT. Edward and Louise returned to their mission school in Indonesia where Ed teaches physics, does administration and Louise teaches computer.

Corky & Mary (Creswell) Trotter, 1900 Barham, Dodge City, KS 67801 12/93 Seth is a Sophomore and ran Cross Country this fall and is heading into a full Basketball season. Courtney had two mission trips this summer - one to Mexico to build houses and one to Colorado to help on a construction project. A senior she has top ranking in her graduating class of 283. Shannon, a Sophomore at Sterling College, is a Kelsey Scholar and will spend interterm this year at the UN in NYC. Mary keeps busy keeping everyone in line. She is co-chair of the Academic Booster Club for the School District, teaches a Sunday School Class and serves on several committees at Church. Corky is still very busy with the medical practice. He has been doing some teaching of Nurse Clinicians and Medical Students. Mary and Corky are teaching the Chuck Swindol book "Strike the Original Match".

Ernest & Grace LaFont, 1492 Osprey Lane, College Place, WA 99324 12/93 Still going strong at 77, Grace doing so well, has been off medication since mid Sept. Surely do enjoy the Schutz news.

Willard Galloway, 1110 Oakhill Dr., Hawarden IA 51023-1355 12/93 We appreciate the news from Schutz. I am serving as interim pastor at Hawarden. We may be here for several months more. Though we are retired, we are enjoying the challenge.

Jim & Rachel Pollock, 36 Oak Lane, Washington, IA 52353--1836 319-653-7481 12/93 Lois and Paul Day with Chondra, Melissa, James and Brittany enjoy Bloomington, IL. Aida Jean Pollock is in Bloomington, IN, at home with Rachel, and Lora, Shane, Justin and Ian, seeing Glenn, Allen and Nicholas on weekends. Juanita Linda Pollock and Paul Gaulin are based in Hudson Falls, upper New York State. Howard and Linda with Andrew and Michael are well launched into the school year at the Univ. of Kansas, at Lawrence. Rachel nicely tries to just say no to 'invitations to serve,' but has made friends who try other new angles and she then finds she has said "OK" on several occasions, so is busy. Jim by long habit adopts the skunk's posture toward most beaming invitations. The Project is first and only. Indeed, 624 pages of sometime great prose is at last in the hands of a Reader, and that is an official start.

Rachel Pierce, 188 Alameda Road, # 112, Butler, PA 16001 12/93 I continue to be grateful for friends, especially in the church, who furnish transportation. I continue to be involved in local and presbytery Presbyterian Women, and with another gal from the church attend the auxillary meetings at the Oakmont Home.

Sue W. Elseewi, 2316 Robin Court, Grapevine, TX 76051 1/94 Enclosed contribution to Schutz newsletter.

Robb & Megs McLaughlin, 529 Sioux AVE, Melbourne FL 32935 12/93 Early this year we responded to a request from Ethiopia to go to Gambela and help conduct a three-month training course for Nuer Evangelists, at the conclusion of which 4 pre-chosen men were ordained as Pastors. While Connie Hall graciously hosted Robb through the 100°F daily heat, Megs wisely avoided that heat and dust by going to daughter Sharon and family in Tanzania. Back in the States by early May we joined two great reunions. The first was the Henry cousins (Robb's mother's side). The second was of former South Sudan missionaries in Nebraska. Some 48 or so of us made it, the first such gathering since we were put out of Sudan in the mid '60s.

Mary C. Thompson, 80 La Salle ST # 20C, New York, NY 10027 1/94 The year 1993 has heightened awareness of our mortality. A good friend who lived in this building died March 7 and my sister Elizabeth on Nov. 10. Another hint of mortality was my 80th birthday, well celebrated in March. My chief occupation has been as a member of the committee seeking a new senior pastor for the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Marilyn Watkins, 730 Northwood Dr., Richmond, IN 47374 12/93 Kevin was in a Jr.Theater Play just before Christmas. It was crazy and fun and we'll probably do one again sometime. (Easy to say as my memory faded quickly on the long hours) It's difficult to believe but I am starting my sixth year at Indiana University East. I love teaching and have developed a reasonable tolerance level for the remainder of the academic world. Kevin is in second grade. He is enjoying soccer and is getting started with Cub Scouts. If you are passing through Indiana, please stop for a visit.

Jim Millhone, 808 N. 15th Clarinda, IA 51632 12/93 Fortunately for us Southwest Iowa was only deluged and not washed away with the rains of the summer. There has been a serious impact on farms and farm families which necessarily has its fallout in rural communities. Clarinda is the home of the Glenn Miller Birthplace Society -- on March 1 there was an opening of a branch of that society in Tokyo. Eleven Clarinda residents went to Tokyo for the opening and to visit the Tamana Girl's School -- it was an unforgettable experience.

Milt & Mary Sage, 7743 Forbes, Pgh., PA 15221 1/94 Mary's surgery was successful and has given the desired relief of pain. Brother Jack is suffering with multiple myeloma and is on chemo. We're coming to terms with it all

Russ Stevenson, 207 Jervey Rd., Tryon, NC 28982 11/93 Just a line to say how much I appreciate receiving the Schutz newsletter. Of course, as the years pass, there are fewer and fewer names that I know, but still some of the old timers around--and the general news of Schutz is of interest to me.

Ron & Janie Walters, Schutz American School, PO Box 1000, Alexandria, Egypt. This past year has been most interesting. Since I am writing a note to thank the people who wrote, called, sent flowers, etc., you already know I went to the States for surgery. Oct. 24 flight to Chicago had no problems except the airports in Frankfurt and Chicago seemed awfully big, but manageable with long, slow walks. Oct. 26 following appointment with doctor called Janie asking her to come on the next morning's flight. Oct. 27 met Janie at O'Hare and Oct. 28 brother Rich and Janie took me to St. Lukes by 7:00 -- hospital staff wheeled me out of a little cubicle at 7:45 -- I remember the first 10-15 seconds of that ride --surgery is complete by 3:15. Oct. 29 -- first of anything I can remember since the 28th -- also was the first walk which was pretty short but seemed very long. Nov. 5 Janie takes me away from the hospital then leaves for the airport on her way back to Egypt. Marilynn takes me home to recoup at the Walters' with lots of help and many walks. Nov. 21 Rich and Mar drive me to O'Hare as soon as Bears game is over --head to Egypt. Nov. 22 arrive in Alex to a "welcome home" party by most staff/some students. Nov. 28 started teaching my algebra class -- felt good to be in the classroom and useful. Having Dawn on our staff has been every bit as exciting and fun as we had ever hoped it would be. As for Greg -- we are expecting him to show up on our doorstep sometime in March, with a couple other Peace Corps Volunteers.

Marcia (Gordon) Turner, 3105 Lundin Dr. # 1, Manhattan KS 66502 12/93 In Oct. I went with an eye surgery team into Kurdistan. Although the project was short, I wanted to go. I'd been praying for just such an opportunity for years. There is a possibility we may go back once or twice this year. Our team of five ophthalmologists and several nurses did almost 350 surgeries in about 9 days. Our family had a big reunion in Durango, CO to celebrate Mom & Dad's 50th anniversary. Mark, Anne, Joseph and Callan are still in New Jersey. Gordon is engaged and will get married in March.

Dot & Bob Turnbull, 254 Ackerman St. W. Monmouth, OR 97361 503-838-3031 12/93 This has been a busy year settling into our very own "this old house", that Nancy vacated in her move to Arizona. What started out to be a small remodel job has grown to that plus a new "to code" stairway to the attic, and adding a room and bath to the attic. Janet's husband Dennis, is the general contractor and Dot is the architect and Bob sweeps up after the artisans each day. We are hoping that paint, carpets, etc. will be completed before Lee's family arrive from Hungary just before Christmas. Dot and Bob both are involved in our local church and Presbytery committees. Dot continues to ring bells and this fall devotes every Wed. to serving on the county grand jury. Bob is still active in the county, Victim Offender Reconciliation Program. Ann lives with a friend, Coleen on a lake in Central Minn. and works in the twin cities four days a week. Carol still works for the Lawrence Hall of Science on the Berkeley campus. Janet landed one of the very few jobs in the local school system teaching in the same building where her two children, Haley and Eli are students. Lee and Mel and their two girls are living in Hungary for a 2 year stint. Lee is helping train some Hungarian managers on the fine points related to producing hybrid seed corn for Pioneer. Nancy decided to find a warmer and drier climate and is with Travcorp nursing for 3 months in Tucson, AZ.
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Janet Sheldon 301S. Monmouth Ave. Monmouth OR 97361
Lee Turnbull H-1116 Budapest, Torma U. 5 Hungary
Nancy - use Ackerman St. address.

Lida E. Knight Caixa Postal 1695, 30161-970 Belo Horizonte - MG 2/94 Thanks for sending the Schutz letter. There has not been time to read all of it, but I did read the list of those present last Aug. and my mouth watered! I continue to have problems with my hip, so had to cancel the substitute trip planned for Sept. Now I'm hoping for April or May/June '94. It is three years since I came back the last time.

Chuck & Ann Haspels, 606 Texas St., Cortez, CO 81321 1/94 Chad, on his 16th birthday left with the high school band who had been invited to play at the half time of the Bronco-Chiefs game in Denver. Molly had her first real job last summer when Chuck needed an additional dental assistant. Recent acceptance to Whitworth College in Spokane, WA is a reminder that her high school days are almost over. Tammy enjoyed her fall term in New York City in an art intern program through Lewis and Clark College. Chuck continues to see growth in his dental practice. We're all amazed at the hours he has spent restoring a '57 Chevy. Ann is involved in a special education intern program. If she completes the seven weeks at Adams State College in Alamosa this summer as planned that will complete her Masters Program.

Jane Meloy and Fati Elgendy, 78 Lincolnshire Dr., Lincolnshire, IL 60069 1/94 Over the past six months Rick has turned a nonchalant attitude toward the drum into a passion for the piano. We are trying to learn to like the constant practice. The kids bring home great report cards and seem to like school more often than not. Suzanne is enjoying all the extra activities she has after school. Rick is taller than both Grandmothers now and Suzanne will be soon!

Pearl & Safwat Habashi, 714 Victory DR, Allison Park, PA 15101 12/93 Greetings for the new year to all the Schutz friends.

Peter Walker, 601 O'Farrell St # 703, San Francisco, CA 94109 1/94 What a pleasure it was to receive the Schutz newsletter, and keep up to date on the issues and happenings of old friends. Hello everyone from Schutz in the early 60's (my goodness, 30 years already?) and all who attended such a fine school. Tom and I celebrated our 19th year together last Sept. and it has been a wonderful relationship. Obviously there are ups-and-downs, but when the energies are channeled in the right direction, all issues can be resolved. For those of you that I have talked to recently, I have definitely enjoyed the communication and memories of Schutz. It is so nice to hear that most are doing well and have found their direction in life. Again, if anyone is in the Bay Area, please call and we can do lunch or something. Should you wish to call, the number is (415) 346-2220.

David & Leah Preston, Box 44456, Nairobi, Kenya 1/94 Once again we are standing at a cross road waiting to see which way God wants us to go. We leave June 14th for a year in the USA and will be in Waxhaw, NC. Dave and I are praying about the possibility of our moving to South Africa to serve as support personnel for SIL. We are looking forward to being at the reunion this summer. It will be good to visit with friends from my Schutz days.

Madeline Young, 654 BayGreen DR, Arnold, MD 21012 11/93 Dear Schutzites - class of '85 (has it been that long) and friends! HELLO! I am working for an environmental consulting firm as an associate scientist again after taking 6 months off to work for a professional dressage trainer in FL. For a time I had 12 horses all to myself - what a dream come true (or was it a night-mare, sorry!) Since I returned from FL in April of '93, I've been busy as an "estuarine biologist", road biking, doing some horseback riding and keeping up with my boyfriend Mike. Chris got married almost 1 year ago to Sue, and they are living happily ever after in their house, which is close to Mom & Dad's. Jennifer is engaged to Rick and they are expecting to be married in May. They both work for the Food and Drug Adm. in Baltimore. Mom and Dad are well and very involved with our church as well as caring for 2 adorable children part-time who belong to a friend. We saw Walter Weaver this week who was out East from San Diego looking at graduate schools. It was great seeing him and remembering.

Irma Khalifa, 8623 Wetzikon, Baumgartenstrasse 30 2/94 Housekeeper at Schutz 1965-1968 I am living alone in a three room flat, since my children are out of the house. Aida is just half hour by car from here. Pasha married and lives in Moorea, near Tahiti. I am busy with all kind of services to persons who need a car to go to the doctor, shopping or other things. I am still secretary to the IUCG, evangelistic work for business people. I have a half-brother at Fullerton - he has a restaurant there called "The Celler". Give my greetings to every-one who knows me.

Bill & Eunice Nasri, 179 Parkedge Rd., Pgh., PA 15220 12/93 We went with the church group to serve Thanksgiving dinner at a senior citizen high rise on North Side. Humbling-depressing and grateful. How fortunate we are spiritually and materially.

Harvey T. Hoekstra, President, Audio Scriptures International P. O. Box 28417 San Diego, CA 92198-8417 1/94 Important, new products: GOD'S APPOINTED SAVIOR 32-minute cassette for outreach ministries in your church and for you to use personally in reaching others for Christ; THE GREATEST PERSON WHO EVER LIVED - two-cassette album, one in English, the other in the user's mother tongue. A strategic tool of choice to reach international students, people in language/literacy programs here and abroad, and for university students overseas.

Dorothy Compton, 5108 San Lucas Way, Santa Barbara, CA 93111 (805) 683-0084 12/93 I have dedicated my home to the Lord and in helping others by starting a congregate care home for terminally ill persons. My first resident was a Baptist missionary from Japan who later taught comparative religions at UCSB. He had total kidney failure and was on dialysis for 18 years. The house is always open for a visit from any of you.

George & Mary Lou Meloy, 1420 Santo Domingo Ave., Duarte CA 91010 (818) 359-1464 12/93 We are still delighted with our choice of a retirement community. We keep busy in all sorts of things from ML's librarying to George's working on the production side of the center's closed circuit TV system. And since he has had years of experience with swimming pools - Wichita Camp Hyde, Washington PA Camp Buffalo, Schutz School, he has inherited the job of caring for the new center hot tub that the resident's bought for themselves that sits about 100 yards from our house. Come and soak with us.

Additional news from California: 4/94 George & Mary Lou will be in Egypt from April 19 to May 2 visiting John and Clare. They also hope to see a few "old" Schutzites who still might be around. Then they will be in England for another week with the possibility of contacting Schutzites residing in that part of the world. We had a nice visit recently with Greg Walters and Tom Vance who brought with them for supper Greg's Peace Corps girl friend. Greg will spend next year at the University of New Mexico. Evidently Namibia is a good place to serve the Peace Corps. Peter Walker is still "hanging in there" in San Francisco having to be "charged up" at the hospital every fortnight or so. His spirits are great. May we all face our infirmities with such acceptance.

David & Amy Joachim after May 1 will be at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 119 Stadium Dr., Youngstown, OH 44512 (216) 758-4513

Mark & Sandy Hoekstra, Audio Scriptures International, P.O. Box 28417, San Diego, CA 92198 In August of 1990 the Hoekstras felt called to join the staff at Audio Scriptures. Mark has become the office manager helping to keep the office operating in an organized and efficient manner. Sandy helps in the area of bookkeeping and accounting. Mark does a lot of recording and editing of the Portrait of Jesus cassette.

Lavina Matson, 32 Mead Way, Canterbury, Kent CT2 8BB England 11/93 I do keep contact with Ada Margaret Hutchison, our mothers were cousins and both worked in the Sudan. My brother Robert who made a pilgrimage to Egypt & Schutz year before last, has now married at last at the age of 70. His wife is a very active 58 year old who takes groups abroad to various countries. They now live at 6, Starsfield Close, Oxford OX3 8TH England.

Mary Anne & Stanley Haas, 17A Garibaldi Str. GR 11741 Athens Greece (Tel. 01-9224690) Please keep us on your mailing list! Note new address.

Bruce (Jim) Bailey, 3909 Shoreside Cir. Tampa, FL 33624 11/93 I have been getting the news letter for some time now and the guilt (about not writing) has finally tripped in. Sorry that we have missed the reunions --hope to make one in the next year or two. The only Schutzite I have any contact with is Robb McLaughlin who is retired to FL and lives not far from us. I am of the class of 1947 and was pleased to see some of my class mates pictures (I would have known them anywhere!) in the various letters. Since Schutz (we left Egypt in Summer of 1942 just ahead of Rommel) have spent most of my life working for the YMCA in various cities. Most recently in retirement Barbara (my wife) and I have gone to work as full time volunteers with Habitat For Humanity --- the Christian mission working with low income families in providing housing. We are completely enmeshed in the work and are enjoying it. Hopefully in a year or two we'll be freer to travel and perhaps we'll see you in New Wilmington at a reunion. Our phone (813) 961-6872 We would enjoy seeing former classmates if you get to Florida. With affectionate memories!

Mary McLaughlin Case, Jasmine Cottage, Dunreggan, Moniaive, Thornhill, Dumfriesshire, DG3 4HH, Scotland, U.K. 11/93 Thanks for every Schutz newsletter, each one read avidly. My class of '39 has it's reunion next July, I see, with Paul Jamison and Bill Adair organizing it. Really would like to be there. But will have to wait awhile. It was good to hear from Ruth Daugherty, now Butler, and to see the two photos of the class of '43, and others, including my brother Robb McLaughlin, the Grice "boys," Hutchison "girls", Willard Acheson and Ann Adair McGeoch, and the group of my day who "served in Tanta". Very nice to see Jack Lorimer, whom I last saw in Sidi Bishr when we were young children. By the way, how did you come to the conclusion that the Pollocks' total of 25 years at Schutz is a record. I haven't the accurate dates, but I've worked out that the five McLaughlins totalled at least 26 maybe 27. I think Margaret, Mary & Robb alone totalled 24; but I'd need to check up with them, and Fay and Elizabeth. Anyway, I honor and care for all who have attended that dear school which has shaped so many lives toward the service of others, and many specifically serving God in one field or another. Funny we haven't heard from some of our teachers, May Bailey, Janet & Jean Sharp, Ruth Davidson?

Denis & Robin (Holck) Doane, 13249 Trebleclef Lane, Silver Spring MD 20904 (phone 301-890-0939) 11/93 It has been 18 years since I spent my 9th grade year as a boarder at the Schutz School in 1975-76. In all the years of my life that is the year that still stands out in my memory as the most significant year in shaping my life. I suppose that living away from home heightened my sense of sight, sound, smell and adventure because I can recall that year in such vivid detail. It was a year I will never forget and the people who touched my life and became my new family will be with me forever. The teachers at Schutz were outstanding and really helped to prepare me for studies in the US public schools and college. I would like to rekindle the friendships of people I knew at Schutz and welcome letters or phone calls. I am currently a stay-home mom caring for my son Brian, age 5, and daughter Katherine age 3. I received my B.A. degree in Early Childhood Education from Lynchburg College in Lynchburg, VA, and look forward to teaching again some day. I have been married for 9 years and my hobbies have included stained glass work, skiing, water skiing, hot air ballooning and volunteer work in special education, church activities and with my children's schools. What I miss most is the excitement of travelling overseas. 12/93 Thank you for sending me the most recent newsletter. It's an incredible feeling to open up a door to your past. I wish I had known about the newsletter years ago.

Carolyn Kurtz The Schutz newsletter reached me today March 14 (sent Nov. 2) I'm teaching English to 300 girls a day - five grades, 60 per class. It's one of the best teacher/student ratios in the city but its a heavyload - Primary, KG and grades 1-3. My daughter Isa Junior at Rift Valley Academy (Kenya) and my boys (ages 13 and 7) are with us here in Addis Ababa. We won't be back to the States until the fall of 1995.



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Dick Gibson, PO Box 64, Shubra el Khema, Egypt FAX: 011-2 02
220 7698 11/93 I have been studying diligently since
August, and now believe it is time to take a break. My
ticket for Cairo starts Dec. 9 and ends March 3. This will
give me a chance to look over the new living and working
arrangements before I settle in the bishopric next June. For
anyone on a network with Internet connections, it is:
DICK_GIBSON.parti@pcusa01@uunet.uu.net I hope to be able
to use the modem from Cairo and send periodical reports of
how the Diocese of North Cairo fares. With 150 churches,
there should be quite a bit of activity.

SWITZERLAND 11/93 Thank you for the letter which arrive
6/11/93

Robert Rivington, 6 Stansfield Close, Old Road, Headington,
Oxford OX3 8th Tel: (0865) 64874 11/93 Please note the
change of address. The principal event of the year was my
getting married last March, my wife and I both for the first
time, she aged 58 and I at age 70. It has been a wonderful
year. We met in Oxford last July while she was planning a
tour for visiting Americans. She is the senior director of a
company founded to provide visits to art centers and
galleries for the members of the main British charity that
raises money to buy pictures for public art galleries.
My cousin Mildred Allen's daughter Judy is now working at the
Imperial College of Science in London. I was delighted to
correspond last year with Robert Galloway, a commercial
artist now in Ohio. I remember him better than anyone -
though I have many live memories of others at Schutz. I had
intended after my visit to Schutz in March 1992 to settle
down and write a great deal for submission for the school
history; but too much has been happening in the last year to
find time to provide it. I am very interested that the new
principal's wife is named Lavina. This was my mother's and my
sister's name and was repeatedly used in my mother's family.
I have tried to trace its origin and use. A dictionary and
history of Christian names gives it as a variation of
Lavinia, (Chaucer used it once) and quotes an example from
Lowland Scotland where my mother's family had come from. I
wonder if anyone knows of any other uses of it.

Wilma & Otis Rowe P.O. Box 413, Blantyre, Malawi
Thanksgiving and Christmas 1993. We're camped at Ekwendeni,
500 miles north of our Blantyre home. Otis is at work
helping the mission hospital with their harder equipment
repairs, as he has been doing at various stations for over
two weeks thus far on this extended work trip. Really
appreciate the Schutz newsletter. I expect we'll be at the
reunion in '95.

Don & Nancy Mock, We have a new address, telephone and fax
number. 7215 So. 92nd E. Ave. Apt. 6 Tulsa, OK 74133
Phone 918-252-5519 FAX: 918-252-5146

Vernelle Blair, 7350 Graceland Dr. Apt. 5304, Omaha, NE
68134-4301 (402) 572-3639 My main volunteer activities
continue to be: Presbyterian Center - assemble
dockets/agenda, etc.; First Presbyterian - monthly newsletter
mailing; Skyline - mailings 3 or 5 times a year, Committees -
food and parking. This year's reunion of Sudan missionaries
was at Camp Calvin Crest and I was privileged to go out one
day and had a wonderful visit with many friends.

Jim Philips, 1423 28th Ave. Greeley, CO 80631 12/93 We're
enjoying our new home, it's only about 10 blocks away from my
folks home. Has been real nice to be close to family, this
is the first time in many years. Mom fell and broke her hip
in Oct., so has been nice being close to help out. Rachel is
now a Sophomore and now has her learners permit. Bethany is
in 6th grade and Timmy in 3rd. Enjoy hearing from all of you.

Ted Pollock, 111 Thorneil Rd., Pittsford, NY 14534 11/93
I have been sent to a number of different parts of the world
this year -- In Jan. I flew to Khartoum to survey the
Khartoum North Girls Boarding School and then to Ethiopia to
help John and Gwen Haspels move the two geodesic domes and
the frames of three other buildings. The four of my children
who were born in Africa - Bill, Ron, Tom, and Leah joined me.
In March I flew to Nairobi, Kenya to visit Leah's family and
to provide advice on water and construction projects there.
On the return to the States, I stopped in Ireland where I
visited some of the peacemaking work of our church in Belfast
- I am planning a work project to help with the Townsend
church hall. I have been invited to serve on the
Administrative Board of an exciting new organization called
SERVE (Sending Experienced Retired Volunteers Everywhere)
which was conceived by Matthew Welde. The idea is to recruit
volunteers from this largely untapped source in our church,
and through the use of a computer data base, match their
skills with service opportunities in the U.S.A. and overseas.
Although targeted at retired volunteers, anyone wishing to do
volunteer work can join. For more information contact the
National Coordinator, SERVE, 611 Bough Rd., Exton, PA 19341.
Right after Christmas I leave for the Sudan to supervise the
work at the Theological College.

Dave & Fran Jordan, Box 11, Thung Chang, Nan, Thailand 11/93
We are thankful to be back in Thailand and settled into our
own house again. Presently I am planning a workshop for
prospective Bible translation helpers - the next project will
be the book of Mark. Fran is supervising Kristi and Kaleb's
schoolwork. Kari and Kami are both at Taylor University.

Fred & Margie Anderson Stock Easter 1994 WITH RELUCTANCE
we officially retire April 30th and will return to the USA
for four months to arrange our pension & social security.
Our mailing address from May 1st through August will be c/o
House of Rest, 784 Santa Barbara St., Pasadena CA 91101
Phone (818) 793-6878. We plan to be in Pasadena till July
27th; at NJMC in PA 7/28-8/5; Louisville, KY 8/13-19. We are
happy to speak in church groups any time we are free. Please
contact us. WITH REJOICING we will RETURN in September to
Kunri for two years as volunteers, at Bishop's request. We
count on your continued prayer and loving support.

Wallace & Ruth Jamison, 112 Park St., Jacksonville IL 62450
Both Ruth and I graduated from Schutz in the mid 30's and
Ruth was in the first class when the school opened in 1924 -
70 years ago! Next fall we would like to visit the Schutz
School. Neither of us has been back since graduation, so it
will be a nostalgic trip. Hope to be at the reunion July 31.

SCHUTZ IS 70 YEARS OLD - Founded in 1924

COME CELEBRATE !!!!

The 31st Annual Schutz School Reunion will be held Sunday, July 31, 1994 in the basement of the Student Union Building on the campus of Westminster College, New Wilmington, PA

Ann Meloy is coming in from Seattle. Peter Parr hopes to be back from Morocco. Donald Jamieson from CA is planning to attend.

The following classes will be celebrating with those designated as coordinators ---

Class of 1939	55 years	Bill Adair & Paul Jamison
Class of 1944	50 years	Wm. B. Anderson & Peggy McKnight
Class of 1949	45 years	Lyle McGeoch & Donald Jamieson
Class of 1959	35 years	Willis McGill II & Wm. Reed
Class of 1964	30 years	Sharon Hoffmeier & Peter Parr
Class of 1969	25 years	Ann Meloy & Jim Hoffmeier
Class of 1974	20 years	John Finken & Barry Iverson
Class of 1979	15 years	Mark Shorey & Paul Finken

Mark Shorey is planning a reunion in England. Send him your address.

Bring food to share - beverage, plates, napkins, cups, and flatware will be provided. Gathering begins immediately following the morning worship services.

Should you wish to come Friday or Saturday and need overnight accommodations in and around New Wilmington area, advance registration/reservation is advised. Motels in the area include:

Howard Johnsons Rt. 19 & I-80 800-654-2000
 Holiday Inn I-80 & Rt. 60 (Exit 1) 412-981-1530
 Ramada Inn I-80 & Rt. 60 or 18 412-528-2501
 Ryders Motel Rt. 18 at Rt. 208 412-946-8435
 Comfort Inn - New Castle - 14 miles from New Wilmington 412-658-7700
 The Lodge in New Wilmington 412-946-2091
 Bed and Breakfast in New Wilmington
 Gabriel's 412-946-3136
 Behm's 412-946-8641

The Stultz Farm in Butler is available for those who wish to come for overnight Fri., Sat., and Sun. A few beds on "first come first served" basis, couches and floor space inside and lots of space outside for tents and campers. We are very casual with meals and have lots of fun around the campfire at the lake so do join in the fun. Make arrangements by writing to Jean at 326 Lincoln Ave., Pgh., PA 15237 or call Home 412-364-7217 Farm 412-285-4950

For those arriving via Air, you may be able to coordinate sharing rental cars but you need to communicate flight #'s and arrival times early so information may be shared in advance.



ETHIOPIAN REUNION INFORMATION

June 13-16, 1995 to be held at Muskingum College, New Concord, OH Cost \$62 per adult for 3 nights and 8 meals Children's rates: 0-3 yrs \$2/day 4-12 years 1/2 on meals Sheets & towels can be rented for \$5/person For transportation and other information contact Lois R. Anderson, 528 B Guyasuta Road, Pgh., PA 15215

Contributions from 5/93 on have been received from the following:

Joan Murdock, Monte Parr, Brad Watkins, Mary Anna Bode, Ruth Dougherty Butler, Margaret Cheesebro, Maartje Dirksen, Willard Galloway, Martha E. Blackwood, Amanda Johnson, Louann Dillman, Betty Atherton, Dick Gibson, Robb McLaughlin, Willis McGill, Ron Pollock, Vivian Hoffmeier, Irene Kraft, Sharon Garber, Bill Pollock, Ruth Nolin, Jack Jordan, Janie Walters, Gloria Holcomb, Peg Haack Pease, Katherine Short, Paul Clark, George Meloy, Pearl Habashi, Marilyn Watkins, Mrs. Jack Eddy, Russell Stevenson, Bob & Dot Turnbull, Vernelle Blair, Mary Sage, Rachel Pollock, Marilyn Tedford, Norma Insley, Joyce Thompson, Millie Stonehouse, Mary Beth Neely, Sara Baker, Mary Thompson, Marge Korby, Sue Elsewi, Lida Knight

*Good Shepherd Reunion
Aug. 1994 Estes Park
Contact Lois Anderson
(see mail list)*

We hope Jim Hoffmeier will be at the Schutz Reunion to tell us all about the Endeavor his grant + upcoming dig in Egypt



*Special Note
1995 Schutz Reunion will be July 30*

Dear Schutz Alumni,

As summer rolls around, it's time to think reunion, and that brings to mind how much Roy and I enjoyed being with you last year and look forward to seeing you in July.

At that reunion, I hinted, rather broadly, that the Board of Schutz American School, Inc. intended to propose a fundraising effort among the alumni to support Alice Meloy and Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer in their History of Schutz School project.

Recently, I received a letter from Alice and Charlotte in which they indicated an even greater and more urgent need than funds. It is for primary source material--correspondence, diaries, Schutz documents. Eventually they will need to go to Egypt, but right now they would welcome any offer of frequent flyer miles from anyone who has some to spare. That would enable Alice to make a special trip to Philadelphia to spend some necessary time in the Presbyterian Historical Society archives.

The S.A.S. Inc Board will hold its annual meeting the day before the Reunion. On the agenda will be the status of the History Project, consideration of revision of the Bylaws and a discussion of a possible change of name of the Board. One suggestion has been Schutz Alumni Association. If there is any interest, we will be glad to give you a brief report on the Board meeting at the Reunion. In the meantime, if you have any primary source material or frequent flyer miles, please forward them to Alice at 743 Brookhurst Drive, Dallas, Texas 75218.

See you at the Reunion.

Sincerely,
Betty W. Atherton

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President, S.A.S. Inc.

Dear Schutz people, Alice and I, Charlotte and I, have spent a lot of time in the past two years working on the history of Schutz, collecting information and material, reading biographies, travel memoirs and histories of UP mission work as well as of Egypt. We've tried to locate as much source material as possible, and with one exception, we've been quite successful. The exception is written contemporary accounts from UP missionaries themselves. And we have nothing much to go on from all you non-missionary Schutz folks. We need letters and other written materials from you who lived in Egypt, in Sudan, in Ethiopia, in Cameroon, in Saudi Arabia, in Yemen and Aden and all the other countries while you or your children went to Schutz. We are absolutely convinced that this book will be of interest to more than those who were personally involved with the school and the UP mission. But our account of Schutz will not be convincing, even to those who love the school, if you know something we don't. When Schutz is isolated from her context, the community life of the school seems brittle and incomplete. Anything written by and about UP missionaries, diplomatic or business workers adds to our understanding of the environment in which Schutz was founded and developed. We urgently need contemporary accounts of Schutz and Egypt in your time, and we need them from you.

We can't give you a book about Schutz which is worthy of the school, our parents and the mission itself, without primary source material. Letters, diaries, yearbooks, accounts of how it was, from the very time it was. Remember that our need is not confined to material that mentions Schutz specifically and exclusively, and our intent is not to publish private accounts. Please send copies or originals (we will treat as precious jewels) to either Alice Meloy, 743 Brookhurst Drive, Dallas, Tx, 75218 or Charlotte Weaver-Gelzer, 711 Ashbourne Ave., Lancaster, Pa. 17601

Are there any copies of Association Minutes from 1920 onwards which someone would loan us? We are missing the Buff and Browns from 1930 through 1943. Could we borrow copies if anyone has those? Could someone loan us a copy of EE Elder's book, Vindicating a Vision and Davida Finney's book, Tomorrow's Egypt? Please send to Alice or Charlotte at the above addresses.

From the desk of Marinn (Webb) Betts. 11/26/93

Since my last year at Schutz, I have been aware that the Lord has been calling me to a specific task, but, sadly, many things kept me away. Most of all, I did not know what, where, when, how. During that time a vision was forming:

*Nestled among Oak, Pine and Manzanita,
Falcon's Rock stands as a sentinel.
To the east the Sierras soar.
To the west the Pacific Ocean sparkles.
To the south you can see forever.
Wild turkey strut through tall grass,
Deer graze unafraid.
Redwing blackbirds sing from
The rushes along the marsh,
And a myriad frogs join in the chorus.
Eagles drift silently overhead.
Under His wings,
In the shadow of The Rock,
Is a place of quiet rest.
Our warfare is complete.
Jesus is Victorious.
He has paid the price.
Here is Comfort.
Here is Peace.*

Falcon's Rock, a Christian Retreat for Women, is a place of quiet rest for all women and for their families. A place where each person can be restored as needed, spiritually, physically or mentally.

There will be three phases to Falcon's Rock, the first being the main facility, housing Conference and Gathering Rooms, Dining Hall, Kitchens and Offices. Bunk cabins and class rooms will be near by. Swimming pool, baseball diamond, etc., will be with in walking distance.

Phase two will include a long term stay facility, and phase three a group camp retreat.

We have several pieces of land under consideration, and I have completed the preliminary drawings. Realtor, Architect, CPA, Builders, plumbers and cabinet makers are ready and waiting. All we need now is someone who knows how to raise money. Pray with us that we find that person soon.

Brad Watkins, 219 Meadowbrook Drive, New Wilmington, PA 16141
12/93 Highlights of 1993 include an exhilarating trip to Albuquerque, the Grand Canyon and Taos, most of the time as the guest of Mac and Rosemary Mc Nerney; a fabulous trip to Turkey sponsored by Pgh. Theological Seminary; a week in Aug spent on Crown Island, Ontario with Norman and Irene Kraft and seven members of their family together with Gib McGill and Kathy Gleghorn; and my annual visits to Ginny & John in Conn. Frank & Peggy in Ohio, Marilyn and Kevin in Indiana and numerous visits with Charles & Betsy in nearby Pittsburgh. From "For the Record - Sudan" Jan-Feb 1994 I left Pittsburgh Jan. 6 and arrived in Khartoum Sat. Jan. 8. Sunday morning Lois Anderson drove me to the Khartoum Evangelical Church for the Arabic service. It seemed like old times. I met several people whose parents I had known in Egypt. Sunday evening we attended the worship service of the Khartoum International Church, at the SIM compound, adjacent to the Gujest House. About 200 worshippers, of many denominations, including many blacks (Southern Sudanese.) About 40 services are held at this compound each week, in seven different languages. During Jan. I taught the first year class Old Testament Survey - most of the students had come from refugee camps, an hour or two by bus, without breakfast. During February I taught the third-year class Introduction to Psychology and Pastoral Care. During the same 2 months Ted Pollock was leading a crew of volunteers in converting a 70-year old dormitory building into class-rooms. One of the volunteers was Jack Jordan. Andersons live near the college - their son, Stephen, works with a UN relief agency. Bill's brother John Lowry also lives nearby and is translation consultant with Wycliffe. He was a contemporary of Charles and Frank at Schutz School and reminded me more than once how much he and other Sudan MK's, so far from home for nine months a year, appreciated the occasions when they spent a week-end at our home in Asyut. It was a very successful two months. I gained the deepest appreciation for the Sudanese Christians - their endurance under trial, their unshakable commitment, and their basic joy.

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