

Who Am I?

What year did I graduate? 1969

Who did I go to the senior prom with? Mike Massey from Spring Branch High School class of 1967

What organizations did I belong to in high school? Band twirler

What grade was I in when this picture was taken? 8th grade

What state do I live in now? Katy, Texas

How many kids do I have now? One - a son named Bryan

What is or was my occupation? Receptionest for a Drilling Fluids Company in Houston

My closest friend in HS? Marva Lorfing '69, Susan Locker

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What have I been doing since high school?

After High School I played allot, I worked at Astroworld for many years while I was living at home, I also started working at Sakowitz in the old Gulfgate Mall, it was great I would work there by day and Astroworld by night. At Sakowitz I had a chance to do some modeling, and I was in a TV Special for Astroworld

Life was good, I was brought up by a strict mother so when I had a chance get out I flew like a bird. I went to San Jacinto college part time but was more interested in a guy from New York that was on the Basketball team than my studies.

I got married later on in life and had my son when I was thrity-three years old, his father died of a brain tumor. I remarried when I was thirty-six years old during that time I did a lot of charity work I was on the board for the High School of Preforming Arts which was so much fun. The kids there are so talented. My husband was a private investigator, a writer, a public speaker and taught classes in Washington, D.C. life was never dull we traveled a lot. He was always getting paid in the most unusual ways.

My son Bryan is twenty-three and lives in Austin. He is in and out of school and gives me a run for my money, he thinks he is bullet proof and lives on the edge. I keep praying that one of these days he will grow up.

I am divorced now and being so free for many years it was a real awaking to go back to work. I never took advantage of getting an education; I never thought I would have to support myself.

I have been in my full time job for ten years now and loving it. I also started working a second job when Bryan was a senior to help pay for school. I worked for a new car dealership thinking it would only be for a little while and it has been six years now. I only work a couple of days a month now but when I started it was six days a week. For someone that didn't work for so long I jumped right in.

As many of us are faced with aging parents my time had come, there was a decision to make, their health was failing and the midnight calls from the police reporting that my dad had run away from home was getting out of hand. My dad has gained forty pounds since he came to live with me and his overall health is getting much better. I do have every room with signs on it to let him know where he is, I will find him washing dishes in bathroom sink, and I might find cat food in the fridge but it is nice having them there, my mom is still a bit hard to handle and it took me a long time just to overlook her, she still tries to tell me what to do, but then again, to hear my son so do I, and the beat goes on, and on, and on.

My older brother retired to Arkansas and my younger brother is in San Antonio. I don't see them very often, so mom and dad are strictly in my care.

I sold their house in Channelview and moved them in with me. They are eighty- six and our roles are reversed, they are the children now. There is never a dull moment.

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