

*Thiso Memoirs*

of

*Taylor High School*

North Bend, Ohio

Sponsored

by

JUNIOR AND SENIOR CLASSES

1954

## In Memoriam



CALVIN SPRONK

Born  
August 6, 1936

Died  
January 27, 1954

Out of the night that covers me,  
Black as the pit from pole to pole,  
I thank whatever gods may be  
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance  
I have not winced nor cried aloud.  
Under the bludgeonings of chance  
My head is bloody, but unbowed.

Beyond this place of wrath and tears  
Looms but the horror of the shade,  
And yet the menace of the years  
Finds, and shall find, me unafraid.

It matters not how strait the gate,  
How charged with punishments the scroll,  
I am the master of my fate;  
I am the captain of my soul.

—William Ernest Henley

The Class of '54



FRANCES ALEXANDER

*"Open afresh  
Your round of story  
unfolds."*

*"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
"Smilin' Through"*



ROBERT BENTON

*"Take thou no scorn  
To wear the horn."*

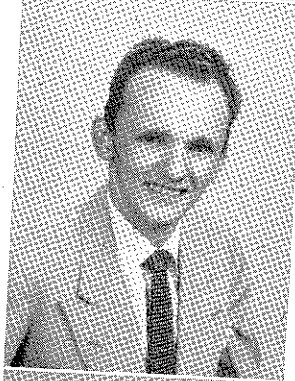
Football 1-4  
Boosters' Club 2  
Key Club



NANCY BARRICKLOW

*"But she had her  
Great golden hair."*

4-H  
Boosters' Club 3



TERRY BERNIUS

*"To possess but a span  
Of the hour of leisure."*



INA BENNETT

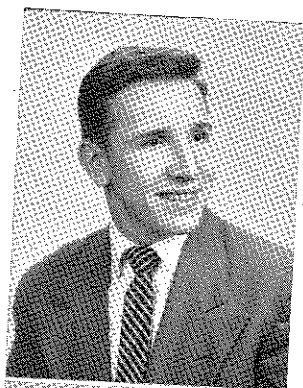
*"I stood tip-toe upon a little  
hill,  
The air was cooling, and  
very still."*

Scholastic 3

HAROLD BRUNER

*"Thou dost taste freedom  
As none can taste it."*

Summit Station 1-2  
Football 3-4  
Key Club  
Annual Staff 4



MARIE BROCKHUIS

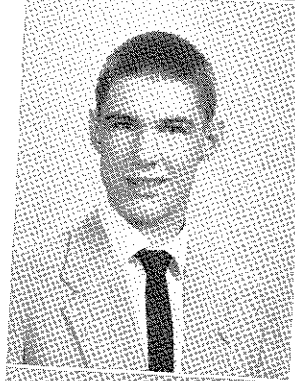
*"No more I tread  
Thy mystic round."*



ROBERT BURRESS

*"They that reap  
Must sheaf and bind."*

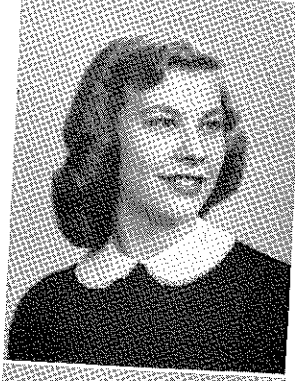
Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 1-2-3-4  
Key Club 2  
American Legion Essay  
Contest 2



CONNIE BURNS

*"Be with us always,  
Gentle lady."*

Cheerleader 1-2-3-4  
Track 2-3  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
Vice-President of Girls



THOMAS CARR

*"Who loves to peer up  
At the morning sun."*

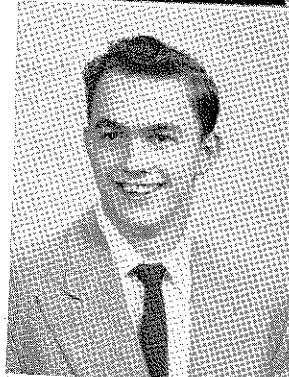




CAROLE CARLTON

*"Friendship can vary  
Her gentle dominion."*

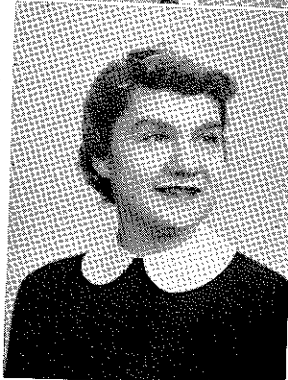
Cheerleader 1-2-3-4  
4-H  
Track 1-2-3  
Hi-Y  
Vice-President of Girls  
Thespian  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
"Smilin' Through"



ROBERT CARTMELL

*"He felt his soul  
Become more light."*

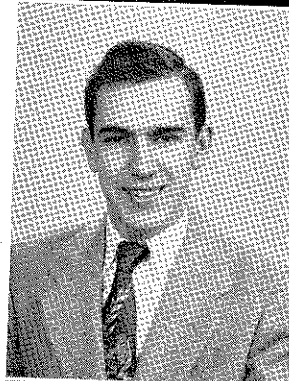
Key Club  
Football 2-3  
Basketball 2



MARY KATHRYN COLLINS

*"Leading the way  
Young damsels danced along."*

Track 1-4  
Music 4



LARRY CLEMENTS

*"The man of firm  
And noble soul."*

Football 2-4  
Courtesy Council  
Key Club  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"



BETTE DAVIS

*"But leave thy realms  
For those of Truth."*

PATRICIA FERRARIS

*"The smiles that win,  
The tints that glow."*

Secretary of Junior Class



RICHARD COULTER

*"Go hence a little  
And I shall conduct you."*

Baseball 4



JANET GALLOWAY

*"The current of her heart  
Flows on to higher things."*

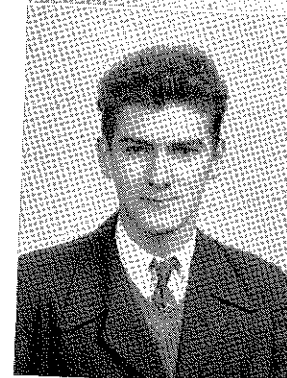
Glee Club 2  
Band 2-3-4  
"Smilin' Through"



ROY DAVIS

*"The sweetest fruit  
Hath sourest rind."*

Glee Club 4



EMMA GETZ

*"Let gentleness  
My strong enforcement be."*

Thespian  
Essay Contest 4







DORIS GOINS

*"Ah, such is life—  
Such is life!"*

Speech Club  
Boosters' Club 1



DAVID FELIX

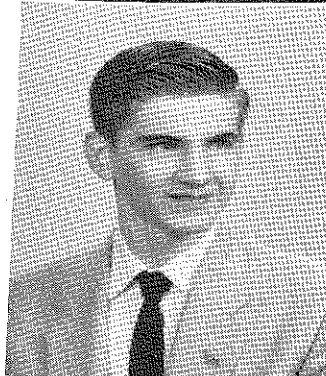
*"And by him  
Seal up thy mind."*



BARBARA GOLDBERG

*"Holding joy;  
Not impossible to one."*

Hi-Y  
Courtesy Council 4  
Vice-President of  
Girls 4  
Scholastic Team 2-3-4



WILLIAM FINERMAN

*"Tongues I'll hang  
On every tree."*

Band 2-3-4



SUE HARRELL

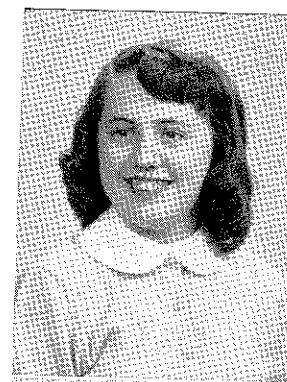
*"She was active  
Stirring all fire."*

"Smilin' Through"  
Honor Roll 2  
Scholastic Team 2  
History Club  
Hi-Y  
Annual Staff 4

ARCIE HENDERSON

*"Wit rides  
Sparkling in her eyes."*

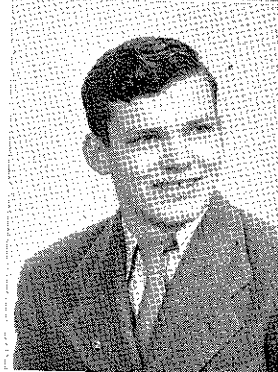
Boosters' Club 3



ROBERT GOERLER

*"Or peace or not,  
Alike to me it comes."*

Basketball 2  
Baseball 3-4



ANNE HETTESHEIMER

*"A golden mind stoops  
Not to show of dross."*

Hi-Y  
Track 3  
Vice-Pres. of Girls  
Thespian



LEROY GRESHAM

*"Would he not be  
A comfort to our travel?"*



ROSE MARION JACKSON

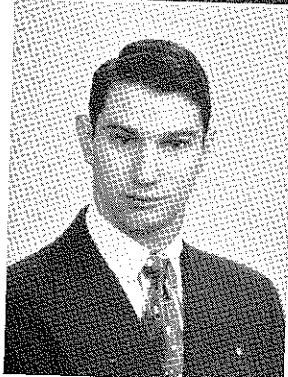
*"To ev'ry nobler virtue bred,  
And polish'd grace."*





DIANA JOHNSTON

*"And so we saw  
The lady arrive."*



JOE GUTZWILLER

*"And love of truth  
Is that which makes the man."*

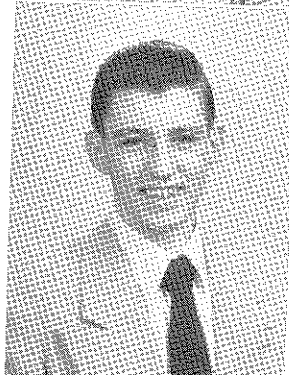
Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 1-2-3-4  
Key Club  
Senior Class President  
Annual Staff  
"Smilin' Through"  
Courtesy Council  
Honor Roll 1-2-3-4  
Scholastic Team 1-2-3-4



JO ANN KERCHEVAL

*"Say what thou canst,  
I'll go along with you."*

Prince of Peace Contest  
4-H Club



RUSSELL HEATH

*"Swift as the lightning glance,  
He moves."*

Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2  
Track 1-2-4  
Junior Class Treasurer  
Key Club  
Annual Staff 3  
Buckeye Boys' State



GLORIA KINNETT

*"So precious  
Life is!"*

Hi-Y  
Boosters' 2  
Track 1-2  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
Thespian

CAROLYN KIRK

*"Sweet sights and sounds  
Throng manifold."*

Cheerleader 2-3-4  
Track 2-3  
Hi-Y  
Senior Class Treasurer



DONALD HUFF

*"Heaven's gate is shut  
To him who comes alone."*



JO ANN KNAPP

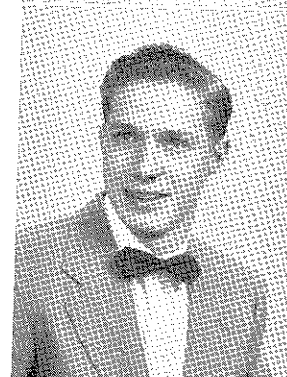
*"Our dreams and visions  
Are the first to teach."*

Hi-Y  
Boosters' Club 4  
Secretary, Senior Class



JAMES KEEN

*"Winter garments  
Must be lined."*



JUNE LARGE

*"You heard music;  
That was I."*

Glee Club 3-4

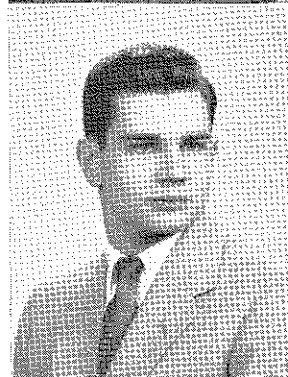




BARBARA McATEE

*"Violets instead of  
Laurel in her hair."*

Scholastic Team  
Glee Club 3-4



TIM KRAUS

*"Saddle your dreams  
Afore you ride them."*

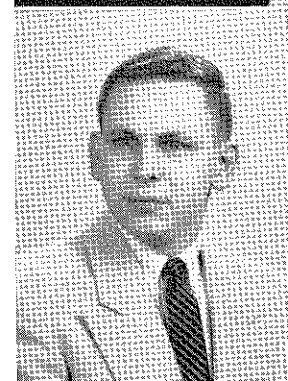
Football



ELEANOR MEEKS

*"To the last gap,  
With truth and loyalty."*

Hi-Y  
Courtesy Council



JAMES LAMEIER

*"No man so noble, young  
Or rarely featured."*

Football 2-3-4  
Baseball 2-3  
President of Junior Class  
"Smilin' Through"  
Courtesy Council  
Annual Staff  
Buckeye Boys' State  
American Legion Essay 4



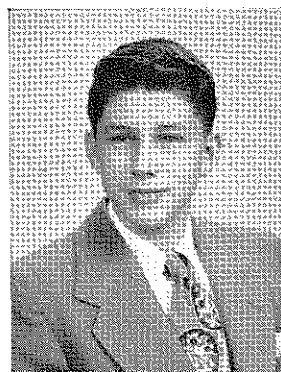
PATRICIA MILTON

*"So much for idle wishing—  
How it steals the time!"*

Honor Roll 1-2-3-4  
Scholastic Team 1-2-3  
Cheerleader 1-2-3-4  
Track 3  
Hi-Y  
Boosters' Club 3  
Vice-President of Girls

RONALD McADAMS

*"Be the proud captain  
Still of thine own fate."*



SHIRLEY MITCHELL

*"So far her voice flowed on,  
Like timorous brook."*

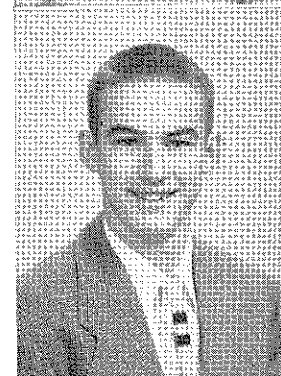
Track 1-2-3  
Honor Roll 1  
Annual Staff 3  
Hi-Y  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
Boosters' Club 4



CLOYD McANLY

*"The greater man,  
The greater courtesy."*

Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 1-2-3-4  
Key Club  
Courtesy Council



NANCY MURPHY

*"Thou comest from meadows,  
Fresh and green."*

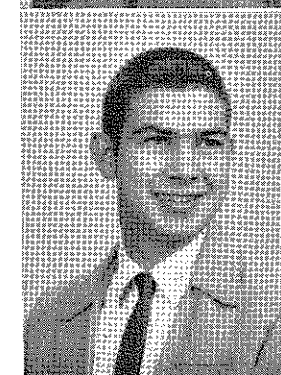
Band 1



RONALD MILLER

*"By thine own soul's law  
Learn to live."*

Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Football 3-4  
Baseball 1-2  
Vice-President Senior  
Class





BETTY PEACE

*"Flowers spring to blossom  
Where she walks."*

"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"



DAVID OLDFIELD

*"Straight onward  
To his goal, he trod."*

Football 2-3  
Basketball 2  
Baseball 3-4



MARTHA RAPP

*"Her very silence,  
And her patience."*

Band



TONY QUATKEMEYER

*"With strength sufficient  
And command from heaven."*

Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 2-3-4  
Track 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 2-4  
Boosters' Club 1  
Key Club



LOUISE REYNOLDS

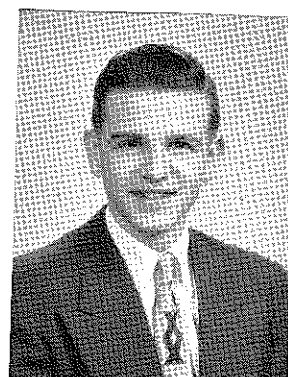
*"What is well done  
Is done soon enough."*

Glee Club 3  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"

THOMAS SCHAFER

*"Liberty of thought  
Is the life of the soul."*

"Smilin' Through"



PHYLLIS RUSSELL

*"One grace that grew  
To its full on earth."*

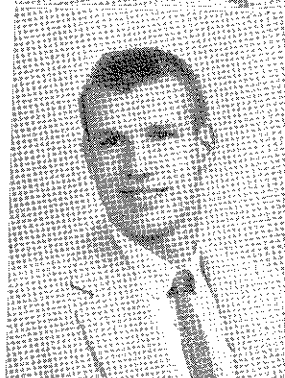
Scholastic Team 3  
Annual Staff 3  
Glee Club 3-4  
Courtesy Council



WILLIAM SCHRODER

*"A picture is not wrought  
By hands alone."*

Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2  
Key Club  
Scholastic Team 2  
"Mrs. Plaster of Paris"



MARTHA SCHUH

*"A smile  
Of such delight."*

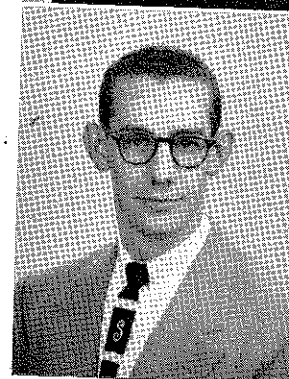
Glee Club 3-4  
"Smilin' Through"  
4-H



JOE SEAVER

*"A scepter or staff  
He bears, this king."*

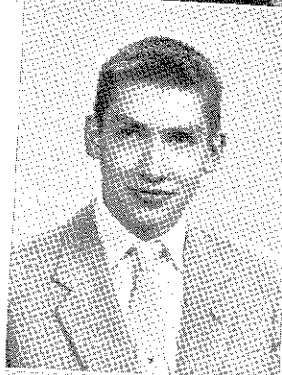
Football 1-2-3-4  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 1-2-3-4  
Vice-President of Junior  
Class  
Key Club  
Annual Staff 4







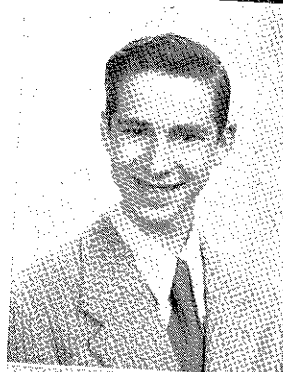
MARJORIE SMITH  
*"Happy as the daisies  
 That dance on her way."*  
 Courtesy Council



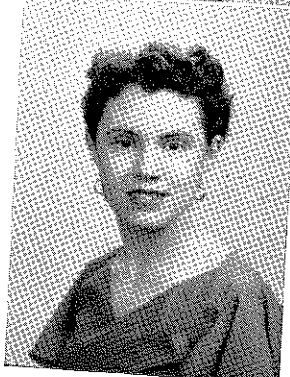
CAROL SMITH  
*"Music, the universal  
 Language of mankind."*  
 Pand 1-2-3-4



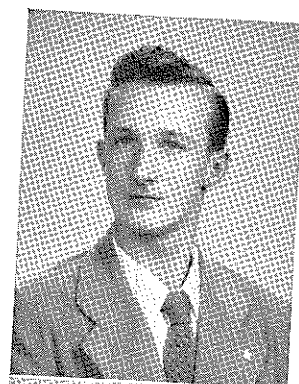
MYRNA STUARD  
*"But tell of days  
 In goodness spent."*  
 Speech Club



WAYNE SMITH  
*"Climb the rounds  
 Of life's long ladder."*



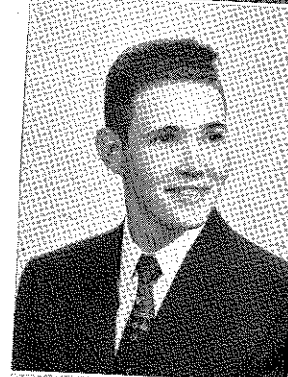
CATHERINE VOELKEL  
*"I pray thee  
 If it stand with honesty."*



GARY UPCHURCH  
*"Full of wise saws  
 And modern instances."*



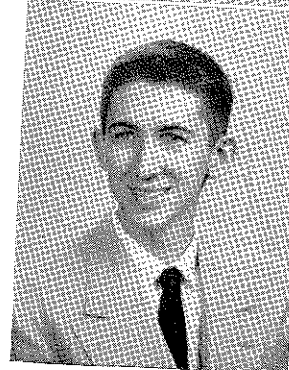
JEAN WENGER  
*"My business was  
 Song, song, song."*  
 Band 1-2-3  
 Glee Club 2-3-4  
 Annual Staff 3  
 Hi-Y  
 4-H



WILLIAM VAUGHN  
*"All the pictures,  
 Fairest lined."*



EILEEN WORLEY  
*"Master, go on,  
 And I will follow thee."*  
 Glee Club 2-3  
 Boosters' Club 4  
 "Mrs. Plaster of Paris"  
 Annual Staff 4



WALTER WESTRICH  
*"How we laughed,  
 As we labored together!"*  
 Basketball 2  
 Boosters' Club  
 Baseball 4