

## PAST STATE PRESIDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

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Name:	Marianne Stevens
Years Served on State or Provincial Board:	1989 - 1996
Years presided as president:	1995 - 1996
What was Your Theme?	P.E.O. – “A Potpourri of Love”
What were you contemplating when you selected this theme?	
P.E.O.’s Objects and Aims; potpourri: dried flowers and spices.	
What was the central message of your acceptance speech as President? (You might quote from your speech – or just reflect on it)	
Emphasis on meaning of Objects and Aims; many aspects of love; importance of projects.	
As you wrapped up your Presidency you had thoughts: what were they? (You might quote from your speech – or just reflect on it)	
It was a special phase of my P.E.O. life; I saw the need to extend the gift of membership to others; I saw the need to examine our own commitments & willingness to serve	
Please list an accomplishment (or two) from your tenure on the board.	
I was proud of the many Chapter initiates & the many grants, loans & scholarships awarded to the chapters.	
Briefly – what does P.E.O. mean to you?	
A very special organization in which Sisters love and support one another.	
Briefly – can you provide a personal philosophy about philanthropy in P.E.O.?	
One Awesome feature of P.E.O. is providing opportunities for higher education through our philanthropies.	
When/where did you become a P.E.O.?	
1980 Chapter J, Huntsville, AL	
To which chapters have you belonged?	
Only Chapter J, Huntsville, AL	
What offices have you held in the local chapter?	
President ( 4 times); Vice President; Recording Secretary (3 times); Corresponding Secretary (twice)	
Since your Executive Board experience, what have you done in P.E.O.?	
Served actively as Chapter officer(s); Chairman of several local chapter philanthropies; attended many state conventions and two International conventions.	
Please list your Education, Employment, Family members, Family who are P.E.O.s, Interests, Activities outside P.E.O.:	
B.S. Degree in English; M.S. Degree in Curriculum and Instruction; Taught English, Spanish & speech;	

Chairman of the English Dept in Mankato, MN; Substitute teacher in Huntsville, AL.

Is there anything else you'd like to add?

I have 4 siblings, my husband, 2 step-children & 4 step grandchildren. No P.E.O. family members. I love reading & traveling. I am a member of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International. I am active at St Mark's Lutheran Church, serving on Altar Guild & in church circle.