PAST STATE PRESIDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

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Name: Nancy McFeters

Years Served on State or Provincial Board: 1988 - 1994

Years presided as president: 1993 - 1994

What was Your Theme? Love and Grow in P.E.O.

What were you contemplating when you selected this theme?

My own personal journey

What was the central message of your acceptance speech as President? (You might quote from your speech – or just reflect on it)

All things grow with love and P.E.O. gives us the opportunity to love and be loved and to grow and encourage growth.

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 wonderful time - my world was full. I - not alone - but with six incredible sisters - made a difference in Alabama P.E.O.

Please list an accomplishment (or two) from your tenure on the board.

Working with the entire board to make it a strong and supportive team, not only within the executive board but in working with and for P.E.O. in Alabama. In conjunction with the state organizer, Marilyn Mancini, who did all the leg work, re-instituting local chapter workshops.

Briefly – what does P.E.O. mean to you?

P.E.O. is an opportunity - to grow and through our chapters we encourage, nuture and support our sisters to grow. We then take that opportunity to encourage, nuture and support women through their educational goals.

Briefly – can you provide a personal philosophy about philanthropy in P.E.O.?

One woman at a time we can change the world.

When/where did you become a P.E.O.?

Ocotber 1969, Chapter DM, Saint Paul, Minnesota

To which chapters have you belonged?

DM - MN , S - AL, FQ - WA

What offices have you held in the local chapter?

President, VP, Treasurer, Corr sec., Rec sec., Guard

Since your Executive Board experience, what have you done in P.E.O.?

Served on two state committees, held the office of President three times, other various offices, attended four Intenational conventions, transferred to a new chapter

Please list your Education and degrees earned?

GDH - graduate dental Hygiene, University of Minnesota, BS, Unversity of Minnesota

Your Employment?

Since birth of our son, I became a stay at home mom and a full time volunteer. Now I am retired - (the kid left home and the old dog died) but I still love to volunteer. Before Rob was born, I was a clinical dental hygienist and administrator in dental public health.

Your Family members?

Husband Jay, Son Rob and his wife Stephanie who live in Seattle. Jay lives in Seattle also - with me. Two sisters, Judy and Joanne who also live in the Seattle area.

Your family who are P.E.O.s?

My Grandmother - Irene Mohs who was a 60+ year P.E.O. My maternal aunt - Roberta Mohs Mitchell. My mother, Kathryn Mohs Turk - a 70 year P.E.O. All three deceased but laid the foundation and inspiration for my P.E.O. journey. My two sisters, Judy and Joanne belong to Chapter DO, Seattle, WA.

Your Awards?

Your Interests?

family, friends, reading

Your activities outside P.E.O.?

Currently traveling throughout the Pacific Northwest.

Is there anything else you'd like to add?

I really had no idea what a lasting impact on my life my state board experience would have. Too many things and events to share but the friendships and bonds made far exceed what I could have hoped for.