

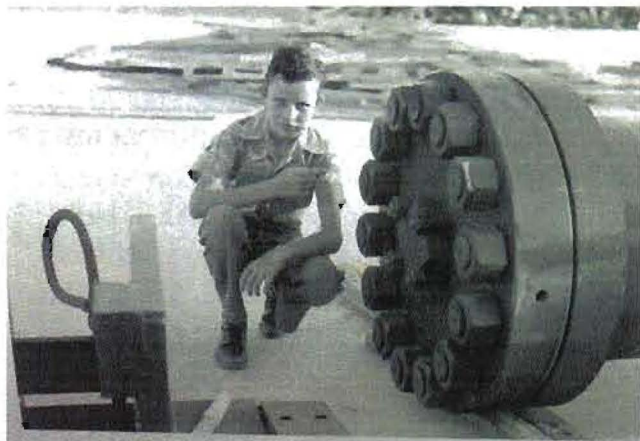
We want you to join us on our trip down Memory Lane of the years before and after we were married. This July 15th will mark our 45th Anniversary.

Where we travel as 2 and grew to a family of 8. We were married a year when Fred joined the Air Force. Basic Training was at Lackland AFB and Tech School was at Chanute AFB, Illinois. Dot was in San Antonio and Dennis was born while I was in Tech School. We have traveled from San Antonio, Texas; Fred -Viet Nam-Dot and boys in San Antonio : Travis AFB, California; Mc Guire AFB, New Jersey; Hickam AFB, Hawaii; Indian Springs AFB, Nevada; Fred-Korea, Dot and the boys went to Rogers, Arkansas; We retired at Tinker AFB, Oklahoma. Our last move was here to Rogers, Arkansas.

We want to share some of our pictures. They will be from childhood up to this year. We hope you will enjoy our last 45 years and how we looked growing up. We do not have many pictures of Fred in his early years. But here he is with his family. His oldest brother and sister is not here.



I believe I am 10 or 11 years in this picture. It was taken before my father passed away. I was 12 when the Lord took him home.



Knox Elementary School. This is all the pictures I can find of me before Dot and I got married.



We have lots of pictures of Dot. She is also better looking than I am.



Dot and her oldest brother Jimmy, She is about 8 months old here and her brother is 2. She lived in a tent home with her parents and brother. Her bed was a dresser drawer. She was born on her grandparents farm outside of Natalie, Texas, in her grandparents front bedroom. The Doctor charged \$15 to deliver her, but her father was never able to the bill.



Jimmy, Dot, and a friend in Victoria Court in San Antonio, Texas



Dot about 7 showing off her new dress that her new mother made her.



Dot about 4 years old.



Dot about 5 years of age.

When Dot was 6 years old, her mother walked out leaving 2 boys and her. Her mother never looked back.



About 8 years of age, and another dress her mother made for her.



About 9 years of age. At Tyann Elementary School in San Antonio, Texas



Dot and Friend with their Christmas Walking Dolls
I am 11 years old here and still has the doll. Her mother (LaVerne) had to put it in layaway and pay 50 cents a week to get it. The doll cost about \$20.



Low 7th grade at Ralph Waldo Emerson Junior High School. Before Glasses.



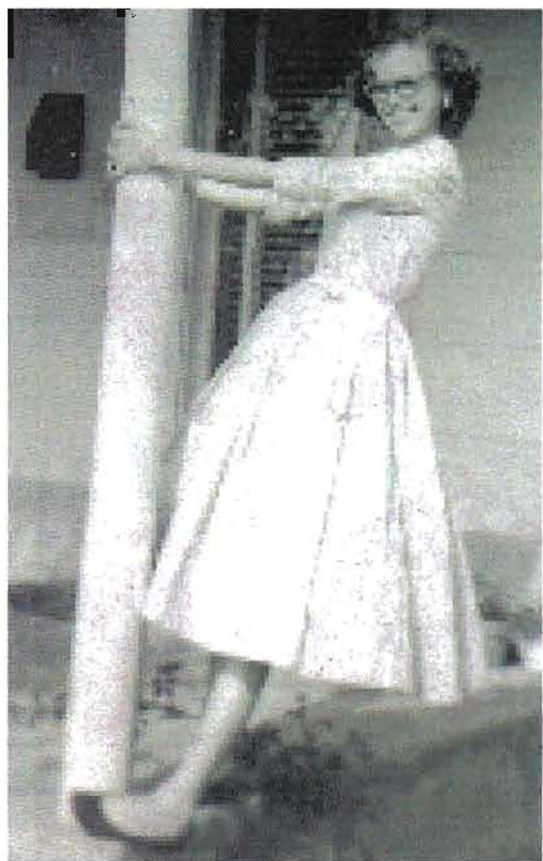
High 7th grade at Ralph Waldo Emerson Junior High School. After Glasses. My first bought dress.



8th grade at Ralph Waldo Emerson Junior High School.



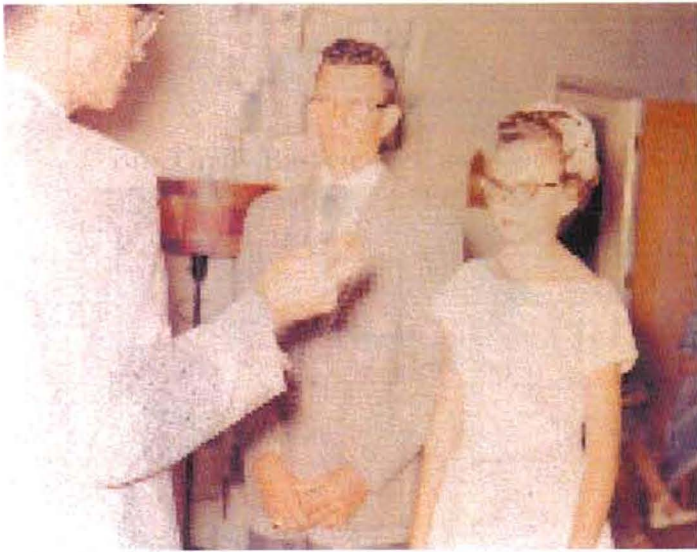
9th grade at Ralph Waldo Emerson Junior High School. Yes that is a rubber lizard she made a pin out of.



12th grade at my grandparents home in Rogers, Arkansas, I lived with them for my Senior year. 1958 - 59.



My Senior Picture at Rogers High School, Rogers, Arkansas



Our Wedding July 15, 1960 at our pastors home in San Antonio, Texas



Exchanging our vows.



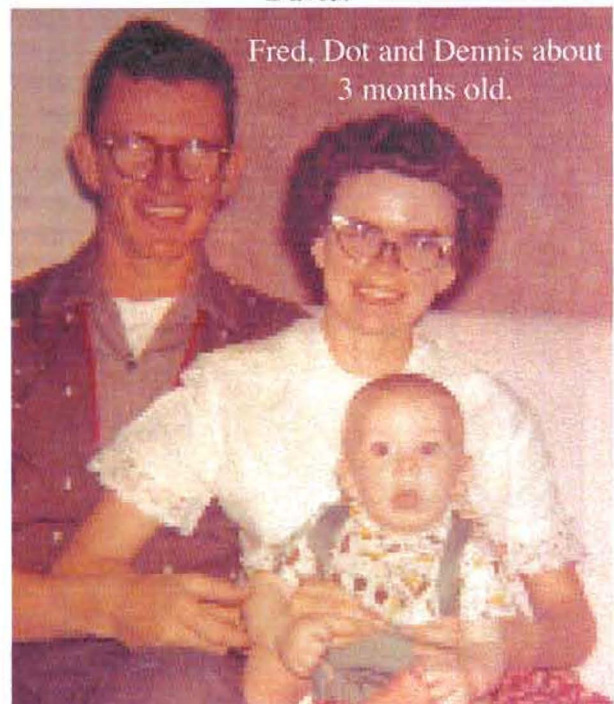
Bro. Grady Basken, Fred and Dot.



Dots mother, Her Uncle Wayne, Her Grandmother, in front is her Sister, Rhonda, and brother, David.



My Mother, Me, Dennis and Dot standing in front of our new car. On a Easter Sunday. We were at my mother's home on 147 Bryan Street in San Antonio, Texas, which is now a freeway.



Fred, Dot and Dennis about 3 months old.

In our 2nd home, after returning homt Basic Training. It was in Kirby, Texas. We were at Randolph AFB, Texas



Dot, her Grandmother and Dennis about 4 months at her Grandmother's home in San Antonio, Texas.



Damon, Fred and Dennis, about 1 month and 2 years old. We were watching television, when the news broke in to tell us that President Kennedy was shot in Dallas, Texas.



This picture was taken just before I went to Viet Nam in November 1965, my boys were 2 and 4.





Ready for Church, on Mother's Day, we were living in Cookstown, New Jersey. 1967
Station at Mc Guire AFB, New Jersey.



Dot, and Boys age about 4 & 6. In our
backyard in front of our lilac brush at Mc-
Guire AFB

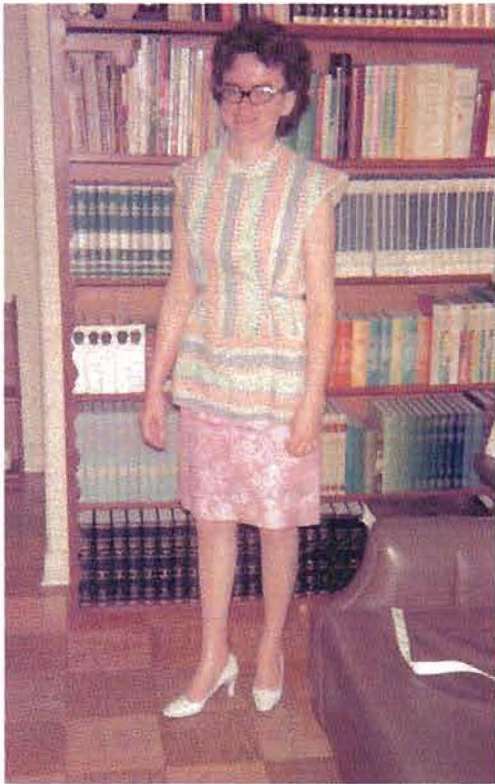


Family Picture at McGuire AFB, New
Jersey Boys are about 4 & 6.
1969



My favorite pictures of Dot while station at McGuire AFB, New Jersey.

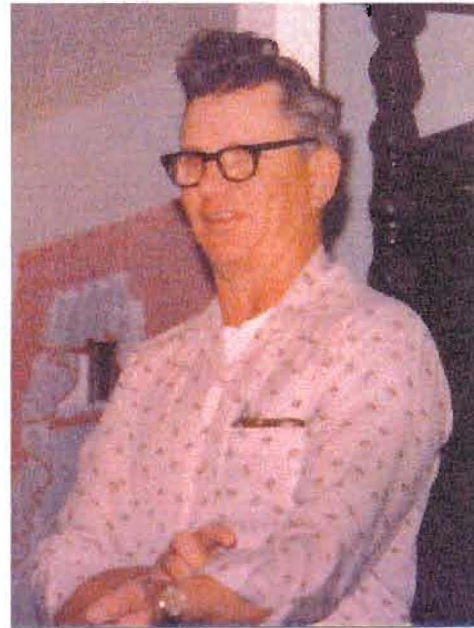




More of my favorite pictures of Dot while station at McGuire AFB, New Jersey.



This was me while station in Hawaii.



Not for sure where I was when this one was taken. Boy check out that hair.



Dot graduation from Central State College in Oklahoma. 1983
We were living in Del City, Oklahoma.



Family picture 1982



Damon and Dot in our home in Del City, Oklahoma





Damon wed Estelle Lee Gaines on June 18, 1982 in Oklahoma City, Okla.



Our 25th Anniversary in our home in Moore, Oklahoma 1985
During the party and after the party.



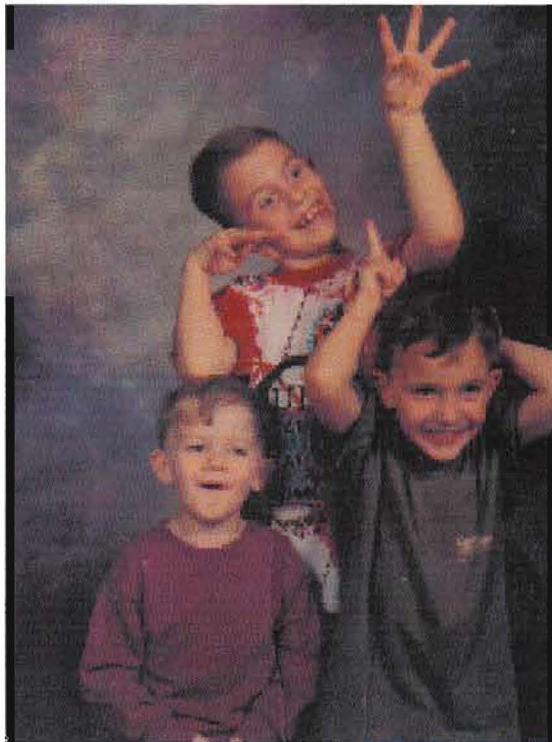
Our family, Damon, Stella, Wayne (Dot's Brother), Gerry (My Sister), Dot's Father & Mother, Dot, Me, Dolly & Rose Mary (Fred's Nieces), David (Rose Marys Husband), and Dennis. The two little girls are Rose Mary and David's



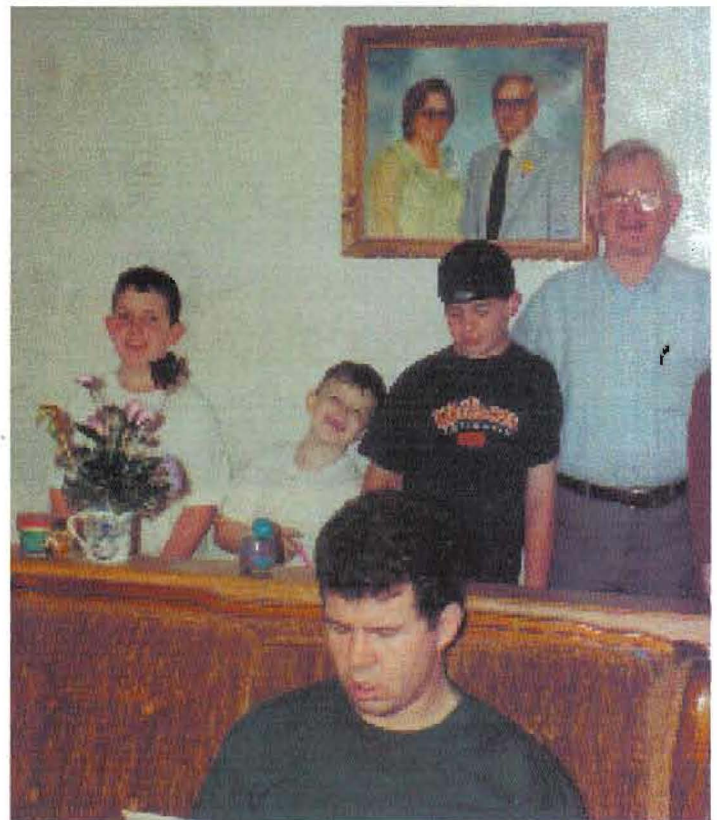
Christmas picture 1994, Me and Brad
Then Drew, Dot, and Chris.



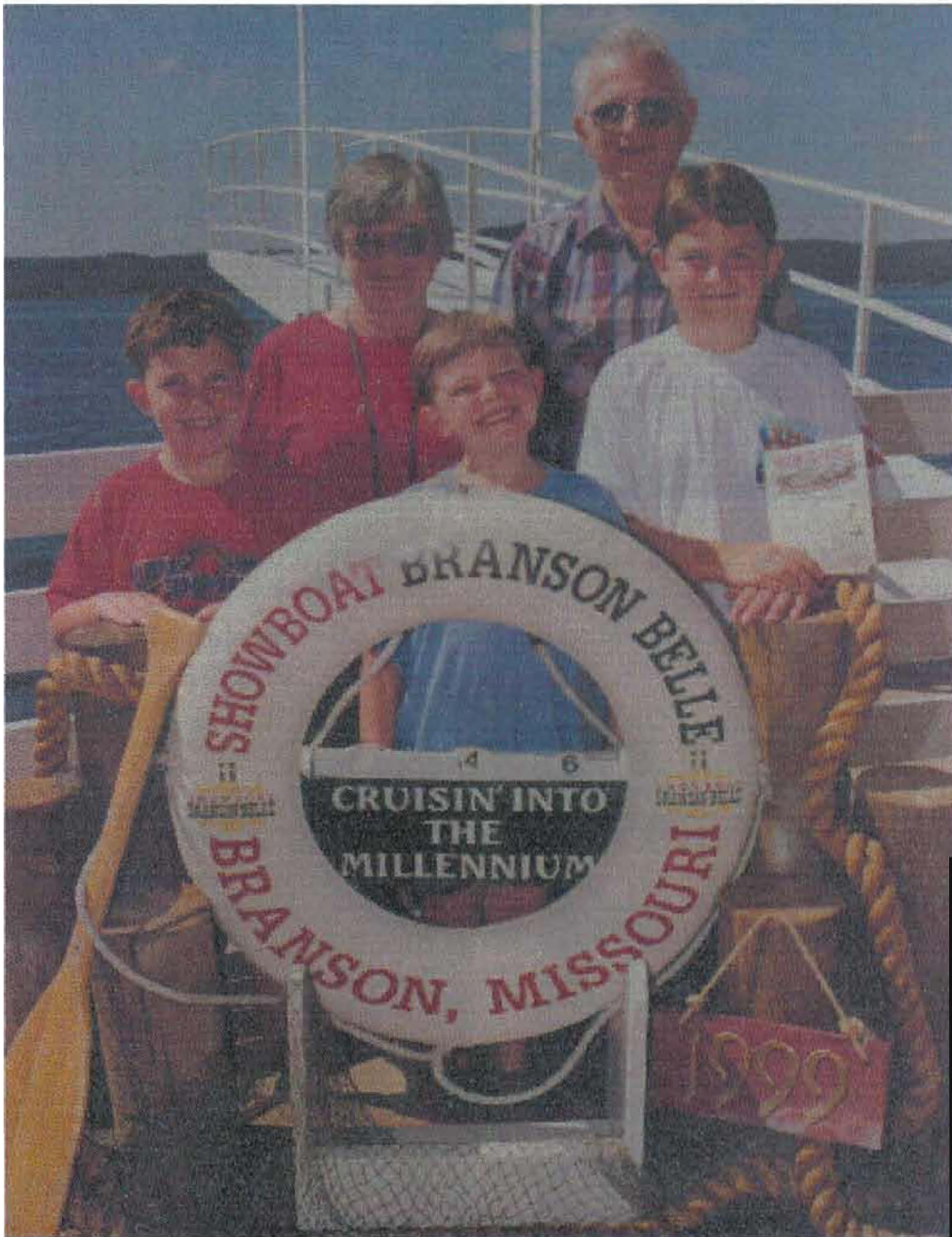
Valentine's Party at our church
Rogers Indenpentant Church.



Our three Grandsons, Chris in the back
Brad, then Drew. They were told to be funny.
We have always loved this picture.



Dots parents picture hanging on the wall, a oil
painting Fred had done in Korea.
Drew, Brad, Chris, Me
Dennis setting down. Dot took the picture.



One of our vacation trips with our grandchildren. They have always been ready to go with us and they keep asking when are we going on another vacation.



Our 40th, we renewed our vows. Fred fought it all along the way, but he is glad we did it because the following year on our anniversary year I was at M D Anderson taking radiation treatments.



Bro.. Larry Potts, our pastor



Dot's father, mother, then in line are Damon, Rhonda, Dennis, Dot.



Dot and her Grandmother, who passed away in 2003 at the age of 98.

Hope you enjoyed our stroll down memory lane.
We praise the Lord that He has been so good to us
all of these years.

Love and Prayers

Fred and Dot