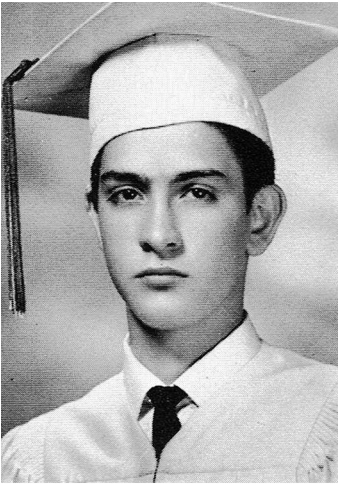


BIOGRAPHY - Robert Naudin



Having spent most of younger years around the Austin High area, I only assumed that I would spend the rest of my youth including high school there also. All my friends at that time were obviously from that part of town. Well in 1959, we made a move that required us to change districts. My brother Douglas, my sister Zita and myself enrolled in

a new High School...Burgess. It was hard for me especially since my buddies were on the other side of town and in a competing school. We adapted relatively well and all of us graduated from Burgess, where I made some friends and learned some things too. Math was my good subject and English my worst subject. I always thought that Ms. Blanchard had it out for me. Now I understand what she was just doing...trying to teach me something. After graduation I went to work in Los Angeles in a corrugated box company. I made what I thought was good money, but the work and the city were too much for a young El Paso boy. One day after about 5 months I packed up and left California, never to return again. I went back to El Paso and started my career in retail with a discount company you probably remember, Fed Mart. There I met and made friends with some of my old classmates, they too worked at Fed Mart. We had some great times together there. I stayed with Fed Mart for 8 years, counting my time in the Army. I moved to Dallas after two years and got into management there. In 1966, I was drafted and in 1967 went to VietNam. I was stationed in a base near Saigon, Bearcat, with the 9th Aviation Group working and flying in Huey helicopters. We were safe there and rarely were bothered. I came back home in 1968 and went back to FedMart in El Paso for a few months then back to Dallas. I was an Assistant Store Manager when I met my wonderful wife of 43 years Ann Bogenschutz. We married in 1970 and shortly after that I was promoted to Store Manager of one of the Houston Texas locations. That year we had our daughter Michelle. After a couple of years in Houston, I was offered a District managers position in Florida with a Catalog Showroom company. While in

Florida, my son Robert Jr. was born. I stayed with that company for 17 years and was Director of Stores when the company sold to a Boston individual. I was part of the sale and stayed with them less than a year. I was self employed for the next 3 years but just couldn't find something that excited me, so in 1991, I went back to my roots in retailing with a company called Price Club. In 1993 I was transferred to a place I said I would never be back...California. San Diego proved to be a great place to spend the next 19 years. I stayed for 20 years and loved every minute of my time with Price Club and later Costco (1993 merger). I was a General Manager with Costco my entire career. I retired on 11-11-11 and have found retirement to be the best position I ever had.

Ann and I moved to Sun City in Georgetown and enjoy every day. Play lots of golf and have great friends already.

We have 2 grandsons and 2 grand daughters.

I look forward to the Burgess reunions and renewing some friendships.

See you in September.



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**This is my family! My Wife, Ann;
Our Daughter Michelle with her husband, Todd, with grand kids, Grant and Grace.
Our son Rob with his wife, Cheryl, with grand kids, Charlie and Sydney**