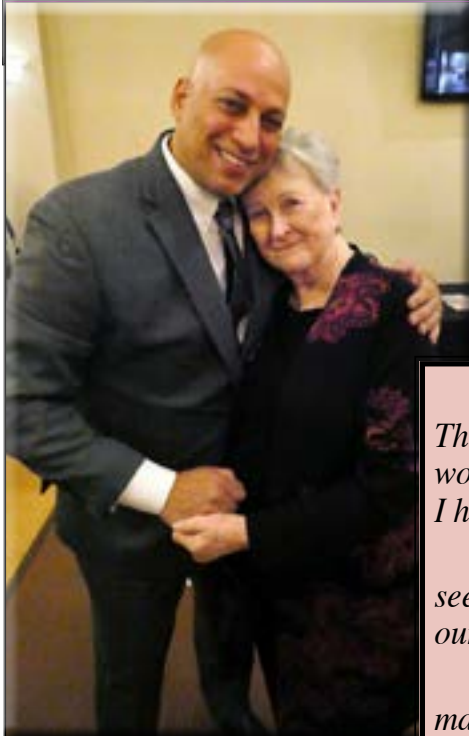




Newsletter artist, Eric Winkel and Barb got to reunite in the lobby of the Valentine



Bob and Barb share a big hug



Five Trombones.

*The November 12th concert at the Valentine Theater, Toledo, Ohio, in honor of Mel was wonderful and filled my heart with joy. I hope Mel was looking down on us.*

*We had friends and relatives that we haven't seen in a while, and it's all due to Ron Kishuk and our Four Guys - Bob, Tommy, Ryan and Jake.*

*Thank you so much to the five of you for making this happen. — Barb Meyers*



Ron Kishuk introduces the Five Trombones

## Back Home Again in Indiana

by Neil Lantz

This year we'll celebrate 75 years of the Four Freshmen at the 34th Annual Convention of the Society, September 21-23, to be held in Fort Wayne, Indiana. This will be an encore of the 2013 Convention which was held there as well. It will be especially exciting for Sara Lou and me as I was born and raised in Fort Wayne, and she moved there from West Lafayette while in high school.

This year's Convention promises to be another great event under the leadership of Marlene Lobsiger and Dave Blackwell, both of



Sarah Lou and Neil Lantz

our memories of the late members of the original Four Freshmen Group #1 in 1948: Ross and Don Barbour from Columbus, Bob Flanigan from

whom were responsible for the 65th anniversary gathering. Again this year, they're assisted by several members of the 2013 committee who are excited about this year's milestone occasion. Be sure to congratulate and thank them all, together with the FFS Board of Directors, for their dedication and hard work in planning and executing another great opportunity for all of us in the FFS family.

And, of course, we need to salute

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