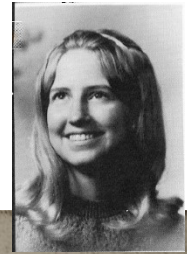


Cheryl Lynne Bass, daughter of Samuel Truman (1925-2014) and Jane Ophelia (Harris) (1925-2007) Bass, was born 5 March 1952, Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama.



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Missionary Teens Visit Petoskey

Nine teen-agers from the Church of Christ, 1007 Kimberly Drive, left Thursday for Petoskey, on the second of two missionary trips.

Going from door to door they will extend invitations to persons to attend special meetings at the Church of Christ in that city, Sunday through Friday. The young people also plan to visit Mackinac Island and possibly the Soo Locks, returning to Lansing Aug. 14.

The group includes: Faith Barber, Hope Barber, Jannie Bullock, Vickie Combs, Kevin Place, Wendy Robinson, Janet Huebsham, Brenda Anderson and Cheryl Bass. They are accompanied by J. Allen Barber, local minister, and speaker for the meetings, and Mrs. Bullock.

A similar trip was made by the group to Watertown, N.Y., July 19-31, when the teen-agers took a door-to-door religious census. The people were told about a free Bible Correspondence course available to them, and were invited to a series of Bible lectures at the Watertown Church of Christ.

"The response was wonderful," Cheryl said. "The attendance at the church increased more than 50 per cent that week, and several Bible correspondence courses were accepted," she added.

During that trip, the youths made stops at Great Lakes Bible College, Beamsville, Ont.; Niagara Falls, Lake Ontario, Thousand Islands, and Camp Drum Air Force Base in Watertown.

1970 Okemos Tomahawk



OKEMOS TOP TEN — Five boys and five girls make up the list of top 10 students at Okemos High School. The honored seniors are (from left to right, back) Julie Parisian, Barb Sorenson, Cheryl Bass, Denise Vandomelen and Chris Corcos. The boys are (from left to right) Kit King, Nat Schwartz, Mike Kistler, Ken So and Carl Behr.

She graduated in 1970, in the top scholastic ten of her class, from Okemos High School and went on to further her education at Eastern Michigan University.

Cheryl married Mark Whitney Frost 29 May 1971, Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan.

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FROST-BASS

Kimberly Downs Church of Christ was the setting on Saturday afternoon for the wedding of Miss Cheryl Lynne Bass to Mark Whitney Frost. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T. Bass, 1647 Forest Hills, Okemos. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Whitney W. Frost of Nashville, Ark.

Miss Linda Frost of Green Cove Springs, Fla., the bridegroom's sister, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Teresa Bass of Okemos, the bride's sister; Miss Pam Ritchey of Grand Rapids; and Miss Jannie Bullock. Fonda Waller of DeWitt was junior bridesmaid.

Mr. Frost, the bridegroom's father, was the best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Tim Bass of Okemos, the bride's brother; Mike Tardy of Flint; and Lee Harrington of East Lansing. Junior groomsman was Brad Lynn Frost of Nashville, Ark., the bridegroom's brother.

Special guests for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilkerson of Nashville, Ark., the bridegroom's grandparents.

Following a honeymoon in northern Michigan, the newlyweds will make their home in Searcy, Ark.

Cheryl and Mark celebrated 40 years and the birth of two children before her untimely death 17 March 2012, Wayne County, Michigan.

Cheryl was a devout Christian, wife, mother, grandmother, teacher, organizer and community leader who set standards of excellence in childcare and services to families.



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FROST, CHERYL L.; age 60; March 17, 2012; of Brownstown. Beloved wife of Mark Frost; loving mother of Mark Alan (Sheila) Frost and Caren (Jason) George; dearest grandmother of Maizie Jane George, Anderson George and Michelle Shaffer; dear daughter of Samuel and the late Jane Bass; sister of Teresa Bass and the late Tim Bass. Visitation Saturday, March 24, 2012, 1 to 6 p.m., John Molnar Funeral Home, 23700 West Rd., Brownstown. In State Sunday, March 25, 2012, 2 p.m., until time of Homegoing Celebration 3 p.m., Trenton Church of Christ, 2650 Grange Rd., Trenton. Memorial donations may be made to Children's Outreach, P.O. Box 10509, Detroit, MI 48210.

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Cheryl is a graduate of Okemos (MI) High School and received bachelor's and master's degrees from Eastern Michigan University. Her adult life was dedicated to serving children and families. She began and directed Mother's Day Out ministries at the Northeast Church of Christ in Cincinnati, Ohio, and at the Trenton (MI) Church of Christ. As a member of the Trenton church for the past 33 years, she developed and directed many innovative children's ministries. She taught kindergarten for twelve years at Luckett Christian Academy in Taylor, MI, after which she served as the school's principal. She directed the Head Start program in River Rouge, MI.

The last fifteen years were devoted to Children's Outreach, a non-profit childcare and family service organization she co-founded. Children's Outreach serves families in Southwest Detroit and River Rouge. Cheryl helped spearhead the development of the Quality Rating and Improvement System in Wayne County, a standard for measuring the quality of child care centers. That QRIS standard has now been adopted statewide and she has been honored for her role in its development by the Great Start Collaborative.

Cheryl has also participated in numerous mission trips to Honduras and Brazil. She and her husband have also cared for eighteen foster children in their home.

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Okemos Junior High School selected eighth grader Cheryl Bass, for Honor Roll this week. Cheryl has been on the honor roll continually throughout junior high school. Last year she received Outstanding Student Awards in four subjects math, language arts, home making and physical education.



Cheryl has been a member of orchestra for four years. Last year, for her achievements as a viola player, she received a letter and five service bars.

A sports enthusiast, Cheryl was a member of the Intermural Council and earned two intermural letters.

Besides her other activities, she is the regular teen writer for The State Journal.

Cheryl's hobbies are ice skating, cooking, and sports. She lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bass, 1647 Forest Hill Drive.

