



News and Reviews You Can't Use from the Bennetts - 2017



Christmas 2016 was a small event. We put up the lighted artificial tree that came with the house and celebrated with Katie, Matt and Taryn, Tim, Carolyn, Christina and Lee, Carolyn's Mother. The Massachusetts gang went to Key West and the Peruvian gang stayed home.

We escaped in February to Chicago when our friends Mary and Jim Foote came in from Toledo and took us to see "Hamilton"; we loved it! Mary and Marcia were best buddies Freshman year in the dorm at DePauw.

The H1N1 influenza virus caught Marcia in March earning her a visit to the Highland Park Hospital "spa" via a ride in the big red ambulance.

In April it was Ted's turn at the "spa", this time for a-fib and tachycardia. He was successfully converted to a normal rhythm. During this all it was discovered that he had an aortic aneurism. It was repaired, and he now has Gortex in his body. We really need to do better!

Marcia had a birthday New Year's Eve 2016, Ted had a birthday in August and we celebrated our 30th anniversary in June. We merged the three into a small party in July which we splurged on with a caterer and our favorite piano tuner/player Bill. All the kids were in attendance, even the Massachusetts and Peruvian gangs. What fun!



Claudia, Alessia, Chris & Briana



Carolyn, Christina, Sunny & Tim



Keeping her thoughts



Jeff, Margaret, Beth, Charlotte & Natalie



Matt, Katie & Taryn



Two happy campers



Two wolves howling



Briana



Alessia



A handsome couple



A trio of likely suspects

This fall the focus returned to Marcia. Her knee wound became infected and she was slapped into the hospital where she went septic and got to stay in the beautiful new ICU at Skokie Hospital. When she was released she had a month at Warren Barr Northshore for rehab and IV treatments.



About to be released for home

We're now looking forward to the Holidays with the Massachusetts gang coming in for Christmas and Marcia's birthday.

We wish all of you a Merry Christmas and a peaceful New Year. May you all have the blessings of good health and happiness.

Love-

Marcia & Ted



Thirty Years! June 27 Al fresco dinner at Francesca's Intimo