



**BETSEY NASH** met Marci Powers while playing on the Hot'n Tots softball team in 1966. Marci was older and had just graduated from Bellarmine so they'd never met before. They became fast friends that summer; Betsey went back to school and Marci got married. Fast forward 24 years and Betsey got a message from Marci asking whatever became of her. Marci was living in Thousand Oaks and Betsey was in Shell Beach so they reunited in Santa Barbara a few weeks later, and have been together ever since. Their three kids are smart, fun, accomplished in their professions and good looking (Sounds like a Christmas letter!) John is a manager for Boeing's satellite launch program (mechanics) in Alabama, where he and his wife and two kids live. Jennifer and husband live in Simi Valley where she is a senior VP in an insurance company that focuses on the entertainment industry; her husband is chief of staff for an LA city councilmember. Daughter Erin is the adventuresome redhead who loves living in New York City and is also a big deal in the insurance industry. No pets, just allergies! Betsey says. After BHS, Betsey attended Cal Poly San Luis Obispo until her senior year and graduated from Cal State Northridge because she wanted a more robust sociology and social psychology curriculum. After graduating, she embarked on a 6-month solo trip throughout the US and Canada—something she counts as an important part of her education. She is now semi-retired and does pro bono HR work for several local nonprofits. She also enjoys gardening, traveling, reading, visiting as many wineries as possible, and spending time with her partner, Marci. Betsey feels that her greatest accomplishment is "Either pitching a no hitter in slow pitch softball, hosting an award winning daily radio talk show, or meshing successfully into Marci's childrens' lives. Yes, the latter—I am so very blessed to have wonderful relationships with these "kids". Betsey has so many favorite memories of Burbank High: making Marty Maas carry her books for a Ceralbus photo; singing with the choir; being in Brigadoon and a couple of folk trios; being a song leader; passing French ...

