

# Our 35th Wedding Anniversary



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Next week will mark our 35th Wedding Anniversary! Corky says if he'd been convicted of a crime, he'd be out of the pen by now! Thirty-five years...wow! It seems like only yesterday I was a bright eyed young girl, walking on my Daddy's arm down the aisle to marry my Prince Charming. I wore my mother's wedding dress and indeed felt like a Princess. I don't feel thirty five years older,

the lines around my eyes and mouth show it, but I sure don't feel it! When I look at Corky I still see that spunky, young, G.I. with the Clark Gable mustache and twinkle in his eye. I don't notice the silver sneaking in around his temples or how his bones ache after a hard day's work. He will always be twenty-one to me, no matter how long we are together, he is forever young in my heart.

Marriage isn't an easy thing, especially these days! Just because we've managed to hold it together doesn't mean we had it easy. There were gives and takes, sad times, tough times, angry times and lots of happy times, but most of all a marriage TAKES TIME! We didn't give up! We stood beside each other and worked it out, that's what adults do! Corky didn't want me to paint the front door blue, we argued, I cried. He went to work... and I painted the front door blue! He noticed it about three weeks later, by then we both had cooled off, we

both apologized and went on loving one another. It was just a DOOR! Looking back now we laugh about the blue door of 1984 and wonder what the fuss was all about.

I'm not perfect, oh my, far from it! No one is, a marriage is work no matter who you are! I've had to eat my words more than once, I've apologized and accepted apologies and best I can tell, no one I've EVER talked to said their marriage was a piece of cake! Life is a journey, there are bumps and ruts in the road, if you get stuck in a mud hole are going to turn around and go home? No, you pull yourself out and travel on. Thank you Corky, for our adventurous journey so far! I look forward to what lies ahead and the many happy memories yet to be made!

Happy 35th Anniversary Corky

*Forever Yours,*  
*Tam*



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## Ice Cream

Do you remember the first time you tasted ice-cream? I guess I was probably too young to remember my very first bite, but I do recall eating a vanilla, Dixie Cup ice cream when I was very young. I have many ice-cream memories of the smooth, cool, creamy concoction.

My best memories of ice-cream were at Zesto, a dairy bar on Chestnut Street in Irvine in the late 50s. and 60s. Zesto closed years ago; but we still have a dairy bar that is similar to the Zesto; The Twin.

My sister worked at Zesto when she was going to high school; so I got to see firsthand how you made the swirly ice cream cone and I ate my share of those. I go to the Twin and Burger Barn for soft serve ice cream these days. For hand dipped ice cream; the best ice cream is at West Irvine Plaza; Larry Auxier's pharmacy. The pralines and cream flavor is my favorite; it is awesome.

I remember visiting my aunt in Ohio when I saw my first ice-cream truck. He was driving down their street, ringing his mesmerizing bell alerting all the kids to come out and get ice-cream. The truck was orange, yellow and turquoise colored with pictures of tantalizing ice-cream and popsicles painted on it.

My aunt bought us frosty ice-cream on a stick. It was vanilla with a hard chocolate shell that cracked when I bit into it. Every day while I was there we visited the ice-cream truck; something I didn't have back home since I lived in the country.

However, my most nostalgic ice-cream memory is from my mother's kitchen. On steamy warm summer days, my mother would make icebox ice cream, as she called it. She bought small packages of "Junket"

ice cream mix that she mixed with cream, vanilla, etc. The mix came in flavors of vanilla, strawberry and chocolate.

At that time we had a Leonard refrigerator with a freezer compartment that would accommodate two double metal ice trays. Mom would take the middle inserts out of the ice trays, discard the ice and pour the mixture into the trays. After the mixture froze for about an hour she would mix it up to remove the ice crystals that had formed and made the texture more like ice-cream. Then it was refroze for a couple of hours.

After we ate all our dinner, Mom would serve the ice-cream in pretty glass bowls. It didn't taste like store bought ice-cream, but it was so refreshing and creamy. I can almost taste it now! Its sweetness and cool, velvety feel on my tongue made it the most satisfying food I ever tasted.

I do indulge in a small ice-cream from time to time, my favorite store bought ice-cream is Breyers; It's all natural.

I am filled with memories from my childhood. I relish every creamy bite and reminisce about the care free days of my youth, when I could eat tons of ice-cream without remorse.



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**1:00 P.M.**

**Entry Fee: \$10**

**Rules:**

- All entries must be Estill County residents.
- You are eligible if your residential home falls within the Estill County Lines.

**Due to state rules:**

- Contestants will wear and be judged in age appropriate attire in the pageant.
- The winners of the Little Mister and Miss Pageant are not allowed to compete again. Little Mister and Miss Estill County will be competing at the Kentucky State Fair as a couple.

**Admission:**

\$5 for ages 3 and up

Pay at the Exhibit Hall front door next to the parking lot. Only contestants get in free. The building will be cleared after each pageant.

**Boys and Girls**

Ages: Five through Seven –

Must have reached his/her 5<sup>th</sup> birthday by midnight, July 2, 2016 and cannot be 8 years old by July 2, 2016

All contestants will receive a coin dollar and blue ribbon.

The winner receives a crown, banner and trophy.

Practice Date – Thursday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 P.M. at the Fairgrounds

For further information, call:  
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Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Entry Fee \$10.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Boy \_\_\_\_\_ Girl \_\_\_\_\_

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