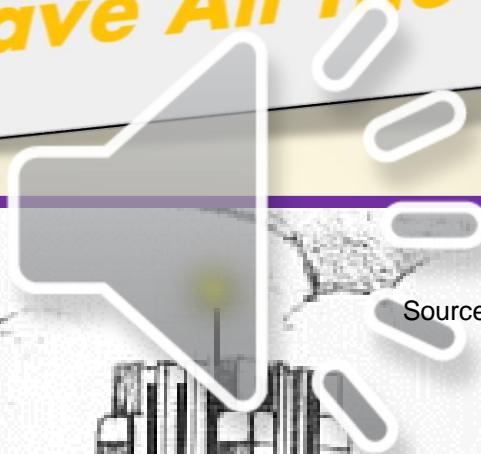


**Special Presentation**  
**2015 CHS ALL SCHOOL REUNION**  
JULY 17 - 19, 2015

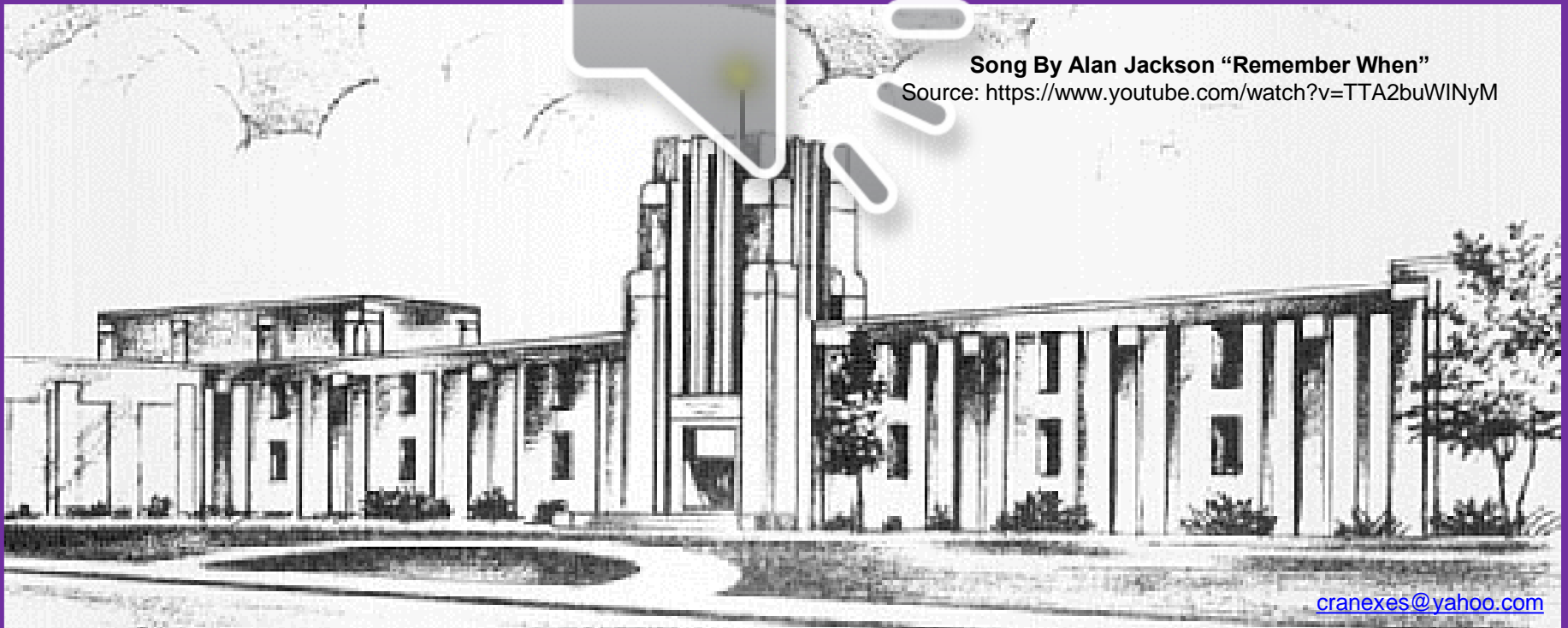
***Where Have All The Cranes Gone***

Prepared by Darrell & Sandra Smith  
**Class of 1966**  
Version 07.1715 J



Song By Alan Jackson "Remember When"

Source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TTA2buWINyM>





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### CHS Largest Classes

1. 1967 = 99 Seniors
2. 1969 = 98 Seniors
3. 1972 = 98 Seniors
4. 1968 = 96 Seniors
5. 1966 = 94 Seniors

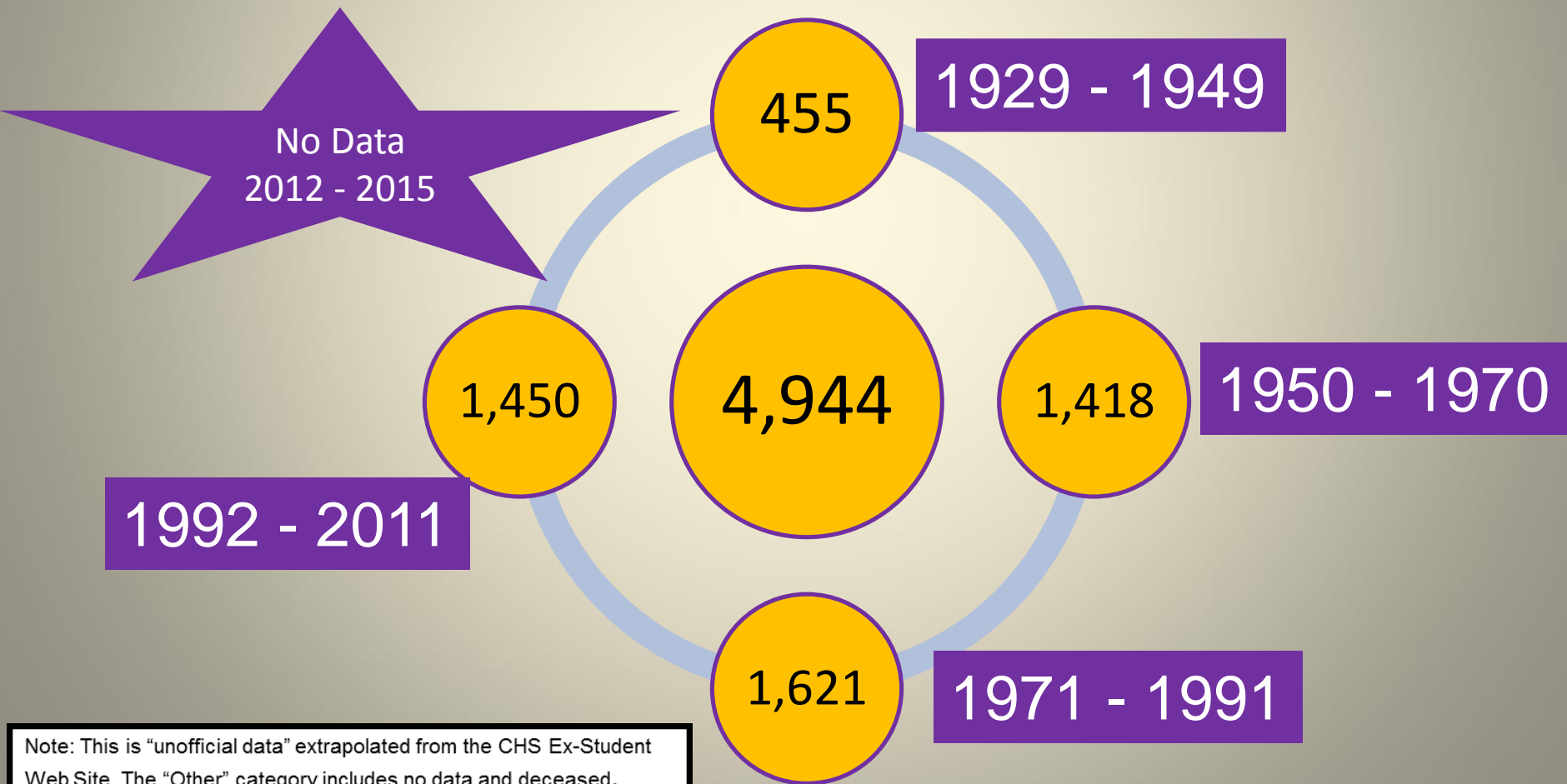
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06. 1982 = 94 Seniors
07. 1970 = 89 Seniors
08. 1978 = 89 Seniors
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10. 2001 = 88 Seniors

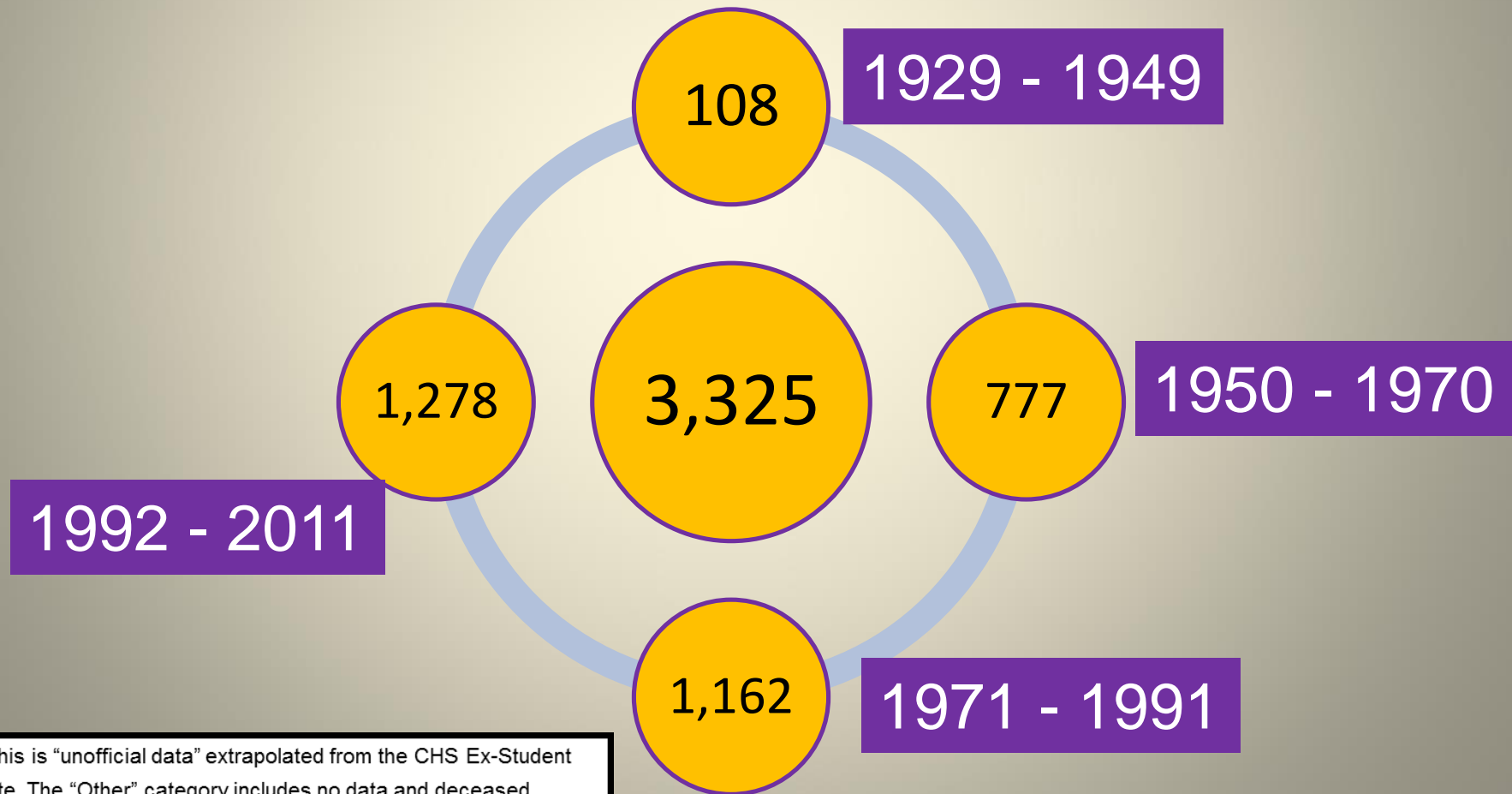
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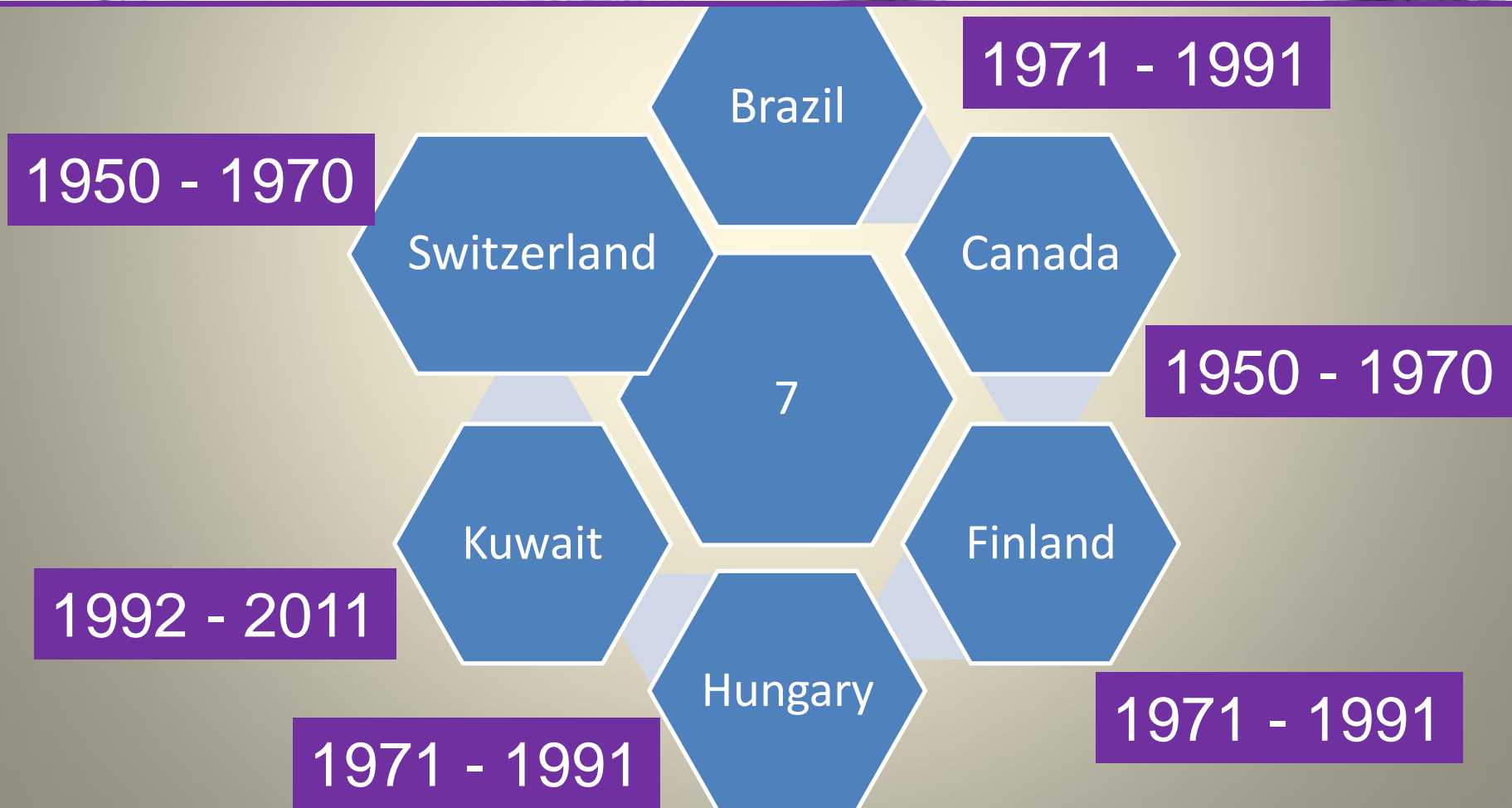
# 67% of CHS Graduates Reside In Texas







## 7 Graduates Reside Other Countries



Class of 1957  
63 Seniors



First Senior Class With  
**1957 Chevrolet**  
Best Car Ever September 1956

3 Senior Classes  
1951, 1952, 1953



Senior Classes During  
Korean War  
**June 1950 - July 1953**  
October 1950  
China enters war  
against U.S.

54,246 Americans Died

20 Senior Classes  
1956 - 1975



Senior Classes During  
**Vietnam War**  
Nov 1955 – Apr 1975  
China & Soviet Union  
Supported North  
Vietnam Against U.S.

58,209 Americans Died

44 Senior Classes  
1947 - 1991



405,399 Americans Died In WW II

Senior Classes During  
**Cold War 1946–1991**  
Sep 1946 Speech  
US will maintain a military  
presence in Europe  
indefinitely

116,516 Americans Died In WW I

Class of 2007  
64 Seniors



First Senior Class With  
**FACEBOOK**  
(September 26, 2006)

Source: <https://www.facebook.com/>

Class of 1981  
71 Seniors



IBM 5150 PC

First Senior Class With  
**Personal Computers**  
IBM Personal Computer  
(August 12, 1981)  
...starting price \$1,565

Source: [http://www-03.ibm.com/ibm/history/history/year\\_1981.html](http://www-03.ibm.com/ibm/history/history/year_1981.html)



Class of 1970  
89 Seniors



First Senior Class To See  
**MAN ON THE MOON**  
July 20, 1969

Class of 1954  
51 Seniors



First Senior Class With  
**Color TV**  
Admiral TV Dec. 30, 1953

Class of 1967  
99 Seniors



First Senior Class To  
Watch a **Super Bowl** on  
January 15, 1967; Los  
Angeles

Source: <http://www.nfl.com/photos/09000d5d8184d0f0#id:09000d5d8184d54f>

Class of 1973  
83 Seniors



First Senior Class With  
**Cell Phones**; 3 April 1973;  
2.5 lbs, 9" long, 5" deep,  
1.75" wide; talk time 30  
minutes; 10 hour re-  
charge

Class of 2002  
73 Seniors

First Senior Class to Hear About  
**Osama bin Laden & al-Qaeda**  
September 11, 2001



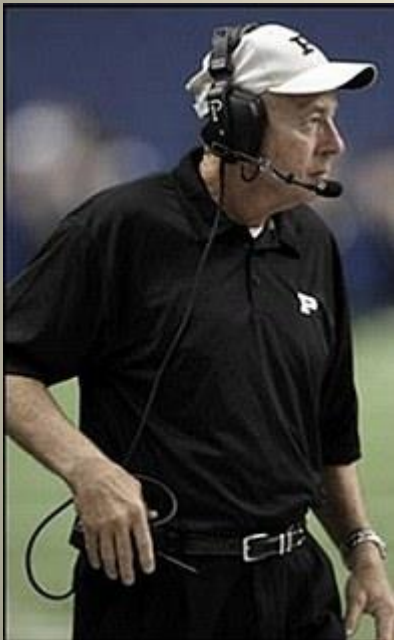
Class of 1968  
96 Seniors

Remembers Roger Pettit  
First Officer On  
Air Florida Flight 90  
Crashed January 13, 1982  
Washington, D.C.



# Class of 1967 99 Seniors

**Largest CHS Senior Class In History**  
**Coach Gary Gaines**  
Focus of Book: *Friday Night Lights*  
Starring *Billy Bob Thornton & Kyle Chandler*



Gary Gaines



Kyle Chandler

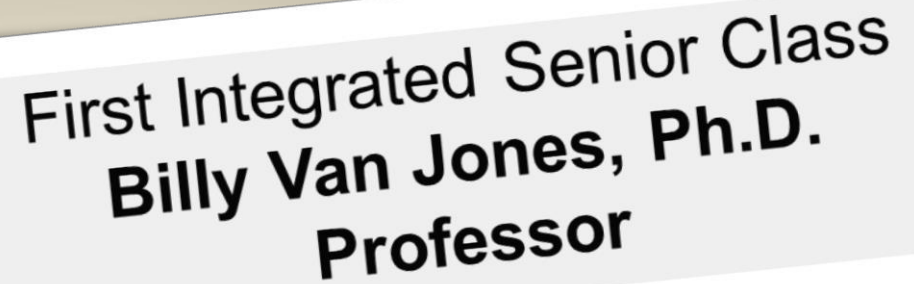


*Billy Bob Thornton*





Class of 1966  
94 Seniors



First Integrated Senior Class  
**Billy Van Jones, Ph.D.**  
**Professor**

Crane High School was segregated for 38-years;  
1927 – 1965. CHS has been integrated for 49-years;  
1966 – Present.

Civil Rights Act of 1964 legally ended segregation in public places and banned employment discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin, is considered one of the crowning legislative achievements of the civil rights movement.

July 16, 2015  
Chattanooga, TN

August 1, 1966  
Austin, Texas



Remember in prayer the 4 Marines who were killed in an act of domestic terrorism.

Calvin “Pete” Bennett and Darrell Smith, Class of 1966, were students at UT-Austin and experienced the first domestic terrorism in a public space in U.S. history.

1966: Charles Whitman, a trained Marine sniper shot & wounded 43 and killed 13.

**4,944 CHS Graduates  
1929-2011**

**have looked for the  
buried gold & jewels  
worth a \$250,000 left by  
Emperor Maximilian of  
Mexico at Castle Gap...**

**From 1858 to 1861 the famed Butterfield Overland mail coaches rumbled through the pass on their 24 day journey from St. Louis to San Francisco, pausing briefly at the Castle Gap way station for fresh teams. Today Castle Gap slumbers peacefully, disturbed only by CHS Graduates who are treasure hunters.  
Good Hunting and**

**Enjoy Your Class Reunion!**

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**CRANE**  
HIGH SCHOOL

**ALL SCHOOL**

**REUNION**





(The End)