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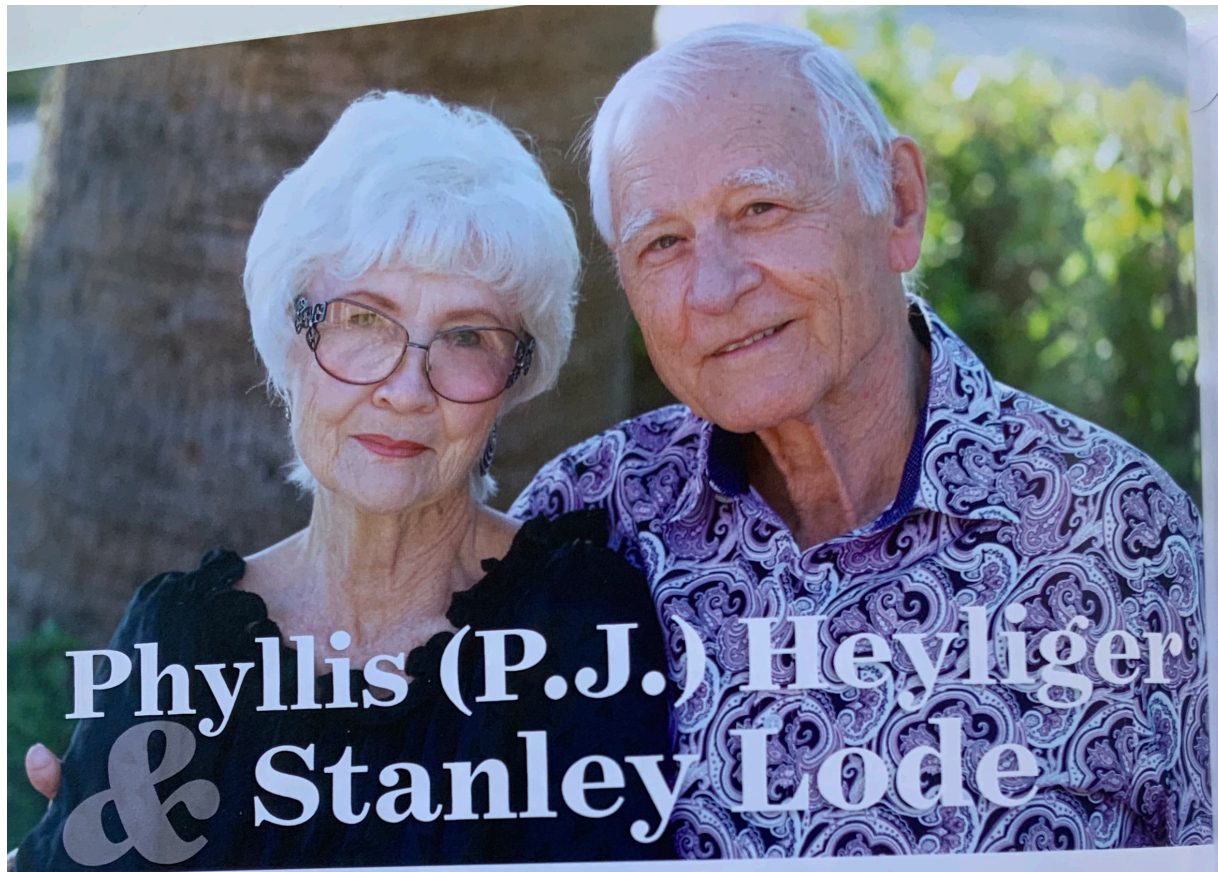
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They were married in 1978 and live on Fanfol Drive.

They have a pet cat named Chui-Paka which means Leopard cat in Swahili.

Professions: P.J. is an Art instructor, Professional Painter, and Illustrator and Stanley has been a Management Consultant, Plant Manager Litton Applied Technology, Oregon and Vice President Operations Litton Applied Technology, California

Activities: P.J. belongs to the Town of Paradise Valley Women's Association, which is a philanthropic organization that has many interesting branches, to meet the demand of VP ladies. The one she enjoys, calls ourselves, the Art Diva's, they spend their time finding and viewing many different types of art.

She belongs to The Circumnavigators Club, Desert Chapter, it is for world travelers that have circled the globe going the same direction all the way around. She qualifies because she has done this six times, three by ship, and three times by plane. Stan and P.J. have made four of these trips together, travel is one of their biggest passions.

People often ask us where our favorite trips are, that is a hard one to answer, but we both agree: African Safaris, Papua New Guinea, and places where most tourists do not go. P.J. said if I had to live someplace else, she might select New Zealand, it has more than its share of beauty.

They belong to Scottsdale Sister Cities Association, they enjoy the events that have visitors from their Sister Cities from many countries around the world. P.J. is also a member of the Phoenix Alumni group of Delta Zeta Sorority. They are a supporter of the Phoenix Zoo and the Desert Botanical Garden.

Favorite Vacation Destination: Snorkeling is one of their favorite activities. They have spent over a week snorkeling on the Great Barrier Reef, in fact, they have tried most of the popular places: The Red Sea, Maldives, Seychelles, many places in the Caribbean. Now they find that Belize is the best for snorkeling - this is closest to them - every couple years they charter a 48-foot catamaran, hire a captain and chef, then they set out for two weeks of snorkeling, exploring the various cays and reefs plus have great food along with Happy Hour and watching the sun go down.

Where are they from: P.J. grew up in North West Oklahoma, lived in Colorado Springs for fifty-one years ... never dreamed she would leave Colorado. Stan was born in Montana and also has lived in many places. We came to Arizona to visit friends for several years. P.J. started looking at real estate, mainly for fun ... then fell in love with a house, called Stan, and asked him how he would like to live in Arizona, he seemed agreeable ... So here they are going on eight years now in Arizona.

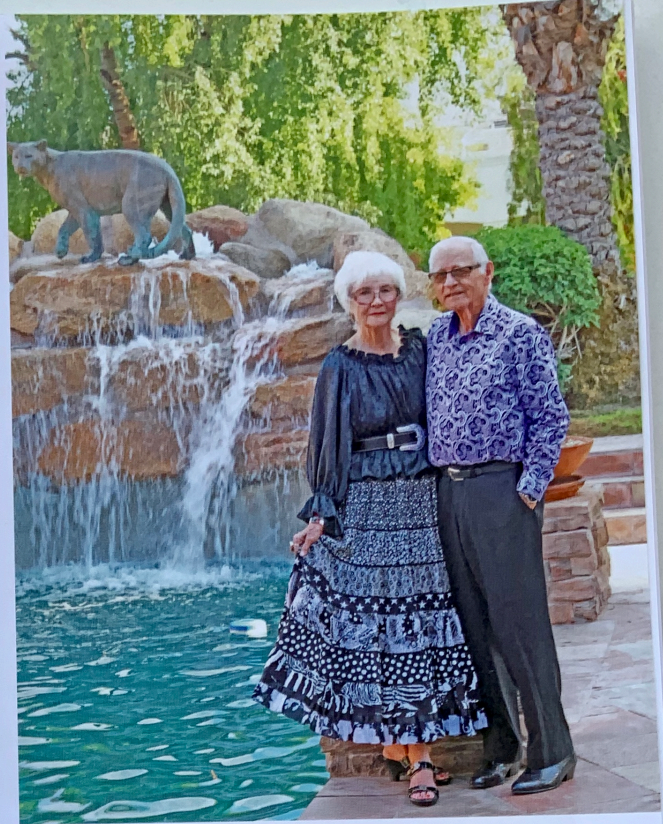
Family: They really don't have much of a family. P.J. is down to just cousins left and Stan has a few relatives still in Montana. This might sound silly but Chui-Paka, their cat is really a big part of their life.

University: P.J. has attended Northwestern OK State University, the University of Hawaii, University of Mexico, and Stan has attended Montana School of Mines, Moorpark Junior College, and California State University.

Painting is P.J.'s greatest passion and has been most of her life. I have tried almost every kind of product on the market but still watercolor and oils are her favorites. Her work has been in Galleries all over the USA and Spain. They have taught painting on cruise ships and have art shows on the ships, therefore, their paintings are all over the world. That is a fun and proud thought for them.

We have a house in Santa Fe, NM, a ranch in Oklahoma and a loft in Colorado Springs and all of them contain an art studio. They like to have their paints ready and waiting just in case they get inspiration.

They have spent time in Australia and Stan is inspired by the art of the aboriginal, P.J. thinks it has something to do with his engineering background. Stan seems to have a lot of patience, planning, and executing that type of work.



They are pleased with Arizona, the hot weather doesn't bother them, they love having a pool to get their exercise. They have made very nice friends over the years so they are happy here. One of the main things that is different, in Colorado a tree can be a tree and no one has to bother cutting on it. Here in Arizona, it seems the trees have to be cut on, trimmed up, and sprayed constantly. I reached the conclusion, there are just too many trees on our property, but since they are lovely we will keep them. ●●●



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