

THE SUNSET OBSERVER



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A Naval Career



George Phillips grew up in Phillipsburg, Kansas. His single mother worked hard as a waitress and they lived with George's grandma.

One thing George remembers about his childhood is going down to the river to swim. "It was a place where the dam was broke out, and it was deep."

George's first job was at a service station. "I worked 70 hours a week.

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It was a dog's life," he remembers.

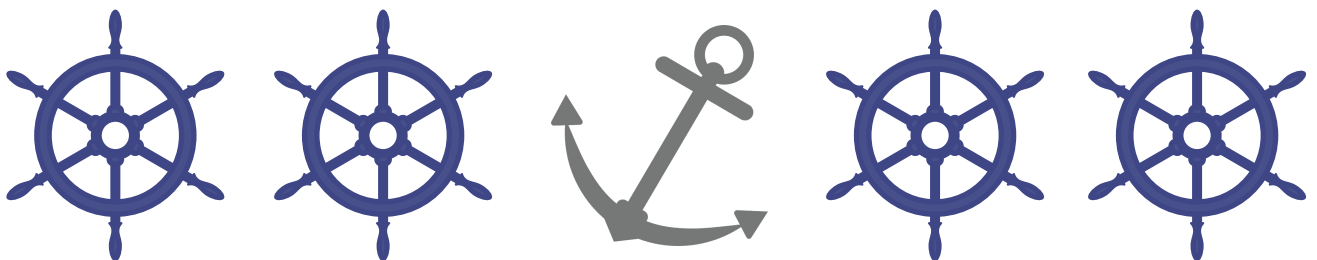
George was paid 50 cents an hour and the owner begged him to stay, but he saw military service as a good opportunity. "I volunteered for the draft and went to Korea for awhile. I drove what they called a ground pounder."

When he returned, George spent a few years out of the service, but eventually he decided on a career in the Navy. George spent 18 years in weather forecasting and another 13 years forecasting weather statewide as a civilian.

George traveled all over with the Navy and was on six different ships. He remembers the US Pocono and the Newport News. All of the ships he was on have since been decommissioned.

Some of the best days of George's life were when he and Ruby were first married. Sixty-six years later, they are still together. When they first dated Ruby's father hated George and so they broke up. But when George returned from Korea they were married, and Ruby's dad came around to the idea.

After his military career, Ruby and George moved back to Phillipsburg to raise their five children. George is proud of his time in the service and his advice to others is "treat people right".



Happening in May

Mondays - 10:00 am
Veterans Meeting

Tuesdays - 1:30 pm
Dominoes

May 5 - 2:00 pm
May Birthday Party

May 7 - 9:30 am
MOMosa's & Muffins

May 11 - 10:00 am
Paper Lilies

May 15-19
Nursing Home Week!

May 15 - 1:30 pm
Sock Hop and Floats

May 17 - 9:00 am
Coffee Bar

May 19 - 2:00 pm
Homemade Ice Cream

May 24 - 9:00 am
Tulip Trivia

May 26 - 1:30 pm
Card Games

May 29 - 1:30 pm
Root Beer Floats



Happy Birthday!

Gloria Clintsman
Ruby Phillips
Elgin Saunders
George Phillips
Phyllis Koster

Sunset Home's Employee of the Month



Justin Brewer

**Maintenance
Director**

Justin is a valuable member of the Sunset Home team. He is appreciated for his strong communication skills and follow through. His skillset and dedication make him a great asset to residents and team members alike. You never know when you'll find Justin being goofy and connecting with residents!

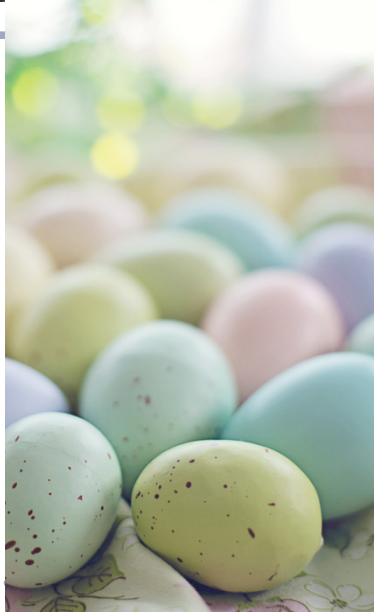


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