

## Richard Wyly - Class of 1977

My greatest memory is just all of the many friends I had, even though I was in the minority as one of the few white students at the time, and how race didn't interfere with our friendships.

## **High School Memories**

I also remember getting caught smoking in the hallway by one of the vice principals and him calling my mom down from the cafeteria, and the "swats" I had to take afterwards. OUCH!

I lived at 7109 College, just south of Prospect during high school. My sister, Pam (Wyly) Carroll graduated in 1978.

My most memorable classes and teachers were ROTC and Science class in the Annex Building. I was also on the swim team.

The Vietnam War was still going on while we were in high school, and I can remember what a relief it was when it ended before graduation.

Away from school, I spent time bowling and working part time at King Louie lanes on Troost Ave. and working at Hardees on South Holmes Rd. I also worked at Fairyland for one day and got fired for giving free rides. I attended St. James-Gregory United Methodist Church.

## **Following Graduation**

After high school, I joined the Air Force and after 20 years retired in 1997. I moved to Wichita, Ks., and I'm now working at Bombardier, Learjet as an Aircraft Inspector.