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### **JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2013 NEWSLETTER**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

One of our RSVP volunteers, D J Olson, was presented the *President's Call to Service* award for contributing over 4000 documented volunteer hours to the Retired Seniors Volunteer Program. DJ is a valued member of our team and we appreciate her efforts on behalf of all of our members.

Congratulations to Betty Guisbert and Joe Ann Gold, the winners in our recent quilt raffle. Thanks again to Marlene Martin for donating the quilts for this event.

January 29, 1983, was the ground-breaking ceremony for the first building at Martin Andersen Senior Center. We are planning to celebrate our **30**<sup>th</sup> **Anniversary on Saturday, March 16**, with an Open House, entertainment, and light refreshments. Watch for more details in our next newsletter.

Geri Bonavito

# Valentines Dance



Saturday February 9 7:30 pm

Free snacks and ice Music by Steve Kirsner & Friends

# \$5.00 members \$6.00 non-members

Coming Events	<b>;</b>
January 12	Ballroom Dance
January 16	Bunco!
January 16	Bus trip to Hard Rock Casino
January 16	Bus trip to Florida RV Show
January 26	Ballroom Dance
February 2	CARD PARTY
February 9	Valentines Dance
February 15	.Bus trip to Vienna Boys' Choir
February 20	Bunco!
February 21	Bus trip to Lakeridge Winery
February 23	Ballroom Dance
March 1 – 3	Bridge Sectional
March 7	Bus trip to Strawberry Festival
	Ballroom Dance
March 16	MASC 30 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

# **VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT**

By Marge Crawford

Born in Covington, KY, May 29, 1933, *Lou Hodgeman* was raised around the area of Cincinnati, OH until he was 17. Then Lou enlisted in the Army. His tour of duty included two years in Germany. After his service was over in 1953, he lived in Jersey City, NJ. He worked in the Christ Hospital where he met Lucille Kenyon who worked there also. On their first date at the company Christmas Party, Lou asked Lucille to be his girl. They were married three weeks later. Lou and Lucille were

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together for fortyyears, until Lucille passed away in Lou has 4 children, 9 grandchildren, 8 grandchildren and more on the way!

At Martin Andersen Senior Center, Lou has been a member since 1999 and has worked as a volunteer for the past eight years. He has served on the Board of Directors and now volunteers on the hospitality desk on Wednesday mornings. He loves pro football (a Giants fan) and plays canasta.

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### Landscape Committee

The following have responded to our request for volunteers to keep our planting beds looking good: Joan Fryman, Mary Martin, Jackie Prongue & Shirley Lackner. Give them a pat on the back when you see them out there pulling weeds!