Dear Friends:

A lot has changed in 40 years, but there are a few memories of the Class of 1979 that remain:

- overachieving victories at Stunt as sophomores and as juniors in Cornhuskin’—traditions still hard to explain to anyone who was not there;
- the ensuing chants of “’79—Mighty Fine!”;
- the sound of the peculiar announcement of “Man on the hall”;
- the classmates we admired or who are part of stories we still tell;
- a professor who challenged or encouraged us; and
- the feeling when the last exam was done.

Alumnae Reunion Weekend is quickly approaching. The dates are: May 17 – 19, 2019. It is a great time to catch up with Meredith friends and reconnect with those you have not seen in years. We hope that you are planning to attend.

You will receive an Alumnae Reunion Weekend brochure from the Alumnae Office in March. You must register with the Alumnae Office to attend any events held on campus. These include:

- Friday evening Reunion Party under the tents in the courtyard with live music, food and drinks and a chance to share some memories and make some new ones;
- campus tradition tours to learn more about Meredith traditions, old and new;
- Saturday morning “State of the College” address by President Jo Allen;
- shopping the Alumnae Market, featuring alumnae vendors; and
- Class of 1979 meeting and photos.

You will be able to register online by visiting www.meredith.edu/alumnae-reunion. The full schedule will also be updated online at www.meredith.edu/alumnae-reunion/alumnae-reunion-schedule-of-events. Please note that the deadline to register for those events is April 8th for early registration pricing and April 29th for regular registration pricing. May 6th will be the final date to register; however, you will incur a late fee for any registrations after April 29th.

As part of the registration, you also have the option of staying in a residence hall during Alumnae Weekend. Those who register from our class to stay on campus during the weekend will be assigned to the same dorm. Please register early as space does fill up quickly.
In addition to the events on campus, we will gather for an evening with the Class of 1979 on Saturday, May 18, at Side Street Restaurant in the historic Oakwood neighborhood in downtown Raleigh. Meredith alum Mary Lu Wooten from the Class of 1975 opened the restaurant in July after our graduation and has been serving her homemade delicacies ever since. On May 18, she is opening the restaurant for our class for the evening so it will be a great time to leisurely visit in a casual setting. For this evening event hosted by our class, you need to register separately using the enclosed form. Teri Edwards, one of our event class agents, has agreed to serve as our Treasurer. Instructions about registering for the evening are included on the registration form.

Again, please make plans to attend our reunion and encourage our classmates to join you.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us, your event class agents, as indicated below.

Hope to see you in May,

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An Evening with the Class of ‘79
Mighty Fine!
Saturday – May 18, 2019
6:00 p.m.
Side Street Restaurant, 225 N Bloodworth St, Raleigh, NC 27601
$55.00

_____ YES, I will attend         _____ No, I will be unable to attend

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Mailing Address: _______________________________________________________

City: __________________ State: _______ Zip: ______________

Preferred Phone Number: ________________________________

Preferred Email Address: __________________________________________

Whether or not you can attend, please tell us what’s new:
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Please return the completed form and check for $55.00, payable to Teri Edwards (with “Class of 1979” in the check memo line.) The deadline for registering for the Saturday evening class event is Friday, April 26, but please send these as soon as possible to:

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To register for the Alumnae Reunion Weekend events held on campus May 17-19, please visit: https://www.meredith.edu/alumnae-reunion