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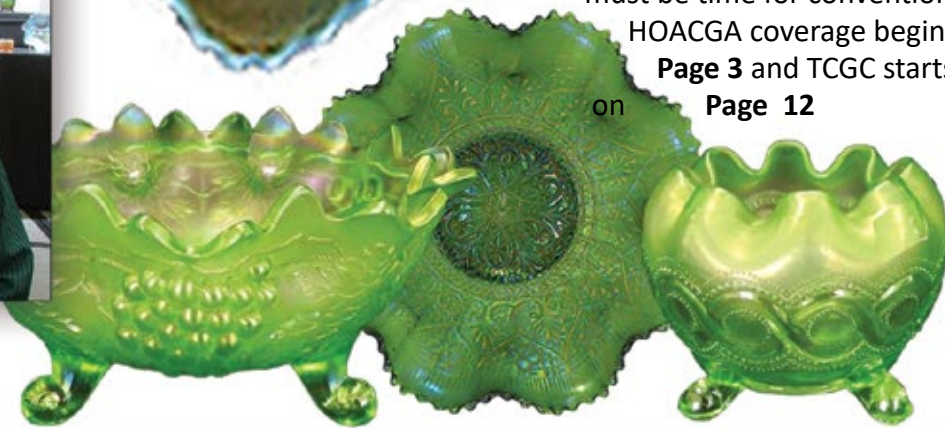


Two bowls, at left, in marigold and aqua opal are from Bob Grissom's favorite pattern, Peacock and Grape. Bob is retiring as HOACGA president after many enjoyable years, he recalls, starting **Page 2**



Carl and Eunice Booker receive the Whitley Award at the TCGC convention this year

If you see Spring green, below, it must be time for conventions. HOACGA coverage begins **Page 3** and TCGC starts on **Page 12**



*Sharing the past, present and future of a great American Craft*



## A common cause, an uncommon collector

# Bob Grissom passes on a legacy of leadership

By Donna Lee Olson

Trying to capture a special time in life is tough, yet Bob Grissom stretches to do it as he talks about his almost 50 years in Carnival Glass.

"There's such a wide variety of people that come together for a common cause," he says, "for something that once was cheap glass.

"I don't think you could get such a variety of people, from all across America, coming together like this."

The variety he's talking about is the Carnival Glass community that come from different backgrounds, are married or single, that all enjoy the rainbow shimmer across a glass surface. These are people who are excited at a record-breaking bid for an aqua opal cracker jar, but are just as happy for a new collector winning the bid on a first marigold, standard Ripple vase.

It's a hobby that has fed Bob's soul for so many decades. "I don't think I've found anything else as satisfying," he says.

After many years as president, Bob is staying in Carnival Glass but is stepping down from its top post. An election at the HOACGA Convention has two candidates running for the office. See page 6 for more details.

Way back, a young Bob wouldn't have imagined such a life while he pitched hay and herded cows on his family's farm and dairy in Shawnee, Oklahoma. He was one of three boys in a life that was always busy. "Whatever came up next was my chore," he recalls.

A hitch in the United States Air Force resulted in time baking in the heat of Libya in North Africa. Wheelus Air Force Base, once a Nazi Luftwaffe base, was taken by the Allies in World War II. By the time Bob arrived, it was a large United States operation where he served in the administration building. So big a base, in fact, that regular weekend flights could take you up to Italy for the weekend, an opportunity Bob enjoyed several times.

In 1958 Bob graduated from Oklahoma State University in Electrical Engineering, a field that led to a job with the Bendix Corporation in the Kansas City area. The focus of Bendix was as a contractor for the Atomic Energy Commission.

During this next part of life Bob and his first wife, Rosa, began raising a family of three children. Sadly, one daughter, Debbie, died at age three from a heart defect. "Today it could have been fixed," he says with regret.

Son Brian and daughter Melissa, though, have given him five grandchildren, running from young to college age. They are sometimes seen at HOACGA auctions, helping dad and grandpa enjoy the event.

A combination of events led the young couple into Carnival Glass in the late 1960s and early 1970s. First Bob and Rosa discovered that buying old things was better than new furnishings. "We started buying maybe a little bit of old furniture and I'd refinish it."

Their next interest was Tiffany-style stained glass lamps. And then came the big



Bob and Marge Grissom

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## March

Wed., March 20 to Sat., March 23

**Texas Carnival Glass 40th Anniversary Convention and Auction** Saturday. Seeck Auctions in charge. See inside for more information.

## April

Wed., April 24 to Sat., April 28

**Heart of America Carnival Glass Convention and Auction** Saturday, Seeck Auctions. For more information, see page inside.

## May

Wed., May 9 to Sun., May 12

**Keystone Carnival Glass Club Convention and Auction Saturday of the Gary and Janet Heavin collection.** The Holiday Inn, Grantville, PA., for reservations call 1-717-469-066, Wroda Auctions in charge.

**Special room rates available at convention hotels during the events. Refer to the host club for rate.**

## June

Wed., June 5 to Fri., June 7

**Lincoln Land Carnival Glass Club Convention** with an on-line auction Thursday night, Seeck Auctions in charge. Reservations at Best Western Airport Hotel, Milwaukee, WI, call 414-769-2100 for reservations..

Wed., June 12 to Sat., June 15

**American Carnival Glass Association Convention and Auction Saturday of the John Rogers Collection.** Convention at Roma's Catering and Banquet Hall, Greenville, Ohio. Matthew Wroda Auctions.

## July

Wed., July 18 to Sat., July 21

**International Carnival Glass Association Convention and Saturday Auction of the Lee Markley Collection,** Seeck Auctions in charge. Holiday Inn Airport, Des Moines, Iowa 50321, call (515) 287-2400.,

Wed. July 24 to Fri., July 26

**The Stretch Glass Society Convention and Show, Marietta, Ohio.** For more info: <https://www.stretch-glassociety.org/annual-convention/> or call President Cal Hackeman at 919-600-4533

## From Page 2, Leaving a legacy

pull of interest.

"The first time I remember hearing about Carnival Glass was here," he explains. "We had a neighbor lady, Dorothy Taylor, and she was into glass."

The Grissoms attended local auctions with Dorothy, who knew other people there. The more auctions you went to, the more you ran into the same people and conversations were struck up about what the old glass they were buying.

"We'd see the same people," Bob says. "About 10 or 12 people. It got to be a community of people."

Thanks to Dorothy, their mentor in glass, the community became a group. The first formal meeting was held in 1972 and included an auction by John Woody who was one of the early auctioneers specializing in Carnival Glass.

Today, according to the Amazon purchasing site, there are 15 books on Carnival Glass you can order, books ranging from price guides, to encyclopedias and histories on specific companies. Go online again and the HOACGA resource list tells you of six educational sites. Then there are at least 20 clubs worldwide, many with articles available for review. Anything and everything you want to learn about that funny-edged orange bowl

you inherited from grandma.

But that's today.

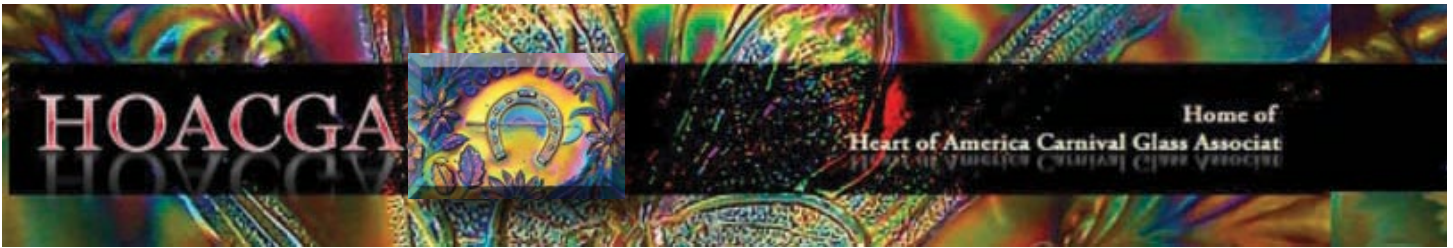
Now imagine the 1960s and 1970s when there was little information to satisfy your curiosity. No computers or sales websites. The libraries were bare of such glass books, unless, perhaps, you live in one of the glass-making states. Only a few of the glass companies are still going, so help is limited. It depended on club members to stoke each other's enthusiasm and find out answers.

While the era of making the original glass was long over, its collecting world was exploding. The clubs gathered and members shared glass and what they'd learned through their own sources, or what someone had told them.

"It was a really interesting time," Bob says. "Every time you got together you learned something different."

To satisfy the information gap, one of HOACGA's main tasks remains education. Besides the conventions, Bob helped shepherd the development of a compendium of educational publications that range in pattern and form. Each researched piece, by different club members, includes a colored photo.

■ **See Legacy of Leadership, see page 13** 



## 2019 HOACGA CONVENTION INFORMATION

The 2019 HOACGA Convention will be April 24–28, 2019, at the Embassy Suites Hotel (Kansas City Airport). Reservations may be made by calling the hotel at 816-891-7788. Room rate is \$124.00 (two people), \$134.00 (three people) or (\$144.00(four people). All rooms are two-room suites. Breakfast and Managers Reception (happy hour) are included in room rate. (All rooms are on 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or 4<sup>th</sup> floors.)

**Room Displays:** Room Displays are one of the traditional aspects of Carnival Glass conventions. They are a vital and educational part of the convention. You are encouraged to bring a room display for all of those in attendance to view and appreciate. Each Room Display will receive a Mary Ann Vase (Contemporary) by Mosser Glass. Displays winning each of the categories below will win a monetary award of \$50.00. The Display judged Best Overall and the Peoples Choice (judged by attendees) will each receive a \$150.00 award. Only one award per display. The display categories are:

- First time having a display at HOACGA
- Best Contemporary display
- Best combined Contemporary and Classic display.
- Same Maker
- Same Color
- Same Pattern
- Same Shape

**Display Room:** The 2019 Special Display will be **Northwood Blue** – the darker colors: cobalt, blue, Renninger and sapphire. This will be an opportunity to compare the various darker blues. There are at least

20 different variations of blue (ice blue, aqua opal, Persian blue, etc) pieces. We cannot, because of space limitations, display all of the various blue variations. We did the lighter blues several years ago. The display will be set up on Thursday morning and will be available for viewing from Thursday afternoon until Friday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Presentation of the Special Display will be by Tom Mordini on Friday morning. Tom has seen, handled, and compared more pieces of Carnival Glass than probably any other collector. So select your Northwood blue pieces of cobalt, blue, sapphire, and Renninger, including opal examples of any of these colors, that you would share. Then send the list: pattern, shape, color, back or secondary pattern, plus any aspect of the piece, or pattern, you feel is interesting or important, to Bob Grissom, [bgrsm31@comcast.com](mailto:bgrsm31@comcast.com)) or 7517 Evanston St, Raytown, MO 64138.

**Contemporary Auction:** New for 2019, the auction will be an on-line auction on Thursday evening. Seeck Auctions will conduct the auction of about 100 pieces of Contemporary Carnival Glass from the late Dolores Sage collection. The glass will be posted on the Seeck Auctions website as a regular on-line auction. Attendees of the auction on Thursday evening may view and inspect the glass starting at 4:00 pm and bid on-line during the auction. Those unfamiliar with online auction can get assistance with Seeck Auctions staff during the auction.

**Award Luncheon: *The John and Lucile Britt Award*** has been given to a HOACGA member since 1993. It is

being replaced by a **Special Recognition Award**, which will be given to a Carnival Glass Collector who has demonstrated their dedication and service to Carnival Glass. Eleanor Mochel and Ann McMorris will be the first recipients of this award. Eleanor served as the Bulletin Secretary for about 20 years. She wrote many of the articles and had the Newsletter, printed, addressed, postage stamp affixed, and



took it to the Post Office for mailing. Ann McMorris as Secretary, maintained the records of the organization for 20 or more years. Ann was also active in the functioning of ICGA.

**Annual Meeting – Friday 2:00 p.m.:** Each year three of the six officers of HOACGA are subject for election or re-election. This year the President, Secretary and Research & Historical Editor are to be elected or re-elected. I have had the privilege of serving as President for several years but, time has come for someone else to enjoy this privilege. I have been an active member of HOACGA for more than 45 years and have enjoyed being a part of this organization, the many persons involved as Board members and as a Carnival Glass collectors.

- Review of the Recording of Past Educational Information.
- Discussion of Membership, its cost and decline in numbers.

**Room Visitation:** Many members bring glass “For Sale” and display it in their rooms. You are encouraged to take time to visit other members’ rooms, they may have a special piece of glass that you need in your collection. You may be missing out on a bargain. Stop in and have a visit and check their “Glass for Sale.”

**Convention Auction:** The Auction glass for 2019 will

be from the collections of **Judy Maxwell** and **Dennis & Linda Naphin**. The Seck Auction Company will be auctioning the glass on Saturday.

**Special Auction Education**

**Presentation:** An auction consists of a variety shapes, patterns colors. This seems as if it would be an opportunity to use some of these pieces for an educational program. After the preview on Friday night, several members will be asked to select pieces from the auction display. They will then talk about each piece as an educational item. The presentation will be limited to no more than an hour. There are a wide variety of pieces in any auction, so this should be an opportunity to provide a very informational presentation.

**Banquet Speakers:** We welcome Bob and Shirley Patterson from Cerritos, California as our Banquet Speakers. Bob is a rather active Carnival Glass collector, he is always finding some different and unusual pieces. Bob and Shirley have been active members and

**HOACGA CONVENTION AUCTION PREVIEW BY SEECK AUCTIONS**



28. Millersburg Peacock vase line whimsey rose bowl



42 Northwood Thin Rib midsize aqua opal vase



67. Orange Tree with trunk peach opal IC shaped bowl



79. Peacocks PCE aqua opal bowl with ribbed back



124. Rustic white funeral vase



228. Basketweave Open Edge blue vase -



309. Hearts & Flowers green ruffled bowl with ribbed back



100. Grape & Cable 14 piece blue master punch set

# CHANGING TIME

## 2019 HOACGA ELECTION OF OFFICERS

By Bob Grissom

The Position of President of HOACGA is subject to election every two(2) years. The Office of President is up for election at the 2019 Annual Meeting. I, Robert Grissom is not a candidate for election/re-election. The decision is not because of any lack of interest in Carnival Glass or the people associated with this enjoyable hobby, but due to the fact that I have had the good fortune of having celebrated many birthdays, for which I have enjoyed and am grateful. Situations that occur in one's life, sometimes requires most of your attention and time. I could not have selected a hobby that would have provided more enjoyment.

HOACGA has been an organization for Forty Six (46 ) years Davis Shikels, Cooley Miller, George McGrew and Bob Grissom are the only members that have served

as President. I have had the honor of serving in this capacity for 38 years, and have enjoyed working with the various members of the Board of Directors and above all the association with the various members of HOACGA. It is my hope that I have, in some degree, been an asset to you the member and to the hobby of Carnival Glass collecting.

Time has come for the you the HOACGA members to choose another member as your President.

Presently two members have expressed a desire to serve as President. Rodney (Rod) Kapps of Thomasville, Alabama and Gary Sullivan of Wethersfield, Connecticut. Both are presently serving as Directors (Rod as Vice President and Gary as Treasurer).

## A Message from Presidential Candidate Gary Sullivan

### To All HOACGA Members;

At this year's convention, Bob Grissom, the president of Heart of America Carnival Glass Association, will step down after over 30 years in the position. So, it is with great honor and pride that I announce my intention to place my name into consideration for the office of President at HOACGA's annual meeting at this year's convention. I believe that HOACGA has been, is and will continue to be a premier national club and I want to be part of that on-going effort. Having just retired after a 30 plus year career in accounting and finance, I believe I will have the time to dedicate.

As a collector of classic and contemporary Carnival Glass and stretch glass for the past 25 years; as an attendee of many conventions and auctions; as Treasurer at HOACGA and very involved in other clubs; as an educational and banquet speaker at many clubs' conventions; and with my involvement with auctioneers; I believe I am well positioned to participate in the continued success of HOACGA as well as all the clubs.

As someone who attends approximately one dozen conventions and/or auctions a year, I am very dedicated to the premise of on-site conventions, educational

seminars and live auctions in this ever-changing world of technology. I do welcome any enhancements that adapting technology can provide HOACGA and all clubs for the continuing benefit of club members and their Carnival Glass enjoyment; while maintaining the friendships, experiences and fellowship that face to face meetings provide us.

HOACGA has many opportunities to continue and grow as a premier Carnival Glass club. I would like to help HOACGA develop a social media presence, advance our research library to be a source of educational materials, fine tune the production of our newsletter and review our dues structure all while making fiscally sound decisions. If elected, I believe that we can help HOACGA be a leader in innovation, education, cooperation, convention experiences and the promotion of safe and respectful environments for the enjoyment of all.

To vote for new officers, you must be in attendance at the HOACGA annual meeting on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. Therefore I would like to invite all of you to Kansas

City, April 24<sup>th</sup> thru 27<sup>th</sup>, for another great HOACGA convention.

Thank you for your time.  
Gary Sullivan



Gary Sullivan

## A Message from Presidential Candidate Rod Kaps

In declaring for the office of HOACGA president I want to express my appreciation for the confidence of HOACGA president Bob Grissom and the many others that have encouraged and supported me in this decision. I think it is important to the club to have Bob's support during this transition period

As HOACGA vice president I have worked closely with President Bob Grissom to insure that we will continue to maintain and promote the rich traditions of HOACGA established by Bob and the original members that started HOACGA on April 31, 1972. Since the first HOACGA convention on April 27 & 28, 1973 in Merriam Kansas, the founding members and Bob have worked tirelessly to establish HOACGA as the premier Carnival Glass convention and if elected, I will work to continue that tradition. Let the FUN and pleasure of collecting Carnival Glass continue for many more years!

My focus the last 50 years has been my work as an environmental analyst/technician. I will soon retire with 50 years of service and during that time I have held positions that required leadership, organizing and negotiating skills in both hourly and management positions. During this time I learned leadership and organizing skills and the value of compromise and treating each other with dignity and respect to insure both parties felt as if they were successful.

In 2000, I unexpectedly acquired a passion and that passion was Carnival Glass. While looking on the internet for some information on Carnival Glass I found the Pacific North West Carnival Glass club was having a convention in Portland, Oregon. Portland was about 100 miles from my home and I decided to attend the convention.

I was amazed at the room displays by people like Marie Capps, Dale Matheny and George Thomas. Marie

introduced me to her Carnival Glass friends as a relative because of our names (Kaps/Capps). No one knew the names were spelled differently and I was welcomed with friendship and enthusiasm from the very first day. Marie convinced me to come to the Southern California convention and then to HOACGA. I never dreamed these very people would make me president of their club six years later for the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Carnival Glass. It was a great honor to be president of PNWCGA during the 100 year anniversary and our convention that year was especially memorable. I will always especially cherish Marie's friendship and I miss her greatly as I do all my friends that are no longer with us.

The Southern California convention was held near my brother's house in California and Glen and his wife Barbara agreed to attend the convention with me. To my surprise Glen liked Carnival Glass too and agreed to attend the HOACGA convention with me. I will always remember that first moment standing in the center of the Embassy Suites and looking up and around at 7 floors of Carnival Glass room displays visible from the hotel lobby. AWESOME, INCREDIBLE, SPECTACULAR! I vowed that this convention would become a yearly tradition for me and it has.

There is so much more I could say but I need to end this. Many of you have seen me at conventions and auctions and have seen my displays and programs for 19 years. I have attended Carnival Glass functions from coast to coast and border to border and served as officer and board member and will continue to do so. I love this hobby and all my friends and experiences this hobby has blessed me with.

I ask you graciously and humbly for your support and vote as HOACGA'S new President.

Thank you very much,  
Rod Kaps ( 251-769-9074) (rod.kaps@gmail.com)



Rod Kaps



### *In Sympathy and Friendship*

To Steve Hazlett,  
HOACGA expresses our Deepest Sympathy for the loss of Barbara, your Wife and Companion. If only there were something that friends could say or do --- Some way they might express their thoughts and help to comfort you, and yet, perhaps, just knowing that there are those who care will help, at least in some small way, to ease your the loss.

The Good Memories of Barbara will always remain and give you much comfort. Barbara passed away Feb. 12 after a long illness of kidney disease. Though ill, she loved to attend the HOACGA conventions and supported Steve's work with the club.

**HOACGA (Heart of America Carnival Glass Association)****2019 Convention Registration Form****April 24-28, 2019****Embassy Suites Airport Hotel - 7640 NW Tiffany Springs Pkwy, Kansas City, MO  
816-897-7788**

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Convention Registration**

Registration fee # attending \_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 ea \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Luncheon -Special Recognition Award (Friday, 12:30p.m.) # attending \_\_\_\_ @ \$25.00 ea \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Banquet (Saturday, 6:30 p.m.) # attending \_\_\_\_ @ \$35.00 ea \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**50/50 drawing (select your square on a 10 x 10 board - 100 spaces)**

\$10 per square (could win up to \$500)

**This year chances will be sold at the convention instead of by ordering them.**

Brown Bag lunch (served during auction Sat.) # bags \_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 ea \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CONVENTION TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_Refunds for meals will not be given for cancellations received after April 20  
(convention registrations fee will be refunded for cancellations).

Annual Membership (includes 6 newsletters) \$35 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Additional TCGC Membership (optional) \$10 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**MEMBERSHIP TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_**Newsletter delivery option** (choose one) Email (PDF) \_\_\_\_\_ US Mail (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: HOACGA, mail to Kathi Johnson, N13348 Osprey Dr, Minong, WI 54859

You can also register online at [www.hoacga.com](http://www.hoacga.com)



# HOACGA 2019 Convention Schedule

See next issue for room locations

<b>Wednesday, April 24</b>	5:30 – 7:00	Complimentary Subway sandwiches and refreshments
	All day	Visit rooms
<b>Thursday, April 25</b>	9:30 – 2:00	Check in glass for Northwood Blue Display Room
	3:30 – 7:30	View Northwood Blue Display Room
	4:00 – 7:30	Preview Contemporary Glass auction
	7:30	Bob Sage presentation
		Seeck online auction of Dolores Sage's Contemporary glass Cake and coffee served
<b>Friday, April 26</b>	10:30	Display Room Northwood Blue presentation by Tom Mordini
	12:30	Luncheon: HOACGA Special Recognition Award Honorees Eleanor Mochel and Ann McMorris
	2:00	HOACGA Annual Meeting
	4:00	Room display judging
	4:00	Pick up glass from Northwood Blue Display Room
	4:30	Auction preview
	7:30	Auction Educational Program
<b>Saturday, April 27</b>	9:30	Seeck Auction of the Judy Maxwell and the Dennis and Linda Naphin collections
	7:30	Banquet: Bob and Shirley Patterson Banquet Speakers
<b>Every Day</b>	6:00 – 9:30	Complimentary breakfast (7:00 – 9:30 on Sunday)
	5:30 – 7:00	Complimentrary Happy Hour

## HOACGA 2019 Convention Notes

**Hotel** - The 2019 HOACGA Convention will be April 24 – 28, 2019, at the Embassy Suites Hotel, Kansas City Airport (I-29, Exit 10). Reservations may be made by calling the hotel at 816-891-7788, or online at [KansasCityAirport.EmbassySuites.com](http://KansasCityAirport.EmbassySuites.com). The Group Code is CG1. Room rate is \$124.00. Reservations deadline is Sunday, March 31. The hotel does not confirm reservations to the individual in writing. Reservations must be canceled 24 hours in advance.

**Breakfast** is served each morning from 6:00 a.m. (7:00 Sunday) until 9:30 a.m. (included as part of the hotel room cost).

**Managers reception (happy hour)** is held each evening from 5:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. (included as part of the hotel room cost).

**Room Visitation** - Many members bring glass "For Sale" and display it in their rooms. You are encouraged to take time to visit other members' rooms. If the door to the room is open—please come in.

**Silent Auction** - We welcome donations for the Silent Auction. Virgil Wiebe will accept your donations, he will be in Room 201. His phone is 316-619-5301, email [virgilwiebe@gmail.com](mailto:virgilwiebe@gmail.com). Your donation are very much appreciated, they are used to help defray some of the convention expenses.

**Room display** - Please sign up your room display at the Registration Desk. All room displays will be judged

by the same persons, starting at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, please have your displays so they are viewable from outside the room.

**Registration Desk** - Will be on the first floor in the Preconference Area (same as usual). It will have a special sale of some previous club items and sale/sign up for the \$500 drawing.

**Display Room** - See page 12.

**Annual Meeting** - Review of present club activities. Election of Officers; President, Treasurer, and Historical & Research Editor.

**Auction Educational Program** - An auction consists of a variety of shapes, patterns, colors. This seems as it would be an opportunity to use some of these pieces for an educational program. After the preview on Friday night, some members will be asked to select pieces from the auction and then they will talk about each piece as an educational item.

**Banquet Speakers** - See page 13.

**Complimentary shuttle service to airport** - Begins at 5:00 am Sunday, then every 30 minutes.

Thanks for joining us for another HOACGA Convention—we hope it has been enjoyable and may you have a good and safe return home—and we are looking forward to having you join us again.

*A smile is an inexpensive way to improve  
your looks.*

## PAST HAPPENINGS — 1989

By Bob Grissom

**May** — **Paul Berube**, Tiverton, Rhode Island wrote about his unique experiences when he was able to purchase a **blue Fisherman's mug and an ice blue Poppy Show plate**. The plate had been sitting in an unheated garage for more than eleven years with other pieces of glass stacked on top of it. The plate was in mint condition.

**June** — **Marge Miller**. Wife of former HOACGA president Cooley Miller, **died on June 13, 1989**. Marge was a very active member and she and Cooley had put together a nice carnival collection.

**Ivan Mitchell died on June 26, 1989** of congestive heart failure. Ivan was always bidder #1 sitting on the front row at all auctions.

**August** — **Thomas Eslinger** told of his recent purchase of a green **Inverted Thistle compote**. The was signed "Near Cut" which is the Cambridge Glass Company logo. This was only the second one of these compotes known.

**September** — The Treasurer's report showed \$12,614.59 as the fund balance as of May 31, 1989. This was decrease of \$7,763.38 for the Fiscal year 1988-1989.

Gary Lickver reported of finding two green **Peacock and Grape footed plates** at a local flea market. The same person had both of them and since Gary was willing to take both of them he would sell them both for \$60.

**October** — A member of the North East Carnival Glass Club's collection was stolen from his home while he was attending their convention. A total of 59 pieces were stolen.

Bob and Kitty Vining reported the death of **Jewell Bennet** of East Point, Georgia. She passed away October 3, 1989. She was an active member of the Peach State Carnival Glass Club.

John and Lucile Britt reported the death of **William "Bill" Harmon** of North Vernon, Indiana. He passed away October 18, 1989.

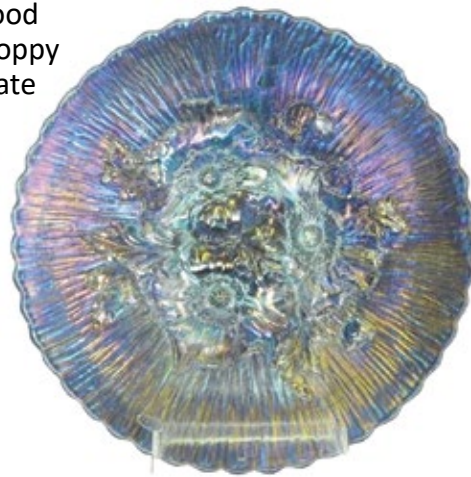
**November** — **Don Moore** wrote about the earthquake that hit the area of California where he lived. They were visiting in Iowa when the earthquake occurred. They could not reach anyone by telephone so they left by car and drove almost straight through. He said that they were very fortunate not losing more than they did. They lost a **white Rustic Funeral vase, a pastel marigold Peacock and Urn Master ice cream and 5 sauces**. Several pieces were on the floor but they were undamaged. He had considerable damage to his condominium.

**December** — **Dan Mahone** of Bixby, Oklahoma wrote about the **theft of 168 pieces** of his Carnival Glass. His back patio door had been kicked in during the day.

The bulletin reported the death of **Sherman Hand**. Sherman was an active carnival collector and an author of several books about Carnival Glass.

The **Woody Auction Company** sold the **aqua opal Poppy Show bowl** at his auction on **November 17, 1989 for \$18,000**. This was the highest price paid for a piece of carnival at a public auction. The previous high was the aqua opal punch **\$12,000**. The bowl belonged to **Phylis Whitworth** of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. **Betty Klutts** had traded the bowl to **Mrs. Whitworth** for a purple Acorn Burr water set. ■

Northwood  
Ice Blue Poppy  
Show Plate



Cambridge  
Inverted Thistle  
Green compote

Northwood  
aqua opal Poppy  
Show bowl



Marigold  
Peacock and  
Urn Master  
bowl and  
sauce

They are still available for purchase, either singly or compiled in a notebook.

What also means a lot to Bob is the memory of a time when a lot of adults, many in their 30s, were discovering Carnival Glass information and glass together. It also offered married couples a rare chance to enjoy a hobby together, and meet other couples like Bob and Marge, the Mochels, the Mullins and others. If the wives didn't work, they'd go out together and scoured thrift shops to find those overlooked bits of history.

Rosa Grissom passed away after many years of marriage. Bob married Imogene who, unfortunately, also died earlier. Yet, Bob's luck comes in threes. Marge, his wife of 10 years, also enjoys Carnival friendships and provides elegance with her special table decorations.

Imogene learned that Bob's loves were the Fenton Peacock and Grapes pattern and table sets. One time Bob was chomping at the bit for an aqua opal Peacock and Grapes bowl that was up in a private sale. But the price was over what he'd usually pay. Still, that rare bowl...still, that price...and on and on. Imogene finally stopped him.

"You've been fretting about that bowl," she said to him. "You want that Peacock bowl. So why are you fidgeting around? Just go and buy it!"

Currently 75 pieces of Peacock and Grape "roost" in the Grissoms' house, along with a collection of different table sets. Bob's love of the sets was learned from the late Bob and Geneva Leonard, a Michigan couple that was among the nationwide blanket of friends that Carnival has given him.

Traveling is one of the boons of the Grissom marriage. One trip took Bob and Rosa on a mission for HOACGA to arrange for the production of a custom HOACGA Good Luck water set. It was HOACGA's first souvenir and instead of a little plate or loving cup, the club apparently figured to go big or go home. But Bob sheepishly said they had no idea how much money it took to produce glass. At the Indiana Glass company the sales agent explained it would cost \$6,000 up front to make the pitcher and tumbler moulds. Their club, only two years old, didn't have anywhere near that money.

"That's when [club member] Ralph Mullins stepped

up and said he'd cover it," Bob says, still in wonder at the generosity.

The loan paid off, with profit. All 500 sets were sold before they were even cast.

In another travel adventure, Bob and Rosa visited Frank Fenton in West Virginia. Over time Frank, of Fenton Art Glass, became a sort of patron saint to Carnival Glass collectors. He shared his time and knowledge where he could, exciting people because he linked the glass past to their collecting present.

"Frank was one of the best things Carnival had going for it," Bob says.

Meanwhile, Bob and Frank became friends. During that visit Frank surprised the Grissoms. He'd been a widower for many years and liked their company.

"Well," Bob lets go with one of his chuckles. "In the morning Frank said 'I think there are some eggs in the refrigerator here.' Well, the eggs in there were solid they were so old."

They went out for breakfast.

Bob served as president early in its formation and then took on the roll for 38 years. Through it he led the club through growth and changes to meet the needs of members in convention experience and helping the glass passion grow.

Organizing the convention is a challenge, says Bob, but the actual convention is fun for him. About a dozen volunteers help during the event, along with a small crowd of other volunteers who help set up the big display.

There were a few who thought that Bob *was* the HOACGA Club

and once he retired, the club would fold as others had. Instead, this club has two strong candidates for president, a sign of vitality for one of the largest such glass conventions in the country.

Bob says he knows whoever follows after him will have the same feeling he's experienced over time.

"There's a challenge of things that can be done, that need to be done for education," he says. And, of course, there are those people, all tied to a common cause that creates a rare friendship.

"There's a willingness and eagerness of people to come to visit and learn. They're here for a good time, to learn and to be with people you know." ■



Bob in front of one of his galleries of Carnival Glass holding his special aqua opal Peacock and Grape bowl..



## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

By Emmett Morgan

Dorothy and I hope you had a wonderful Christmas and a very Happy New Year. We did not make it to midnight to celebrate the start of 2019 as the eyes tend to close about 10 PM. We did have two wonderful pieces of carnival under the tree from a Seck

online auction that were opened Christmas morning. I hope Santa brought you some carnival surprises.

Before you know it, our convention will be here March 20-23. Registration form, daily schedule of events and hotel reservation information are included in this issue. Please register and make your hotel reservations early as the **cutoff date is March 6**. This is most helpful for our Treasurer and Secretary in producing printed name tags and reservations for the Whitley Award and the Banquet dinners. If you **need hotel reservations after March 6, please call me at 713-857-2966**, as I have several extra rooms in my name.

Please thank Bob and Sandy Sage when you see them as they have scheduled some wonderful speakers. Tom and Ann Bumpass are our speakers Thursday afternoon with their talk entitled "Celebrate!" Friday morning Cal Hackeman will speak on "Design, Optics and Patterns in Stretch Glass." Our Friday night banquet speakers are Randy and Bo Jones presenting "Looking for a Needle in a Haystack: Rare and Hard-to-Find Millersburg."

The Whitley Award is being presented to a wonderful couple, Carl and Eunice Booker. They are most deserving as they have hosted multiple meetings for our club and presented seminar and banquet talks to multiple clubs.

Jim and Jan are bringing a very nice collection for the Saturday auction.

We're inviting you to come to have a good time with good friends and good food! Looking forward to seeing and visiting with our members at our convention to help us celebrate TCGC's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

### TEXAS CONVENTION AUCTION PREVIEW BY SEECK AUCTIONS



102. Purple Grape and Cable master punch set



103 Marigold Grape and Cable master punch set



236. Marigold Peacock at Urn punch set



244. Marigold over moonstone Peacock at Urn bowl



124. Blue Peacock at Urn fruit bowl



86. Green Fine Cut and Roses rose bowl



204 Green Tornado vase

# Texas Carnival Glass Club 40th Anniversary Convention March 20–23, 2019



Randy & I lived in the small town of Killbuck, Ohio, where we both went to school together. We graduated from the same class in 1974. After graduation, Randy married and had two girls, Sheila and Sherry. Bo married while still a student in high school and had three boys, Craig, Rob and Brad. Randy and I reconnected when I agreed to help my brother with his business as a bookkeeper. Randy and my brother Ron were best friends for 25 years, and Randy spent a lot of time at Ron's garage. Needless to say, the two of us connected and on September 5, 2004 started seeing each other. We married on February 25, 2010.

Randy remembers seeing beautiful glass as a young man while walking by Lucille Lowe's home in Killbuck. He also remembers walking the tracks in Millersburg, Ohio, and seeing sparkling dirt where the Millersburg glass factory was located. He referred to it as "glittering dirt."



## Banquet Speakers

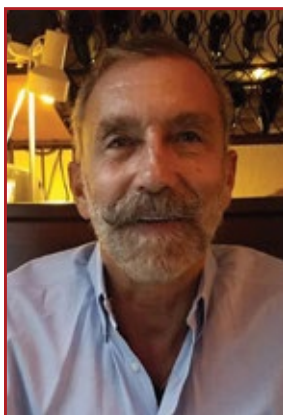
Randy and Bo (Bonita) Jones

I didn't know anything about Carnival Glass when I met Randy but learned quickly that it was his passion. We attended our first sale when Mr. Whitley sold his glass in Kansas City. Our first convention was when we attended ACGA in Greenville, Ohio. I got hooked pretty quickly.

At first, we collected just about everything we came across. After going to conventions and seeing the collection of Doug and the late Karen Engel, we changed our focus to rare and hard to find pieces. In 2017, on the courthouse lawn, when Doug sold his and Karen's collection, we added much of our first collection to it. We had already begun to hunt for that "Needle-in-a-haystack-of-rare-and-hard-to-find" Millersburg. We are thrilled to share our collection with the Texas Carnival Glass Club members as well as members from around the country.

I think the favorite piece for both of us would be the emerald green Hobstar and Feather giant rose bowl, not only because of its beauty, but also because of the story behind it. It was purchased by Doug and Karen Engel with us sitting beside them. The rose bowl was later purchased privately from Doug after Karen's passing. We will treasure it always.

## Educational Speaker Cal Hackeman



Cal Hackeman was born in rural New Hampshire and grew up in a home with glass and other collectibles. When he was 12 years

old, his grandmother gave him an Early American Pressed Glass (EAPG) rose bowl as a thank you for helping her clean some glass

and china. That bowl turned out to be "Gala" aka "Hawaiian Lei" by JB Higbee of Bridgeville, PA. Over the next 50 years, Cal would acquire additional examples of EAPG and expand his interests to include Depression glass, furniture, Early American Flint glass, Iridescent stretch glass, Carnival Glass, cut glass and other collectibles and antiques, including various 'heirlooms' from grandparents and great-grandparents. His interest in iridescent glass began in the mid-1980s and continues today, resulting in a growing collection of stretch glass as well as several examples of Carnival Glass.

When Cal is not hunting antiques or promoting stretch glass, he serves as a corporate

Director for two employee-owned companies, as well as several not-for-profit organizations. He is a certified public accountant and a retired partner of Grant Thornton LLP, Accountants and Business Consultants.

He has served on the Stretch Glass Society Board of Directors for more than 20 years in various positions, including over 10 years as President, during which the Society celebrated its 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary and the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the creation of stretch glass with a nationwide, year-long celebration.

Cal lives in Wake Forest, NC, with his partner, Jeff Hodges. Jeff and Cal have 4 sons, 1 daughter and 2 grandsons.

## Educational Seminar

## A Celebration of Carnival Glass

*with Tom and Ann Bumpass*

Tom Bumpass and his wife, Ann, are long time Carnival Glass collectors. Their ( meaning Tom as the sole presenter and Ann as the solo cheerleader) seminar is entitled Celebration ! Tom was born and raised and educated in Montgomery, Alabama and Auburn University, respectively. After earning BS and MS degrees in Civil Engineering, he moved to Texas in 1963 for employment with Eastman Chemical Company, a division of Eastman Kodak. The Eastman career took Tom and Ann to Kingsport, TN where he retired as Director of Worldwide Engineering and Construction.

Ann, a native Texan, graduated Longview High School, earned a BA in English and Secondary Education at the University of North Texas and MA in Special Education at Stephen F. Austin University. In 1999, Ann retired as the Director of Special Education for Longview ISD.

The immediate Bumpass family consists of three children, ten grandchildren and six great grands--some of whom you may have met last year at the Texas Convention when Tom and Ann received the Whitley Award. That American Eagle, the Whitley Award, is the highlight of our Carnival Glass collection and proudly displayed amongst the reds, whites and blues of Carnival Glass, along with maybe some aqua opals, peach opals, and greens!

Looking for a hobby , something they could enjoy together, Tom , having no clue what it was, won a Marigold Sunflower bowl at a local auction. And, with



that bid, the deal was done! Carnival Glass was pretty, unique, somewhat available and best of all, made in America! ( Later they would learn of the beautiful European and South American glass! Remember, folks, they were living behind the Pine Curtain !!) The search was on, bitten by the bug, hide and seek, etc. Bumpass was in and upping the ante. Ann was mildly excited and remains the same today , having narrowed her collection to brocaded and frogs.

Trade days, local auctions, garage sales, antique shows, Carnival Glass clubs, Carnival Glass Conventions, printed material, books, the internet and people knowledgeable in Carnival Glass became our mainstay and main so today.

A collection of Bumpass glass was sold in 2014 and the current collection concentrates on quality glass with an emphasis on Millersburg, punch sets, reds, and of course, frogs! Ribbit !!!!! Oh, and must mention dust bunnies!

### FROM THE COVER,

#### TCGC Auction

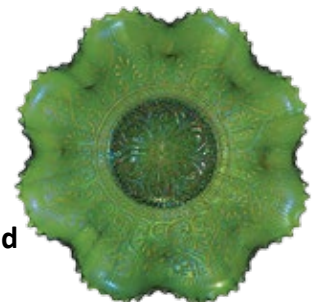
15. Ice Green Beaded  
Cable rose bowl

38. Ice Green Grape and  
Cable small fruit bowl



#### HOACGA Auction

309. Green Hearts and  
Flowers bowl



## TCGC 40th Anniversary Convention Schedule

*Our Ruby Anniversary* ♦ *Wyndham Dallas Suites — Park Central*

### Wednesday, March 20

Early Bird Fun Night

6:00 p.m. Home Cooked dinner in the Hospitality Room

7:30 p.m. Share a recent find at "Show & Tell—A Texas Tradition"

### Thursday, March 21

3:00 p.m. Educational Seminar, "**Celebrate!**" by Tom and Ann Bumpass.

6:00 p.m. Whitley Award Dinner honoring **Carl & Eunice Booker** whose dedication to Carnival Glass has enriched fellow collectors of all ages.

8:00 p.m. Our hilarious "Annual Gift Exchange" with a new twist for our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The real fun begins when the stealing starts!

### Friday, March 22

10:00 a.m. Educational Seminar, "**Designs, Optics and Patterns in Stretch Glass**" by Cal Hackeman, followed by the TCGC Annual Business Meeting.

3:00 p.m. Silent Auction closes – Be sure you are present to bid on and win your favorite pieces.

3:30 p.m. Vote for your favorite Room Display – Best of Show receives \$100!

4:00 p.m. Seeck Auction Preview

5:00 p.m. Complimentary Sangria Happy Hour

6:00 p.m. TCGC welcomes banquet speakers Randy and Bo Jones and their presentation, "**Looking for a Needle in a Haystack: Rare and Hard-to-Find Millersburg.**"

\*\*Please see President's Message about the commemorative vase.\*\*

8:00 p.m. Seeck Auction Preview

### Saturday, March 23

7:30 - 9:30 a.m. Seeck Auction Preview

9:30 a.m. Seeck Auction

## Hotel Information

**Please Note:** To ensure that you are part of our room block and will be assigned a room on the TCGC Convention floor, please book your room directly with the hotel (see instructions below).

**Convention Hotel:** Wyndham Dallas Suites - Park Central, 7800 Alpha Road, Dallas  
Located at the Northwest corner of LBJ Freeway (I-635) and Coit Road, all suites have a separate bedroom and parlor area and a large picture window for displays.

**Room Rates:** Single or Double - \$119 (plus tax). Triple - \$129 (plus tax), Quadruple - \$139 (plus tax). Breakfast in the Café Biarritz is included in the guest room rate for up to two people per room.

**Pet Policy:** The hotel welcomes small domestic pets up to 40 pounds each for a non-refundable fee of \$75 per hotel stay.

**Display Tables:** Tables are available for a one-time fee of \$25 per table.

### **Reserve your Room**

1. Call the Wyndham directly at 972-233-7600 (option 2) and tell them you are with the **Texas Carnival Glass Club March 2019**. Our group code is **03206822TC**.
2. Reserve online by clicking this link: [Wyndham Dallas Suites - Park Central: Texas Carnival Glass](#)
3. Due to the limited number of double-bedded rooms please call the hotel directly if you need a room with more than one bed. **Please note:** The couch in the parlor area of each suite converts to a bed.

**Hotel Deadline:**for convention rates is **Wednesday, March 6, 2019.**

# Texas Carnival Glass Club 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Convention Registration Form

**March 20-23, 2019**  
**Wyndham Dallas Suites – Park Central**  
**7800 Alpha Road, Dallas ♦ 972-233-7600 (Ext. 2)**

**Please Print Clearly**

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Convention Registration**

Enter number of persons attending for each item below.

Convention Registration Fee: \$10.00 per person	__ @ \$10.00 each	= \$ _____
I (We) will attend the Thursday Whitley Award Dinner	__ @ \$35.00 each	= \$ _____
I (We) will attend the Friday Banquet	__ @ \$35.00 each	= \$ _____
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>= \$ _____</b>

**Circle yes or no**

Will have Carnival Glass Display	Yes	No
Will donate Silent Auction item	Yes	No
Will contribute to Hospitality goodies	Yes	No
Gift for Gift Exchange (1 per person, wrapped)	Yes	No

**Refund Policy**

Due to hotel catering commitments, refunds for convention meals will not be given for cancellations received **after Friday, March 15, 2019**. Your convention registration fee will be refunded.

**Annual TCGC Membership, includes 6 newsletters** \$ 35.00

*You may also be a supporting member of HOACGA for an additional \$10.00*

**Additional HOACGA Membership @ \$10.00** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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- Marigold - Chesterfield water pitcher and lid
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- I am interested in selling them as one lot preferably.  
I can be reached at 620-421-0937.

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Samantha Prince/Mitchell Stewart  
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## Books

*Birds of a Feather*, Ronald Britt  
Peacock patterns  
513-900-9113 [ronbjudyb@gmail.com](mailto:ronbjudyb@gmail.com)

Carnival Glass from Scandinavia, Thistlewood  
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*HOACGA Field Guide to Carnival Glass for 2015*  
[www.hoacga.com](http://www.hoacga.com)

HOACGA Notebook sections, plate holders  
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*Laser Creations*, Fred & Elaine Blair  
[www.eblasercreations.com](http://www.eblasercreations.com)

## Informational Websites

Dave Doty [www.ddoty.com](http://www.ddoty.com)  
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**THREE CONVENIENT WAYS TO RENEW OR JOIN**

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2. When you register for the 2019 TCGC Convention, see inside pages.
3. Use the membership registration form below.

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