

I GET MY MAIL, bring it inside, and decide I need some air. *Lookin' Out My Back Door*, I think, "*The Thrill Is Gone* from my life. *I Who Have Nothing* to do the third weekend of September wish something exciting would come up."

Distractedly opening an envelope, I sigh, "*Let it Be* something that brings fun to *Our House*." I take out the enclosed pages, read the contents, and exclaim, "*My Sweet Lord!*: it's a reunion! That's something to *Make Me Smile!* Getting this invitation *In the Summertime* is *Instant Karma* – as if the fun I deserve came up and said, '*Signed, Sealed, Delivered I'm Yours!*'"

IT DON'T MATTER TO ME what else comes up; *I'll Be There!* *There Ain't No Mountain High Enough* to keep me away. *Fire and Rain* won't stop me from going. *O-o-h Child*, I've got to tell my friends they're going, *No Matter What*. I won't give in to any of their *Evil Ways*. I'm not going to let them *Cry Me A River* or say *Mama Told Me Not To Come*. I'll just tell them *All Right Now*, it's time to *Get Ready*. And if they worry about how to get there, I'll just say we can all go in my *Vehicle*, or take a *Big Yellow Taxi*. We might even end up *Hitchin' a Ride*. *I Just Can't Help Believing* we'll get there just fine.

We've Only Just Begun to reconnect, my classmates and I. But as I look around, I think *Everything is Beautiful*.

40TH CLASS REUNION

WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 17-19, 2010

OMNI PARKER HOUSE, BOSTON
60 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON, MA 02108,
(617) 227-8600

This is the official invitation.

If you have already paid in response to our “Save the Date” Letter, we are still sending you an invitation, so you have the same information that everyone else has – no need to respond again. No tickets will be sent out for events, but we are keeping track of who is on the attendee list. Please send us your email address – in case of any last-minute changes

Schedule

Friday, Sept. 17, (8:30pm, or whenever you can come – closing) Casual get-together at the Parker House bar.

Saturday, Sept. 18, Daytime – Optional smaller group events: Set up your own individual get-togethers, or join friends on a Duck Tour or play golf at Granite Links*

Saturday, Sept. 18, (7:00pm – Midnight) – Reunion Buffet Dinner

Sunday, Sept. 19, Morning – Farewell Brunch, at your convenience

- Duck Tour info: A private Duck Tour will leave promptly at 2:00pm from the Omni Parker House for a max of 32 Class of 1970 alums and guests, on Saturday. Tickets, normally \$31.00, are only \$18.00. Send a separate check as specified below, putting “Duck Tour” in the notation area of the check. See www.bostonducktours.com for general info.
- Golf info: Granite Links, at 100 Quarry Drive, Quincy, is the nearest decent course. Call 617-689-1900 for reservations. Group rates available.

Cost

- The cost for the Saturday evening event is \$105 per person,* prepayment necessary. (A number of free or reduced price admissions are available. Arrangements would be confidential.)
- Please sign up soon, so we know how many people are coming. Your \$105 is refundable if you cancel one week ahead. There will be a cash bar Saturday evening, and you will be responsible for your own food and drink charges at the Friday evening and Sunday morning events. RSVP by September 4, 2010.
- Send checks payable to “Class of 1970 AWHS Reunion” to: Kathy Whalen-Giannandrea, 26 Winslow Rd.,Braintree, MA 02184

Hotel

If you want to stay at the Omni Parker House, 25 rooms are available at \$189 a night per room, plus tax (first come, first served, with a deadline of August 18 at 5:00pm). Come with a classmate and split the cost! Make the arrangements yourself, but say you're with

the AWHS Class of 1970. For more info about the Omni Parker House, visit:

- <http://www.omnihotels.com/FindAHotel/BostonParker>

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For lists of classmates who have paid to attend, who are missing, or who are deceased, visit http://www.retirementworks2.com/AWHS1970.htm |
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- * The \$105 fee is padded a bit to cover the minimum for reserving the facility. Any extra proceeds will be donated to AWHS in memory of our deceased classmates