



Christmas 2019
Season's Greetings
From Kent & Keena Price



Returning from Europe
 we show off our "Bichlhof" tee shirts

Dear Friends and Family,

2019 has been a good year for us with some great family gatherings and travel. In April and May we spent four weeks back in Europe renewing a lot of memories from the six years we lived there from 1976 through 1981. Highlights of the trip included:

- Staying at the Bichlhof, the Bavarian dairy farm where we had lived with the wonderful Gasteiger family. A beautiful experience. The next generation is now running the farm which has been in the family since the 1800's.
- Racing around Rome on a Vespa motor scooter a la "Roman Holiday." Exhilarating for Kent; terrifying for Keena.
- Being in St. Peters square on Easter Sunday to hear Pope Francis give his traditional Easter blessing.
- Visiting friends in Dresden and seeing again the beauty of the city rebuilt from the ashes of World War II.
- Seeing Paris at night from the Eiffel Tower, relaxing at a sidewalk cafe on the Champs-Elysees
- Walking the beaches of Normandy just prior to the 75th anniversary of the D-Day invasion. Very sobering.
- Visiting relatives and friends in Switzerland, the home of Keena's ancestors. Basking in the grandeur of the Swiss Alps.
- Reconnecting with many friends and loved ones from over forty years ago. What a blessing.

If interested, you can see more at <http://tinyurl.com/kp-europe-2019> .



Back at home ...

Keena is still "slowly retiring" as a dialysis nurse. It might actually happen this coming year. In November she had a great weekend with her sisters and sisters-in-law at their annual gathering in Logan. We both tried our hand at fly fishing with friends in Idaho and Keena proudly "landed one." We have enjoyed visits from all of our children - especially Krey from Australia. Kent still flies a lot, giving flight instruction. He organized a dozen powered parachutes to fly over the grand opening of the new Cedar Valley High School (whose students are known as The Aviators). Later, for the homecoming game, he dropped the game ball on a parachute into the stadium and then landed on the field. He continues to enjoy his "bucket list" activity driving FedEx trucks around the western US a day or two a week - now sometimes even with triple trailers. Yikes!



We hope this letter finds all well with you and that you have a wonderful new year. With love and best wishes,

Kent + Keena

Note: This letter is also available on our website where you can zoom in on the pictures.

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Keena's Mom at 97 with five "kids" - 61 to 74



Keena enjoys her annual "Sisters Weekend"



Skiing with Jared, Kamber, Kevin, Nina, Kerrie and kids



Kiana marries Jansen and dances with her dad



Grandkids enjoy optical illusions in Opa's "magic room"



Krey's visit from Australia sparks several family gatherings

The next generation(s)

Karl & Nina Shurts +8, Banks (near Portland), OR. Big events: Kiana marries Jansen Lesser - number two to tie the knot, and Kandra leaves for a mission in Ohio. Four kids in college in Utah. Three still at home enjoying their country life in the little town of Banks. Karl is still product planner at Intel. shurtsfamily@gmail.com

Krey & Lindy Price +6, Perth, Australia. Family is loving life "down under." Two have already graduated from high school with the youngest just out of kindergarten. Krey is doing a lot of engineering contract work and traveling internationally with his independent consulting business. He was able to visit us here in Utah. krey@krey.org

Jared & Kamber Turner +7, Idaho Falls, ID. Kamber and Jared joined us for part of our Europe trip and were able to visit some of Kamber's German mission areas. Their kids range from pre-school to high school senior making for very busy schedules. Jared's construction company is booming and they have now expanded into owning restaurants. turnerkamber@gmail.com

Neal & Kerrie Davis +6, South Jordan, UT. A very active family with soccer, skiing, mountain biking, paragliding, etc. Kerrie and Neal even completed a triathlon together. Neal still splits his time between his pediatric practice and being an administrator for Intermountain Health Care. kndavis8@gmail.com.

Kevin & Aleisa Price +5, Seattle area, WA. The family has entered a new phase with their oldest becoming a teenager. Their youngest is still a preschooler. Aleisa continues to work toward becoming a registered nurse. Kevin is in his 14th year with Boeing and works mostly from home. They trained for and ran a half-marathon together. verynerdy@gmail.com