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Marilyn Proffitt Whiteside, Class of 1946**

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Biographical Note

Marilyn Proffitt Whiteside (May 27, 1924-May 27, 2009) graduated from Indiana State Teachers College (ISTC, later IUP) with a degree in Music Education on May 27, 1946. After graduating from ISTC, she married Loyal E. Whiteside who served in the U. S. Army as a Sergeant during World War Two. Marilyn Proffitt Whiteside later taught music in Mars, Pennsylvania public schools and the Ridley Township school system in eastern Pennsylvania. She was a choir director at the Ridley Park Methodist Church and Grace Bible Fellowship Church in Wallingford, Pennsylvania. In 1983, the Whiteside family moved to Wildwood, Florida. See the IUP Magazine article (2009) [Memories of Marilyn](#) written by her husband Loyal Whiteside (photograph of Marilyn Proffitt Whiteside and Thelma Smucker Iscrupé in 1943 on the stairs between John Sutton Hall and McElhaney Hall).



Scope and Content Note

This collection contains correspondence, alumni memorabilia, and publications that belonged to Marilyn Proffitt Whiteside, ISTC Class of 1946.

Provenance

This collection was generously donated by her husband Loyal Whiteside in 2014.

Restrictions

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Processor

The collection was organized and the finding aid was updated by Harrison Wick on February 27, 2015.

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Content List (See [Record Group 53](#) Box 37 Folder 6)

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1. Student Newspaper: *Plant Dust*, April Fool's issue of the ISTC student newspaper, 1939
2. *Indiana Penn* student newspapers, 1943
3. Photographs including a dance and Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority (1942-1946)
4. IUP Alumni Weekend, 1996
5. Class of 1946 Alumni Memory Book, Alumni Reunion Weekend, June 7-9, 1996