

# Sheila

My happy (and sad) memories of you and Harry and your wonderful boys span pretty well the whole of my adult life.

Like the day I came to talk to the Lyceum Club and you met me and we were wearing the same dress - a pretty, rather girly pink and blue floral - I think French Connection label. The president wanted to place us on opposite sides of the room but we both insisted on sitting side by side and admiring each others good taste.

And when I went back to the Con in 1956 to complete my B Mus Harry looked up the records and found I had won a scholarship in 1948 so no fees.

You know how much I loved Jerry and how furious I was with him for talking to the trees instead of the doctors, and all four of the tykes have delivered several books' worth of musical and non-musical fun to me and my daughters. Catherine was devastated when Martin married Ann. She wailed "I thought he was going to wait for me!" She was 12.

I'm happy that you are content and blessed with beautiful surroundings and adoring descendants.

You have earned every bit of everything coming your way now.

Much love, you precious treasure.

Elizabeth Silsbury

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