

I am a true Montanan. I was born in Missoula and raised from border to border (Superior,

in the west, to Baker, in the East). I have lived outside the beautiful state of Montana only one year.

This is my **fifteenth** year at St. Joseph. I have taught 1st, 2nd, 1st & 2nd Combo and I am

now teaching 3rd grade. I enjoy the eagerness and innocence of this age children.

I received my undergraduate degree in Elementary Education from the University of

Montana and a Masters in Educational Technology from Lesley College in Cambridge, MA.

My husband, Barry, and I have been married for **38** years and have two daughters, a son-in-

law and three granddaughters. Missoula Catholic Schools have played a huge part in my life. I

started 1st grade at St. Francis Xavier School and went until we moved away from Missoula.

Then many years later we were apart of MCS again when our children went to Loyola Sacred

Heart. Both **our** girls graduated from LSH.

In my spare time I love refinishing furniture, counted cross stitch, and digging in the dirt.

My husband and I like to explore new areas in our RV or just relax in some place quiet.