### Remembering Valerie and Ron Kendrick (Tom Moore and Clark Argeris)



I first met Valerie and Ron at the China National Aviation Corporation (CNAC) reunion in 1998.



The Beginning of The CNAC Co-Pilots Tom Moore, Valerie Kendrick, Stephen Loane, Peggy Maher, Pam Biederstedt and Royal Leonard

(The following 3 pictures are from 2005)



Dinner at Kincaids - October 5, 2005 around the table left to right Christy Hanks, John Parish and Valerie Parish Kindrick (brother and daughter of <u>CNAC Captain Len Parish</u>), Peggy Maher (daughter of Bill Maher), <u>Tom Moore</u> (nephew of <u>CNAC Captain Emil Scott</u>), Evelyn and <u>Peter Goutiere</u>, and <u>Bill Maher</u>



Valerie Parish Kendrick, Peggy Maher and Patty Lee (niece to Moon Chin)



Valerie Kendrick and John Parish Royal Leonard in the background



Carey and Cynthia Bowles, Teresa and C.K. Tseng and Valerie Parish Kendrick (2007)



Bill Maher, Eve Coulson (daughter of Bert Coulson, John Parish (brother of Len Parish), Valerie Kendrick (daughter of Len Parish) and Tom Moore (nephew of Emil Scott) Bill Maher, Eve Coulson (daughter of Bert Coulson, John Parish (brother of Len Parish), Valerie Kendrick (daughter of Len Parish) and Tom Moore (nephew of Emil Scott) (2008)



Valerie Parish Kendrick (daughter of <u>Len Parish</u> and Eve Coulson (daughter of <u>Bert Coulson</u>) Getting things ready on the first day (2009)

These 2 are from our China trip in 2010



Repulse Bay Hotel Entrance Tom Moore in 1966



Tom Moore and Valerie Kendrick in 2010

In the late 2000's She started referring to me as "My Little Lamb Chop", and no I have no recall as to why, **but endearing**, never-the-less...

And the following message to me on my birthday November 27, 2010:

#### A few Words From my Heart...

Happy Birthday to You ....My Little Lamb Chop !!!

Each passing year is a number that fills the heart With the joys of life... But that's just a start...my little Lamb Chop Try counting the friendships you hold in your heart... including mine Then count the good deeds that you so often do... You might have to stop at a million or two You've never said no....to even my littlest request I appreciate you sooo much !!! Count the things that you've accomplished and all the kind words you've said... Count the places you've been, good books you've read And the CNAC website you've maintained Then count, if you can, all the lives that you have touched...including mine

#### With your everyday caring that matters so much to your family and friends Then you'll know the differences you've made... Will be perfectly clear... And then you'll know why your birthday means so much With every passing year to all of us who love you so much...

#### A very Happy Birthday to you !!!...from my heart

Love. Valerie

And from 2011 a message about mine and Clark's anniversary present on our 28 Anniversary.

"Hello My Little Lamb Chop....

I am sooo happy you got your belated birthdays on you and Clark's anniversary !!! I listened to the message Clark left on the answering machine...touched my heart so !!!

It was good to talk to you both on the phone...sorry I couldn't talk longer...I had a customer in the shampoo bowl who was on a time schedule.

I hope you both had a very wonderful Anniversary...28 years...that great !!!

It was so funny...I had no idea how complicated it would be to get the frozen curry to you. Who would know I would have to co-ordinate the time shipping from Willits...via the shipping truck...via the plane taking off from Ukiah airport (30 miles away) to Palm Springs...delivery to you both at your home...and still have the curry in a somewhat frozen state !!!

What a Hoot !!!

Take Care....

Love

Valerie"



Front Row I-r: Nancy Wright, Susan Ennis, Eve Coulson, Craig Chinn, unknown, <u>Pete Goutiere</u>, <u>Moon Chinn</u>, Jin Yibin Chief Pilot CAAC, Eugene Liu, BG David Stilwell, Han Zengmin Director CCAM, Yuling Ho

Second Row I-r: unknown, unknown, Miles Soboleski, Xv GuoJi (?) CAAC Historian, unknown, (an Ip sister, Wendy Wan?), Ada Ip, Susan Ip, unknown, Valerie Kendrick, Elizabeth Zuchetto, Carol Chinn, Carol Slade, unknown, unknown, unknown Back Row I-r: Allen Ennis, Jeff Slade, Liu Xiao Tong, Stephen Loane, Tom Moore, William

Zheng, Annie Chen, unknown, unknown, Angie Chen, unknown, unknown, unknown, unknown, Col. Cameron Torrens

And the two on the very top right are Bruce Liu and Paul Liu



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Valerie Kendrick "Now pay attention, as there will be a quiz..." (2015)

## Valerie and Ron will be remembered...

# **Tom Moore and Clark Argeris**