

LOTUS
STUDY
CLUB

1949--1950

Lotus Study Club

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Organized: Oct. 28, 1915

Time of Meeting: Fourth Wednesday

Colors: Yellow and white

Motto

"Friendship with learning"

Club Collect

Keep us, O God, from pettiness;
let us be large in thought, in word,
in deed.

Let us be done with fault-finding
and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense and
meet each other face to face, with-
out self-pity and without prejudice.
May we never be hasty in judgement
and always generous.

Teach us to put into action our
better impulses, straight forward
and unafraid.

Let us take time for all things;
make us grow calm, serene and
gentle.

Grant that we may realize it is
the little things that create differ-
ences; that in the big things of
life we are as one.

And may we strive to touch and
to know the great common woman's
heart of us all, and, Oh Lord God,
let us not forget to be kind.

--Mary Stuart.

Officers

1949-----1950

President

Hazel Parsons

Vice Pres.

Ruth Denny

Sec.-Treas.

Hazel McClain

Program Committee

Carrie Alexander

Ora Briner

Dorothy Costin

Sept. 28th

"The value of life deepens incalculable with the privilege of travel."

--Willis

response---Vacation echoes

hostesses-----Sadie DeLong

Carrie Alexander

October 26th

"Where's the cook? Is supper ready?
the house trimmed, rushes strewed,
cobwebs swept?

*-Shakespeare

Anniversary Dinner

Response: School Days

Hostesses: Hazel Parsons

Ora Briner

November 16th

ture is the living, usable garment
God."

--Goethe

ponse: Caves and caverns

Isbad Caverns-----Hazel Parsons

Hostesses: Ruth Merritt

Nola Smith

Dec. 21st

"At Christmas play and make good
cheer
For Christmas comes but once a
year."

--Thomas Tusser.

Christmas Party

Luncheon and Gift Exchange.

Program arranged by hostesses.

Hostesses: Dorothy Costin

Nellie McClain

January 25th

"The true fun in life consists
in doing things, not in having
them."

--Frank Tatchell

Response-----Hobbies

What is a hobby---Myrtle Gorrell

Hostesses:

Gaynel Paden

Minnie Simmons.

February 22nd

"God made the country and man
made the town."

--Cowper

Response--National Historic Shrines

Williamsburg--Nellie McClain

Hostesses:

Ruth Denny

Myrtle Gorrell

March 22nd

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever."

-----Keats

Guest Meeting

The Romance of Old Glass

--Mrs. Fred Niemeyer

Hostesses:

Hazel McClain
Nora McCalmont
Lula Barker

Election of Officers

April 26th

"The woods were filled with song
There seemed no room for sense
of wrong."

-----Alfred Tennyson

Spring Outing

Spring Mill State Park

May 24th

"The men who make history have not
the time to write it."

--Metternich

Response: Indiana Historic Shrines.

Historic New Harmony--Hazel McClain

Hostesses: Carmen Medsker

Jessie Ferree

Seed and bulb exchange

June 25th



"Books are like the
windows of a great tower. They
let light in."

--Wm. Stidger

Response: Recent Books

Book Review

Hostesses: Elma Tudor
Ruth Hadley

2. Carrie Alexander

Lula Barker

Ora Briner

Dorothy Costin

Sadie DeLong

Ruth Denny

Jessie Ferree 410 W. 20th Indianapolis, Ind.

Myrtle Gorrell Plainfield, Ind. R.R.

Ruth Hadley 138 Maple St. Crystal Lake, Ill.

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Nola Smith Danville, Ind. R.R.

Elma Tudor Zionsville, Ind.

Charter Members

Hazel McClain

Nellie McClain

Ruth Hadley

Honorary Members

Frances Gossett

Emma Huron

In Memoriam

"It singeth low in every heart,
We hear it, each and all;
A song of those who answer not,
However we may call."

Claudia Money
Maude Winnings
Clara Hadley
Esther Wear
Grace Misch