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Who’s Who in AU?

1. She was born in the Netherlands and lived in Europe until she was 9. She is the oldest of 7 children.
2. She attended Azusa HS; received her Bachelors and Credential at Cal Poly Pomona, and Masters in Teaching at Grand Canyon University.
3. She had many jobs before teaching: babysitting neighborhood kids, bookkeeper for a construction company, cashier at a hardware store, and worked in credit and collections.
4. She is married to a guy who loves classic muscle cars; they have 2 sons and 3 grandchildren.
5. She and her husband spent 6 months traveling through Europe in a VW van; they have also been to Costa Rica, Turkey, Morocco, & South Africa on a safari.
6. She enjoys reading biographies, mysteries, and historical fiction.
7. She enjoys the outdoors – she loves fishing, gardening, making wreaths with pinecones, and photography.
8. She loves to hike, ride a bike, snow ski, swim, and walks 3 miles daily. Oh – she climbed Mt. Whitney!
9. She enjoys listening to contemporary country music and 60’s oldies.
10. She taught elementary level, was a mentor teacher, and a BTSA support provider; all 38 years at highland Oaks Elementary in Arcadia.

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