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"I'll never forget the way I felt watching my teenager drive away for the first time. In the blink of an eye, they are driving away to college, and now the house is so quiet our voices echo. But when your kids grow up and follow their own path, it's not easy letting go. But as parents, the only way our kids can truly soar is to let them.

Morgan graduated from Bullitt East High School in 2021. She was the president of the Beta Club her senior year, as well as a member of the National Honor Society and the Bullitt East Cheer Team that won back-to-back National Championships and State Championships all four years. Morgan also Cooped at Sanders Ridge assisted living/Nursing Facility and was recently accepted into the Human Health Sciences Program at the University of Kentucky with a specialization in optometry and Opthalmology.

Madison graduated from Bullitt East High School in 2019. She was a member of the Beta Club, National Honor Society and was also a member of the Bullitt East Ladies Tennis Team that won a Regional championship her senior year. This was the first Regional Championship in Ladies Tennis for Bullitt.

Photos submitted by the Family







Madison also qualified for the State Tournament that year in Doubles. She also Co-oped at Service 1st Insurance while volunteering at the Bullitt County Animal Shelter. Madison was accepted into the prevet program at the University of Cincinnati in 2019 and is currently a Junior.

We love our family dinners, game nights, and we try to take a family trip to the beach every year. This year we went to Puerto Rico not because of the rainforest, not because



of the waterfalls, not because of the 15th-century castles, not because of the beautiful beaches, and most certainly not because of the crystal-clear emerald color of the Caribbean sea... It's because I wanted to see my boy. - and because I wanted my family to be together again. Tyler moved to Puerto Rico with his beautiful wife Rachel last year. He is a property manager in Puerto Rico and a very talented skateboarder. Tyler has been featured in several skateboarding magazines and videos over the years and skated with Tony Hawk at an event in Michigan. Over the summer, Tyler was filmed skateboarding for an upcoming music video that has not yet been released.

Rachel has a masters' degree and teaches English online in Puerto Rico. She loves the outdoors and is currently hiking the Appalachian Trail for the second time. Tyler and Rachel are proud parents of our adorable grand-dog, Orville.

It's never easy letting your kids go, whether it's off to college or to their new home in Puerto Rico. Our kids have kept us busy over the years with all their clubs, sports, and activities, but for the first time in 23 years, we don't have any kids in the household, only our furbabies. Charlie is a 10-year old white Shih-Tzu, and Callie is a 6-year old Australian Shephard/Beagle Mix. John and I are looking forward to more fishing, tennis, golf, and long walks.

October, its always a favorite time of the year, and I remember that day so clearly. We were coming back from our annual trip to the pumpkin patch in search of the Great Pumpkin.

"That's it," I announced. "John, There's your new office," As we were stopped in traffic on highway 44, we watched a 'FOR SALE' sign being gently tapped into the ground. 'Although John seldom listens to me, especially when the Wildcats are getting ready to kick off,' he turned into the driveway and parked. By the look on his face, I could tell he was as excited as I.

John Zirnheld has a degree in Business Marketing from Western Kentucky University. He started Service 1st Insurance in 2015, which is now one of the fastest-growing independent insurance agencies in the state, representing Erie and several other A-rated Carriers. Service 1st Insurance is located in the blue house with the yellow door on highway 44.

Robin has a degree in the medical field, is a licensed insurance agent and a full charge bookkeeper. She takes care of the accounting, is involved in marketing, and is passionate about interior design. She couldn't wait to transform the new office into a modern farmhouse.

John has volunteered his time as a brother to both the Lions Club and the Masons because he strives to surround himself with only the highest quality people. He is also a member of the Bullitt County Chamber, Spencer County Chamber, and Success Connections.

When I cross the line into Bullitt County, I love the way it makes me feel. I Feel Like I'm Home. I feel love, respect, and Pride when people pull off the road for a funeral procession that honors not only the deceased but those loved ones left behind. I love the American Flags, Light Up Mount Washington, The Spring Festival, Fish Frys, Friday Night Lights, and Flava Dave's Steak Nights, I Love it All! I Love Bullitt County, and The Zirnhelds' all feel blessed to be a part of this Community.



