



**Jane Kauble**

As a member of the Sacramento County Superintendent of Schools Regional Data Processing Center (Assistant to the Director), I was allowed to attend a CEDPA Conference at the Jack Tar Hotel in San Francisco in 1966. I've attended the annual conferences since then, with the exception of 1975.

After leaving Sacramento, I became the Staff Services Manager at the Los Angeles County Schools Office in their Information Technology Division where I retired in 2003 after 41 years in education.

I was privileged to serve as the CEDPA/CETPA Board secretary from 1972 to 2007.

As secretary, I arranged for the meeting and guestroom reservations for the Board, took and distributed meeting minutes, and oversaw the coordination of the event.

At conference time, I helped coordinate the registration, meal functions and guestroom reservations with the host hotels. Back in those years, all registrations were processed manually and badges and attendee lists were created on a typewriter. The advantage, in my opinion, was that I was able to familiarize myself with the names of the attendees and put faces to them when they came up to register.

I am grateful to have had this opportunity as it allowed me to meet and maintain special friendships of Board members, attendees, vendors and hotel staff to this day.

*Editor's note: In case you missed it, Jane served as Secretary for 35 years. She was integral to the success of the annual conference, working many hours with almost none of the technology we have available today. Thank you, Jane for helping to keep us going all those years!*