# Michael (Chris) Riggins

Born in Virginia in 1950.  I have 3 younger sisters who live in an around Campbell CA and my mother who is 92 and lives in assisted living in San Jose.  My father worked for IBM his whole career, and they moved him and his family within Virgina several times, to Evanston Illinois in 1966 and eventually to California in 1970 (IBM truly does stand for "I've Been Moved").  I earned a Bachelor of Mathematics, UC Berkeley in 1972 and a Masters in Computer Science from UCLA in 1975.  I spent my working career as a Software Engineer and Software Engineering Manager/Director in the Silicon Valley at 10 different companies.   My longest period employment at any one company was at Cisco Systems for 9 years.   I retired in 2016 and moved from Pleasanton CA to Santa Rosa in 2017.

Married for almost 29 years to my wife Katie (second marriage for both).  We have 5 children between us and 9 grandchildren (four in Santa Rosa, two in Sacramento and three in Nevada). My hobbies include fishing, watching college and professional sports, playing guitar and golf.  I enjoy going to the gym, playing pool with my fellow Windsor SIRS and spending the early evening sitting on our patio with Katie drinking a glass of red wine.