

San José State University Emeritus Faculty Association Biography

Name: Elsie Leach

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Academic Rank: Professor

Year Retired: 1994

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Birth Year: 1925

Marital Status: widow **Spouse or Partner's Name:** Walter

Children's Names: Elizabeth, Catherine

No. of Grandchildren: 5

No. of Great Grandchildren:

Colleges or Universities Attended:

Year Degree

UCSB

1942-44

UC Berkeley

1944

UCLA

1944-51 BA, MA, PhD

Teaching Experience:

From To

Mt. St. Mary's College (Los Angeles)

1950

1951

UCLA

1952

1953

UCSB

1953

1956

SJSU

1956

1994

Administrative, Business, or Professional Experience (other than teaching):

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Selected Publications:

"John Wesley's Use of George Herbert, " *Huntington Library Q 16* (1953), 183-202.

"*Alice in Wonderland* in Perspectives, " *Aspects of Alice*, ed. Robert Phillips. New York: Vanguard, 1971.

Co-Ed., with Harry K. Girvetz, *Moral Issues Today*. Belmont: Wadsworth, 1969.

"T. S. Eliot and the School of Donne," *Cisterus Essays in English and American Language and Literature*. Amsterdam, Editions Rodopi. N.V., 1972.

"The Popu???? Of Quarks' *Emblemes*," *Studies in Iconography*. 9 (1983), 83-97.

"Building One's Own Houses: *Walden* and *Absalomk Absalom!*," *San José Studies*, 17 (1991), 62-83.

"*Agamemnon* as a Source of Murder in the Cathedral," *Yeats-Eliot Review*, 11 (1991), 14-18.

Personal Commentary:

I hate to see CSU badly run, as a business, without enough attention to the needs of students and the people of California.

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