

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Tauke, Thomas Joseph Senator _____

Resided in Dubuque, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 11 Oct 1950 Dubuque, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Beverly K. Hubble 17 Nov 1984 Dubuque, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Admitted to the bar in 1974; member of Board of Directors of the United States Hygiene Association.

B. Civic responsibilities Rotary; trustee of Mount Mercy College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa

C. Profession Public policy consultant; president of commercial real estate marketing company; attorney

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 66th, 67th General Assemblies 1975-1976, 1977-1978

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State Trustee of the Herbert Hoover Presidential Library

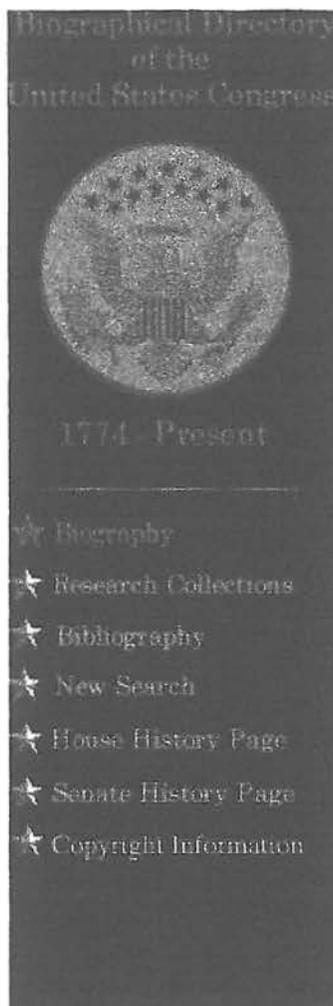
C. National United States Congressman 1979-1991. in 1991 he left government and became operating vice president of government owned NY NEX Corporation (with responsibility of overseeing corporate relations with the Congress, the Federal Communications Commission

7. Death _____

8. Children Joseph

9. Names of parents Joseph and Esther M. (Reicher) Tauke

10. Education Attended the Dubuque County private schools;
graduated from St. Albert High School in 1968
11. Degrees B.A. from Loras College, Dubuque, Iowa, 1972; J.D. from the
University of Iowa College of Law, Iowa City, Iowa, 1974
12. Other applicable information Republican
- He began to practice law in Dubuque in 1974 after developing an
interest in his sophomore year of college.
 - Shortly of receiving his law degree in 1974 he became a
legislator
 - In 1994 he was a finalist for the president of Loras College in
Dubuque, but declined.
 - He established the Esther Janke Scholarship at Loras College in honor of
his mother, Esther



TAUKE, Thomas Joseph, 1950-

TAUKE, Thomas Joseph, a Representative from Iowa; born in Dubuque, Dubuque County, Iowa, October 11, 1950; attended the Dubuque County private schools; graduated from Wahlert High School, 1968; B.A., Loras College, Dubuque, 1972; J.D., University of Iowa College of Law, Iowa City, 1974; admitted to the Iowa bar and commenced practice in Dubuque in 1974; served in the Iowa general assembly, 1975-1978; delegate, Iowa State Republican conventions, 1972-1978; delegate, Republican National Convention, 1976; elected as a Republican to the Ninety-sixth and to the five succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1979-January 3, 1991); was not a candidate for reelection in 1990 to the One Hundred Second Congress but was an unsuccessful nominee for the United States Senate; public policy consultant; president, communications equipment marketing company; is a resident of Dubuque, Iowa.

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VIII Agency on Aging, she served on the Dubuque Housing Commission. She was also vice chairwoman of the corporate board of Area VIII Agency on Aging, board member of Title XX advisory board on Social Security, and a member of the advisory board on the Retired Senior Volunteer Program. Tauke was a charter member of the Friends of **SUNNYCREST**, chairwoman of the Senior Citizens Recognition Month from 1974 to 1980 and a member of the Tri-County Senior Citizens advisory board and the Dubuque County Council on Aging. Tauke, a forty-year member of **NATIVITY CHURCH**, served five years as president of the Nativity Ladies Guild.

TAUKE, Eugene A. (**DYERSVILLE, IA**, Sept. 22, 1905—Dyersville, IA, Nov. 16, 1963). Secretary-treasurer. Associated with The Emporium Department Store in Dyersville for forty years, Tauke served twenty-five years as the secretary-treasurer of the **DYERSVILLE COMMERCIAL CLUB**.

TAUKE, Thomas J. (**DUBUQUE, IA**—). Congressman. While reporting on the Iowa Legislature for the **TELEGRAPH HERALD** during his sophomore year at **LORAS COLLEGE**, Tauke developed an interest in public service. In 1974, shortly after receiving his law degree, he won a seat in the Iowa House of Representatives. Tauke was elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1978 and served on the Energy and Commerce, Education, Labor, and Small Business committees in addition to the Select Committee on Aging. He was a member of the Pepper Commission on Comprehensive Health Care, the Infant Mortality Commission, and the Biomedical Ethics Board. He played critical roles in the development of the Higher Education Act and transforming national telecommunications policies.

In 1991, Tauke lost a bid to be elected to the United States Senate. He left government and became executive vice president of government affairs at NYNEX Corporation with the responsibility of overseeing corporate relations with the Congress, the Federal Communications Commission, other government agencies, trade and professional associations, and advocacy groups. On November 30, 1994, Tauke, one of four finalists for the presidency of **LORAS COLLEGE** removed his name from further consideration but pledged to continue working on the college's behalf as a member of the National Alumni Board. He served as a member of the board of directors of the United States Telephone Association, where he chaired the Government Relations Committee, and the board of directors of the Wireless Cable Association. Tauke was also a member of the board of directors of the Washington Center for Internships and Academic Seminars, a trustee for the Herbert Hoover Presidential Library, and chairman of the board of Home Technology Sys-

tems inc. He was a trustee for Mount Mercy College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. At Loras College, he established the Esther **TAUKE** Scholarship and was an active member of the inaugural Loras College National Alumni Board and the Loras Club of Washington, D.C.

TAYLOR INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT. Located in east central **TAYLOR TOWNSHIP**, the school was located at the northwest corner of Bierman and Pilot Grove roads. The district was closed in the consolidation of 1960.

TAYLOR, Raymond Joseph. (**HOLY CROSS, IA**, Feb. 13, 1936—). State Representative. A developer and contractor, Taylor served as a Republican State Representative from January 1, 1971, to December 31, 1972. A vocal opponent of intrusive government, he was a critic of county zoning. In 1990, Taylor was a candidate for state senator against incumbent Joe **WELSH** but because he was also a candidate for township trustee, the county auditor had his name removed from the ballot.

TAYLOR, Scott J. (Greenville, SC, Sept. 27, 1956—). President, **CARTEGRAPH**. Taylor's family moved to **DUBUQUE** before he entered school. He graduated from **DUBUQUE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL** before attending Iowa State University where he earned a degree in civil engineering. In 1994, Taylor established **CARTEGRAPH**, a company which quickly positioned itself as a leader in the field of computerizing inventory and the management of assets.

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP. Township 88 North-Range 1 West with the principal cities being the eastern portion of **FARLEY** and the entire community of **EPWORTH**. Rugged and rough on the northern side, the major part of the township is characterized by gentle relief with good soil.

TEGELER, Edward B. (**DYERSVILLE, IA**, 1901—**DUBUQUE, IA**, July 7, 1980). Mayor. A former mayor of **ASBURY** and a member of the Asbury Town Council, Tegeler was also a local aviation pioneer. In 1930, he helped establish Dubuque's first airport through founding **DUBUQUE AIRWAYS, INC.** Interested in aviation all his life, he was one of the first three members of the group to receive a private license and continued to fly until 1962. The founder of Tegeler's Incorporated, Tegeler served as a member of the Dealers Advisory Board of American Motors Corporation from 1963 to 1965. (See: Appendix: Mayors)

TEGELER, Henry. (Quincy, IL, Sept. 19, 1852—July 8, 1932). State Representative. Recognized county-wide for his farming and cattle raising enterprises, Tegeler was also a stockholder in the Farmers' State

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J. M. R.
11-18-84



Tauke takes bride
Iowa Republican Congressman Tom Tauke of Dubuque kisses the former Beverly K. Hubble after their wedding Saturday in Tauke's home parish, the Nativity Church in Dubuque.