

Faces of Marianjoy

Marianjoy is comprised of associates that come from many varied cultures, backgrounds and experiences. We value these differences as we firmly believe it makes us stronger as an organization.

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- What is your country of origin or the country of origin of your ancestors?

 Before he passed, my dad did some research on his family tree and learned that we have ancestors from the country, Luxembourg. (Apparently this explains my love of desserts and Riesling wine!)
- What specific aspects from your culture or background that would you like to share?

I come from a large family – I am the fourth of six children (4 girls and 2 boys). We did not have many "material" things growing up, but we sure had lots of love.

• What are some of your family customs that you recall from your childhood (or from current times)?

My family – both immediate and extended – grew up playing sports (basketball, volleyball, football, baseball and softball). So our scheduled activities always revolved around sporting events.

• Are there dietary preferences, special recipes or other traditions around food or food preparation, if so, please describe?

I was blessed with a Mother that cooked wonderful, made-from-scratch American meals and desserts. Unfortunately for my husband and son, that "gene" did not pass itself along to me!