

Foreword

Life presents us with some extraordinary challenges which we must either meet or avoid. We who have attended Kermit High School have been trained to meet those challenges and conquer. In the years to come we will undoubtedly meet many challenges we have not anticipated. Let us hope we can continue to conquer.

Preparing this yearbook has been a challenge. We, the staff, hope we have met the challenge satisfactorily and have turned out an annual you will cherish. In future years we hope you will turn through the pages of this Sandstorm and remember with fondness this year spent in KHS. As a record of the activities of the year, we feel this book to be complete. We hope it will bring happiness to you now and in the future.

After meeting the challenge of producing this book we are proud to offer to you the fruits of our labor-- the 1961 SANDSTORM.

SANDSTORM STAFF

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Dedication

Great teachers often find rewards in the love and respect given them by their students. Unfortunately, far too few really great teachers are to be found. One of those we think would qualify for such a title is to be found in Kermit High School. Having taught here for seventeen years, he has many friends among his former students, who learned to admire him during their years in KHS.

G. T. Gilligan has brought many honors to Kermit. During his seventeen years here, he has led his students to fifteen Sweepstakes awards in state band competition.

But awards are negligible compared to the infinite good he has done in giving so many students a genuine love for beautiful music. Inspiring his students to give their full measure of strength in pouring forth good music has been a daily deed for this man.

When great teachers are spoken of in Kermit, it is certain that one name will always be mentioned. We dedicate this 1961 SANDSTORM to G. T. Gilligan... a great teacher.



G. T. Gilligan