William T. Shaw III and Susan Geraldine (King) Shaw of Howell celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary with a small dinner party with close friends and family.

William and Susan were married Dec. 20, 1969, at the Botsford Inn in Farmington.

The couple have eight children, Debbie Shaw Evers of Hartland; William (Tim) Shaw IV, of Baltimore, Md.; Sara Shaw of Las Vegas, Nev.; LeeAnn Liebetreu of Hartland; Kevin Shaw of Baltimore, Md.; Peter Shaw of Howell; Kelly Rhodes of Franktown, Colo.; and Katie Lawrence of Howell. The Shaws have 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

William was born in Detroit. He

is a real estate attorney and managed Lawyer Title until he retired in 1988. He works part time at Metro Title, is an avid golfer, a member of the Knights of Columbus, Elks, and Michigan Bar Association. He volunteers at the K of C Bingo and loves Irish dancing. He is affiliated with St. Joseph's in Howell.

Susan owned Bravo Dance Studio until 1984. She enjoys caring for her youngest granddaughter, Lena, gardening, cross-word puzzles, sewing, dancing and painting. She also plays in the handbells choir at the Presbyterian Church in Howell. Susan is affiliated with Grace Lutheran Church.

The couple have lived in the area for 22 years.