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My family has more than a century of history in Fullerton. My maternal grandfather was involved in numerous community, business and civic organizations. Still, he was arrested in 1924 for shouting down the speaker at a KKK rally in Amerige Park. A cross was burned on his front lawn later that night.

My paternal grandfather, a physician who delivered more than 3500 babies in Orange County over his 40+ year career, was known for not sending a bill during his lifetime. It was not unusual for him to be paid with a bag of oranges or a chicken.

My mother was born and raised in Fullerton. I was born in Fullerton. I raised my child here and sent them through Fullerton public schools. I graduated from CSUF with a degree in Economics.

Fullerton is important to me. The people of Fullerton are important to me. I want to help build a safe city, with well-maintained roads, with top schools, with police and fire protection, with a thriving business environment, and most importantly, with compassion and support for all of our citizens.

Fullerton is a great place to live, work and play. Let's work together to make it even better.