

## **Jane Gothold**

Mrs. Gothold has devoted her adult life to volunteerism in support of educational institutions and initiatives. She graduated from Whittier College with a Bachelor of Arts and teaching credential in primary grades. Mrs. Gothold taught first grade prior to raising her family. She returned to education, teaching classes for gifted and talented students in Archeology and Fossils, two of her avocations. She is a founding member of the Pacific Coast Archeological Society, now in its 54th year. She has served as its Archivist and Librarian, and has served eight terms as its President. The PCAS led an archeological dig in Death Valley each spring and fall from 1965 through 2018. Ms.

Gothold helped start and open a museum at China Ranch, which, when open to the public, educated visitors on objects found at the archeological dig site.

Ms. Gothold has served on the Orange County Old Courthouse Museum Society, the Old Courthouse Advisory Board, the Hathaway Ranch Museum Board in Santa Fe Springs, and the City of Whittier Historical Commission. She is also a longtime member of Chorale Bel Canto, a community choir performing major choral works. Ms. Gothold is a mother of four, a grandmother of six, and a great grandmother of six and enjoys spending time with her extended family.