

1992

A Time of Discovery



AURORA

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Incarnate Word Academy
2910 S. Alameda
Corpus Christi, Texas
1991-92

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A Time of Discovery . . .

The Winds of Change

Five hundred years ago, in 1492, a brave man stood atop the masthead of the Santa Maria and looked over the vast gray expanse of water. His striking figure emanated a dream: to conquer the unknown world and to bring glory and riches for Spain. That man was Christopher Columbus, and the dreams he carried bore the seeds of change. Five hundred years later, replicas of the Santa Maria, the Nina, and the Pinta sailed from Spain to commemorate Columbus' voyage and to show to the world the triumph of man's spirit conquering the forces of nature and time.

1992. This is the year that the seniors of Incarnate Word graduate. Having lived through the Gulf War, the apex of the economic recession, and the social pressures of society, these seniors, like Columbus, must face their most formidable obstacles yet. They must face growing up and getting out of their high-school cocoons. And with each emerging senior, there lies a dream that has been instilled since the birth of time: to survive and to live happily, fruitfully, and successfully. The seniors of 1992, like Columbus, must survive the winds of change and triumph above the social decadence of society.

There is something infinitely magical and special about the trip of the replicated Santa Maria, Nina, and Pinta. It gives hope to many people that some things are never forgotten, and our lives mold into one pattern, with the goal to help our fellow man survive.

It is a remarkable feat that the replicated ships have accomplished because, in a time of hardships and confusion, they have helped us remember our forefathers and the sacrifices made for us. In 1492, Christopher Columbus left Spain to venture out into the New World. In 1992, the seniors of IWA are coming out of their sheltered lives and entering the reality of an adult world.



— Anne Marie Pizarro
Senior, 1992



From the Principal . . .

I leave the principalship of Incarnate Word Academy High School with many pleasant memories and with fond hopes for its future. The close of 1991-92 marks for me a long association with the school — as student, teacher, registrar, principal.

As I look on years past, I offer my deep and sincere gratitude to the Sisters of the Incarnate Word, who own and support IWA with great generosity; to the members of the faculty and staff, who have served with faithfulness and dedication; to friends and benefactors, who have made donations generously; to parents, who have contributed time and efforts and who have supported school policies and decisions; to students, who have lived life at IWA in respect and cooperation.

If the past is prelude to the future, in joy and expectation I see ongoing and expanding success for IWA in both academics and extra-curricular areas. There is every reason to believe and to hope that the same dedication and assistance of the past will be present in the future. Under the guidance of committed faculty and staff and with the support of parents and friends, IWA will continue to take its place among the excellent schools of the nation and its students will assume their roles as leaders in the twenty-first century.

May God bless all of the members of the Incarnate Word family with peace, happiness and success.

Sister Agnes Marie Tugler

Discover our

SENIORS



Elia Alaniz



Priscilla Alvarez



Kristie Arispe



Amanda Atkins



Susie Barlow



Yvonne Barrera

Profiles

Elia Alaniz
 Student Council 91
 Class Officer 92
 Christians for Life 91
 Science Club 91
 Spanish Club 90-91
 President 91
 Nike Career Club 91-92

Priscilla Alvarez
 Spanish Club 90

Kristie Arispe
 Student Council 89-90

President 90
 Spanish Club 91
 Newspaper Staff 90
 Career Explorers 90
 Basketball 89-92
 Softball 91
 Track 89-92
 Volleyball 89-90
 Nike Career Club 91
 Cross Country 92

Amanda Atkins
 Student Council 90-92
 Representative 91
 Class Officer 90-91
 Christians for Life 90
 Knights of the Sanctuary 90-92

Science Club 90-92
 French Club 90-91
 Track 89-91
 Tennis 89-92

Susie Barlow
 Basketball 92
 Tennis 92

Yvonne Barrera
 Spanish Club 90
 Newspaper Staff 89
 Yearbook Staff 89

Seniors



Shawna Bell



Miguel Berastain



Kendra Bung



Honey Butler



Colleen Byrne



Terry Castillo



Nieves Cerda



Irene Cervantes



Kelene Chamberlin



Carlos Chapa



Cathy Contreras



Shannon Dawes

Profiles

Shawna Bell

Science Club 89
French Club 89-92
Softball 89
Junior State 92

Miguel Berastain

Student Council 91-92
Vice President 91
President 92
National Honor Society 90-92
Secretary 91
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
Knights of the Sanctuary 92
Science Club 92
Latin Club 89-90
Career Explorers 91
Basketball 89-92
Track 89-92

Kendra Bung

Latin Club 89-90

Honey Butler

Student Council 91
Christians for Life 91
Science Club 91
French Club 91
Spanish Club 90
Newspaper Staff 89
Yearbook Staff 89
Soccer 89
Tennis 92

Colleen Byrne

Student Council 89-92
Representative 89
Secretary 90
Vice President 91
Vice President 92
National Honor Society 89-92
President 92
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
Representative 91-92

Christians for Life 91-92
Science Club 91-92

Representative 91-92
Spanish Club 90-91
Newspaper Staff 91
Yearbook Staff 91
Explorers 90
Octagon Club 91
Junior State 92

Terry Castillo

Student Council 91
Science Club 91-92
Newspaper Staff 92
Yearbook Staff 92
Basketball 89
Softball 89
Track 89
Golf 92
German Club 89-90
Octagon Club 91-92

Profiles

Nieves Cerda

Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
Science Club 91-92
Spanish Club 90
Newspaper Staff 92
Yearbook Staff 92
Explorers 89-92
Basketball 89-92
Baseball 89-92
Track 89-92
Octagon 89-92

Irene Cervantes

Student Council 89
National Honor Society 89-92
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
Secretary 92
Science Club 91-92

Latin Club 89-90
Nike 90
Junior State 92

Kelene Chamberlin

Student Council 92
Class Officer 92
National Honor Society 90-92
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
Science Club 91
Writer's Club 91-92
Spanish Club 90-91
Nike 89-91
Band 89-92
Octagon Club 90-92
Tri-M 91-92

Carlos Chapa

Spanish Club 90
Basketball 89-90
Baseball 89-92

Soccer 91

Cathy Contreras

Science Club 91
Spanish Club 89
Newspaper Staff 92
Track 89
Cheerleading 89-90

Shannon Dawes

Student Council 90-92
National Honor Society 90-92
Mu Alpha Theta 90-92
Writer's Club 90
French Club 89-90
Nike 90-92
Band 89-90
Tri-M 89-90, 92
Junior State 92

Seniors



Gabriella Dewey



Louis Doctor



Rhonda Elmilady



Teresa Garcia



Kristopher Garza



Christine Gonzalez

Profiles

Gabriella Dewey

Student Council 90-91
National Honor Society 90-92
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
French Club 89-92
Nike 90-92
Thespians 90-92
Speech/Debate 89-92
NCCJ 91-92

Louis Doctor

Spanish Club 90
Baseball 88-92
Soccer 89-92

Rhonda Elmilady

Student Council 92
Octagon Club 89-92
Science Club 91
Writer's Club 89
Spanish Club 88-90
Newspaper Staff 89-91
Yearbook Staff 91
Nike 89-92

Teresa Garcia

Student Council 92
Spanish Club 90-91
Newspaper Staff 89
Softball 90
Choir 91

Kristopher Garza

Basketball 89-91
Track 91

Christine Gonzalez

Science Club 91
Spanish Club 91



Thad Hasse



William Hegedus



Lee Hinojosa



Marisol Hinojosa



Jimmy Holcomb



Paul Kaler

Profiles

Thad Hasse

Track 89
Soccer 89-91
Swimming 89-92
Thespian 91-92

William Hegedus

NHS 91-92
Mu Alpha Theta 92
Knights of the Sanctuary 90-91
Science Club 91-92
French Club 89-90
Newspaper Staff 88-89
Explorers 90

Track 90

Soccer 91
Nike 90
Drama 92

Lee Hinojosa

Student Council 91-92
Class Officer 89-92
Science Club 92
Latin Club 90
Nike 89-92
Young Republicans 89-92
Octagon Club 89-92

Marisol Hinojosa

Spanish Club 90-91

Jimmy Holcomb

Band 89-92
Baseball 92
Soccer 92

Paul Kaler

Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
Basketball 89-92
Track 89-92
Swimming 89-92
Latin Club 90
Nike 90-92
Student Council 91
Science Club 91
Explorers 91
NHS 92



Aparna Katragadda



Patrick Keehan



Yoon Sin Kim



Tessie Kinard



Carolyn Krnavek



Kevin Laudadio



Paul Laudadio



Marc Lickteig



Julie McCumber



Jeremy Meyer



Ben Montes



Robert Murray

Profiles

Aparna Katragadda
French Club 89
Highlighters 90
Student Council 91
Class Officer 91
Octagon Club 91

Patrick Keehan
Student Council 90-91
Class Officer 90-91
Latin Club 90
Nike 90-91
Octagon 91-92
Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
NHS 92
Baseball 92

Yoon Sin Kim
Student Council 89, 91-92
Newspaper Staff 89, 91-92
Latin Club 90
Tennis 90-92

Cheerleading 89-90, 92
Mu Alpha Theta 91
Science Club 91-92
Yearbook Staff 91-92
NHS 92
Explorers 92
Junior State 92

Tessie Kinard
Newspaper Staff 89, 91-92
Production Editor 92
Yearbook Staff 89, 91-92
Spanish Club 89-90

Carolyn Krnavek
NHS 89
Science Club 91
Spanish Club 91
Explorers 91
Cheerleader 89
Nike 91-92

Kevin Laudadio
Student Council 89
NHS 91-92
Mu Alpha Theta 92
Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
Science Club 91
French Club 90-92
Yearbook Staff 89
Explorers 89-92
Tennis 89-92

Profiles

Paul Laudadio
Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
Science Club 91
Spanish Club 90
Basketball 89-92
Track 89-92
Tennis 91-92

Marc Lickteig
NHS 89-92
Mu Alpha Theta 90-92
Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
Science Club 92
Spanish Club 89-91

Newspaper Staff 91
Yearbook Staff 91
Baseball 90-92
Soccer 90--92

Julie McCumber
Science Club 91
French Club 89-90
Newspaper Staff 91
Yearbook Staff 91
Explorers 91

Jeremy Meyer
Christians for Life 91-92
Science Club 90-91
Baseball 89-91
Soccer 90-91

Nike 91-92

Ben Montes
Band 89-92

Robert Murray
Student Council 91
Spanish Club 90
Junior State 92

Seniors



Anissa Norrell



Martha Ocker



Danell Odom



Mark Olivo



Mary Perez



Michael Perez

Profiles

Anissa Norrell
 Student Council 90
 Class Officer 90
 NHS 90-92
 Christians for Life 89-92
 Spanish Club 91
 Explorers 91-92
 Track 89-92
 Cheerleading 89-90
 Cross Country 89-92

Martha Ocker
 NHS 90-92
 Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
 Spanish Club 90
 Newspaper Staff 89
 Yearbook Staff 89

Basketball 89-91
 Softball 89-92
 Track 88-92
 Cross Country 89-92
 Octagon Club 90-92
 Junior State 92

Danell Odom
 Student Council 90-92
 NHS 92
 Christians for Life 91-92
 Knights of the Sanctuary 90-91
 Science Club 91
 Spanish Club 90-91
 Yearbook Staff 91
 Nike 90-91
 Octagon Club 90-92

Mark Olivo
 Spanish Club 90

Newspaper Staff 91-92
 Yearbook Staff 91
 Basketball 90-92
 Track 90-92
 Cross Country 89-92

Mary Perez
 Spanish Club 90-91
 Yearbook Staff 89

Michael Perez
 Christians for Life 91
 Science Club 91-92
 Spanish Club 90
 Newspaper Staff 92
 Yearbook Staff 92
 Basketball 89-92
 Track 89-92
 Young Republicans 91
 Golf 92



John Peterson



Anne Pizarro



Toma Pyle



Lovell Ramirez



David Reumuth



Anthony Rivera

Profiles

John Peterson
 Student Council 91
 Christians for Life 91
 Science Club 91-92
 Spanish Club 91-92
 Newspaper Staff 92
 Yearbook Staff 92
 Explorers 91
 Basketball 89-90
 Baseball 89-91
 Track 89
 Soccer 91

Anne Pizarro
 Student Council 89
 NHS 91-92

Mu Alpha Theta 91
 Science Club 89
 Spanish Club 89
 Newspaper Staff 92
 Editor 92

Toma Pyle
 Student Council 90-92
 NHS 90-92
 Mu Alpha Theta 91-92
 Science Club 91
 Writer's Club 90-91
 French Club 89-92
 Explorers 89-90
 Band 89-92
 Tri-M 89-92

Lovell Ramirez
 Spanish Club 91

Newspaper Staff 91
 Yearbook Staff 91
 Explorers 92
 Young Historians 89

David Reumuth
 Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92
 Science Club 89-92
 French Club 89

Anthony Rivera
 Student Council 91-92
 Class Officer 91
 NHS 89-92
 Knights of the Sanctuary 89
 Science Club 91
 Spanish Club 90
 Explorers 89-92
 Basketball 89-92

Seniors



Juan Robles



Odile Rodriguez



Clayton Russell



Alexandra Saieh



Lalena Sanchez



Cheryl Schanen

Profiles

Juan Robles
 French Club 89-91
 Newspaper Staff 91
 Yearbook Staff 91
 Explorers 91
 Basketball 89-92
 Baseball 92
 Track 91
 Nike 91-92

Odile Rodriguez
 Class Officer 92
 Christians for Life 89
 Knights of the Sanctuary 90-91

Spanish Club 90-91
 Newspaper Staff 91
 Yearbook Staff 91

Clayton Russell
 Science Club 91-92
 Newspaper Staff 89
 Chess Club 89
 Nike 90-91

Alexandra Saieh
 Spanish Club 90

Lalena Sanchez
 Student Council 92
 NHS 92
 Spanish Club 90-91

Newspaper Staff 91
 Yearbook Staff 91
 Octagon 92

Cheryl Schanen
 Student Council 92
 Christians for Life 92
 Newspaper 92
 Yearbook Staff 92
 Drill Team 90
 Octagon 91-92



Anna Lisa Sepeda



Roger Serna



Dana Shaw



Tif Siragusa



Robert Tabone



Joey Tolbirt

Profiles

Anna Lisa Sepeda
 Student Council 90-92
 Science Club 91
 Spanish Club 90
 Octagon 91-92

Roger Serna
 Newspaper Staff 92
 Baseball 89-92
 Soccer 89-92

Dana Shaw
 Student Council 92
 NHS 90-92

Mu Alpha Theta 90-92
 Science Club 91
 French Club 89-92
 Writer's Club 90-91
 Explorers 89-90
 Band 90-92
 Octagon 91-92

Tif Siragusa
 Science Club 90
 Spanish Club 89
 Basketball 89-92
 Track 89-92

Robert Tabone
 Student Council 89-92
 Knights of the Sanctuary 89-92

Octagon 89-92
 Newspaper 92
 Chess Club 88-92
 President 89-92
 Nike 89-92
 Science Club 89-92
 Junior State Treasurer 92

Joey Tolbirt
 Student Council 92
 Science Club 90-92
 Spanish Club 91

Seniors



Chuck Villarreal



Patricia Villarreal



Chuck Walker



Laura Winstead

Profiles

Chuck Villarreal
Basketball 89
Baseball 89

Patricia Villarreal
Spanish Club 90-91
Newspaper Staff 91
Choir 89-92

Chuck Walker
Student Council 89-90
NHS 89-92
Mu Alpha Theta 89-92
Science Club 91

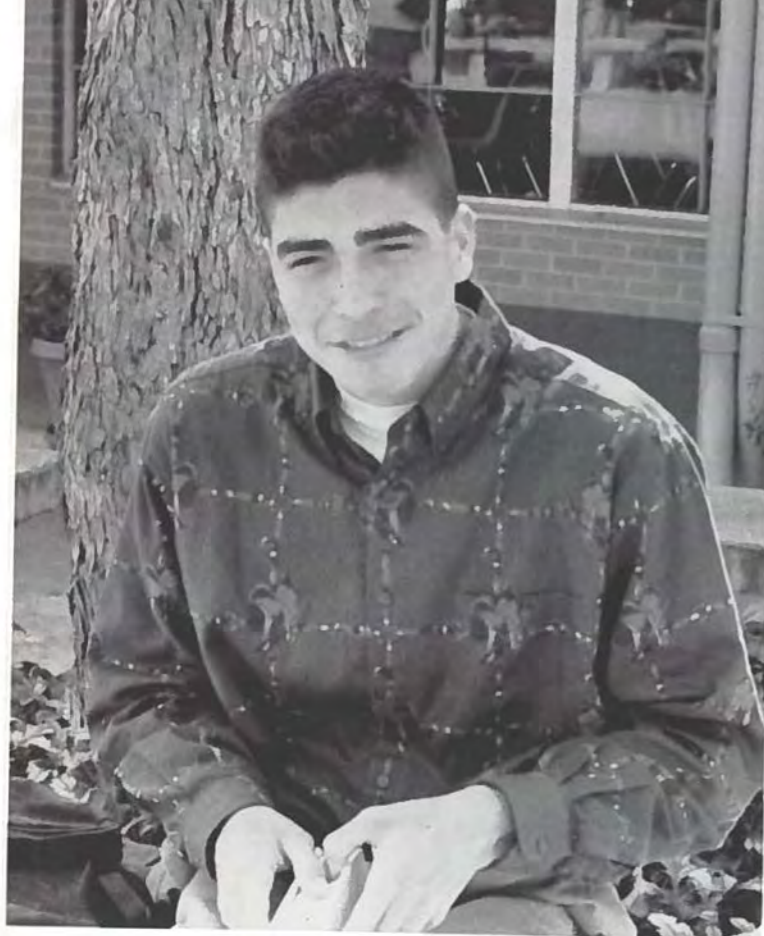
Latin Club 90
Basketball 89-92
Track 89-90
Tennis 91

Laura Winstead
Band 89-90



Chris Osburn
Seniors 1992

*Beyond the door
there's peace I'm sure
And I know there would be
no more tears in heaven.*



A Senior Farewell

From Michael Perez, top left; Marc Lickteig, top right; Cheryl Schane, bottom left, and Cathy Contreras, Yoon Sin Kim, Terry Castillo and Kristie Arispe.



Discover our

JUNIORS

Juniors



John Beers



Melinda Benys



Angie Bracht



David Brandesky



Melissa Briones



Jeffrey Brock



Toni Calderon



Brigitte Cantu



James Collins



Michelle Collins



Chad Colwell



Marc DeDominicis



David Diaz



Angie Eguia



Michael Escobar



Miguel Escobar



Adam Farrell



Victor Flores



Martin Fox



Colleen Fritz



Andrea Garcia



Israel Garcia



Annette Garza



Lara Garza

Juniors



Martin Gonzalez



Norman Gonzalez



Jatin Gopaul



Shannan Greenwood



B. J. Gregg



Michael Hahn



Kevin Hammes



Bill Henderson



Charles Howard



Jennifer Janosek



Allison Jurecko



Soon Chun Kim



Philip Kost



Chad Luhan



Jennifer Mayorga



April Miller



Sallee Moore



Krishna Mulukutla



Debbie Munoz



Bill Murphy



Patti Nutto



Michael Owen



Lamar Padilla



Aquiles Patino

Juniors



Elvira Pena



Alison Pierick



James Pirtle



Michelle Prejean



Brian Probert



Amber Puckett



Lisa Ramirez



Eric Ramsower



Stephanie Rebeck



Mary Reumuth



Rus Richards



Kenyon Ripple



Michelle Rodriguez



Ramsey Rodriguez



Marianne Roff



Amber Sahadi



Michael Sheehan



Olivia Silva



Josh Smith



Brad Tindall



John Tinning



Gwen Tisdale



Karen Torres



Mark Towns

Juniors



Andrea Tucker



Marie Vasquez



Margo Viera



Michelle L. Villarreal



Brandon Warren



Jeremy Wilder



Gabriel Yanes



Eric Zamora



Juniors enjoy quiet moments and good times. Shown at top is Amber Sahadi. Charles Howard reflects quietly on the patio, above. "Best friends" Mary Reumuth and Marianne Roff share a restful moment after sports workout. Sallee Moore, below, welcomes the year ahead with open arms. Melinda Benys pauses for a serious discussion enroute to class.





Juniors April Miller, shown above left, Karen Torres, Alison Pierick, Toni Calderon and Colleen Fritz (below) look forward to 1993 when their class will reign as "Number One!"



Discover our

SOPHOMORES

Sophomores



Ashley Abernathy



Meg Ando



Ray Arrellano



Rita Arispe



Amy Bailey



Paul Barrera



Jason Butler



Shannon Byrne



Bianca Calderon



Marcus Canales



Heather Casstevens



Hillary Casstevens



Michael Castillo



Kristen Chamberlin



Catrina Chase



Michael Cisneros



Jennifer Craddock



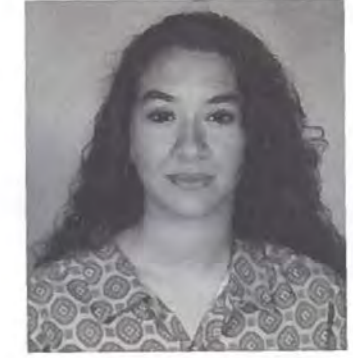
Michelle Donaldson



Priscilla Durbin



Juan Eguia



Anna Garcia



Clarissa Garcia



Eddie Garza



Jennifer Garza

Sophomores



Joe Henry Garza



Leigh Gaut



Mark Gomez



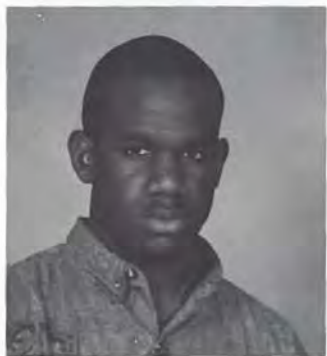
Renae Green



Jessica Guerra



Patti Hahn



Kevin Hardeman



Chris Herrington



Daphne Hoddinott



Steven Joya



Adrienne Labbe



Brian Lambert



Tricia Laudadio



Domingo Lerma



Stephen Lickteig



Sarah Loveless



Carey Mader



Margaret Mahoney



Yvette Martinez



Douglas Matey



James Mirabal



Tim Murphy



Alex Narvaez



John Narvaez

Sophomores



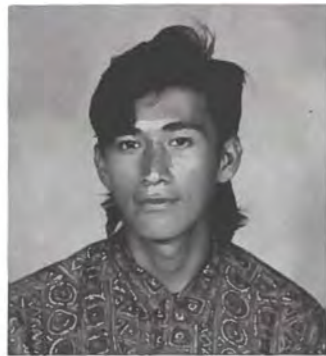
Alyson Neale



Raquel Nelson



Rebecca Olivo



Emilio Patino



Melissa Pearson



Celeste Peek



Carl Perales



Gregg Perales



Itza Perez



Nicole Petrla



Rebecca Pollard



Michael Prejean



Erin Quinn



Leigh Richardson



Aaron Rios



Kirby Roberts



Lori Rodriguez



Robert Sheffey



Elizabeth Skube



Ben Smith



Sheila Snapka



Shelley Steward



Nadia Tamez



Kathleen Tinning

Sophomores



Kenneth Trevino



Omar Trujillo



Michael Vacca



Daniel Vasquez



Keverne Williams



Nathan Wright



Jason Zamora



John Zapata



Sophomores busy themselves with activities. Casey Winstead, above, awaits Mrs. Kinzel's verdict on a paper. Kenneth Trevino, below, takes a break from band practice. Domingo Lerma, bottom, listens to advice from Senior Terry Castillo. Katy Culver, top right, and Lori Rodriguez, bottom right, are captured in the halls.





Let's Have Fun!

And they do! Sophomores Elizabeth Skube and Amy Bailey are caught offguard in the hall. Paul Barrera "enjoys" his laps around the gym, and the trio of Leigh Richardson, Tricia Laudadio and Heather Casstevens show off their winning smiles.

Discover our

FRESHMEN

Freshmen



Jarrett Adame



Crystal Ali



Stephanie Ayars



Christopher Bell



Chris Birbaum



Erin Boll



Chris Brock



Christina Brouillard



Krista Burk



Annalee Butler



Jorge Canales



Laura Canterbury



Eric Castaneda



Julia Cervantes



Polly Clark



Sandy Cummings



Franny Davis



David DeBault



Timothy De Leon



Farrah Detmer



Meredith Dewey



Shaun Dougherty



Marisa Duran



Xavier Flores

Freshmen



Jeanette Garcia



Matthew Garcia



Elizabeth Gaston



Michael Gauss



Richard Gilley



Stephanie Graf



Roman Greene



Aaron Gutierrez



Alyssa Gutierrez



Amy Hall



Michael Hamil



Keith Hammes



Lindsey Hazlewood



Sara Hein



John Hetzel



Laury Hilliard



Jason Hinojosa



Radhesh Janaki



Hilaria Juarez



Leandra Juarez



Christi Jurecko



Amit Kaluskar



Kimberly Kelley



Lauren Kemp

Freshmen



Michelle Kim



Kristine Laudadio



Ricky Lopez-Guerra



Erick Maurer



Michelle McCoy



Thomas McGettrick



Hunt McKee



Adel Medina



Carrie Mena



Cynthia Meza



Melissa Miller



Jose Mireles



Elizabeth Neipert



Eryn O'Connor



Solomon Ortiz



Evelyn Pena



Eddie Perez



Yvette Petril



Cheryl Pizarro



Elaine Pollack



Megan Price



Kathy Quinn



Teresa Reyna



Keri Richards

Freshmen



Jed Rollins



Jeffrey Rubio



Deidre Saenz



Elizabeth Saieh



John Salazar



John Paul Salinas



Lance Smith



Joseph Stillman



Jean Tabone



Tony Tijerina



Brigid Tinning



Cathy Torres



Jonathan Vacca



Albert Vargas



Heather Walker



Lee Wilson



Michael Yuras



Freshman Amy Hall downs it up during initiation days.



Freshman Initiation!

The entire school had a good time welcoming the new crop of Freshmen. Lane Smith and Tommy McGettrick, at left, were decked out in frills for the afternoon. Michelle Kim, below, showed off her boots and tiger skin, while Jose Mirell found his way through the lunch line and "Sister" Brigid Tinning worried about her skirt length.



Freshmen, like Amit Kaluskar, were off and running in 1991-92. Coach Kim Hamlin managed to take a break with her girls' P.E. class.



A Freshman U.S. History class listens attentively as guest speaker State Sen. Carlos Truan outlines election plans.



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ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY



Sr. Agnes Marie Tengler
Principal



Mr. George Potter
Asst. Principal



Dr. Michael Dubiaga
Curriculum Director
Fine Arts Chairman
Humanities
World History



Mrs. Lynda Richter
Secretary



Rev. Don Downey
Campus Ministry
Counseling



Miss Mary Esther Espinosa
Registrar
Pre-Algebra

Guidance and Counseling



Sr. Camelia Herlihy
Counseling Chairman



Ms. Allie Young
College and Career Counselor



Sr. Damian Ordener



Sr. Caroline Fritter
Student Records

Library



Mrs. Jennifer Davis
Chairman
of
Library Dept.



Sr. Lou Ella Hickman

Faculty



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Religion Dept. Chairman
Religion I and III
World Geography



Sr. Catherine Brehony
Mathematics Dept. Chairman
Calculus
Geometry
Algebra II



Rev. Bruce Chabot
Religion IV



Mrs. Merita Chenaus
Foreign Language Dept. Chrmn.
Spanish III and IV
Religion II



Mrs. Ana Marie Davis
Religion IV
Spanish I



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Business Dept. Chairman
Computer Science
Personal Business Mgmt.
Typing



Mrs. Jennifer Duran
Social Studies Dept. Chairman
Journalism/Photojournalism
U.S. History
Creative Writing



Mrs. Renate Ewart
Science Dept. Chairman
Chemistry I and II



Mrs. Cindy Farmer
Dance



Sr. Agnes Marie handles the flood of paperwork at the school's main counter.



Mr. Reynaldo Garcia
Health/PE
World History



Mrs. Anne Keehan
Geometry
Religion I



Mrs. Suzan King
English III
U.S. History



Mrs. Glenda Kinzel
English II
Advanced Reading
Psychology



Miss Kimberly Hamlin
Health/PE
U.S. History



Mr. Matt Harmon
Band
Choir



Mrs. Andrea Hasse
English I
Theatre Arts
Debate



Mrs. Margaret Kounkel
English Dept. Chairman
English III and IV



Mrs. Maria Elena Landivar
Spanish II



Mrs. Dolores Leija
Spanish I



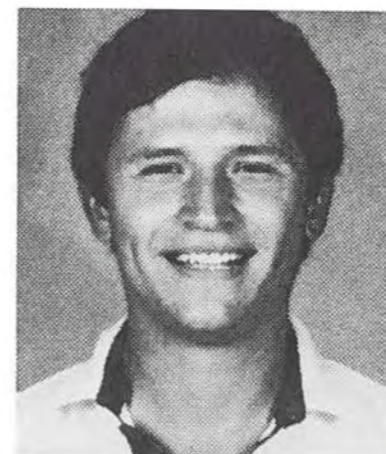
Mrs. Debra Hernandez
Biology I



Mrs. Gail Huie
Latin I



Mr. Emilio Jimenez
English I
Religion I and IV



Mr. James McMinn
Athletics
U.S. Government
Economics



Mr. Raymond Perrone
Physics
Trigonometry
Algebra II



Mrs. Adrien Shelton
Art
Drawing
Painting



Mrs. Nancy Sulik
French I, II, III and IV



Mrs. Mafalda Torres
General Drafting



Mrs. Virginia Waller
Algebra I



Mr. Casper Wenzel
Physical Education Dept. Chairman
Athletics
Physical Science

*Discover the excitement
of teaching!*



Mr. Perrone makes a point to his Physics class.



Mrs. Ewart explains a dynamic chemistry theory.

Central Offices



Sr. Martha Ann Snapka
President
Incarnate Word Academy



Malcolm Smith
Business Manager



Mrs. Gerry Thomson
Treasurer



Sr. Brenda Thompson
Alumni Director



Mrs. Dee Gillece
Administrative Secretary
Director of Financial Assistance Prog.

DISCOVER OUR EXCELLENCE!

IWA captures first place in TAPPS academic competition

Incarnate Word Academy pulled off a repeat of its first place win in the Academic portion of the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools (TAPPS) competition in Waco.

Students whose performance helped achieve the first place win include Soon Chun Kim, with a first place in Calculator, Marc Lickteig, with first place in History, and Chuck Walker with a first in Mathematics.

Second place awards went to Anthony Rivera in Calculator, Michael Hahn in Keyboarding and Patrick Keehan in Mathematics.

Third place finishes were earned by Kristen Chamberlin in Number Sense and Amber Puckett in Prose Interpretation. Fourth place awards went to Meg Ando in Calculator and Kelly Chamberlin in Spelling. Fifth place winners were Jeff Brock in Number Sense, Bill Murphy in Prose Interpreta-

tion, and Anne Pizarro in Ready Writing. Jeff Brock also placed sixth in Science.

The Music competition was highlighted by Toma Pyle's performance, with a superior rating and a first place overall in Woodwind Solos. The large vocal girls' ensemble and the high school band received excellent ratings.

The State win in academics came on the heels of a District win in competition that was conducted at IWA in March.



Alex Narvaez accepts award from Dr. Michael Dubiaga during District TAPPS meet at IWA.



IWA Junior Krishna Mulukutla examines a piece of sculpture to try to determine its maneuverability through IWA halls during the District TAPPS competition.



Registration went smoothly for host IWA at the District level.



IWA choir heads to State competition.

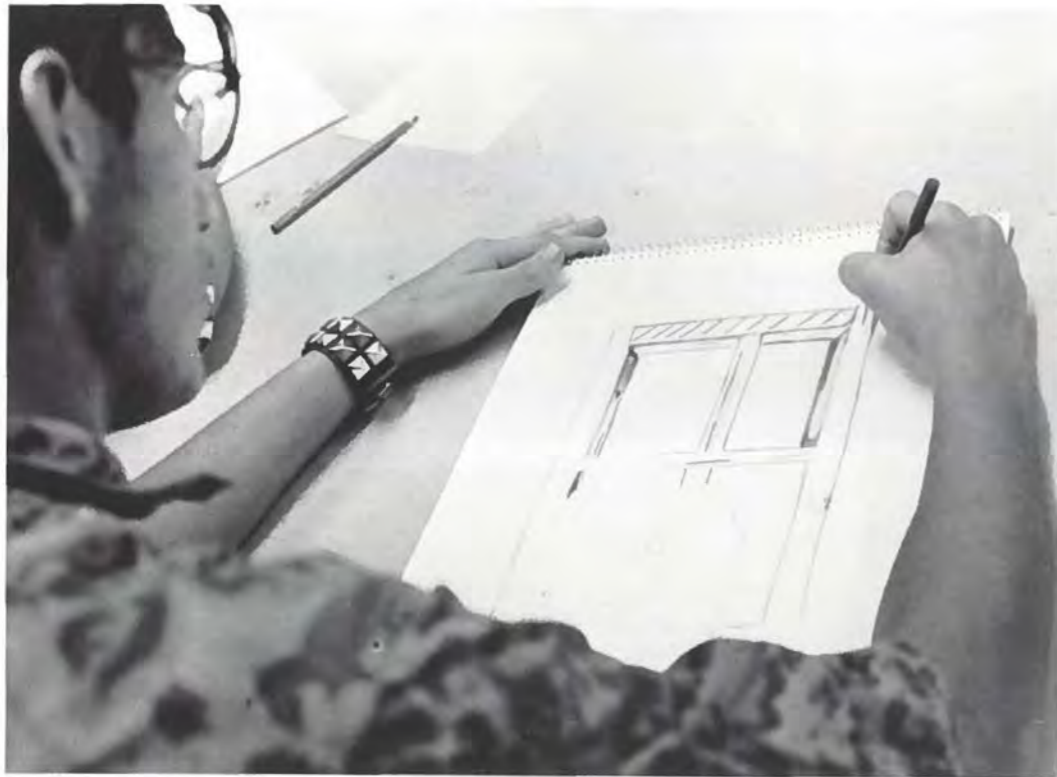
DISCOVER OUR FINE ARTS

"Bye, Bye, Birdie"

"We love you, Conrad, oh, yes, we do!" IWA Junior Israel Garcia starred in the title role of Conrad Birdie, patterned after the life of rock and roll star Elvis Presley. Israel's "Birdie" character left such an impression on the younger female students of the IWA campus that the girls sang Conrad Birdie's theme song for months after the play. The musical was presented at the Harbor Playhouse and was attended by students from all schools on the IWA campus. Faculty "stars" in the musical were Asst. Principal Mr. George Potter, Mr. Raymond Perrone, and Ms. Anne Delk.



Art



Artists at Work

Art students Emilio Patino, above, Colleen Byrne and David Brandesky work on their drawings for TAPPS competition.

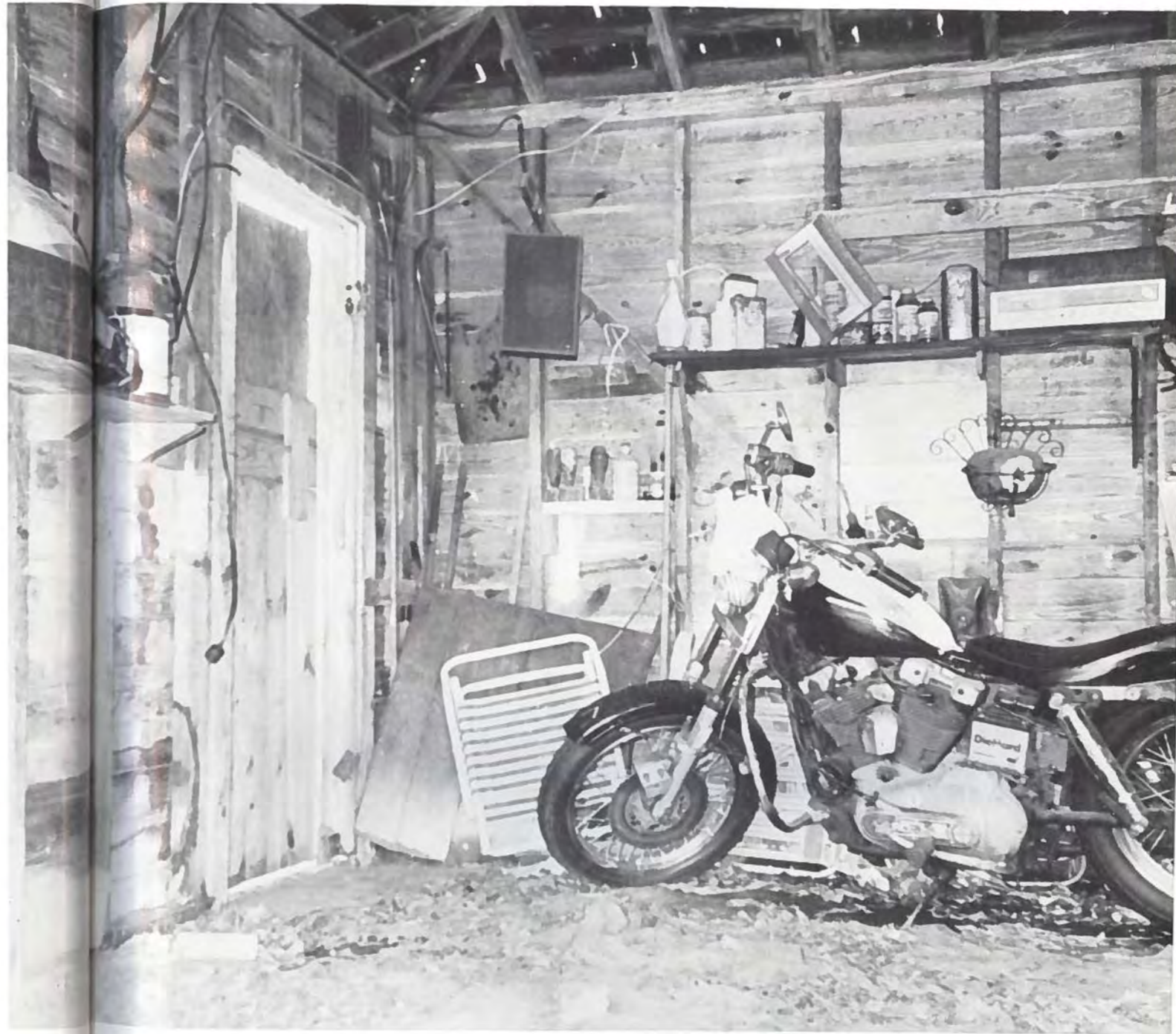


Artists Emilio Patino and Michael Castillo collaborated on artwork during the year. This example is part of an illustration for a story in Creative Writing.

Photography



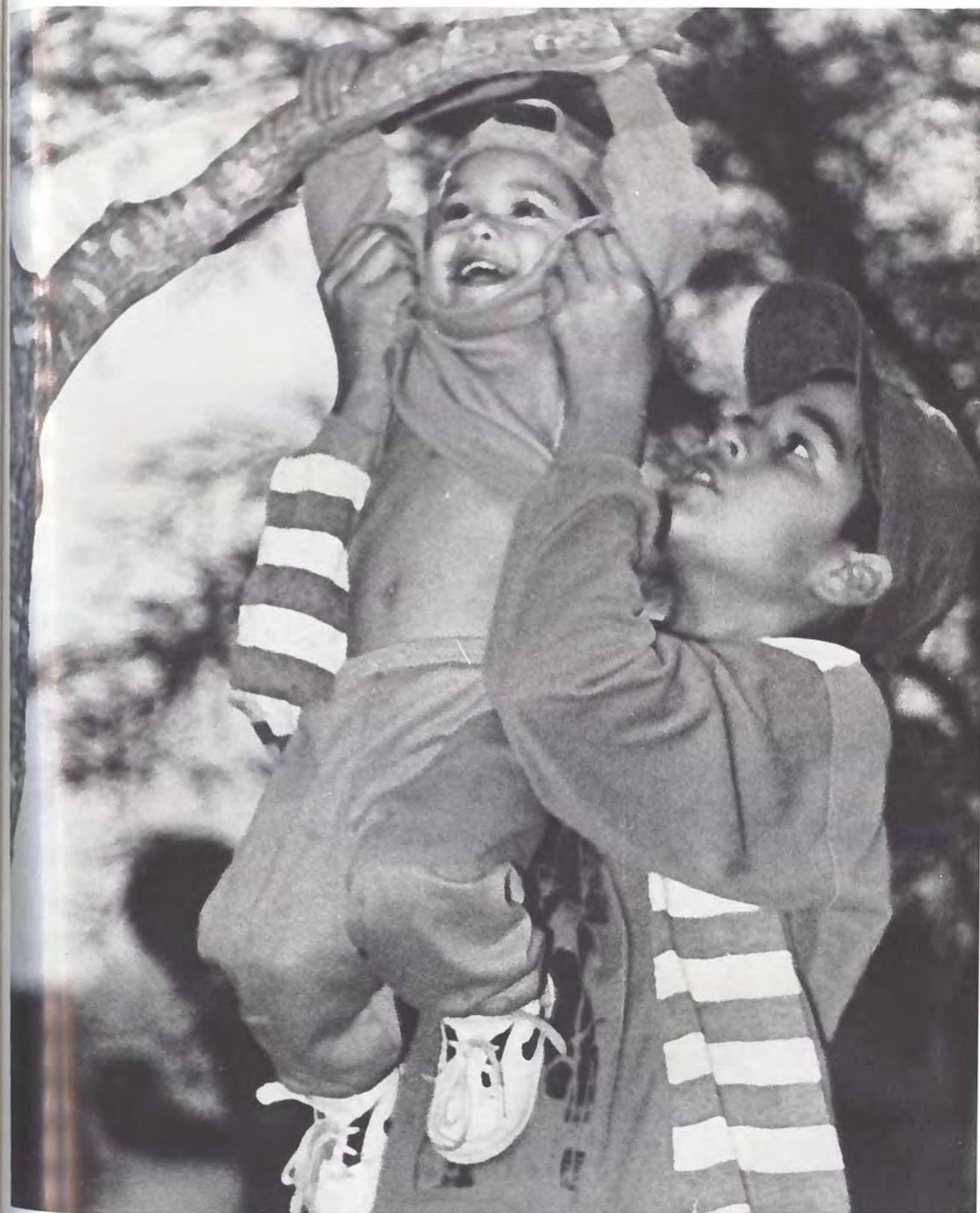
A bright-eyed youngster in one of Incarnate Word's Montessori classes captured the attention of Photojournalism student Nieves Cerda.



This scene, reminiscent of the James Dean era, was photographed by Kenyon Ripple.



James Pirtle's "Recession 1992" photo above placed fifth in TAPPS District competition. Anna Lisa Sepeda's photo below placed fourth and Priscilla Alvarez' "Helping Hand" on page at right placed second.



Band and Choir



IWA Band

Front row, left to right: Celeste Peek, Norman Gonzalez, John Beers, Raquel Nelson, Margo Viera, Olivia Silva, Farrah Detmer.
 Second row, left to right: Toma Pyle, Jean Tabone, Dana Shaw, Kelly Chamberlin, Michelle Rodriguez, Cheryl Pizarro, Cynthia Meza.
 Third row, left to right: Jeff Brock, Daniel Vasquez, Eric Castaneda, Chris Brock, Band Director Mr. Matt Harmon.
 Top row, left to right: Jonathan Vacca, Jimmy Holcomb, Martin Fox, Eddie Garza, Amy Hall, Kenneth Trevino, Ray Arellano.



IWA Choir

Front row, left to right: Choir Director Mr. Matt Harmon, Teresa Garcia, Anna Lisa Sepeda, Priscilla Durbin, Rebecca Olivo, Bianca Calderon, Meg Ando.
 Middle row, left to right: Allison Jurecko, Patricia Villarreal, Heather Walker, Kris Garza, Bill Murphy.
 Top row, left to right: Priscilla Alvarez, Shannan Greenwood, Paul Laudadio, Louis Doctor, Odile Rodriguez, Anne Murray.





IWA Bands



At Play!



Discover Our Class Favorites



Schoolwide Favorites

Ms. and Mr. Schoolwide Favorites Amy Bailey and Michael Perez are flanked by Mr. and Ms. Schoolwide Spirit Adam Farrell and Kristie Arispe.



Senior Favorites

Left to right: Most Handsome Michael Perez, Most Popular Kristie Arispe, Most Likely to Succeed Anthony Rivera, Most Beautiful Elia Alaniz, Most Representative Lee Hinojosa, Best All-Around Colleen Byrne.



Junior Favorites

Left to right: Most Popular Melinda Benys, Most Handsome Adam Farrell, Most Beautiful Lisa Ramirez, Most Representative Krishna Mulukutla, Best All-Around Andrea Garcia.



Sophomore Favorites

Left to right: Most Beautiful Amy Bailey, Most Handsome Jason Zamora, Most Representative Rebecca Pollard, Best All-Around Doug Matey, Most Popular Keverne Williams.



Freshman Favorites

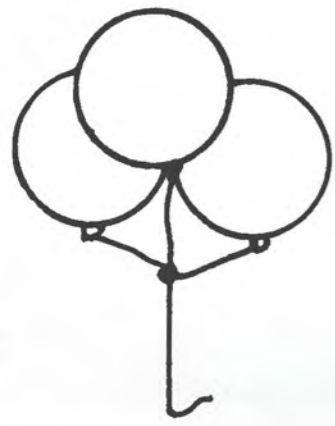
Left to right: Most Popular Polly Clark, Most Representative Brigid Tinning, Most Handsome John Hetzel, Best All-Around Keri Richards, Most Beautiful Yvette Petril.

DISCOVER

THE MAGIC OF MARDI GRAS



Prom Queen Elia Alaniz and King Michael Perez



PROM COURT



Prom royalty included, **Left to right:** Second Duke Josh Smith, Second Duchess Terry Castillo, First Duke Miguel Berastain, First Duchess Melinda Benys, Queen Elia Alaniz, King Michael Perez, Princess Anissa Norrell and Prince Paul Laudadio.

Discover the Fun of Prom!





DISCOVER HOMECOMING IN MOSCOW



Homecoming Court

Left to right: Princess and Prince, Melinda Benys and Adam Farrell; Queen and King, Amy Bailey and Miguel Berastain; Duke and Duchess, Kevin Laudadio and Andrea Garcia.

DISCOVER OUR ORGANIZATIONS

IWA's clubs and organizations, including its governing body and honors groups, provide the opportunity for service to the school community outside regular classroom activities. The organizations highlighted in this section give an example of how students can give that extra measure of service.

Class Officers

Seniors

Toma Pyle
Colleen Byrne
Elia Alaniz
Aparna Katragadda

Juniors

Adam Farrell
Andy Garcia
Marty Gonzalez

Sophomores

Amy Bailey
Doug Matey
Adrienne Labbe
Shannon Byrne

Freshmen

Keri Richards
Laura Canterbury
Polly Clark
Brigid Tinning



Student Council

Sponsor: Sr. Henri Amador

Front row, left to right: Sr. Henri, Brigid Tinning, Amy Bailey, Stephanie Ayars, Keri Richards, Colleen Byrne.
Second row, left to right: Toma Pyle, Theresa Garcia, Rebecca Pollard, Melissa Briones, Andy Garcia, Adam Farrell, Annie Garcia, Dana Shaw.
Third row, left to right: Amanda Atkins, Elia Alaniz, Shannon Dawes, Lalena Sanchez, Lisa Ramirez, Kathleen Tinning, Anthony Rivera, Shannon Byrne, Miguel Berastain.



National Honor Society

Sponsor: Mrs. Cathy Hill

Front: Kevin Laudadio and Colleen Byrne
Second row, left to right: Krishna Mulukutla, John Tinning, Brian Lambert, Anne Pizarro, Irene Cervantes, Dana Shaw, Marie Vasquez, Rebecca Pollard.
Third row, left to right: Chuck Walker, Toma Pyle, Miguel Berastain, Aparna Katragadda, Ashley Abernathy, Adrienne Labbe, Priscilla Durbin, Kristen Chamberlin, Anissa Norrell.
Top row, left to right: Marc Lickteig, William Hegedus, Patrick Keehan, Lalena Sanchez, Carey Mader (down slightly), Anthony Rivera (above), Paul Kaler, Doug Matey, Shannon Dawes, Kelly Chamberlin, Martha Ocker, Gabriella Dewey, Miguel Escobar, Amber Puckett, Shelley Steward.
Not shown: Melinda Benys, Melissa Briones, Shannon Byrne, Hillary Casstevens, Marty Gonzalez, Michael Hahn, Soon Chun Kim, Melissa Pearson, Erin Quinn, Kathleen Tinning.



Mu Alpha Theta (Math Honor Society)

Sponsor: Sr. Catherine Brehony

Front, left to right: John Tinning, Philip Kost, Krishna Mulukutla, Irene Cervantes, Kevin Laudadio, Marie Vasquez, Colleen Byrne, Sr. Catherine.
Second row, left to right: Marty Gonzalez, Chuck Walker, Miguel Berastain, Rebecca Pollard, Shannon Dawes, Kelly Chamberlin, Gabriella Dewey, Soon Chun Kim.
Top row, left to right: Marc Lickteig, Kenyon Ripple, Toma Pyle, Stephen Lickteig, Anthony Rivera, Patrick Keehan, William Hegedus, Ashley Abernathy, Martha Ocker, Dana Shaw, Shelley Steward.
Not shown: Sallee Moore, Melissa Pearson.



Octagon Club

Sponsor: Mrs. Anne Keehan

Front row, left to right: Jean Tabone, Soon Chun Kim, Amy Bailey, Mrs. Keehan.

Second row, left to right: Dana Shaw, Kristen Chamberlin, Merry Dewey, Rebecca Olivo, Kathleen Tinning, Patti Hahn, Rhonda Elmilady.

Top row: Ashley Abernathy, Farrah Detmer, Aparna Katragadda, Patrick Keehan, Rebecca Pollard, Danell Odom, Lee Hinojosa, Toma Pyle, Martha Ocker, Lalena Sanchez.



Octagon Club members Patrick Keehan, Dana Shaw, Martha Ocker, Aparna Katragadda and Danell Odom pitched in for beach clean-up. Bill Murphy, Annie Garcia, Lalena Sanchez, Merry Dewey and Israel Garcia also helped in this club project.



Junior State

Sponsors: Coach James McMinn

Mrs. Jennifer Duran

Front row, left to right: Jeff Brock, Patti Hahn, Rebecca Pollard, Shannon Dawes, Martha Ocker, Philip Kost.

Back row: Shannon Byrne, Amy Bailey, Anthony Rivera, Melissa Pearson, Kathleen Tinning, Robert Murray, Jonathan Vacca.



French Club

Sponsor: Mrs. Nancy Sulik

Members shown: Mrs. Sulik, James Pirtle, Gabriella Dewey, Jeff Brock, Sallee Moore and Melinda Benys (foreground), Raquel Nelson, Kris Laudadio, Tricia Laudadio, Hilaria Juarez, Eryn O'Connor, John Hetzel, Amit Kaluskar.



Nike Career Club

Sponsor: Ms. Allie Young

Front row: Melissa Pearson, Shannon Byrne, Brigid Tinning, Keri Richards, Ms. Young.
Back row: Leigh Richardson, Franny Davis, Soon Chun Kim, Heather Casstevens, Doug Matey, Amy Bailey, Lee Hinojosa, Anthony Rivera, Kathleen Tinning, Patti Hahn.



Christians for Life

Sponsor: Mr. Emilio Jimenez

Seated: Soon Chun Kim, Danell Odom, Annie Garcia.
Standing: Keri Richards, Brigid Tinning, Alyssa Gutierrez.



NHS inducts new members.

Drama/Thespians

Sponsor: Mrs. Andrea Hasse

Seated, left to right: Shannon Greenwood, Amber Puckett, Soon Chun Kim, Jeff Brock, Kelly Chamberlin, Dana Shaw (leaning).
Standing: Toma Pyle, Shannon Dawes, Bill Murphy, Kenneth Trevino, Amy Bailey, Daphne Hoddinott.



Philip Kost presents debate issue at Junior State convention.

1991-92 Highliters



Top of "V": Allison Jurecko, Michelle Donaldson, Melissa Briones, Alison Pierick.
Left side, descending: Jennifer Craddock, Carey Mader, Daphne Hoddinott, Clarissa Garcia, Yvette Martinez.
Right side, descending: Sheila Snapka, Ashley Abernathy, Shelley Steward, Adrienne Labbe, Leigh Gaut.



Publications



Journalism class gets a surprise visit from Police Chief Henry Garrett as part of a nine-week exam on interviewing.

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Photo by Terry Castillo
1st Place TAPPS District Competition



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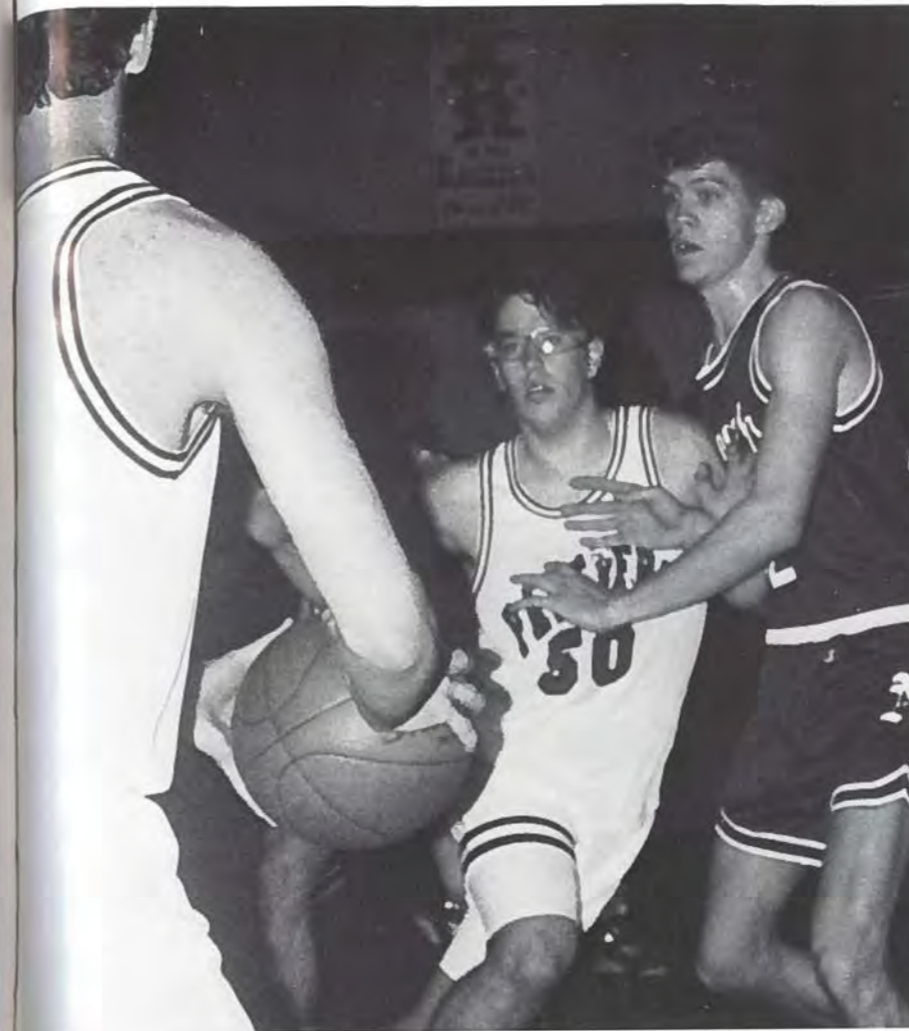
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Varsity Angels Basketball



Back row, left to right: Nieves Cerda, Michael Owen, Paul Kaler, Adam Farrell, Marcus Colwell, Anthony Rivera, Paul Laudadio, Chad Colwell, Chuck Walker, Tif Siragusa.
Front row, left to right: Miguel Berastain, Michael Perez, Bill Henderson, Joseph Stillman, Juan Robles.



Pasul Laudadio tangles with the opposition in varsity game.



Coach Casper Wenzel delivers last-minute instructions to team members.

Varsity Lady Angels Basketball



Standing, left to right: Kathy Quinn, Cathy Torres, Melinda Benys, Rita Arispe, Kristie Arispe, Annalee Butler, Sara Hein.
Kneeling, left to right: Jeannette Garcia, Stephanie Rebecsek, Erin Quinn, Elaine Pollack.



Coach James McMinn led the Varsity Lady Angels to the TAPPS State tournament in February, with a team that included six freshmen. Returning Senior Kristie Arispe played strong throughout the season. The State title slipped from grasp, but the team's dynamic season was remarkable after its early shaky start.



Junior Varsity Angels Basketball



Front row, left to right: Doug Matey, Ramsey Rodriguez, Chris Herrington, Michael Escobar, John Narvaez, John Zapata.
Middle row, left to right: Brian Lambert, Tim Murphy, Mark Gomez, Kevin Hardeman, B. J. Gregg, Jason Zamora, Krishna Mulukutla.
Back row, left to right: Juan Eguia, Chad Luhan, David Brandesky, Rus Richards, Gabriel Yanes.

Junior Varsity Lady Angels Basketball



Front row, left to right: Marisa Duran, Erin Quinn, Jessica Guerra, Leigh Richardson, Nicole Petrila, Hillary Casstevens, Sara Hein, Leandra Juarez.
Middle row, left to right: Mary Reumuth, Annalee Butler, Cathy Torres, Rita Arispe, Yvette Petrila, Eryn O'Connor, Kathy Quinn, Michelle McCoy.
Back row, left to right: Marianne Roff, Michelle Collins, Elaine Pollack, Stephanie Graf, Crystal Ali, Shaun Dougherty, Alyson Neale, Itza Perez.

Freshman Angels Basketball



Front row, left to right: Tim DeLeon, Lance Smith, Tommy McGettrick, Ricky Lopez-Guerra, Tony Tijerina.
Back row, left to right: Hunt McKee, Jason Hinojosa, Richard Gilley, Jose Mireles, Eddie Perez, Eric Maurer.

Freshman Lady Angels Basketball



Front row, left to right: Marisa Duran, Elaine Pollack, Cathy Torres, Sara Hein, Yvette Petrila, Eryn O'Connor, Kathy Quinn.
Back row, left to right: Michelle McCoy, Annalee Butler, Leandra Juarez, Stephanie Graf, Crystal Ali, Shaun Dougherty.

Angels Soccer



Front row, left to right: Louis Doctor, Jeff Brock, Jimmy Holcomb, Kevin Hammes, John Scherer, B. J. Gregg, Bill Henderson.
Middle row, left to right: Michael Prejean, Keith Hammes, John Paul Salinas, Marcus Canales, Kevin Hardeman, Chris Brock.
Back row, left to right: Israel Garcia, Marc Lickteig, Roger Serna, Robert Sheffey.



Coach Reynaldo Garcia maps out strategy to IWA's soccer team as team members prepare to take on tough competition.

Angels Cross Country



Front row, left to right: Chad Colwell, Adam Farrell, Chuck Walker, Chris Herrington.
Back row, left to right: Aaron Rios, Mark Gomez, Ramsey Rodriguez, Brian Lambert, Mark Olivo.

Lady Angels Cross Country



Front row, left to right: Melinda Benys, Rita Arispe, Rebecca Pollard, Elaine Pollack, Annalee Butler.
Middle row, left to right: Erin Quinn, Michelle Collins, Hillary Casstevens, Priscilla Durbin.
Back row, left to right: Martha Ocker, Kristie Arispe, Anissa Norrell.

Angels Track



Front row, left to right: Miguel Berastain, Tommy McGettrick, Michael Owen, Adam Farrell.
Middle row, left to right: Mark Gomez, Chris Herrington, Aaron Rios, B. J. Gregg, Ramsey Rodriguez, Mark Olivo.
Back row, left to right: Paul Kaler, Bill Henderson, Chad Colwell.

Lady Angels Track



Front row, left to right: Erin Quinn, Cathy Torres, Leandra Juarez, Kathy Quinn, Yvette Pettila, Mary Reumuth, Annalee Butler.
Middle row, left to right: Hillary Casstevens, Melinda Benys, Elizabeth Neipert, Jessica Guerra, Michelle McCoy, Crystal Ali, Michelle Collins.
Back row, left to right: Elaine Pollack, Anissa Norrell, Martha Ocker, Kristie Arispe, Sara Hein, Rebecca Pollard.

Off and running!

Senior Mark Olivo really left his "mark" on IWA. He leaves the school as a proven distance runner. Mark competed in both Cross Country and Track and served as captain of both teams.

Mark achieved back-to-back individual State championship wins in 1990 and 1991. He also holds the IWA record for the mile, 4:33, and the two-mile run, with 9:50. Mark placed first in the State finals in the 3200 meter run.

Other superb Cross Country performances this year were turned in by the Cross Country team of Ramsey Rodriguez, Mark Gomez, Chad Colwell, Chris Herrington, Chuck Walker, Michael Perez, Joseph Stillman, Adam Farrell and Aaron Rios. Mark Gomez joined Mark Olivo in placing on the All State and Cross Country teams. Mark Gomez ran his way to the first place title in the 1600 meter event.

Other outstanding performances were turned in by Miguel Berastain in the pole vault and Aaron Rios in the 800 meter run. Senior Martha Ocker put on a real show for the Lady Angels in track events, hurling a new school discus record of 122 feet, 10 inches, and a new State record of 118 feet, 3 inches.

The Lady Angels brought home a second place finish in State competition in Cross Country. The team included Seniors Kristie Arispe, Anissa Norrell and Martha Ocker, Junior Michelle Collins, Sophomores Rita Arispe, Hillary Casstevens, Priscilla Durbin and Rebecca Pollard, and Freshmen Elaine Pollack and Annalee Butler. Elaine was named to the All-State team.



Martha Ocker, right, set new records in the discus. Members of the State Champion Cross Country team included, front row, left to right: Ramsey Rodriguez, Joseph Stillman, Aaron Rios and Mark Gomez, flanked by, left to right, Chuck Walker, Adam Farrell, Captain Mark Olivo, and Chad Colwell.



Mark Olivo and his winning style!



Aaron Rios surges forward in the Whataburger Cross Country run.



"Coach, you said this was a 'fun' run!"

Angels Varsity Baseball

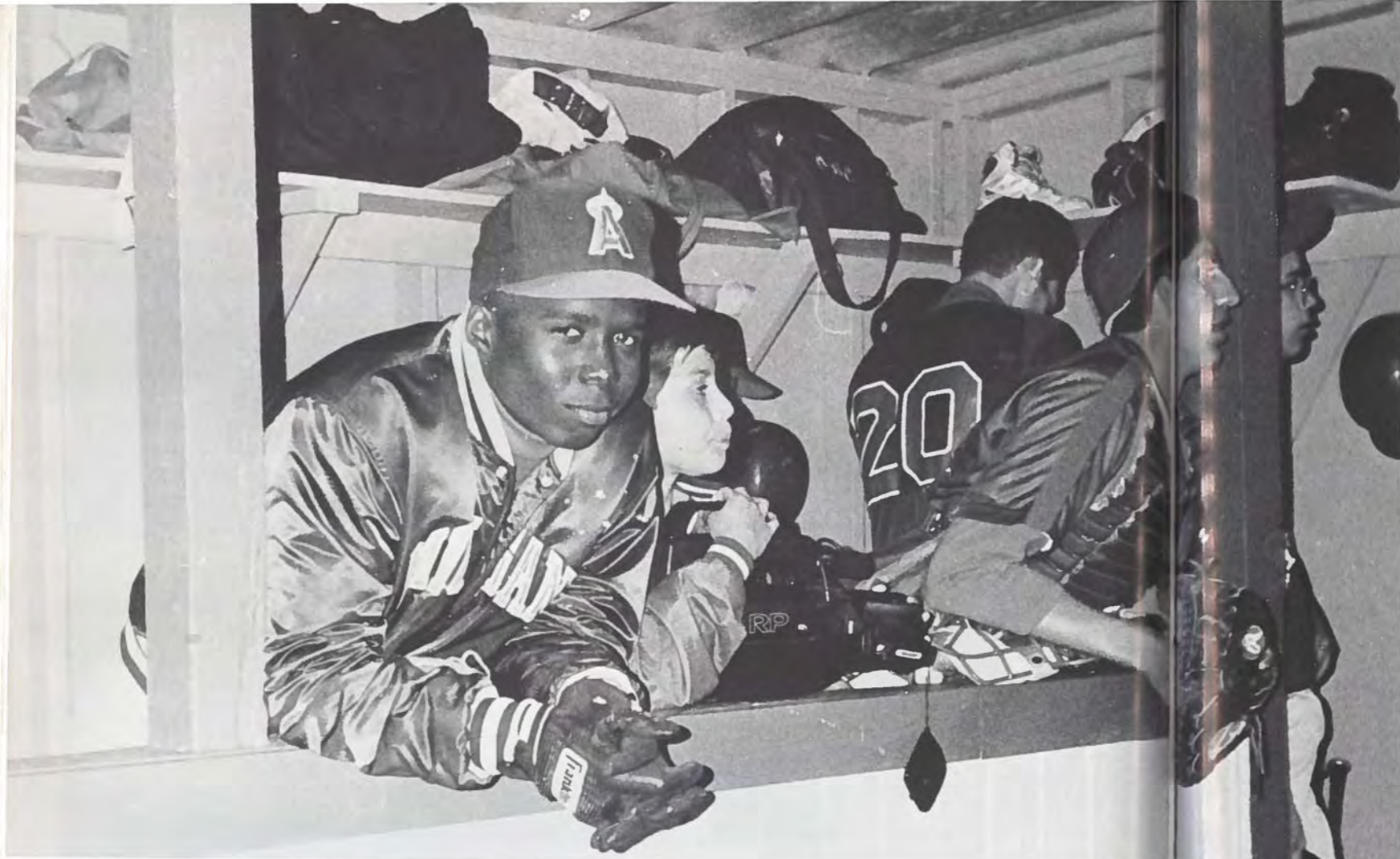


Kneeling, left to right: Kenneth Trevino, Keith Hammes, Jeff Rubio, Jorge Canales, Jarrett Adame, John Paul Salinas, Marcus Canales, Asst. Coach Rene Garcia.
Standing, left to right: Asst. Coach Henry Gonzalez, Carlos Chapa, Roger Serna, Louis Doctor, Marc Lickteig, Jeremy Meyer, Nieves Cerda, Eric Ramsower, Keith Hammes, Israel Garcia, Coach Reynaldo Garcia.

Angels Junior Varsity Baseball



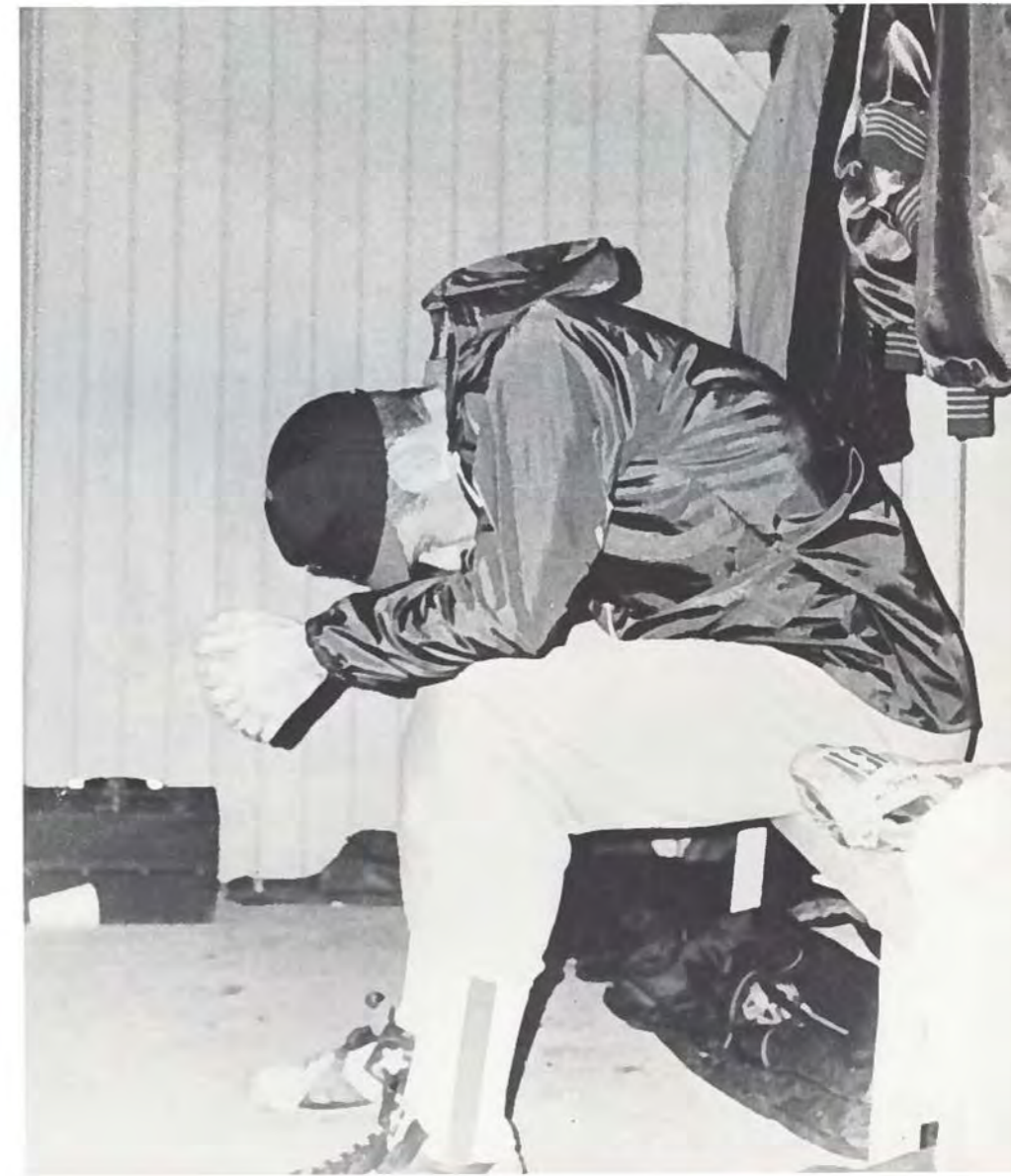
Front row, left to right: Jorge Canales, John Salazar, Solomon Ortiz, Michael Yuras, Jed Rollins, John Paul Salinas.
Middle row, left to right: Marty Gonzalez, Hunt McKee, John Narvaez, John Zapata, Gabriel Yanes, Jason Zamora, Roman Greene.
Back row, left to right: Brian Probert, Jarrett Adame, Jeff Rubio, John Hetzel, Eric Castaneda, Chris Brock, Keith Hammes, Michael Gauss.



The waiting is the worst.



Baseball coach Reynaldo Garcia keeps a close eye on the game.



Pitcher Jeremy Meyer shows the power of his pitch, in photo at left, and reflects quietly before a game, at right.

Angels Tennis

IWA's tennis team powered its way to two top spots in the state. Neil Tjon-Hing took the boys' singles title at State competition, while Michelle Prejean swept her way to the top girls' spot.

James Pirtle and Chad Luhan also qualified for the State meet by pounding away at their opponents at regionals. Amanda Atkins and Polly Clark took the girls' title in doubles at regional competition.



IWA tennis "stars" Neil Tjon-Hing and Michelle Prejean.



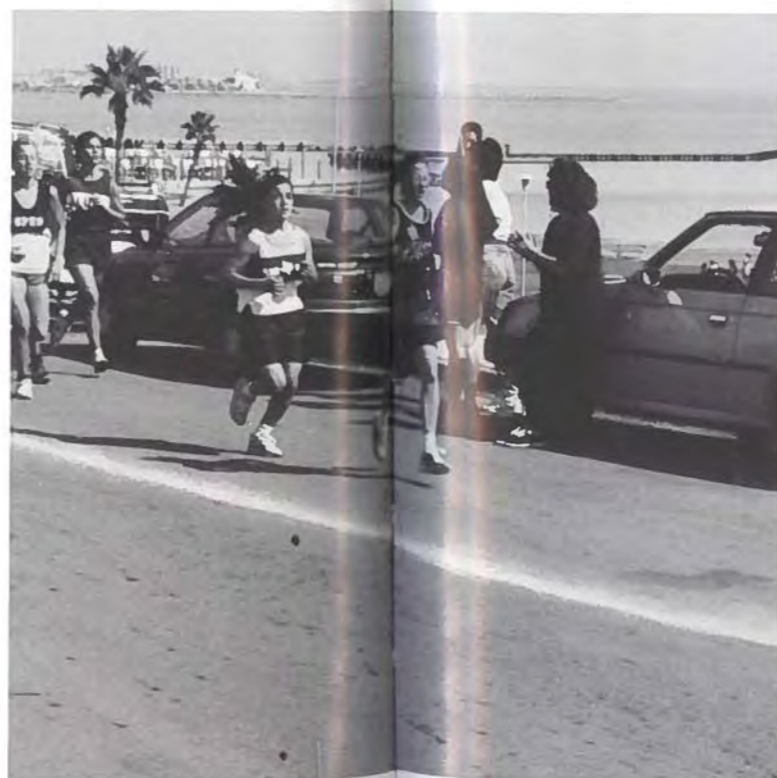
IWA Tennis Team

Front row, left to right: Coach Dave Cook, Laura Canterbury, Patti Hahn, Deidre Saenz, Polly Clark, Amanda Atkins.
Second row, left to right: Ben Smith, Victor Flores, James Pirtle, Michael Hahn, Chad Luhan, Rus Richards.



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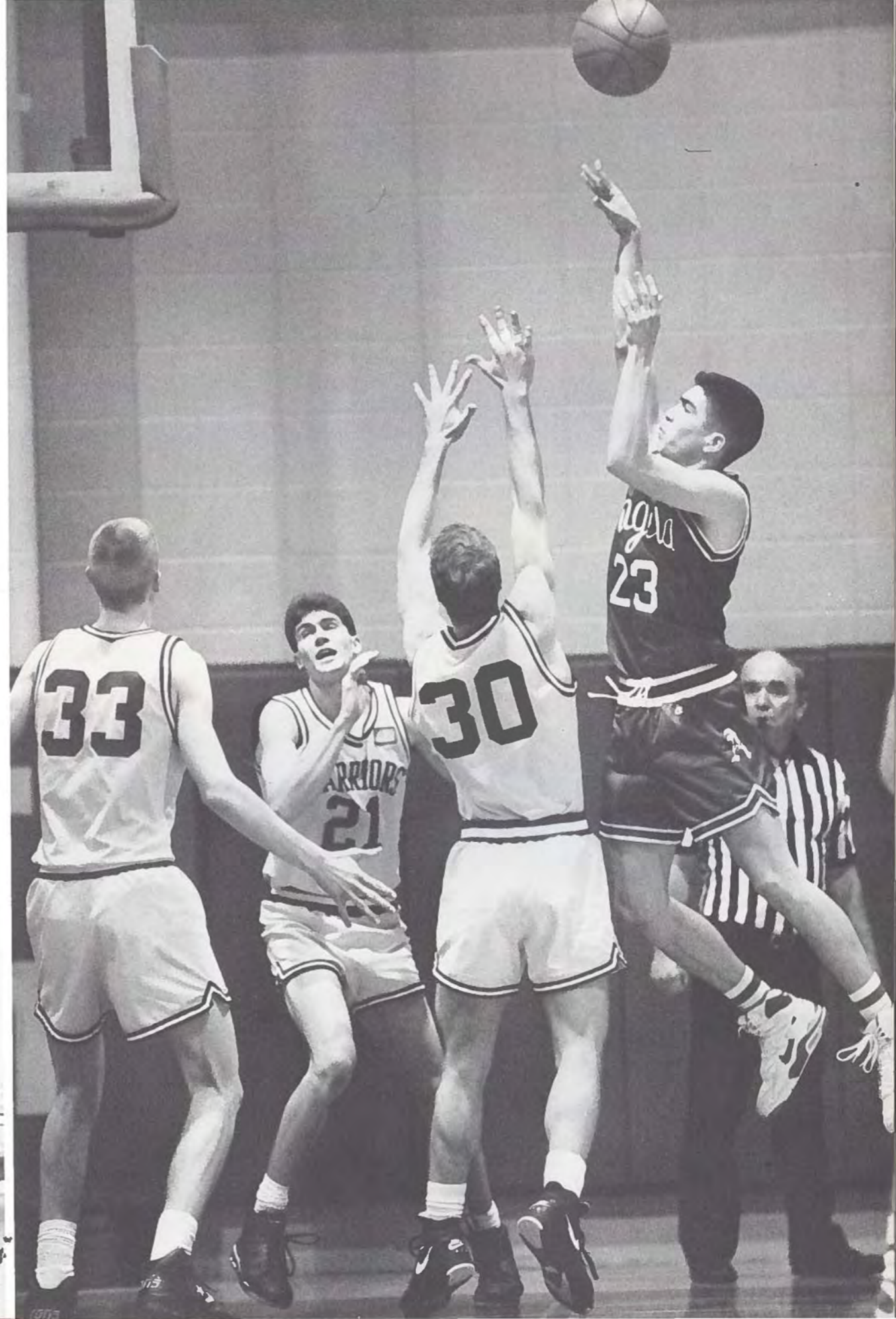
CANDIDS



Design by Roger Serna



Veteran Caller-Times Photographer George Tuley captured the dynamics of a Michael Perez shot in a game with Tuloso Midway, in photo at right.





DISCOVER OUR SPIRIT



IWA Varsity Cheerleaders

Front, center: Mascot Rebecca Olivo.
Seated, left to right: Kathleen Tinning, Karen Torres, Andrea Garcia, Heather Casstevens.
Standing, left to right: Tricia Laudadio, Toni Calderon, Amber Sahadi, Yoon Sin Kim, Lisa Ramirez.



IWA Junior Varsity Cheerleaders

Front: Rebecca Pollard, Christi Jurecko.
Back: Carrie Mena, Keri Richards.



DISCOVER . . . *the People and Events that make IWA special*

The 1992 school year marked the end of Sister Agnes Marie Tengler's long association with Incarnate Word High School. Retiring as Principal, Sister Agnes Marie will continue serving the order as Treasurer General. Friends gathered for a reception in her honor and to announce establishment of a scholarship in her name.



Celebration of Mass

Mass plays an important part in our Catholic community at Incarnate Word. It brings all of us together in peace and harmony . . . everyone is brought together in a loving manner and we are united as one under God.

Mass allows spiritual growth . . . it gives us precious time to meditate on our lives. Mass is a vital part of our lives.

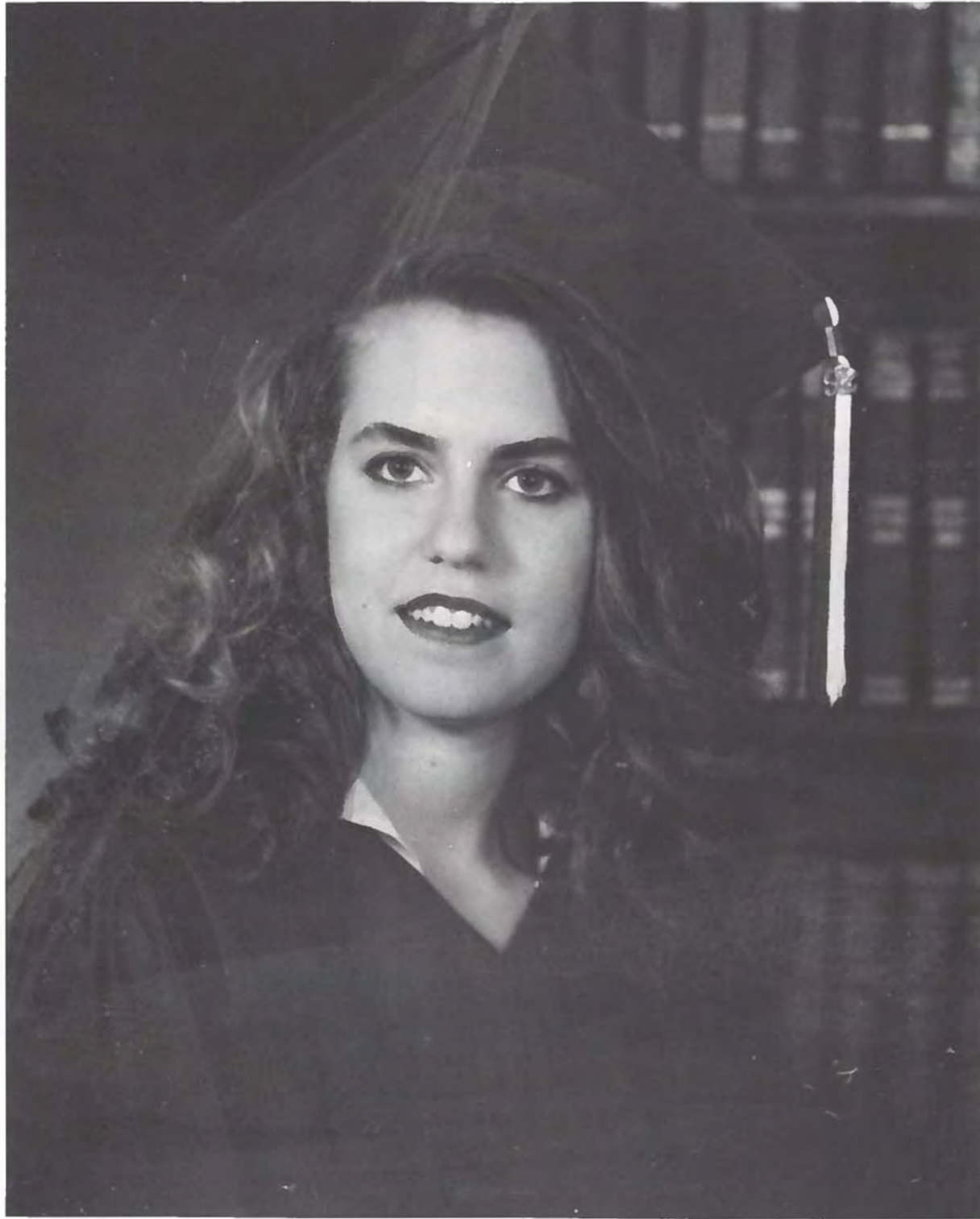
Marty Gonzalez



*Our Father,
who art in heaven . . .*



DISCOVER THE CLASS OF '92 . . .



Dana Shaw
Valedictorian



Kelly Chamberlin
Salutatorian



Anthony Rivera

TOP TEN	
Dana Shaw	99.79
Kelly Chamberlin	99.31
Anthony Rivera	98.9
Chuck Walker	98.42
Shannon Dawes	98.38
Toma Pyle	98.18
Martha Ocker	97.87
Gabriella Dewey	96.93
Colleen Byrne	96.81
Miguel Berastain	95.82



Chuck Walker



Shannon Dawes



Toma Pyle



Martha Ocker



Gabriella Dewey

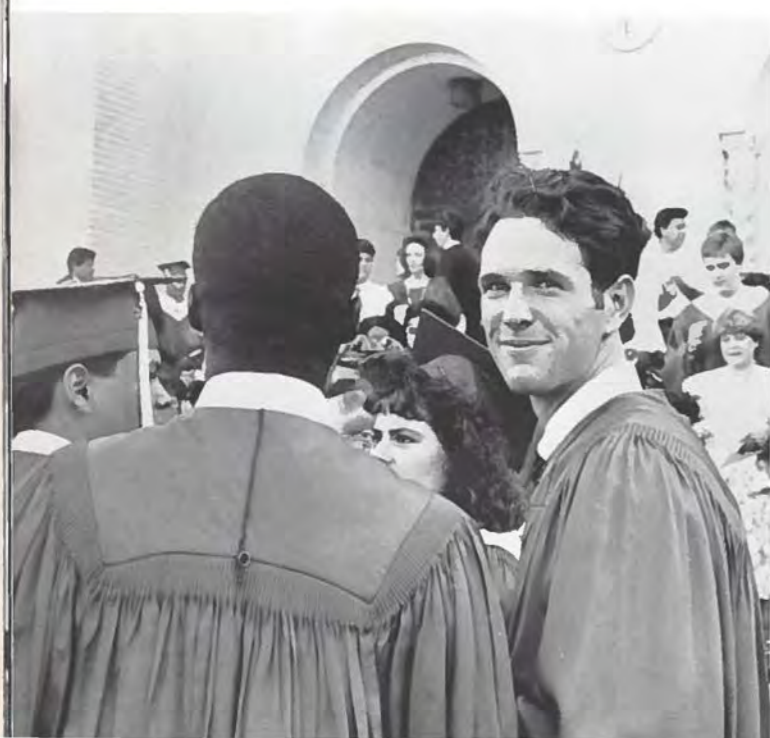


Colleen Byrne



Miguel Berastain





Why We're Special ... by Dana Shaw

... As I eagerly closed the junior high chapter of my book for life, two words seemed to stand out. YOU'RE SPECIAL. Some of you might remember our seventh grade teacher and the "special" poem she gave us to read daily. At the time I found little self-confidence or hope in the phrase, merely humor, but now, now things seem to make more sense.

... Now I see that our lives make a difference no matter what we do. Within our grasp is a power, potent, if recognized, to change or influence our world. What we say and do in our lives, whether insignificant or not, will have an effect on someone's life.

I now walk away from high school with a heart full of love, fun, tears, learning, experience and memories... from my first knee-knocking day in Sister Catherine's Geometry class to the announcement of my placement in band. I've conquered fears and often learned to appreciate what I threw aside as useless. We all have reason to be proud of ourselves for making it through, and, hopefully, leaving with something special in our hearts.

... Finally, I'd like to remember Chris Osbun and all of our loved ones who have fought endless battles with courage and strength. They made a positive difference in our lives. Perhaps, God gave them to us as examples, role models to strive for.

We are all very "special" people, and as we exit this auditorium and slowly step out of one another's lives, we'll know that somehow we're bound together. Our actions have all made a difference in one another's lives.

The True Measure of Success ... by Kelly Chamberlin

From the moment we are born, there is a little box inside our hearts. As we grow, the box begins to fill — fill with memories, values, expectations, and goals.

At this point in our lives, our hearts can give us direction and guidance in the future. The contents of the small, yet also infinite, box will be a huge determining factor of our futures. It is up to us to listen to the advice we are given by the box.

As we move on from high school to college, and later to families of our own, we have to decide on what is most important to us. Of course, everyone wants and hopes for success. But what exactly is success? How can we measure it? Is success being wealthy? Or is it being happy?

It has been said that, "He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often, and loved much."

This is something to think about.

... Every member of this graduating class will go off in his or her own direction after tonight. Each one of us will fill his or her own heart with different memories, goals and ideals as we go through life.

Hopefully, when we finally open the boxes of our hearts and sort through them, we will find that the section marked "SUCCESS" will be filled with happiness. If we start filling this box with happiness at this point in our lives, our future can behold anything we want. Happiness will bring all of our goals within reach.



Dana Shaw



Kelly Chamberlin



Michael Perez presents a special bouquet to Chris Osbun's family.



Anthony Rivera receives his diploma from Bishop Rene Gracida.





Seniors brought a rose in the memory of their classmate, Chris Osbun. Chris' mother, Mrs. Laura Osbun, told the students that Chris knew his time was limited — "However much time he had left, he wanted to enjoy as much as possible." Chris chose to return to school to be with his friends rather than travel and visit special places. "I want you to know just how special you were to Chris . . ."

HATS OFF TO THE CLASS OF '92!

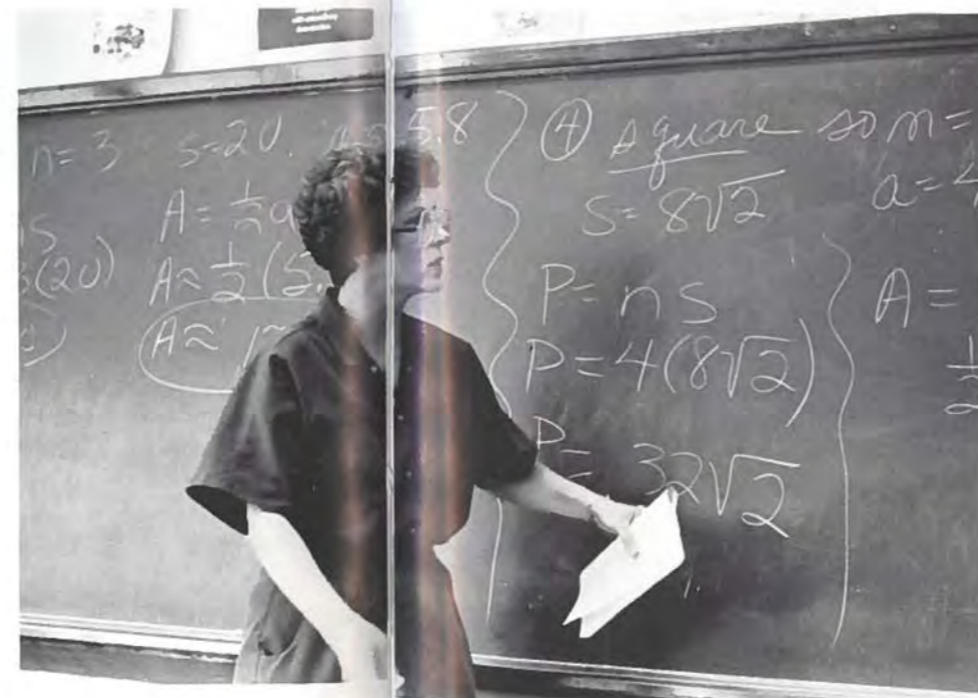


A Time of Discovery . . .

From the time of Columbus' discovery of America, to the recent discovery of AIDS, each day we seem to reveal a hidden secret. With time, our secrets are upgraded and things are never the same
Nicole Petrila

the next few pages offer a collection of memories for all who shared the passing year . . .

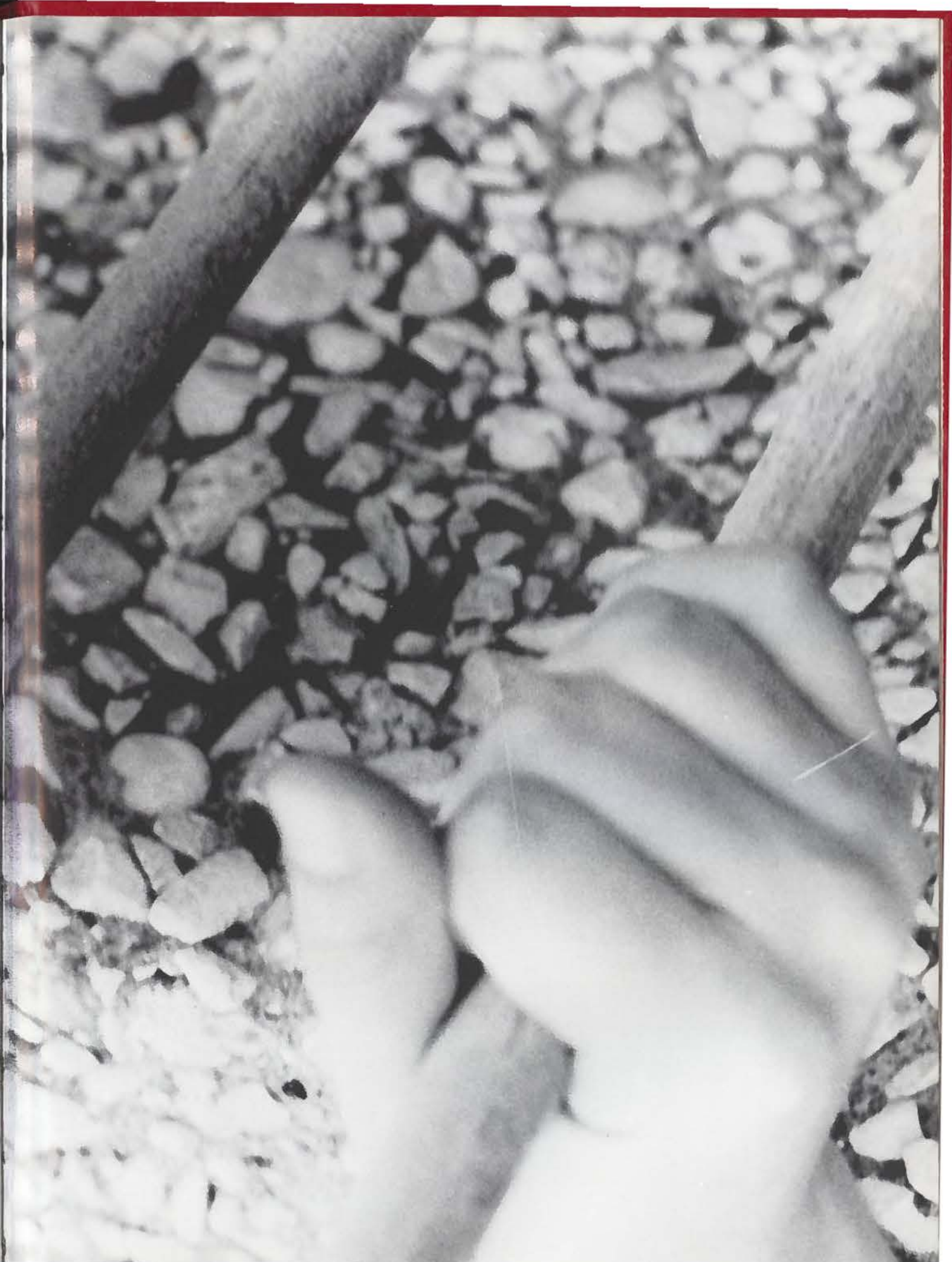
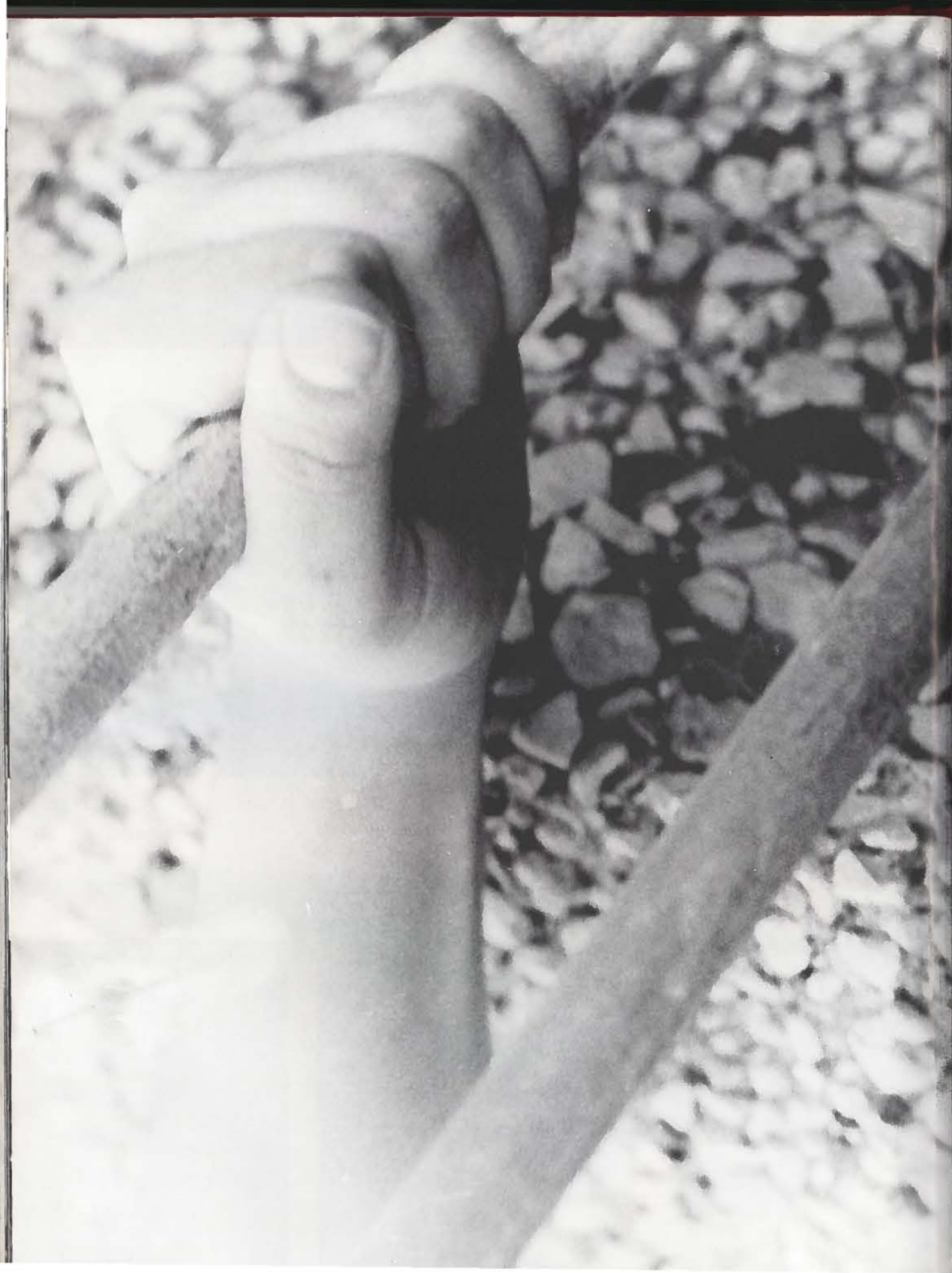






Lest We Forget . . .

1992 left us with memories of Desert Storm. Yoon Sin Kim's haunting photograph on the following page stirs memories of a war thirty years ago that left too many of our young men behind . . .



Discovery

*A newborn discovers life,
An infant discovers movement;
A baby discovers speech;
A child discovers love, carefulness, trouble, right from wrong;
A teenager discovers hurt, happiness, confusion;
An adult discovers the real world;
And an old person discovers that nothing else really matters except happiness and
living life to the fullest before it's over.*

— Colleen Fritz

