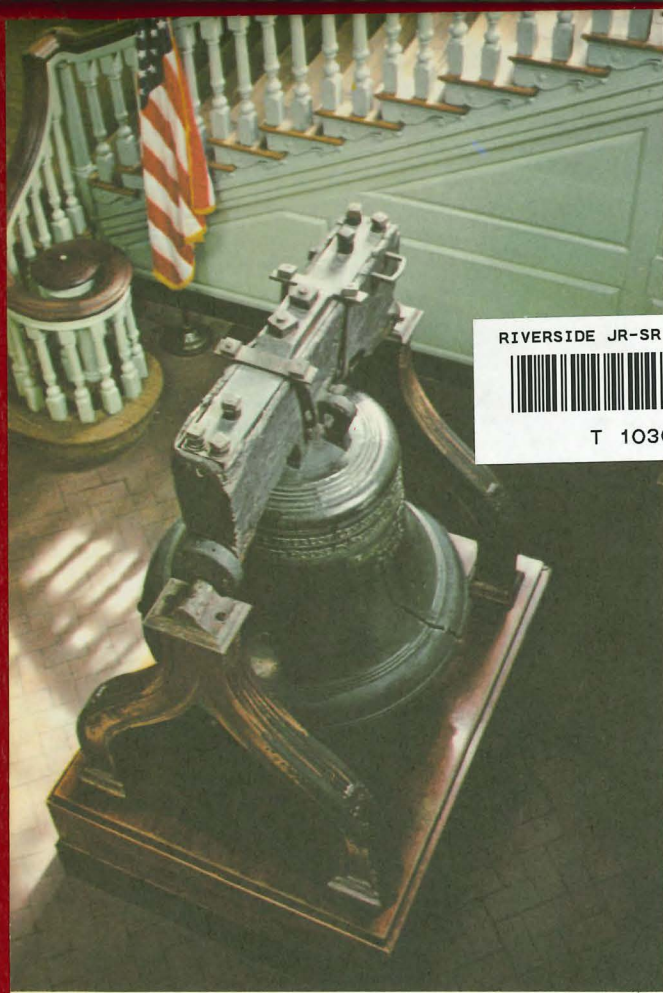


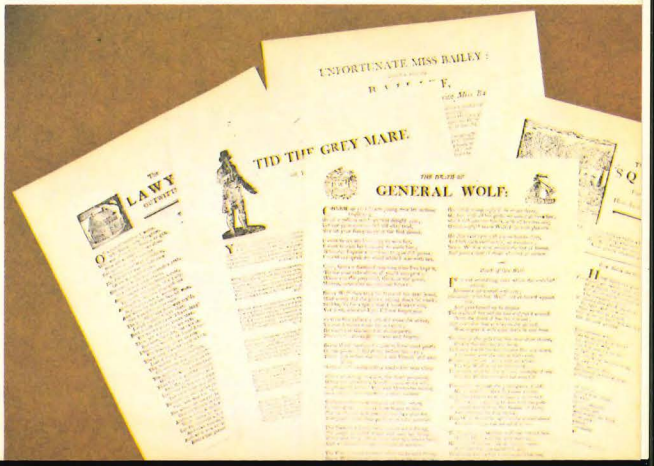
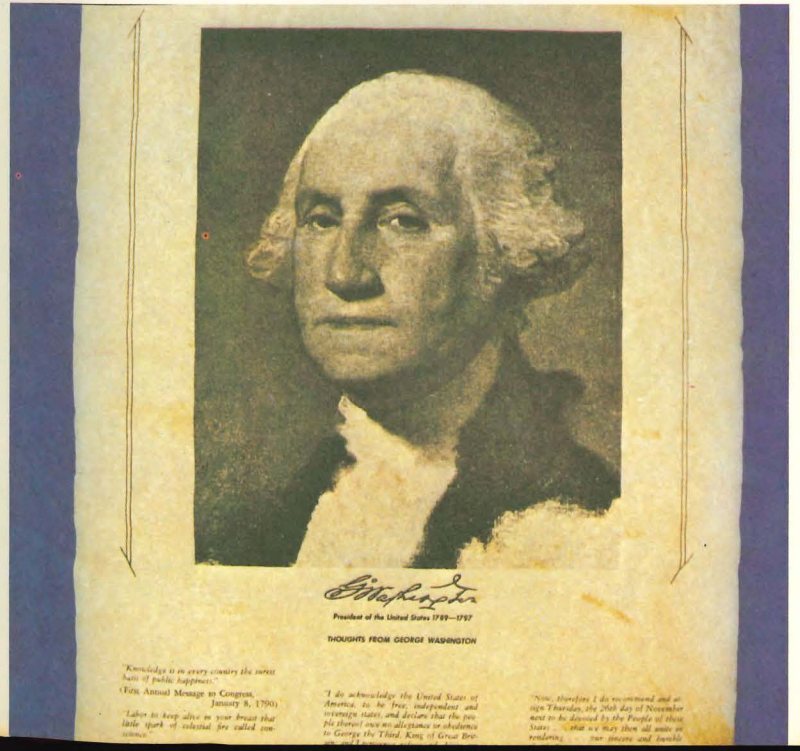
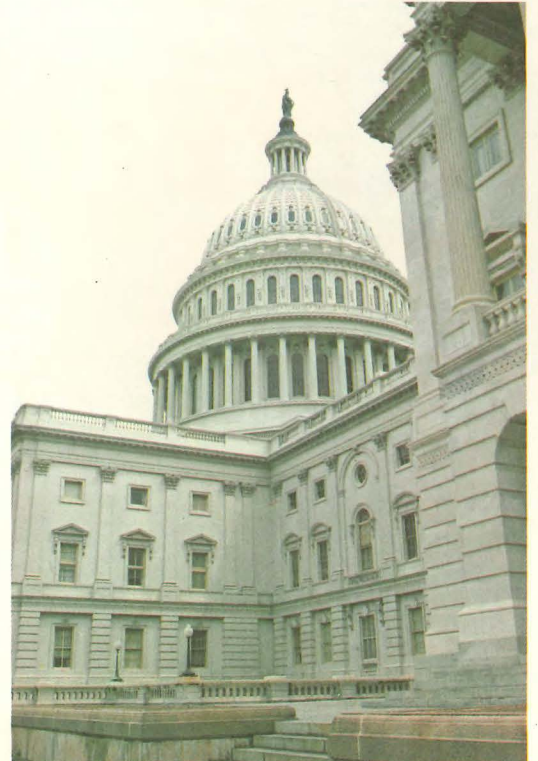
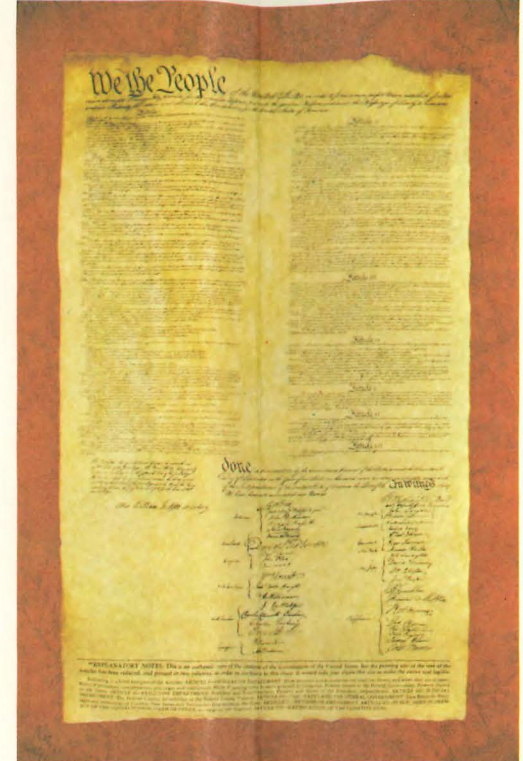
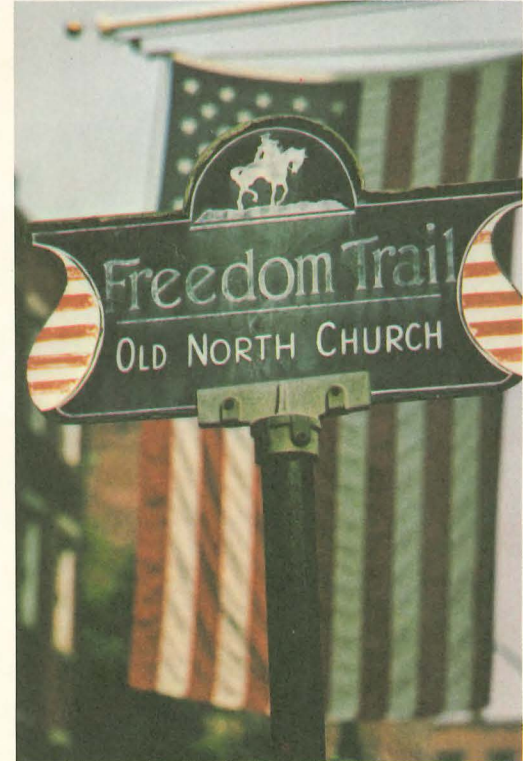
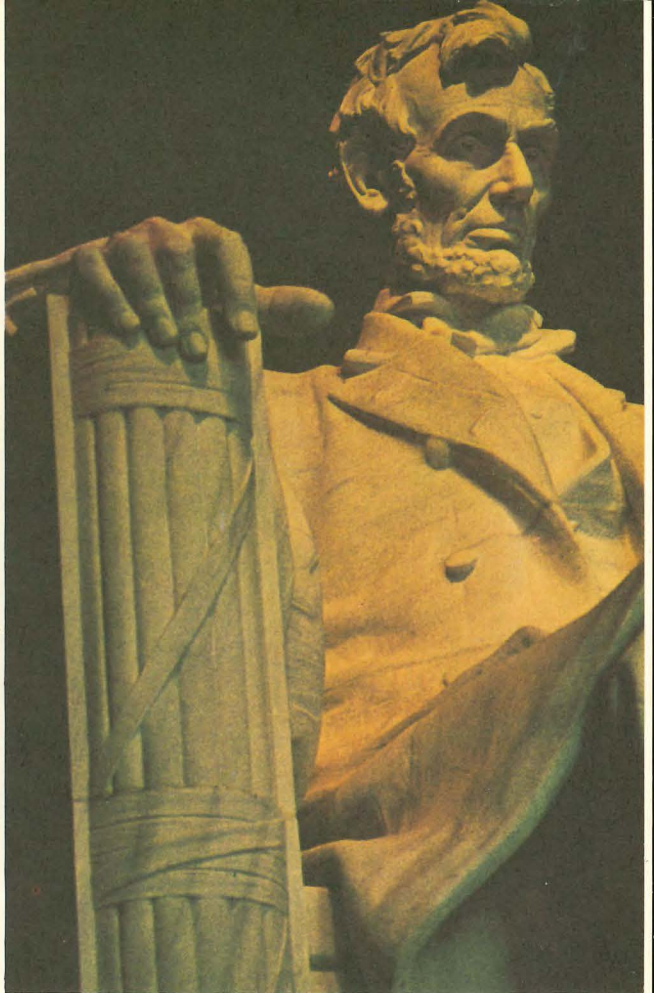
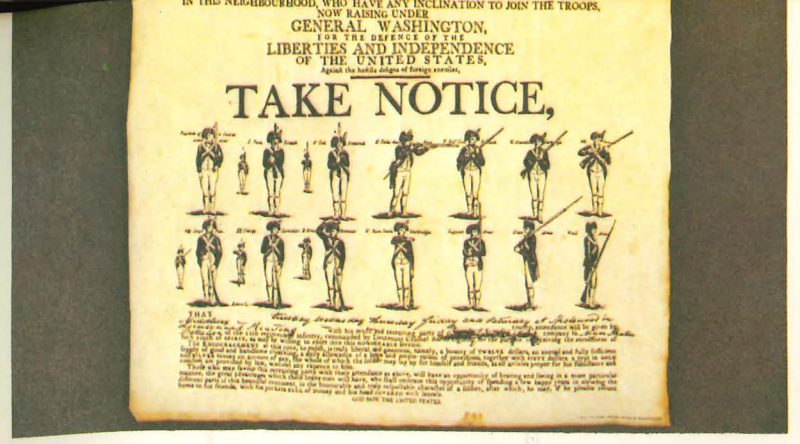
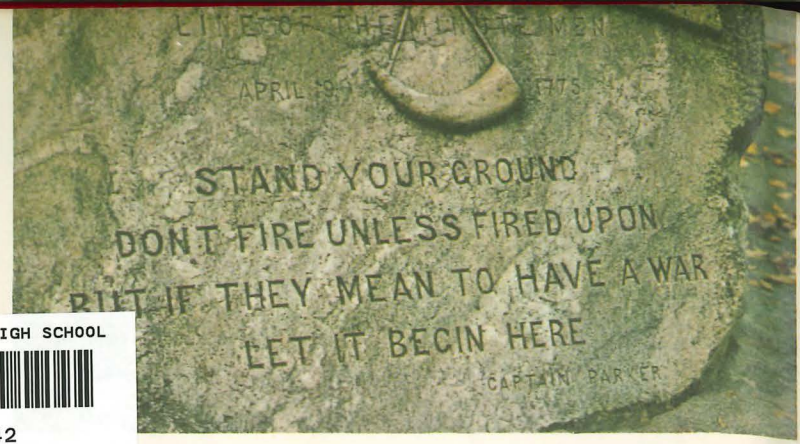
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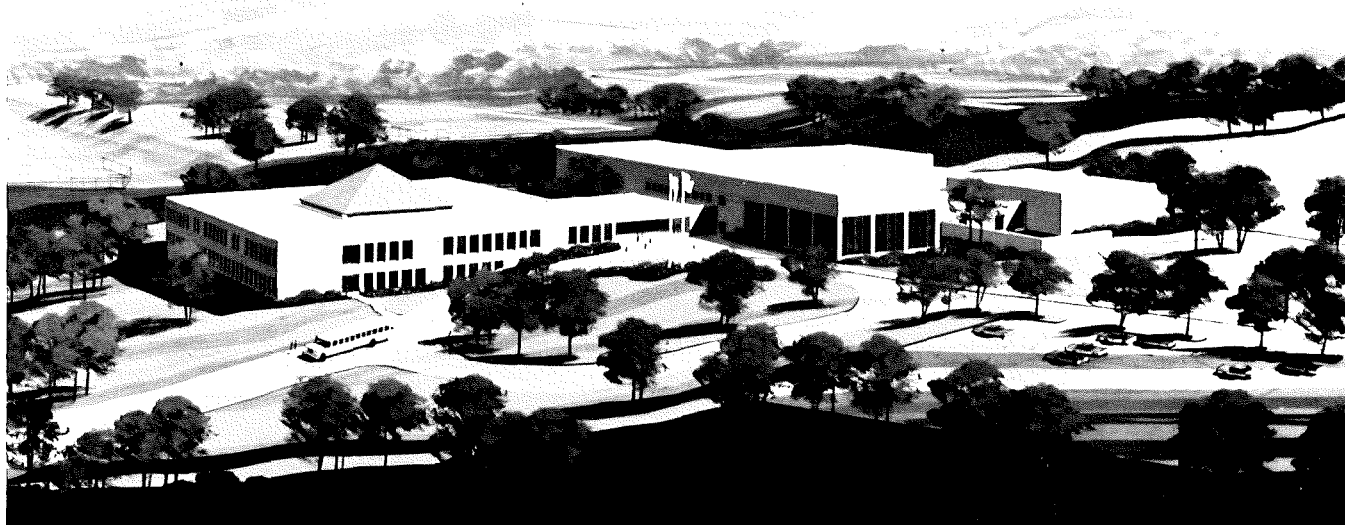
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THE CLASS OF 1976 will remain with me forever. It has many memories for me because many of the students were with me while I was president of the Washington School PTA and I watched them grow into adulthood. The memories will linger because this being the Bicentennial Year and my being the first woman President of the Riverside School District. I would like to congratulate the class of 1976 and wish them much success for the future.



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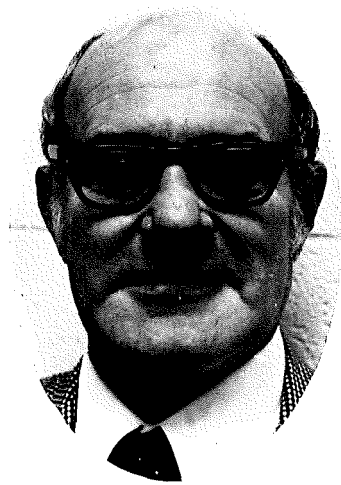


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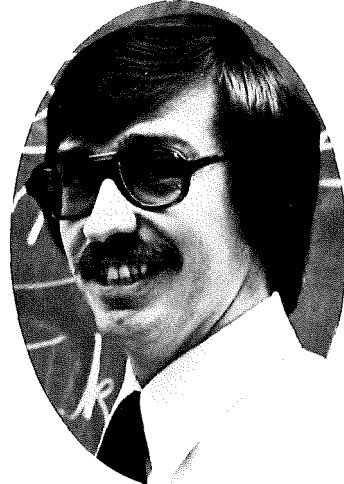
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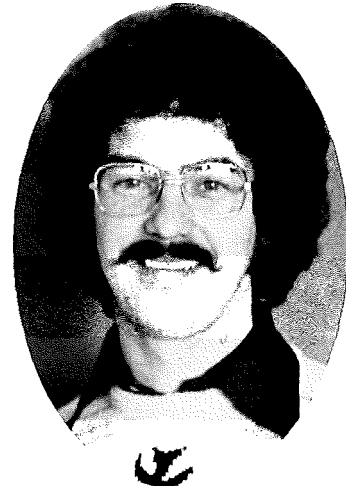
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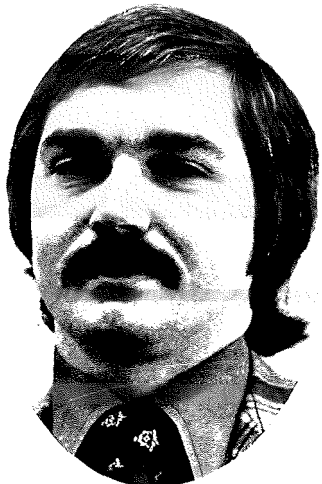
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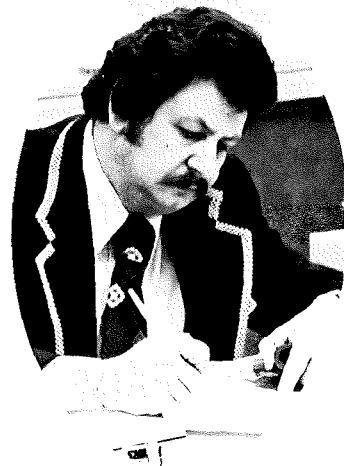
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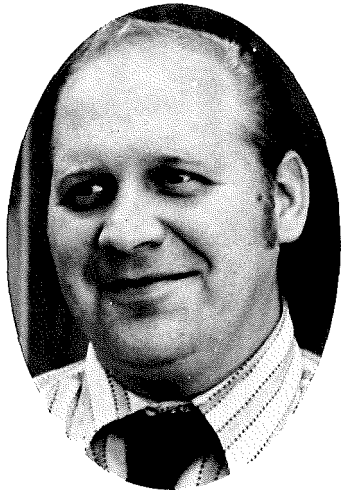
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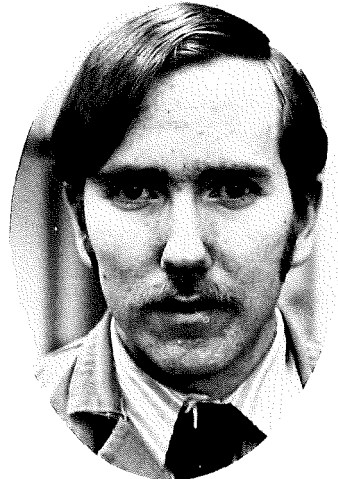
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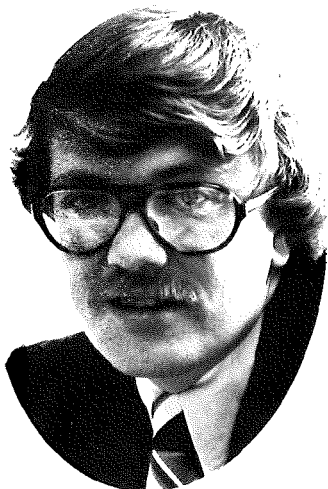
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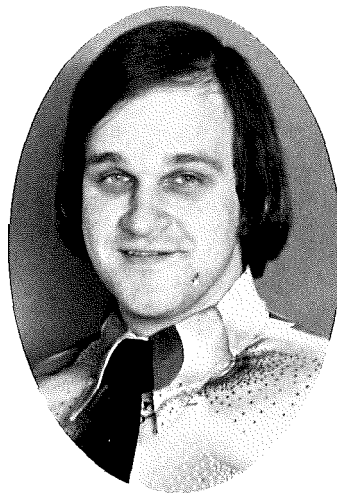
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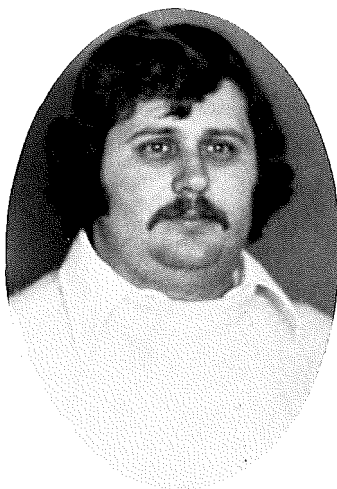
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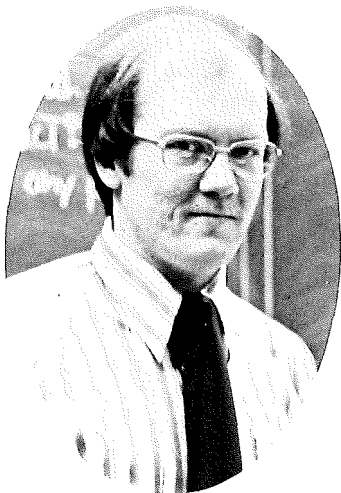
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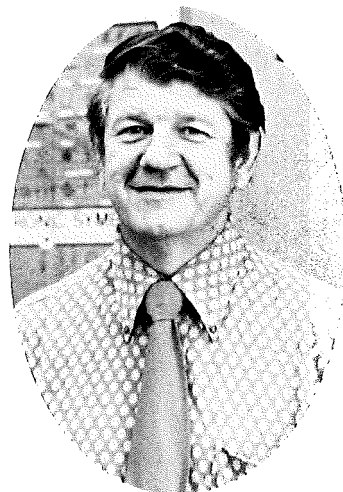
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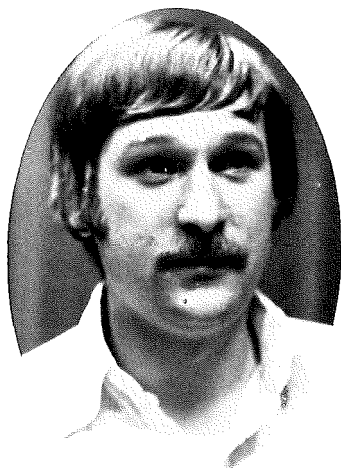
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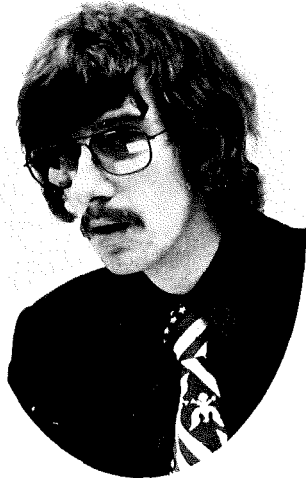
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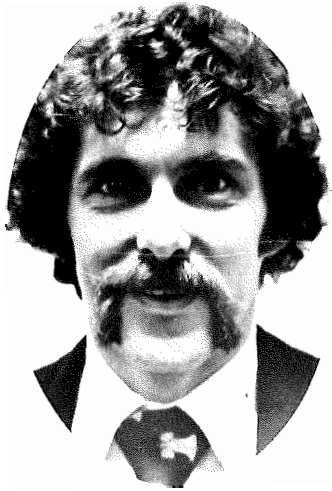
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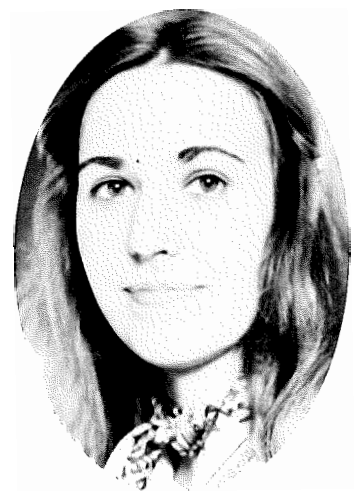
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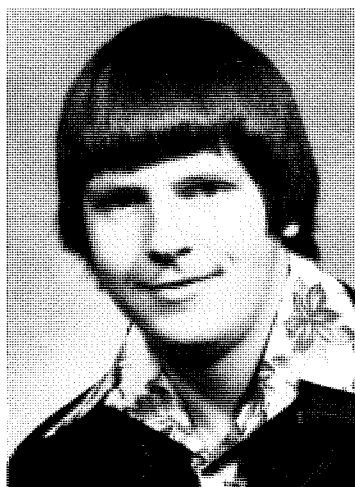
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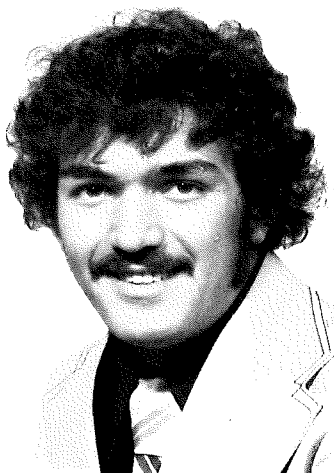
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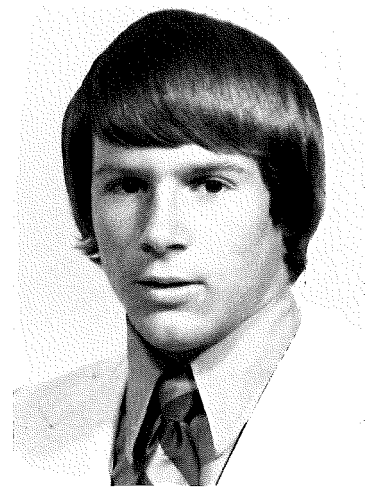
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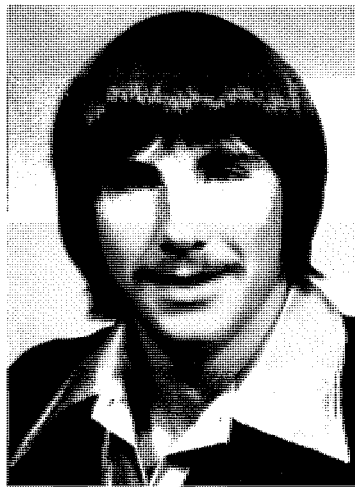
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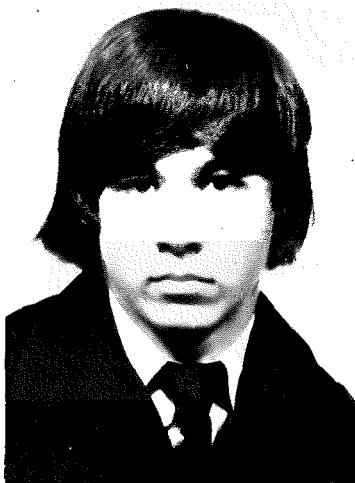
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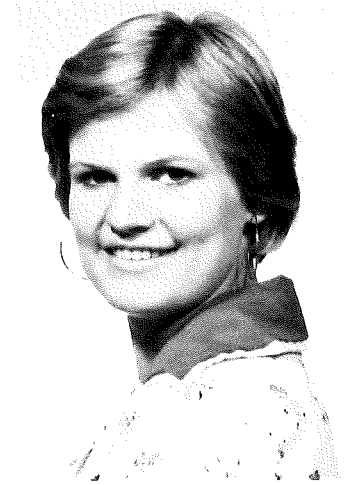


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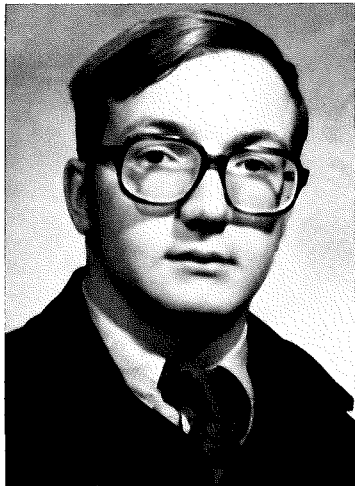
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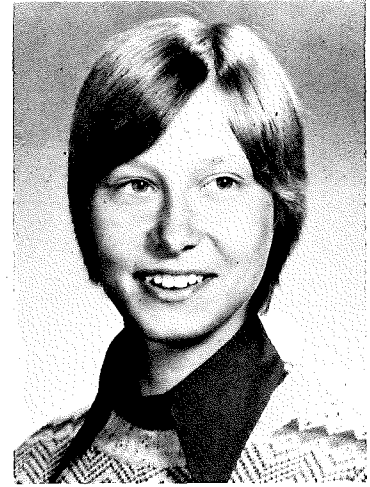
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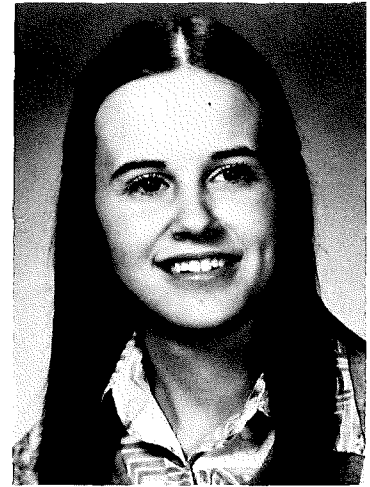
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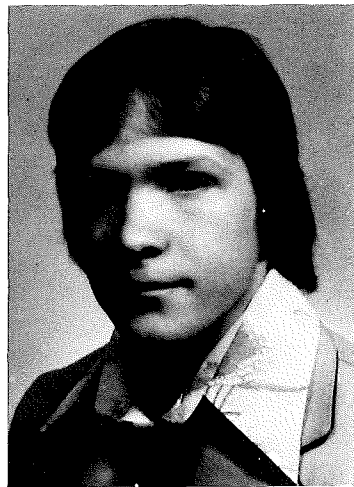
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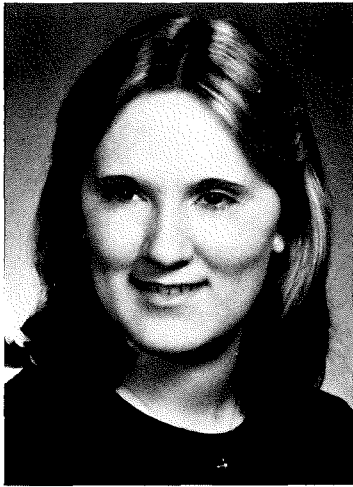
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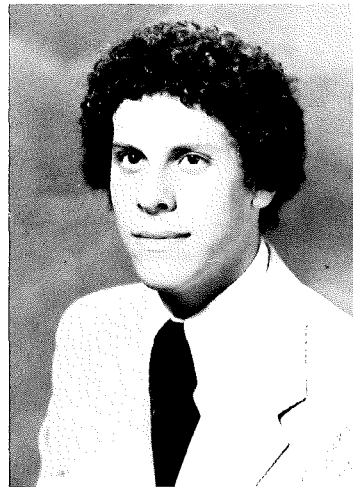
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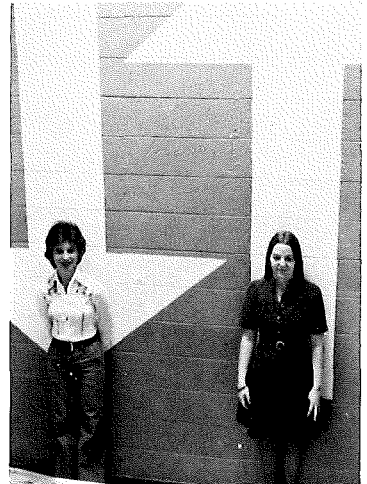
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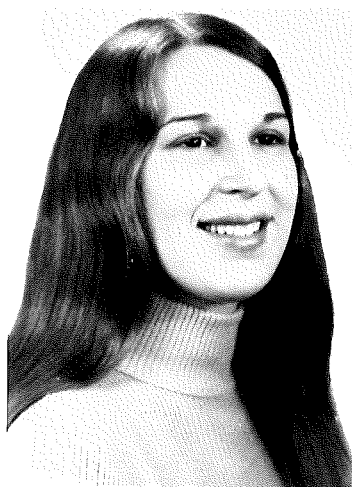
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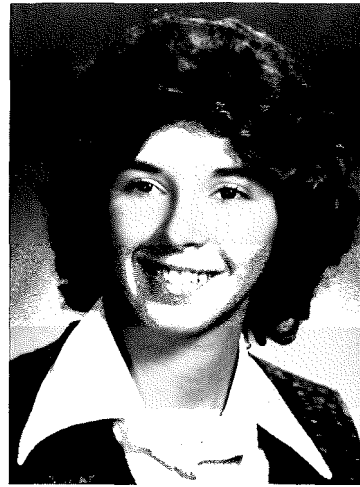
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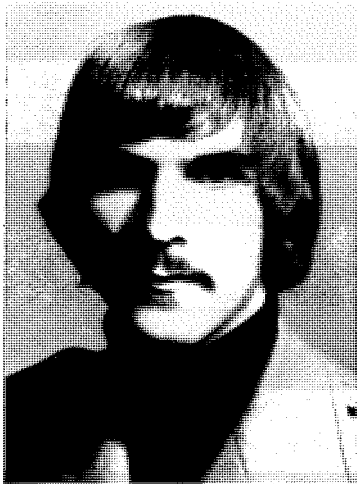
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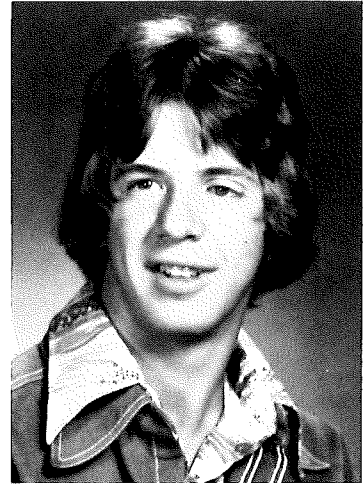


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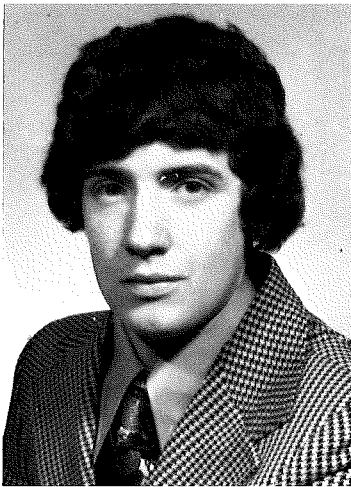
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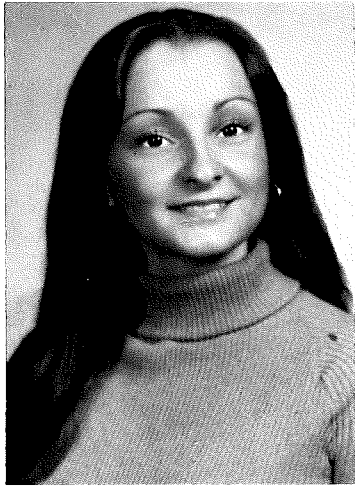
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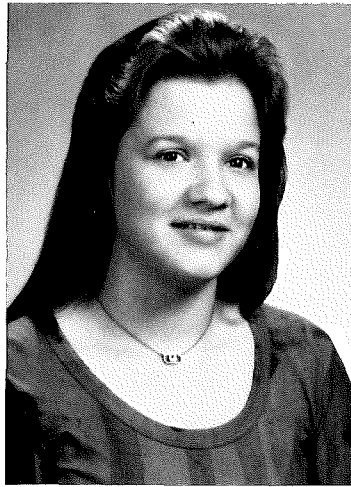
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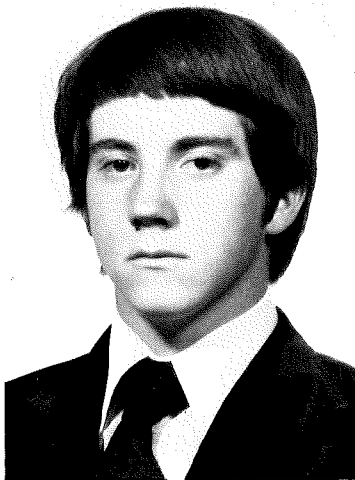
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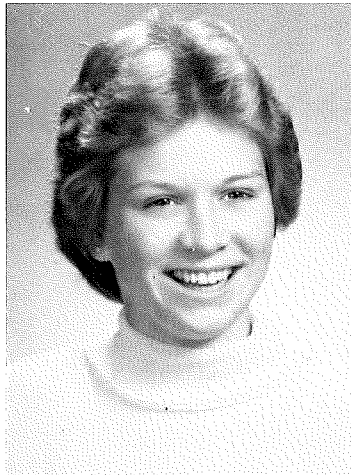
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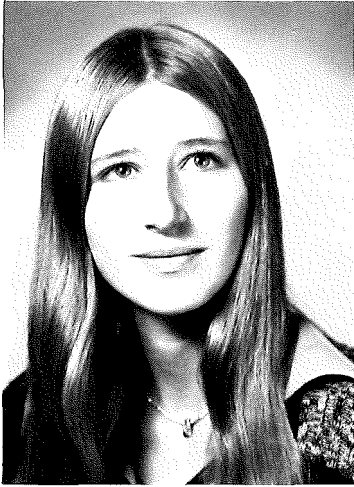
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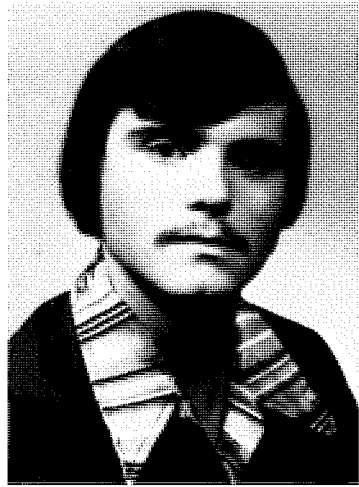
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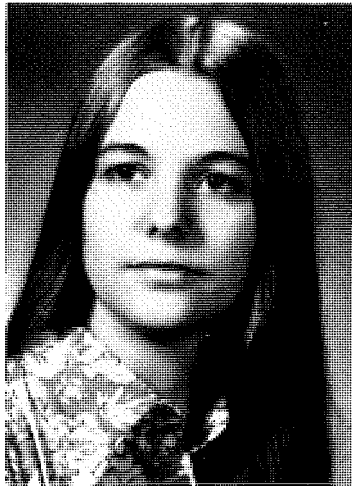
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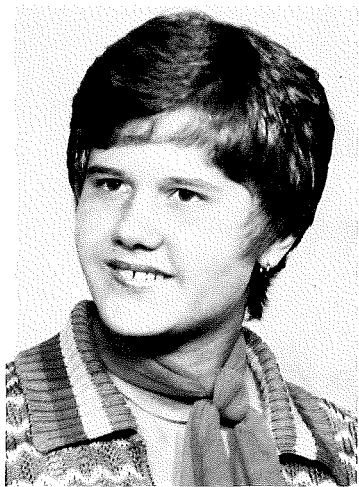
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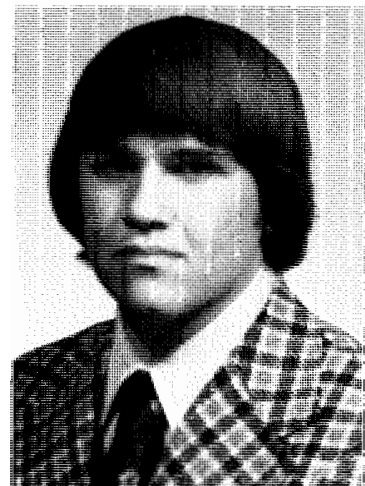
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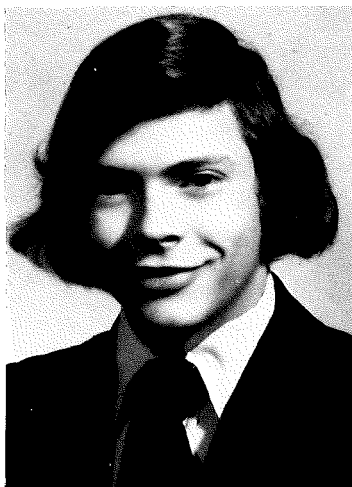
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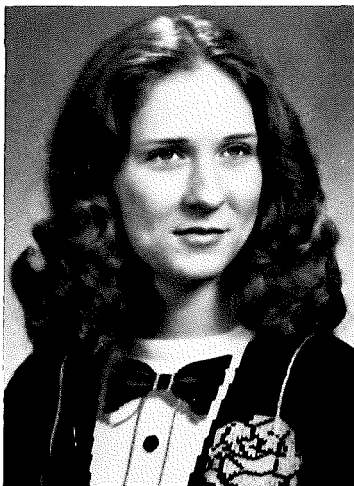
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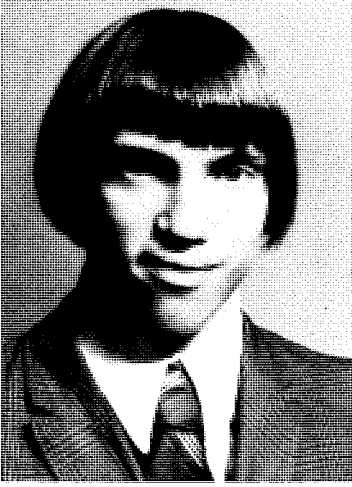
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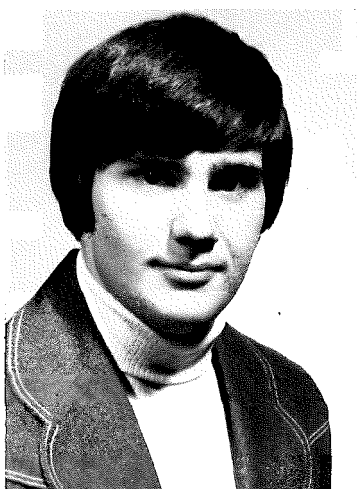
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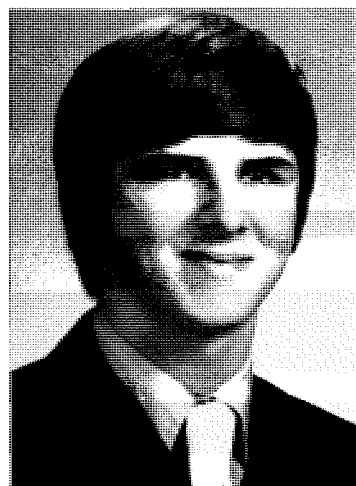
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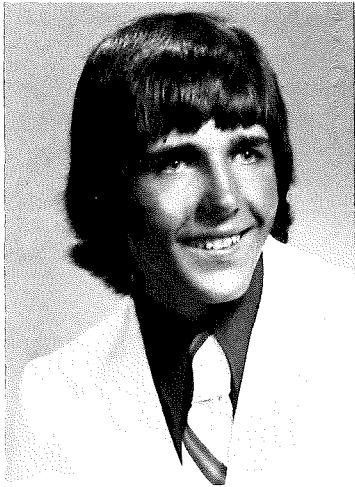
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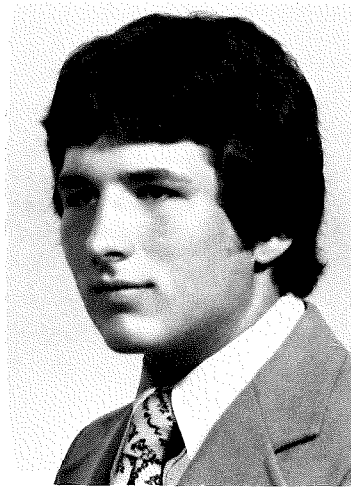
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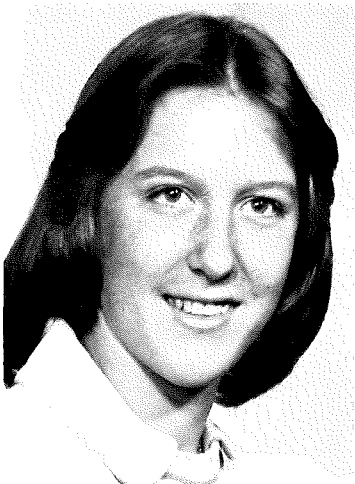
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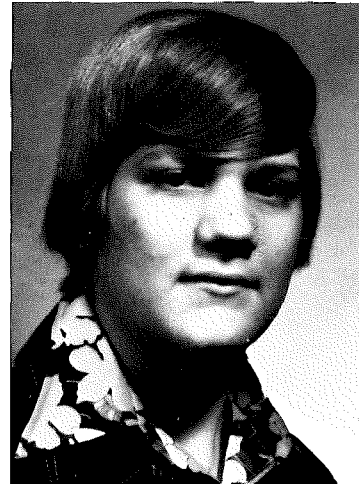
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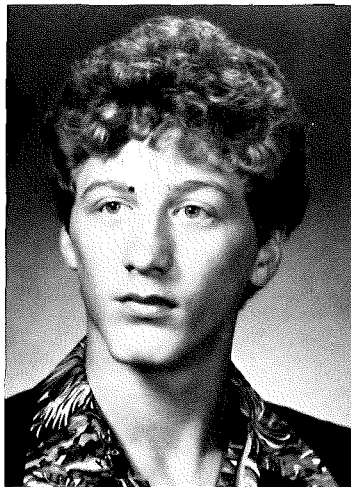
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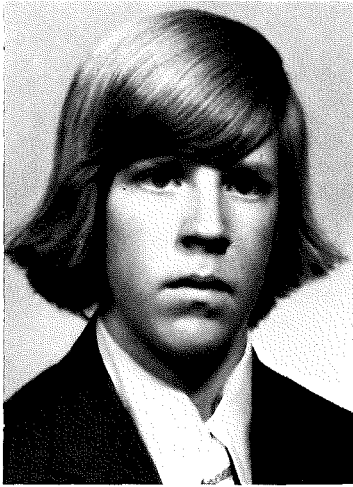


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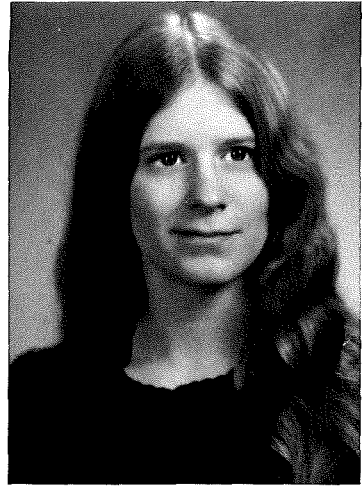


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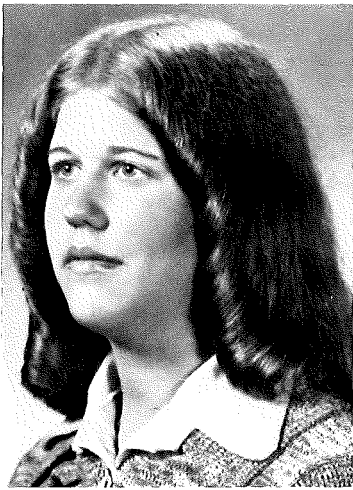
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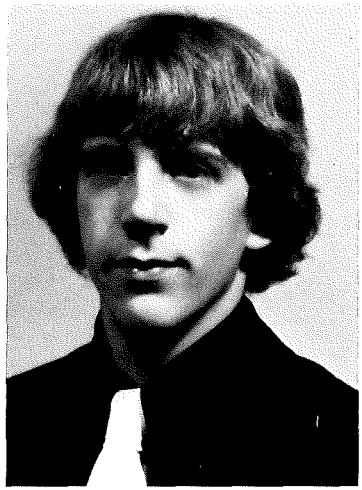
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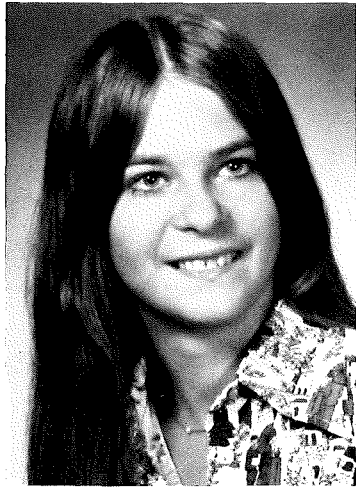
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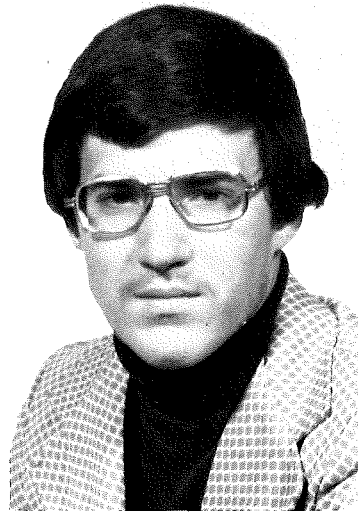
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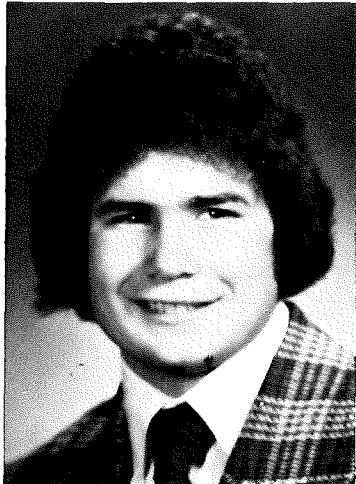
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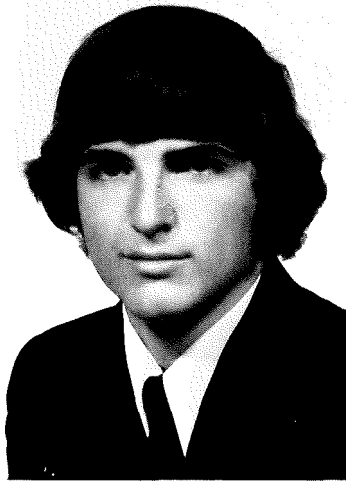


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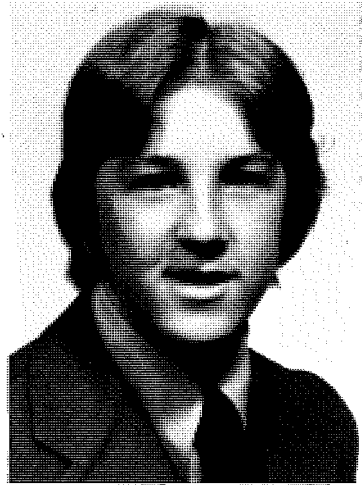
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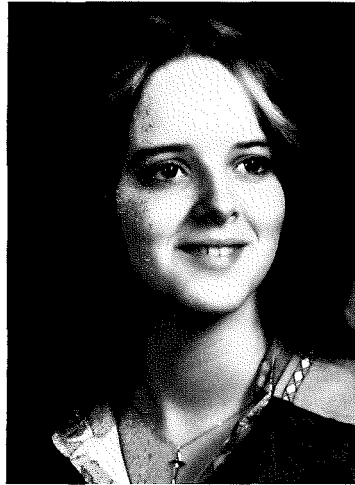
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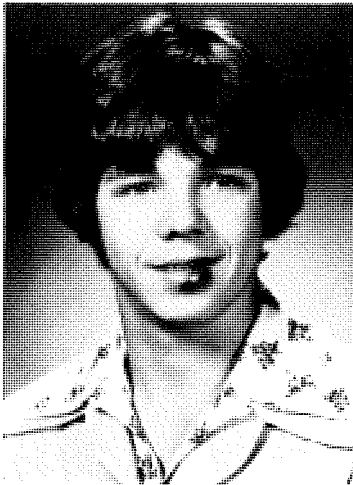
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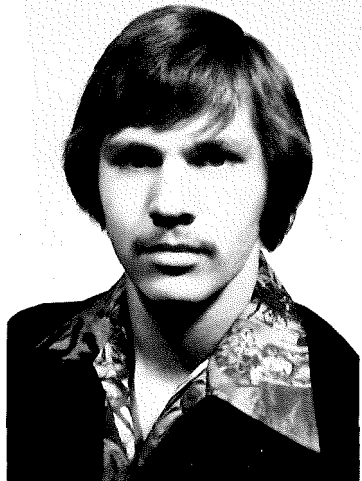
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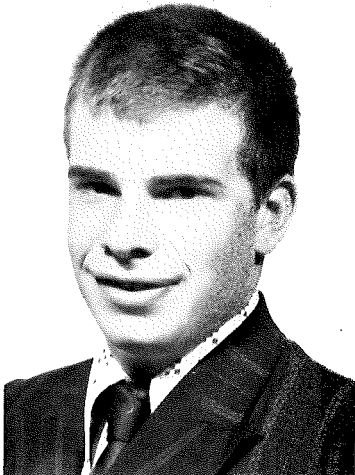
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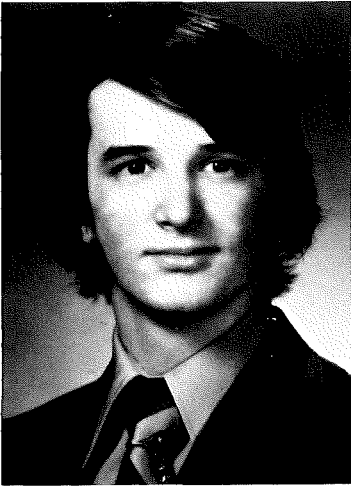
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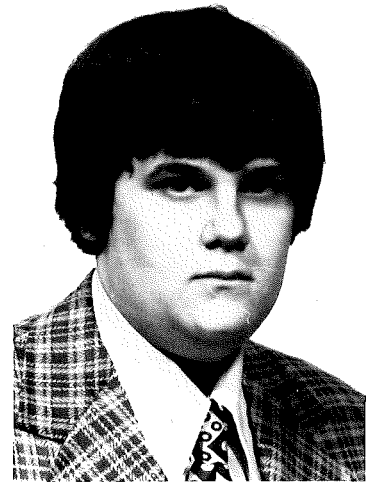
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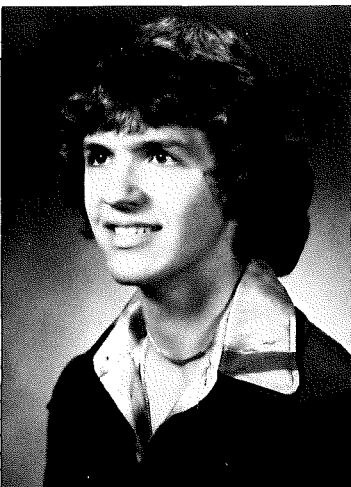
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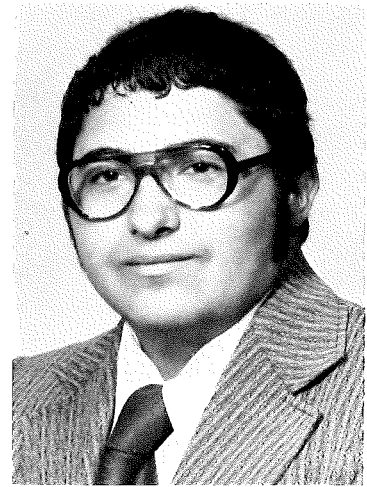
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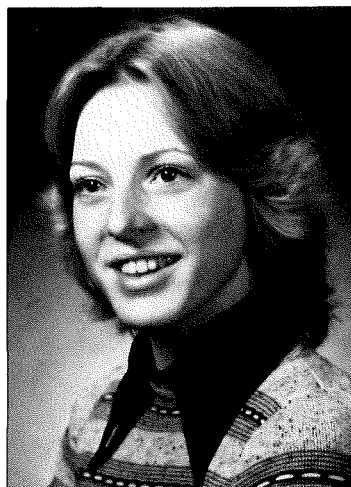
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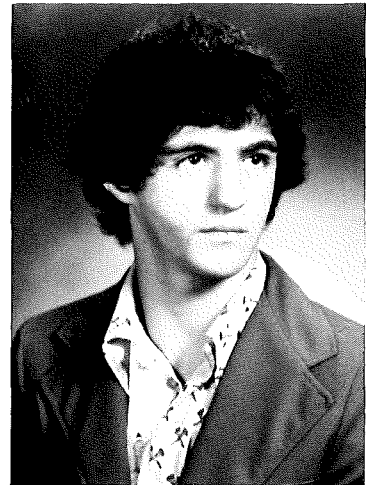
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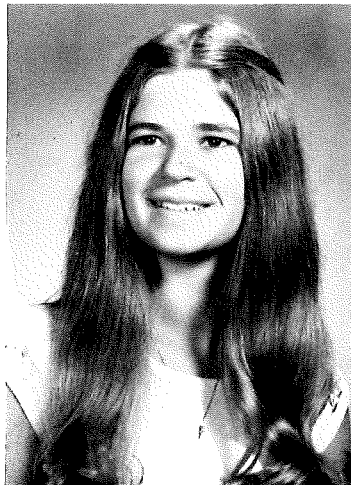
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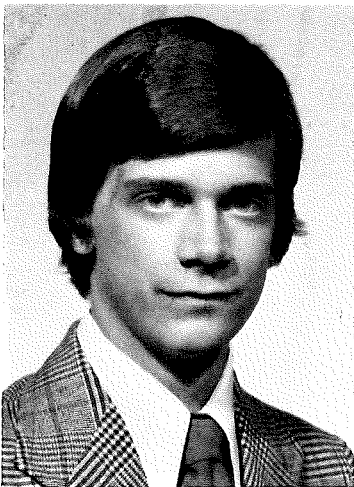
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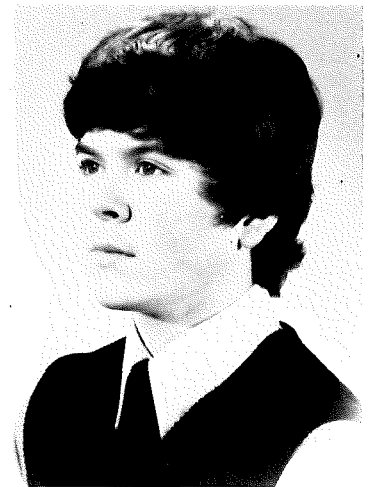
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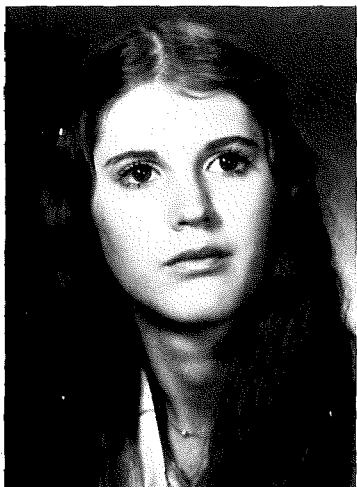


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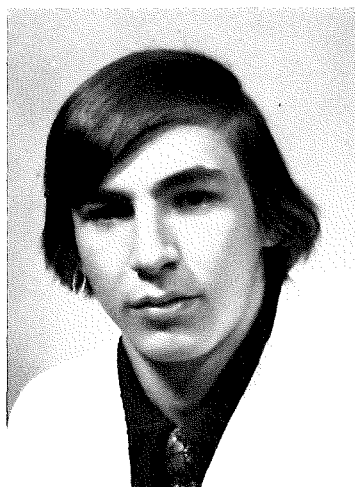
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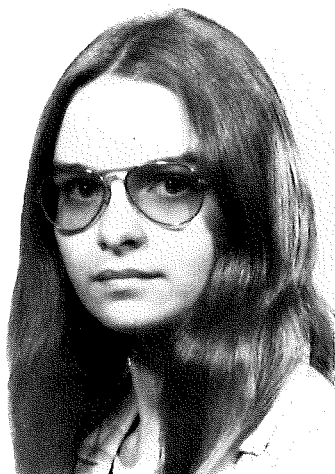
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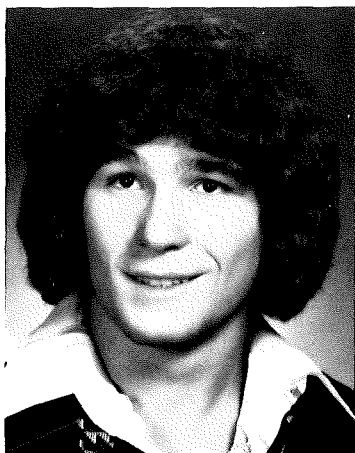
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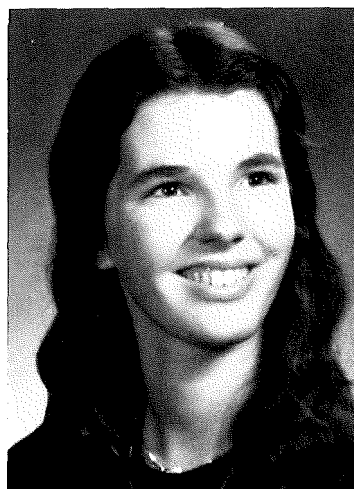
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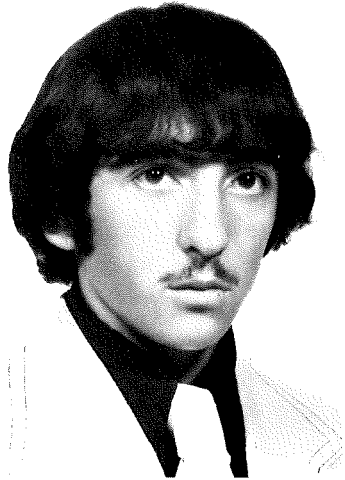
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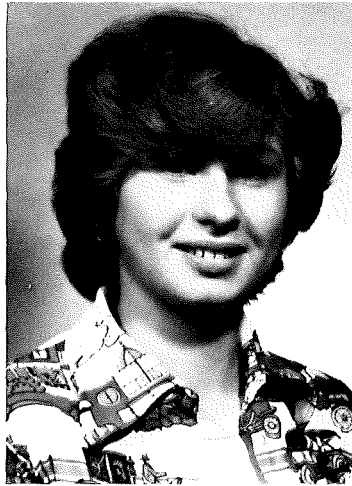
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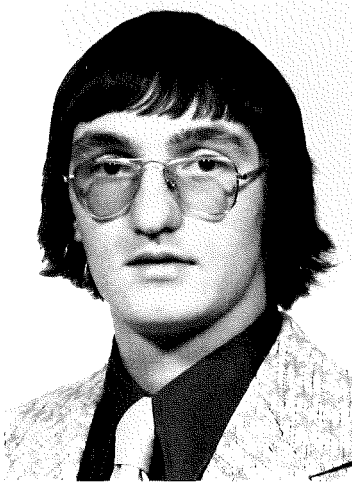
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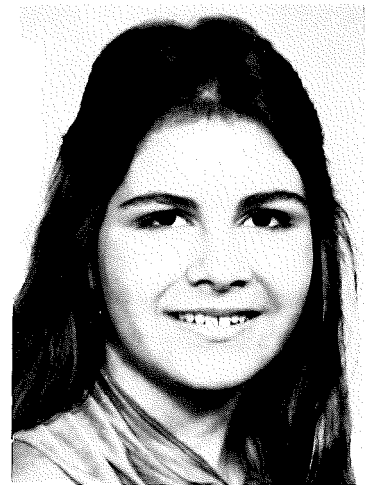
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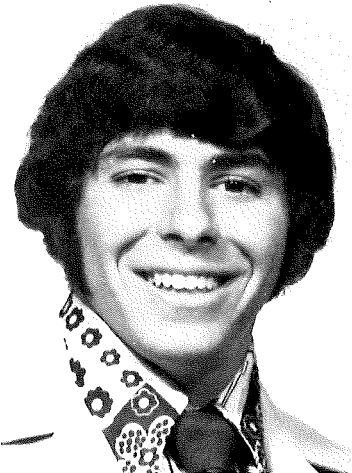
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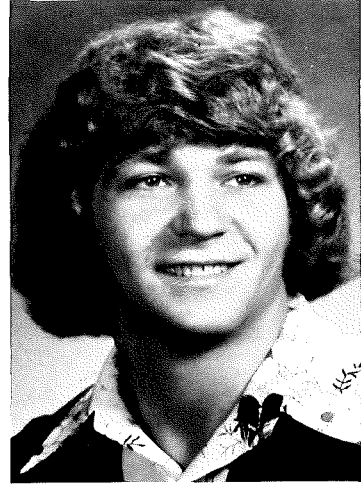
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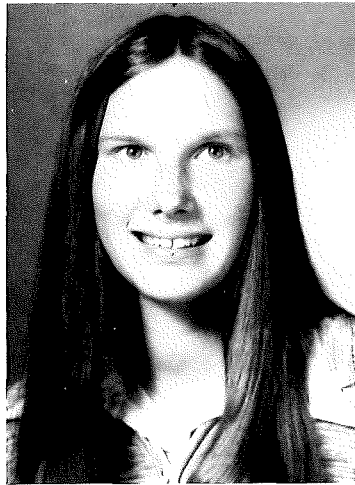
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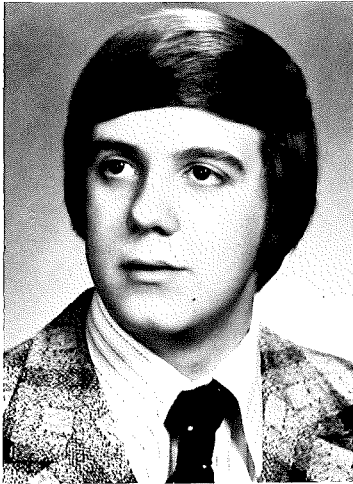
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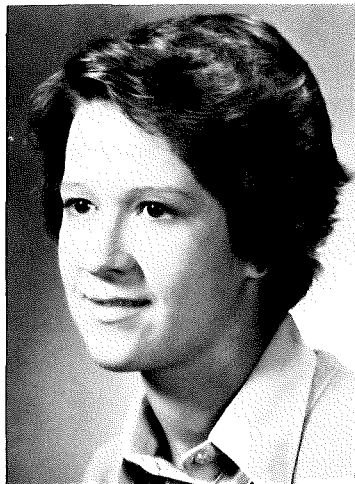
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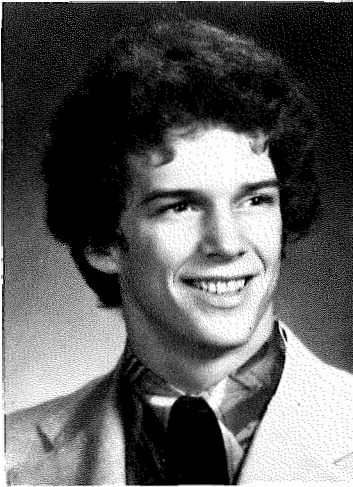
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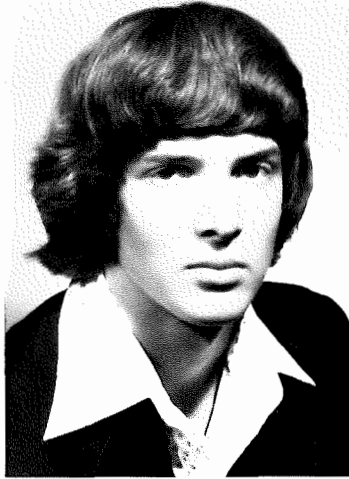
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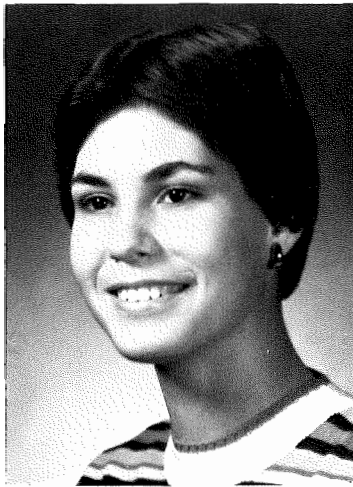
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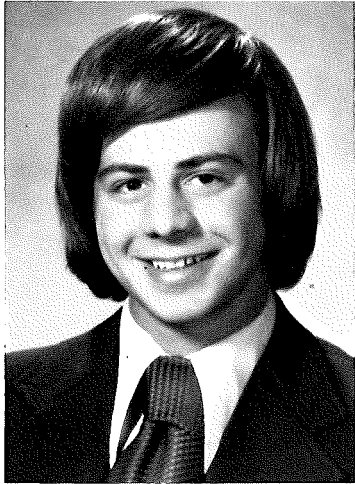


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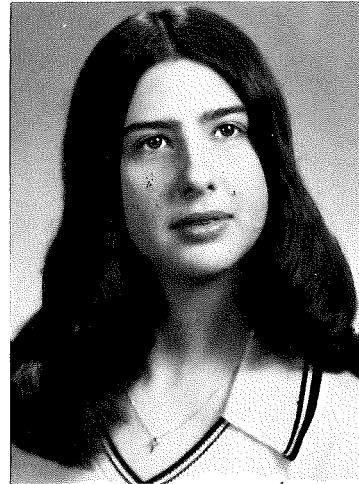


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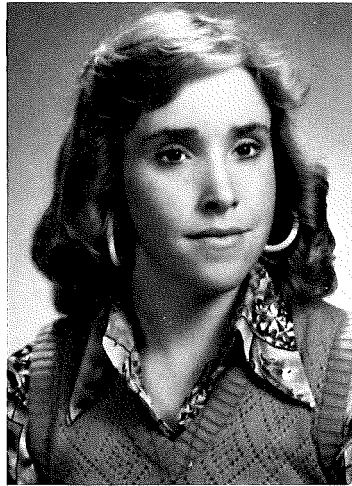
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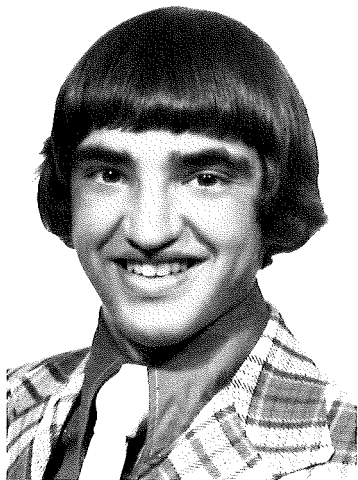
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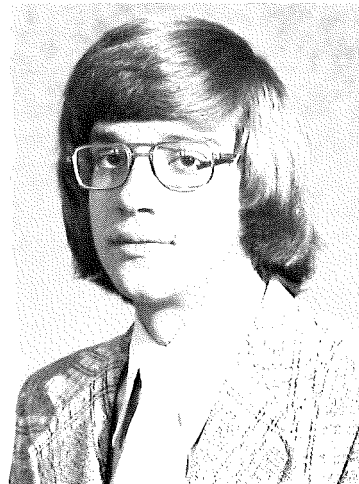
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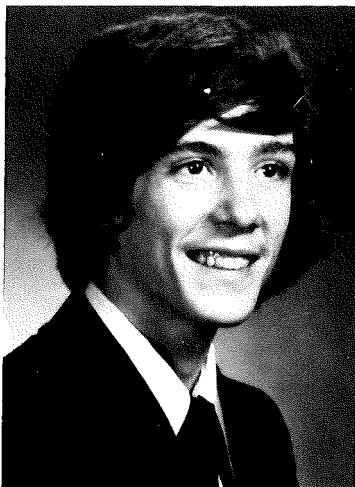
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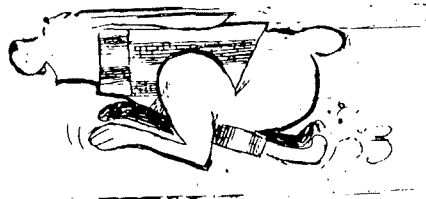
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Who said School Isn't Work?



Scholastic Bowl Day at Riverside.



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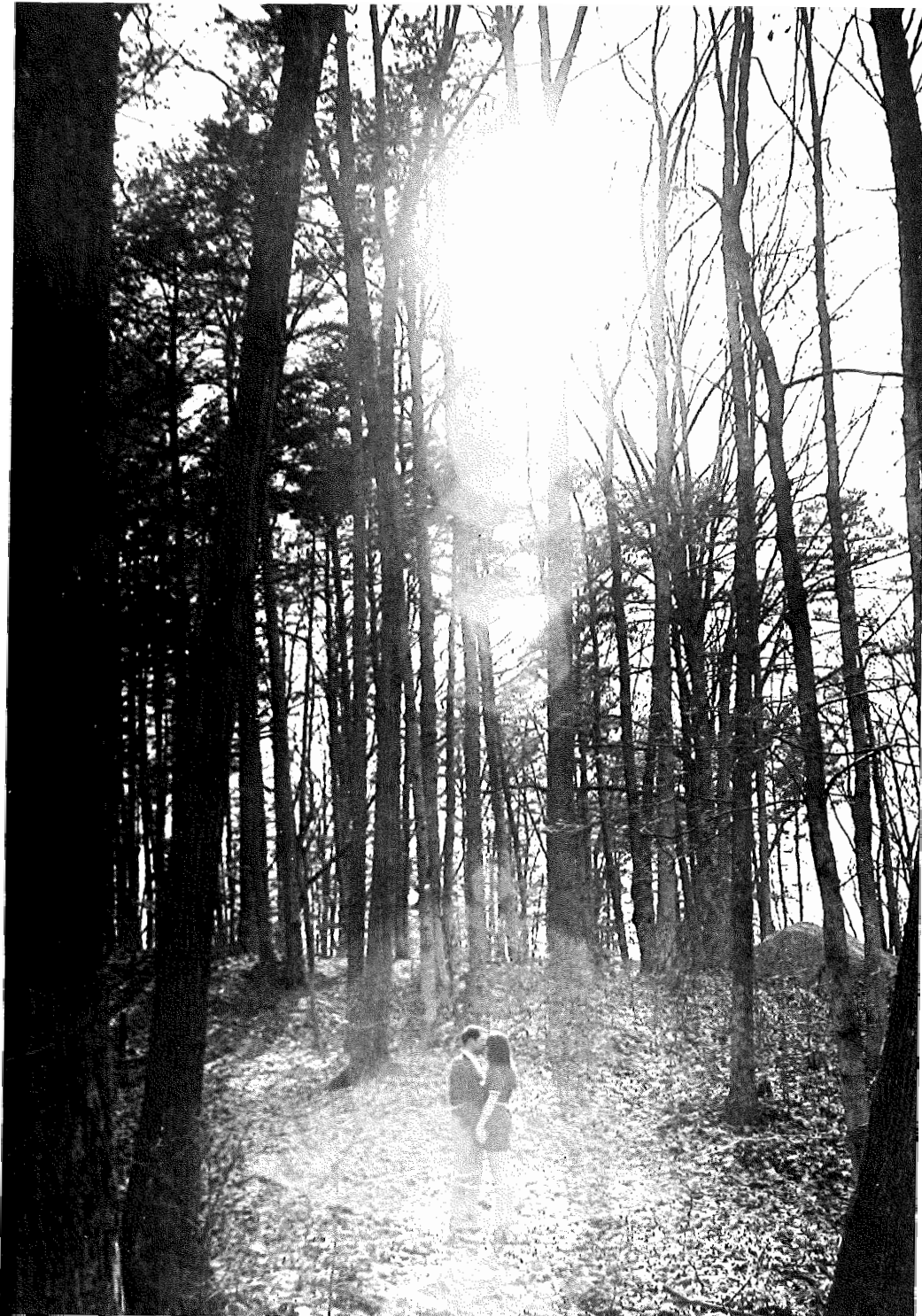


Let's See Some Pep up Front.

ORGANIZATIONS

You shall enter the living shelter of the forest.
You shall walk where only the wind has walked before.

Nancy Newhall



Library Club



ADVISOR: Mrs. Kimmel

Nurses Club

ADVISOR: Mrs. Swetlek
PRESIDENT:
Diane Wielebinski
VICE PRESIDENT:
Nancy Polkosnik
SECRETARY:
Nancy Lishok
TREASURER:
Mary Ellen Holmes



Spanish Club



ADVISOR:
Mr. Bednash
PRESIDENT:
Margaret Hopkins
VICE PRESIDENT:
Donna Bowen
SECRETARY:
Mary Semian
TREASURER:
Denise Mokay

Future Teachers



ADVISOR:
Mr. Lisowski
PRESIDENT:
Barb Pacolitch
VICE PRESIDENT:
Helen Lukacko
SECRETARY:
Mary Boyko
TREASURER:
Linda Goul

Art Club

ADVISOR:
Mr. Kosik
PRESIDENT:
C. Guzzi
VICE PRESIDENT:
V. Juba
SECRETARY:
T. Derenick
TREASURER:
J. Hocking



Bowling League

CAPTAIN:
Joe Wieckowski
TREASURER:
Carl Ostrowski
SECRETARY:
Judy Hunter



Honor Society



ADVISOR: Miss Donna Lemoncelli
PRESIDENT: Glen Zumbach
VICE PRESIDENT: Leonard Jasuta
SECRETARY: Janet Hocking
TREASURER: Mary Ameka

German Club

ADVISOR:
Mr. Hordich
PRESIDENT:
Nick Scalese
VICE PRESIDENT:
Milton Evans
SECRETARY:
Harry Nickolson
TREASURER:
Joe Price



Yearbook Staff



Loretta Heffernan and Diane Pollock, Assistant editor and Editor of the yearbook.



Carol Ott and Linda Nitch, Financial Administrators.



Class Of 77

Juniors

Student Council



STANDING, Left to Right: Tom Krenitsky, Barb Boyarski, and Mr. Joe Roberts. SEATED, Left to Right: Cheryl Scalese, Ed Pehanich, Frank Maloney, Mr. Alex Chelik, and Val Samuel.

Officers



LEFT TO RIGHT: President, Cheryl Scalese; Vice president, Joe Iacovazzi; Secretary, Linda Voss; Treasurer, John Gatto.



Class Of 78

Sophomores

LEFT TO RIGHT: Maribeth Kofira, Secretary;
Gary Reese, President; Donna Zalinski, Treasurer;
and Jim Connor, Vice President.





Class Of 79

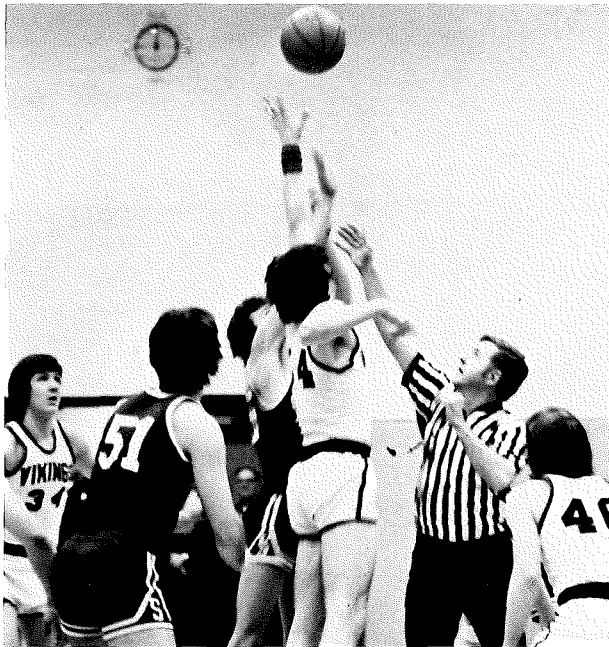
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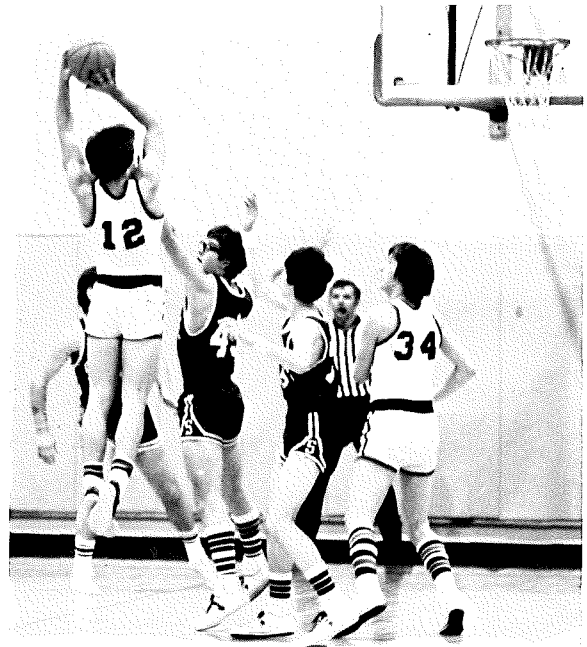
SITTING: Frank Charles, President; STANDING, Left to Right: Mariene Wielebinski, Treasurer; Lisa Paroby, Secretary; Ellen Auriemma, Vice President.

Varsity Basketball





Jump Ball



Glenn for two.

1st Half Won

Lost

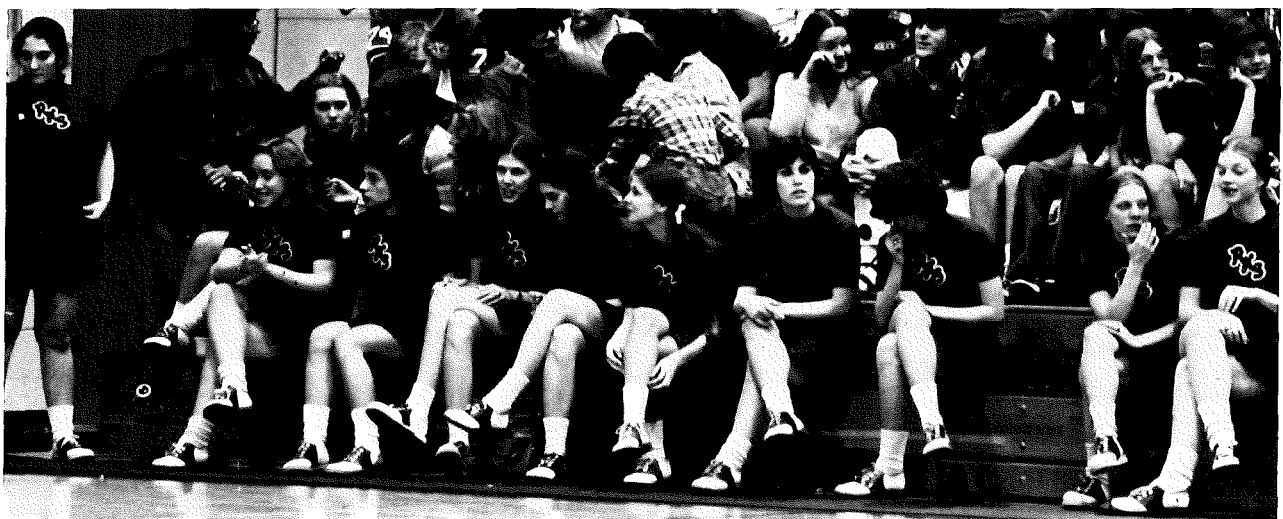
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2nd Half Won

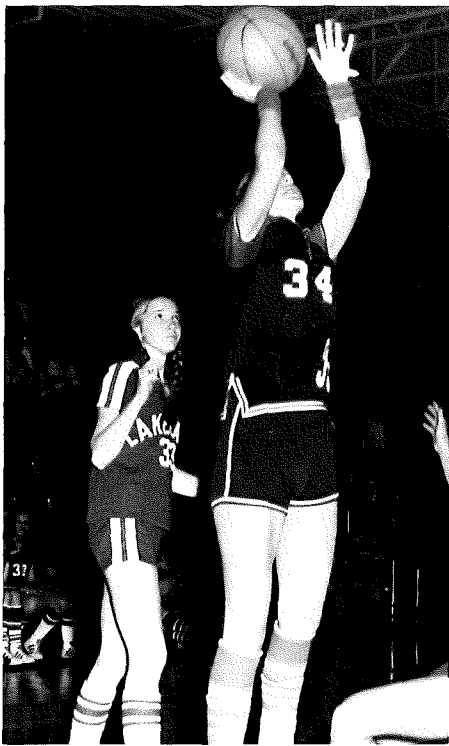
Lost

"Riverside boy's win Lackawanna League Championship."

Varsity Cheerleaders



LEFT TO RIGHT: Cheryl Scalese, Eileen Mulhern, Pat Chelleri, Debbie Adrian, Diane Wielebenski, Debbie Maleski, Cheryl Guzzi, Rita Cosgrove, Mary Lynn Semion, Barb Pacolitch.



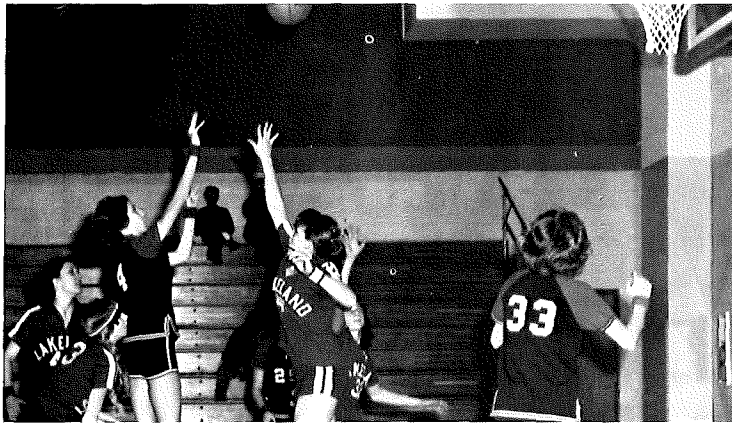
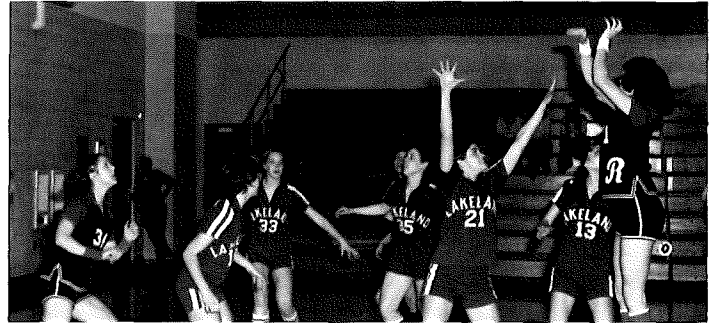
Scores

First Half

Won	5
Lost	2

Second Half

Won	4
Lost	3



BOTTOM, Left to Right: Janet Kresge, Coach; Sandy Karwaski, Ann Cardamone, Pat Orzel, Mary Amieka, Susan Major, and Joan Halenda.

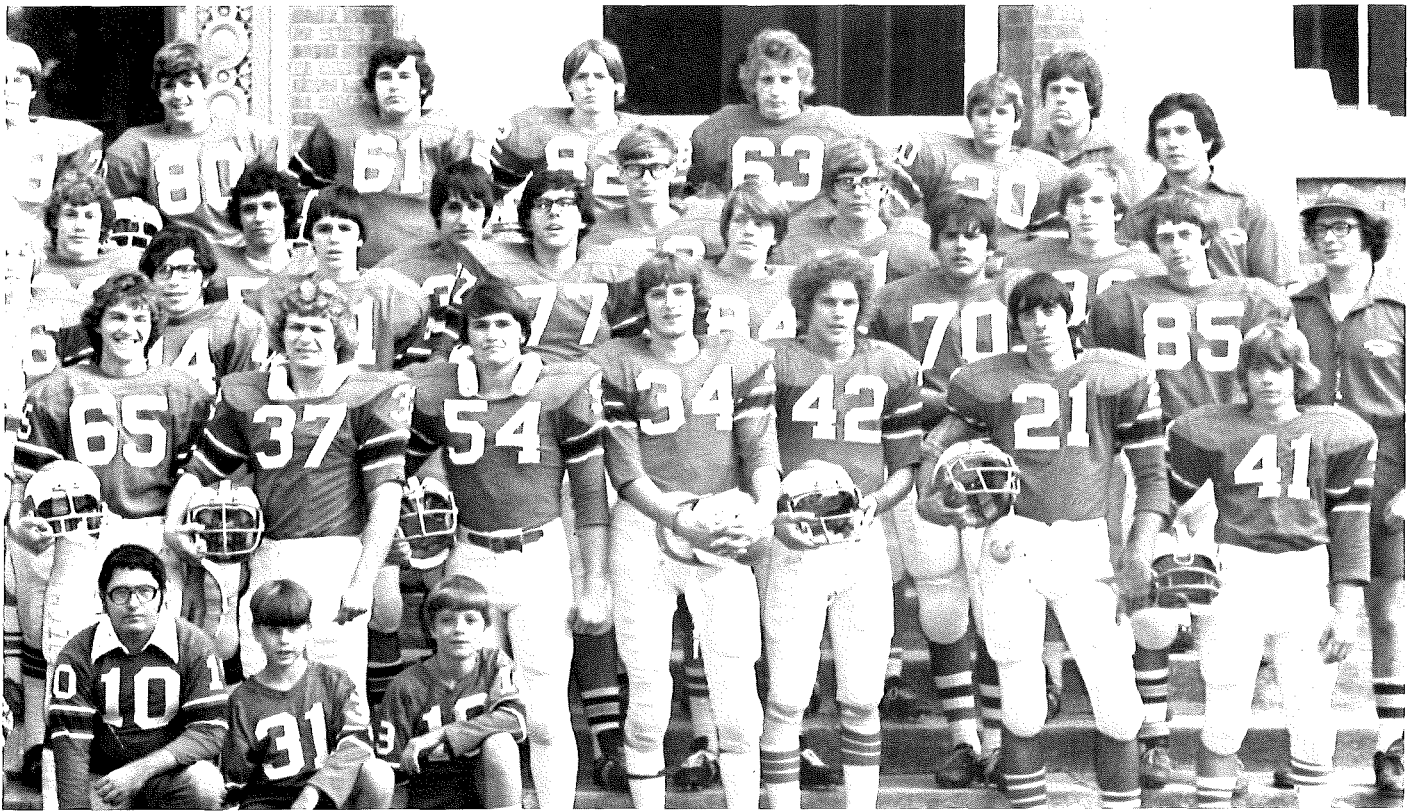




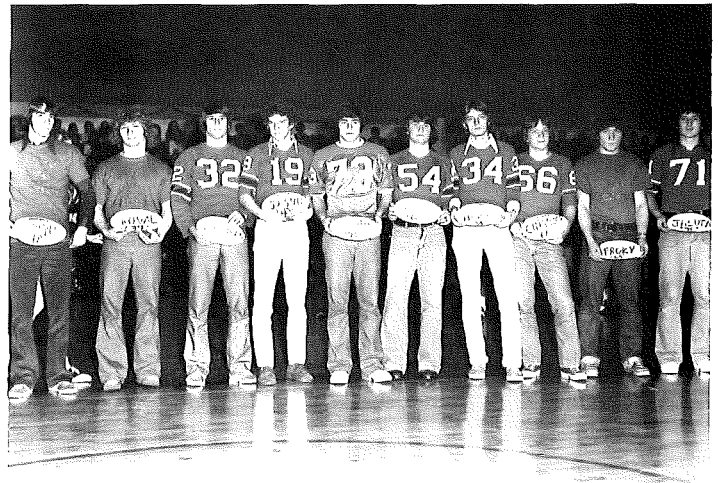
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ASST. COACHES - Bob Lazevnick, Jim Aulizio, Tom Killino, Steve Armillay, Joe Semion. HEAD COACH - Bernie Lazevnick.





Coach, Mark Cherewka, Mike Laffey, Joe Iacovazzi, Tom Heffernan, Gene Shimko, Mark Moran, Mike Hyduchak, Russ Smith, Ed Cikowski, Ron Zahorski, Mike Ludwikowski, Jim Kardos, Joe Semion - Asst. Coach, Bob Lazevnick - Asst. Coach, Fred Pacolitch - Equip. Manager, Mike Malinics, Fred Woosman, Paul Prislupsky, Paul Surgent, Jim Sochovka, Jay Murphy, John Gable, Tom Decker, Jeff Hewitt, Nick Scalese, Steve Armillay - Asst. Coach.



Bob Gwyn, Billy Koval, Glenn Zumbach, Paul Jesuit, Frank Graziano, Chet Lukasiewicz, Mike Hewitt, Mike Chisdock, Mark Prokopovitch, Len Jasuta.



HOMECOMING QUEEN AND HER COURT: Rita Cosgrove, Cheryl Guzzi, Diane Wielebinski, Linda Sluck, Linda Nitch, and Agnes Loftus.



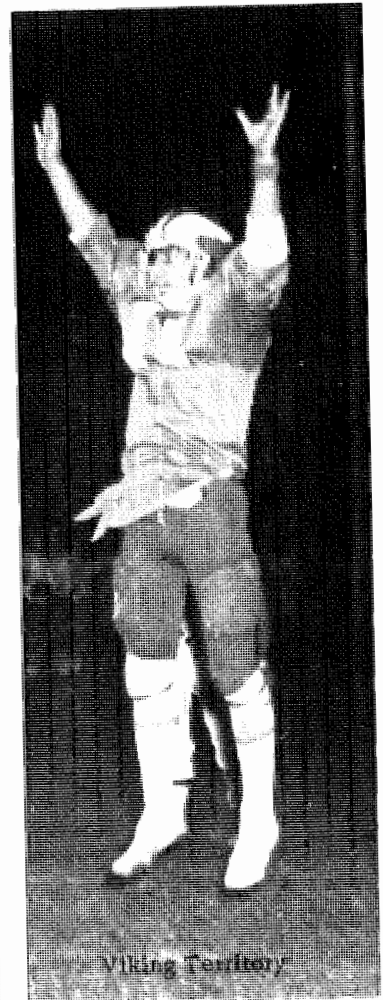
Homecoming Queen of '75 Linda Sluck and Mr. Rusincovitch, principal



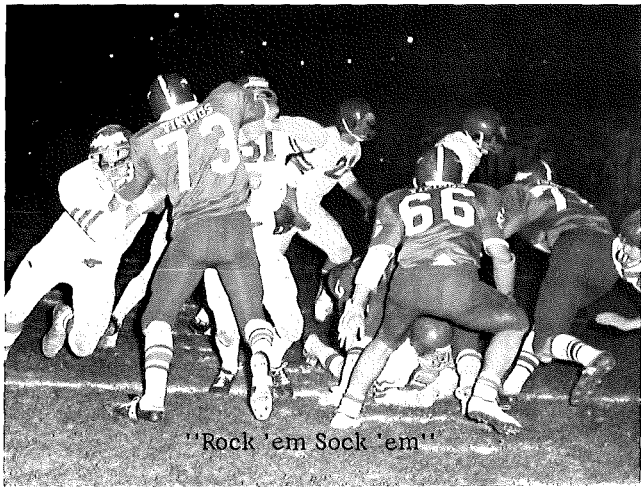
Hurray - Touchdown - Hurray



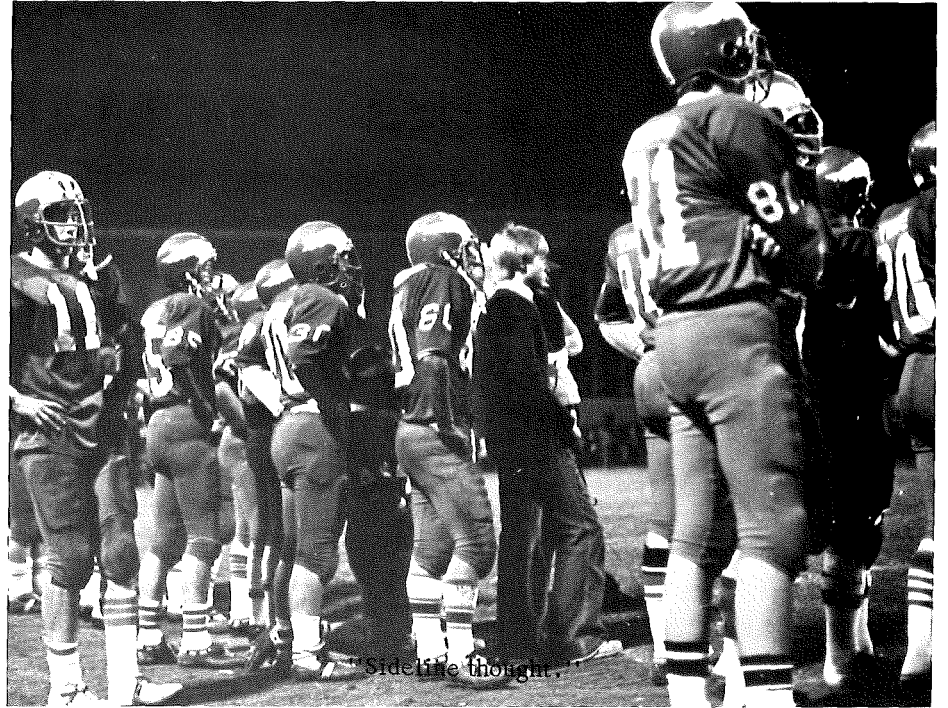
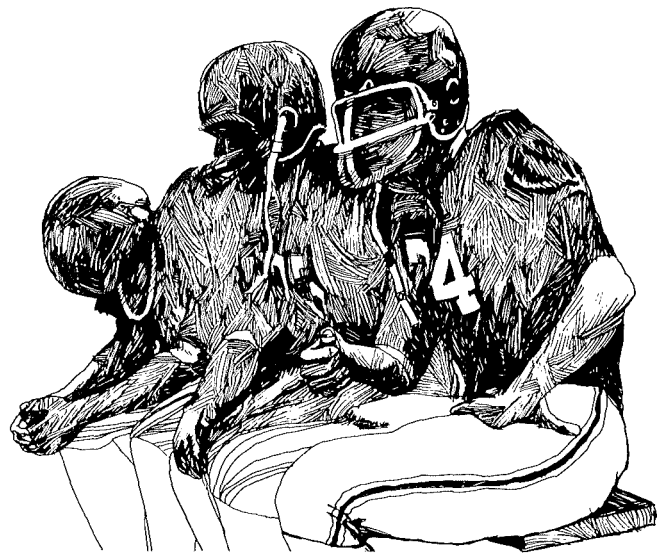
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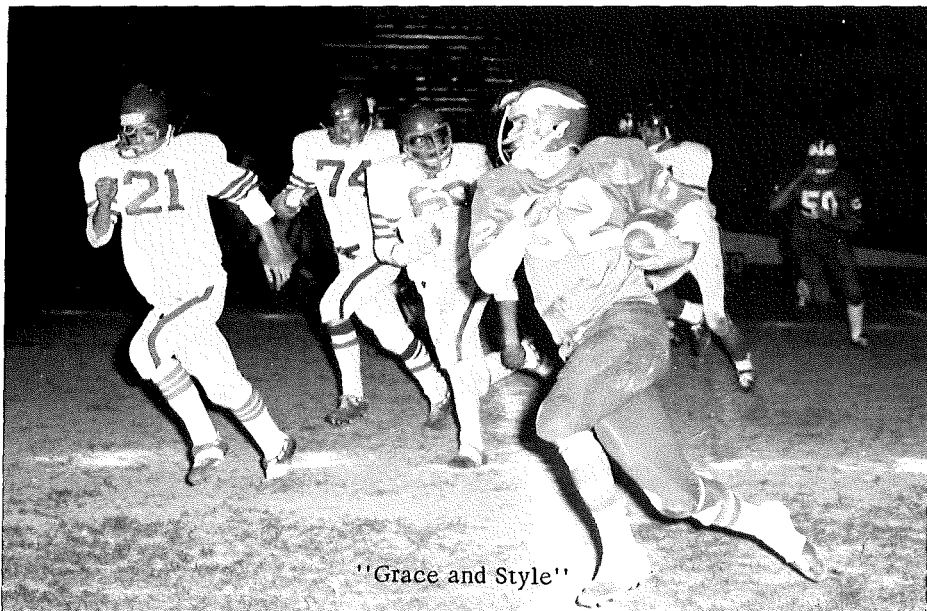
Viking Territory



"Rock 'em Sock 'em"



"Side life thought."



"Grace and Style"



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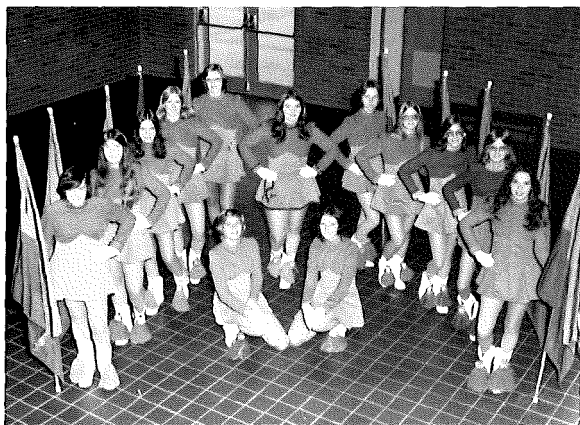
CHEERLEADERS

Theresa Derenick, Roselle Mecca, Diane Haddock, Deborah Maleski, Beverly Polkosnik, Agnes Loftus, and Patricia Higgins.



FIRST ROW: Cheryl Guzzi, Deborah Maleski, and Diane Wielebinski. SECOND ROW: Mary Beth Soboleski, Carol Ott, and Patricia Chilleri, Eileen Mulhern, Mary Boyko, Denise Mokay, Mary Lynne Semion, Cheryl Scalese, Jo Ann Rizzo, and Nancy Polkosnik. THIRD ROW: Arita Cosgrove, Deborah Adryan, Patricia Noon, Joyce Jackowitz, and Barbara Pacolitch.

FEATURE FLAG



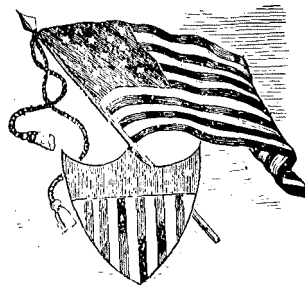
Karen Wedlock, Helen Hillson, Linda Wedlock, Valeria Laboranti, Gloria Kovatch, Patricia Higgins, Carol Schab, Patricia Hines, Linda Goeringer, Karen Kloss, and Mary Ann Dalbo. CENTER: Linda Vass and Darlen Johnson.

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FIRST ROW: Lynne Orloski, Linda Nitch, Barbara Kapuscinski, and Jane Exeter. SECOND ROW: Debra Weitz, Margaret Hopkins, Cynthia Petrosky, and Patricia Korshnak. THIRD ROW: Linda Vass and Darlene Johnson. TOP: Cheryl Guzzi and Diane Wielebinski.



Color Guard



LEFT TO RIGHT: Theresa Derenick, Debra Weitz, Mary Helen Rushnak, Nancy Guzzi, Patricia Korshnak, and Mary Elaine Lanko.

Drill Team



KNEELING: Cynthia Petrosky, Beverly Polkosnik, and Margaret Hopkins. FIRST ROW: Susan Hodge, Cherra Mary. SECOND ROW: Michelle Bouselli, Theresa Browning, Ann Marie Barns, Lori Davis, Geradette Kanasyka, Linda Goul, Amy Kirschenheiter. THIRD ROW: Mary Loftus, Brenda Schultz, Colleen Brady, Betty Kumor and Suzanne Slusher.

Flag Twirlers



KNEELING: Becky Jones, Helen Luchacko, Ann Marie Flowers, and Sandy Vernosky. FIRST ROW: Debra Harrison, Linda Nitch, Agnes Loftus, Barbara Kapuschinski, and Lynne Zaloga. SECOND ROW: Mary Ann Kowalski, Kathy Gorecki, Cynthia Owens, Lori Reveillo, Judy Hunter, and Mary Ellen Holmes.

Twirlers



FIRST ROW: Jane Exeter, Roselle Mecca, and Lynne Orloski. SECOND ROW: Linda Moodiensi, Donna Fiorentini, Theresa Manalas, Cynthia Vinansky, Nancy Lichak, Janet Gatto, Emily Lispi, Sherry Shubrack, Ann Richards, and Paulette Maslanka.



Miss Viking — Debra Maleski

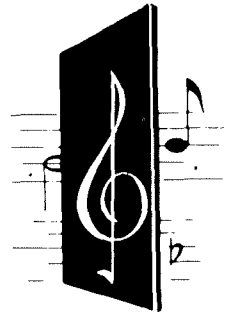
Music



Our Band



SENIOR BAND MEMBERS: LEFT TO RIGHT: Joe Cudo, Milton Evans, Mr. Bone, Joan Davis, Margaret Carr.



Pep Rally

Track Team



KNEELING, Left to Right: Bob Gwyn, John Kardos, Gary Norton, Mike Hewitt, George Kofira, Frank Graziano, Jim Neary, Mark Cherevka, John Fortuna, and Don Gable. STANDING, Left to Right: Ken Golenbeski, John Novotka, Joe Cudo, Tom Goham, Mike Keppick, Tim Jarrow, Stan Knick, Frank Maloney, Gary Liples, Bob Eskra, Bob Davis, Anton Haryluck.



Head Coach, Ralph D'Amico; Track Star, Mark Cherevka, and Assistant Coach, Bob Lazevnick. ★★★ Mark was 1st in District Two and 8th in State competition in the long jump. Also set a new school record in 100-yard dash of 10 seconds flat.



Frank finally wins a race.



I'll probably lose two more pounds after this.



RIVERSIDE'S GOLF TEAM: Mr. Jack Helcoski is head golf coach.



George Kofira, Mr. Helcoski's pride and joy.



Jim Williams receives trophy from Gene King of the Booster Club.

Varsity Baseball



Left to Right, FIRST ROW: Jim Connor, Ed Pry, Roy Collins, Joe Galuska, George Startz, Brian Felter, and Richard Puckett. SECOND ROW: Richard Evans, Lou Oleksy, John Karnis, Martin Snyder, Joe Graziano, Tom Czerw, and Andrew Staratz.



Head Coach James Connor presents trophies to outstanding baseball players. Tom Czerw, outstanding fielder, Jim Connor, outstanding hitter, Roy Collins, Mr. Baseball.



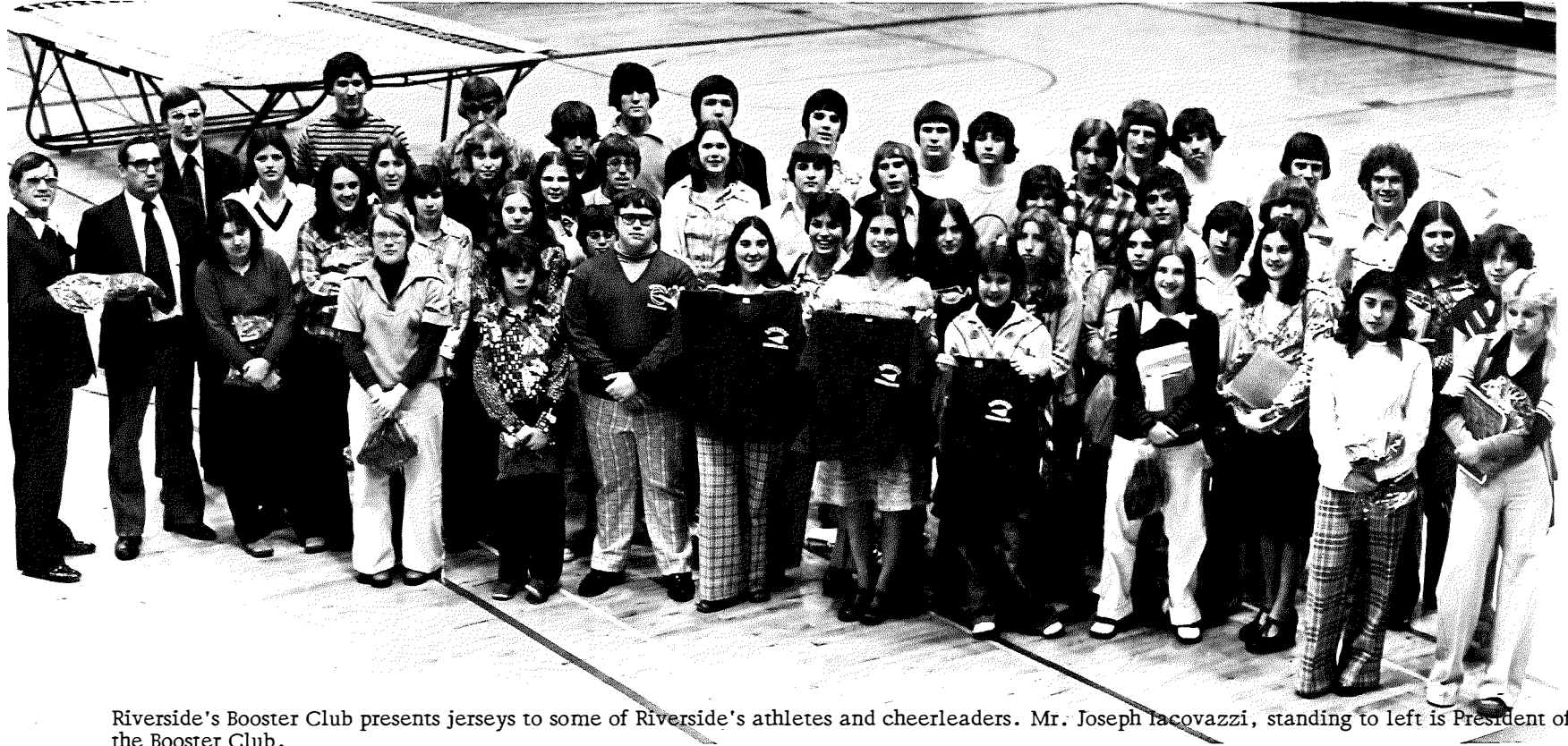
GIRLS SOFTBALL TEAM: Janet Kresge, Head Coach.



Pat Orzel and Sandy Karwaski, Outstanding girl athletes at Riverside.

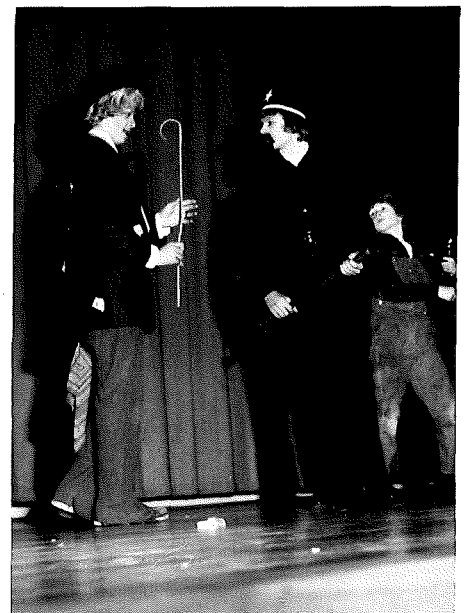


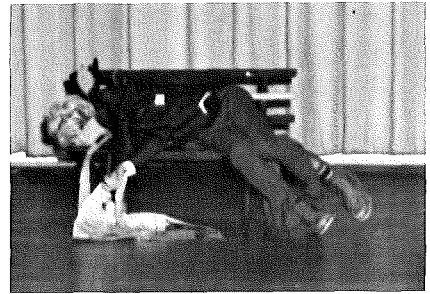
The Coach



Riverside's Booster Club presents jerseys to some of Riverside's athletes and cheerleaders. Mr. Joseph Iacovazzi, standing to left is President of the Booster Club.

The Cop And The Anthem



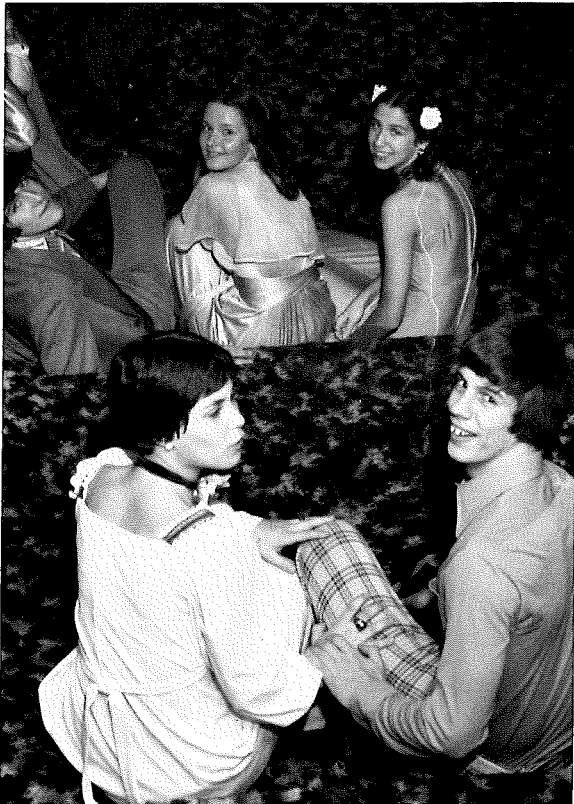


Frosty Fiesta

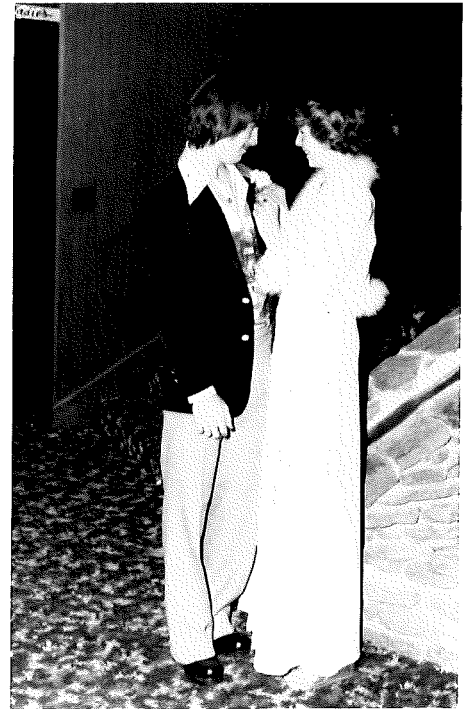
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Todos estan bajo arresto.



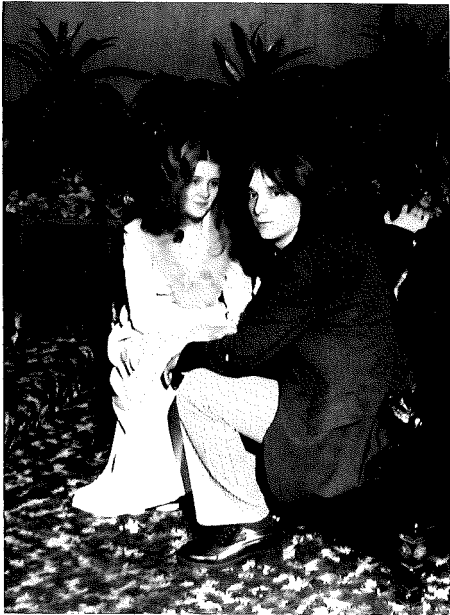
Marco, yo te dijo que esto era un mal.



Para Mí!



LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. and Mrs. James Aulisio, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bednash, and Mr. and Mrs. James R. Bone.

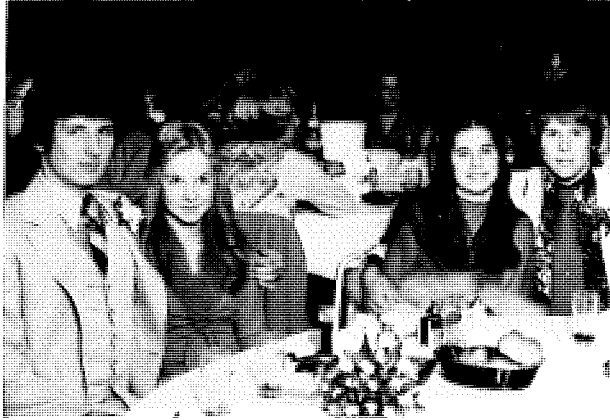


Quien esta haciendo propuesta de matrimonio.



Por que siempre tenemos que seguir la camara fotografica?

La banda BBK's



Glenn, ud esta magullando mi brazo.

All Honors Banquet



HEAD TABLE: SITTING, Left to Right: Elaine Eleko, Janet Kresge, Guest Speaker - Maryann Stanley Crawford, School Board President - Tessie Swiatek, Bernard Gilespie, Bob Meckwood, James Bone, and Ralph D'Amico. STANDING: Betty Jane Caswell, Carol Pochaski, Donna Lemoncelli, James Connor, Reverend Fabian, Vice Principal Dennis Kryzanowski and John Helcoski.



Coach D'Amico presenting Don Gable with a trophy for being a devoted manager at Riverside for 5 years. Don served as football manager for 5 years, track manager for 5 years, and basketball manager for 3 years.

All Honors Awards At Riverside

HONOR SOCIETY

Mary Ameika
Janet Hocking
Margaret Hopkins
Patti Orzel
Debra Wilga
Diane Pollock
Leonard Jasuta
Agnes Loftus
Debra Maleski
Louise Richards
Joanne Ogonosky
Diane Wielebinski
Chester Lukasiewicz
Amy Kirschenheiter
Glenn Zumbach

FOOTBALL

Glenn Zumbach
Robert Gwyn Mike Hewitt
Paul Jesuit
Edward Davies
Leonard Jasuta
William Koval
Mark Proopovitch
Mike Chisdock
Frank Graziano
Chester Lukasiewicz
Donald Gable Manager

BASKETBALL BOYS

Robert Fauver
Glenn Zumbach
Paul Jesuit

BASKETBALL GIRLS

Sandra Karwaski
Patricia Orzel
Ann Cardamone
Mary Ameika
Susan Major
Joan Halenda Manager

BASEBALL

Richard Barry
Roy Collins
Rich Evans
Brian Felter
Joe Rachko
Joe Wiechowski

GOLF

George Kofira
Jim Williams

TRACK

Bob Gwyn
Frank Graziano
Mike Hewitt
Joe Novotka
Bill Koval
Bob Davis
Frank Maloney
Ogonosky Edward
Ken Golembeski
George Kofira
John Alimenti
Joe Cudo

SOFTBALL

Colleen Brady
Ann Marie Flowers
Joan Halenda
Barbara Kapuscinski
Carol Ott
Paula Knepp
Debra Maleski

UNITS AND BAND

Debra Maleski, Miss Viking
Margaret Carr, Band
Joe Cudo, Band
Joan Davis, Band
Milton Evans, Band
Debbie Adryan, Cheerleader
Rita Cosgrove, Cheerleader
Cheryl Guzzi, Cheerleader
Carol Ott, Cheerleader
Nancy Polkosnik, Cheerleader
Joanne Rizzo, Cheerleader
Diane Wielebinski, Cheerleader
Ann Marie Flowers, Baton
Judy Hunter, Baton
Barbara Kapuscinski, Baton
Agnes Loftus, Baton
Linda Nitch, Baton
Cindy Owens, Baton
Jane Exeter, Flag
Cindy Kobilinski, Flag
Roselle Mecca, Flag
Lynne Orloski, Flag
Colleen Brady, Drill
Susan Hodge, Drill
Margaret Hopkins, Drill
Amy Kirschenheiter, Drill
Cindy Petrosky, Drill
Bev Polkosnik, Drill
Pat Korshnak, Guard



LEFT TO RIGHT: Paul Jesuit, Best Lineman; Bob Gwyn, Best Offensive Back; Frank Graziano, Headhunter; Mark Prokopovitch, Headhunter; Glenn Zumbach, Outstanding Senior; and Coach Bernard Lazevnick.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Bob Fauver, Best Offensive Player and Highest Scoring Average in Lackawanna League; Coach Robert Meckwood; and Glenn Zumbach, Best Defensive Player.



LEFT TO RIGHT: BOOSTER CLUB AWARDS: Sandra Karwaski, Best Female of Scholastic Team; Mark Cherewka, Best Quarterback; Mark Prokopovitch, Best Defensive End; Glenn Zumbach, Best Tailback; Paul Jesuit, Best Offensive End; Mike Keppick, Best Punter; and Bob Fauver, Best Basketball Player.



LEFT TO RIGHT: George Kofira, Best Improved Golfer; Jim Williams, Best Scorer and Coach Jack Helcoski.

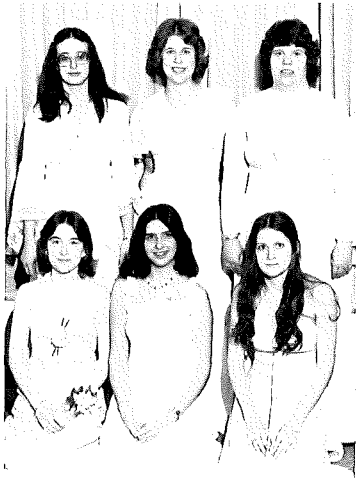


LEFT TO RIGHT: Milton Evans III, Best Music Performer and James R. Bone, Band Director.



SEATED, Left to Right:
 Mary Ellen Holmes,
 Helen Lukachko, Prom
 Queen Agnes Loftus,
 Cheryl Scalse, Diane
 Wielebinski.
 STANDING, Left to
 Right: Joanne
 Wielebinski, Mr.
 Rusincovitch, Miss
 Sklaney, Joe Rachko,
 Mr. Macart, Linda
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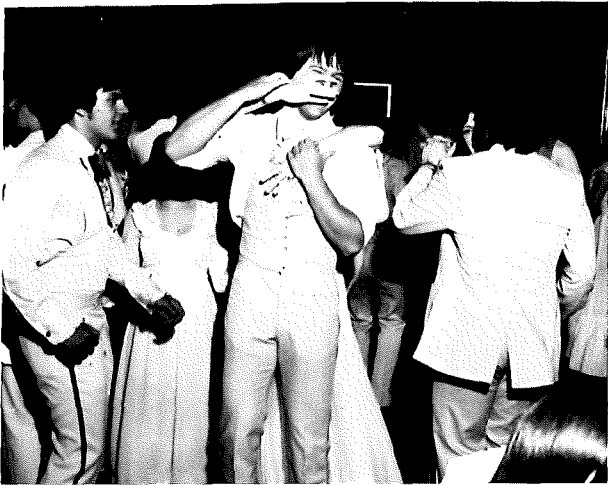




SEATED, Left: Patti Mraz, Debbie Wilga, Ann Marie Nykaza. STANDING: Carol Kilvitis, Joanne Ogonosky and Kathy Vanvestraut.



Beautiful



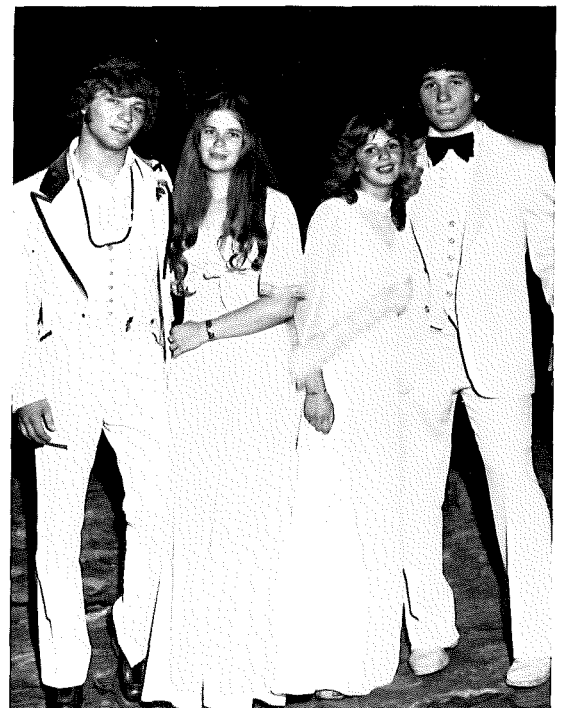
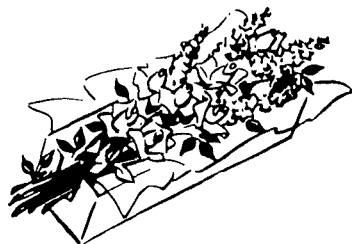
Messed up another one Zumm!



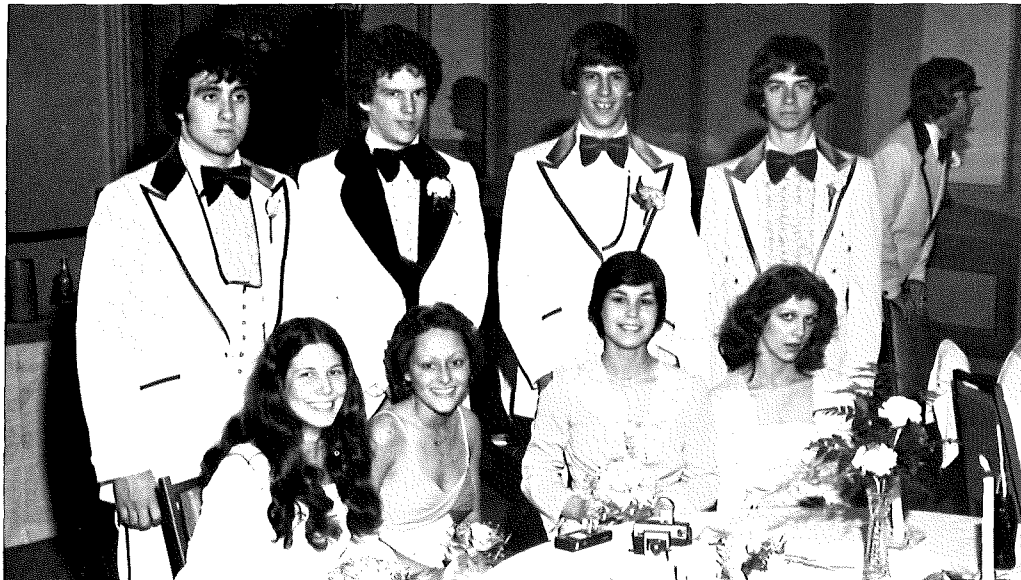
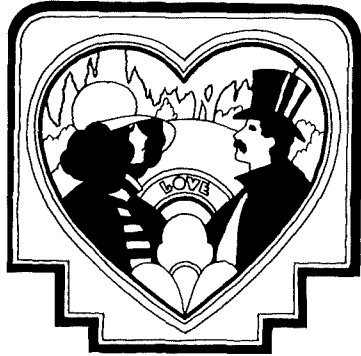
Couples



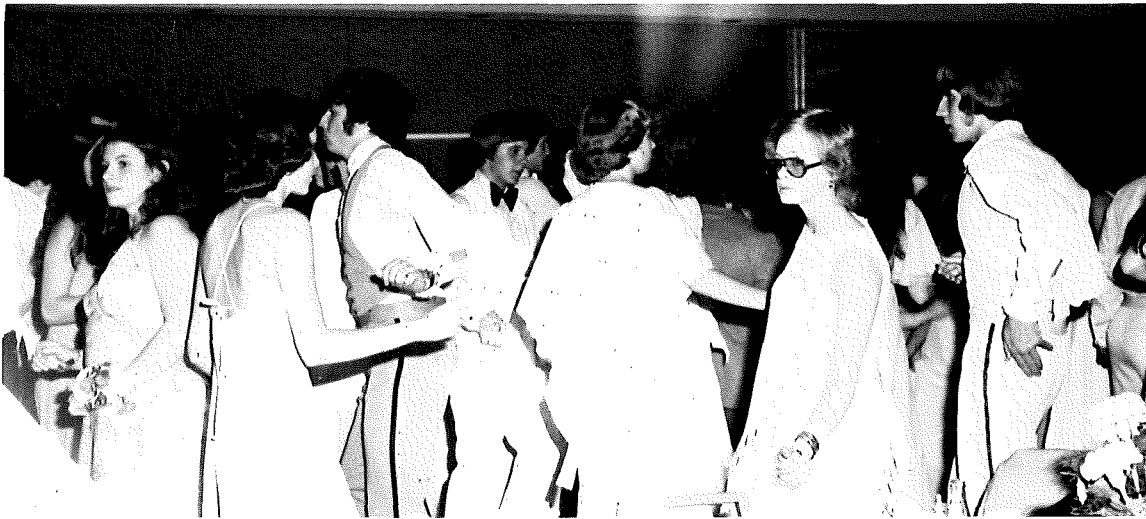
The group



Our Senior Prom



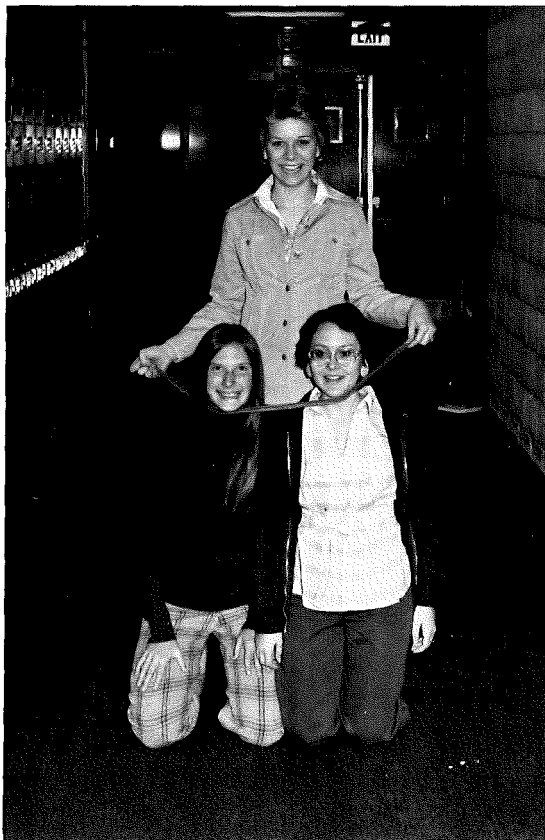




Vo-Tek



Riverside's Vocational Students



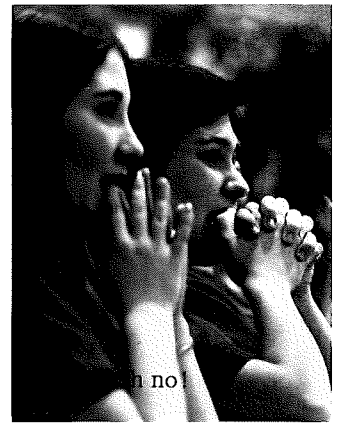
Lori, Cindy and Karen



Karen insists on being on top!



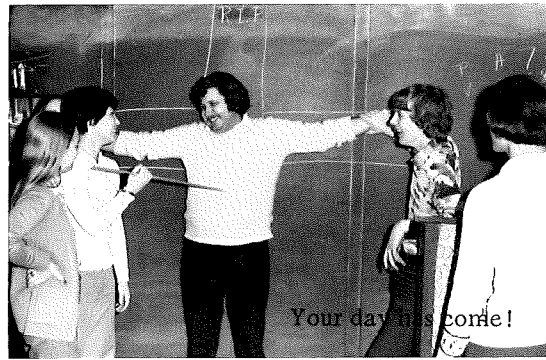
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Your days come!

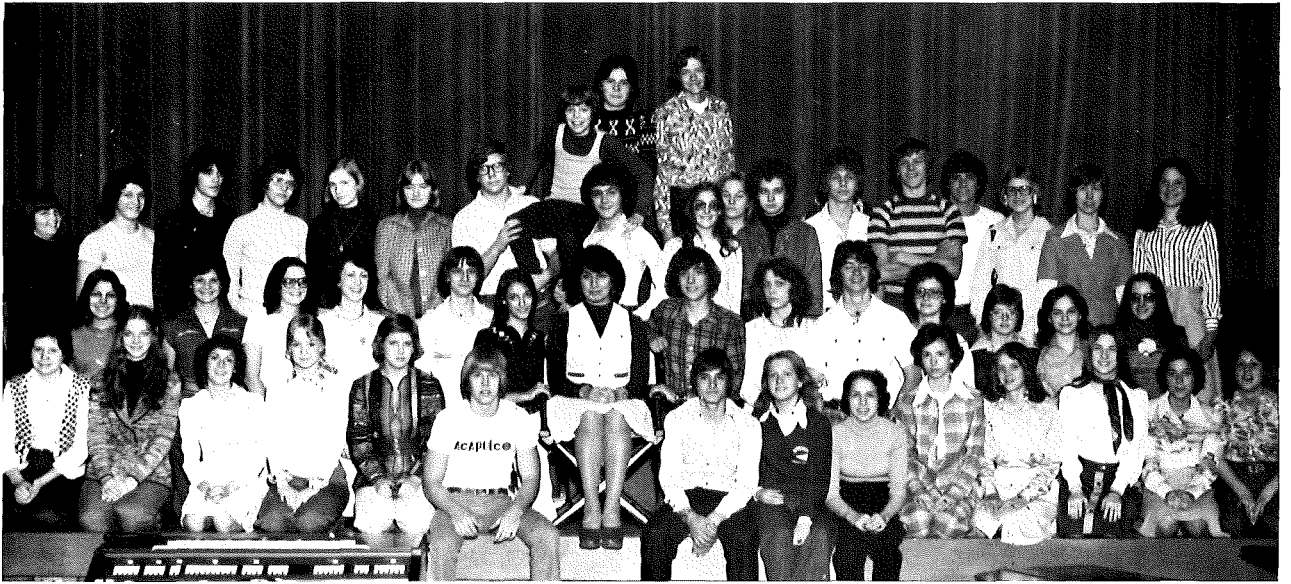


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Frank, get off my back!

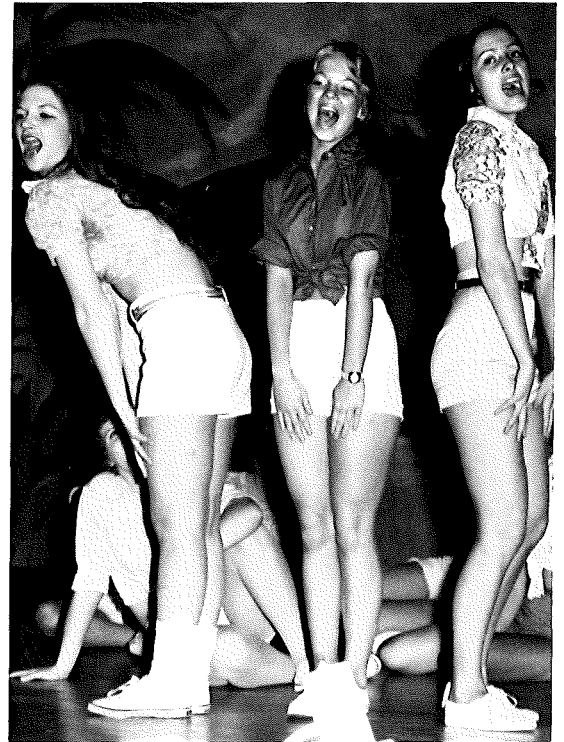
South Pacific



Please come home, Hubby!



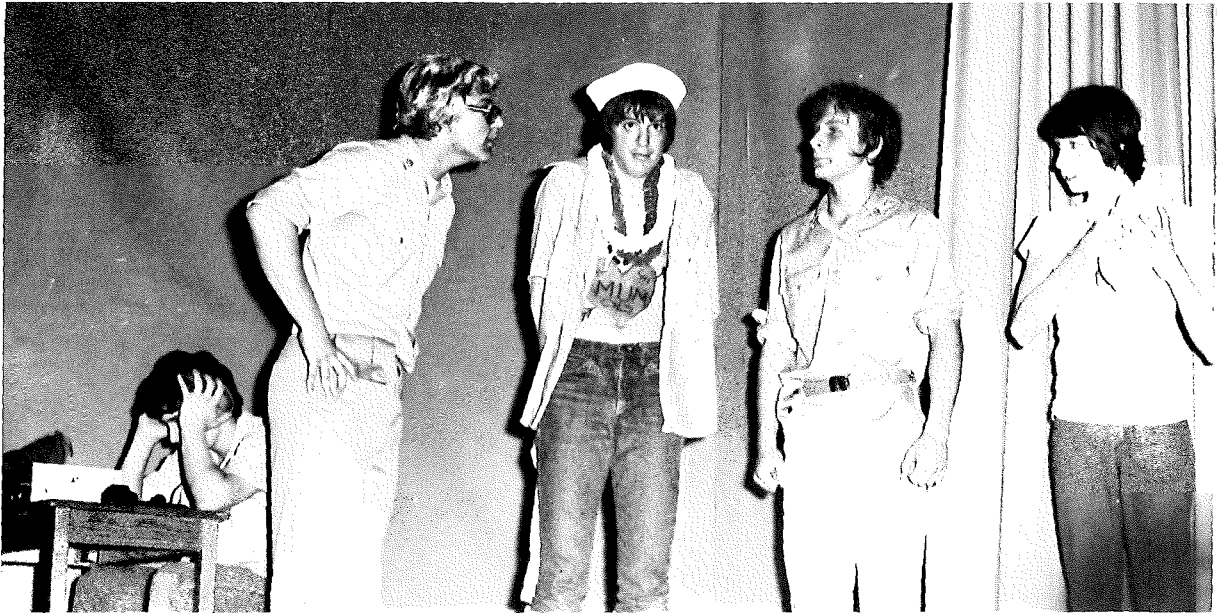
Don't worry I'll get a job some day!



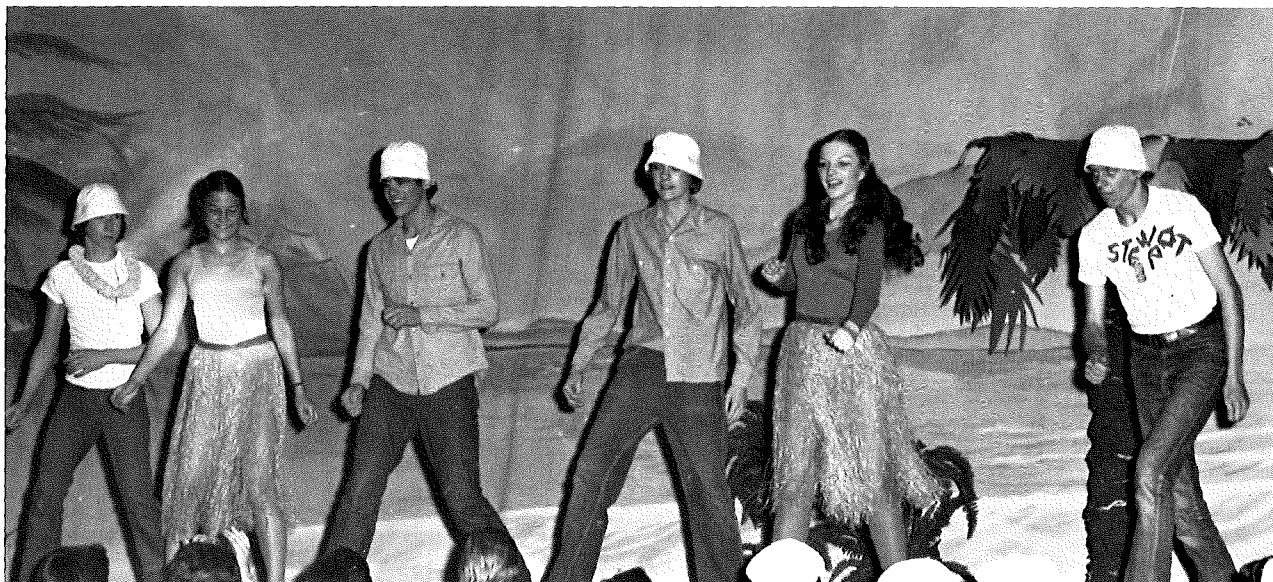
Ouch, those Navy razor blades are dull!



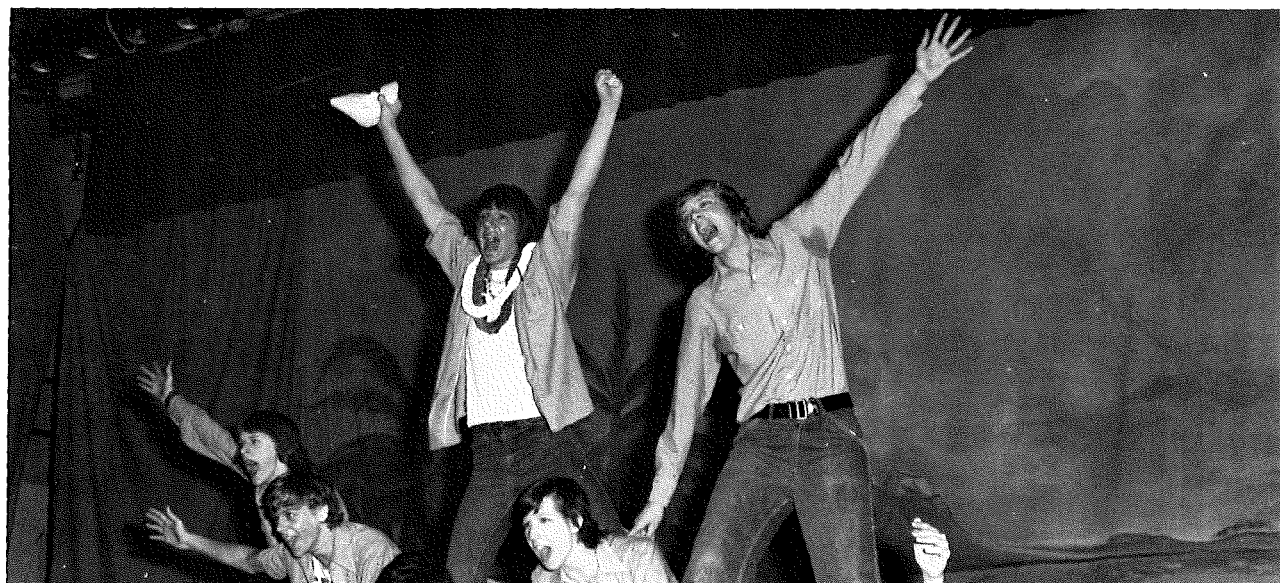
Did ya, huh, did ya?



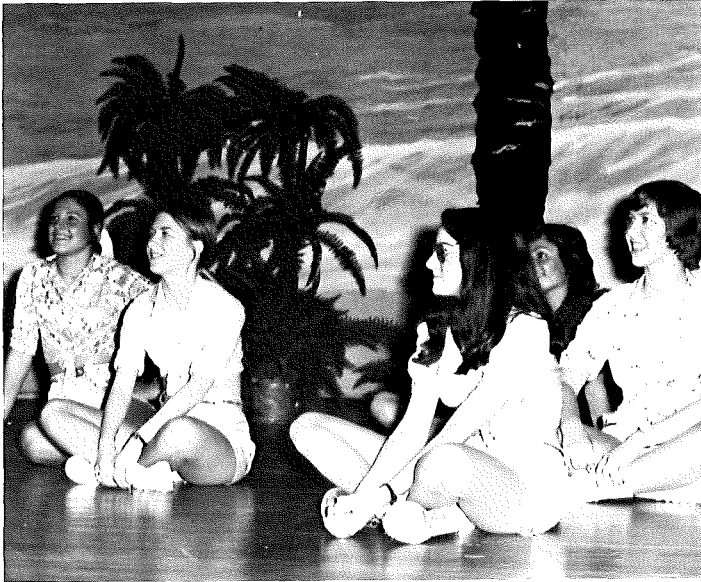
I said full dress not fool dress!



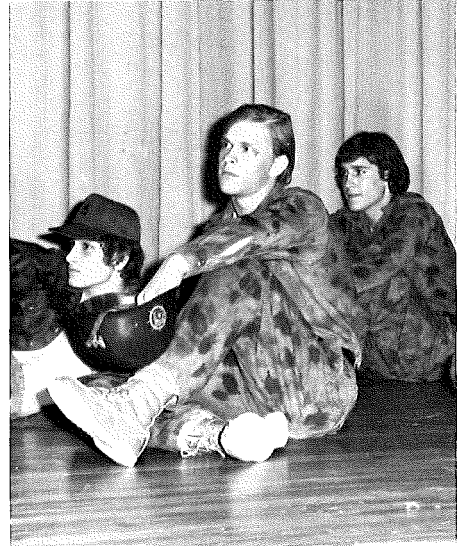
"A night at the disco."



We want dames!



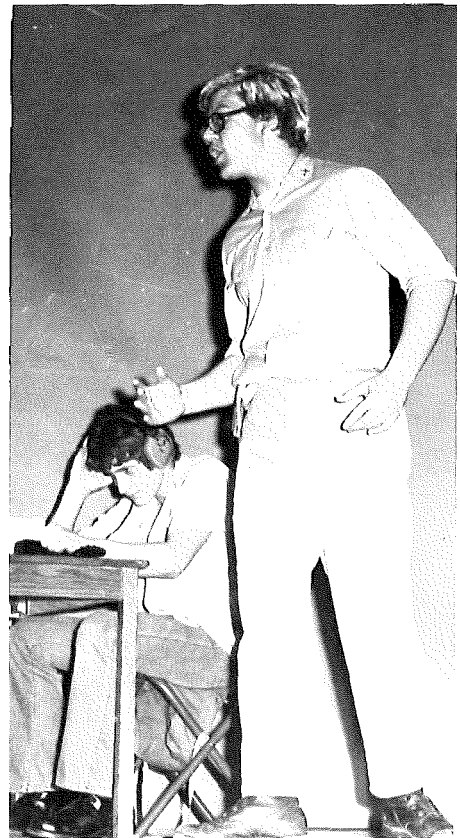
"A family outing."



I could use a good laugh!



Hi guy!



Tell Mother I'll call her back!



I only had threeeee!



I got good skirt very cheap.



FAVORITES

If eyes were made for seeing,
Then Beauty is its own excuse for being.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Salute To Riverside

As graduation day draws near
my thoughts drift into the past.
to the day when "Seniors" meant fear.
when we were the seventh grade class.

Riverside was then a scary place,
where we had to come to learn.
where "Teacher" meant a strange new face.
in every classroom that we'd turn.

But fear never stopped our crazy class
and now that we're seniors ourselves,
we salute our school - Riverside High,
where we've been as busy as elves.

We salute the administration
who tried to keep us in line.
Mr. Rusincovich, Mr. Kryzanowski
the job you did was fine.

We want to thank the guidance crew
who listened to all our woes.
Miss Powell filled out all our forms.
What else? Goodness knows.

We can't forget the library
where so many of us went.
To browse, to read, to socialize.
the time there was well spent.

In drama and in chorus
we learned to act and sing.
This year it was South Pacific
In which we did "our thing."

Miss Caswell you were very kind
to get us out of classes.
Even though when in the hall
Miss Willis checked our passes!!

I'll miss the famous hamburgs,
the macaroni and the stew.

put out by Mrs. Herman
and her cafeteria crew.

Riverside will always be
a place where sports comes first.
Zumbach, Fauver, Gwyn, and Jezz
with pride they made us burst.

The girls in basketball were great
they stood in high esteem.
Mary, Patty, Ann and Ski,
Pushed hard to help the team.

Baseball is another sport
in our sportsmen's hall of fame
Felter, Collins, and Evans
Played in almost every game.

We can't forget our Scholastic Team
Len, Janet, Glenn and Louise.
They got to the quarter finals
But Janet confused her i's and e's

Our class tried hard to make some money.
Because our funds were always low.
The mugs, chances, and movie tickets
Kept Janet and Kathy on the go.

Today is our Class Day
Next comes Graduation.
We soon will leave Riverside
and that's no exaggeration.

Before we leave, however
we want to honor too.
Our frantic, frenzied advisors,
to whom we bid adieu.

Whenever we see old Riverside
as we are passing by
we'll think of all the good times,
and salute our Riverside High.



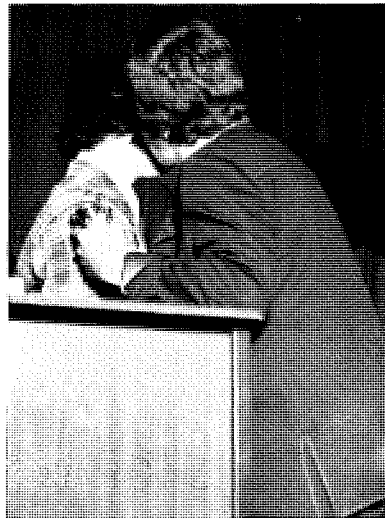
Helen Lachko - the new Miss Viking



Next year's units



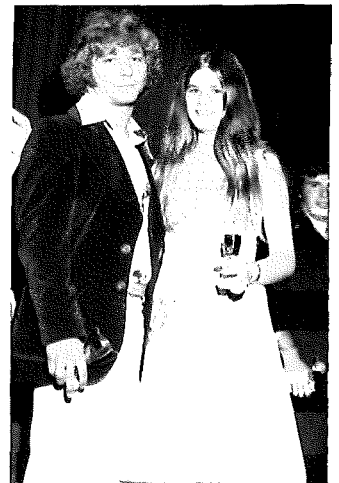
Joseph Rachko passes mantle to Cheryl Scalese.



Class clown John Horger kisses President Joe Rachko in gratitude.



Louise Richards



Class couple 93



Middle states evaluators



Janice Novotka sings her award winning song.





On their shoulders rested the burden of organizing all Senior Class fund raising projects. FIRST ROW: Janet Hocking, Mr. Migal, Mr. Mekilo, and Mrs. Merritt. SECOND ROW: Cathy Cummings, Loretta Heffernan, and Terry.



LEFT: Bob Fauver, tallest and Paula Kneep, shortest.

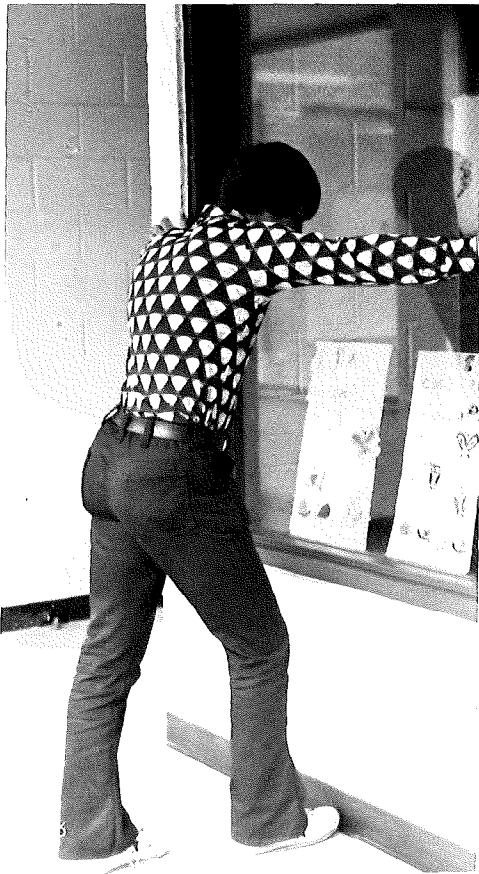




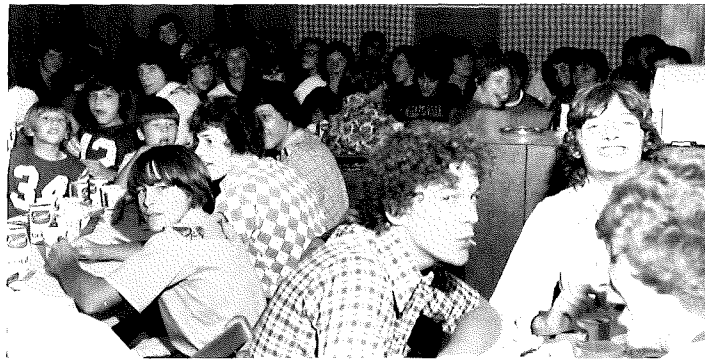
Riverside Ski Club



ABOVE: Mr. Lazevnick's pride and joy - the transit crew. KNEELING: Frank Graziano and Rich Barry. STANDING: Dale Boyko, Frank Bergamino, Mr. Robert Lazevnick, and Pat Bakaysa.



They went to Mexico!





Off to Florida.

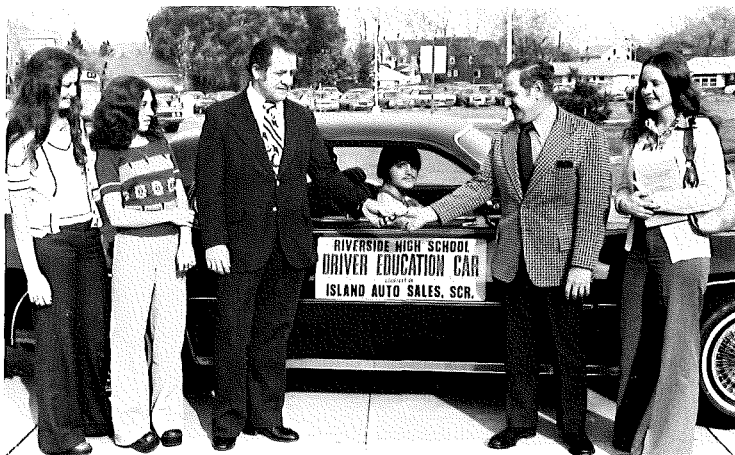




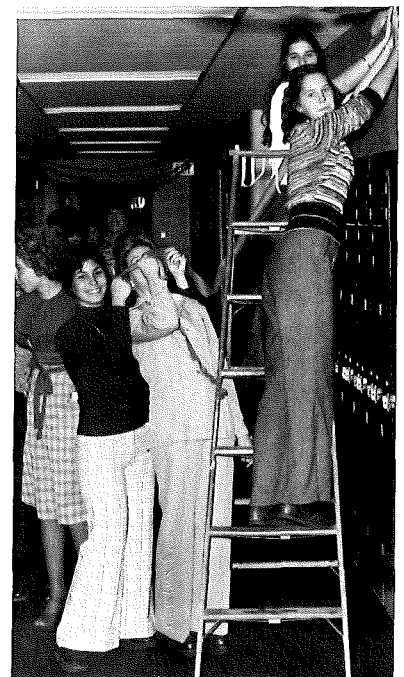
National Honor Society cleans up Taylor Hospital grounds.

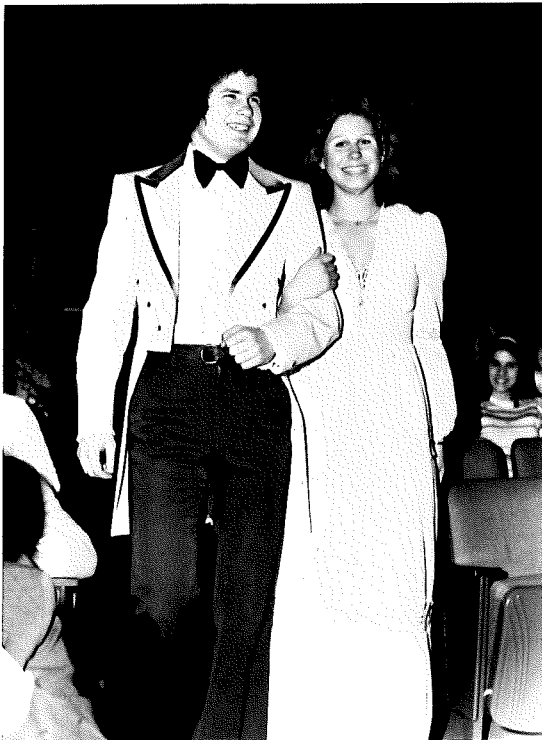
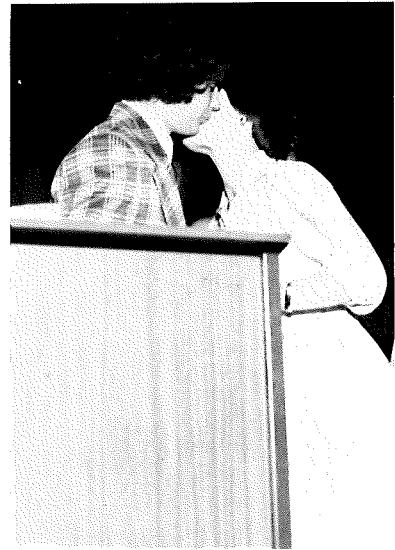
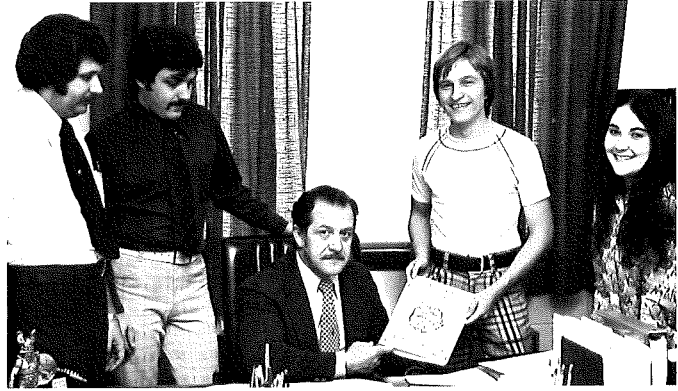
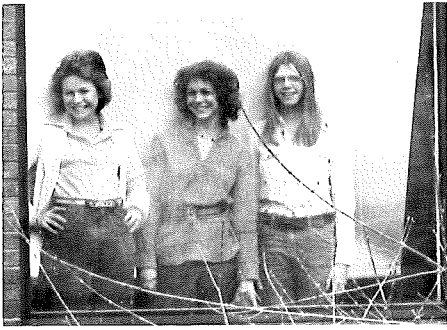


Best friends always, Linda and Carol



Our new Driver's Education car.

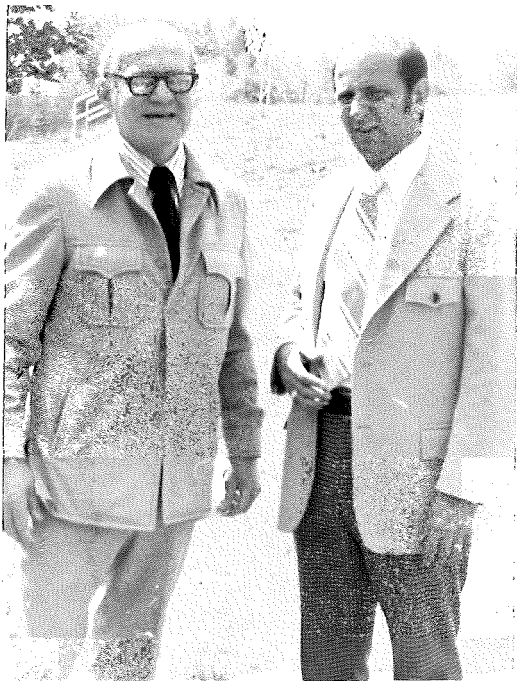




Class Night

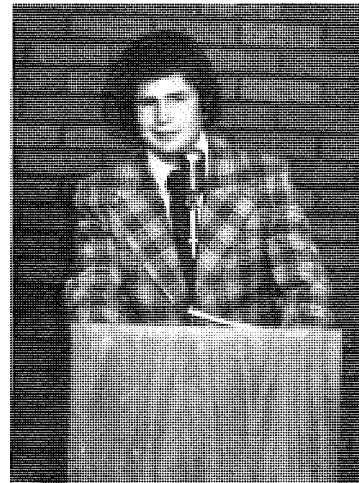


SEATED, Left to Right: Class President, Joe Rachko; Principal, Paul Rusincovitch; Vice Principal, Dennis Kryzanowski; and Invocation, Milton Evans. STANDING, Left to Right: Treasurer, Agnes Loftus; Secretary, Linda Nitch; Class Grumbler, Susan Hodge; and Class Optimist, Kathy Cummings.



Mr. Bernard Gillespie,
Chairman of Presentations

Mr. Ralph D'Amico,
Chairman of Class Night



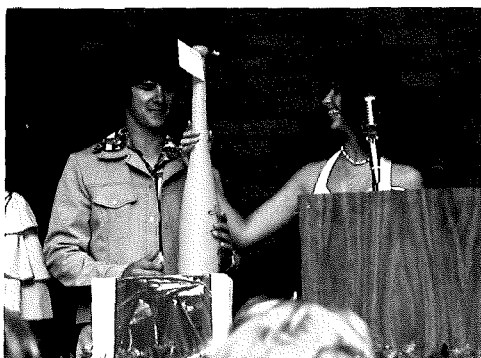
Now it's my turn to yell at
you!

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And



My very own Johnny Bench bat!



Honest, Deb, it was the only way we could think of to stop you from hitting us with your hands when you talk to us.



Annie, I'll kill ya!

It's all in fun.



You're turning red already!



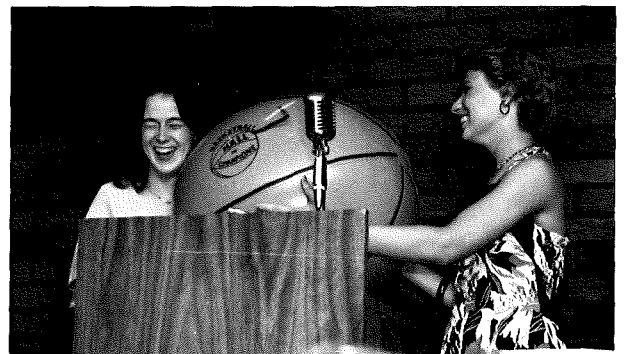
Try it on for size.



Make your own pizza.



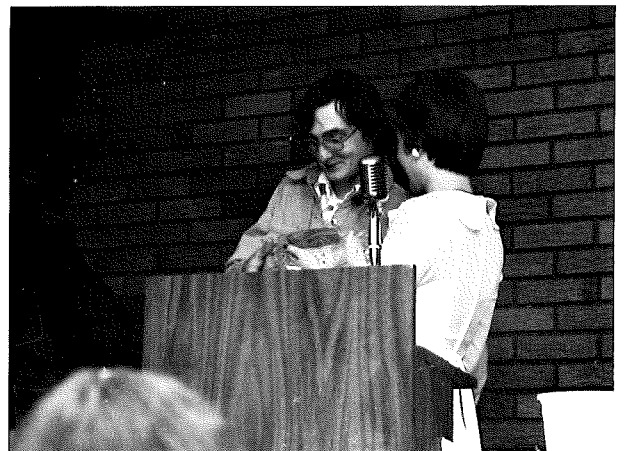
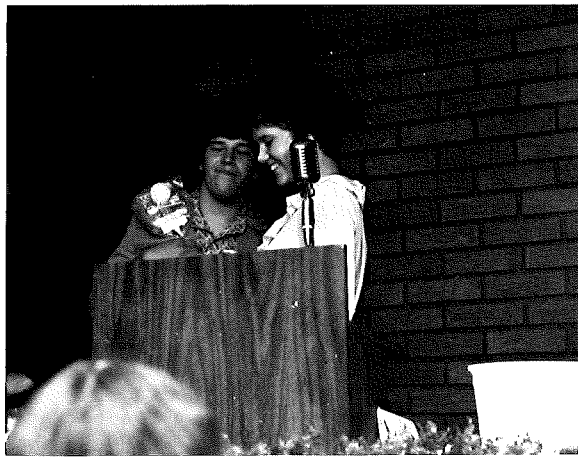
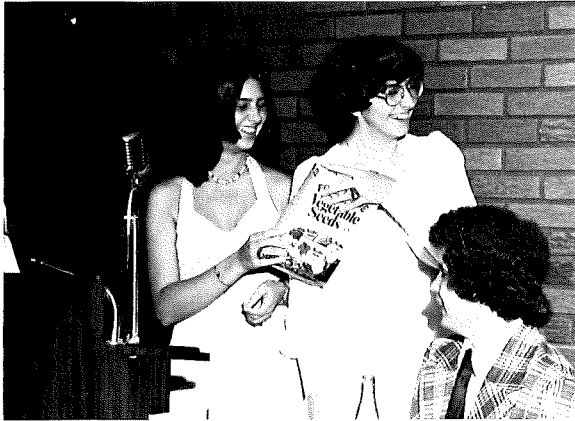
It's for you Dom.



Where am I going to find a basket big enough.



Just having a good time.





MARY



JANET



WARREN



ROSELLE



LORI



BARRY



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MARY



BOB



CINDY



BARB



BILLY



CHET



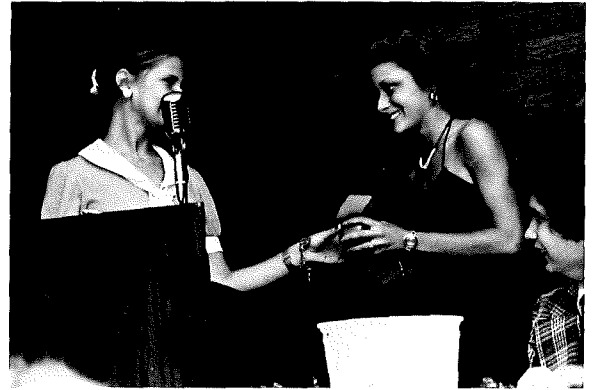
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RITA



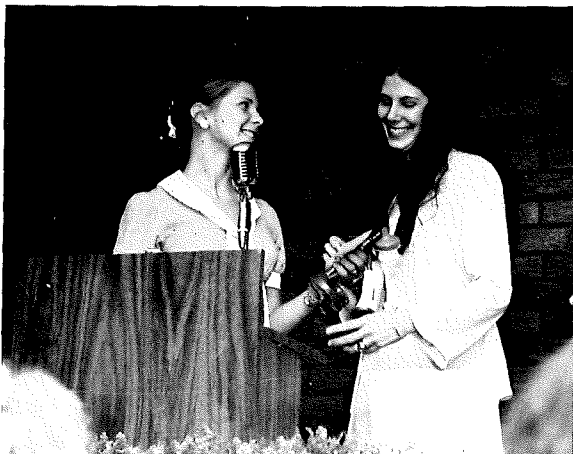
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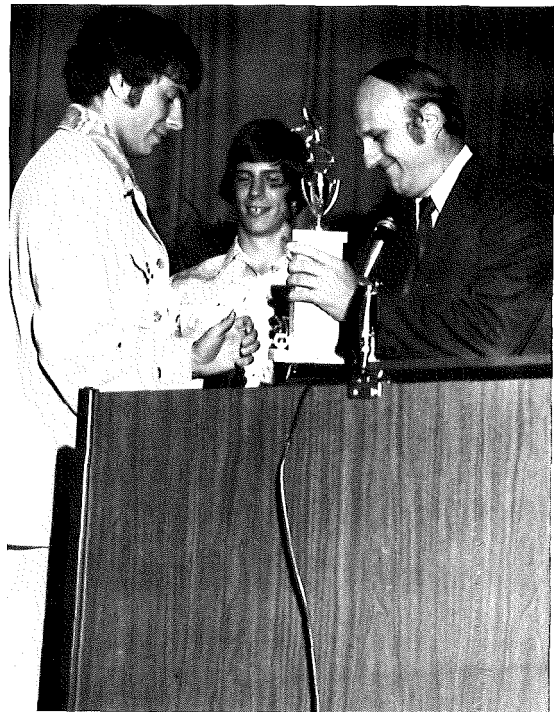


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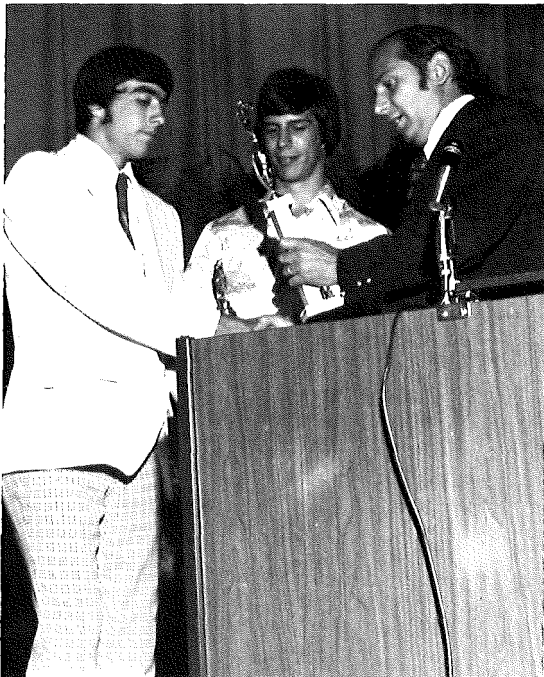
Class Day



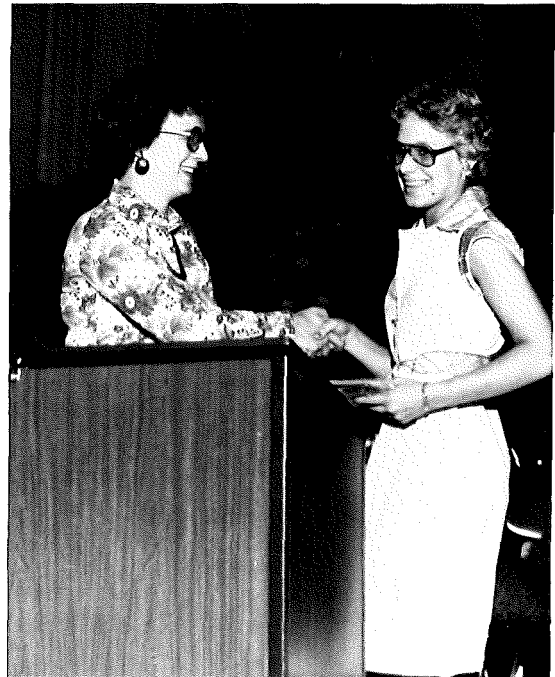
Debbie Maleski - Business Education Award;
Glenn Zumbach - Academic Award; Mr.
Kryzanowski is presenting the awards.



Frank Graziano - Field Award; Mark Cherewak
- Most Points; Mr. Lazevnick is presenting the
awards. (Track and Field)



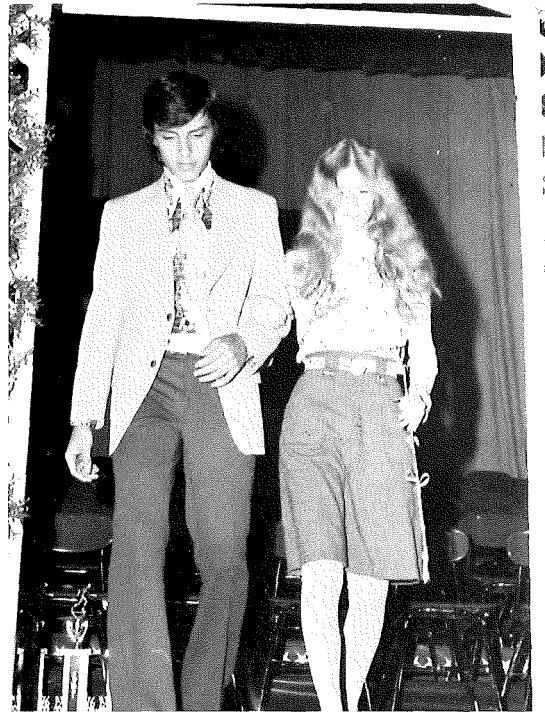
Bob Gwyn - Track Award; Mark Cherewka -
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Miss Stampien presenting shorthand award to
Barbara Kapuscinski.



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ART AND JOANNE



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ALAN AND DEBBIE



BILL AND CHERYL



MIKE AND JANE



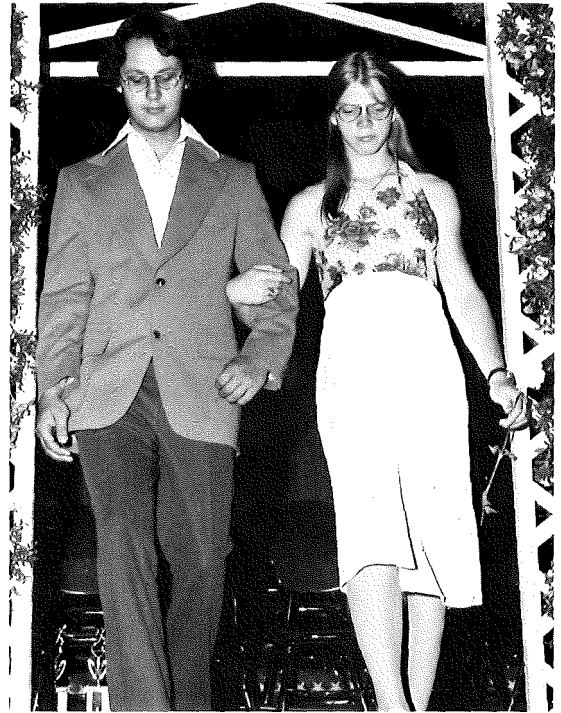
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WARREN AND LINDA



JOE AND JOAN



STAN AND DORA



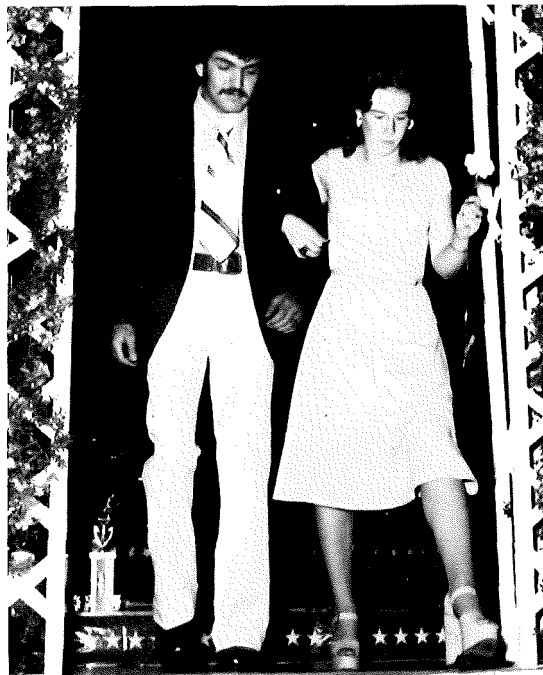
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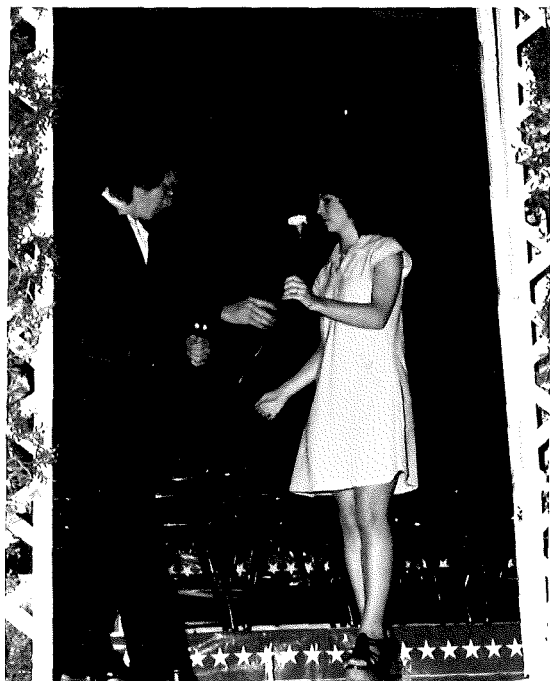
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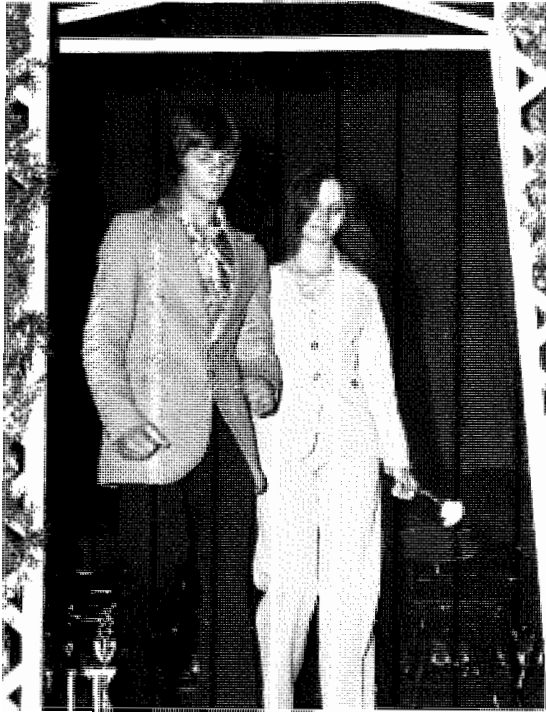
JOE AND SUSAN



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JIM AND MARY JO



ROY AND DIANE



BOB AND LORETTA



JOE AND PAT



BRIAN AND LAURIE



Valedictorian - Glenn Zumbach



Salutatorian
Janet Hocking

3rd Honors
Louise Richards



4th Honors
Diane Pollock





Senior Class Officers

- President:
Joe Rachko
- Vice-President
Janet Hocking
- Treasurer:
Agnes Loftus
- Secretary
Linda Nitch





Senior Class Of 1976

The Class Of



1976



Optimist

KATHY CUMMINGS - OPTIMIST

ADVISOR - MRS. BARD

KATHY: Well, Sue, here we are. We've finally arrived at Class Night after a four-year cruise on the Good Ship "VIKING." We and our shipmates have weathered many a storm.

SUE: I'll say we have - will you ever forget the storm that blew in over the possibility of the seniors not going to Florida? Our captains Mr. Rusincovitch and Mr. Kryzanowski really had to calm the raging seas that day.

KATHY: Things eventually worked out, Sue I thought we were going to lose Mr. Migal. Especially the day he had all that money in his pockets. I was afraid he'd decide to become a Travel Agent and leave good old Riverside.

SUE: Speaking of storms that was a long one we had in the beginning of the year, the one that lasted until October 27.

KATHY: But, we really didn't have to go to classes, did we? It was fun getting out early and when we were here we had new teachers to drive crazy, remember in psychology? That's one teacher we'll never see again, we'll never forget Carl Rogers!

SUE: You know, Kathy, I rather like strikes especially if they're in nice weather.

KATHY: Well everything eventually got back to normal.

SUE: What do you mean by "normal"!!

KATHY: Why our spacious classrooms with their unblemished desks . . .

SUE: Unblemished desks!! That's not what Vicky says. Why one day she was heard to say "the kids are writin all over the desks." I heard there's a list of senior boys like Horger, Gwyn and Cosminski who have to come back during the summer to help wash the desks AND the walls.

KATHY: Oh, come on I can't believe that, I think that's just something Mrs. Merritt says to scare the kids. OUR senior boys are all kind, helpful, and decent. It's probably the Juniors that cause all the problems.

SUE: When I come back from Vo-Tech, I hear all about the problems in the lavs - you know those LITTLE problems. That must have been some storm in the boys lav when for some unexplainable reason a comode just blew up!

KATHY: You know Sue, boys will be boys. All they were trying to do was liven up things around here.

SUE: I thought things were pretty lively that day there were pails all over the halls to catch the drips from the leaky roof. John Rojenches had to hop over at least four pails to get to the sophomore lockers. It's VERY lively at lunch time when we have to eat with those freshmen who are always invading senior territory.

KATHY: I think the food has been exceptionally good this year. According to Bob Fauver we've only had shepherds pie once this year that he can recall. And those breaded beef steaks are almost as good as mommy makes.

SUE: You mean on mommy's bad day . . . About those vegetables - they have corn on Monday, peas on Tuesday, carrots on Wednesday, green beans on Thursday, and Friday - what else but mixed vegetables.

KATHY: You're not saying that Friday's meal is a combination of the rest of the week. Because I'm sure the cafeteria staff would never do that. They want us to keep coming back.

SUE: Well they have nothing to worry about. I mean where else CAN the students go.

KATHY: Seniors are allowed in the commons area and that's a step in the right direction.

SUE: Maybe next year the seniors will be able to look out the windows without a pass. Barb Witkowski nearly died when we moved over to the new school and discovered that she couldn't take her daily walk at noon.

KATHY: Even though we can't go for a walk at noon, Sue, I still think the whole set-up at noon in the new school was a definite improvement over lunch time when we were freshmen.

SUE: Oh, I heard about that! I wasn't in your home room but wasn't that the year you poor kids had to eat lunch right after Mr. Hapstak's dissecting class. Cutting up sharks, frogs, and who knew what else! Didn't Ed Gasper and Brian Felter organize a protest to eat lunch out in the hall?

KATHY: Oh, yes - Mr. Hapstak was wild at us but he's so nice that he forgave us after about half a year had passed. Speaking of lunches and the old school - at least we had Pete the Baker and Berlews hoagies - those were the good old days.

SUE: Good old days nothing!!! Remember those horrible study periods in the auditorium!

KATHY: You mean the ones in which they showed my favorite movies - Phantom of the Opera . . .

SUE: Don't forget Golfing with Jack Nicklaus - D'Annunzio says he saw that four times and still can't golf!

KATHY: I'll bet Len Jasuta and Jim Williams watched that golf film - they were our class golf champs.

SUE: As I look back, Kathy, who would ever have thought Skinny Gwynnie and Jez would ever make it athletically.

KATHY: BUT, SUE, Glen Zumbach always looked like a champ, even in 9th grade.

SUE: It's a wonder any of them became champs in that so-called gym.

KATHY: Maybe they were thinking about our brand new school with its spacious halls and locks on lockers.

SUE: Spacious halls you could have fooled me! And as for locks on lockers by the time they were on I owed Mr. Lazenik a new Biology book.

KATHY: And of course you needed your book to do your homework during that nice, quiet activity period.

SUE: You mean there were quiet activity periods! In our activity period Jim Igoe used to make sure there was plenty of activity! I don't think either Jim or any of his crew knew the meaning of the word "study."

KATHY: Speaking of words - we sure learned a lot of words in that special vocabulary class for College Boards. Just the other day Ann Cardamone commented on the fact that although Mary Ameika writes with her right hand, she bats lefty. Mary very loftily explained "Oh, I'm ambidextrous." Now she would never have used that word if we hadn't had college board vocabulary.

SUE: Well, the kids certainly don't use vocabulary words in the halls or on the Vo-Tech buses! Some of those kids could write their own dictionaries.

KATHY: Sue maybe they were just trying to be more specific. If I didn't learn anything else this year I learned to BE MORE SPECIFIC. You know as Chet would say BMS in the CCW.

SUE: That sounds like something Janet would read out of her chemistry book. Remember how she, Jay, and Mary tried to get out of that class?

Grumbler

SUSAN HODGE - GRUMBLER

ADVISOR - MRS. MERRITT

KATHY: Yeah, I remember, I can't imagine any course being so bad. But one day I saw the three of them on their knees in the Guidance Office begging to have their schedules changed.

SUE: I wish I could have had my schedule changed. Mr. MacArt's book reports drove me crazy. I no sooner handed one in when it was time to hand in my next title.

KATHY: But just think of all the business we gave the library. And think how well informed we are on current events and social problems such as Fannie Fox and others - right SWAs?

SUE: We made our own current events when we were juniors. Remember the prom? Need I say more?

KATHY: Oh, but everything and everyone looked lovely this year. Even while we were eating we were serenaded by Bishop Klonowski's band. Our own band was great and everybody danced and had a good time. Milton Evans was there in a silver grey tux which perfectly matched the color of his father's new car.

SUE: How about the gang who refused to ask girls but showed up stag in leisure suits, shades, and clodhoppers. What were they trying to prove?

KATHY: Well, it was just some fun on their part and at least they showed up. I could have sworn John Horger was just about to invite a girl out for a sip of ICED TEA!

SUE: Maybe the Plains Township Policemen who swarmed all over the parking lots looking for trouble discouraged poor John.

KATHY: Sue, the excellent behavior of Riverside kids this year made the policemen absolutely unnecessary. We can be proud that our class was so well-balanced.

SUE: Well, at least we can be proud about something. Everyone certainly didn't try to make money for our class. I was afraid we'd be eating peanut butter and jelly tonight instead of lobster the way the money wasn't coming in from our very few projects.

KATHY: You'll have to admit the projects themselves were good - I just can't figure out why they didn't catch on.

SUE: Tell me - what happened to the annual spaghetti dinner? We might have had caviar tonight if that project hadn't flopped.

KATHY: Well, the cafeteria ladies were ready, the waitresses and bus boys were ready but the ticket sellers evidently weren't ready! We only sold 100 tickets and that would have made it a very exclusive spaghetti dinner.

SUE: That's no way to make money. Something was lacking in our class - did you notice how quickly money was available for fun in the sun?

KATHY: Sue, I'm surprised at you!! WE all have to leave Riverside sometime and go out into the world - even if it is Disney World!!

SUE: Well, we certainly get a chance to get out of Riverside when we have fire drills!! Do you think they purposely wait for the coldest day in the year to schedule a fire drill? I saw you out there one day shivering in your gym suit! And that alarm that is supposed to let us know there is a drill - it doesn't even sound like a fire bell to me. It sounds more like the mating call of a moose - and a sick one at that!

KATHY: I admit that the alarm is a bit unusual but it does get us out of the building and that's what counts. Wasn't it comforting to know that IF there were a real fire, we had such brave devoted firemen as Alan Coolbaugh, Carl Ostrosky and Dom Lombardi available at a moments notice?

SUE: If there really were a fire, Kathy, Mr. Kryzanowski would probably say in his calm intercom voice - "I'm sorry to interrupt your classes but I have one important announcement that must be made at this time."

KATHY: I'm going to miss that voice - it always announced a little break in class routine, don't you think so?

SUE: I'll tell you what I won't miss. That disgustingly cheery voice that filtered into my home room every morning. "Please rise for the Pledge of Allegiance" how could anyone be in such high spirits at 8:00 in the morning. For a long time I tried to figure out who was dispensing all that joy - and then I found out it was good old Greg Howanetz.

KATHY: Some of Mr. Mekilo's sparkling merriment and jollity must have rubbed off on Greg in the AV room.

SUE: Speaking of Mr. Mekilo, remember the day he wouldn't chase the underclassmen from our senior section? Whatever happened to those seating arrangements we used to have for assembly?

KATHY: I guess they thought we wouldn't need them in the new school, As for those underclassmen they were just trying to be older, after all didn't we do stuff like that when we were younger?

SUE: But we always got caught. And how about those senior movies!! The pictures were never centered on the screen. Why, Vincent Price showed up on our screen one time wearing a pleated skirt which turned out to be the stage curtain. How I could go on. The voices - were so muffled that I thought I was watching a German movie.

KATHY: But just think the mind exercise involved in watching a movie at the Riverside auditorium - such concentration. Denny Pregmon would leave the auditorium with a headache from all the concentration.

SUE: Mind exercise - that reminds me of the library! If the staff would have stopped yelling and screaming about the noise, there wouldn't be as much noise. I remember when the advanced composition class was doing term papers, Paul Jesuit and Arthur Karbowski were so concerned about getting their papers finished, they went into the career center for some peace and quiet.

KATHY: Remember the peace and quiet last year at the maple syrup farm when Mr. Bugno took us on a FIELD TRIP.

SUE: Field trip!! What's that?!? I thought they were extinct at Riverside.

KATHY: Oh Sue, you can PLAN the trips - For example the Art Club planned a lovely trip to Washington. We had all our money in and everything. All we needed was the ok, from somewhere.

SUE: You may be able to plan the trip but the question is do you ever get to go?? If you're in certain history classes you do or if you can wait until school is out.

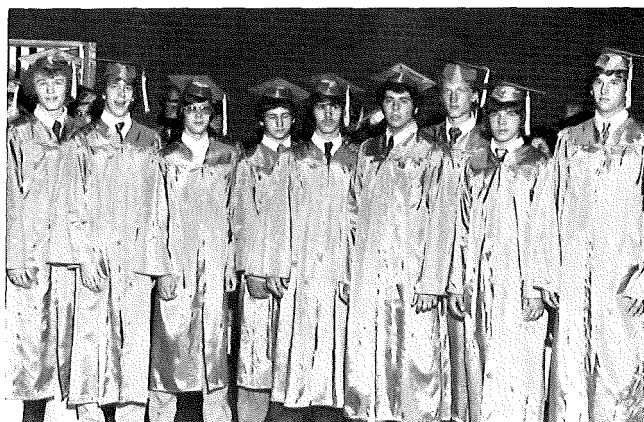
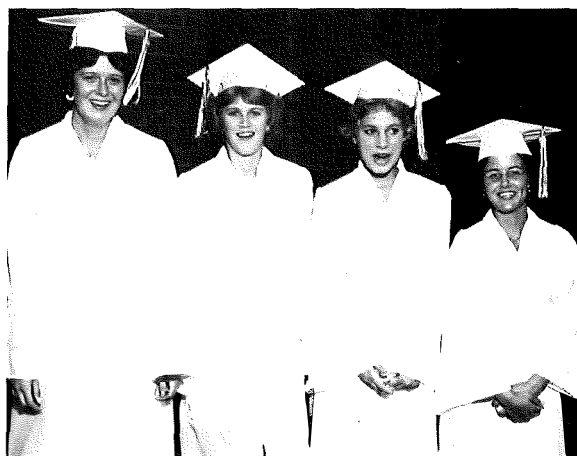
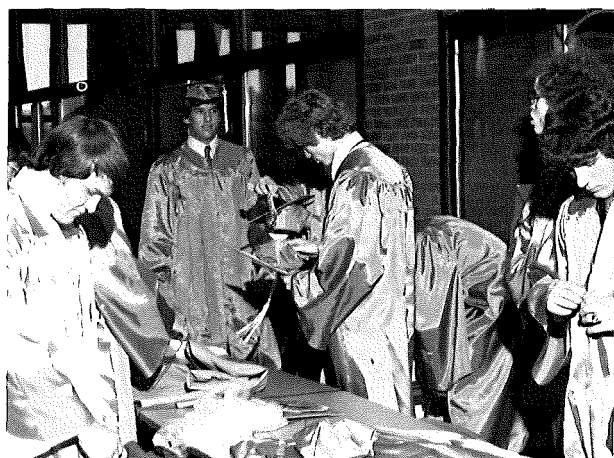
KATHY: Speaking of going, I think we'd better prepare to go.

SUE: I think I've done my share in complaining. But in spite of all my grumbling there were some HAPPY DAYS.

KATHY: Yes there were Sue, especially in 206 and 221.



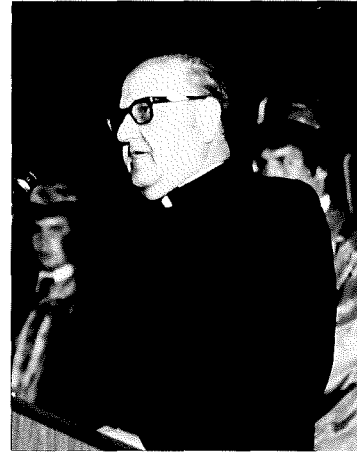
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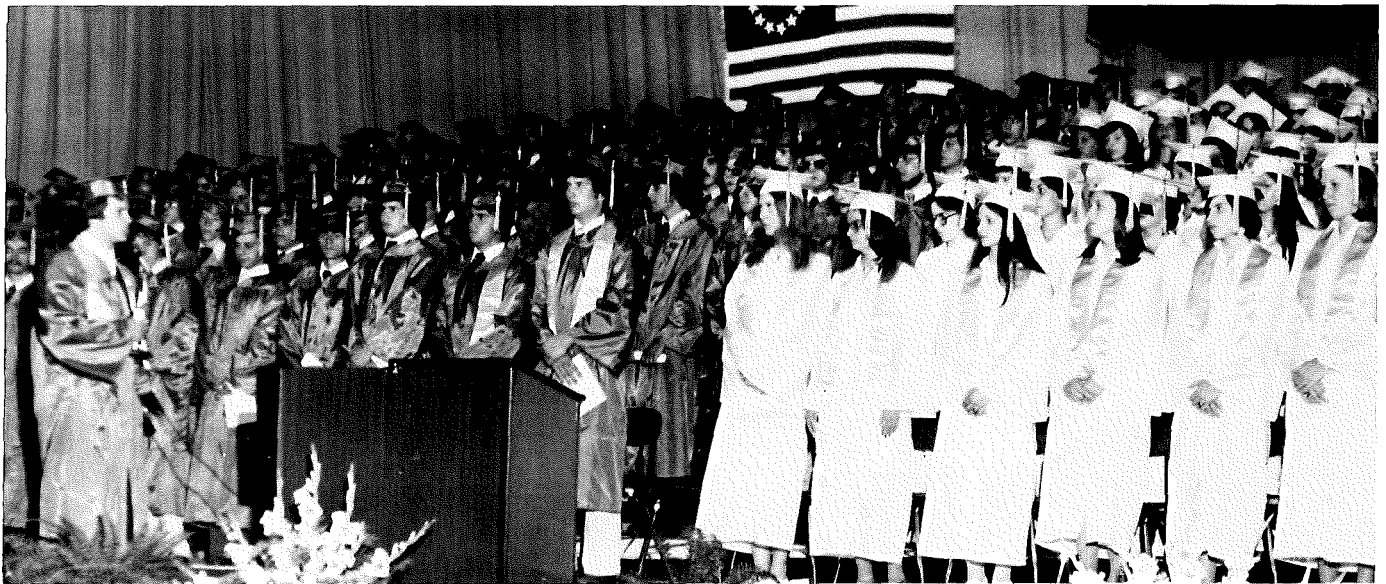
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OUR HONORED GUESTS: LEFT TO RIGHT: Superintendent, Dr. Robert Clarke; President of Board of Education Mrs. Tessie Swiatek; and Very Rev. Msgr. John Zeleniak.



Happy faces as Pat Orzel, seated 3rd from left, is given recognition for perfect attendance.



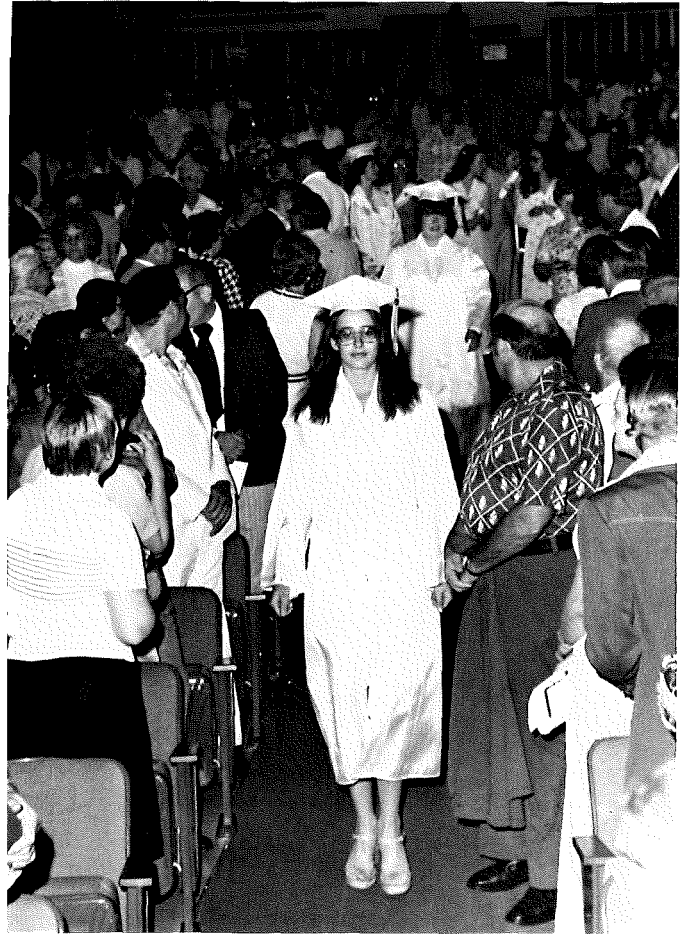
Valedictorian Glenn Zumbach says farewell to the Class of 1976.

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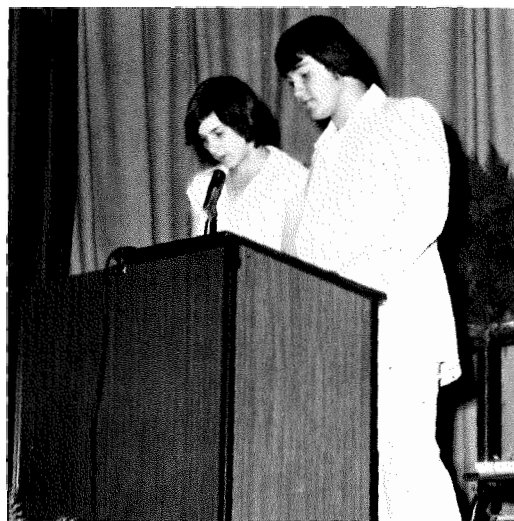


- J - So you're the head nurse at Mercy Hospital - not bad, not bad at all.
- M - Yes, and I work with a few of our old classmates. Do you remember Denise Vaslavec, Jean Crane, and Nancy Polkosnik?
- J - Sure!
- M - Well, they're all nurses at Mercy now. I also work with Karen DeSantis, who's head therapist and Diane Wielebinski, who's head of the psychiatric department. She's presently treating Mr. Knecht, our former teacher, who had a nervous breakdown soon after we graduated. Agnes Loftus and Cathy Cummings are visiting nurses who make their rounds in Cathy's truck.
- J - Who else works with you in the hospital?
- M - Well, Judy Hunter is the receptionist and Pat Norton, Cindy Belles, and JoAnn Rizzo are telephone operators. You remember how talkative they all were in high school. Cindy Owens works in the pharmacy and Cindy Petrosky is Donny McGuire's dental assistant.
- J - Do you know if Mary Prislupski and Debbie Rugletic are still hung up on Euell Gibbons and health food?
- M - As a matter of fact they work as dieticians in the hospital. Now the whole hospital is a health food clinic! I was just wondering, have you ever heard from Alan Coolbaugh after graduation?
- J - No, but that's not a problem. (READING) I see him and two other classmates, Ted Rysz and Jody Wieckowski, as Moosic firemen.
- M - That reminds me, do you remember the big fire last week?
- J - Ya, I read about it in the paper, you know, the one that Donna Sassi and Mary Jo Koslowski publish.
- M - Well, I treated Frank Graziano, Jim Igoe, and Ken Klimek for minor injuries. The funny part about it was that it was their insurance company that burned down. I wonder how much they'll collect for that!
- J - Where could the 4th member of that crew be? You remember, what's his name?
- M - Andy Haryluck!
- J - Ya, that's him. (READING) Now he's the manager of the Taylor Strike-Outs. What a step up in the world from his Miss-E league career. Wasn't it nice of him to add some of his old classmates to his team. Did you know that Rich Evans and Roy Collins were his first picks? And how about Joan Halenda being the first female major leaguer. And while Andy is the manager of the Strike-Outs Donny Gable took over his old job as manager of the Miss-E league.
- M - I don't know much about baseball but as for basketball, I heard that Ann Cardamone took over Miss Kresge's job as Girl's Basketball Coach. And you remember Sandy Karwaski and Susie Major?
- J - Sure, they played basketball on the girl's team.
- M - Well, they both went on to continue their careers with the Arkansas Lassies.
- J - We sure had a lot of sports minded people in our class. Why, I heard that Linda Stanton and Joe Budney opened their own ski resort. Not only do they run the whole place, but they instruct, too.
- M - And to top it all off, Arthur Karbowski became another Howard Cosell.
- J - From what I understand, that famous football team of '76 finally went their separate ways, although Lenny Jasuta and Bobby Gwyn went into the same field.
- M - Oh! What field is that?
- J - Well, they both tell stories during the Story Hour in the same public library where Patty Korshnak is head librarian.
- M - What kind of stories do they tell?
- J - Well, Bobby's specialty are stories about his football antics, while Leonard tells the famous story of Snow White and the 7 dwarfs.
- M - That reminds me, remember how Jane Exeter always babysat for her little brother?
- J - Yes, as a matter of fact I do.
- M - I understand that now Jane and Debbie Wilga opened up a nursery school. Their biggest customers are Bev Polkosnik, Andrea Tomlinson, Debbie Carter, and Dora Fredricksons kids. All four girls got married right after they got out of high school.
- J - Getting back to the football team, Mike Hewitt is a National Pretzel salesman and Glenn Zumbach is an internationally known mathematician.
- M - While we're on the subject of math, did you know that Bob Vinansky, Stanley Swistek, Carl Obrowski, and John Horgor used their trig knowledge to go on to higher math.
- J - Yes, and Paul Jesuit, bonehead, Bill Koval, alias helupki head, Chet Lukasiewicz, known as pothead, and Mark Prokopovitch, the brillo head, put all their heads together and opened up a restaurant. They employ two waitresses - Lynne Orloski and Carol Ott, naturally. Their slogan is "four heads are better than one."
- M - I've been trying to locate the whereabouts of Roselle Mecca and Jo Ann Jordan for so long. Do you know where they are?
- J - No problem (READING) They both work as beauticians in Cut and Snarl and Colleen Brady, noted for her long fingernails, works as their manicurist.
- M - I heard that Colleen's friend, Susan Hodge, became the stewardess she always wanted to be.
- J - Really? And Karen Kasick and Cindy Kobilinski are fashion designers. Their clothes sell in New York City but are also distributed to stores around here, like That Guy's, which incidently, is now owned by Patty Mraz and Jo Ann Ogonosky.
- M - Getting back to New York, a lot of our former classmates work there now. Like Margaret Carr and Doris Carey, who give tours of the city, Tony Talerico, who's head of the Vice Squad in Greenwich Village, and Greg Gondella, Ken Golembeski, Harry Krenitsky, and Allan Sluck, who are all New York City policemen. Mike Chisdock owns a Chinese Laundro-Mat in China Town and Warren Ware and Ann Marie Flowers run a florist shop. Joe Novotka and Bonnie Edwards on the other hand, do portraits right on 5th Avenue. Do you believe that?
- J - Get out! What a mixed class. While those went to the city, I know a few who preferred a country life.
- M - Who else is there besides John Cicon, who's still going to school in Idaho?
- J - Well, Mike Creedon is the local milkman. Louise Richards and Frank Maloney started a chicken farm, and I heard they're doing very well. Linda Nitch owns an otter farm and Greg Krenitsky raises ducks. Two of our classmates even went so far as to start a riding stable. Ken Wagner is the owner, although Eileen Mulhern is the trainer. She says the easiest thing to teach is trotting.
- M - You know it's funny but no one in our class really got into modeling unless you consider the job Kathy McAndrew and Denise Marich have. They became models for the new line of clothing the weightwathers have out! It's designed especially for "those blimps," oh, excuse me, I mean those um, "pleasantly plump" people to create a slim appearance.
- J - It certainly works! It's funny you mentioned blimps. Do you know who is doing the actual construction of the new Goodrich Blimp?
- M - No, I don't.
- J - (READING) I see Dave Martine is chief draftsman and the O. K. Construction Company was put in charge of the actual building of the blimp. You remember them?
- M - Yes, for instance Dale Boyko, Pat Bakaysa, Rich Barry, Dennis Pregmon, Stan Opiela, and George Kofira.
- J - And don't forget old "Ultra-Brite" smile himself, Ed Davies.
- M - Everyone thought Ed would go into acting. I guess it turned out that the people we least expected went in instead. Like Ed Gasper who became Barney Fife's replacement, John Alimenti, who fills in for Fonzie every now and then, and Jimmy Williams who now stars as Raggedy Ann's Brother.
- J - I wonder how he got that part. It couldn't have been because of his hair!

- M - No! Fran Callahan and Greg Cosminski became actors, but that was expected.
- J - Talk about being expected, do you remember Debbie Maleski's idol?
- M - Who, Cher?
- J - Yes, well I saw on T. V. the other day where Debbie has a show of her own. Instead of being called Sonny and Cher, the show is called Iaco and Deb.
- M - I wonder what Debbie's old friend Mary Martino is doing now?
- J - (READING) Oh! She's still a cashier at Super Saver and I also see Patty Bogus there. Maybe someday they'll become co-owners.
- M - A lot of people in our class do run and own their own businesses. Why, Charlotte Puckett owns the Apple House, and Frank Borgamino is the proprietor of Bergie's Lunch. Tim Holmes inherited Terry's Diner and Debbie Miller helps him to keep things going smoothly. Tim Welling is the new manager of Trotters and Gene Washo, Frank Mozeleski, and Joe Vernoski own the fast food restaurant in Greenwood. They claim that "McDonalds is their kind of place."
- J - That's true. I've heard of a few people who own their own businesses, also. David Gleason who owns Gleason Kitchens, Kathy Bakaysa who owns Carrolls. After Nomie McClave bought all of Sara Coventry's Jewelry, she opened her own business. Barb Kapuscinski and Paul Black also own their own business.
- M - What do they own?
- J - Ghost Town in the Glen, of course, and Boo Wilbur is the head ghost in the Haunted House.
- M - Talk about strange jobs. Did you hear what Janet Hocking and Loretta Heffernan are doing?
- J - Yes, aren't they heads of a scientific exploration committee in search of the Loch Ness Monster.
- M - I always knew Janet would become a scientist.
- J - And how about Bernie Andrejack and Frank Slusher being priests and making their rounds on motorcycles, no less!
- M - Well, what about Barb Witkoski who raises penquins, mainly for their tuxedos, and Debbie Adryan, who was just hired at Mercy to worry about the patients.
- J - Let's see what Debbie's good friend Rita Cosgrove is up to. (READING) According to my crystal ball, I see Rita and Steve Brazen as truant officers at Riverside. Boy, that's a switch!
- M - Ann Marie Nykaza works at Riverside, too. She took over her cousin Mr. Nykasa's job and Patty Orzel filled in for her cousin Mr. Helcoski.
- J - Boy the second generation really took over at Riverside! And what about all the new teachers. Diane Pollock is the new Home Ec. teacher and Wendy Davis took over Mrs. Ross's job.
- M - I heard that Milton Evans and Joe Cudo are now co-department heads in music and that Joe Minella became a chemistry teacher.
- J - When I visited the old alma mater last month I saw Norman Hoover, Jeff Batcha, and Doug Williams doing some maintenance work.
- M - But, on the contrary, some of our old classmates are still enjoying the leisurely life. For instance, Bob Davis and Don DePaulo are full time fishermen.
- J - You must have seen the fishing show John Marhefka has on T. V. once a month.
- M - No, I missed that one but did you see the show John Rojenches and Debbie Paulowsky co-star on. It's called Break-Down and it's all about the problems you can experience with your car.
- J - We sure do have a lot of celebrities in our class. I don't even need my crystal ball to know that Kathy Vanvestraut is one of the best soap opera stars in the business. And watching Kathy on the show last week, I noticed on the credits that Greg Howanetz is the cameraman.
- M - I understand that Margaret Hopkins was hired by NBC to sit in the audience and laugh non-stop during the comedy shows. I called Bill Grall to ask him to sneak me tickets that he printed for the show and to my surprise Cheryl Guzzi went into partnership with him at the printing company. She sure does run a tight ship - can you imagine not even two tickets!
- J - It's funny you mentioned ship - I just saw Walter Zielinski's picture in the paper for being assigned captain of the largest ship in the Navy.
- M - That's quite an honor.
- J - I'll say, and I gather Joe Ratcho is climbing up the ladder of success and quickly becoming a prime candidate for the presidency of the AFL-CIO.
- M - Sure, he has a few votes from labor workers who graduated with us. Let's see, there's the Vo-Tech bus drivers who are in the union - Vito Vilardi, Barry Smith, Rich Occhipinti, and Bob Schultz.
- J - Well, I'd like to see him get it, we crystal ball gazers could really use a union and any pull will help.
- M - Oh, look there's an old classmate. I can't seem to remember his name.
- J - That's Brian Felter.
- M - That's right! I wonder what he's doing now?
- J - Well, I can always check with old faithful here!
- M - Sure, sure.
- J - Smart Alek. (READING) Umm, Oh yes, it's clear now, he's an instructor at KATO karate and wait, am I seeing double or is that - oh, it's the Davis twins, you remember Joany and Jeany, he's giving them karate lessons.
- M - That must be for their Security Guard jobs at the Factory Outlet.
- J - That store will never have to worry about shoplifting from what I can see here, they're standing over Brian, laughing hysterically, because they just flipped him on his back.
- M - Speaking of laughing or should I say not laughing, I wonder if Bob Telipski ever stopped cracking his sick jokes?
- J - I'll say he did, he's now vice-president of, need I say, the Tetley Tea Company. And would you believe Wade Yount is a big stockholder in the Maxwell House Coffee Co., Bob's major rival.
- M - That's really ironic.
- J - The last time I talked to Wade he said a few alumni worked for the Co. Fred Palmer was one, Ira Shotwell was another, and also Tom Nocera. He even has Lauri Charles, Mike Conaboy, and Mike D'Annunzio driving the trucks that transport the coffee to the local stores.
- M - I read where they added a new grocery section to K-Mart. Maybe they sell Wade's coffee there.
- J - As a matter of fact, they do, and Eddie Ogonosky and Carol Kilvitis, who are still working there, sell it. Amy Kirschenheiter just got a job at K-Mart's new grocery section. She's working in the department where they sell the cake and brownie mixes.
- M - I heard that Neena Petro is a secretary in K-Mart's office and that Bob Fauver and Ed Derenick work in the sporting goods department. Bob sells the basketball equipment, while Ed sells guns and ammunition.
- J - Well since Ed is in charge of guns it's a good thing Wally Odzana runs his Audobaun Society in Louisiana. We wouldn't want to see all those robins, sparrows, and crows killed needlessly.
- M - Another one of our old classmates lives in Louisiana. Ed Voytko liked the Mardi Gras so much, that once he got out of the Marines he decided to move there.
- J - One thing for sure, our class was anything but ordinary.
- M - You can say that again, but it had to be the best class that ever graduated in the history of Riverside High School.
- J - It certainly was!
- M - Well, John, I really have to be going.
- J - It was a pleasure seeing you Mary. Listen, I'll probably look you up - (waving hands over crystal ball) - in my crystal ball, that is!

Class Will

1. Bernie Andrejack leaves the workers in the cafeteria one last free lunch pass.
2. Alan Coolbaugh and Paula Knepp will their towering heights to Joe Powell and Mary Lou Lenns.
3. Cheryl Guzzi leaves her ability to maintain cheering when everyone else gives up to Cheryl Scalese.
4. Mike Hewitt hands over one last cigarette to Coach Lazevnick.
5. Janet Hocking, Loretta Heffernan, and Kathy Cummings leave the meaning of the initials SWA a mystery.
6. Greg Krenitski leaves his speed, quickness, and agility to Mark Cherewka.
7. Diane Wielebinski wills her tail to her cousin JoAnn Wielebinski.
8. Joe Ratchko leaves a tender love and affection toward the boys in Old Forge to Gene Shimko.
9. Susan Hodge and JoAnn Jordan give their cosmetology notes and wall size pin-ups of Mr. Nick to Suzanne Swiatek and Maribeth Soboleski.
10. Diane Pollack leaves Mark Carini to next year's editor of the yearbook.
11. Frank Maloney leaves his track uniform to Jason Jones.
12. Ed Davies, Jim Williams, Stan Swiatek, and Frank Slusher leave their last chaws of tobacco to Mary Cherra, Patti Noone, Denise Mokay, and Mary Loftus in expectation of sore jaws.
13. Roy Collins, Rich Evans, Jody Wieckowski, and Brian Felter leave Mr. Connors one last error.
14. Carol Ott and Bill Koval leave Riverside together.
15. Len Jasuta leaves his tarzan-like voice and meanness to Charlie Curnow.
16. Margaret Hopkins and Eileen Mulhern will their Carroll's parking space in Old Forge to those juniors seeking a date with certain Old Forge men.
17. Joe Cuto leaves his secrets of body building to an undernourished Mike Laffey.
18. Bob Gwyn leaves his various abilities on and off the field to Tom Sochovka.
19. Agnes Loftus, Mary Martino, Roselle Mecca, and Nomie McClave will their friendly personalities to the "clique."
20. Donny Gable leaves his managerial abilities to anyone who shall be so dedicated.
21. Jean Crane hands over her boots to Diane Haduck for use in winter parades.
22. Greg Cosminski leaves his outstanding scholastic abilities to Edward Walker.
23. John Rojenches passes over the title of his customized Chevy to Harry Nicholson.
24. Debbie Maleski leaves for Keystone without Joey. Have fun Iaco!
25. Bob Vinansky, Gene Washo, Joe Vernoski, and Fran Mozeleski leave their grills and hamburger turners to the Fast Food Fryers Hall of Fame.
26. Ann Marie Flowers gives her 2:30 date with Mr. Kryzanowski to Pat Nagle.
27. Bob Fauver and Paul Jesuit leave their basketball finesse to Myron Kundla and Herbie Decker.
28. John Marhefka leaves his ultra-light rod and reel to Paul Surgent in search of a brook trout stream unknown to all.
29. Karen DeSantis, Jean Davis, and Joan Davis leave school at 10:30 everyday.
30. Mike Chisdock and Mark Prokopovitch will their defensive football prowess to Jim Neary and Jamie Sochovka in hope of a top notch defense.
31. Pat Bakaysa, Dale Boyko, and Kenny Golembeski give their O.K. Construction hard hats and lunch pails to Lee Roy Greenfield, Steve Shrader, and Ed Celuck.
32. George Kofira leaves one last putt to Mr. Helcoski.
33. Amy Kirschenheiter wills her blush stick to Theresa Dorenick.
34. Frank Graziano and Rich Barry leave their little black books of prospective female underclassmen to Nick Scalese and Gary Reese.
35. Mary Ameika and Debbie Adryan will their lab coats and dissecting techniques to Jocelyn Kreig.
36. John Horger leaves in search of a new Mrs. Merritt.
37. Milt Evans leaves one last note on his trumpet to Mr. Bone.
38. Linda Nitch leaves Riverside for Potomac State.
39. Glenn Zumbach leaves the English department the Pythagorean theorem.



Class History



Agnes — Leonard, Leonard Jasuta, is that you? Ten years hasn't made many changes in you.

Len — Hey . . . Hi Agnes, you haven't changed much yourself.

Agnes — No, not much. How's Sandy and the four kids.

Len — They're pretty good . . . Are you sure the meeting is here?

Agnes — The newspaper said it was here. It's typical of our class, always so cooperative.

Len — Nobody else is going to show up. I guess we're going to have to plan this reunion by ourselves.

Agnes — Meeting like this again reminds me of our years at Riverside.

Len — Yes . . . there are some pretty good memories of those years.

Agnes — Remember we couldn't wait to be freshmen only to find out we were put downstairs in the cold dark dungeon.

Len — But we kept ourselves entertained down there . . . shooting pennies was a favorite sport and there was always a new romance being kindled by those old tables.

Agnes — And how could you forget the freshman newspaper, "The Spirit of '76" which Mr. Allen had the pleasure of helping us with.

Len — It put out a total of 2 copies, complete with a "Dear Love Lorn" column to help along those couples on the tables.

Agnes — Remember how disappointed we were when we found out the freshmen couldn't go to pep rallies. There wasn't enough room — just our luck.

Len — But even without the cheering of our class the football team was successful. They were the Big Eleven Co-Champs, the first time in Viking History.

Agnes — The basketball team also took the championship that year. It was a good year for sports at Riverside.

Agnes — Remember the studies in the auditorium.

Len — They really aren't worth remembering, with 250 bored kids, 300 lunches, 6000 bananas that you could smell all over the school, the teachers always on your back just waiting to hand out pinkslips, and of course . . . those old silent movies.

Agnes — And who could ever forget Mr. Allen's science class when we read the thrilling book, "The Sea Around Us."

Len — Not to mention Mr. Butcher's exciting history class. He was a typical iron fist dictator although he taught of democracies. That spring his old room, number 34 was pretty hot . . . especially when his door locked with him AND us inside.

Agnes — It's a good thing we got out of that old school. I'd never want to get stuck in there again.

Len — Thank GOD we moved into a new school.

Agnes — That didn't help too much, because since we didn't know where the rooms were, we were constantly in trouble with the teachers for being late.

Len — Yes, we were shocked into our sophomore year by the static from the teachers AND OF THE CARPETS.

Agnes — 1. The newness of the school really impressed us.
2. The carpeting.
3. Lockers for everybody.
4. Hot food for lunch.
5. A new gym.
6. Air conditioning.

Len — 1. No more carved initials or names written in the desks.
2. No more haunting footsteps in the halls.
3. Even though some people couldn't reach them.
4. Yes, shepards pie.
5. But what ever happened to the swimming pool and new tennis courts.
6. Too bad all the rooms didn't have it.

Agnes — That was the first year to raise money too.

Len — I still have the good old red and blue license plate.

Agnes — Since you guys were on the football team, it was awfully nice of them to invite us to the pep rallies that year . . . however 7th, 8th, and 9th graders were invited also since it was in our new gym.

Len — We really didn't cheer much but it got us out of class. In fact we used just about any excuse to get out of class, like Greaser Day when it was easier to slide down the hall instead of walking.

Agnes — That day we had very well known celebrities in school as Lavern Wielibinski and Shirley Guzzi and even a Lanny D'Annunzio and Squiggy Callahan walked our halls.

Len — Even Driver's Ed class freed us for a day.

Agnes — That's right — it was the first year the symposium was ever held.

Len — We thought the state police helicopter was coming for a few of the school's shots who carried six's and to take away their Colt 45's.

Agnes — There some industrious students though.

Len — Like Miss Willis's typing class who learned how to WRITE letters to the typewriter repairman to come and fix the typing machines.

Agnes — Even Bernie Anderjack was on the ball when he identified a surprising addition to his lunch . . . a specimen from Mr. Lazevnick's dissecting class.

Len — Our sophomore year finally came to an end and we were now juniors, the upper elite at last.

Agnes — And with our junior year came the arrival of our rings. They were especially designed for the bicentennial.

Agnes — We also began our fun raising for the junior-senior prom. Our projects included dances, car washes and not too much more.

Len — Yes and were so successful we were the first class to come out with a deficit.

Agnes — However the prom was still a success . . . a staggering success.

Len — Also with our junior year we welcomed our new vice principal, Mr. Kryzanowski, who will forever haunt us with his famous phrase "May I have your attention please, I'm sorry to interrupt your class . . ."

Agnes — Not to mention the ecology class's moment of stardom on television when their outdoor classroom became a towering inferno.

Len — Stardom was also achieved by members of the drama club who put on the fine productions, "The Odd Couple" and "Bye Bye Birdie."

Agnes — And Miss Poplawski's, I mean Mrs. Hambrick's English class produced dramatic readings in room 213 and televised them live.

Len — The unfortunate event of a strike put a slight damper on the big event we all waited for — becoming seniors.

Agnes — However we were soon back in class being lectured by good old Mrs. Merrit and her C.C. world.

Len — Before long Thanksgiving rolled in and we rolled out to collect wood for the bonfire with a lot of help coming from Marhefkas Moving and Storage Company.

Agnes — That last football game led right into basketball season with Bob Fauver high scoring our way to a Lackawanna League Championship.

Agnes — And for those dedicated fans who followed the team and lost sleep worrying about them, they couldn't help but catch 40 winks in Mr. Roberts physics class.

Len — But Mr. Lazevnick kept his class hopping by having his transit crews check the heights of all the POLES around the school. Joe Cudo never finished however because he started to measure every Ogonoski, Ostroski, and Wielibinski we had in the school.

Agnes — For some students the senior year was even tougher.

Len — Yes, Bakasay, Bergamino and Buyko had to wear sunglasses to hide their eyes which were bloodshot from studying too much.

Agnes — And how hard our class worked to sell tickets to the spaghetti dinner.

Len — Yes we must have sold at least 20 tickets — all to Frank (the godfather) Graziano.

Agnes — Spring rolled in and so did the baseball and track teams who that year were accompanied by a girls' track and softball team.

Len — It being our third year in the school we had thought it was completely built, so we were surprised when we were joined at lunch by a couple of hard hats with lunch boxes who called themselves — "The OK Construction Crew."

Agnes — Fran Callahan also did a little reputation building as he starred in South Pacific.

Len — As our Senior year came into the home stretch we were honored at the All-Honors Banquet at which one person turned out to be the star . . . Hollywood Gable.

Agnes — And then the junior-senior prom which proved to be dryer but more enjoyable than the year before again was held at the Treadway Inn.

Len — After 4 years our class finally united under the leadership of our officers to persuade the school board to allow us to go to Florida. The trip to Orlando proved to be very successful except for the moment when Chi Chi Kofira got lost and was later found taking a siesta INSIDE his new hat.

Agnes — Oh Leonard, remember the good time we had at class night that year. Everyone looked so nice, and everyone was so friendly. Our last night together as a class was really a huge success.

Len — And we kept that friendly spirit a few days later at Lake Genero, as Paul Jesuit kept buzzing around making sure everyone was happy.

Agnes — And then came Class Day. Will you ever forget how nervous I was when we got up to give the class history?

Len — Yes, but didn't I tell you everything would work out fine. There was no need to worry.

Agnes — Finally Graduation Day arrived and we graduated with the honor of being the bicentennial class of Riverside High.

Len — Well Agnes, it really was nice reminiscing with you like this. But I guess no one else is going to show up.

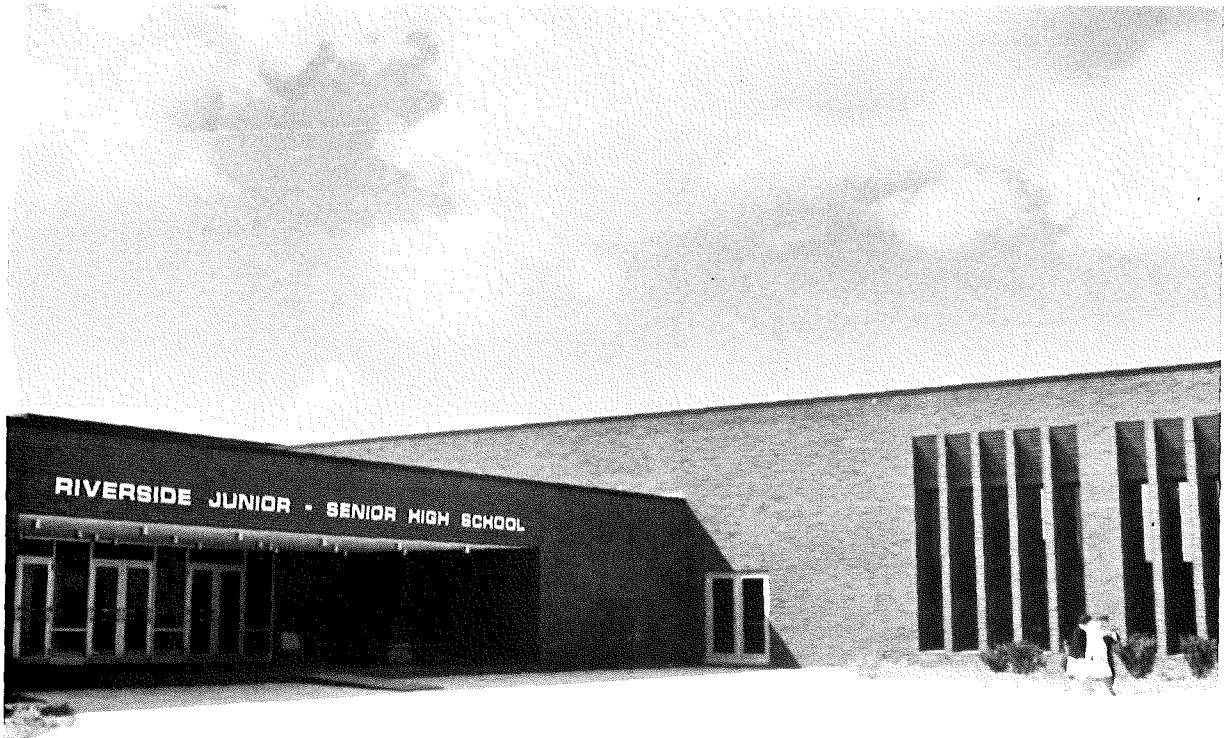
Agnes — You're right Leonard. I guess we'd better leave. Maybe I'll see you again in another 10 years. Say hello to Sandy for me.

Len — Okay Agnes, take it easy.

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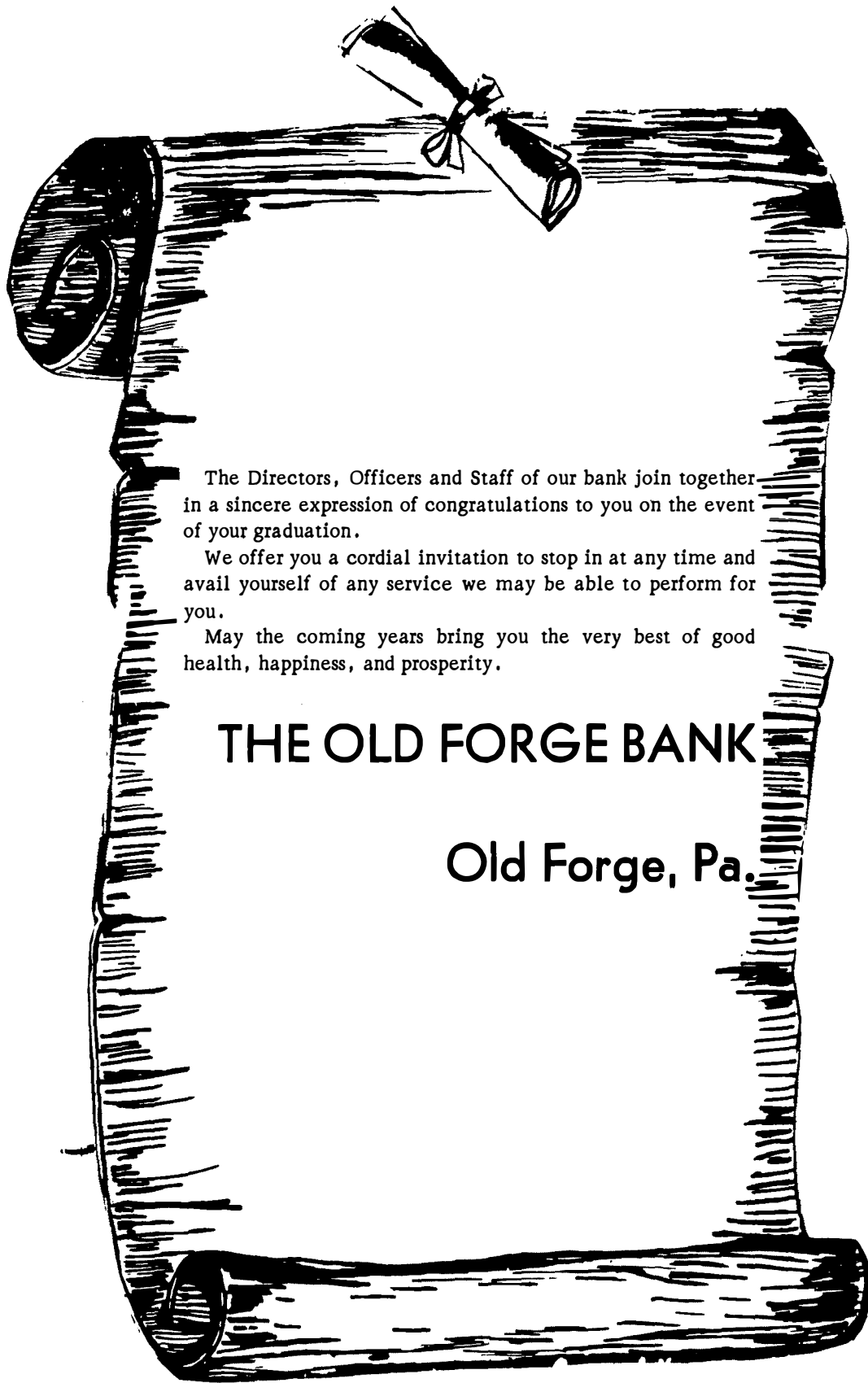
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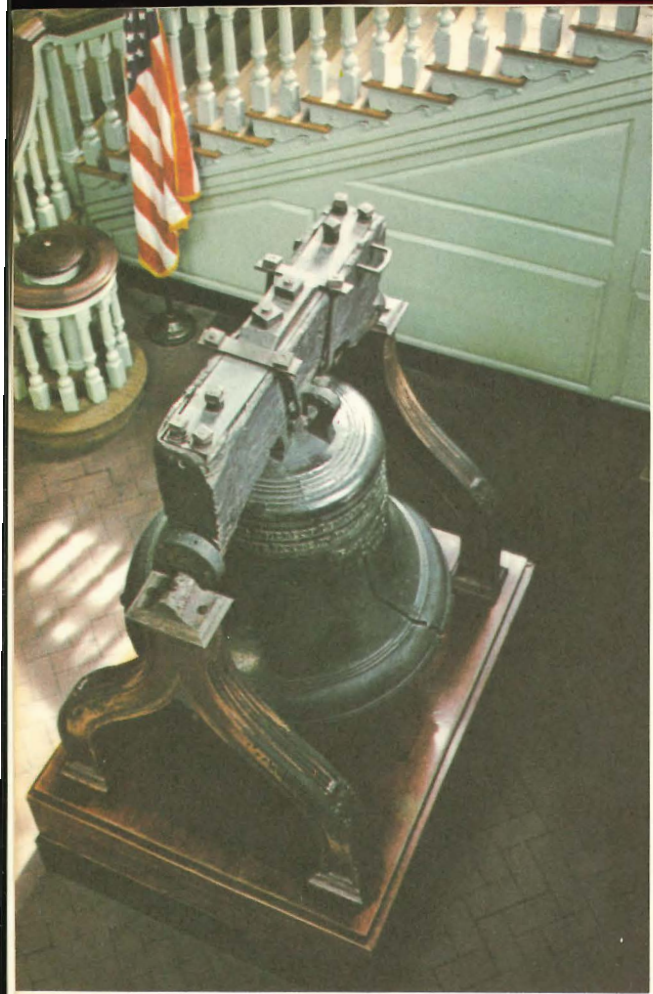
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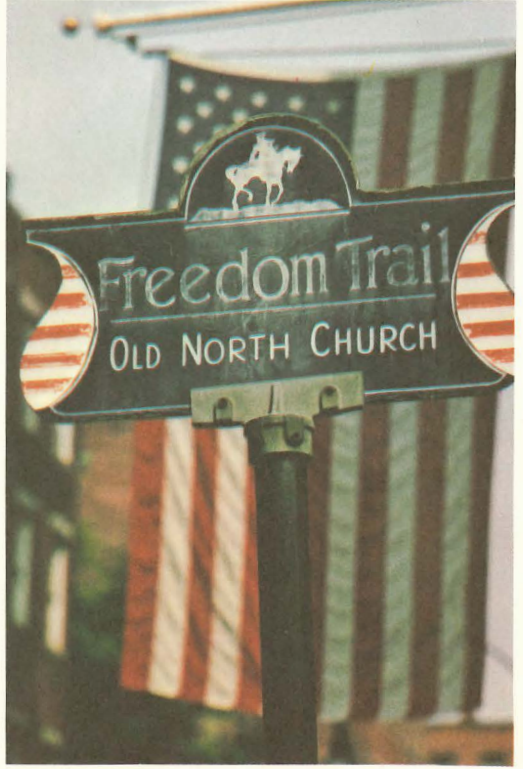


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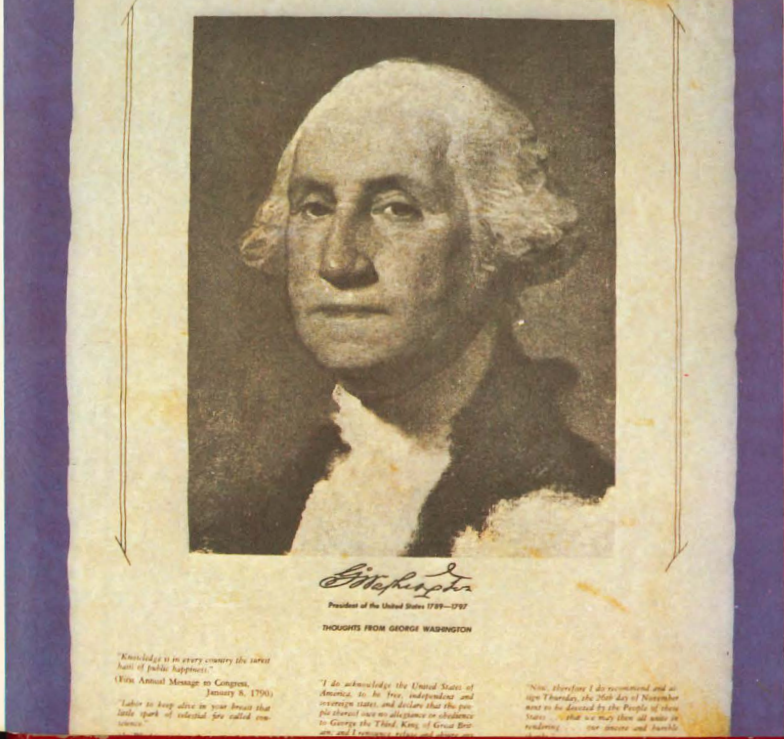
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