

IN MY  
*Beginning*  
IS MY  
*End*







*Franciscan 97*

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# Theme

"In my beginning is my end. In succession  
Houses rise and fall, crumble, are extended,  
Are removed, destroyed, restored, or in their place  
Is an open field, or a factory, or a by-pass.  
Old stone to new building, old timber to new fires,  
Old fires to ashes, and ashes to the earth  
Which is already flesh, fur and faeces,  
Bone of mabeast, cornstalk and leaf.  
Hoses live and die: there is a time for building  
And a time for living and for generation  
And a time for the wind to break the loosened pane  
And to shake the wainscot where the field-mouse trots  
And to shake the tattered arras woven with a silent motto."

T.S. Eliot  
"East Coker"

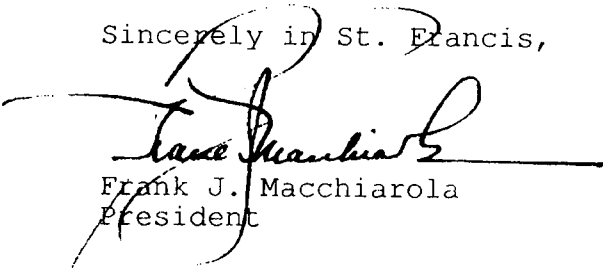


Dear Graduates,

Yearbooks are traditionally about beginnings and ends: commencements and graduations. So, I am very pleased to greet the members of the Class of 1997, the first class to graduate under my Presidency. We greet you and wish you well. I know that you have learned much at St. Francis College and that you have benefited greatly from the Franciscan education you received. As a Catholic college, committed to the whole person, we witness the ending of your undergraduate career and the beginning of your membership in our alumni family. You are ready to go forward as men and women of St. Francis College. You will be judged by the lives you lead, and we remain confident that you will help to build the considerable reputation that St. Francis enjoys.

I hope that you will seize the future with great determination, and you will face challenges willingly and successfully. Remain confident that in this end there is a beginning. We - the faculty and staff of the College - know you will succeed and look forward to seeing you on many return visits to Alma Mater.

Sincerely in St. Francis,



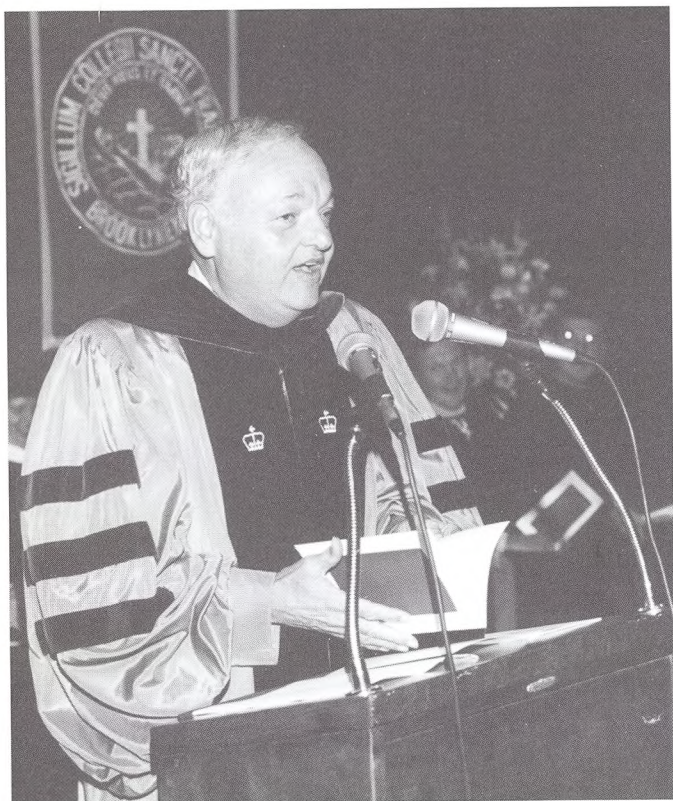
Frank J. Macchiarola  
President



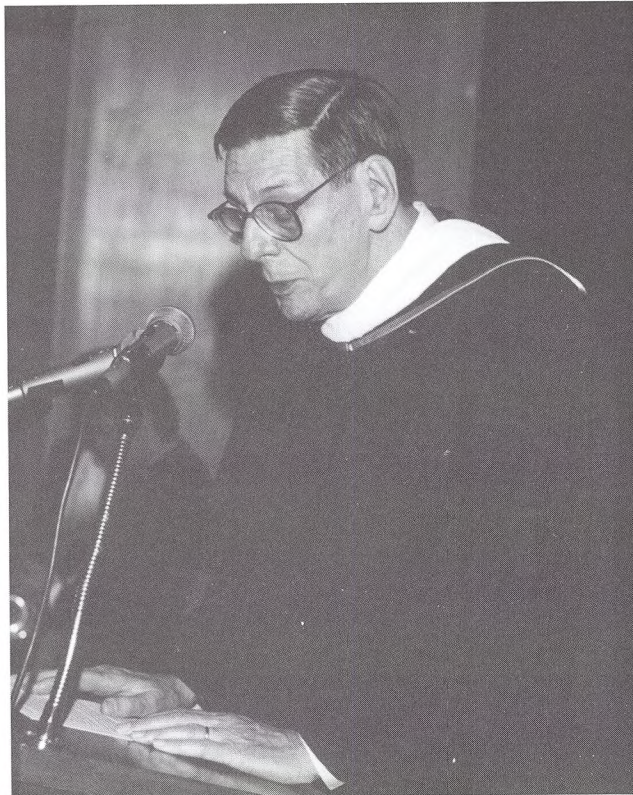
# Installation Dr. Frank Macchiarola as the new President of St. Francis College



The College community and delegates from sister colleges and universities assembled in Founders Hall to greet the new President.

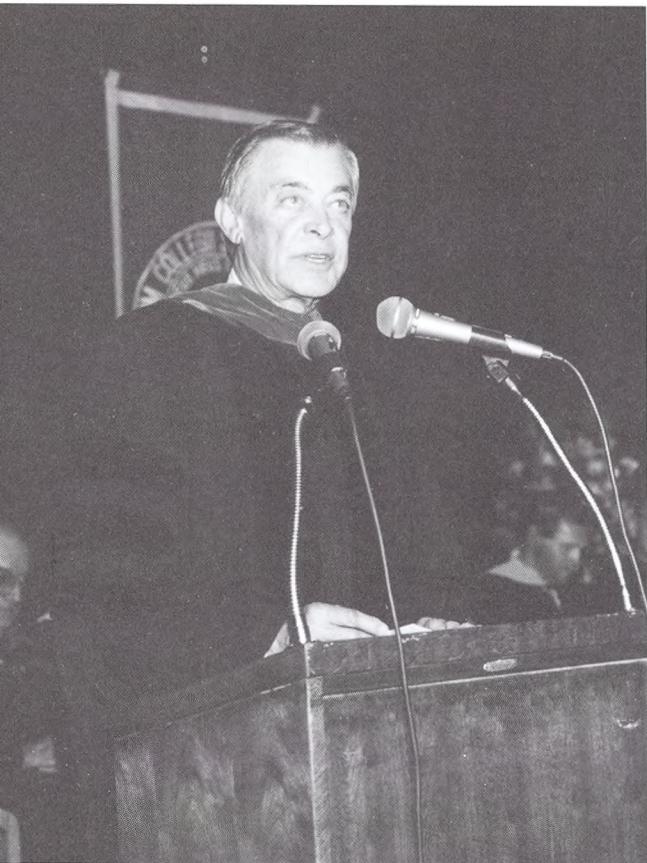


Dr. Macchiarola delivering his inaugural address

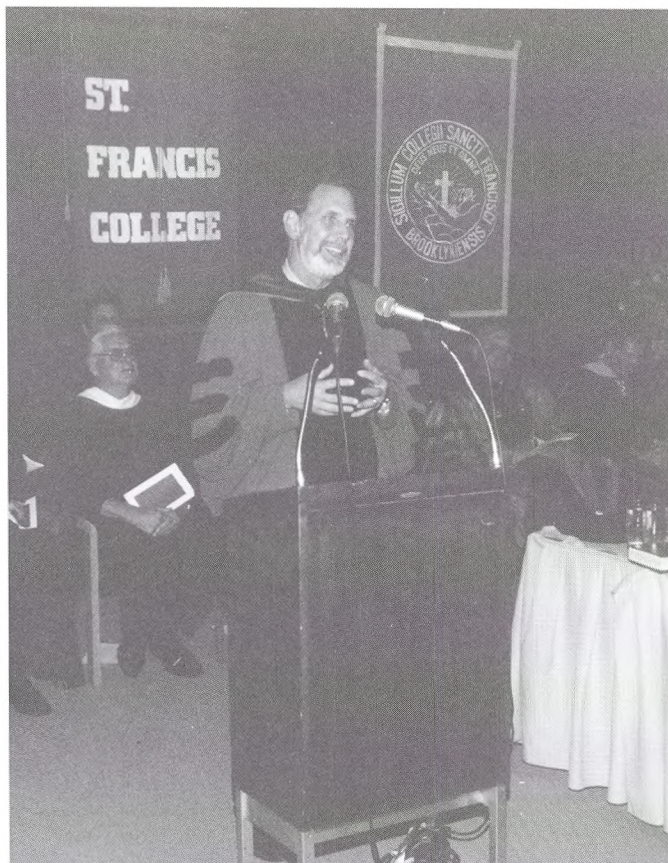


Professor Slade addressing the inaugural gathering





Brooklyn Borough President Howard Golden welcoming Dr. Macchiarola



Dr. John Sexton, Dean of NYU Law School welcoming Dr. Macchiarola



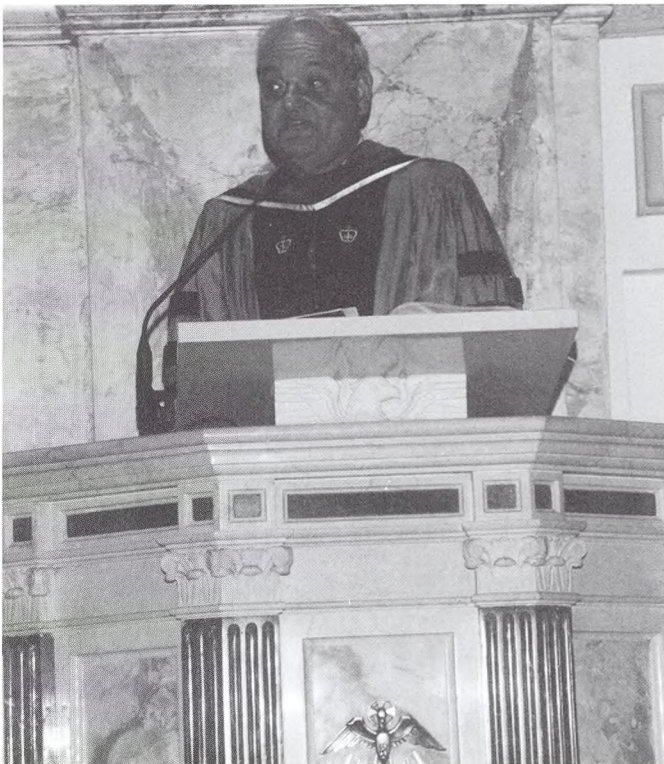
Dr. John Sexton, Dean of NYU Law School, receiving an honorary doctoral degree from the college.



# Installation Mass of Dr. Frank J. Macchiarola as president of St. Francis College.



Left to Right Bishop Thomas V. Daily, Mary Macchiarola, Dr. Frank J. Macchiarola pose for a picture at the mass.



Dr. Macchiarola describes his vision for St. Francis College's future



Alumnist Bishop Ignatous Catanalatto congratulates Dr. Macchiarola.

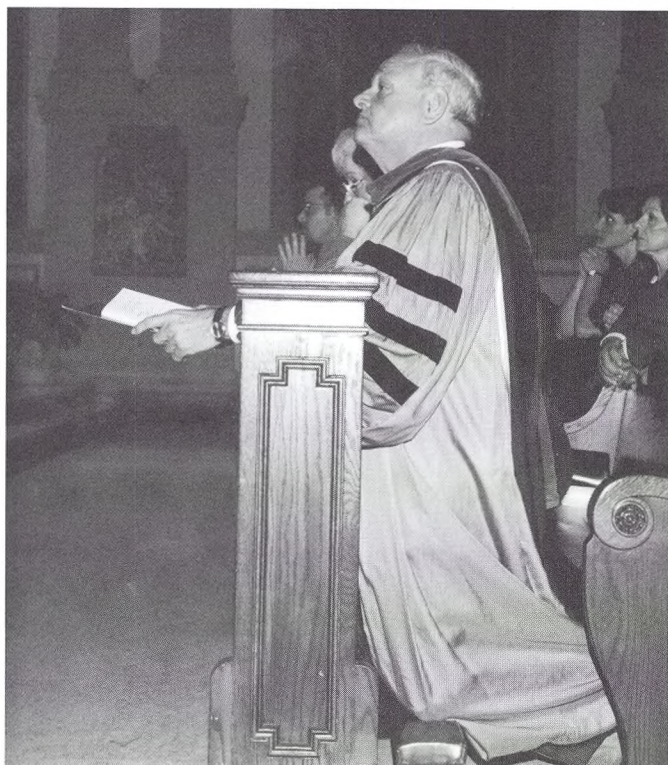




Left to Right Frank Macchiarola Jr., Michael Macchiarola, Dr. Frank J. Macchiarola, Mary Macchiarola, Joseph Macchiarola at the reception.



Bishop Ignatious Catanalatto celebrates the Installation Mass.



Dr. Macchiarola listens to Bishop Catanalatto's sermon.



# The Franciscan Heritage



On May 8th, 1884 St. Francis College established a Literary College in the City of Brooklyn based on the spirit of Francis of Assisi.



The College provides a liberal arts education for each student that develops a firm foundation of universal values.





The faculty and staff are always ready to help the students any way they can.



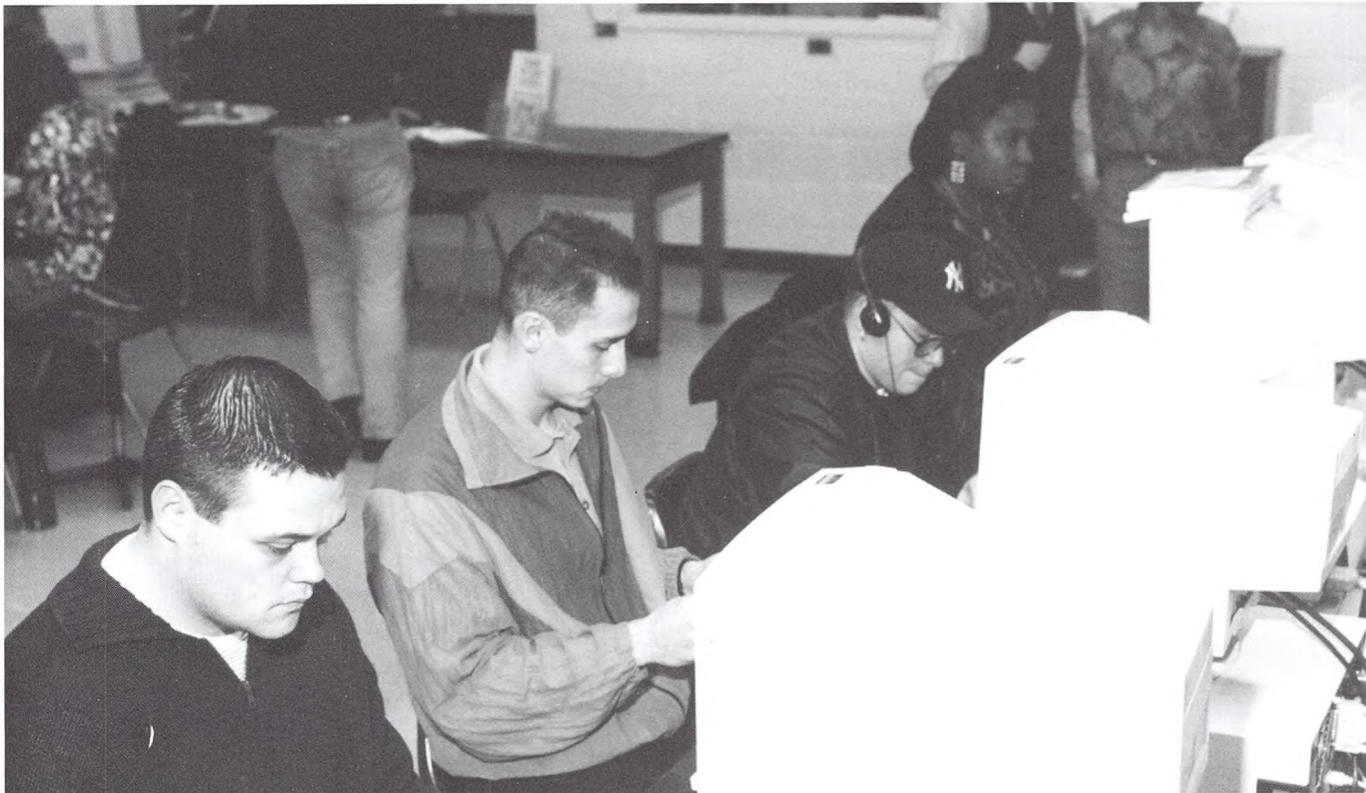
Our multi-racial campus is exemplified by the 40 countries that are represented in the student body attending St. Francis College.



## Faculty & Students At Work

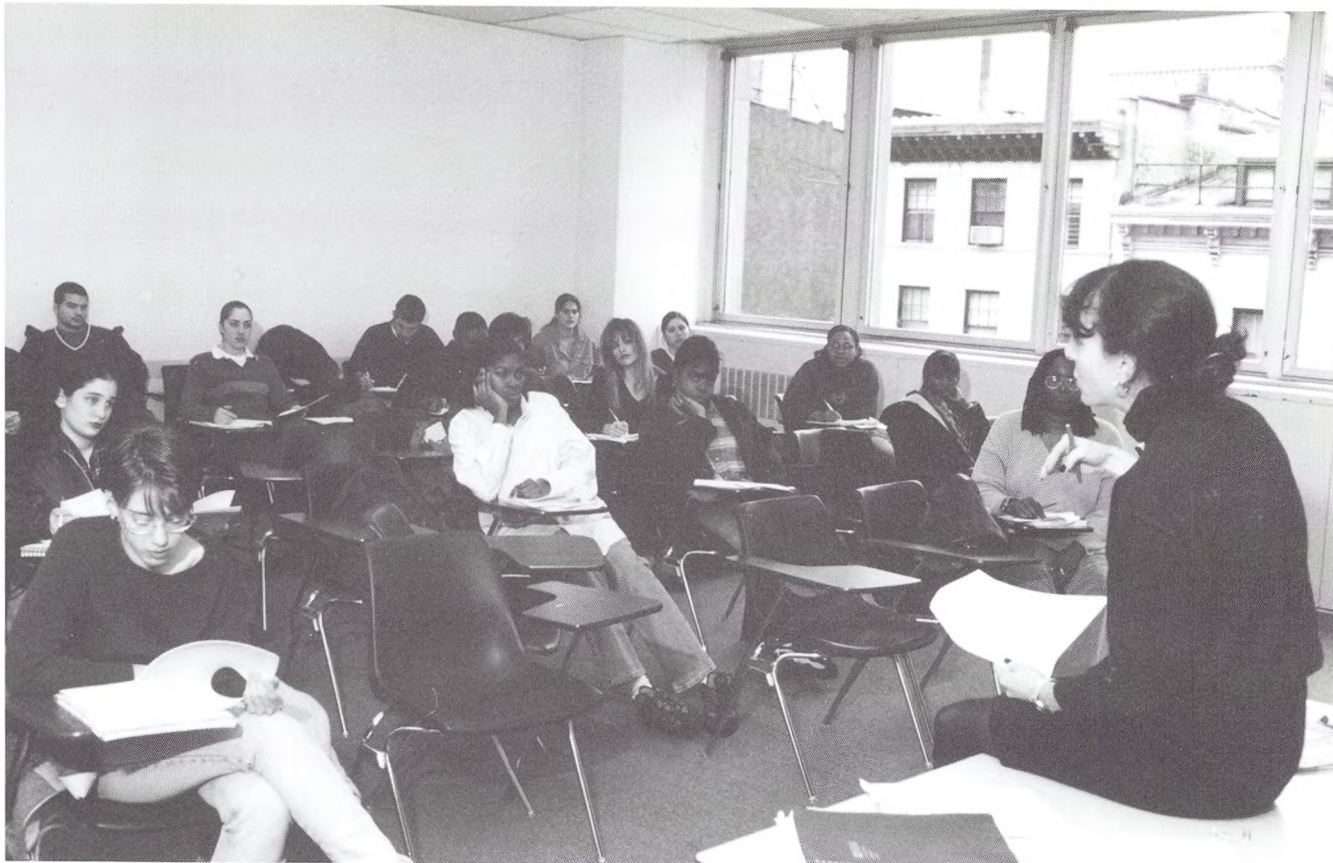


Dr. Kathleen Nolan demonstrating an experiment to her BIO 104 class.



Students working in the Academic Computer Center which has over 30 computers to type papers or do research on.





Dr. Renee Goodstein (Psy. Dept) goes over some of the theories of child psychologist Jean Piaget with her class.



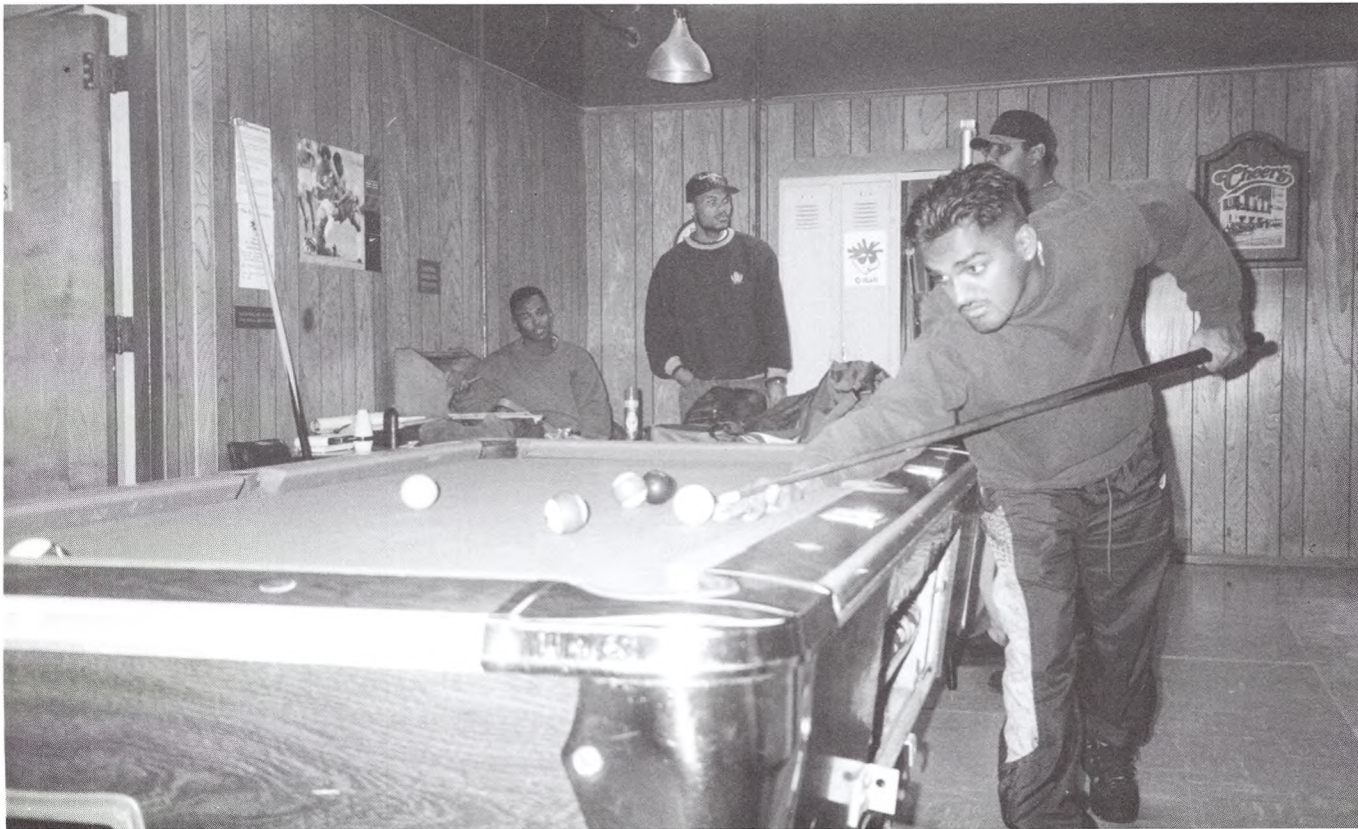
Dr. Francis Greene (Fine Arts Dept.) introduces his class to the work of Michelangelo.



## Student Involvement In Activities



The Italian-American Society invited City Councilman Sal Albanese to talk to the Italian community.



The Q-Club promotes and operates a recreational area for students to play billiards, darts, and other games





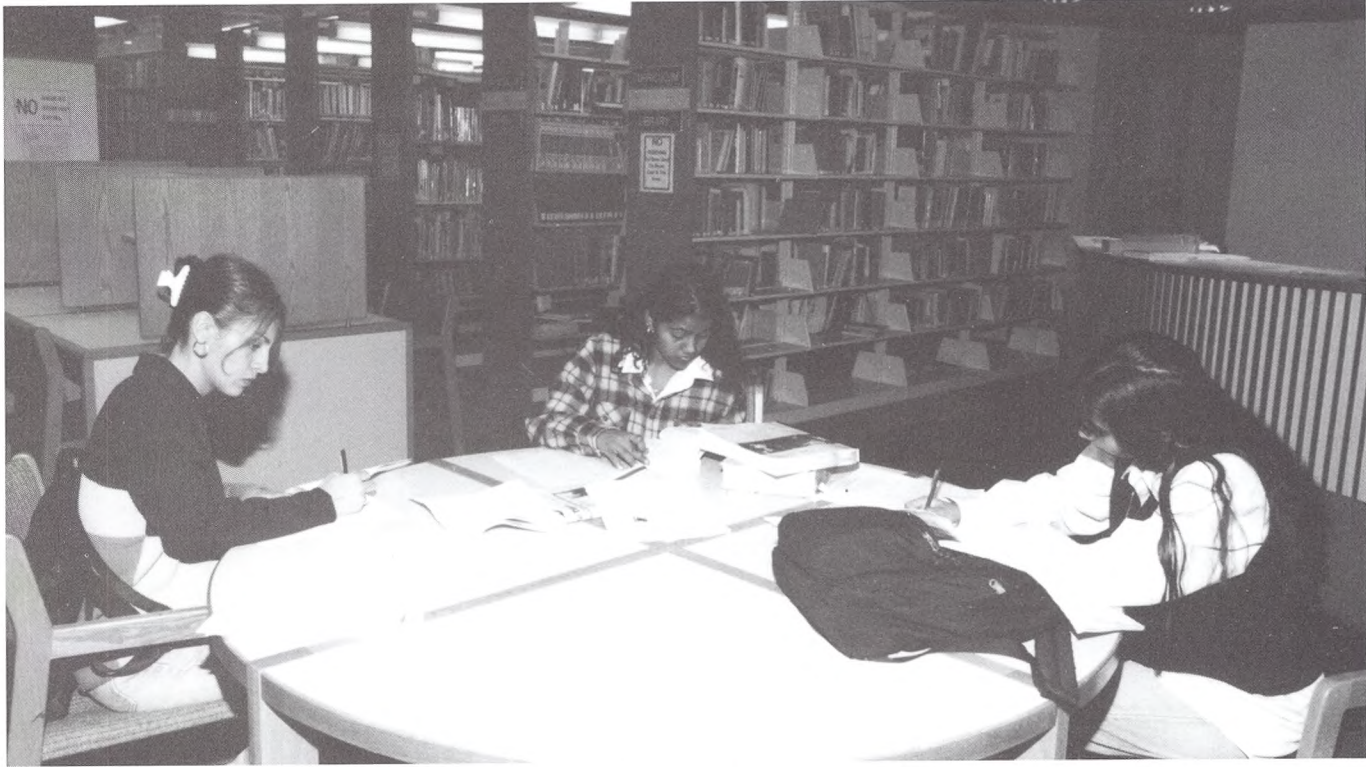
Student Government President Justin-Barry Jerome goes over his ideas for activities for the upcoming school year.



The Latin-American Society plans for a charity drive to help out the homeless in the city.



# A Brief Tour Of St. Francis College Facilities

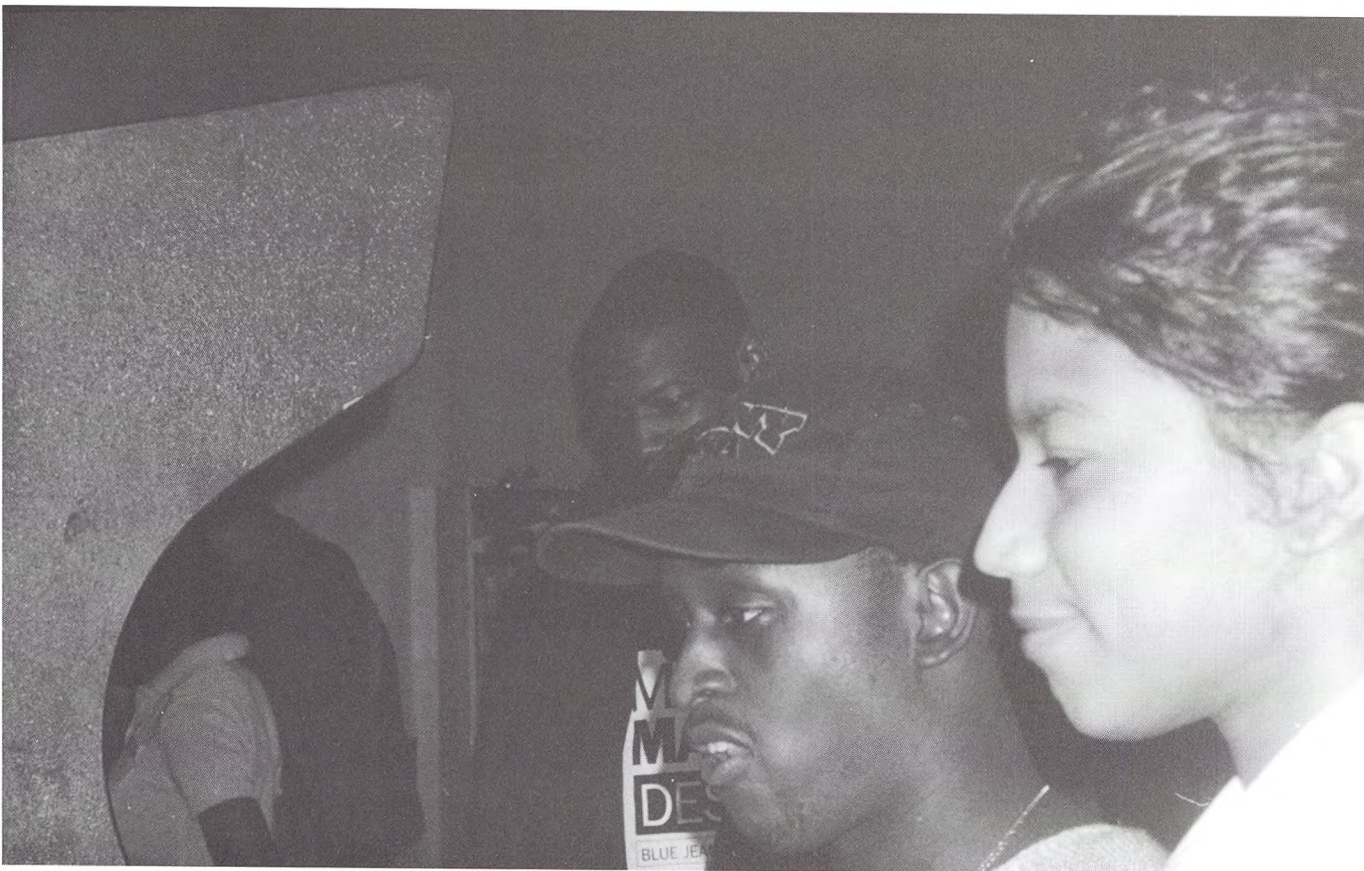


McGarry Library holds over 150,000 volumes and receives 575 periodical subscriptions. Recently the library was hooked up to the Internet which, allows students and staff to access numerous topics to research and write papers on.



The School Cafeteria, is a place where you will find numerous students hanging out, studying, holding club meetings or you could have some of that fine cuisine offered at a low price.





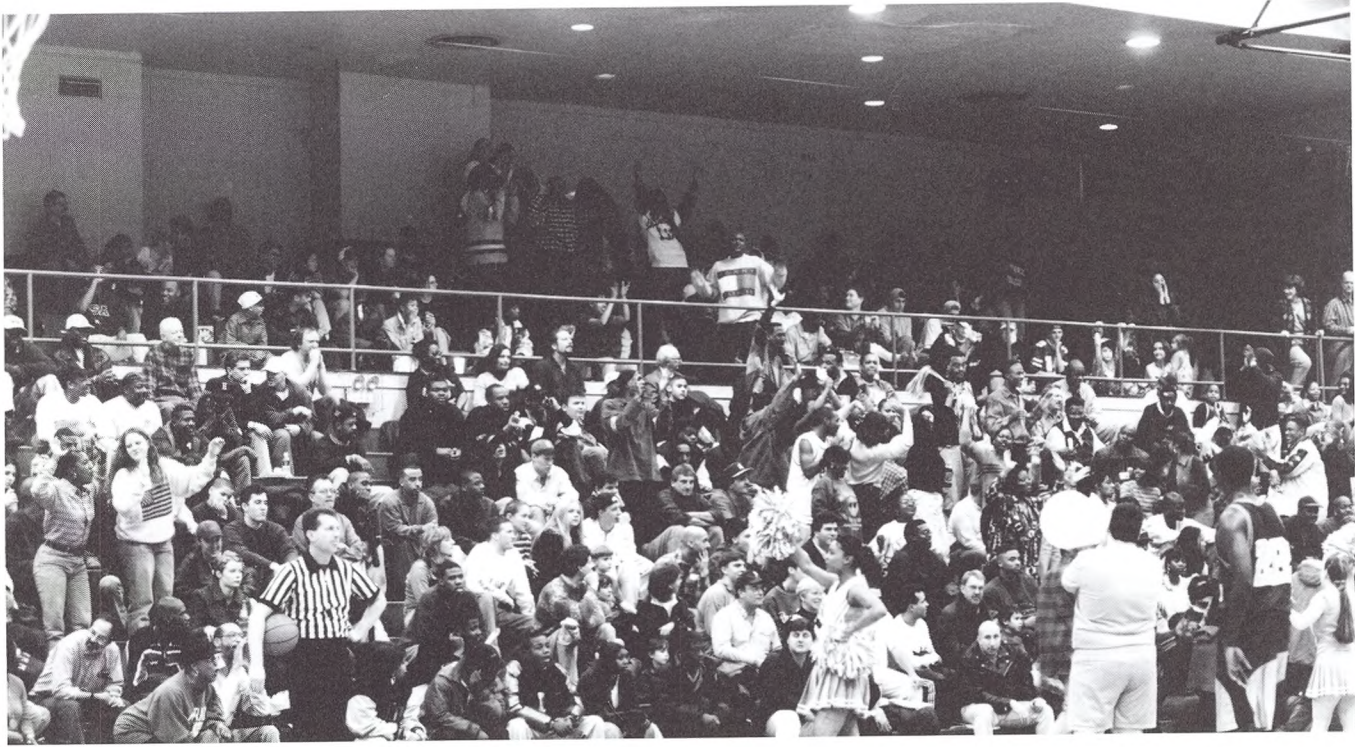
The Game Room offers a wide variety of games from, Mortal Combat, Pac-Man to Pinball for the students to enjoy during the day.



The Regents Lounge is a place where students could socialize or hold meetings during the day.



# A Review Of SFC Sports 1997



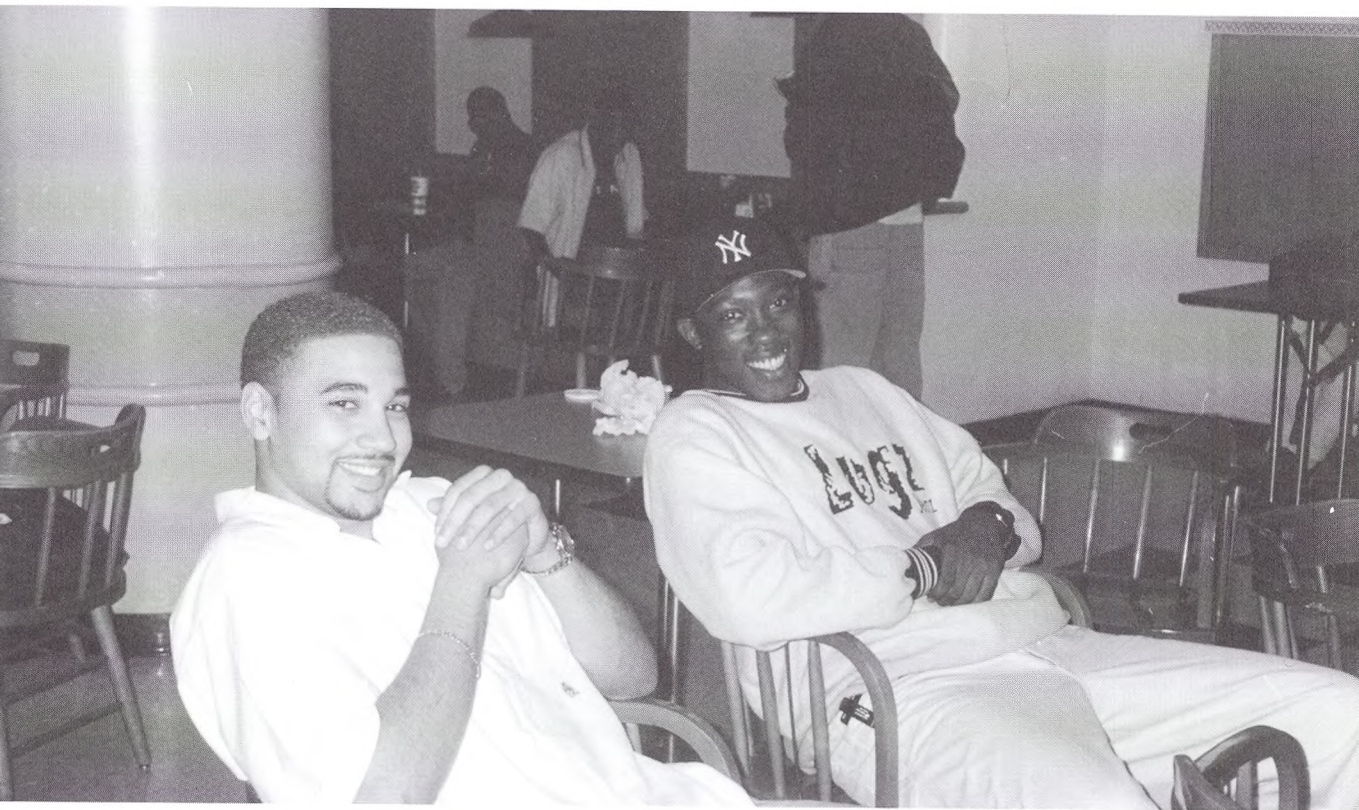
The SFC fans were always ready to cheer, especially in the Men's NEC Tournament.



Can you find the SFC students cutting class to attend the Yankee Parade?



We Hope Our College Memories Will Last Forever





Dedicated To The Memory Of  
Aida Santiago  
January 12, 1957 - March 3, 1997



The first time I meet Professor Santiago was in September 1995. I was a nervous and worried freshman starting my first day of college. Professor Santiago walked into the room saying "Welcome to Macroeconomics 201, I am Professor Aida Santiago and I hope everyone had a nice summer." I was tense, because the next day she stopped me in the hall asking how my first day of college went. I really didn't think any professors would care. Later, she said "If you have any questions about the class or college stop by my office". From that day on I felt that I belonged in school, and my nervousness disappeared. Many students feel that professors are unapproachable and you cannot talk to them directly. Professor Santiago treated her students as equals. She always had a great smile on her face that made us feel more comfortable in class. Professor Santiago will be missed by the entire SFC family. Thank you Professor Santiago, for making me feel welcome into this family.

Sincerely,  
  
Jeff Lemon

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# Student Life

"In my beginning is my end. Now the light falls  
Across the open field, leaving the deep lane  
Shuttered with branches, dark in the afternoon.  
Where you lean against a bank while a van passes.  
And the deep lane insists on the direction  
Into the village, in the electric heat  
Hypnotized. In a warm haze the sultry light  
Is absorbed, not refracted, by greay stone.  
The dahlias sleep in the empty silence.  
Wait for the early owl."

T.S. Eliot  
"East Coker"



# Sociology Career Day



Mr. Paul Ruchames visits SFC on Sociology career day.



Denis McGowan former SFC student talks about his life, as a special agent for The U.S. Dept. of housing & Urban development.



Emmanuel Fontenot is the Executive Assistant for the Metropolitan Detention Center. He talked about his work for The Dept. of Justice.



# Italian Historical Society Of America



Consul General of Italy Mr. Mistretta (left) and Dr. Frank M. Sorrentino (right) in a lecture sponsored by the Italian Historical Society.





## Politics At St. Francis College



Mayor Rudolph Giuliani discussing welfare reform in New York City.

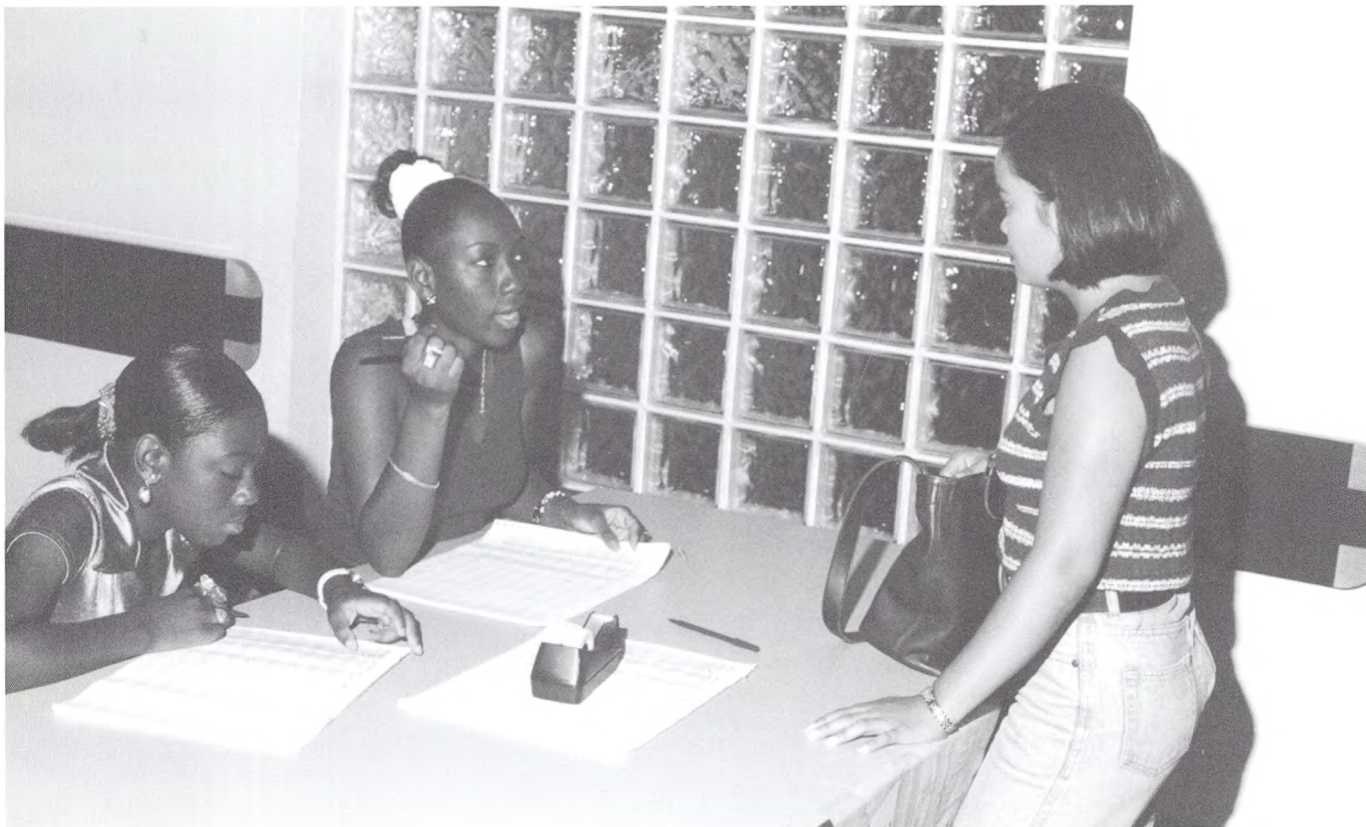


Caspar W. Weinberger, former Secretary of Defense discussing his years in politics during the Reagan Administration.





The Freshmen forced to do another humiliating activity, a requisite for Admission to the College!



Shawnette (right) and Shauna (left) quizzing the Freshmen: "Now tell me again was it Bert or Ernie that . . ."



## Terrier Tuesday -SFC Welcomes The Class Of 2000!



Vice-President of SGA, Freda Antoine begging the Freshmen class to play duck, duck, goose!



Dr. Macchiarola explaining to the Freshmen class how to play duck, duck, goose.



The Freshmen class trying to play duck, duck, goose!



# Freshmen Heather Cuccia Gives Gift Of Self To AIDS Babies



The above picture appeared in The Brooklyn Daily Eagle & The Tablet.



Heather & The SFC family collected over 200 gifts for the Children at St. Vincent's Services.





Nick Gaus & Todd Cusato fighting over one of the two hundred toys donated for the babies.



Sophomore Alexandra Thezan donates a Barbie doll for the toy drive.



Organizer of the toy drive Heather Cuccia packs away a teddy bear that went to a two year old girl.



# The Winter Getaway 1997



Seniors Aral Abhuhan & Justin-Barry Jerome ride the chair lift up one of the mountains in Vermont.



A scenic view of Smugglers Notch Resort in Vermont where the winter getaway took place.



# Virtual Reality At St. Francis



"Freeze Brian!"



"Who? .... Wha? .... Where? ....."



"Oooooo ..... look at the pretty colors."



# Saint Francis College Visits Greece & Italy



The Trevi Fountain, Rome, Italy.



SFC at Delphi, Greece.





St. Francis College students on the Acropolis in Athens, Greece.



Dr. Sorrentino, in Delphi, Greece. Happy to get away from his students.



# 1997 Athletic Hall Of Fame Ceremony



Vincent Catalano, Dennis McDermott, and Richard Suarto.



Lou A. Rossini Head Coach of Men's Basketball Team (1975-1979)



Irma Garcia Head Coach of Women's Basketball Team





Edward Aquione and Edward Quigley



Patrice Erving McNerney and Karen A. Erving-Schiera



# Grand Opening Of Suggestion Boxes



Martin Zalewski & Shawnette Fable decorate for the grand opening of the suggestion boxes.



Founder of the suggestions boxes Martin Zalewski cuts the ribbon for the grand opening.



One of four suggestion boxes located around the school. This one is located outside of students activities.



# Psychology Career Day



Dr. Theresa Compisi discusses the field of Clinical Psychology to a interested student.



Ana Vasquez and Janet Young request career info from one of the representatives at career day.



# Dean Adam's Walking Tour



Dean Adams, Todd Cusato, Christopher Delaney, Heather Cuccia.



The Brooklyn Bridge



# Fall Sports

"Time present and time past  
Are both perhaps present in time future,  
And time future contained in time past.  
If all time is eternally present  
All time is unredeemable.  
What might have been is an abstraction  
Remaining a perpetual possibility  
Only in a world of speculation.  
What might have been and what is always present.  
Footfalls echo in the memory  
Down the passage which we did not take  
Towards the door we never opened  
Into the rose garden."

T.S. Eliot  
"Burnt Norton"





Don't break the lens!



A tennis pro at work!



Dominik figuring out his next move!





Courtney Boothe taking control of the ball during a soccer match!

Nicolas Paraskevopoulos defending his position against L.I.U!



Joel Gibbons maintaining control against three opponents from L.I.U.



Dmitri Petrouniak found alone against the goalie!



# Men's Soccer Team



Victor Awwontom seizing control of the ball!

## SOCCER (13-8-0/6-2-0 NEC)

Sep. 4	@ Rhode Island	L, 0-1
Sep. 7	<b>Monmouth</b>	<b>W, 5-2</b>
Sep. 14	@ Hofstra	L, 0-2
Sep. 18	@ Columbia	L, 0-1
Sep. 21	C.W. Post	W, 1-0
Sep. 25	@ Oneonta State	W, 5-1
Sep. 27	<b>Robert Morris</b>	<b>W, 1-0</b>
Oct. 1	<b>Fairleigh Dickinson</b>	<b>W, 1-0</b>
Oct. 5	@ <b>Mount St. Mary's</b>	<b>L, 0-2</b>
Oct. 9	@ <b>Long Island</b>	<b>W, 2-1</b>
Oct. 10	Manhattan	W, 6-0
Oct. 12	@ Dartmouth	W, 1-0
Oct. 16	<b>Rider</b>	<b>W, 2-1</b>
Oct. 19	@ <b>St. Francis (PA)</b>	<b>W, 2-1 (OT)</b>
Oct. 22	@ <b>Marist</b>	<b>L, 1-3 (OT)</b>
Oct. 26	@ Adelphi	L, 1-2 (OT)
Oct. 30	@ Iona	W, 4-0
Nov. 5	@ Central Connecticut State	L, 0-3
Nov. 8	v Rider	W, 2-1 (3OT)
Nov. 10	@ Robert Morris	W, 2-1
Nov. 16	v US Military Academy	L, 0-3

## ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE TERRIERS

NO.	NAME	POS	CL
00	Gary Gooden	G	SR
1	Erez Shochat	G	SR
2	Courtney Boothe	D	JR
3	Gilbert Williams	D	SO
4	Augustus Pokooaikins	D	JR
5	Nikos Djiapouras	D	JR
6	Toure Carpette	M	FR
7	Woody Simeon	D	JR
8	Kevin Mooyoung	M	SO
9	Dmitri Petrouniak	F	SO
10	Victor Awwontom	M	SO
11	Joel Gibbons	M	JR
13	Mario Bono	M	SO
14	Rob Stermann	D	SR
15	Donovan McKenzie	D	JR
16	Harold Burke	G	SR
17	Michael Beckford	D	SR
18	Miguel Segura	F	SR
19	Nicolaos Paraskevopoulos	M	SO
20	Andrew Holm	M	SO
21	Duke Shamo	F	SO

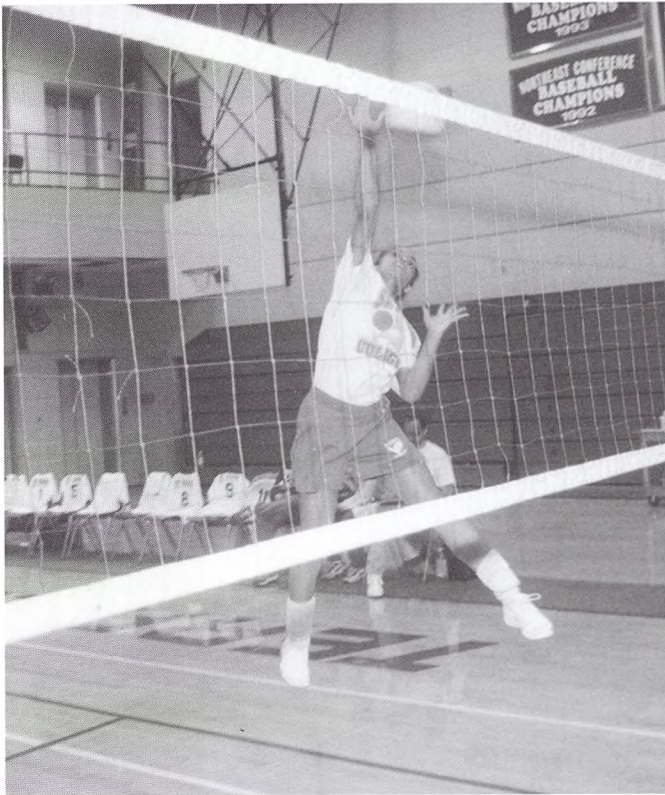
**Head Coach:** Sam Carrington  
**Asst. Coaches:** Bertram Charlton  
 Gregry Lawrence  
 Paul Campbell



The Men's Soccer Team. Standing from left to right: Coach Paul Cambell, Coach Gregory Lawrence, Coach Bertram Charlton, Gilbert Williams, Harold Burke, Micheal Beckford, Courtney Boothe, Nicolas Paraskevoulos, Head Coach Sam Carrington. Middle Row: Nikos Djiapouras, Donovan Mckenzie, Kevin Mooyoung, Augustus Pokooaikins, Andrew Holm, Toure Carpette, Woody Simeon, Dmitri Petrouniak. Front row: Rob Stermann, Joel Gibbons, Miguel Segura, Erez Shochat, Gary Gooden, Victor Awwontom, Mario Bono, Duke Shamo.



# Women's Volleyball Team



America Camilia Flores spiking the ball during a match!



Kathleen Fraser preparing to bop the ball!



Kathryn Scali warming up for a match!

## ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE TERRIERS

NO.	NAME	POS	CL
17	Jennifer Bruhert	MH	SR
	Morgan Ciani	OH	JR
5	Lauren DeMarco	OH	FR
6	Laura Eisenzopf	S	FR
10	Camila Flores	OH	SR
14	Kathleen Fraser	OH	SR
9	Jessica Gonzalez	DS	FR
4	Kristina Healey	OH/S	FR
1	Angela Hoggard	DS	FR
7	Kathryn Scali	DS	SO

**Head Coach:** Steve Hagenlocher

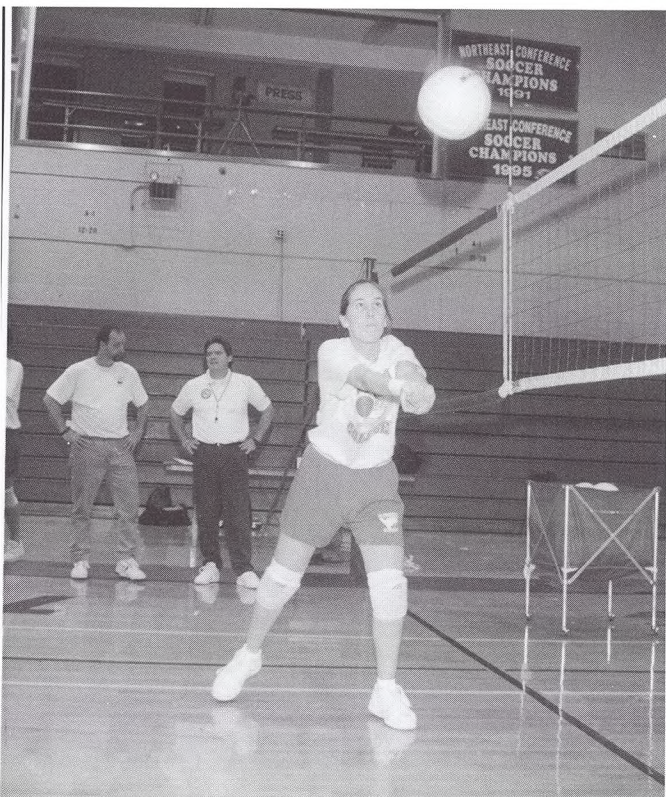
**Asst. Coach:** Melanie Dunbar

**Captain:** Camila Flores





Women's Volleyball Team. Standing form left to right: Melanie Dunbar, Angela Hoggard, Jennifer Bruhert, Kathleen Fraser, America Camila Flores (Captain), Steve Hagenlocher (Head Coach). Front row left to right: Laura Eisenzopf, Lauren DeMarco, Kristina Healey, Jessica Gonzalez, Kathryn Scali.



Kristina Healey practicing her bumping!

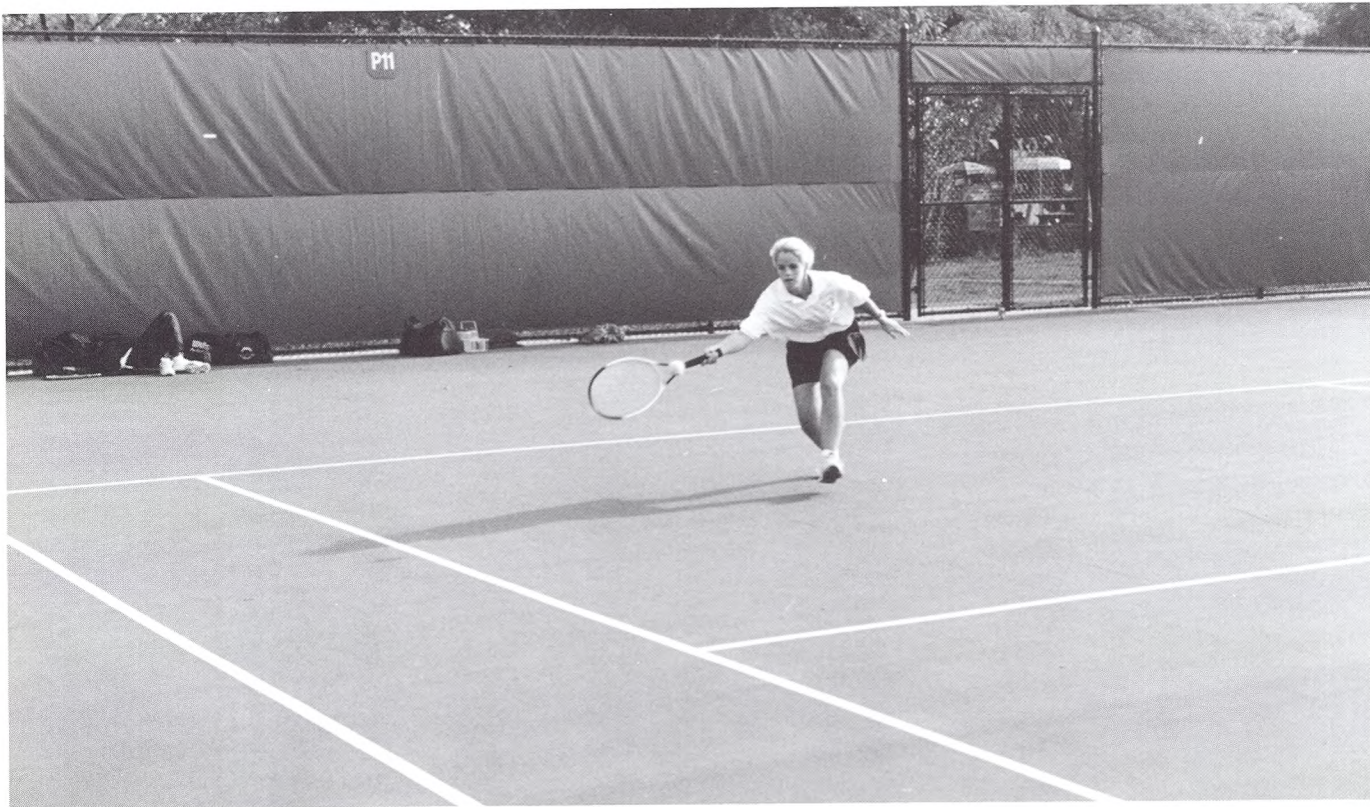
#### WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL (1-28/0-7 NEC)

Sep. 7	@ Bucknell	L, 0-3
Sep. 7	v St. Francis (PA)	L, 0-3
Sep. 10	@ US Military Academy	L, 0-3
Sep. 12	@ Iona	L, 0-3
Sep. 17	@ Wagner	L, 2-3
Sep. 20	v Maryland-Eastern Shore	L, 0-3
Sep. 20	@ Coppin State	W, 3-0
Sep. 21	v South Carolina State	L, 0-3
Sep. 21	v Morgan State	L, 0-3
<b>Sep. 23</b>	<b>@ Rider</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
<b>Sep. 25</b>	<b>@ Fairleigh Dickinson</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
Sep. 30	Bucknell	L, 0-3
Oct. 2	Iona	L, 0-3
Oct. 5	v Siena	L, 0-3
Oct. 5	@ Manhattan	L, 0-3
<b>Oct. 10</b>	<b>@ Marist</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
Oct. 14	@ Delaware State	L, 1-3
Oct. 14	v Hampton	L, 0-3
<b>Oct. 19</b>	<b>@ Long Island</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
<b>Oct. 19</b>	<b>v St. Francis (PA)</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
<b>Oct. 20</b>	<b>Robert Morris</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
<b>Oct. 22</b>	<b>Wagner</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
Oct. 25	@ Queens	L, 1-3
Oct. 31	Saint Peter's	L, 0-3
Nov. 2	Long Island	L, 1-3
Nov. 8	v Yale	L, 0-3
Nov. 9	@ Lehigh	L, 0-3
Nov. 9	v Wagner	L, 0-3
Nov. 16	v Rider	L, 0-3
Nov. 16	v Long Island	L, 1-3





Jessica Albers



Danielle Devery



# Women's Tennis Team



Women's Tennis team. From left to right: Jessica Albers, Delia Crippen, Courtney Dunn, Head Coach Joanne Sheeler, Megan Hayes, Danielle Dev-  
ery, Roxanne Richardson, Tara O'Brien.



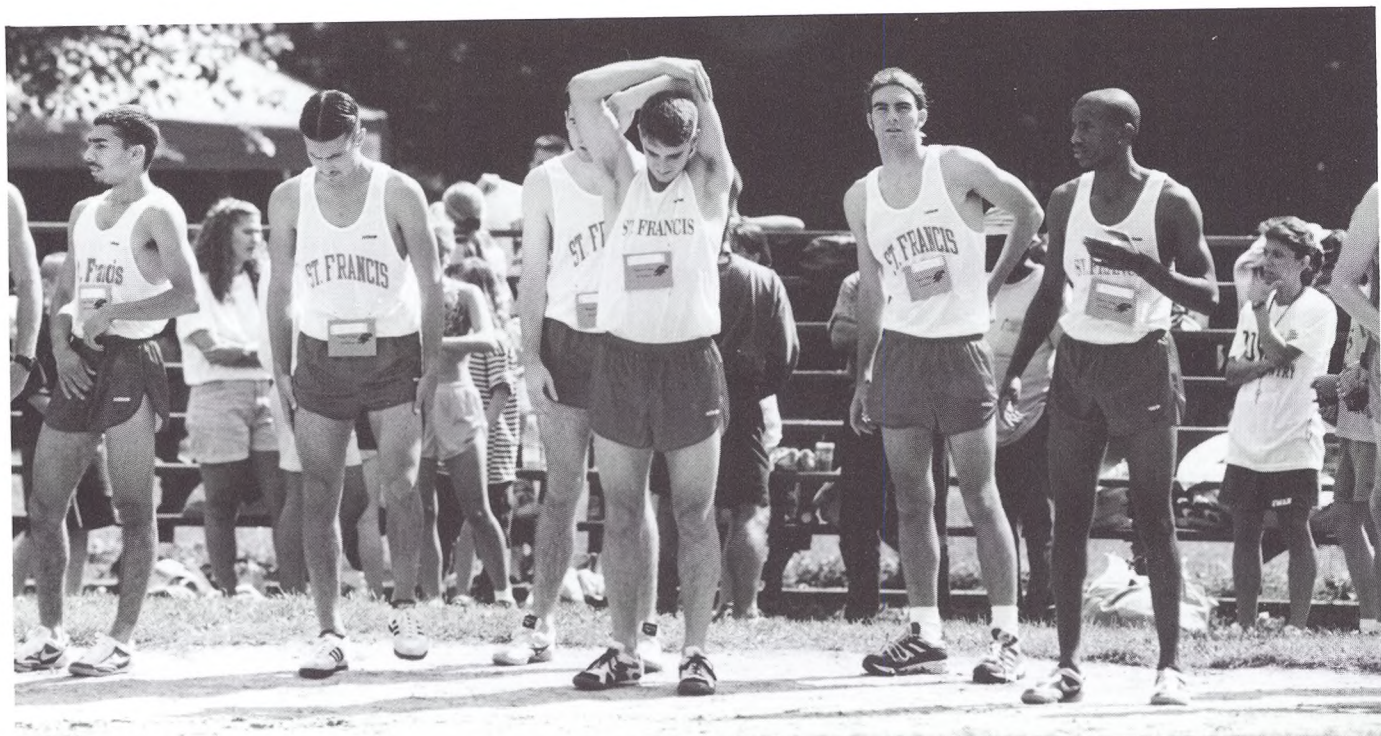
Head Coach Joanne Sheeler.

## WOMEN'S TENNIS (1-10)

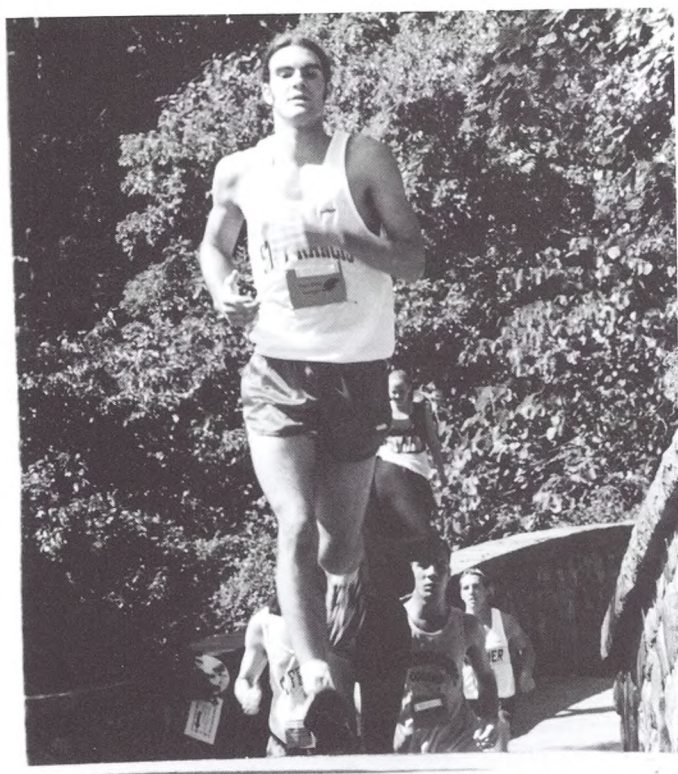
Sep. 12	@ Fairleigh Dickinson	L, 0-7
Sep. 20	Long Island	W, 7-0
Sep. 25	@ Iona	L, 0-7
Oct. 26	@ Monmouth	L, 0-7
Oct. 27	Wagner	L, 1-6
Oct. 4	Saint Peter's	L, 1-6
Oct. 5	Iona	L, 3-4
Oct. 6	Rider	L, 0-7
Oct. 7	@ Long Island	L, 3-4
Oct. 9	@ Monmouth	L, 0-7
Oct. 14	@ Manhattan	L, 4-5
Oct. 19-20	@ NEC Championships	9th (10)



# Men's Track Team



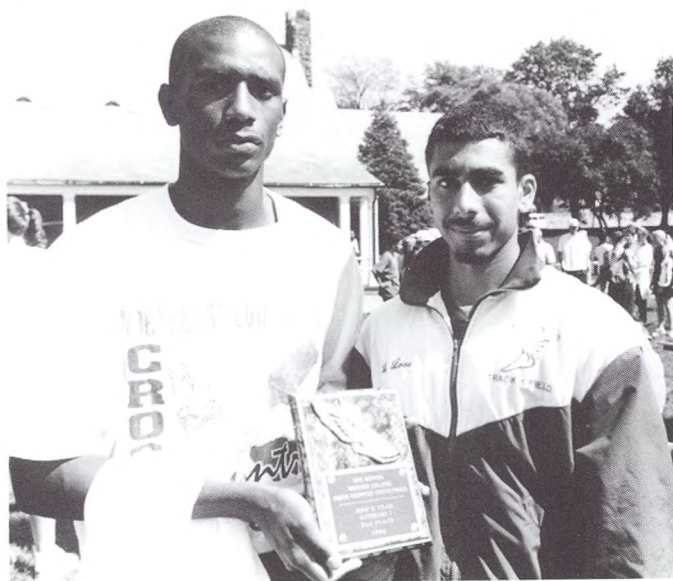
Left to right: Larry Medina, Anthony Kurtin, Rob Robson, Anthony Jelic, Nathan Fields, Chris Mills.



Nathan Fields, no pun intended!

## MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Sept. 14	@ Wagner Invitational	2nd/5
Sept. 21	@ Monmouth Invitational	4th/6
Oct. 5	@ Fairfield Invitational	7th/9
Oct. 12	@ Marist Invitational	4th/6
Oct. 25	@ Rider Invitational	1-5
Nov. 2	@ NEC Championships	8th/10



Chris Mills and Larry Medina hold the 16th Annual Wagner College Cross Country Invitational Men's Team Division I, 2nd Place award.





Rob Robson struggles to finish race.



Anthony Jelic glad the race is over.





Front Row Left to Right: Ryan Contino, Alex Perez, Adam Kombel, Filip Ivanov. Back Row Left to Right: Head Coach Carl Quigley, Mathew Alban, Thomas Bakacs, Oliver Djordjevic, Andres Keresmar, Miroslav Valtchev, Kevin Comer, Dominik Rohe, Janko Gogolja, Michael Healy, Vinko Rozic, Asst. Coach Jim Cutrone.

#### MEN'S WATER POLO (16-7/9-1 EWPA)

Sep. 7	@ Princeton	W, 13-9
Sep. 7	v Villanova (OT)	L, 10-13
<b>Sep. 13</b>	<b>US Merchant Marine Acad.</b>	<b>W, 24-9</b>
<b>Sep. 14</b>	<b>Brown</b>	<b>W, 18-11</b>
<b>Sep. 14</b>	<b>Massachusetts</b>	<b>L, 8-9</b>
Sep. 20	v Iona	W, 24-14
Sep. 21	v Pomona Pitzer	W, 24-7
Sep. 24	@ Villanova	L, 10-11
Sep. 24	v George Washington	W, 16-9
<b>Sep. 25</b>	<b>Lehman</b>	<b>W, 18-5</b>
<b>Sep. 28</b>	<b>@ Iona</b>	<b>W, 25-10</b>
Oct. 1	@ Fordham	W, 25-15
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>v Boston College</b>	<b>W, 25-13</b>
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>v Fordham</b>	<b>W, 23-10</b>
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>v Massachusetts Inst. of Tech.</b>	<b>W, 22-8</b>
<b>Oct. 13</b>	<b>v Harvard</b>	<b>W, 16-7</b>
<b>Oct. 22</b>	<b>v Queens (4 OT)</b>	<b>W, 14-13</b>
Oct. 26	v US Merchant Marine Acad.	W, 16-6
Oct. 26	v Queens	L, 11-18
Oct. 27	@ Brown	L, 6-8
Nov. 9	v United States Naval Academy	L, 7-14
Nov. 9	v Slippery Rock	L, 11-12
Nov. 10	v Princeton	W, 17-8



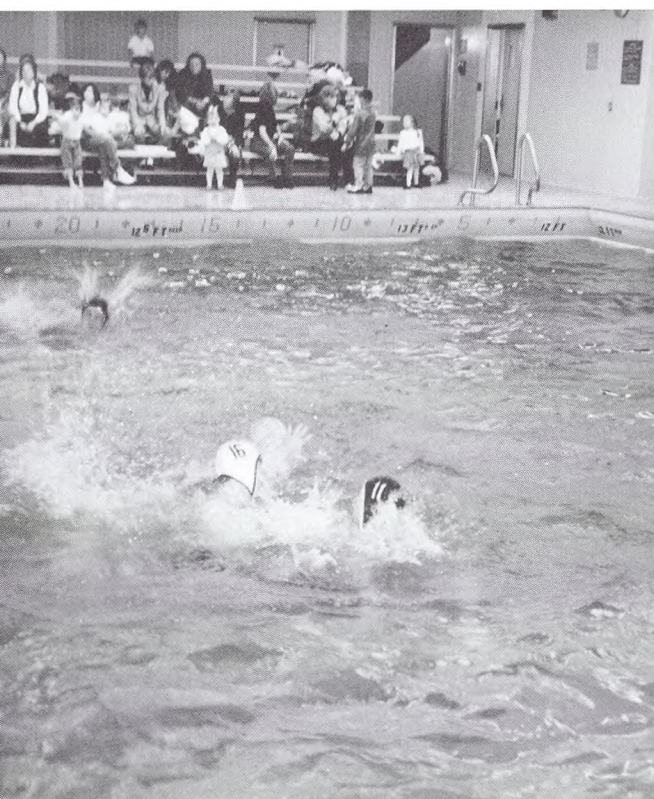
Left to Right Asst. Coach Jim Cutrone, Co-Captain Vinko Rozic, Captain Dominik Rohe, Head Coach Carl Quigley



# Men's Water Polo Team



Coach Cutrone talks strategy with the members of the Water Polo Team of SFC!



An intense battle between the present Water Polo team members and the alumni!



Number 14 scoring points for the team.





The Swim Team. Standing from left to right: Coach Jim Cutrone, Coach Jeanine Sullivan, Jason, Sean, Mike, Ryan, Fred, Danny. Front row: Margaret, Collen, Karen, Vanessa, Toni, Carol, Danielle, Carolyn, Joy.



Swim team member Joy working hard for the team!

#### ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE TERRIERS 1996-97 WOMEN'S SWIMMING/DIVING SCHEDULE

Sat. Nov. 16	@ St. John's University
Sat. Nov. 23	@ Central Connecticut State University
Mon. Nov. 25	@ Iona College (tri-meet with St. Francis College (PA))
Sat. Dec. 7	FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY
Fri. Jan. 17	SAINT PETER'S COLLEGE
Sun. Jan. 19	@ Howard University (tri-meet with Florida A & M University)
Wed. Jan. 22	@ St. Francis College (PA) (tri-meet with St. Bonaventure University)
Thu. Jan. 30	@ Manhattan College
Fri. Feb. 7- Sun. Feb. 9	@ Metropolitan Swim Conference Championships (at U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, NY)





Coach Jeanine Sullivan, Coach Jim Cutrone and team member Toni Dwarka pause for a moment during a match!



Team members Toni Dwarka and Carolyn Gibbons preparing for the meet.

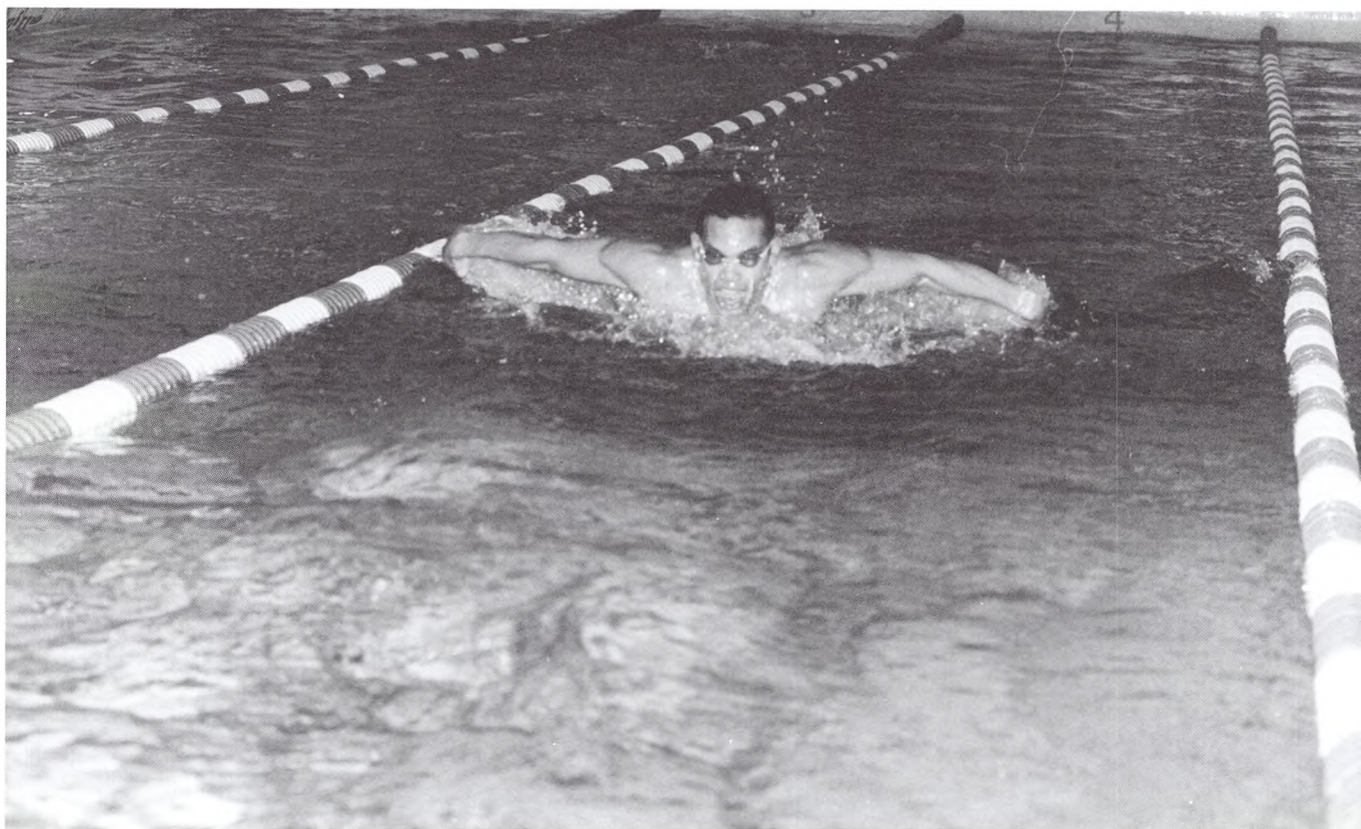




Swim team member Mike Healey in deep water!

#### 1996-97 MEN'S SWIMMING/DIVING SCHEDULE

Sat. Nov. 16	@ St. John's University
Sat. Nov. 23	@ Central Connecticut State University
Mon. Nov. 25	@ Iona College
Sat. Dec. 7	FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY
Fri. Jan. 17	SAINT PETER'S COLLEGE
Sun. Jan. 19	@ Howard University (tri-meet with Florida A&M University)
Wed. Jan. 22	@ United States Merchant Marine Academy (tri-meet with SUNY-Stony Brook)
Fri. Feb. 14- Sun. Feb. 16	@ Metropolitan Swim Conference Championships (at the College of New Jersey, Trenton, NJ)

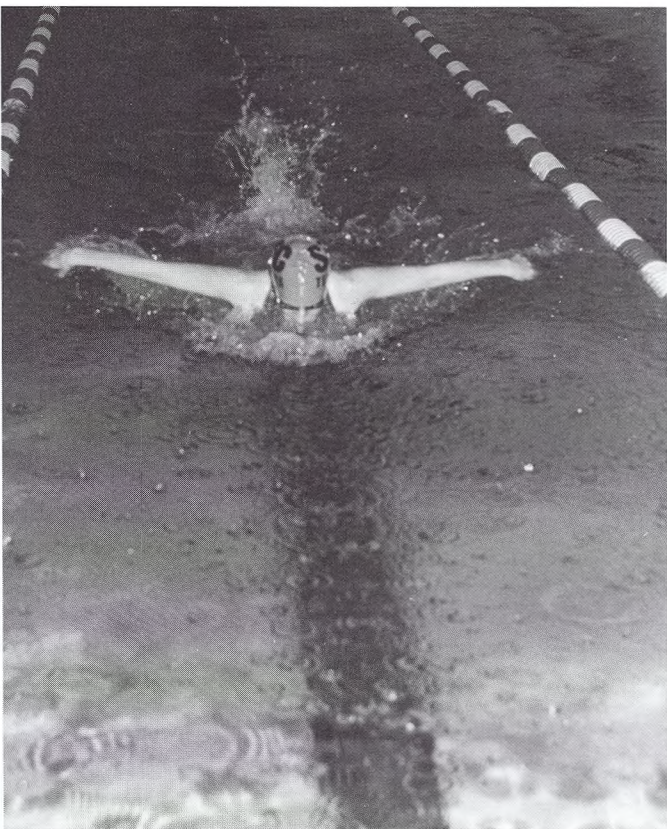


Swim team member Jason Alicea flexing for the camera.

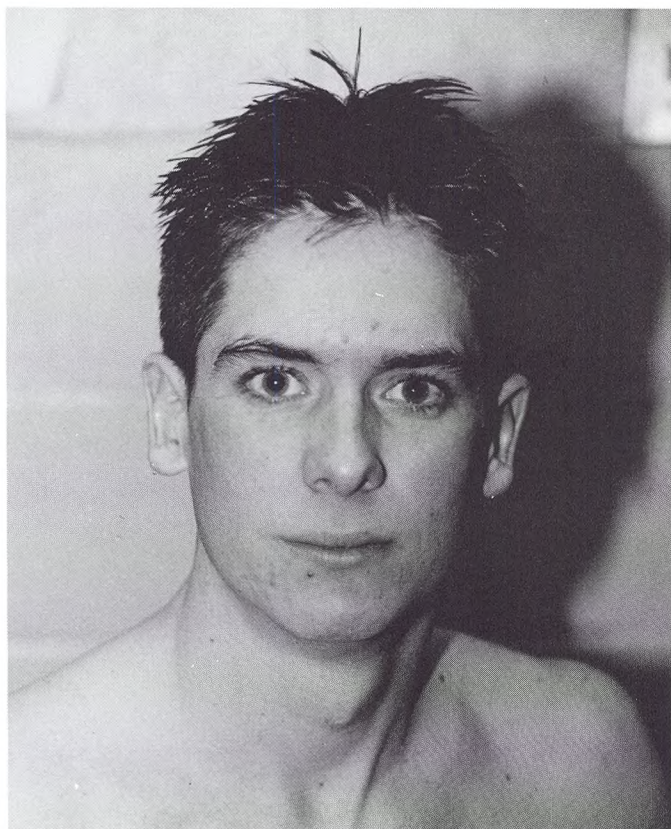




Danielle and Carolyn geared up and ready to swim.



Danielle trying to improve her time!!



A portrait of a swimmer -Mike Healey.





SFC's Women's Volleyball Team warming up.



Working hard for the Track Team!



SFC'S Men's Soccer Team defending their position!



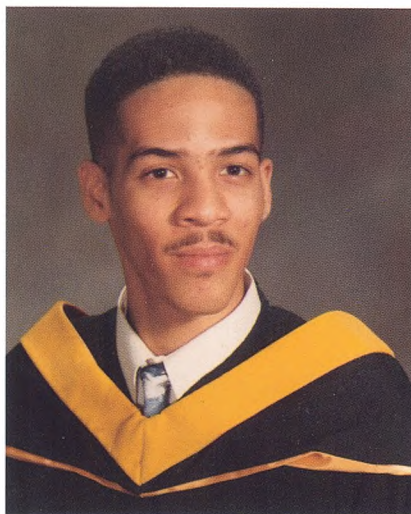
# Seniors

"Home is where one starts from. As we grow older  
The world becomes stranger, the pattern more complicated  
Of dead and living. Not the intense moment  
Isolated, with no before and after.  
But a lifetime burning in every moment  
And not the lifetime of one man only  
But of old stones that cannot be deciphered.  
There is a time for the evening under lamplight  
(The evening with the photograph album).  
Love is most nearly itself  
When here and now cease to matter.  
Old men ought to be explorers  
Here and there does not matter  
We must be still and still moving  
Into another intensity  
For a further union, a deeper communion  
Through the dark cold and empty desolation.  
The wave cry, the wind cry, the vast waters  
Of the petrel and the porpoise.  
In my end is my beginning."

T.S. Eliot  
"East Coker"



## President, Student Government Association



Justin Barry Jerome  
Biology

For many of us this journey has come to an end all too quickly. Thus it is with saddened heart and reluctant spirit that we venture out into the world beyond that of SFC. For others, this may not be so, instead this ending has been greeted with a hefty sigh of relief. One thing is sure, however, we have all benefitted from our experiences here at St. Francis and we move forward strengthened and enriched in that knowledge and worldly wisdom gained here at SFC.

We've met our share of friends and associates during our time here no matter how long or short that may have been. It has ended, even though it seems that it had only just begun. However, these are friendships and associations that we ought to carry on long after we've finished our SFC career and begun to advance in this ever changing world. But as we graduate, as we come to the conclusion of this chapter in our lives, as we come to this ending, we have a beginning, a beginning that leads to greater, better things for which four years of course work has prepared us, for beginning a new chapter in our lives and in fashioning the beginning of the rest of our lives.

The rest of our lives is just beginning and we can make it as happy as we want to. As we leave we go out in style and begin that next phase with class. We leave with happy memories and with new friendships and acquaintances. We depart with new ideas to test in a wonderful world of experiences that are ours to discover. Years from now when we reunite, we can share tales of greatness, glory, good times, old times and new but the common bond would be that which we got from our experiences here.

Our college courses and our professors have added an extra dimension to our lives and have done so by triggering thought, strong feelings and either changing, weakening or strengthening certain views of the world and on life that we might have held and we have changed for the better. As we walk down the aisle at commencement it is not so much a departure as it is an entrance into the world with which we are now entrusted.

As we move on, reminiscing yet firmly rooted in the present, keep the words of our patron saint, Francis of Assisi, firmly in our minds:

Let me sow, faith, hope and joy...

May we seek not so much to be understood, as to understand...

For it is in giving that we receive...

And we have received much, so now it is our turn to give to the bigger world that we are now entering.

*Good luck and God Bless.*

*Bonne chance!*

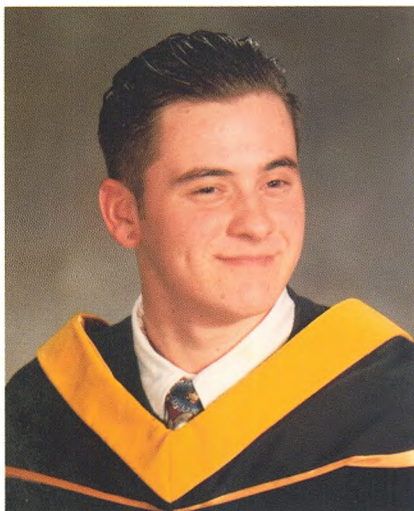
*¡Buena suerte! y espero que Dios los bendiga.*

*Buona fortuna e congratulazioni!*

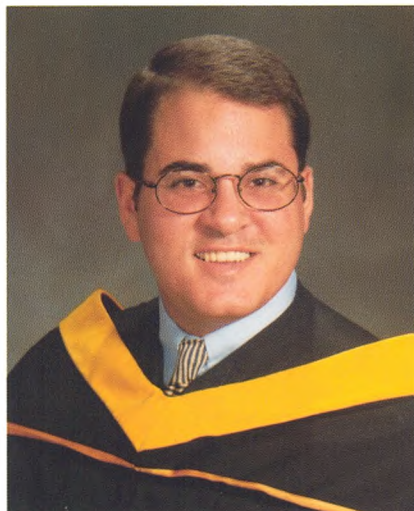
*Class of '97*

*Justin-Barry Jérôme*





Matthew Abrahamsen  
Business



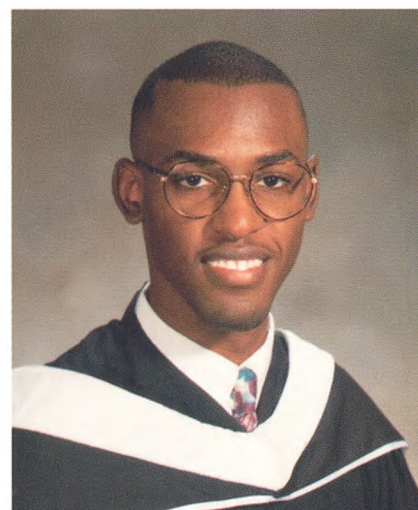
Aral Abuhan  
Accounting



Jessica Albers  
Business Management



Dr. Hughes, Dr. Plonsky, Dr. Quigly at 1997 Graduation



Robert Allen  
Communications



Dean Adams wishes the Class of 1997 "Best of luck"

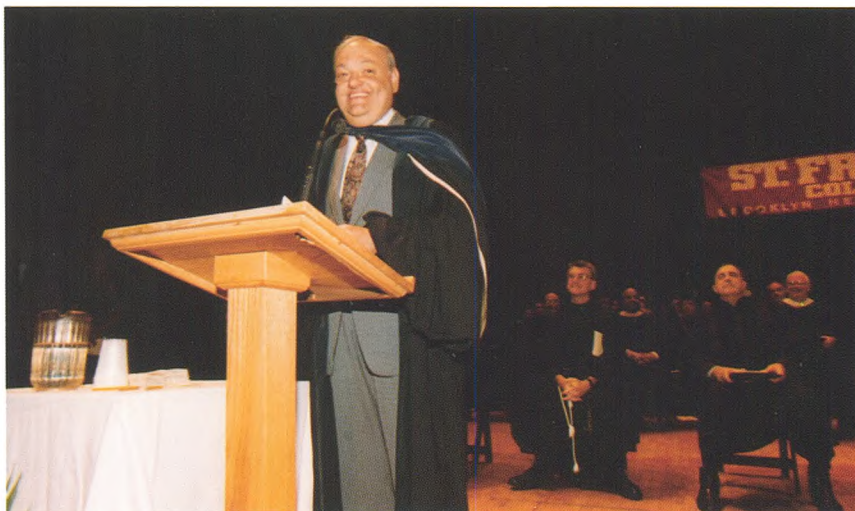


Daly Anatole  
Psychology





Judith Antoine  
Liberal Arts



President Macchiarola happy to see the class of 1997 go.



Patricia Arrao  
Business Management



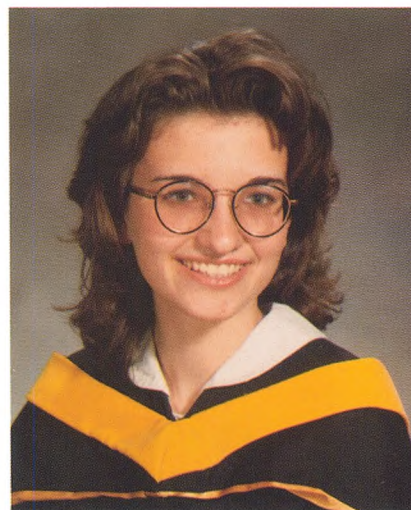
The Voice receives 1996 "Club of the Year" award.



Charitomeni Asmanis  
Education-English

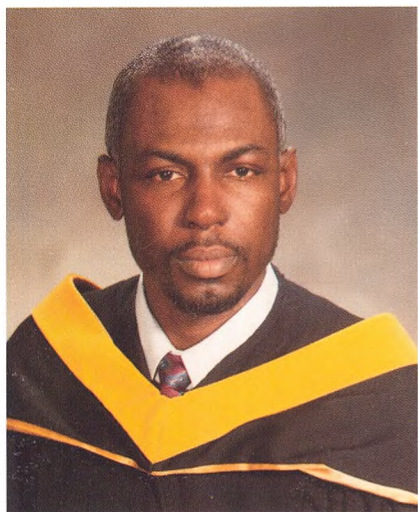


Alison Assini  
Psychology

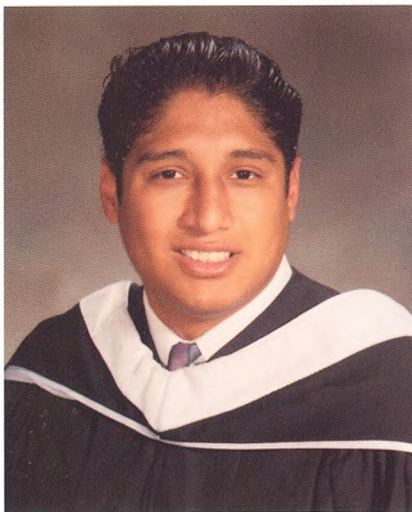


Beata Bak  
Accounting





Faruq Asaad  
Accounting



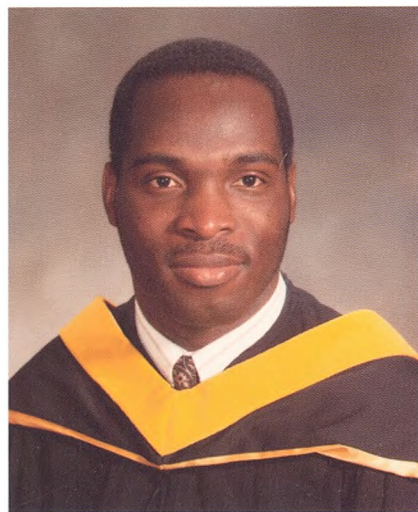
Karlo Barranca  
Political Science



Chirlyne Beauvais  
Health Care Management



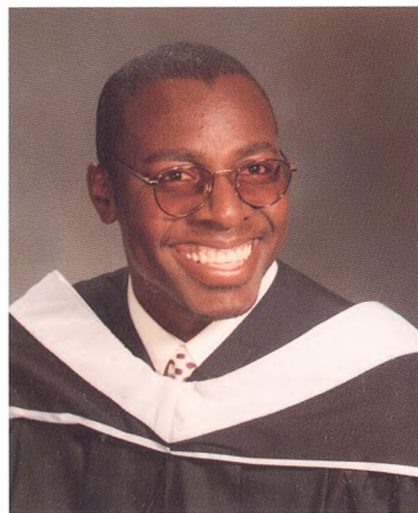
1997 Student Government Executive Council



Sampson Beawin  
Health Care Management

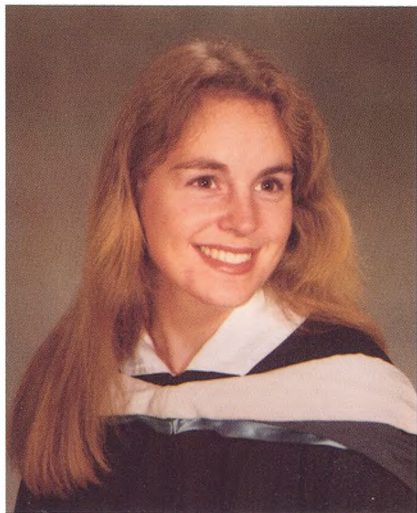


Jennifer Bisignano presents Dr. Sparr with the 1996 "Franciscan Spirit" award



Michael Beckford  
Sociology

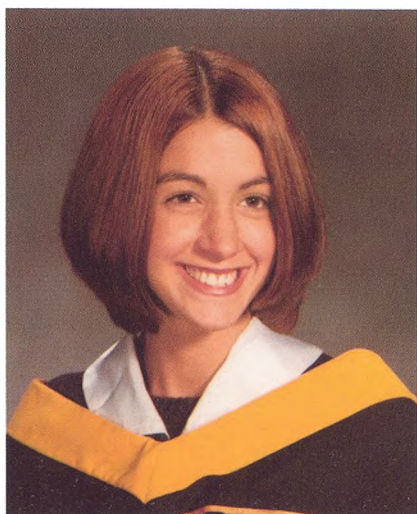




Christa Bol  
Int. Culture Studies



Bill Mallet ready to present the "Who's Who Award"



Anne Bolgnini  
Accounting



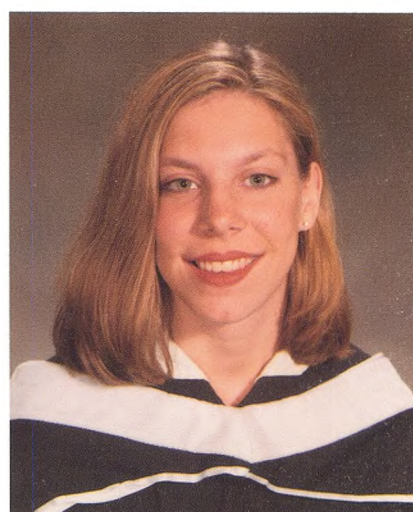
Terri Canady receives the 1996 "Franciscan Spirit" award from Jennifer



Cynthia Broomfield  
Special Studies



Latifa Brown  
Sociology

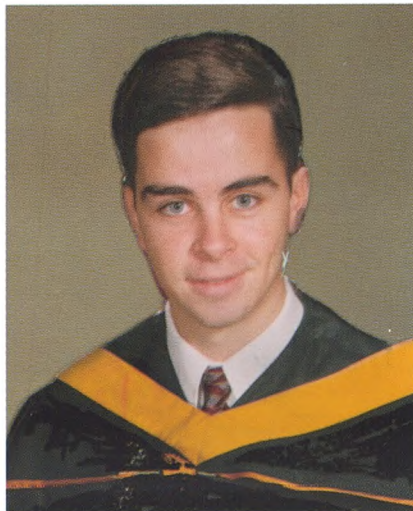


Jennifer Brosostowski  
Elementary Education

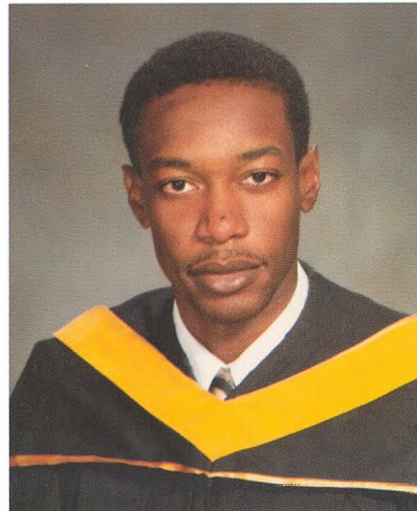




Jan Bruzzese  
Advertising



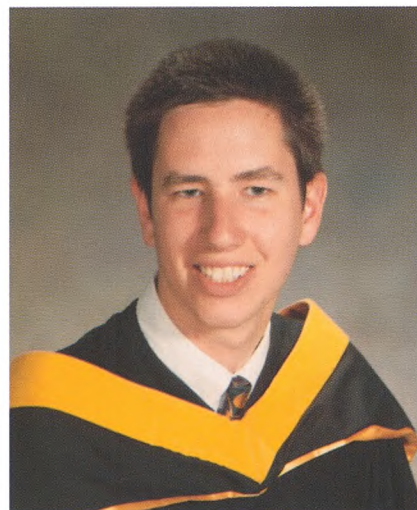
Kevin Burke  
Special Studies



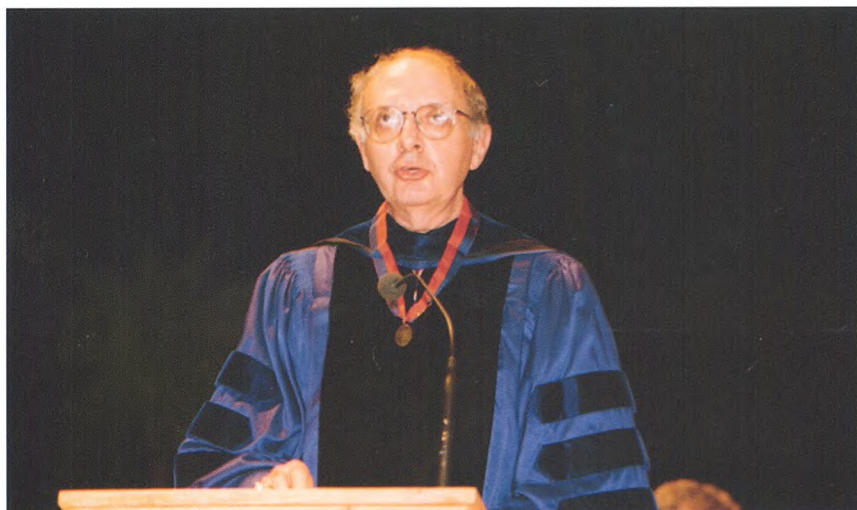
Harold Burke  
Political Science



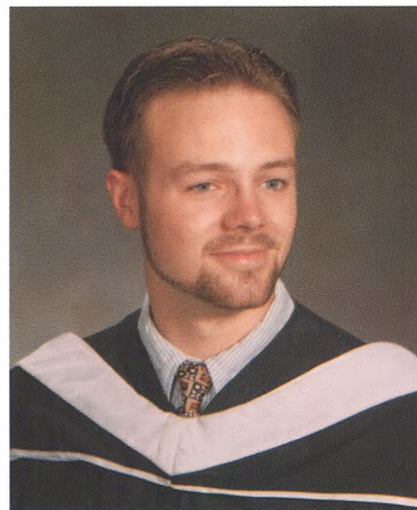
Yes . . . you have to pay for your overdue library books



Claude Busnel  
Physical Education

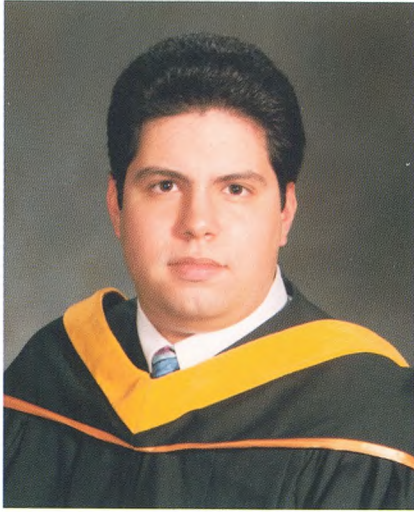


Uhhhh . . . what was I talking about again?

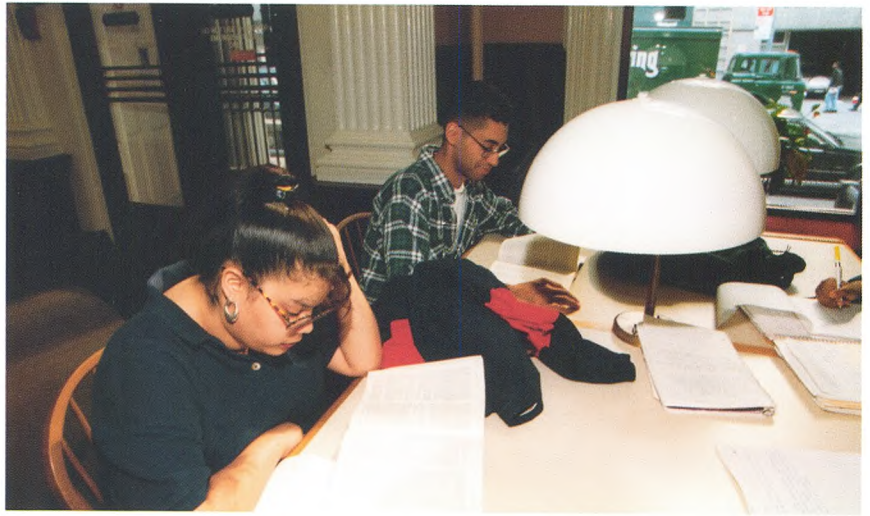


Christopher Cadigan  
History

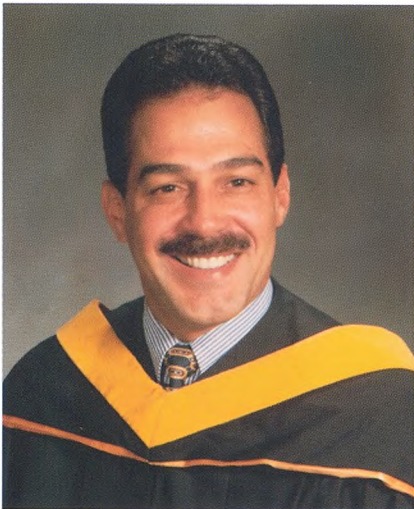




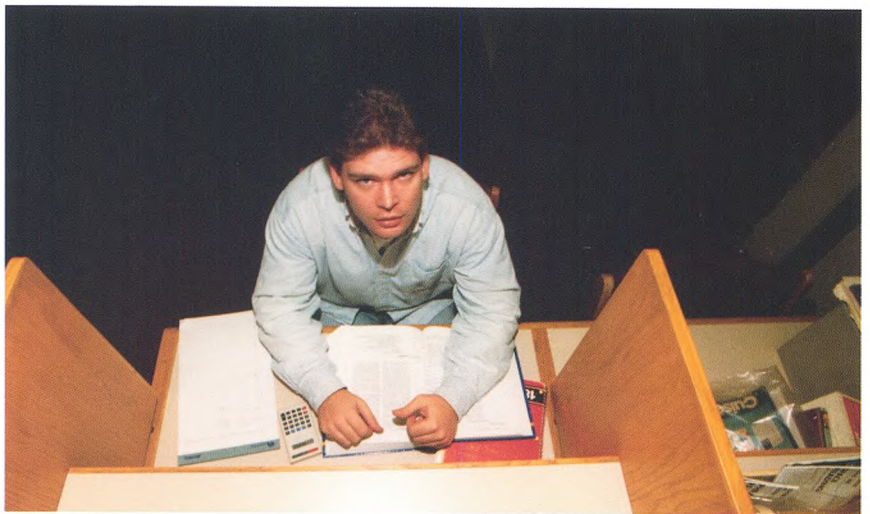
Michael Calderin  
Business Management



Students cramming for Langiulli's PHI 101 final.



Rafael E. Calderon, Jr.  
Special Studies



What do you want? . . . I've got a big Statistics test to study for.



Tamika Camacho  
Business Management



Joanne Cambridge  
Business Management



Islande Cangitta-Mevs  
Health Administration





Fleurette Casseas  
Leberal Arts



Gail Chambers  
Psychology



Lisa Chan  
Management



I'm the only who works at St. Francis.



Cathy Cherry  
Economics



Cutting classes is hard work!



Anthonetta Chieco  
Business Management

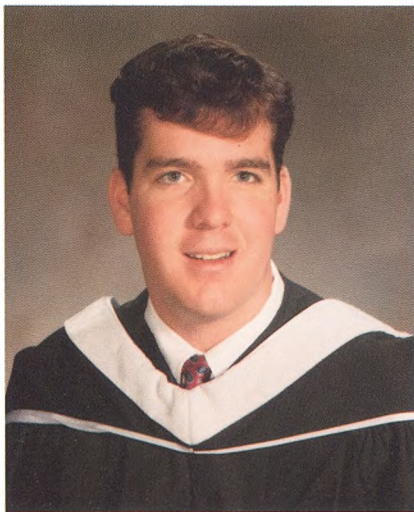




Jennifer Collins  
History



Chilllllllin!!!



John Comer  
History



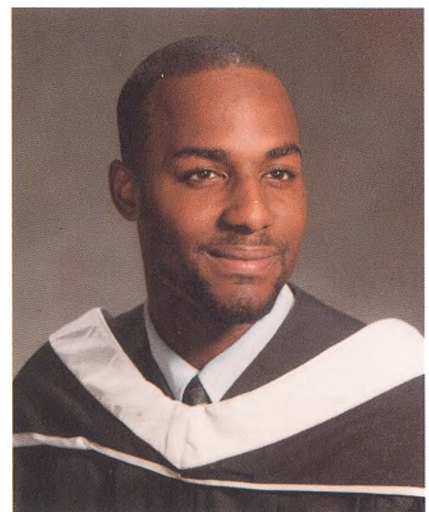
Freeze! . . . . show me your I.D.



Karola Concepcion  
Psychology

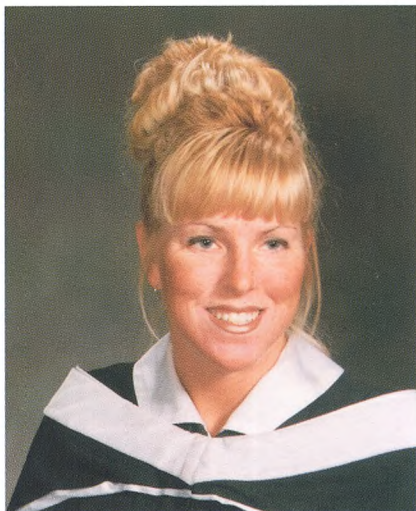


Maria Concetta Conte  
Communications

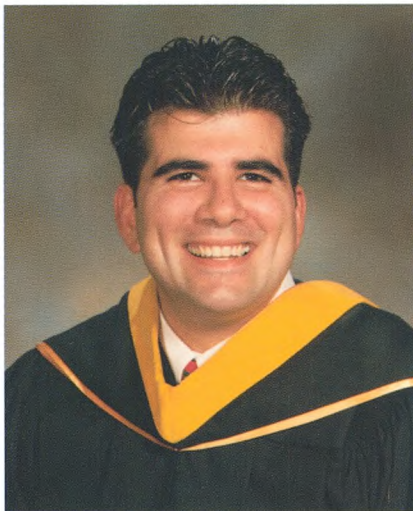


Alexander Croucho  
Sociology

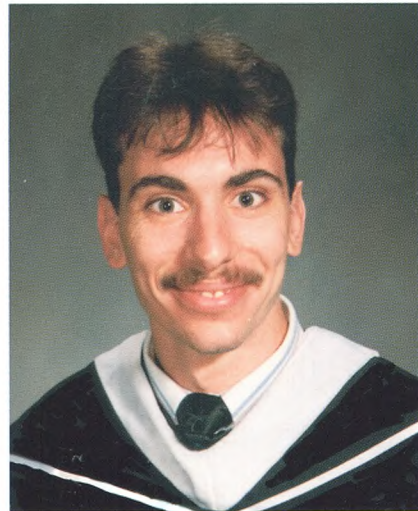




Candice Crusen  
Psychology



Michael Cutrona  
Accounting



Michael D'Amato  
English



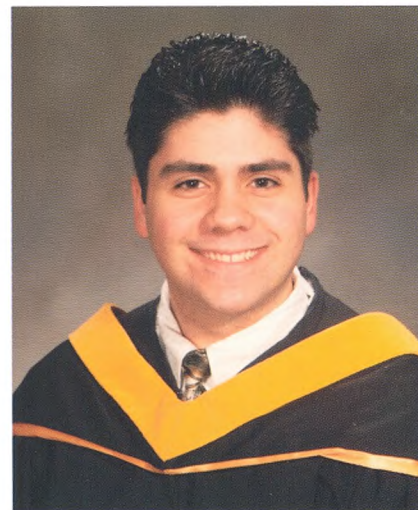
"Know when to hold'em/know when to fold'em" . . .



Jeanette Darsi  
Accounting



The Bopsie Twins



James Davino  
Accounting





Angela DeFatta  
Business Management



"The Breakfast Club"



Danielle Destefano  
Accounting



"She likes me . . . she REALLY likes me"



Daniel Devaney  
Sociology

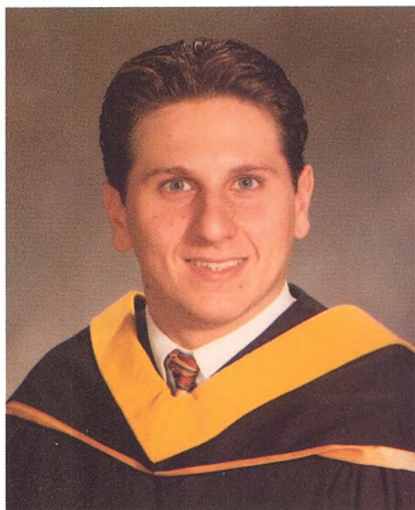


Nyree Dixon  
English

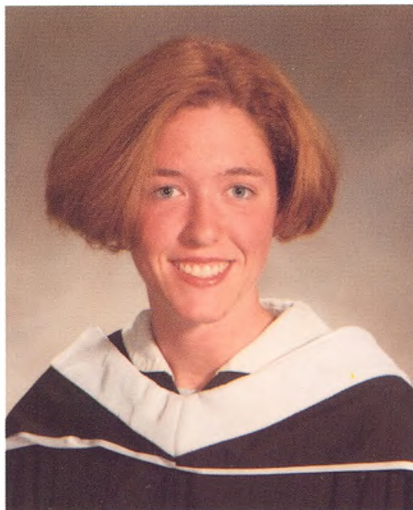


Lisa Efferson  
Criminal Justice

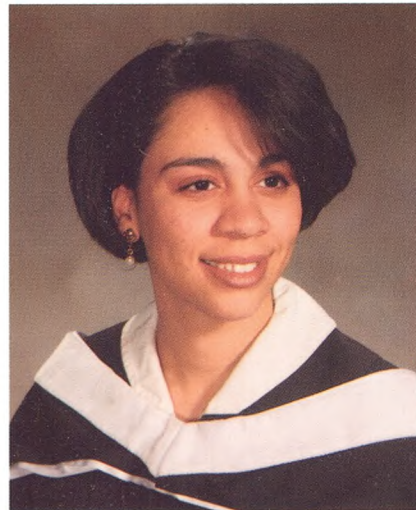




John Emilio  
Business Management



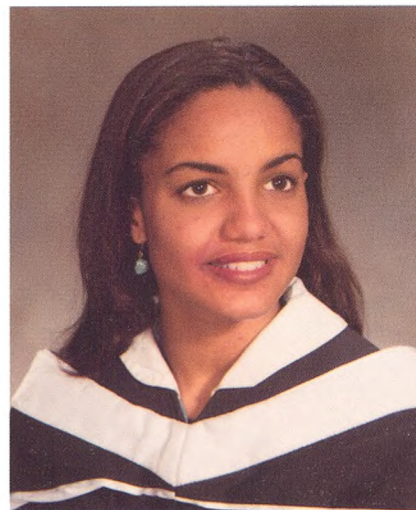
Coleen Fallon  
Social Studies



Debra Ferrandez  
English



Yeah .... I'm cool.



America Flores  
Political Science



No I am not cutting class.

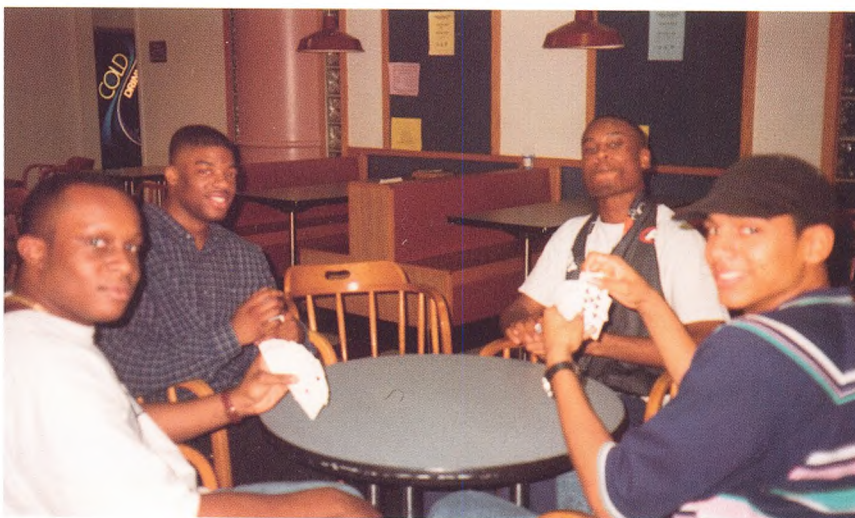


Kellie Ann Gallagher  
English

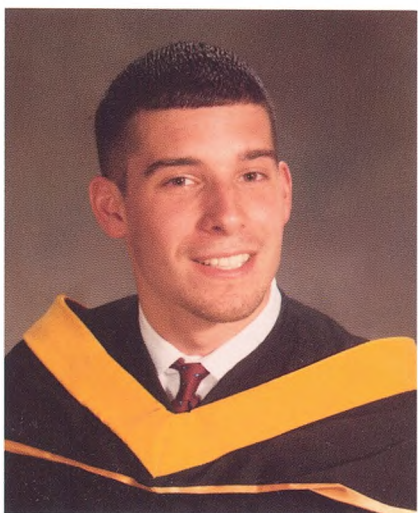




Jennifer Gallo  
Social Studies



What St. Francis College students do during finals.



David Gardella  
Physical Education



"Dooooon't!"



Daniella Garofalo  
Social Studies



Selby Gaylock  
English

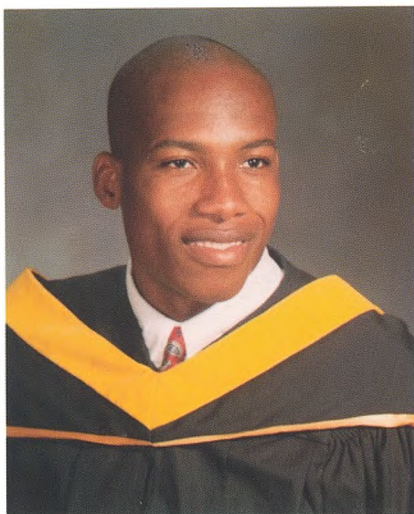


Natacha Gayot  
English

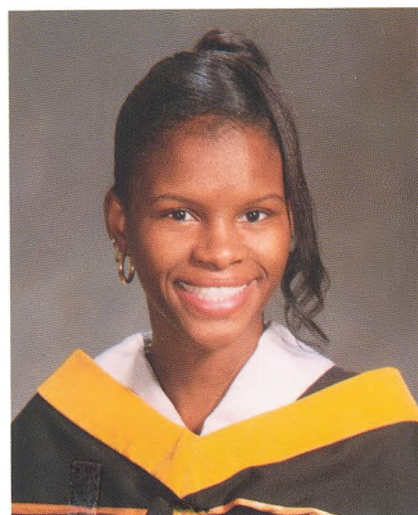




Eumelia Gonzalez  
English



Gary Gooden  
Mathematics



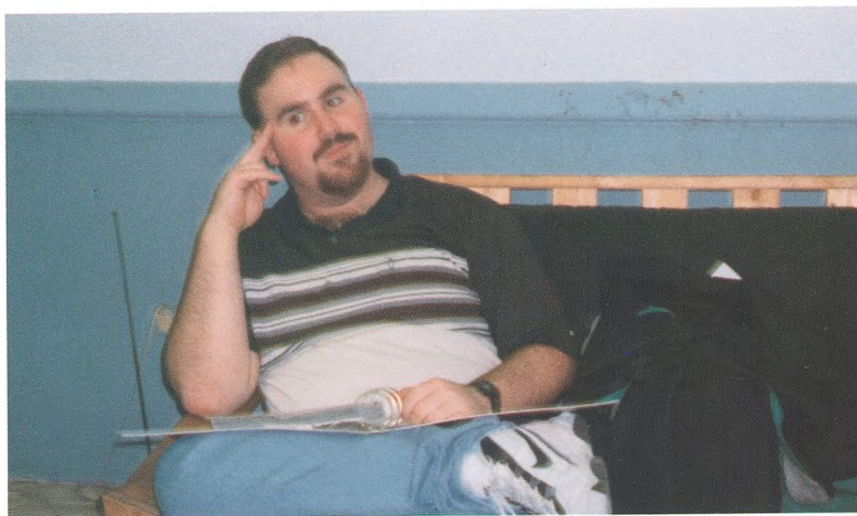
Sheryl Gregory  
Special Studies



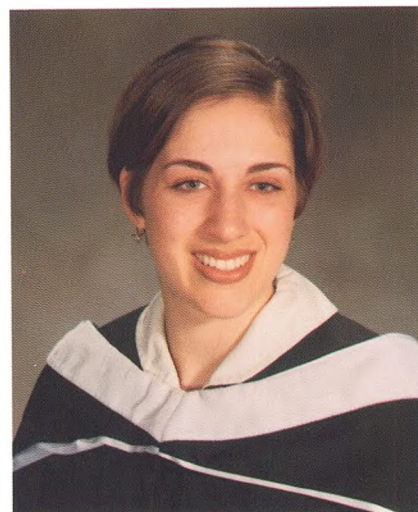
"Yes! Some of us actually do study."



Cynthia Grossi  
Elementary Education



"Hmmm . . . should I get windows built in the yearbook office? . . . . YES!"



Dorothy Guerriero  
Elementary Education





Vitma M. Guzman  
Psychology



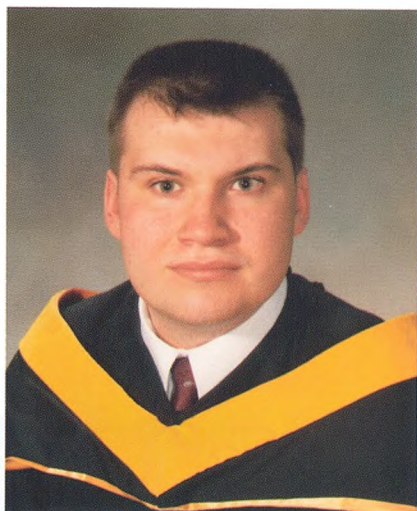
"Wha . . . . No, I'm not trying to change my grade!"



Patricia Guzowski  
Criminal Justice



"I hate it when that happens."



Stanley Hader  
Business Management

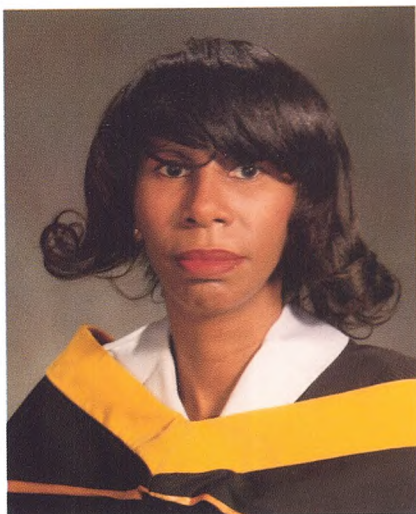


Erika Henriquez  
English

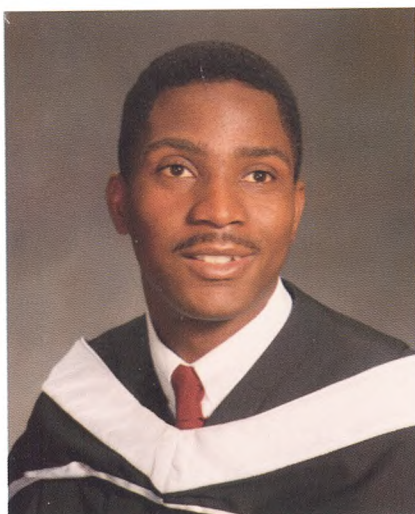


Stacey Iglio  
English

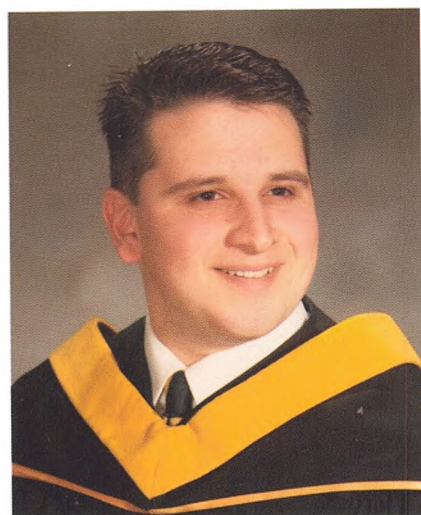




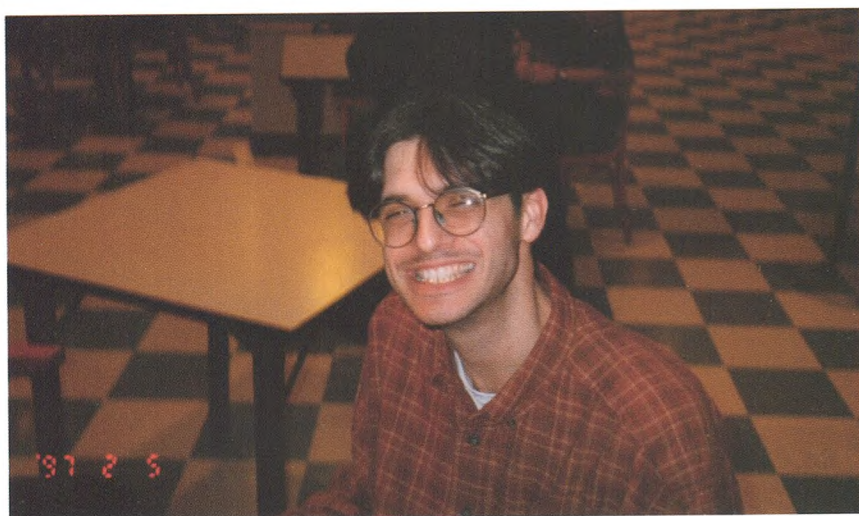
Aesha Jaffir  
Health Management



Joel B. Jerume  
Criminal Justice



Leonard Kaplan  
Business Management



"Cheeeese"



Rosy Karakat  
Health Management



"Bill!-Bill!-Bill!-Bill!-Bill!-Bill!"



Anges Kijewska  
Communications



# Clubs and Organizations

*"The detail of the pattern is movement,  
As in the figure of the ten stairs.  
Desire itself is movement  
Not in itself desirable;  
Love is itself unmoving,  
Only the cause and end of movement,  
Timeless, and undesiring  
Except in the aspect of time  
Caught in the form of limitation  
Between un-being and being.  
Sudden in a shaft of sunlight  
Even while the dust moves  
There rises the hidden laughter  
Of children in the foliage  
Quick now, hark, now, always-  
Ridiculous the waste sad time  
Stretching before and after."*

*T.S. Eliot  
"Burnt Norton"*





The Student Government Association of St. Francis College. This organization was formed to promote student activities and to enhance the lives of the students at the College.



The Executive members of SGA. From top left to right: Harold Burke, Speaker of SACOR, Justin Barry Jerome, President of SGA, Salvatore Manno, Secretary/Parliamentary, Freda Antoine, Vice-President of SGA, Akwasiba Rafaelin, Treasurer.



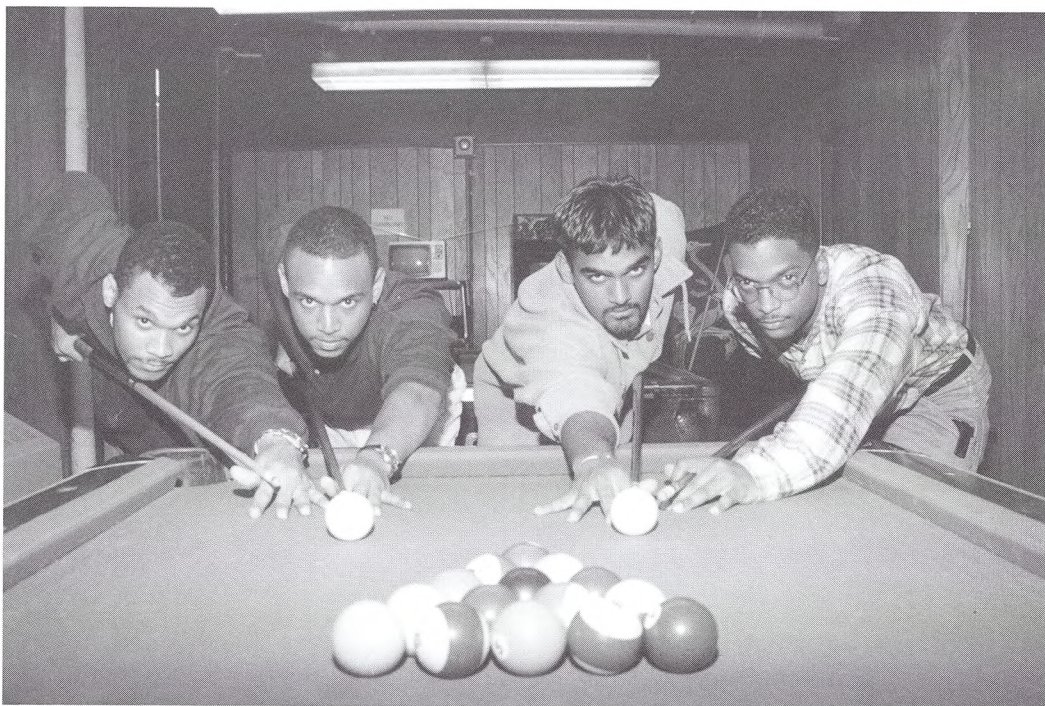


The Psychology Club of St. Francis College. From left to right: Dr. Anolik, Evelyn Berry, Milagros Gonzales, Samantha Donovan, Keisha Mallebranche, Madeline Perez, Susan Freese, Vilma Guzman.



The Dominican Club of St. Francis College. Standing left to right: Sammy, Rosa, Dagoberto (President), Willy. Sitting from left to right: Wendy, Melissa, Karly, Zima, Leslie.





Q Club. Left to Right: Damien De Silva (V.P.), Anthony Valley (President), Rommel Roberts (Pro), Anthony Roberts (Secretary).



Finance Club First Row Sitting Left to Right: Stanley A. Hader (President), Dr. Peter Gomori (Moderator). Standing Left to Right: Mirsolav Valtchev, Yu Qing (Kelly) Liu, Sarah Faith Schlissel.





Alpha Kappa Psi. Standing from left to right: Karen Torres, Secretary, Erica N. Miles, President, Henry Li, Ligia Fay, Yamile Melger, Treasurer. Sitting from left to right: Harold Burke, Erez Shochat, Master of Rituals.



The Troupers, theatre troupe of St. Francis College. From left to right: Joey Diaz, Cristina Rosado Landron, Michael Quinn, Patricia Arrao, President.





Montage. Front, Sitting: Omar Buval. Left to Right: Wendy Joseph, Heather Cuccia. Standing: Tricia Kendall, Judith Yiadom, Juan T. Acum.



Caribbean Student Association. Sitting Left to Right: Stacy Holder, Harold Burke, Alicia Browne (President), Jacqueline Jackson, Sabrina Heron, Woody Simeon, Anthony Roberts. 2nd Row: Anthony Valley, Natalie Boyce, Yvonne Baffour, Karyll Skerritt, Kevin Moo Young, Toni Dwarka, Keno Chambers, Wendy Joseph, Rommel Roberts. Standing: Ricardo Louis, Stephen Clanton, Harold Lodevil, Deran Browne, Robinson Michel, Omar Buval, Ainsworth Andrews, Yama Jean-Philippe.





Italian Historical Society: Rosanna Azzinarri, Mary Ellen Gambino (President), Doreen Rucci, Dr. Frank Sorrentino.



Economics Club: Left to Right: Beata Bak, Dr. Quick, America Camila Flores, Natalia Kiritchek.





Freshman & Sophomore Reps. Left to Right Sitting: Heather Cuccia, Nadvaska Grijalva. Standing Left to Right: Todd Cusato, Martin Zalewski, Jacqueline Jackson, Kevin Comer, Wale Oshodi.



Black Student Association. Left to Right, Sitting: Tammy Camocho, Sheema McCargo, Nicole Yancey, Ayaenna Tyler, Yasmin Temprow, Woody Simeon. 2nd Row: Sabrina Heron (President), Harold Lodevil, Omar Calhoun, John Thomas, Donald Pierce, Keno Chambers, Alicia Browne, Yama Jean-Philippe, Omar Buval (V.P.). Top Row: Stephen Clanton, Odessa Marks, Judith Yiadom, Shauntel Flowers, Caroll Smith, Carline Lubin, Jamaina Barham, Ricardo Louis.





Senior & Junior Reps. Freda Antoine (V.P.), Stanley Hader, Erica Hodges, Darlene Collins, Maduyen Keita, Christina Rosado, Akwasiba Rafaelin (Treas.), Harold Burke (Spkr. Of Sacor), Justin-Barry Jerome (Pres.), Salvatore Manno (Sec) Dominik Rohe



Accounting Society Front Row Left to Right Melissa Gialanella, Yasmin Temprow, Genara Zencic (Sec), Beata Bak (V.P.), Sarah Faith Schlissel (Pres.), Yu Qing (Kelly) Liu, Moderator Kathie Castiglione. Back Row Left to Right Thomas Smith, Aral Abuham, Scott Longo, Wale Oshodi, Bevin Meade (Treas), Susan Pecha, John More Secuiliano, Eric Linn, Joe Mattina, Eric Irizarry, Ainsworth Andrews





1.-r:Latin American Society. Maximino Guadalupe, Maritza Miranda (Sec), Lydia Gonzalez (Treas.), Gus Figuearora (Fly Guy), Jason Ortiz, Susan Chiriboga, Lissette Ott, Patty, Arlene Martinez, Angie Gonzalez, Kathyedith Salayark (Party Committee), Ariel Rodriguez (Party Committee).



1-r: Latin American Society #2. Irene Kartzian, Milton Javier, Luz Cabrera, Cindy Greaves (Sec), Jason Ortiz, Antonia Morales, Anthony Cortez, Erik Alba (Party Committee), Ariel Rodriguez (Party Committee), Arlene Martinez, Susana Cardenas, Pedro Gamarra, Carlos Rosado (Treas.), Lydia Gonzalez, Ana Maria Soto, Isacc Cruz, Mike Maldonado, Antonio Feliciano, Eric Franklin, Tish Olan, Diana Segura.



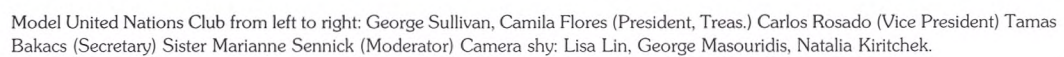
# Psi-Chi, National Honor Society Psychology



The Voice Front Row Left to Right: Lori Lee, Lisa Baccari, Rose Marie Tulipano. Back Row Left to Right: Nicholas Gaus, Michael Mangano, Michael Campbell, Edward Grant, Nia Sainvil, Rev. James Moyna, Ana Schmidt











Honors Club - sponsors activities for the benefit and enjoyment of its members and to foster an appreciation for the community.



Phi Alpha Theta is the national honor fraternity of history.





Alpha Phi Delta: Sitting from L-R Aral Abuhan, Jason Arbeeney (Pres.) Standing from L-R Greg Bell (Historian), John Sloan (Pledge Master), Peter Gibaldi (Assistant Pledge Master), Steven Okeke (V.P.), James Mack, Michael Flangan (Treas.), Geroge Vega.



Radio Club: Robert Allen, Odessa Marks.





Dominican Club: the purpose of this group is to teach other people our culture and the events we celebrate in the Dominican Republic.



Sociology Club: to promote interest and provide an exciting atmosphere in which students can expand their knowledge in area of sociology.



Christian Club: shares Christian fellowship with all students at St. Francis College and study the Bible together as a community





History and Political Science Society: Brian O'Connor, Gino LaRusso, Dr. Frank Sorrentino, Jennifer Collins, Daisy Perez.



1996-1997 Sacor Representatives



## Club Candids



Members of Student Government discussing the events scheduled for the upcoming semester.



The annual Alpha Kappa Psi bake sale to raise money for charity



# Candida

"And so each venture  
Is a new beginning, a raid on the inarticulate  
With shabby equipment always deteriorating  
In the general mess of imprecision of feeling,  
Undisciplined squads of emotion."

T.S. Eliot  
"East Coker"





Students enjoying a day outside on the grounds of SFC.

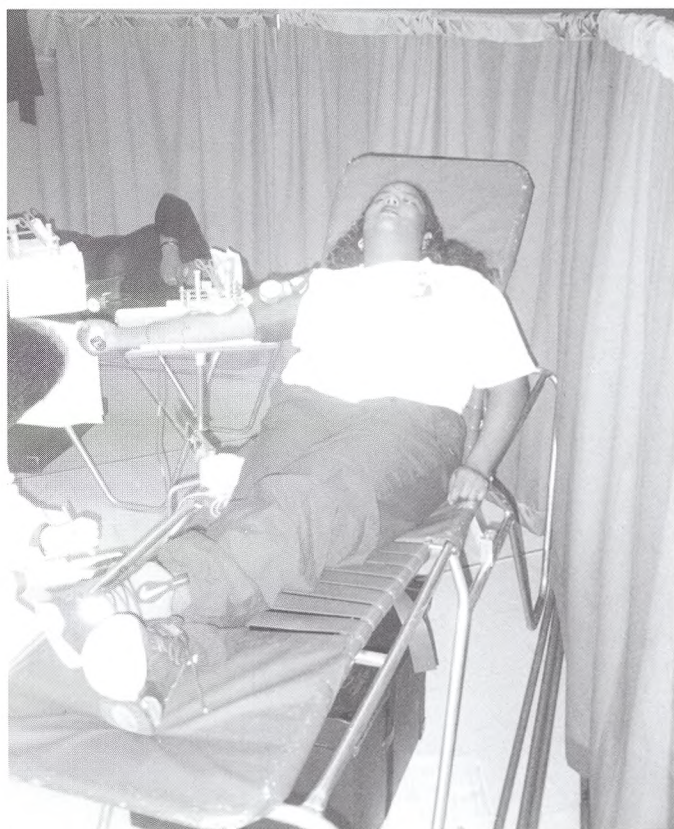


SFC student's proving they are not just in school to study!

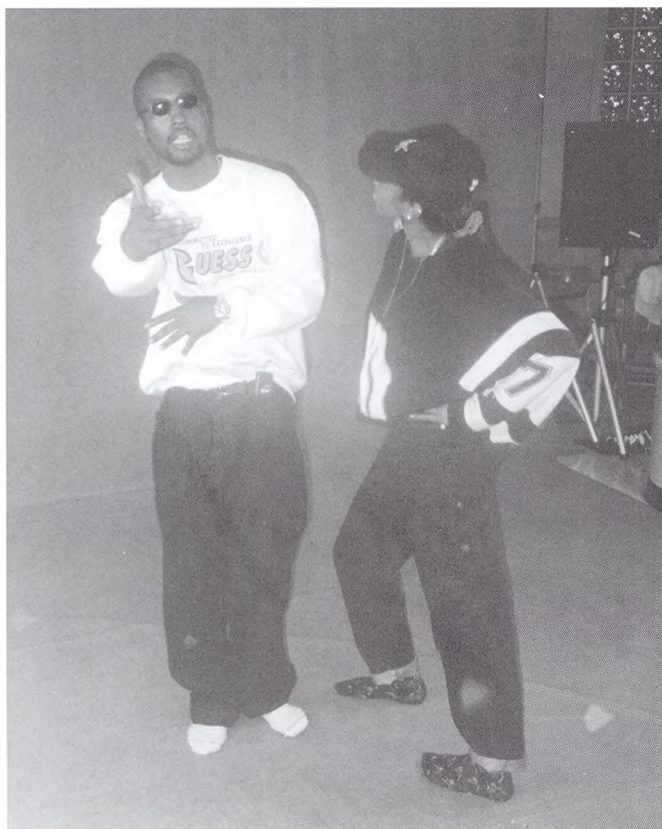




A true Manhattan Special!



In true Franciscan spirit a student giving blood for those in need!



A Dynamic duo showing their talents!





Fraternity men keeping St. Francis clean!

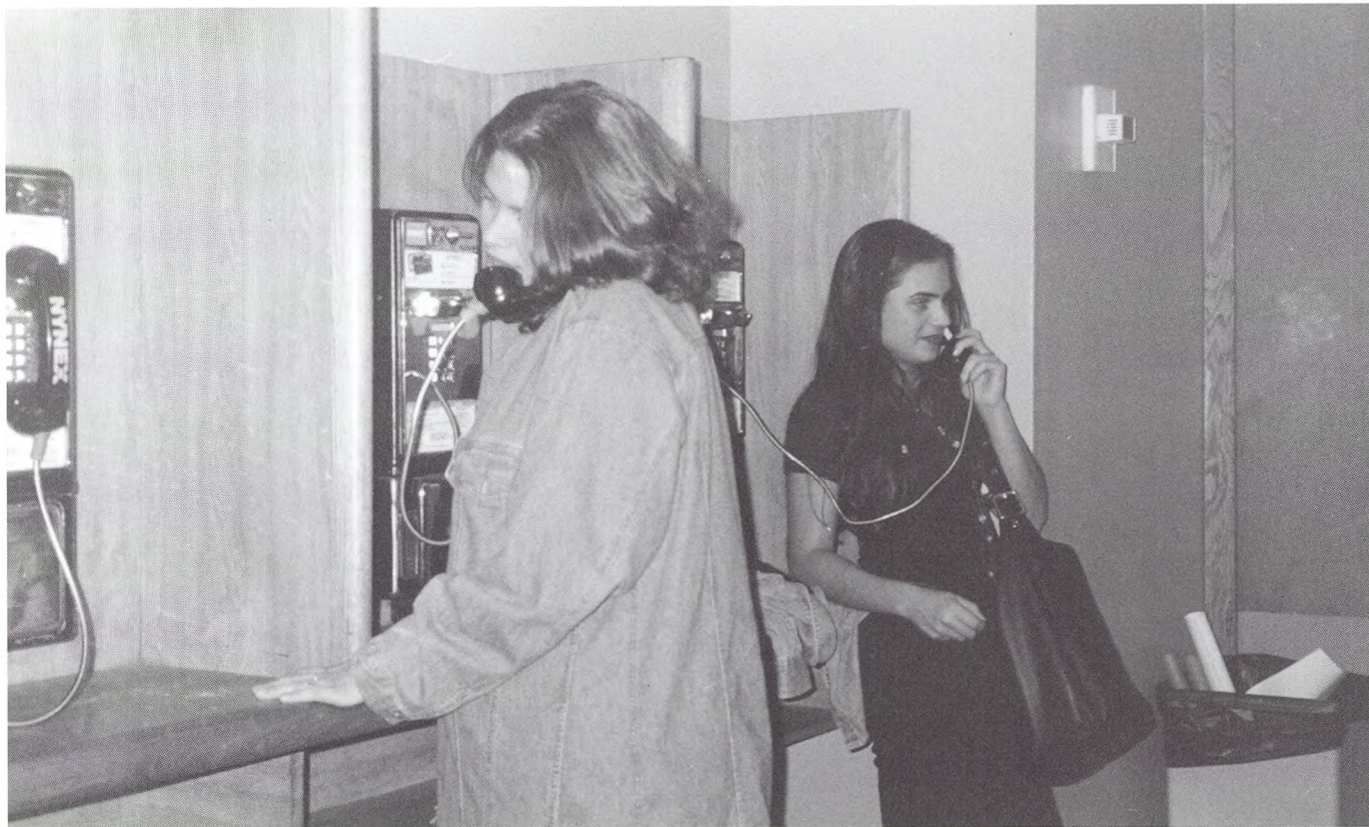


Professors vs. students in this dangerous game known as "Mortal Kombat" (school)!

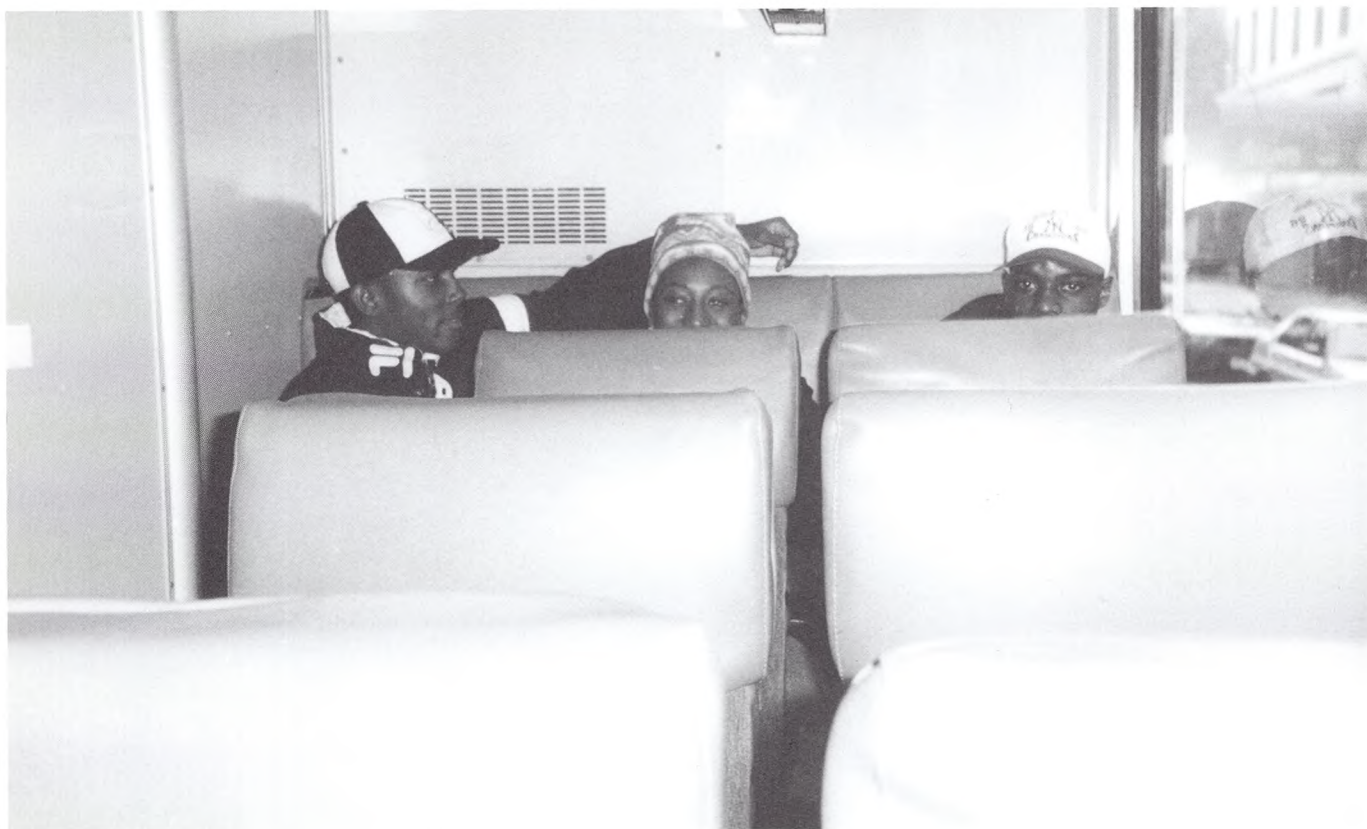


A camera shy student held against her will!



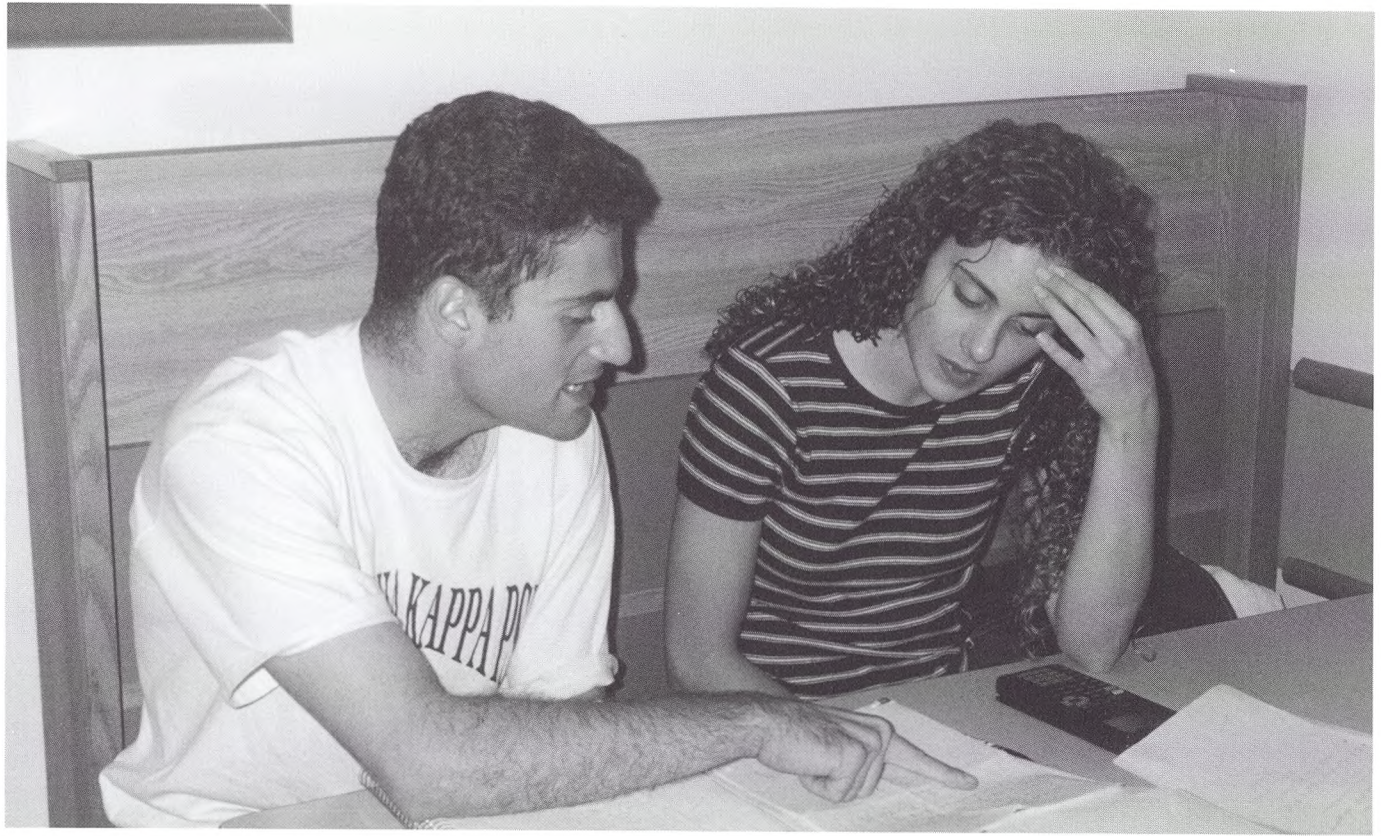


I doubt they are calling their mothers?!



Sorry - two's company, three's a crowd!



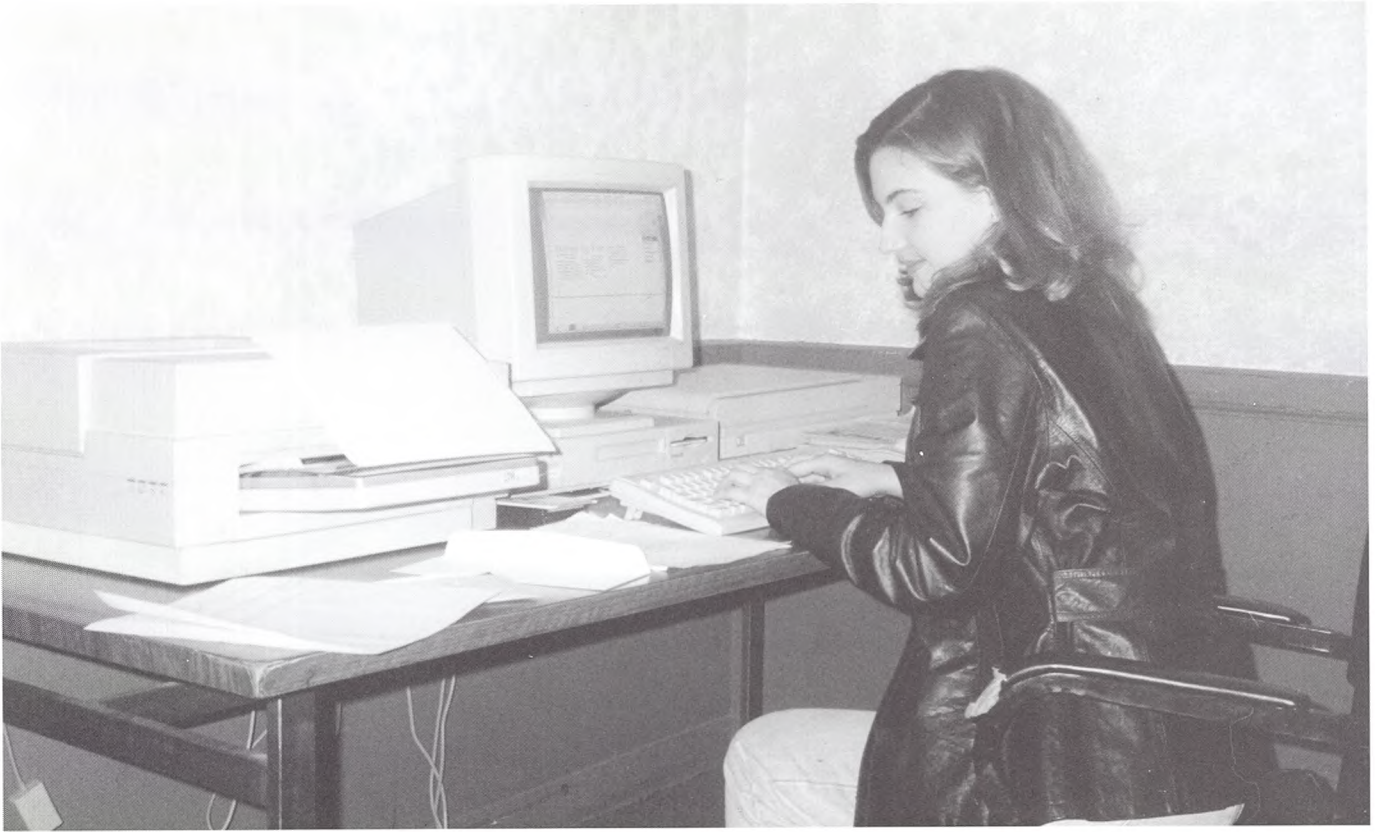


"Now  $1 + 1 = 2$ -this is important for the exam!"

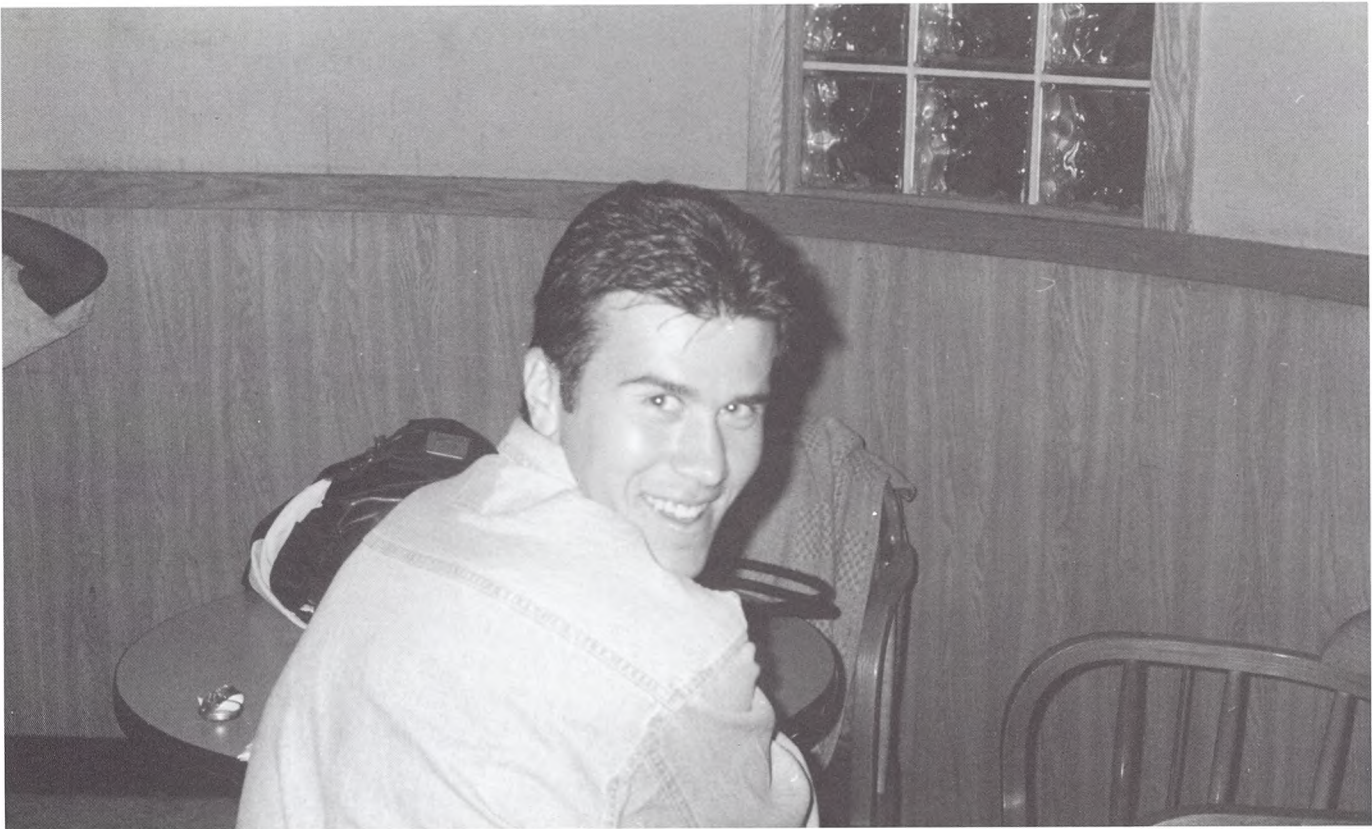


Caught in a moment of drama!





A member of The Voice working hard to meet the deadlines!



What are you doing?!

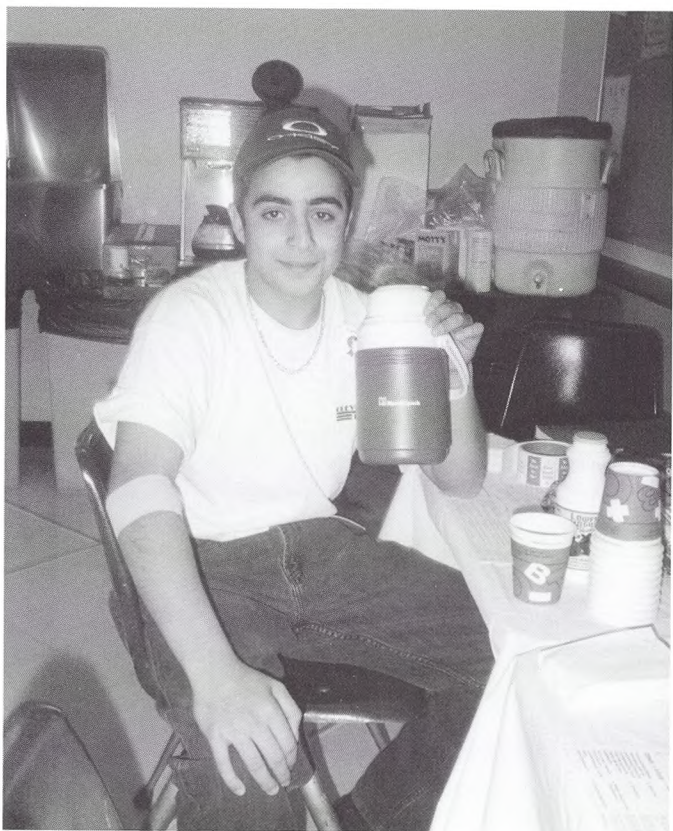




How does that story go, was it the three little pigs or Snow White?

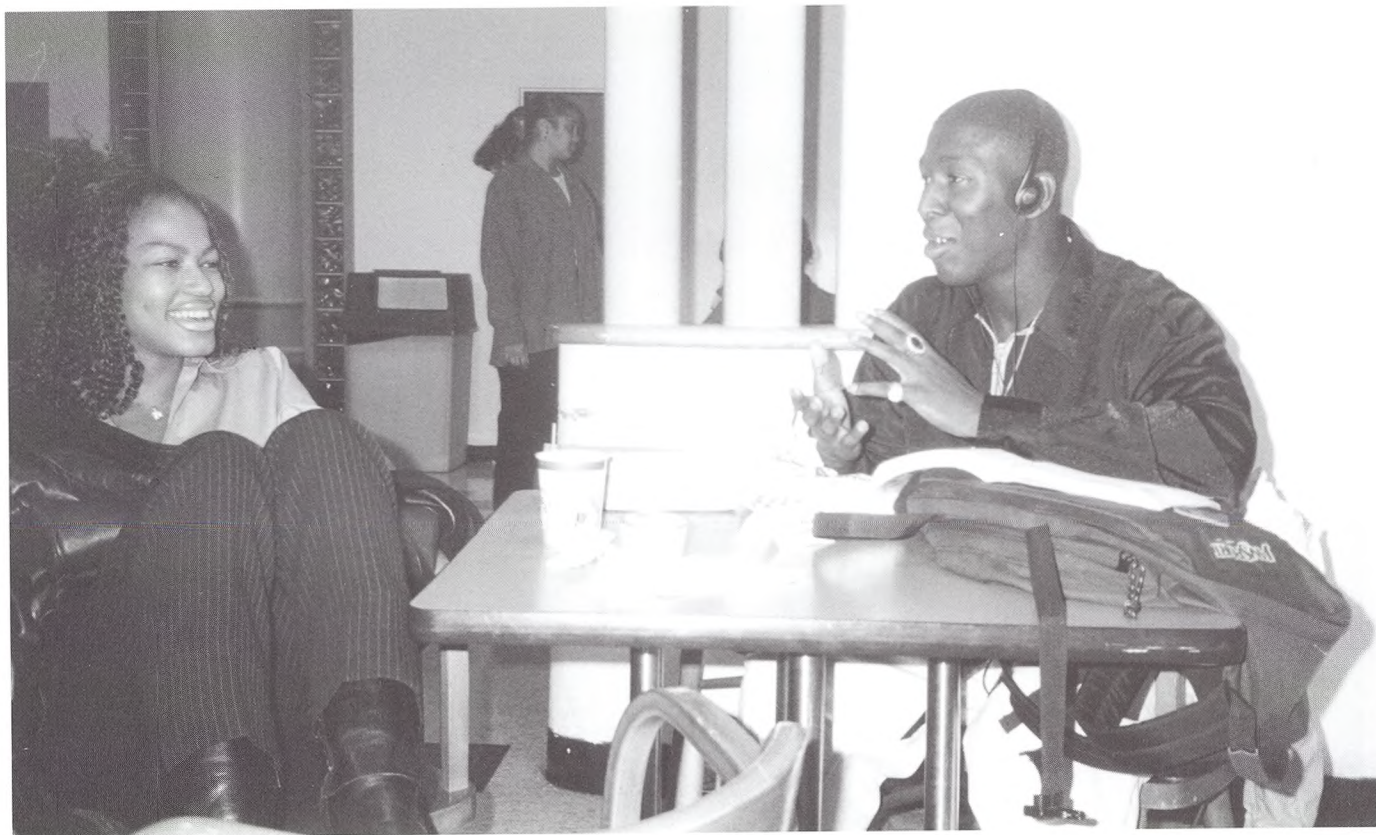


"Twinkle, twinkle, little star . . . "

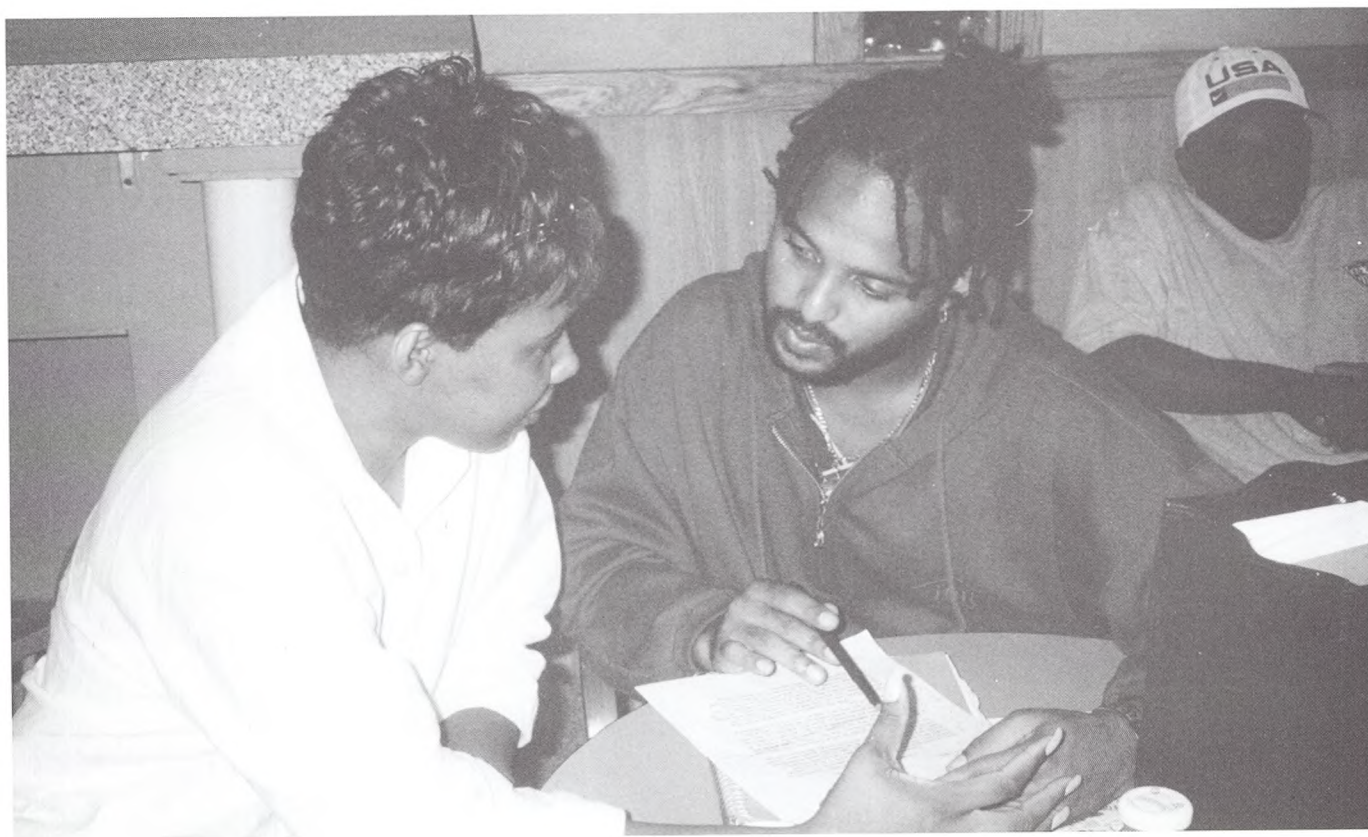


Getting back his strength after donating blood!



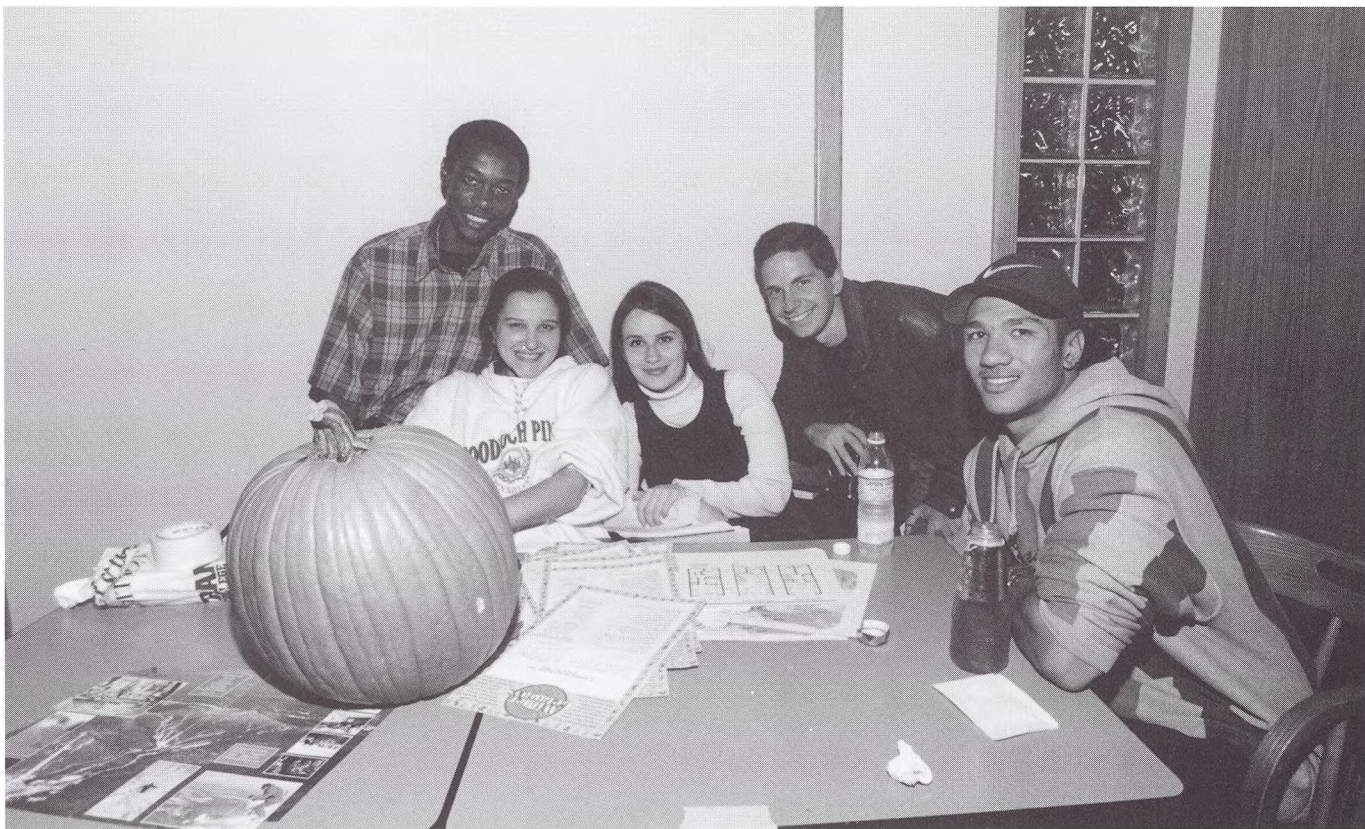


"You really think that I would go out with you!!!"



"According to Plato . . . you have beautiful eyes."





The pumpkin is the ruler of the school and has hypnotized all of the students!



"I NEED MY GAME BOY!!!! PLEASE LEAVE US ALONE!!"





An example of the gorgeous men at St. Francis College!



"Now this is very strange . . . I didn't think something this size could fit in my nose?"



"The women love me . . . I am irresistible!"





"MOVE OUT OF MY WAY, I AM A MAN WITH A MISSION!!"

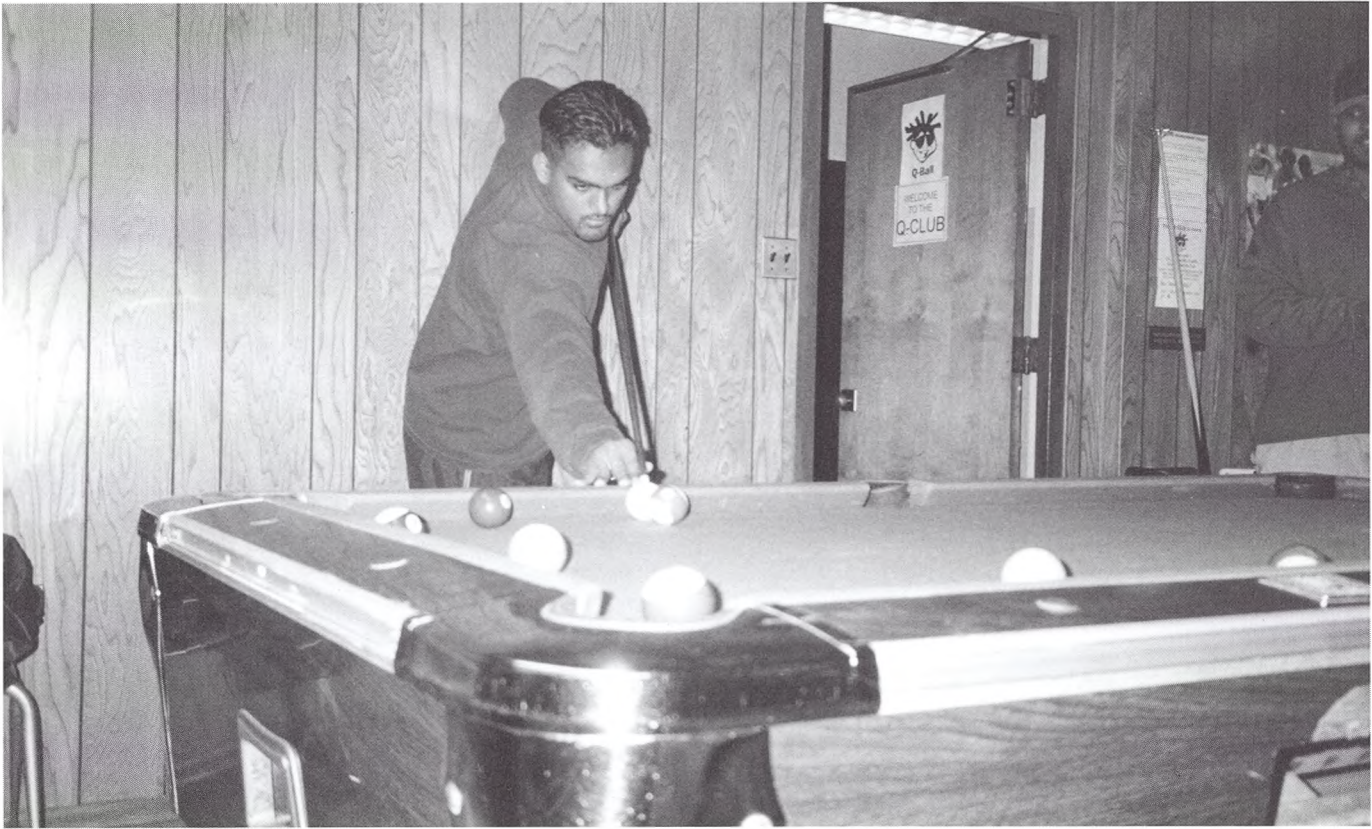


The women of St. Francis scoping out the scene . . . looking for their next victim!



"Would you please stop following me with that camera! I told you that I was not signing anymore autographs."

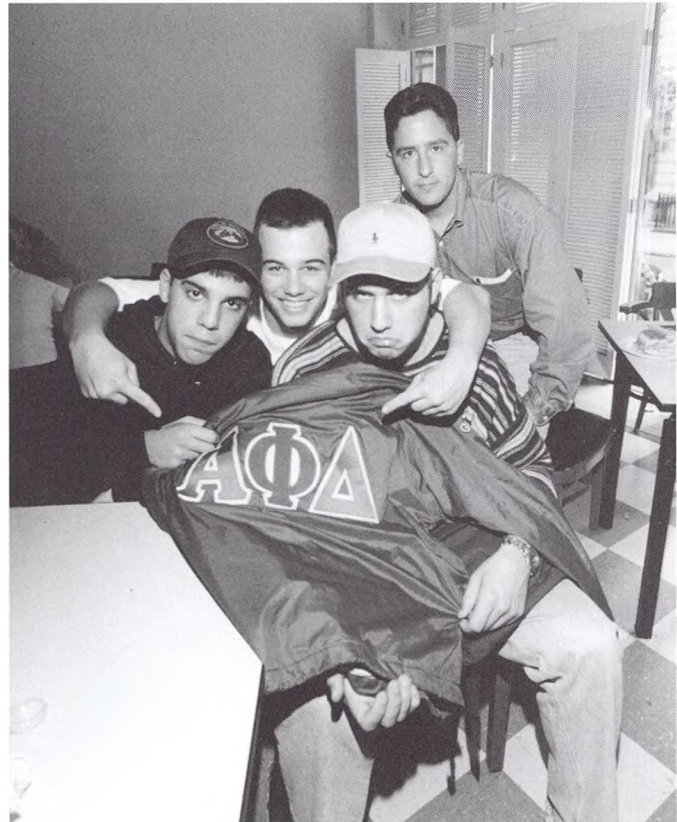




Yes we do have a Billiards Club!



"I am the Princess of the Universe and these are my two Princess friends, Princess Drag and Princess Mag!"

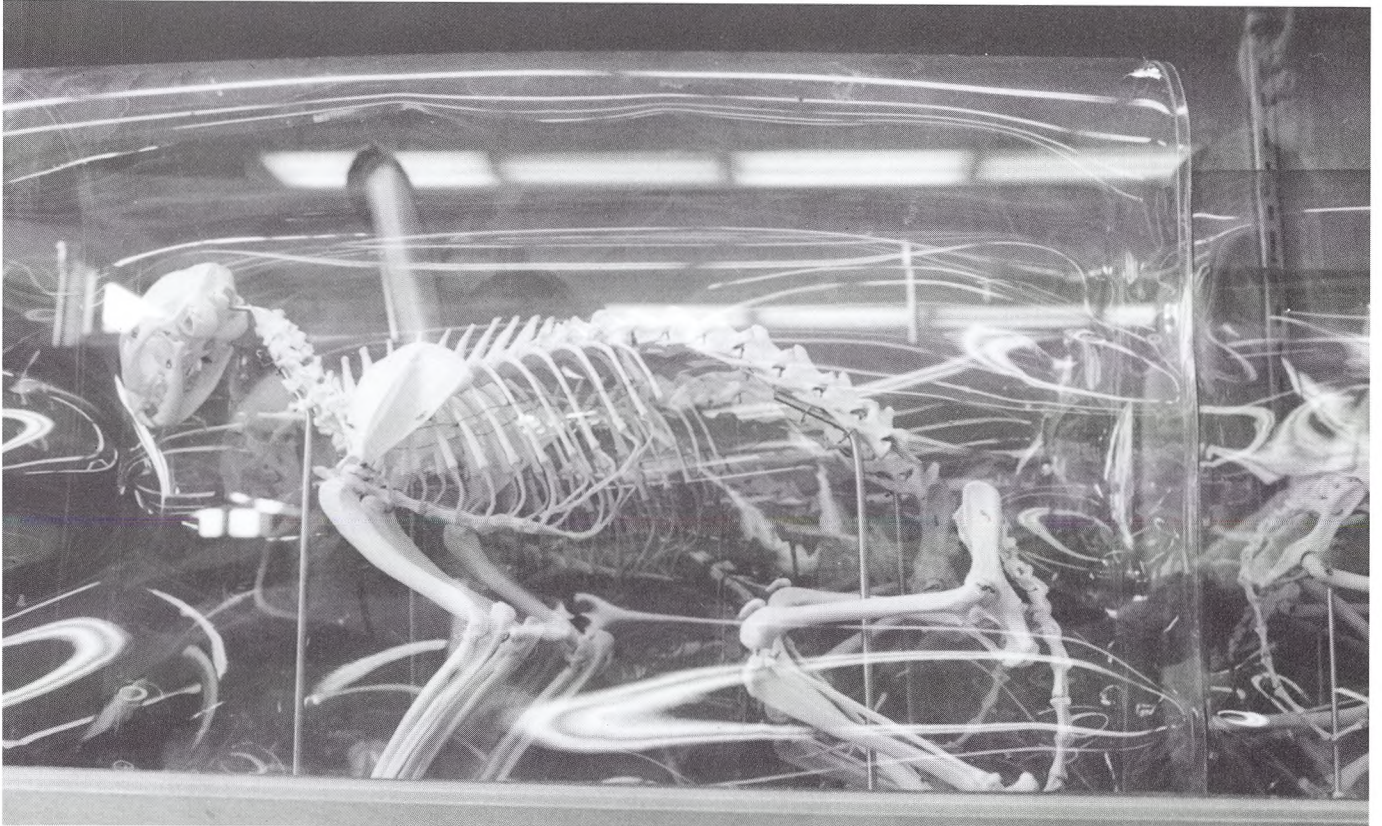


"This spells D-O-G! Right guys?"





"Who is this guy with his arm around me? I wonder if he realizes that he is wearing stripes with plaid!"



A former student who could not take the pressure anymore!





Janice Ruscigno: No! For the 10th time Bill is not here!



Bill Mallett: I hope they don't think I am from St. Francis.

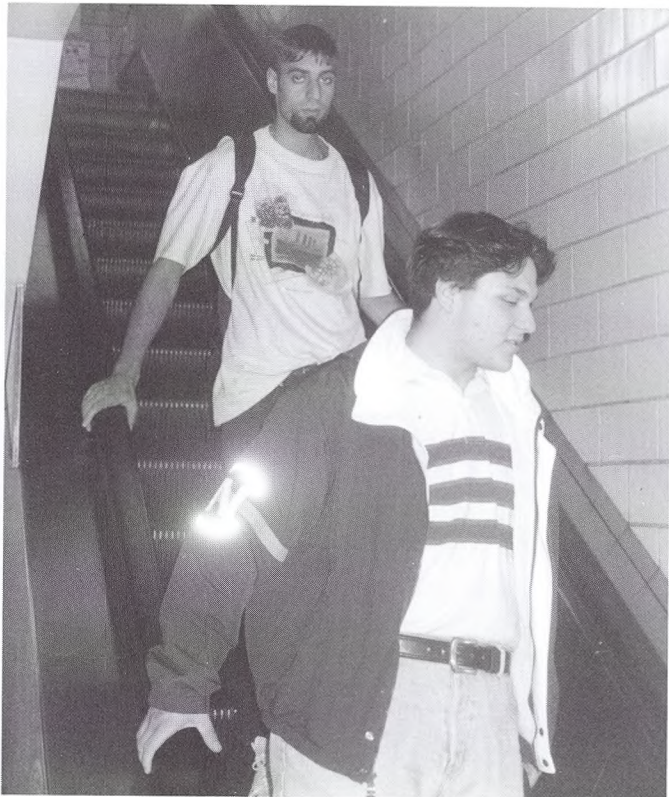


Pleeeeeease tell me where the bathroom is?

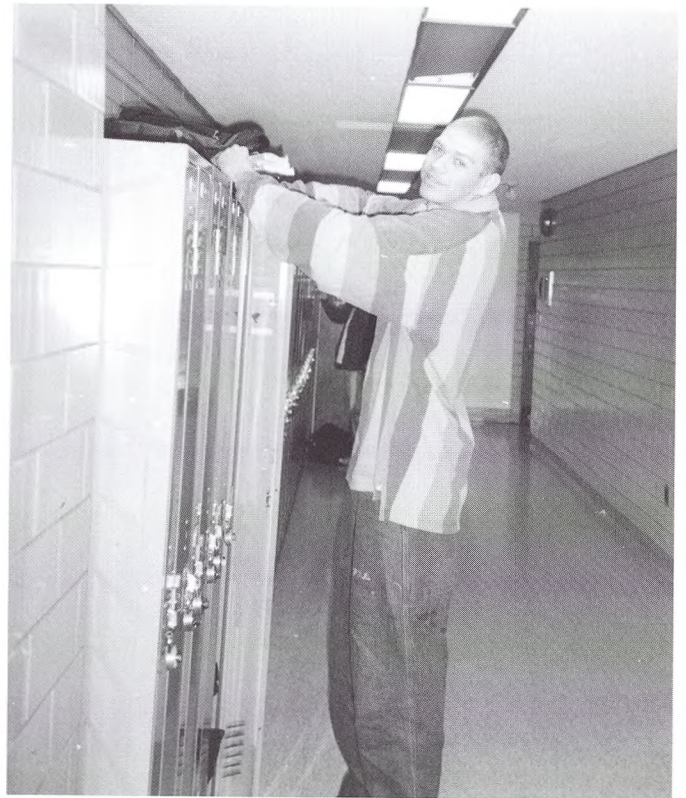




I am the only one that smiles like this after eating cafeteria food.



What are YOU looking at?



I wish they made these lockers bigger!





Did that noise come from your body?



Hello Boys!!!



# Seniors

"If you came this way,  
Taking the route you would be likely to take  
From the place you would be likely to come from,  
If you came this way in may time, you would find the hedges  
White again, in May, with voluptuary sweetness.  
It would be the same at the end the journey,  
If you came at night like a broken king,  
Of you came by day nknowing what you came for,  
It would be the same..."

T.S. Eliot  
"Little Gidding"





Sherri Kindell  
Sociology



Clare where are you?



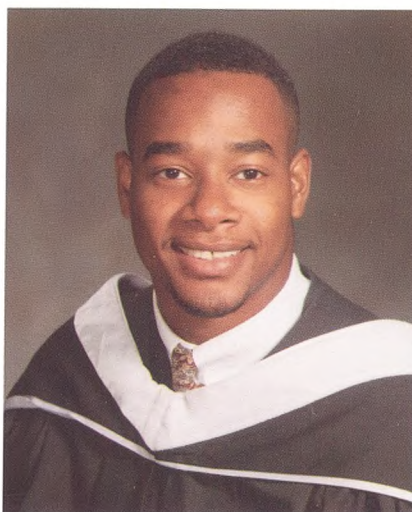
Natalia Kiritchek  
Political Science/Economics



Smile pretty for the camera.



Louis Lanni  
Business Management



Ronald Laurent  
Psychology

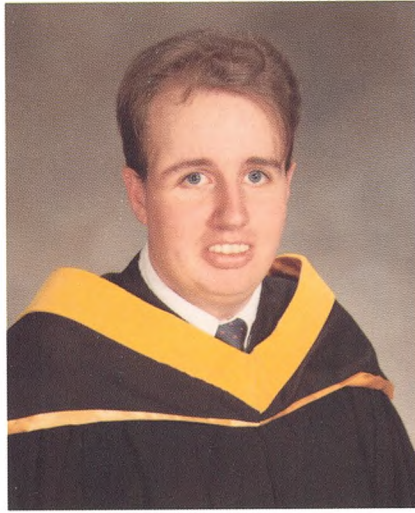


Kelly Ann Lee  
Health Services  
Administration

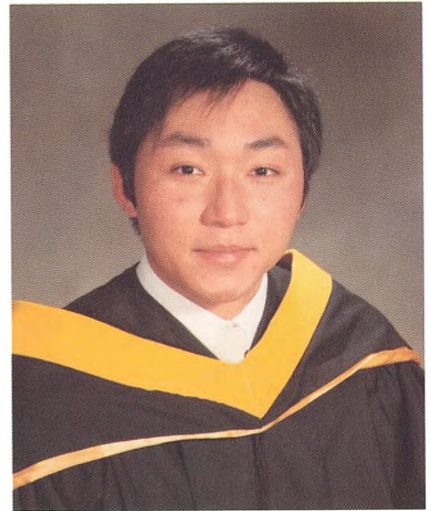




Lauren Leopoldi  
Psychology



Charles LeRoux  
Accounting



Ronald Sze Wai Leung  
Business Management



Dr. Macchiarola reveals a 128-credit graduation requirement to the incoming freshmen.



Yu-Qing Liu  
Accounting

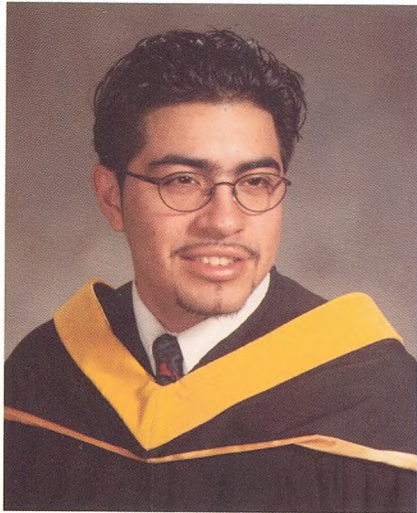


What!? 128!? No way, man!



Stella London  
Communications





Miguel Lopez  
Aviation



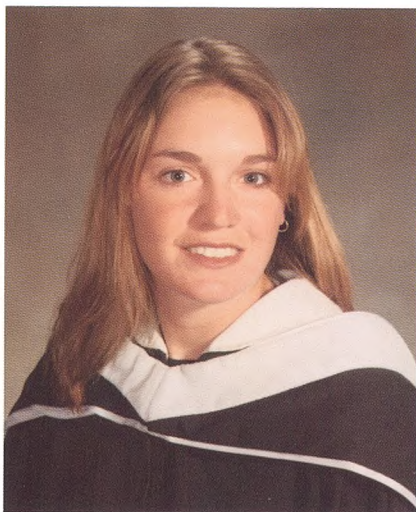
"Oh! . . . . . we're just taking the computers out for repairs . . . . yeah . . . . . uh . . . . . thats . . . . it . . . ."



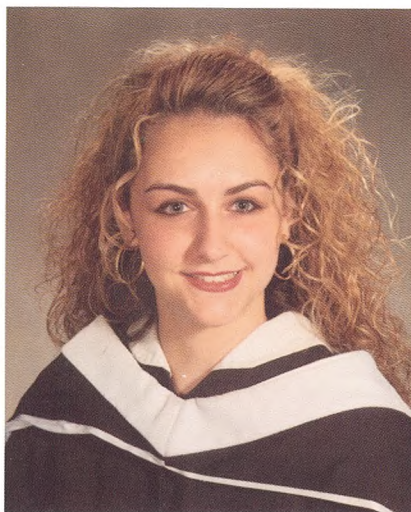
Marie Lubin  
Biology



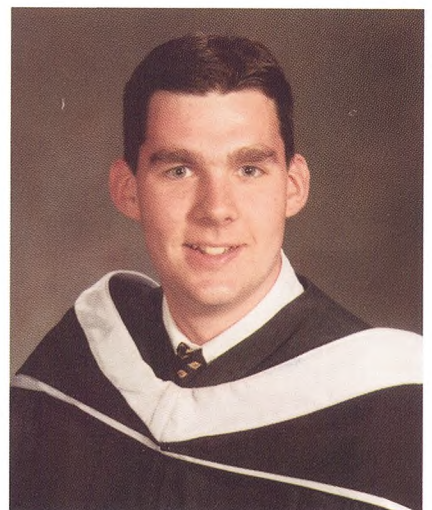
Dr. Garcia and Professor DeValle enjoying the gusting winds outside of St. Francis College on Remsen St.



Raquel Lucas  
Communications



Christine Macaluso  
Elementary Education



Michael MacIntyre  
Communications





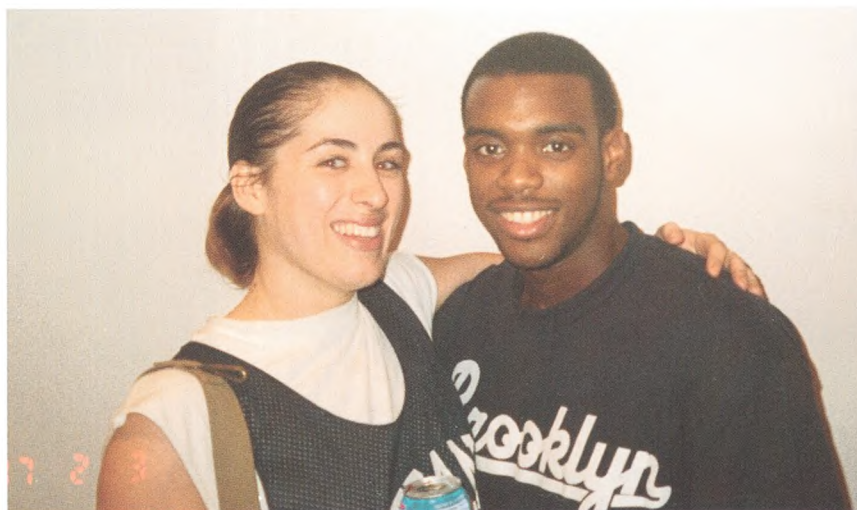
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Biology



Ellyana Marcantonio  
Social Studies



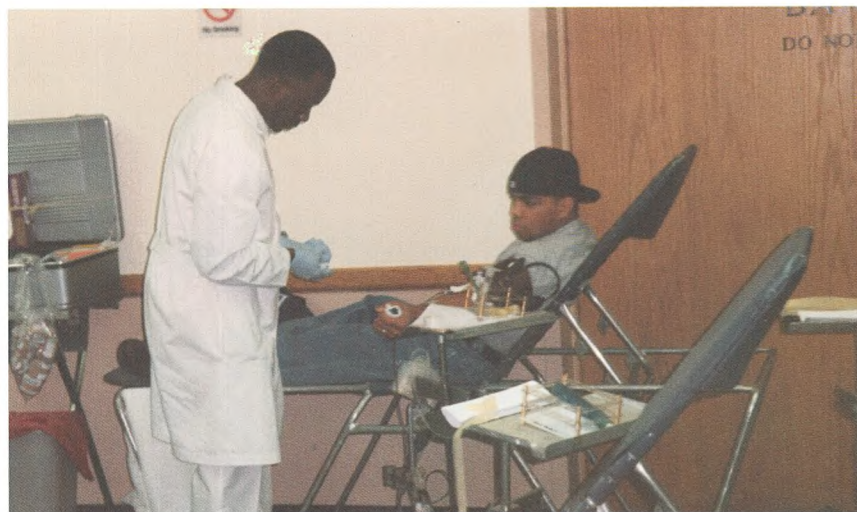
Margorie Marcillo  
Aviation Business Management



Will you be my friend?



Therese Martin  
Social Studies

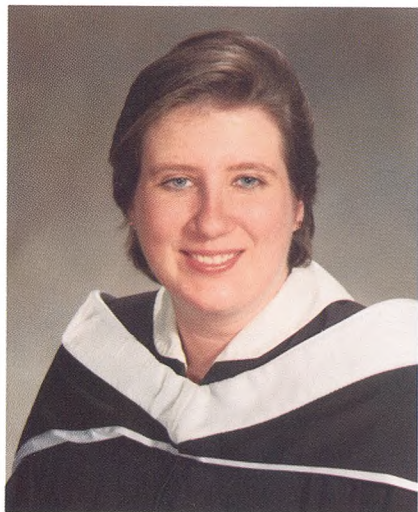


"Your going to stick THAT in me!!!!"



Anna L. Mavrianos  
English





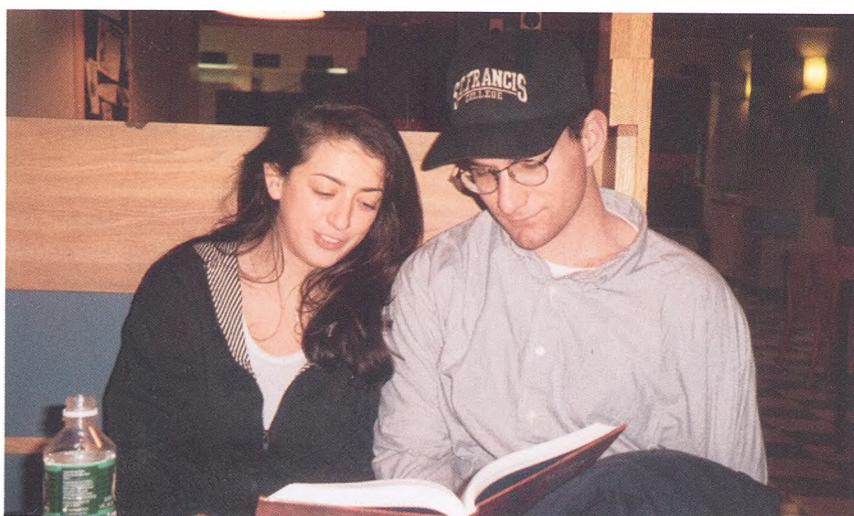
Rosaleen McGurran  
English



Forget it Terri, no matter how hard you try Dr. Sorrentino will not change your grade.



Kim McIntosh  
English



Don't you see we're trying to study.



Kesha Mciver  
Elementary Education



Elizabeth Meli  
English

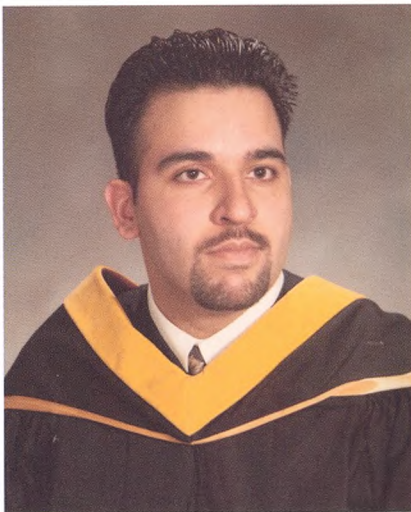


Yeneyssi Mercham  
Aviation Business  
Management





Michele Meringolo  
Social Studies



Eriberto Miranda  
Biology



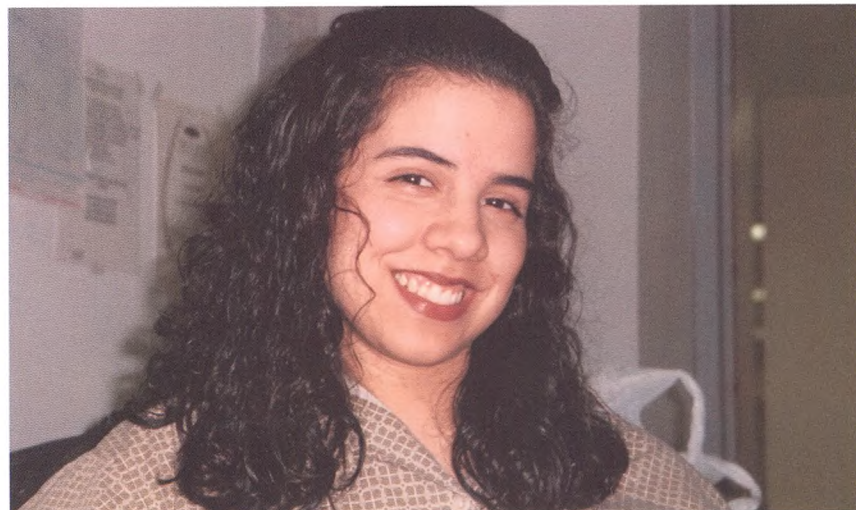
Sally Ann Mitchele  
Social Work



I knew we shouldn't have crammed for our Sociology midterm.



Donna Mottola  
Biology

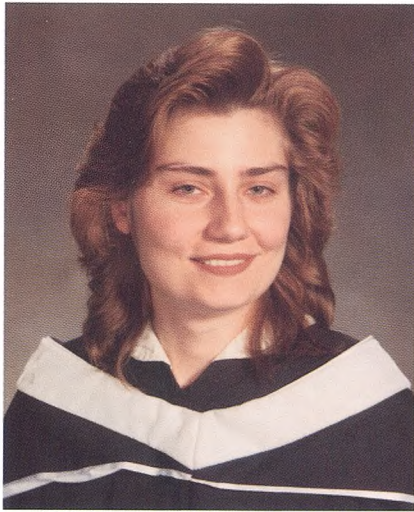


One of the many beautiful women at St. Francis College.



Richard Munoz  
Management

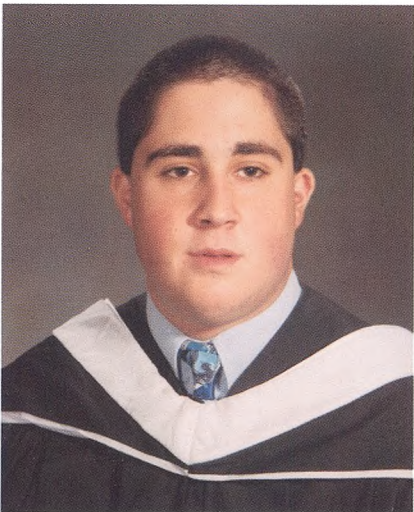




Adriana Murphy  
English



Erez, I really think you should join the Sociology Club.



Paul Namorato  
Criminal Justice



John, are you cutting your class again?



Martine Narcisse  
Special Studies



Winnifred Noel-Charles  
Special Studies

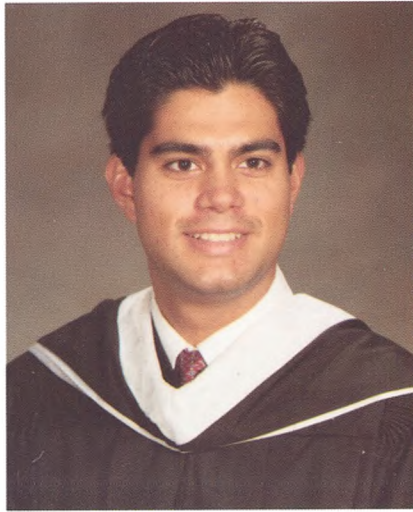


Lorraine O'Malley  
Advertising





Beatriz O'Neill  
English



Brian O'Connor  
History



Mary O'Connor  
Communications



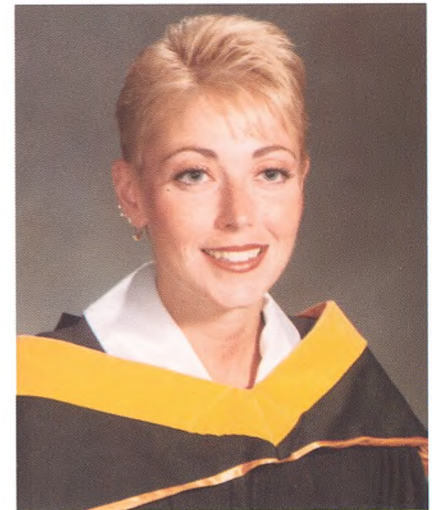
Freshman at St. Francis seem to get younger every year.



Rosa Ortiz  
Physical Education



"God help us at St. Francis College."



Jeanette Pagano  
Business Management

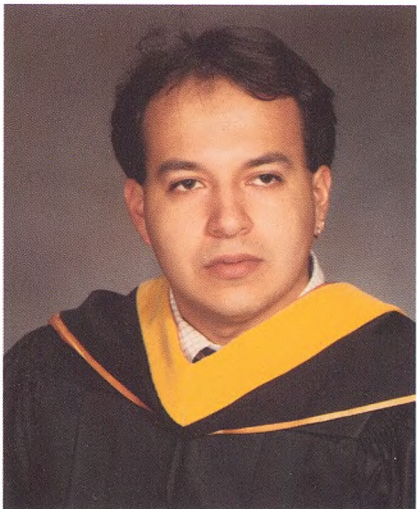




Theresa Palazzolo  
Psychology



"Can I help you?"



Julio Paredes  
Aviation Business Management



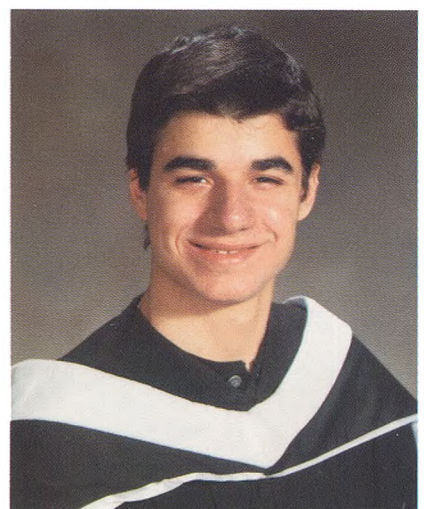
"No, we're not posing for this picture . . . we're just naturally rigid."



Lucrecia Passade  
Sociology



Pasqua Patrino  
Accounting

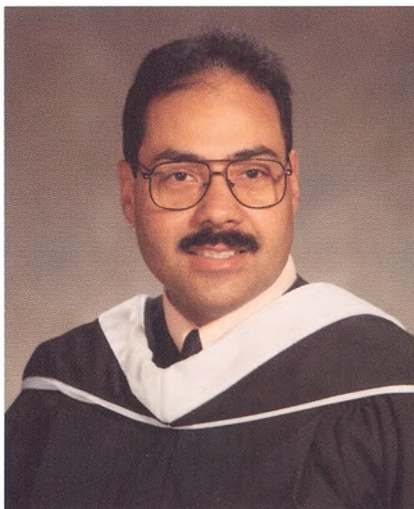


Paul Pavlow  
Psychology





Madeline Perez  
Psychology



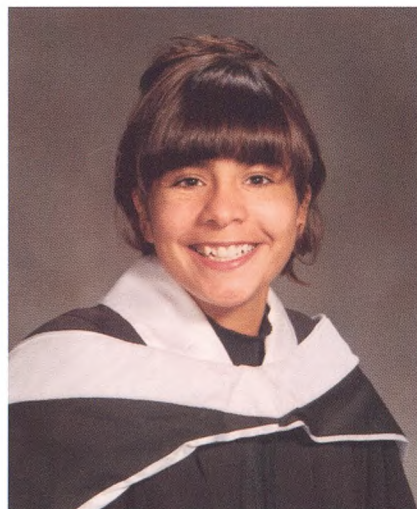
Victor Perez  
Special Studies



Maria Louisa Petito  
Special Studies



So, are we going to Rock-N-Jocks Friday night.



Denise Piccolo  
Psychology

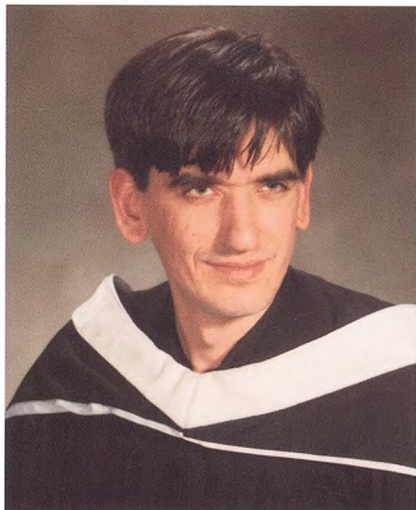


Dominik, Do you think you could fix my son's Bummble Ball?

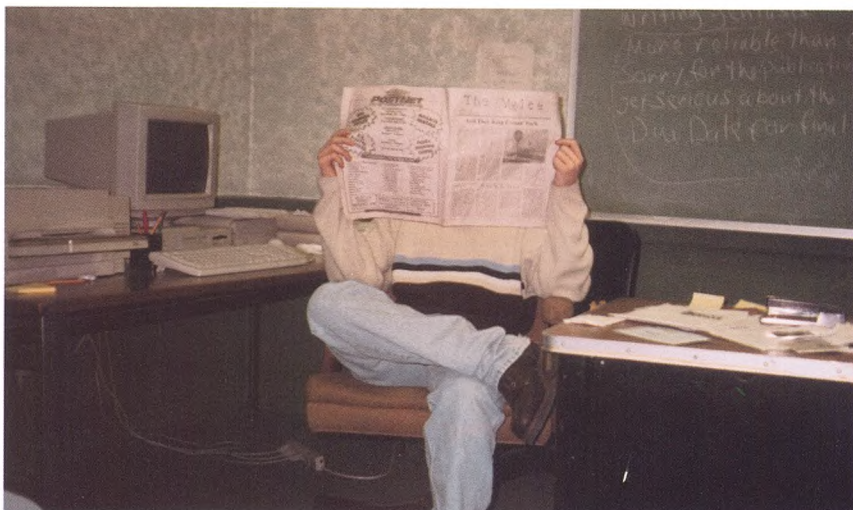


Angela Prochilo  
Elementary Education





Peter Raczko  
Communications



The headless student ?!?!?



Jessica Ragucci  
Education English



"Best Friends"



Nadege Richard  
Biology



Myma E. Rivera  
Political Science

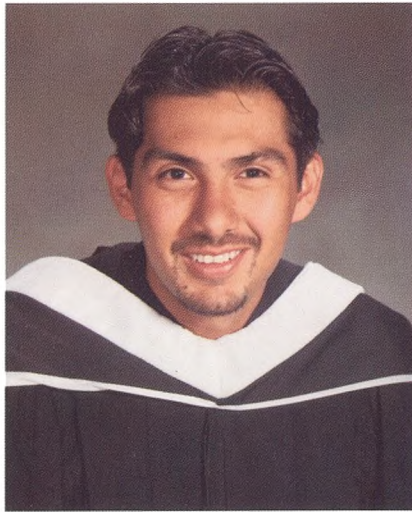


Rodelyne Pierre  
Health Services Administration





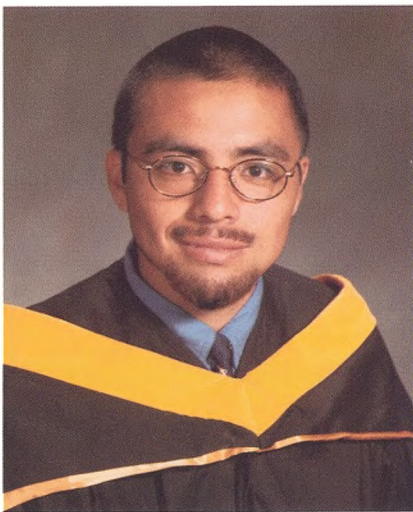
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Psychology



Pedro Rodriguez  
Psychology



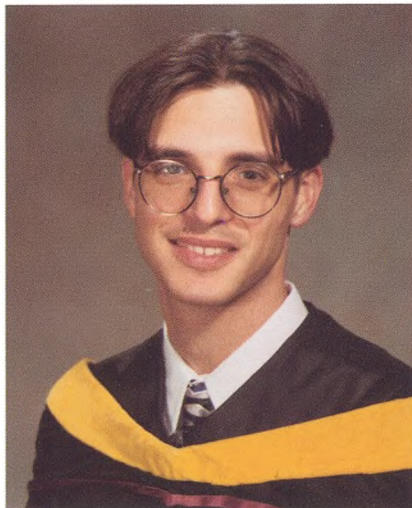
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Health Care Management



Danny Romero  
Management



Doreen Rucci  
Management/English

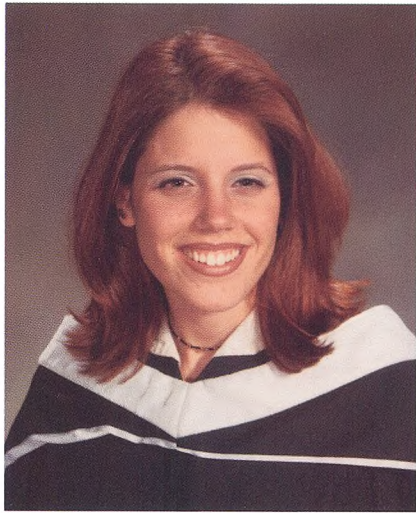


Thomas Ruggiero



Deana Russo  
Psychology





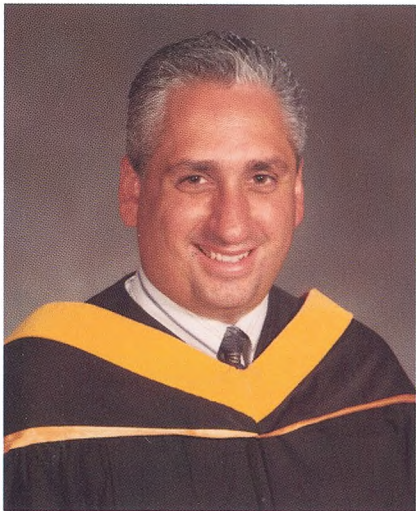
Jennifer Schacor  
English Education



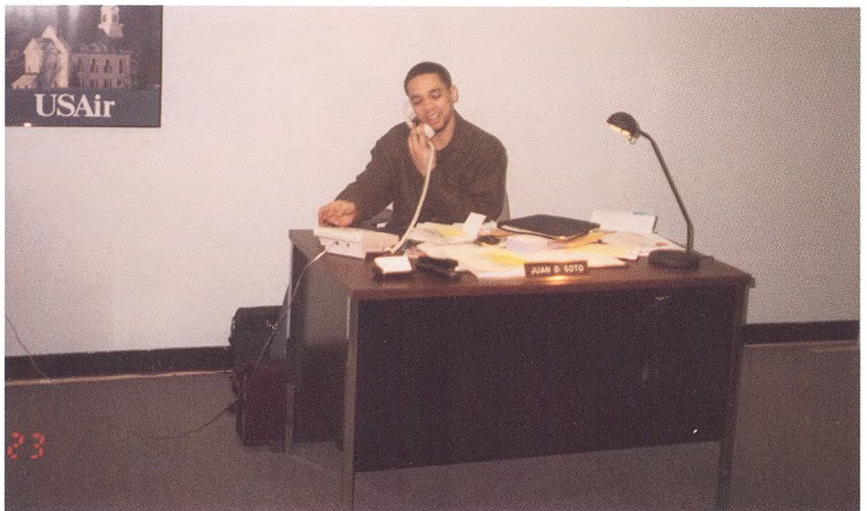
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Elementary Education/English



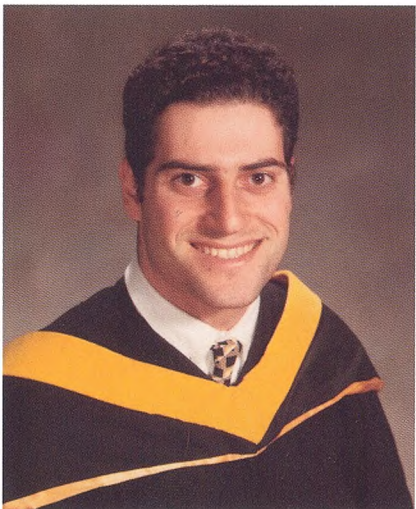
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Accounting



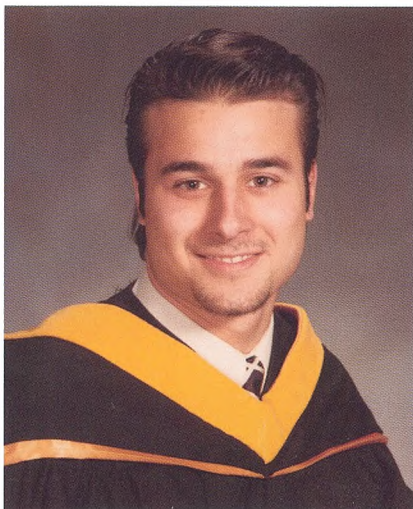
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Special Studies



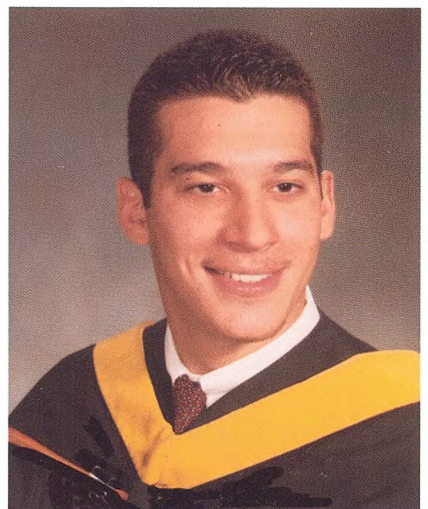
Yes, I would like to order a pizza with extra cheese.



Erez Shochat  
Mathematics

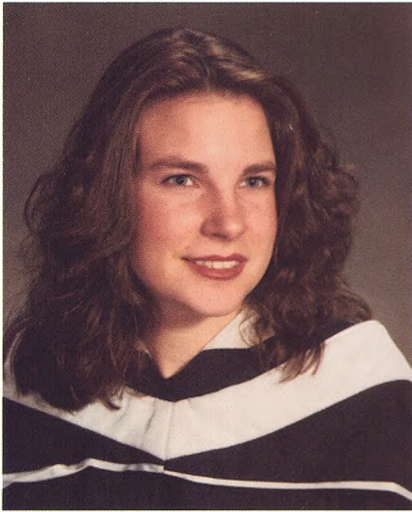


John Sculiano  
Management



Michael Shairi  
Business Management





Coleen Smith  
Sociology



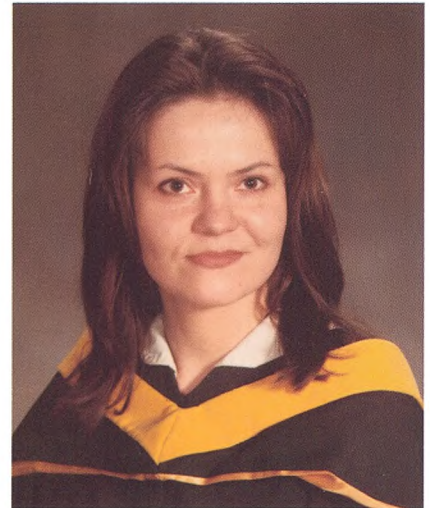
Pascale St. Surin  
Social Work



Cara Stancarone  
Business Management



The Voice staff members Michael Magano (Assistant Editor), Rose Marie Tulipano (Business Manager) take time out from doing layouts to pose for a photo.



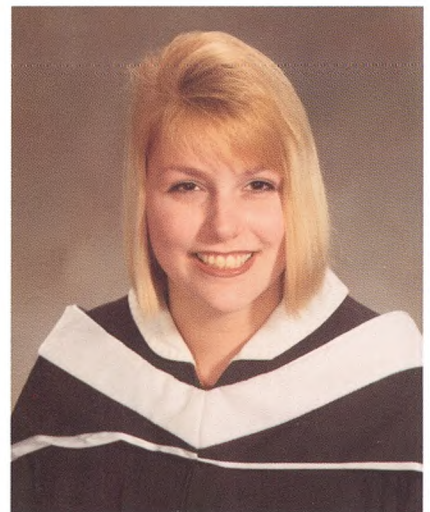
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Anna Marie Stella  
Business Management



Rachelle Sylvain  
Sociology



Lisa Tagliamonte  
Psychology





Martin Tezen  
Management



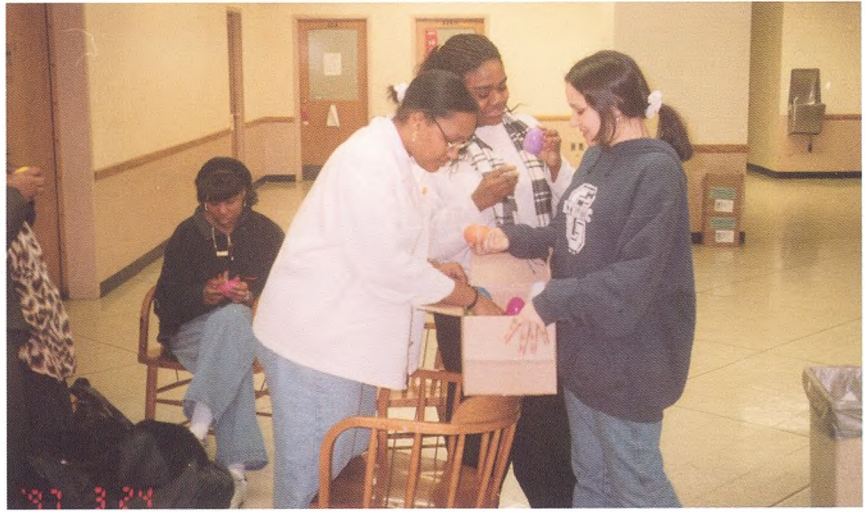
Annita Tilesio  
Business Management



Yvette Vargas  
Education



Annamarie Vecchio  
Social Studies



Freshman Heather Cuccia selling plastic eggs with (Jellybeans) to raise money for charity.



Cristel Waterman  
Psychology



Oi Sui Wong  
Business Management



Donna Yeeyick  
Sociology



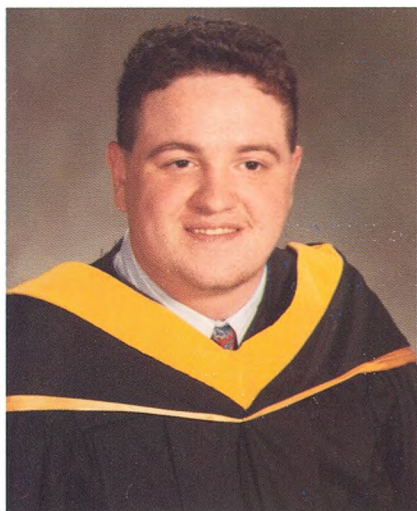
# Seniors 1997



Maria Zannikos  
Accounting



Genara Zencic  
Business Management



Philip Zito  
Social Studies



Susan Freese  
Psychology



# Spring Sports

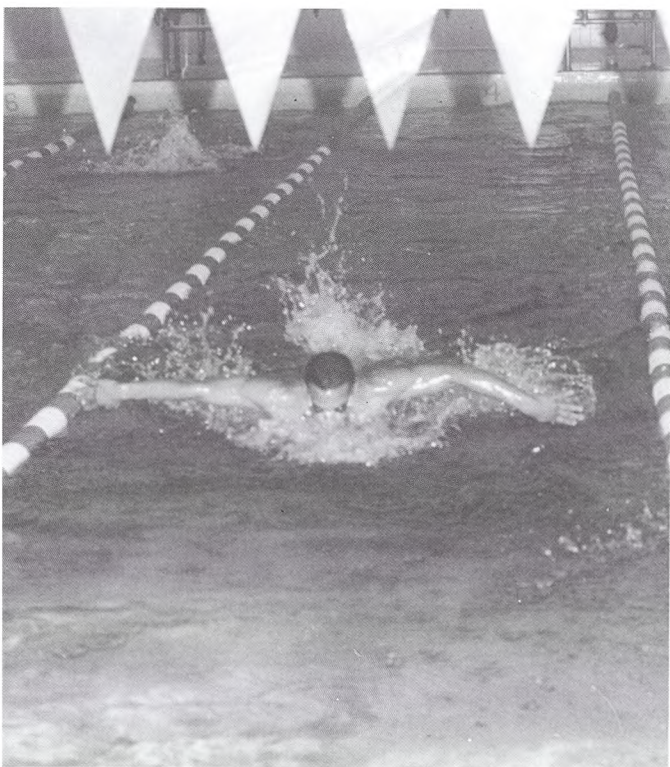
"What we call the beginning is often the end  
And to make an end is to make a beginning.  
The end is where we start from. And every phrase  
And sentence that is right (where every word is at home,  
Taking its place to support the others,  
The word neither diffident nor ostentatious,  
An easy commerce of the old and the new,  
The common word exact without vulgarity,  
The formal word precise but not pedantic,  
The complete consort dancing together)  
Every phrase and every sentence is an end and a beginning,  
Every poem an epitaph. And any action  
Is a step to the block, to the fire, down the sea's throat  
Or to an illegible stone: and that is where we start.

T.S. Eliot  
"Little Gidding"

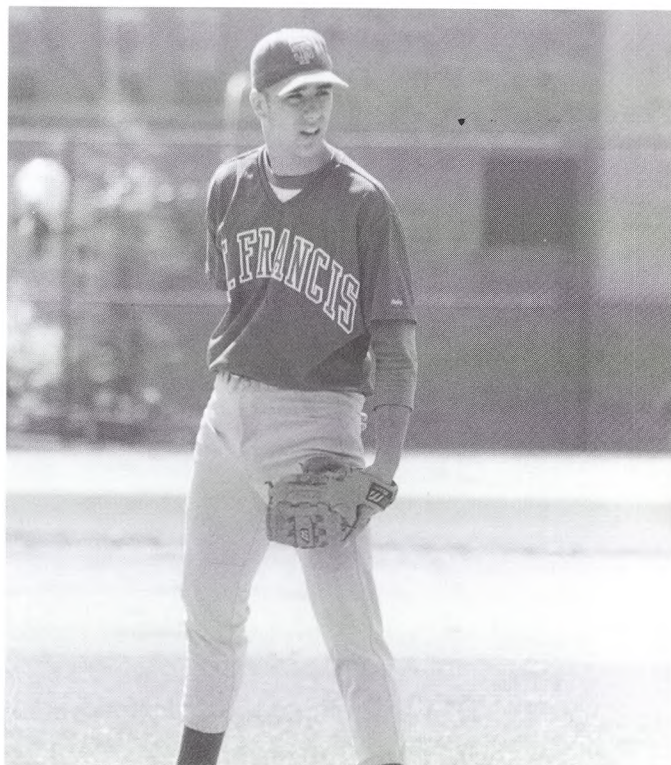




"Did the pitcher throw the ball yet?"



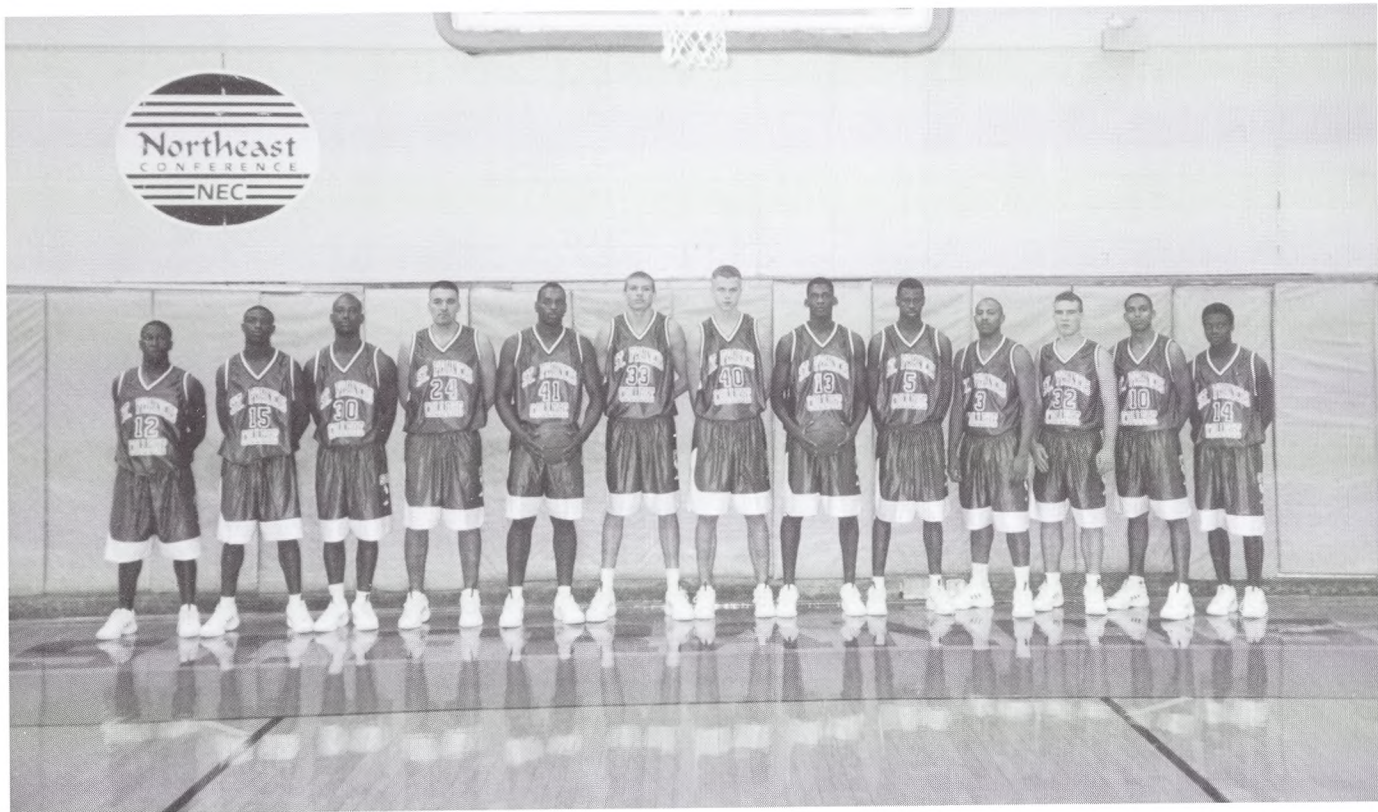
Swim home . . . swim home . . . swim home!!!



"Now . . . the Coach told me to throw the ball . . . but which way did he mean??"



# Men's Basketball



l-r: John Thomas, Damian Cosby, Omar Calhoun, Angel Santana-Castillo, Danny Manning, Richard Lugo, Andrew Chmiel, Jason Smith, Ralph Auri-  
antal, Jan Espinosa, Tim Rail, Edwin Caceres, Solomon Abel.

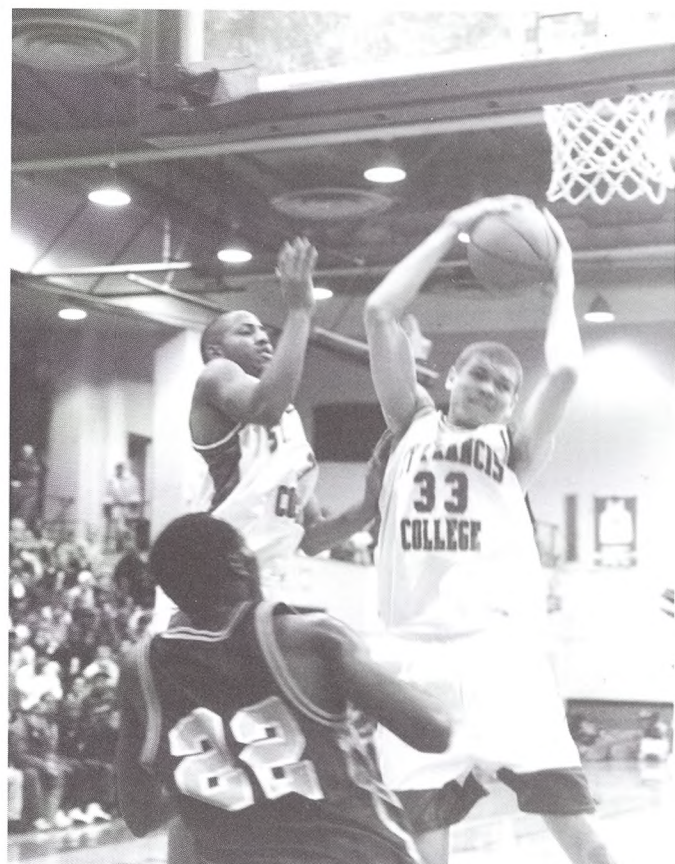


l-r: Rob Orellana, Head Coach Ron Ganulin, Glenn Bracia, Rob Orellana.

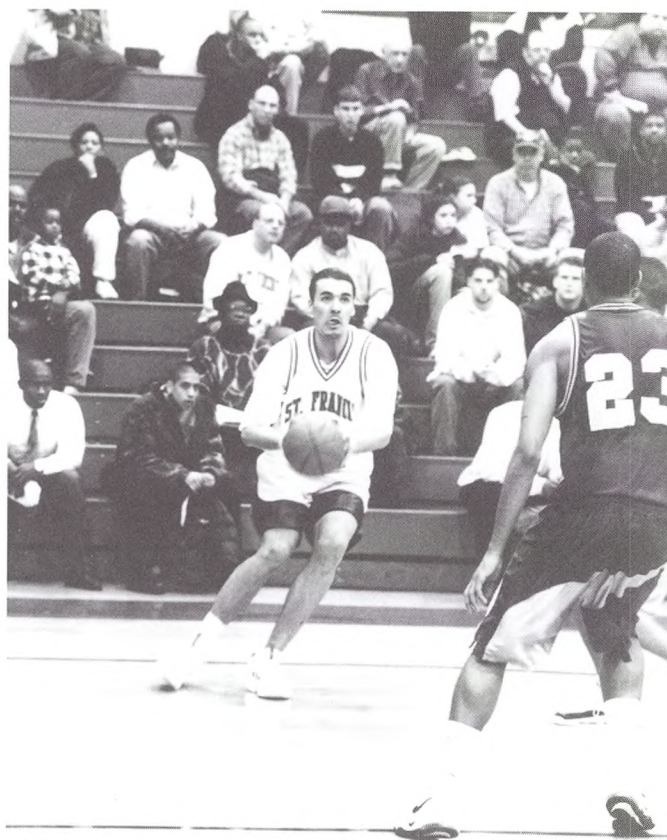
## 1996-97 SCHEDULE

Nov. 26	at	Lehigh	.....	W	74	69
Nov. 30	vs.	BROWN	.....	W	73	55
Dec. 3	at	Hartford	.....	L	53	77
Dec. 7	at	Morgan State	.....	L	69	80
Dec. 10	at	Columbia	.....	L	58	64
Dec. 14	vs.	CENTRAL CONN. ST.	.....	W	69	66
South Florida Holiday Tour.						
Dec. 20	at	South Florida (OT)	.....	W	51	47
Dec. 21	vs.	Central Connecticut State	.....	W	59	50
Jan. 4	vs.	ROBERT MORRIS*	.....	W	53	45
Jan. 6	vs.	ST. FRANCIS (PA)*	.....	L	64	74
Jan. 9	at	Wagner*	.....	L	73	84
Jan. 11	at	Monmouth*	.....	W	49	46
Jan. 15	at	Rider*	.....	L	48	74
Jan. 18	vs.	FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON*	.....	L	71	82
Jan. 20	at	Mount St. Mary's*	.....	W	54	52
Jan. 23	at	Marist*	.....	W	87	74
Jan. 25	vs.	LONG ISLAND*	.....	L	64	68
Feb. 1	at	Robert Morris*	.....	L	55	63
Feb. 3	at	St. Francis (PA)*	.....	L	67	77
Feb. 6	vs.	WAGNER*	.....	W	68	66
Feb. 8	vs.	MONMOUTH*	.....	L	61	81
Feb. 12	vs.	RIDER*	.....	W	74	65
Feb. 14	at	Fairleigh Dickinson*	.....	L	65	73
Feb. 17	vs.	MOUNT ST. MARY'S*	.....	L	69	86
Feb. 20	vs.	MARIST*	.....	7:00		
Feb. 22	at	Long Island*	.....	4:00		





Center Richard Lugo pulls down a monster rebound off the boards.



Forward Angel Santana-Castillo pulls up for an easy jumper from the outside.



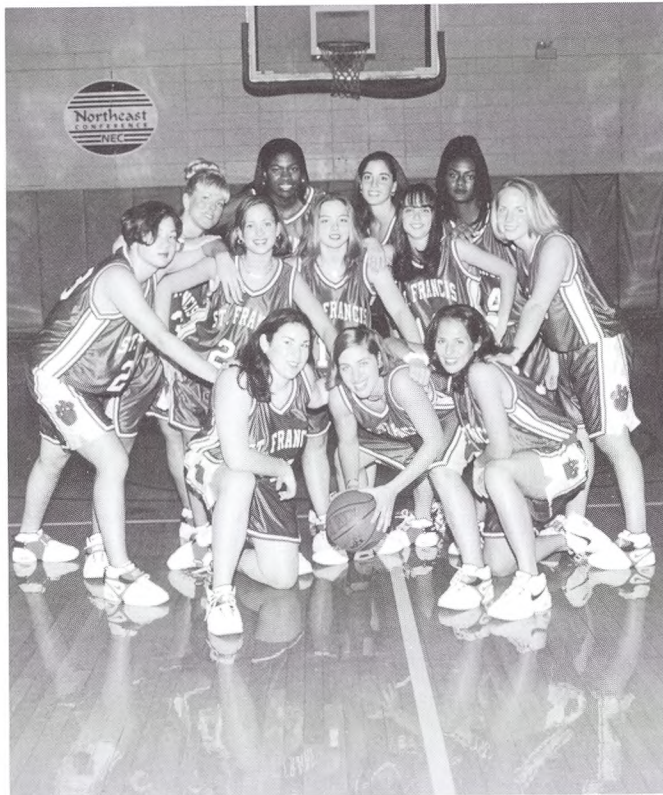
John Thomas SFC's star point guard works the ball between two LIU defenders.



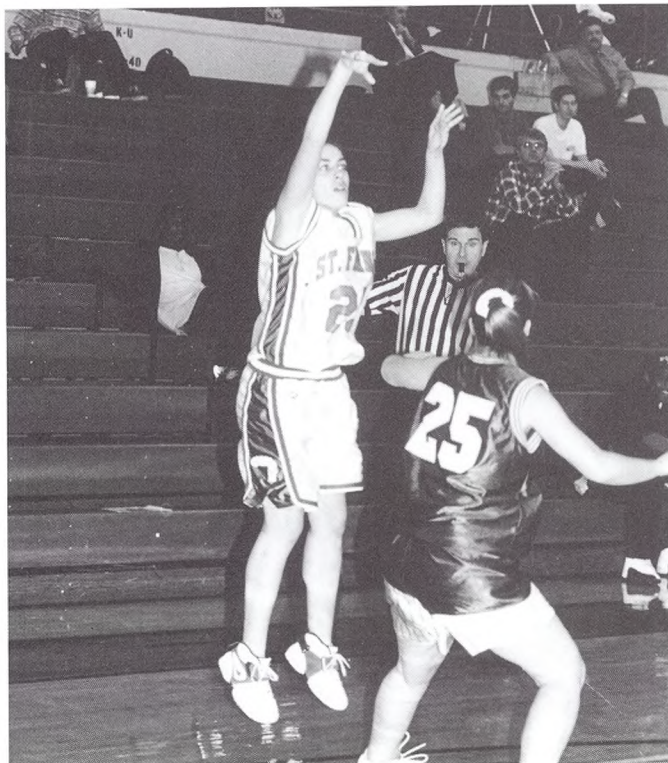
Tim Rail shoots for three!



# 1996-97 Women's Basketball Team



Candice Crusen, Carolyn Harvey, Melissa Gialenella, Rachel Overton, Christine Taps, Erinn Siemer, Cindy Guerriero, Kim Henderson, Erika Porter, Liz Blanchard, Dot Guerriero, Trisha Guli



Senior Dot Guerriero pulls up for a jumper from the outside.

## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Sat. Nov. 23 DAVIDSON COLLEGE 7:00  
Sat. Nov. 30 @ Iona College 2:00

Fri. Dec. 6 U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY 7:00  
Sat. Dec. 14 @ Temple University 1:00  
Thu. Dec. 19 @ Fordham University 7:00  
Sat. Dec. 21 @ Lehigh University 1:00  
Sat. Dec. 28 COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY 1:00  
Tue. Dec. 31 BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY 1:00

Thu. Jan. 2 ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE (PA) 7:00  
Sat. Jan. 4 ROBERT MORRIS COLLEGE 5:00  
Sat. Jan. 11 @ Monmouth University 3:00  
Mon. Jan. 13 WAGNER COLLEGE 7:00  
Thu. Jan. 16 @ Mount St. Mary's College 7:00  
Sat. Jan. 18 FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON UNIV. 5:00  
Wed. Jan. 22 @ Rider University 7:00  
Sat. Jan. 25 LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY 5:00  
Mon. Jan. 27 @ Marist College 7:00  
Thu. Jan. 30 @ St. Francis College (PA) 7:00

Sat. Feb. 1 @ Robert Morris College 5:00  
Sat. Feb. 8 MONMOUTH UNIVERSITY 5:00  
Mon. Feb. 10 @ Wagner College 7:00  
Thu. Feb. 13 MOUNT ST. MARY'S COLLEGE 7:00  
Mon. Feb. 17 Fairleigh Dickinson University 5:15  
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Mon. Feb. 24 MARIST COLLEGE 7:00

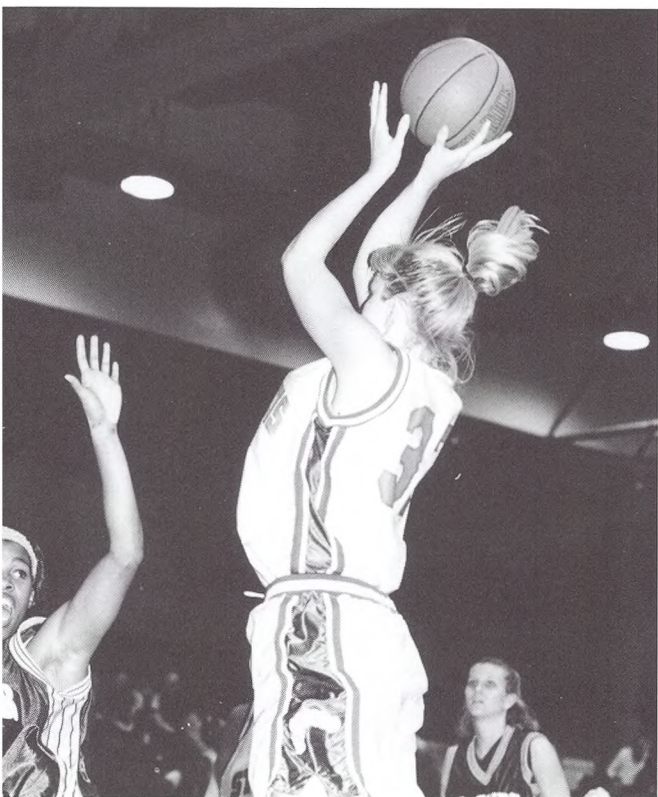
### Northeast Conference Tournament

Thu. Feb. 27 Opening Round 7:00  
Sat. Mar. 1 Quarterfinal Round 7:00  
Wed. Mar. 5 Semifinal Round 7:00  
Sat. Mar. 8 Championship Game 7:00





Head Coach Irma Garcia & Assistant Coach Steve Fagan talk strategy over with the Lady Terriers.



Senior Candice Crusen shoots over Wagner defender for two points.



Point guard Erinn Siemer works by a Wagner defender on her way to the hoop.



# Girl's Softball



Stacey Longo SFC second baseman, gets ready for the pitch.



Caroline Denis keeps her eye's on the ball.

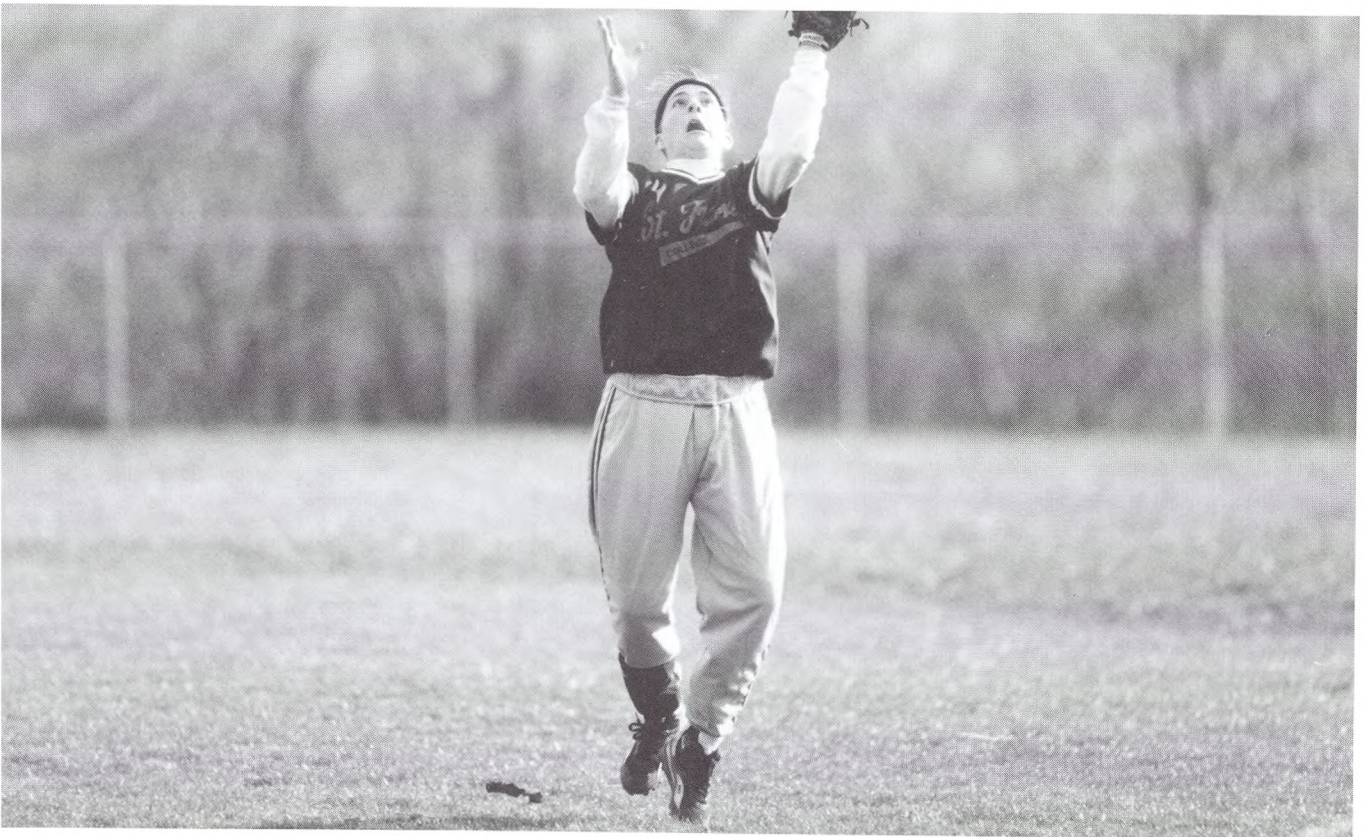


Natalie Medina gets ready to throw her fastball.





Joanne Helbig signals one out to her teammates.



Kim Zarrilli makes a great catch in the outfield.





1997 SFC Baseball Team



Brendan Connolly warming up before game.





Chris DiDonna looks for the pick off play at first base.



Mike Jaworsky checking out the signs from the catcher.



Paul Egan warms up before big game against Long Island College.



# Women's Cross Country



Left to Right Margaret Marino, Roberta Vassell, Coach Jim Hopkins, Marsha Ellis, Sabrina Kenny



Margaret Marino trying to improve her time, to help SFC Win the meet.

## Schedule

### WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Sep. 14	@ Wagner Invitational	d.n.s.
Sep. 21	@ Monmouth Invitational	d.n.s.
Oct. 5	@ Fairfield Invitational	d.n.s.
Oct. 12	@ Marist Invitational	d.n.s.
Oct. 22	@ Wagner Shootout Duals	2-1
Oct. 25	@ Rider Invitational	1-4
Nov. 2	@ NEC Championships	7th (10)





Ladie's Softball 1996-1997



"This water doesn't taste right"





Kevin Mooyoung trying to get passed a LIU defender.



Track members Larry Medina, Roberta Vassell, Marsha Ellis, Chris Mills.





Coach Jim Cutrone talking over strategy with the swimming team before a meet.



Duke Shamo & Augustus Pooko Aikins celebrating after scoring the winning goal.





Now introducing, at center 6'0", senior Candice Crusen



SFC's soccer team playing in the NCAA playoffs against Army at Lehigh University.





Forward Trisha Guli trying to break the full court press.

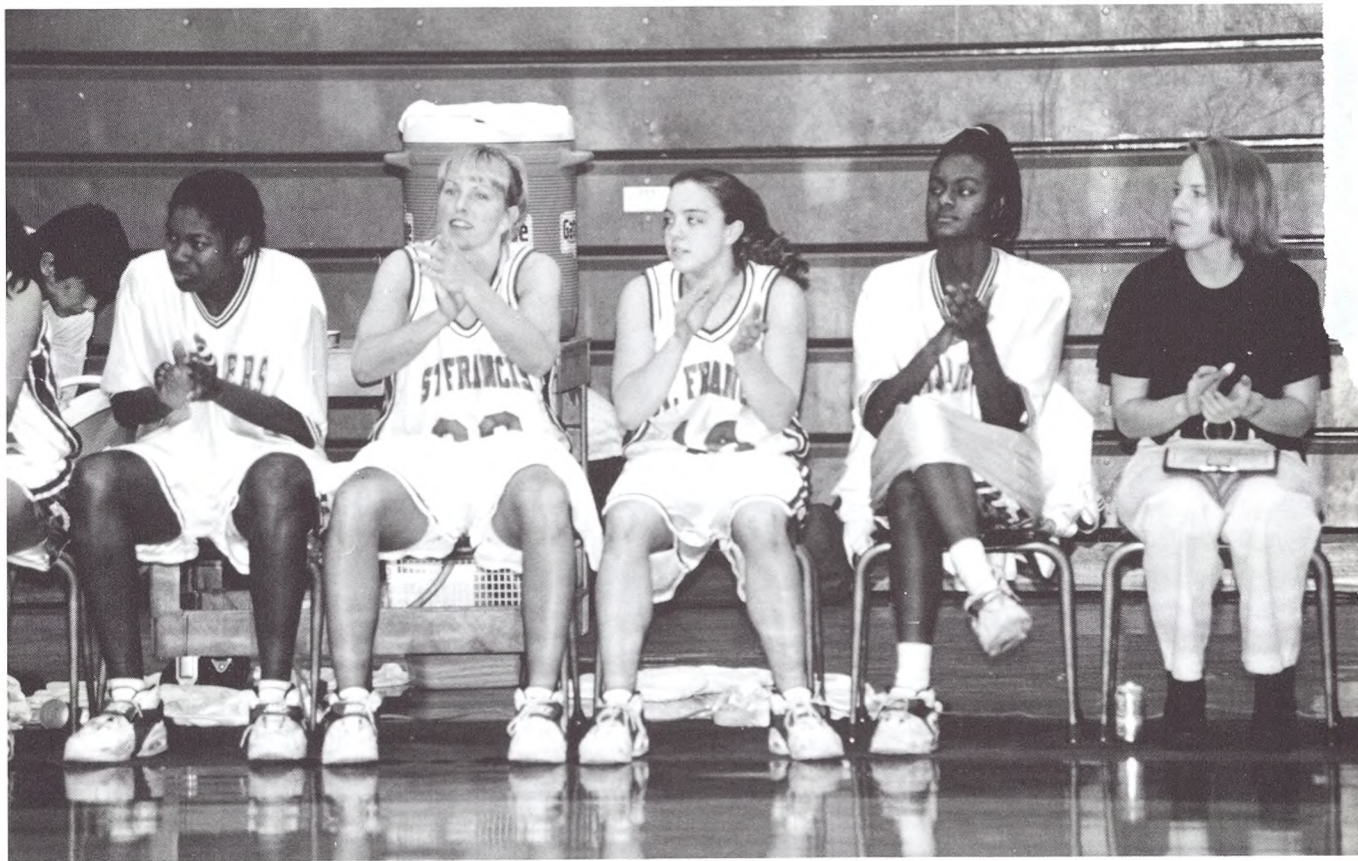


Sophomore Jason Smith looking to inbound the ball for the Terriers.

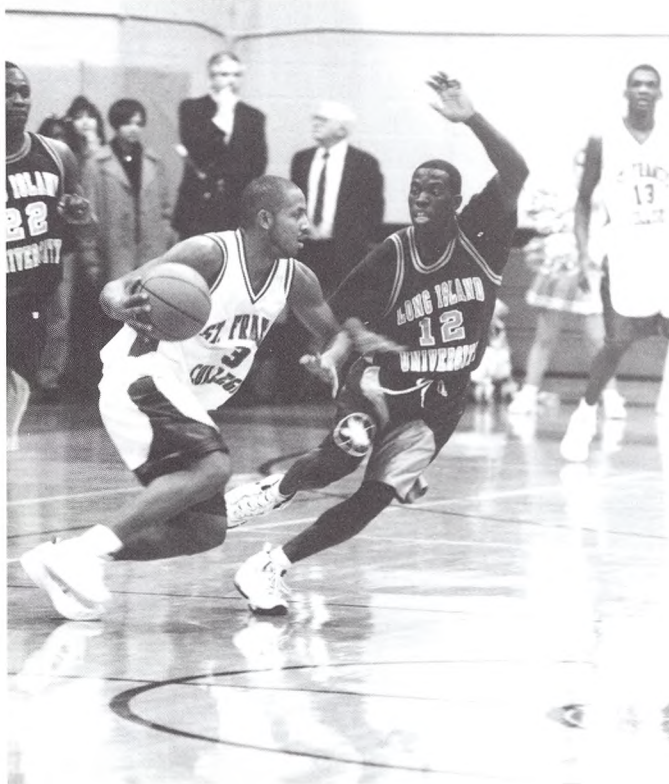


The 1997 Men's Water Polo Team & SFC's alumni team together at the annual water polo match.





The 1997 SFC Women's Basketball Team



Guard Jan Espinosa driving to the hoop for an easy basket.



Kim Henderson working the ball up court for the Lady Terriers.

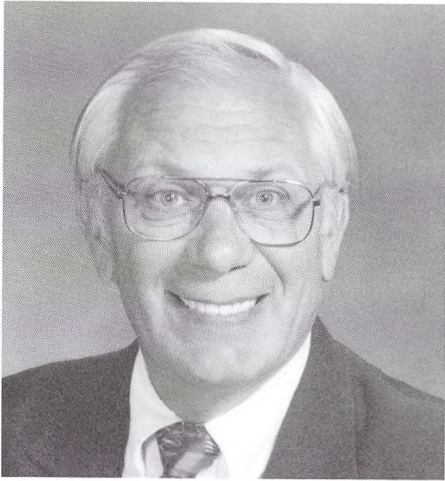


# Faculty and Administration

"Words move, music moves  
Only in time; but that which is only living  
Can only die. Words, after speech, reach  
Into the silence. Only by the form, the pattern,  
can words or music reach  
The stillness, as a Chinese jar still  
Moves perpetually in its stillness.  
Not that only, but the co-existence,  
Or say that the end precedes the beginning,  
And the end and the beginning were always there  
Before the beginning and after the end.  
And all is always now. Words strain,  
Crack and sometimes break, under the burden,  
Under the tension, slip, slide, perish,  
Decay with imprecision, will not stay in place,  
Will not stay still."

T.S. Eliot  
"Burnt Norton"





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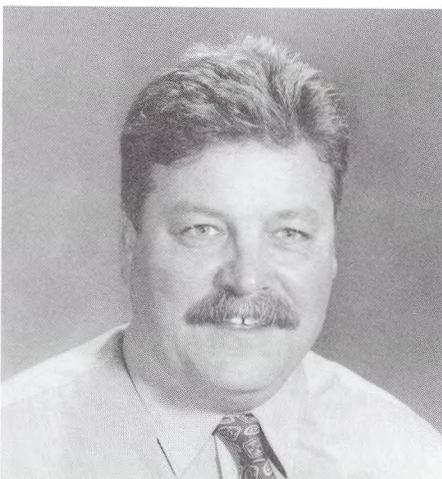
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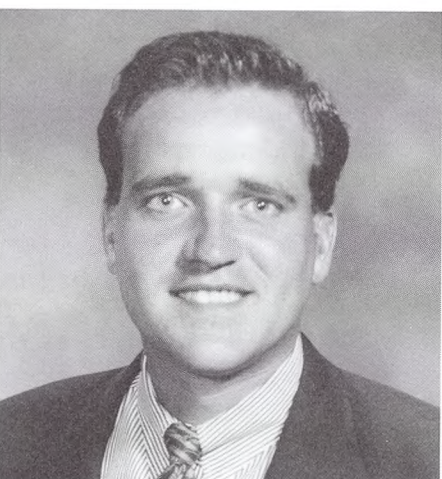
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Assistant Head Librarian, Daniel Marshall hard at work!



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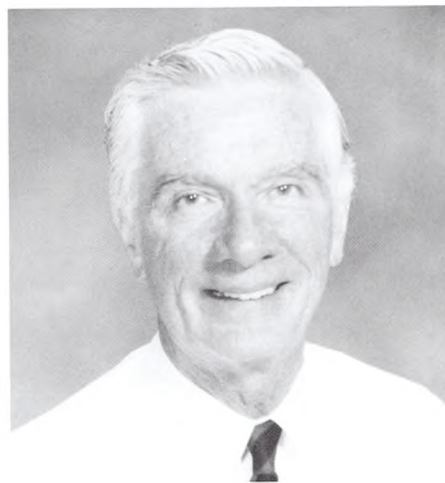
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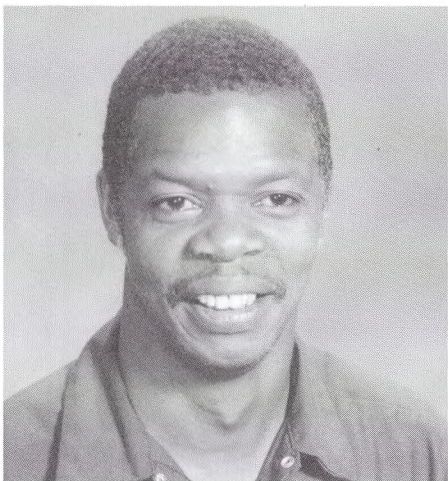


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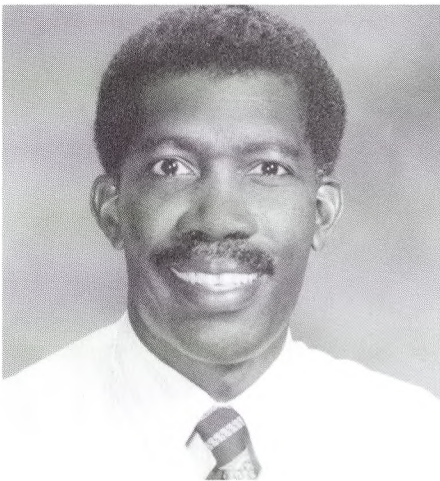
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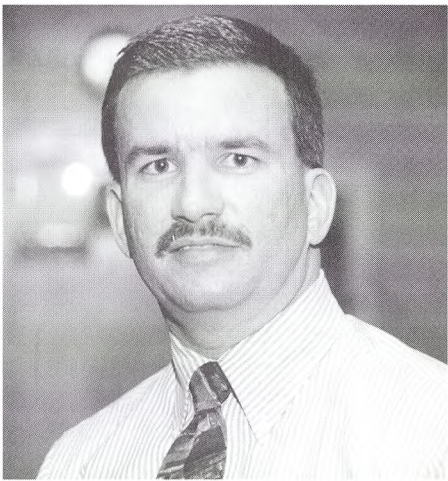
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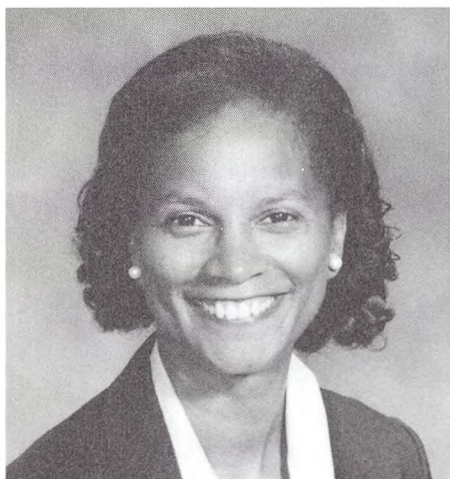


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Ali Moini, Director of Academic Computing, cleaning his desk!!

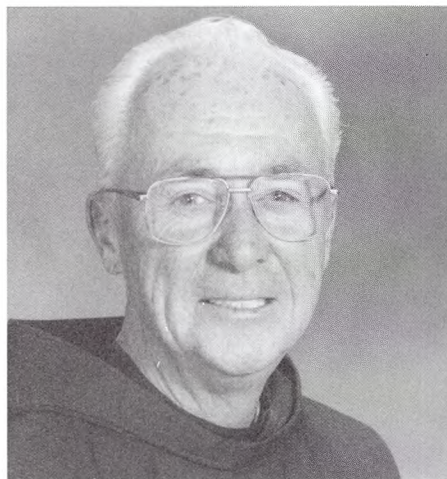




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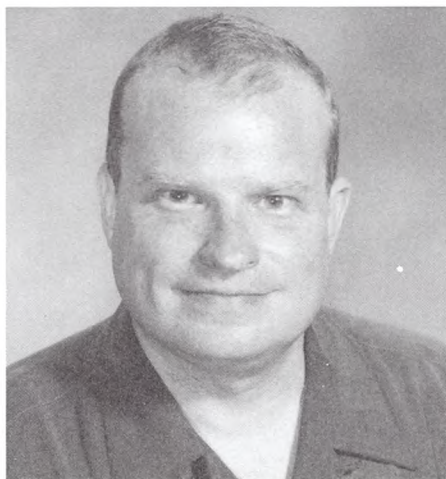
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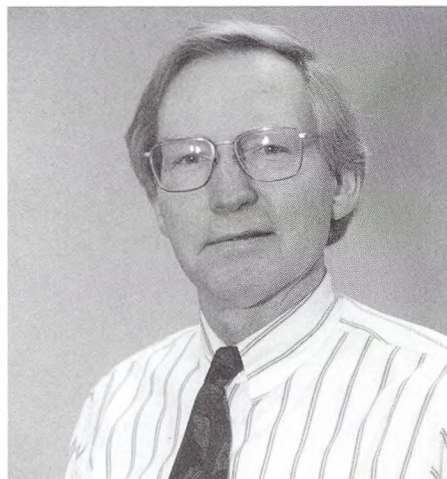
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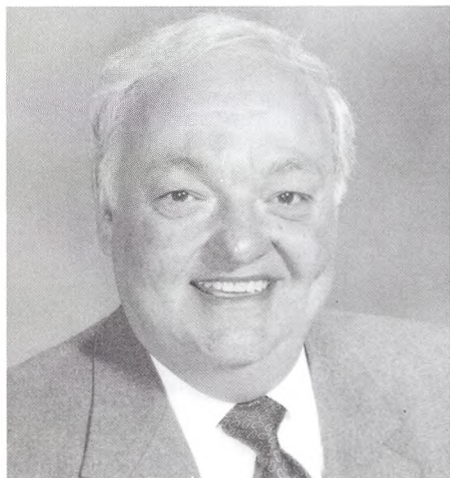
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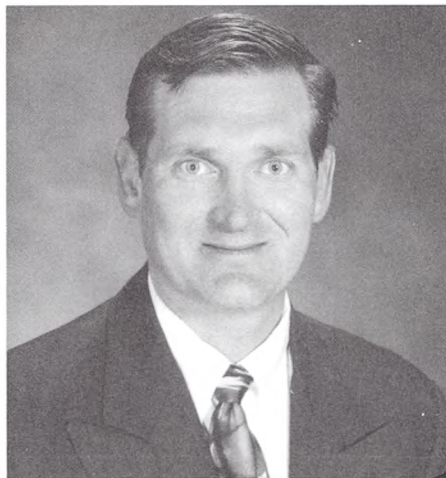
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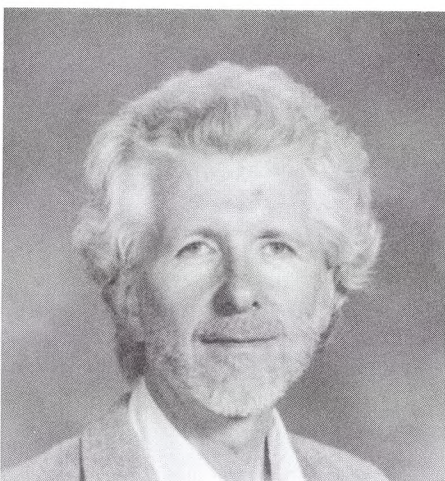


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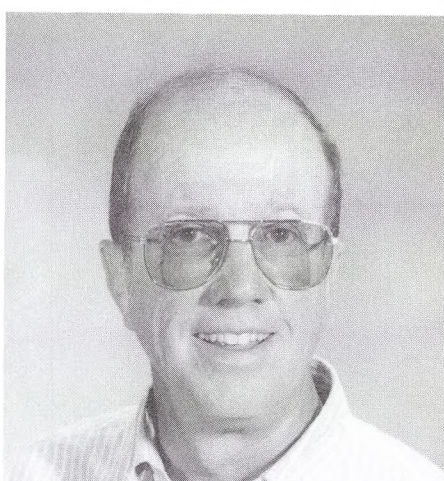




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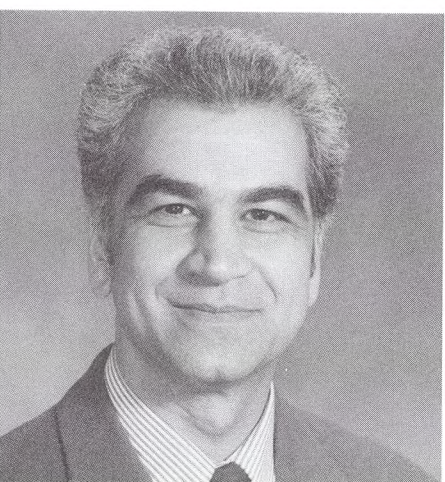
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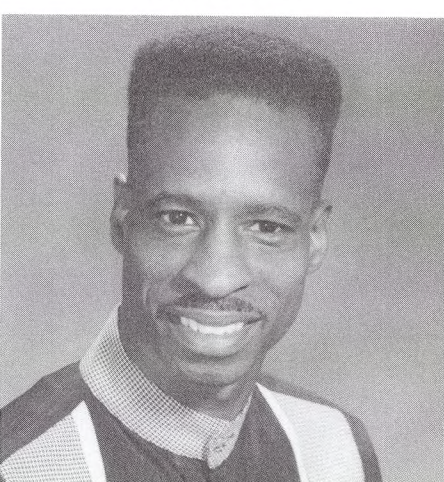
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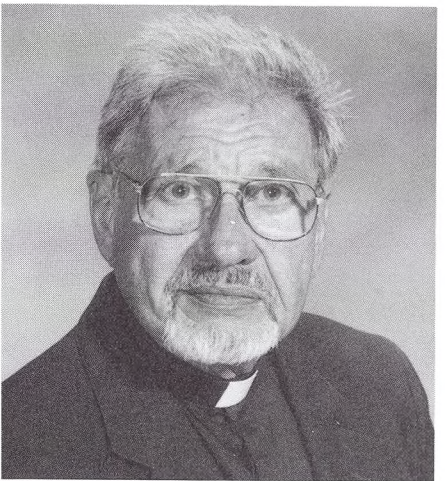
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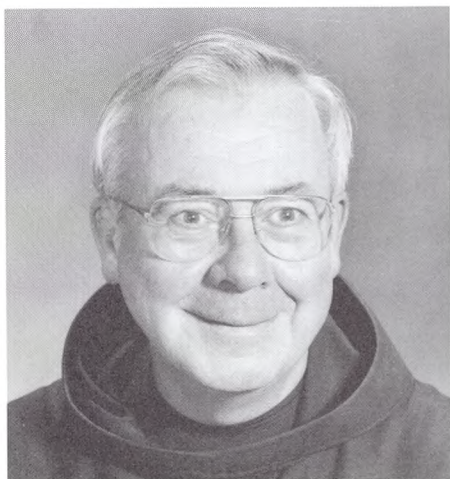




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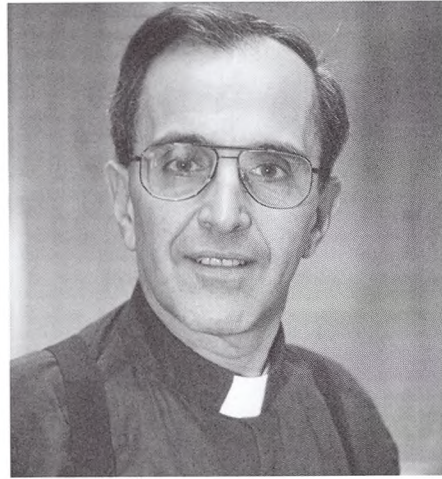
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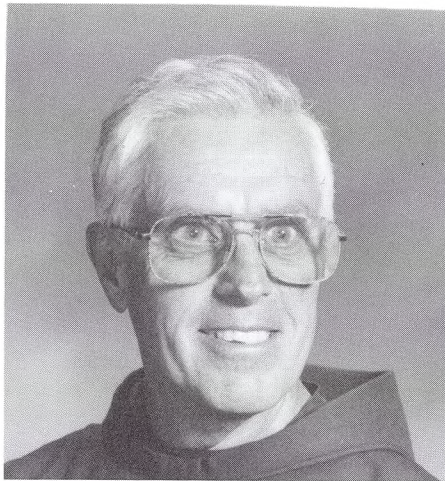


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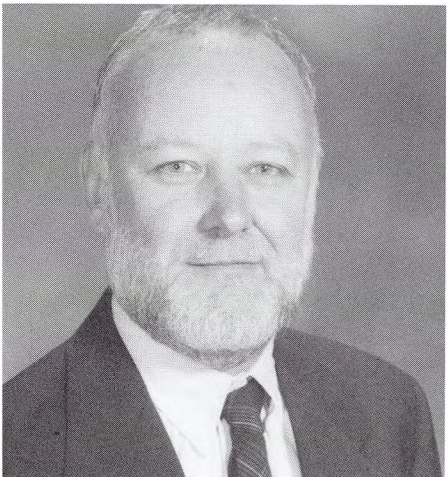
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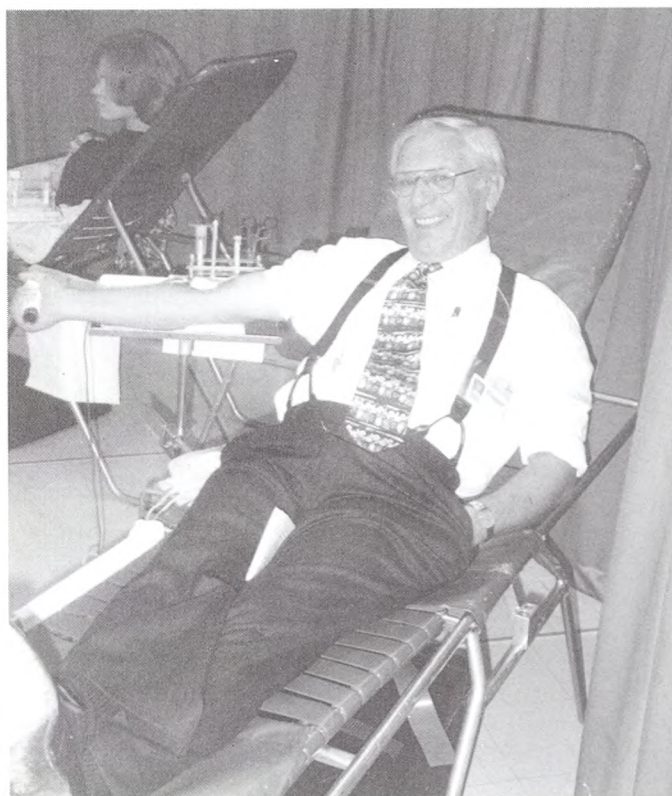


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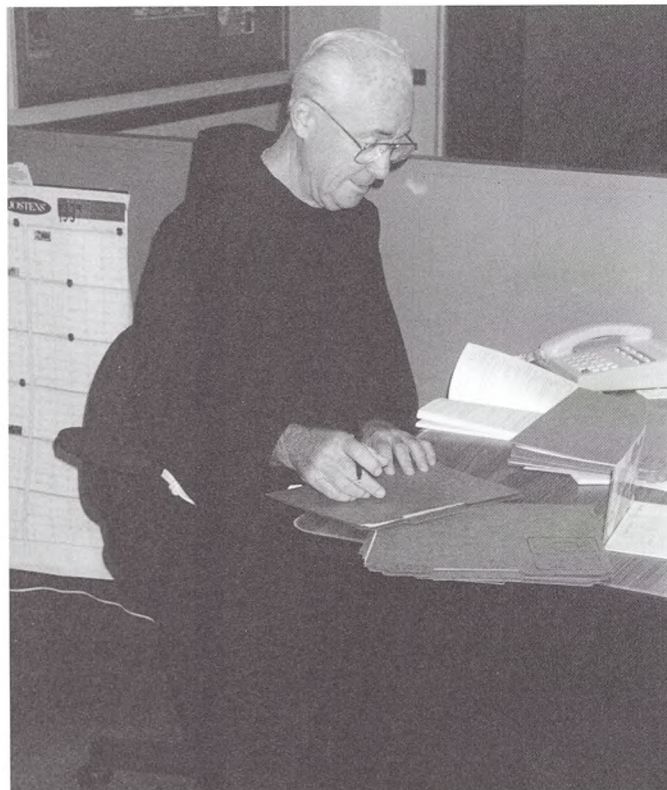




Nurse Lafrance takes time out for a photo!

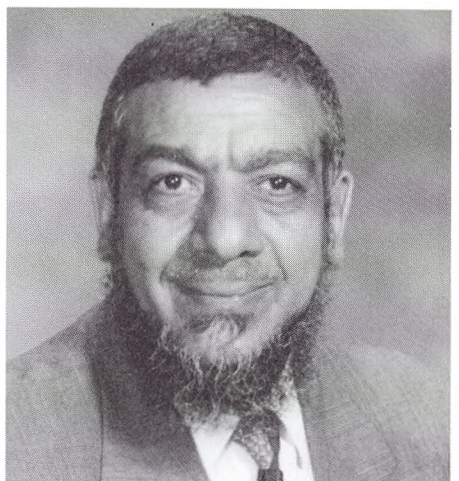
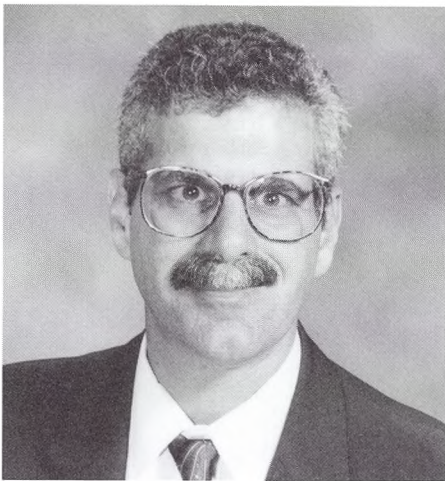
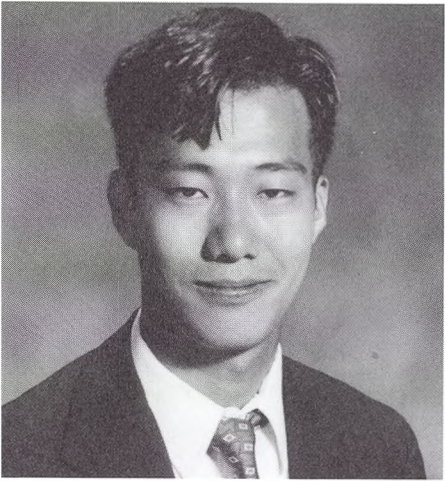


Dean Adams pumping blood.



Brother George hard at work!





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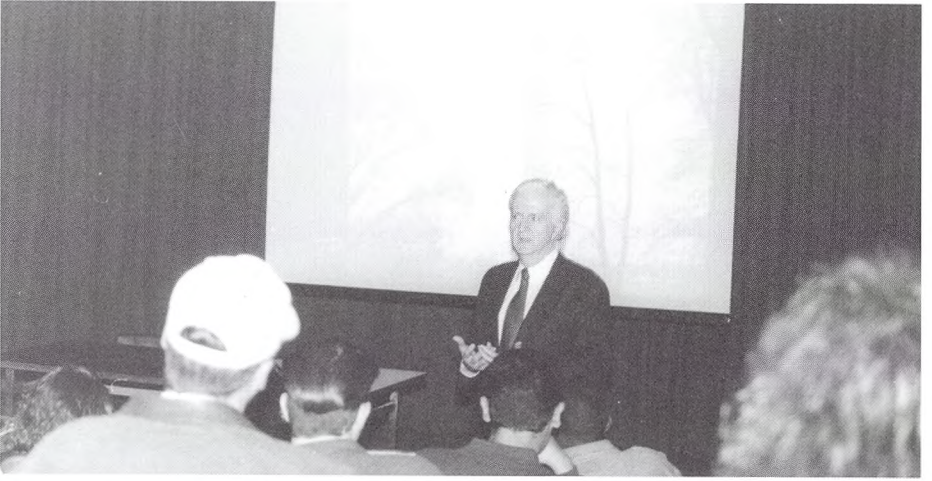
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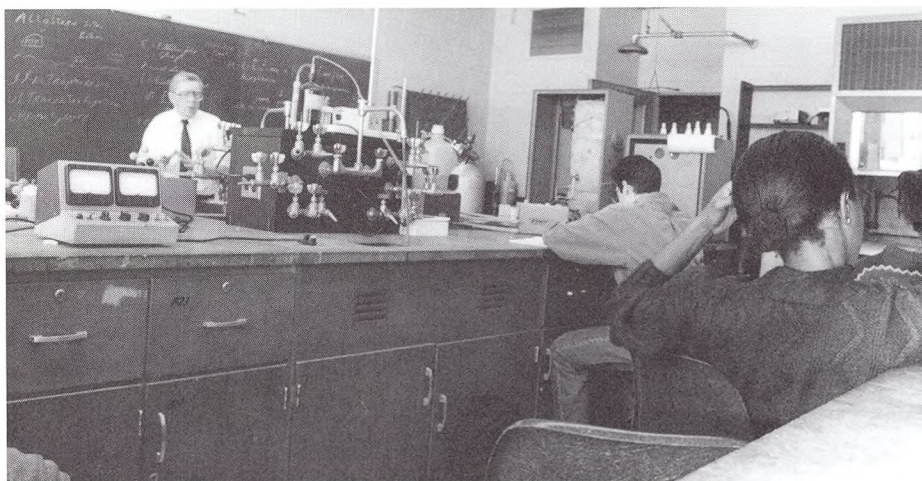


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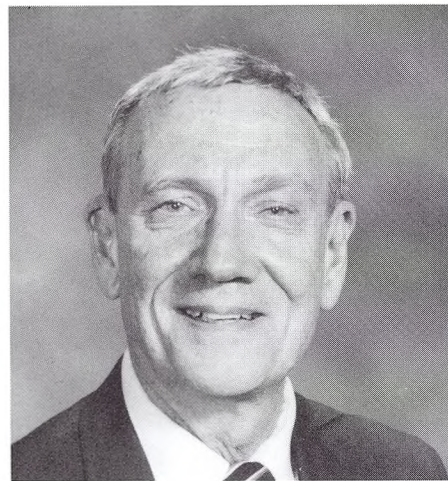


Dr. Greene posing in front of the Washington Memorial!





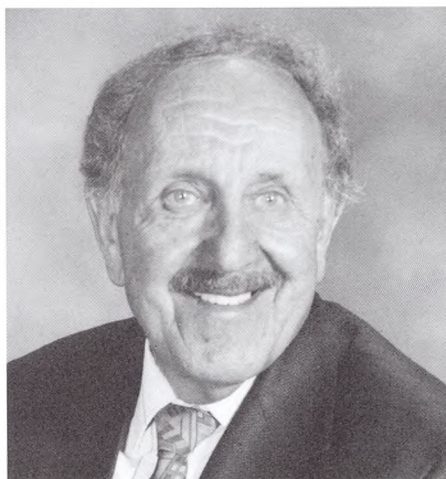
Dr. Quigley has a really big desk, with a lot of drawers!!!



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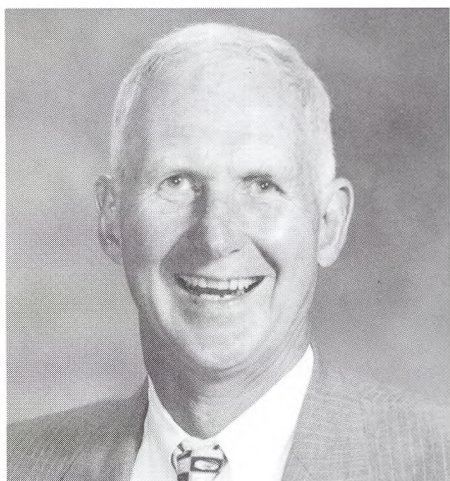
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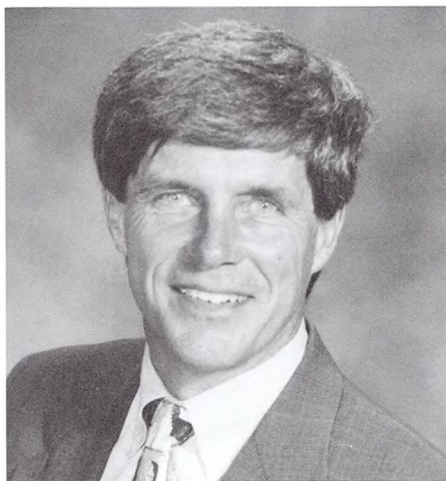
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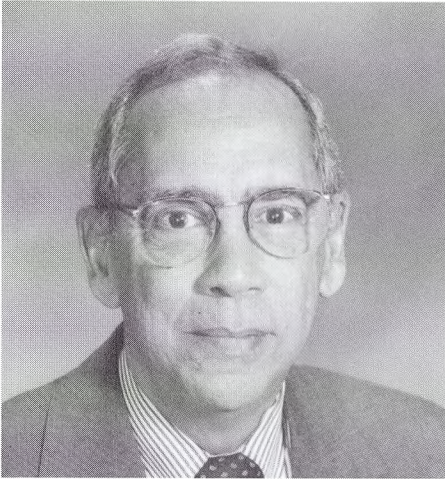


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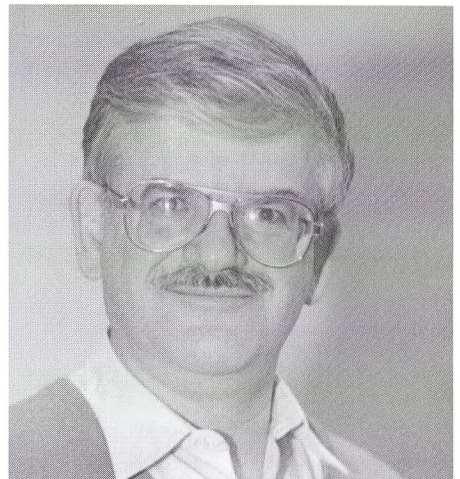




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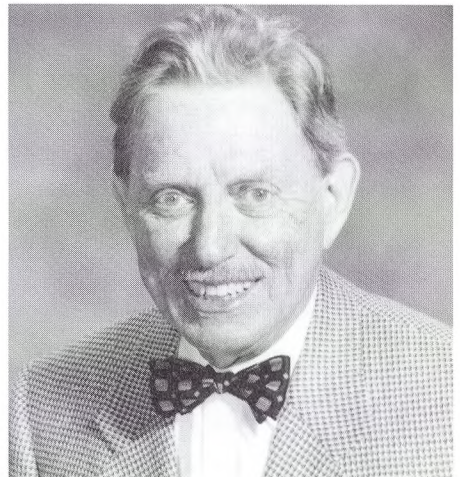
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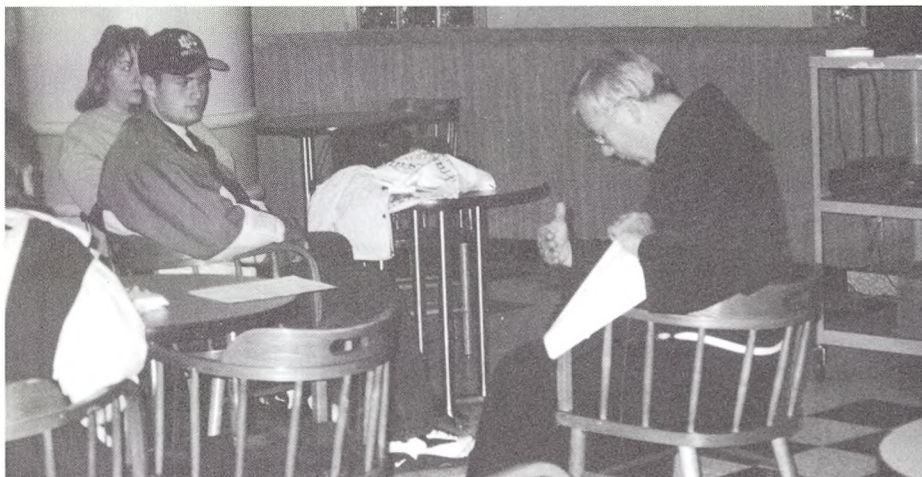


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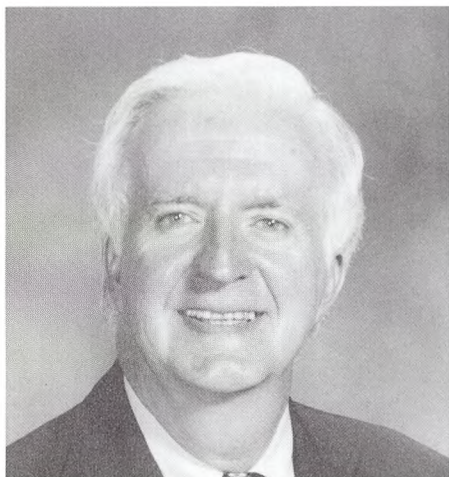




Brother Thomas O'Neill guiding students through the financial aid process.



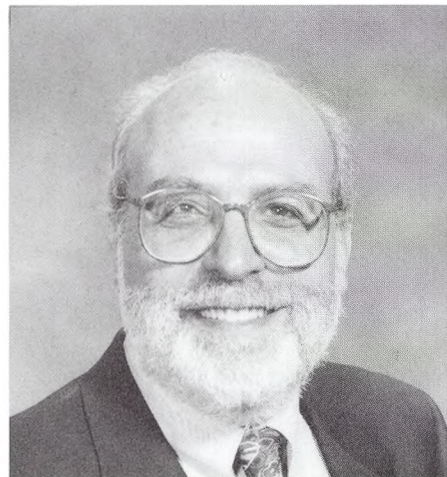
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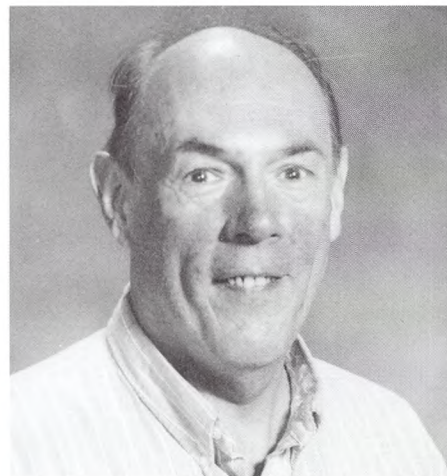
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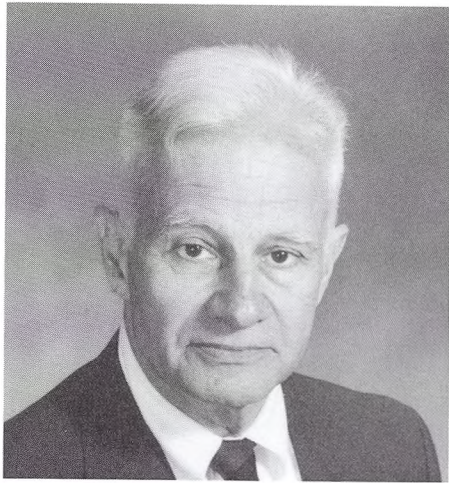


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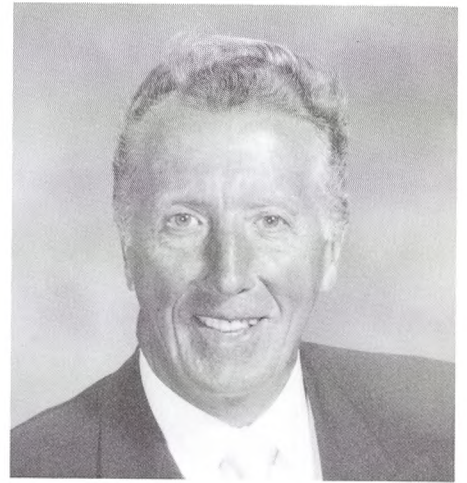




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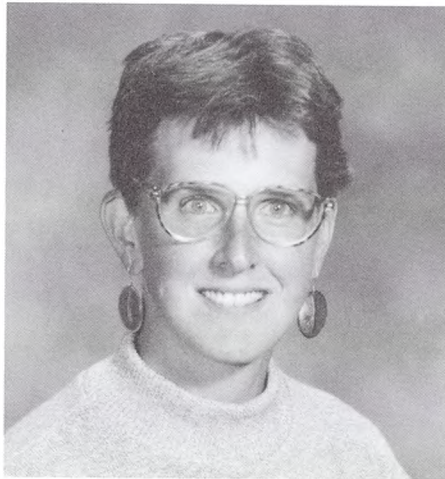
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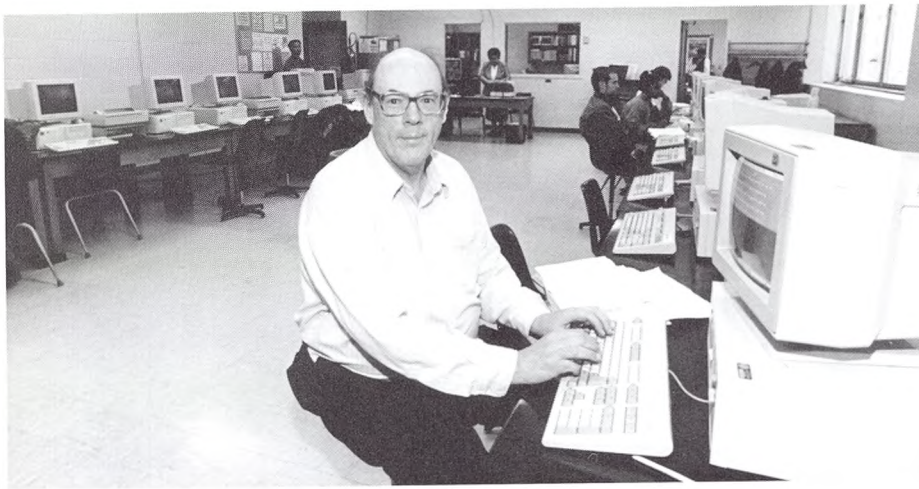


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Professor Alfred Kohler hard at work in the Computer Lab!



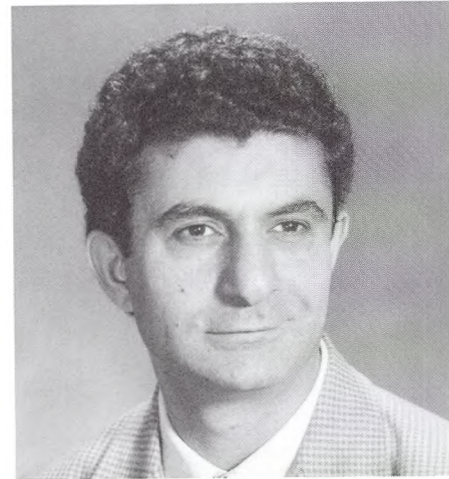
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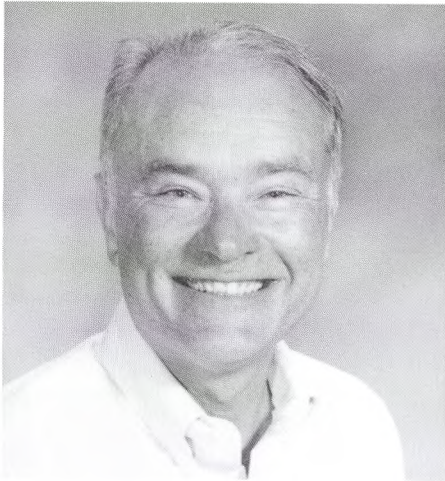


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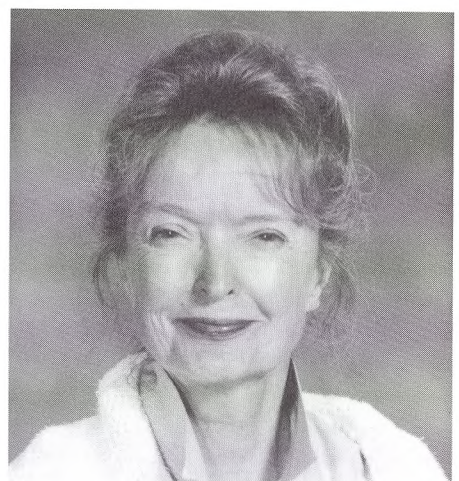




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Dean Adams, Valerie Louzonis, Dean Louzonis, Dr. Greene, Sarah Holloway, Dean Largo and Father Moyna pictured above.



Eileen Rathen and Joseph Kelly





Great Smile!



St. Francis College being computerized!



Faculty examining the SFC Catalogue.



# Closing Section

"We shall not cease from exploration  
And the end of all our exploring  
Will be to arrive where we started  
And know the place for the first time.  
Through the unknown, remembered gate  
When the last of earth left to discover  
Is that which was the beginning;  
At the source of the longest river  
The voice of the hidden waterfall  
And the children in the apple-tree  
Not known, because not looked for  
But heard, half-heard, in the stillness  
Between two waves of the sea.  
Quick now, here, now, always-  
A condition of complete simplicity  
(Costing not less than everything)  
And all shall be well and  
All manner of thing shall be well  
When the tongues of flame are in-folded  
Into the crowned knot of fire  
And the fire and the rose are one."

T.S. Eliot  
"Little Gidding"



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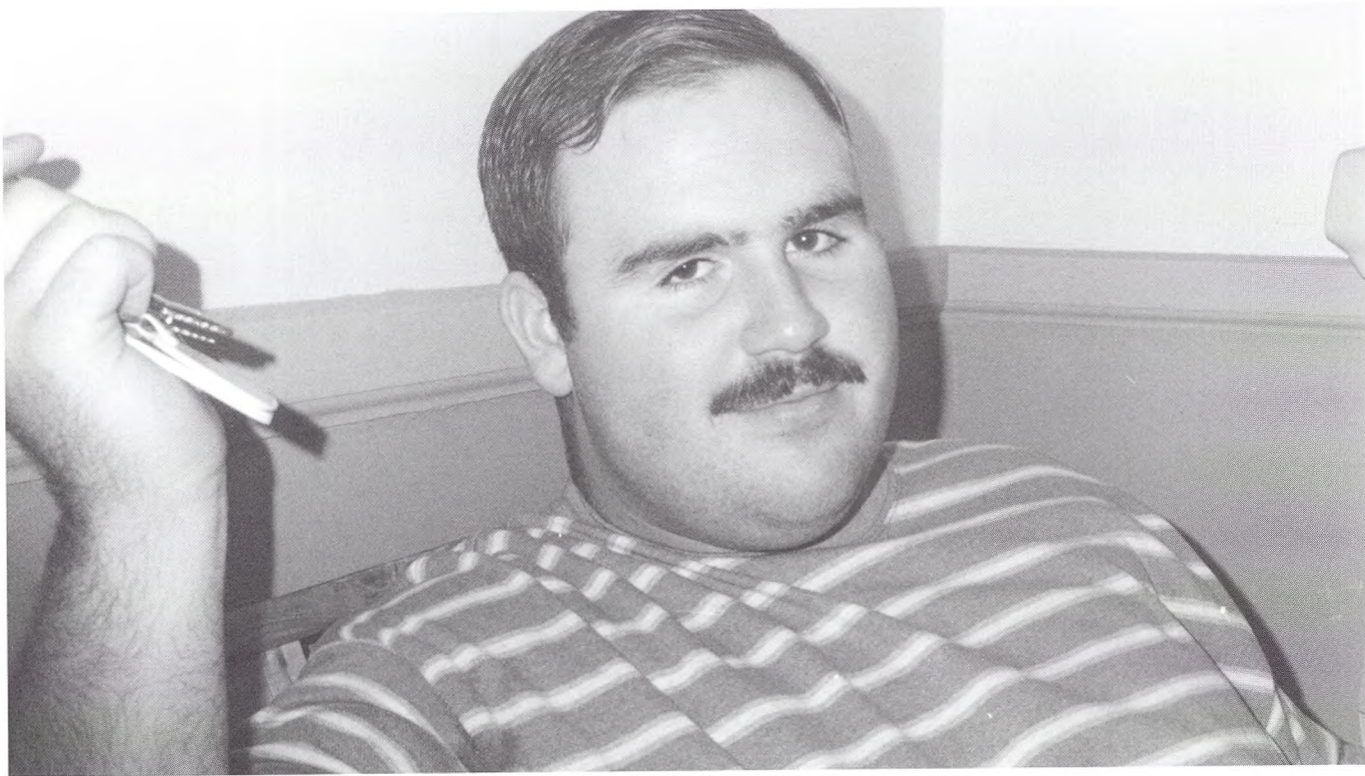
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Madeline Perez, Natalia Kiritchek  
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And The Class of  
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# Lady Clare (Mascot) Joins The SFC Family



Br. Michael Russo & Clare

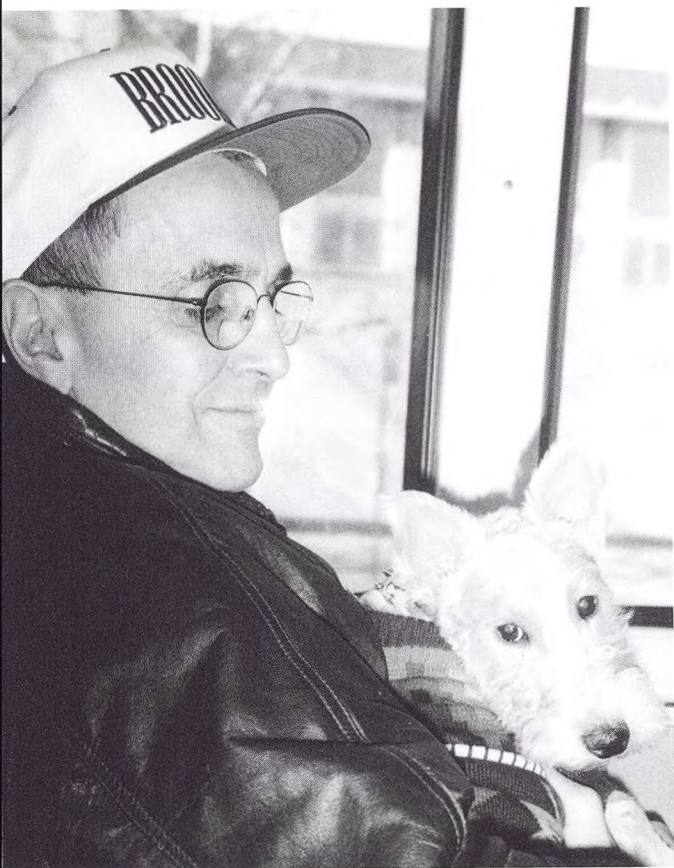


Nick Gaus and new found friend lady Clare.



Lady Clare and friend on road trip to see SFC's soccer team In NCA playoffs.





Br. Michael Russo O.S.F. & Lady Clare

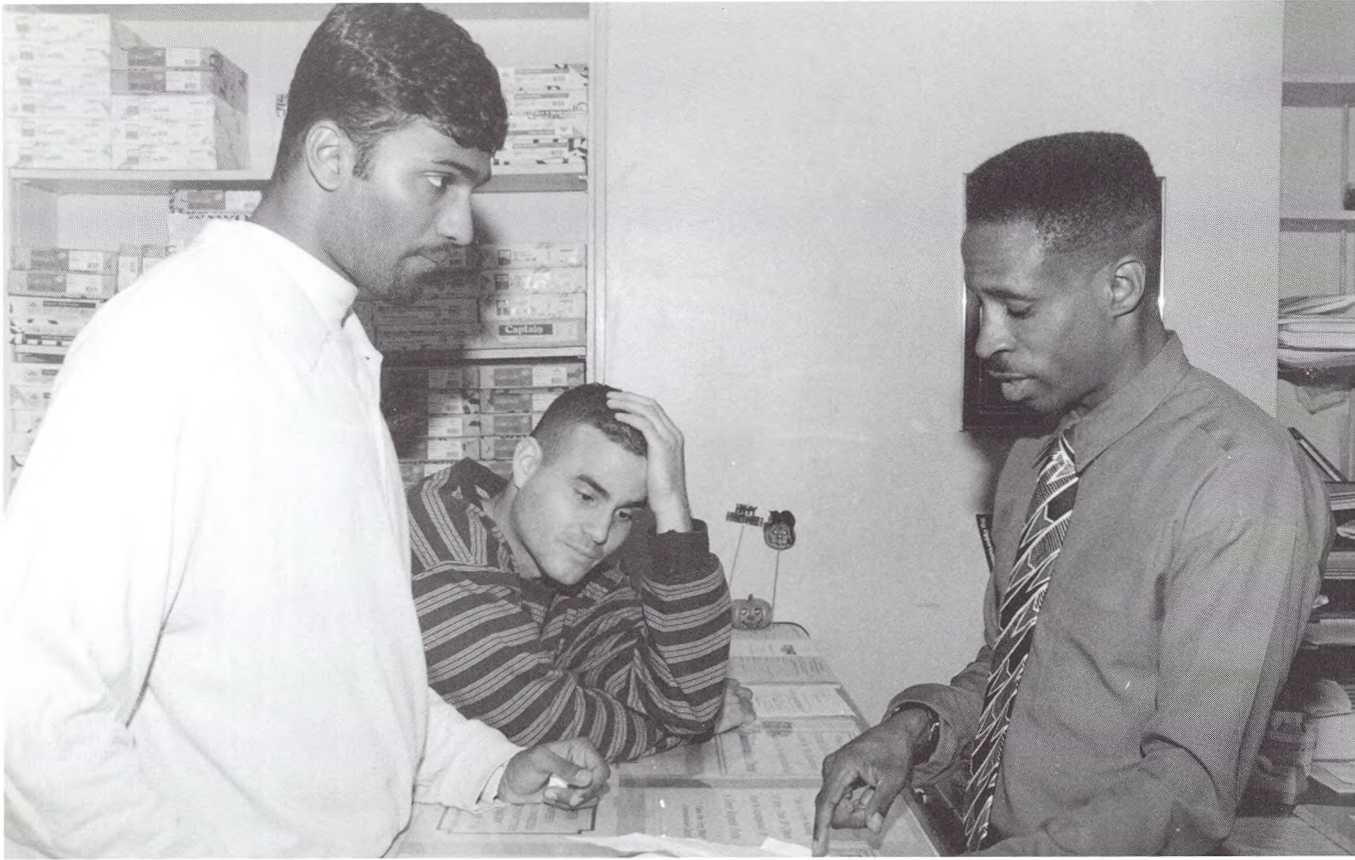


Br. Edward Wesley O.S.F. and Lady Clare watch a Water Polo match.



Jeff Lemon, Lady Claire & Br. Michael on road trip to soccer playoffs.





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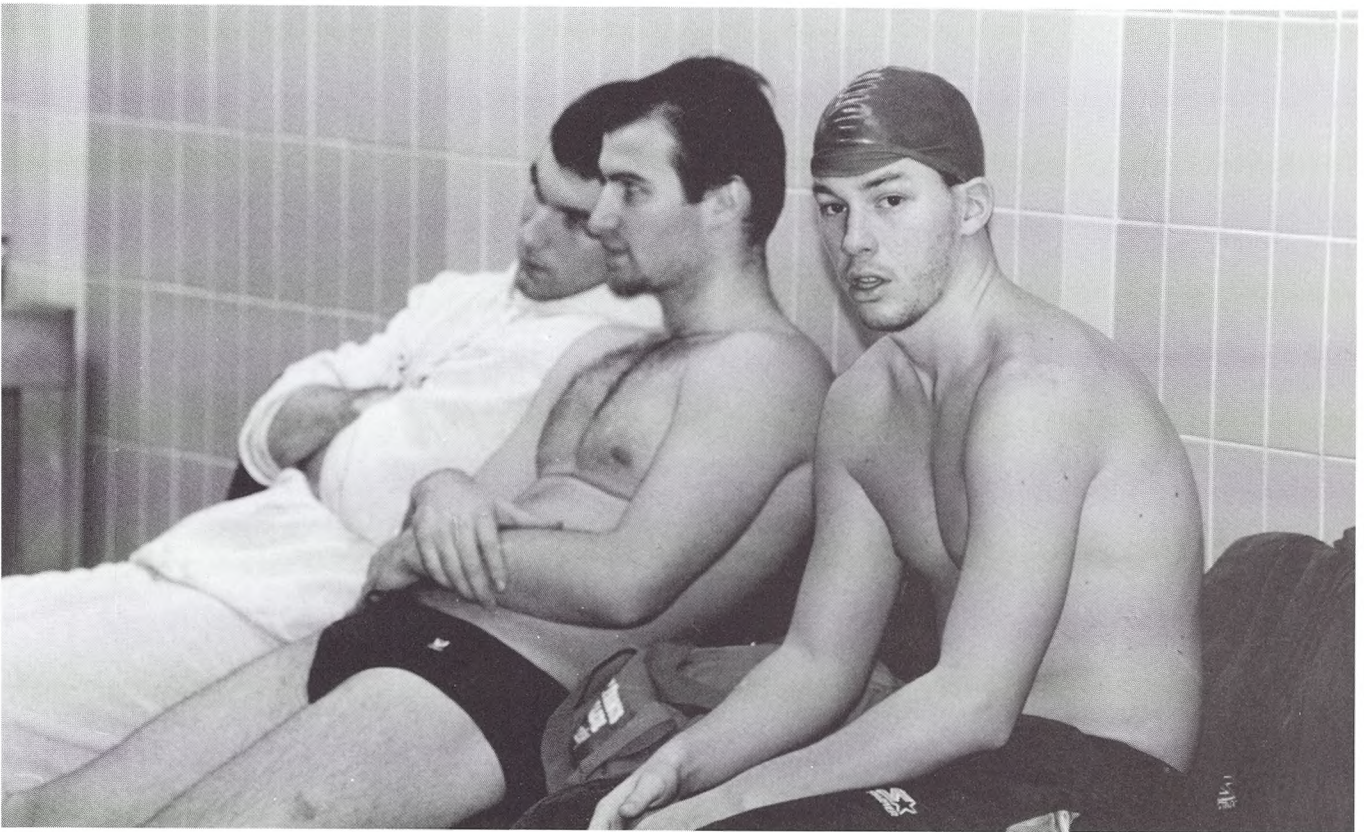


Hey that's not Janice isn't that \_\_\_\_\_?





Yeah . . . I got her phone number



This swimming cap is making my brain numb.



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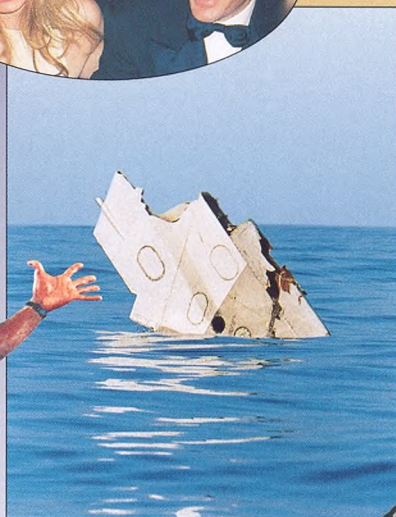
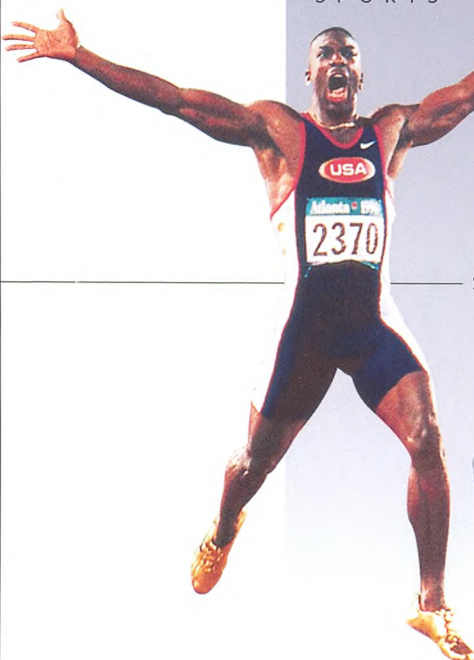
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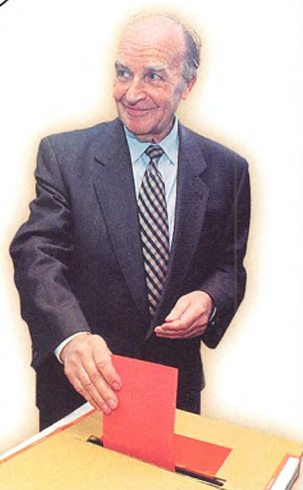
### flash

In November, a hijacked Ethiopian airliner crashes after running out of fuel. The crash occurs near a resort beach in the Comoros Islands in the Indian Ocean. At least 123 of the 175 people on board die, including the hijackers.

After 36 years, Central America's longest civil war ends when Indian rebels and military leftists sign a truce in Guatemala.

British Telecommunications agrees to purchase MCI Communications for up to \$21 billion in November. The deal is the biggest foreign purchase of a U.S. company ever concluded.

A U.N.-negotiated treaty banning chemical weapons worldwide is set to take effect in the spring. The treaty prohibits the development, production, stockpiling or use of chemical weapons, and calls for the destruction of existing supplies. The treaty is signed by 160 nations, including the U.S.



AP/Wide World

Alija Izetbegovic, leader of Bosnia's Muslim Party of Democratic Action, is elected chairman of the country's new three-person presidency in September. The election is held in accordance with provisions of the U.S.-brokered Dayton peace agreement.

AP/Wide World



The Miss World beauty pageant, held in Bangalore, India in November, raises a storm of protests, some violent, including one by a group threatening to stage a mass suicide during the pageant's telecast. A new Miss World is crowned without incident.



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King Hussein of Jordan (right) visits the West Bank of the Jordan River in October to show support for the Palestinian-Israeli peace talks and the establishment of an independent Palestinian state. It is Hussein's first visit since Jordan lost the territory to Israel in the 1967 Arab-Israeli War.

Demonstrators gather in Toronto, Canada on October 25 to protest cutbacks in social services by the Ontario government. Thousands of people march through the city during "Metro Days of Action," organized by labor and social activists.



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Russian President Boris Yeltsin wins reelection in July, despite persistent health problems. After successful heart surgery in November he returns to work.

A pipe bomb explodes in Centennial Olympic Park after the first day of competition at the Summer Olympics in Atlanta. Flags fly at half-mast to mourn the 1 person killed and more than 100 injured.



AP/Wide World

Pope John Paul II undergoes surgery for an inflamed appendix in October. His chief surgeon, Dr. Francesco Crucitti, announces that the 78-year-old leader of the Roman Catholic Church is free from "previously undiscovered serious ailments."





AP/Wide World

In a group so large it could be tracked by satellite, hundreds of thousands of refugees abandon camps in Zaire in November and begin a journey home to Rwanda, which they had fled to escape a civil war. Closing of the camps forces the refugees to flee.

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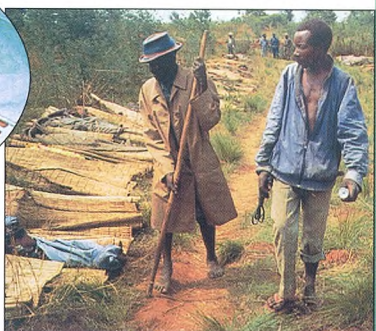
Mass graves containing the bodies of Muslims, allegedly murdered by Serbs in 1992 during the Bosnian civil war, are excavated in Bosnia-Herzegovina throughout the year as a shaky peace negotiated in 1995 continues.



Agence France-Presse

On July 17, Trans World Airlines Flight 800 explodes 13,700 feet above the Atlantic Ocean, killing all 230 passengers and crew members. The Boeing 747-100 was en route to Paris from New York. The cause of the explosion remains a mystery.

Anti-American Saudi terrorists are blamed for a truck bomb that kills 19 U.S. service people on June 25 in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. Mourners grieve at a memorial service held in Khobar, Saudi Arabia.



AP/Wide World

More than 300 Tutsi refugees in the African country of Burundi are slain by Hutus, a rival ethnic group. The covered bodies, mostly women and children, illustrate the ferocity of the conflict.



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Prince Charles, heir to the British throne, and Diana, Princess of Wales, are divorced on August 28. According to one observer, "The most spectacularly miserable marriage of the century is over."

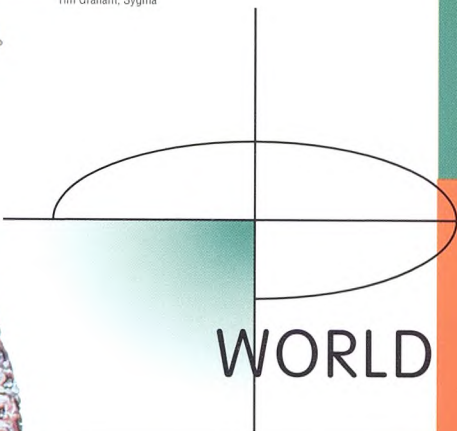
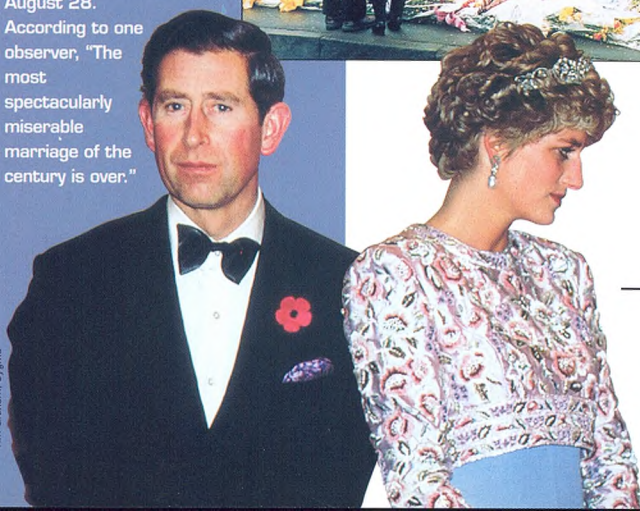


Tim Graham, Sygma

A lone gunman kills 16 kindergartners, their teacher, and then himself, at a Dunblane, Scotland school in March 1996. A month after the tragedy, officials tear down the school gymnasium in which the shootings occurred.

Israeli right-wing leader Benjamin Netanyahu wins the May 1996 election for Prime Minister, defeating Prime Minister Shimon Peres, whom many Israelis think is making too many concessions to Israel's Arab neighbors.

Tim Graham, Sygma





# NATIONAL

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## flash

The U.S. Army issues strict new policies for drill instructors and female trainees, as hundreds of complaints of sexual harassment are revealed in November. Drill instructors are now required to leave their doors open if a female is inside, and women must travel in pairs.

After thousands of veterans complain of illnesses since the 1991 Persian Gulf War, the Pentagon warns they may have been exposed to chemical weapons. The Pentagon reveals that up to two tons of sarin nerve gas may have been released.

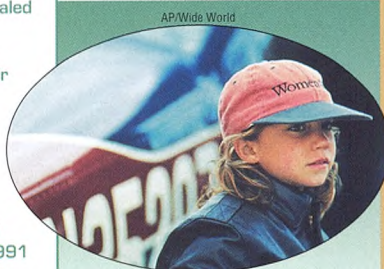
Six-year-old beauty pageant queen JonBenet Ramsey is found murdered in the basement of her parents' Colorado home the day after Christmas. Her death raises a nationwide awareness of controversial youth beauty pageants.

Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich (R-Georgia) is fined \$300,000 in a bi-partisan vote after the House Ethics Committee's year-long investigation into alleged financial improprieties.



Reuters/Archive Photos

Former U.N. ambassador Madeleine Albright is nominated for Secretary of State by President Clinton on December 5. Confirmed in office in January 1997, Albright is the first woman to head the State Department.



AP/Wide World

Seven-year-old pilot Jessica Dubroff is killed when her Cessna airplane crashes shortly after take-off in bad weather from the Cheyenne, Wyoming airport. Her flying instructor and her father, the plane's two passengers, are also killed in the April 1996 crash.



Derek Pruitt, Gamma Liaison

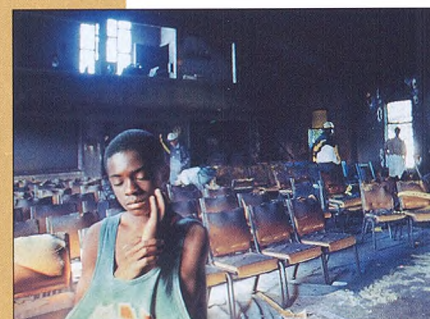
Theodore Kaczynski, alleged to be the "Unabomber," who killed 3 people and wounded more than 20 others with mail bombs since 1978, is arrested in Montana in April 1996. Information provided by Kaczynski's brother leads to the arrest.



Robert Allison, Contact Press Images

Binti Jua, a gorilla at Chicago's Brookfield Zoo, becomes a hero when she rescues a 3-year-old boy knocked unconscious after falling 18 feet into the ape enclosure. The boy suffers brain contusions but soon recovers.

Arson against African-American churches, mostly in the South, is a serious problem in 1996, as hundreds of churches are burned down. Residents of Portland, Oregon survey the damage inside a church after a June fire.



AP/Wide World



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One of the longest armed stand-offs in U.S. history occurs outside Jordan, Montana between the FBI and members of an anti-government group calling itself the Freemen. The 81-day siege ends peacefully in June.

On August 11, a boater rescues 10-year-old Taylor Touchstone from the snake- and alligator-infested waters of a Florida swamp 14 miles away from where he disappeared August 7. Although exhausted and badly scratched, the autistic boy recovers fully.




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 William Jefferson Clinton defeats Republican Bob Dole and Independent H. Ross Perot to become the 42nd president of the U.S. and the last president of the 20th century. Clinton is the first Democrat since Franklin Roosevelt to be reelected to a second term.




Jonathan Klein, Zuma

 A civil jury finds former football star O.J. Simpson liable for the June 12, 1994 wrongful deaths of his ex-wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman. In a unanimous verdict, the jury awards \$8.5 million in compensatory damages to Goldman's parents. The Brown and Goldman families are each awarded \$12.5 million in punitive damages.




AP/Wide World

 Days of abnormally heavy rains in November undermine the roadbed of Oregon's Interstate 5, creating a 40-foot-deep sinkhole, into which two semitrailer trucks tumble.





AP/Wide World

 The Citadel, South Carolina's traditionally all-male military academy, admits four women, including Petra Loventinska (left) and Jeanie Montavlos. Montavlos and another female cadet later drop out, citing harassment and "sadistic" hazing.




AP/Wide World

 Topsail Beach, a town on an island off the coast of North Carolina, is one of many Eastern locations hit hard by Hurricane Bertha in July. Six powerful hurricanes, all with winds over 110 miles per hour, made 1996 a near-record year doing \$3.5 billion in damage in the U.S.

 Nationwide, forest fires blacken more than twice the acreage lost to fires in an average year. California, Montana and Oregon are particularly hard hit.




Kurt Miller, The Press-Enterprise

 All 110 people aboard a ValuJet DC-9 are killed in May 1996 when a fire breaks out in the cargo hold. The plane, en route from Miami to Atlanta, crashes and disappears almost completely into the Florida Everglades, making it difficult for workers to retrieve wreckage.




AP/Wide World

 Security guard Richard Jewell is investigated as a suspect in the July Olympic Park bombing. After three months of media frenzy, during which Jewell is a virtual prisoner in his home, the U.S. Justice Department admits there is no evidence against him.



Schwarz, Gamma/Liaison

 Six-year-old first-grader Johnathan Prevette is suspended from his Lexington, North Carolina elementary school for violating the city schools' sexual conduct guidelines—he kissed a female classmate. Prevette is quickly reinstated after a nationwide controversy over the suspension.



AP/Wide World

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# SCIENCE

## SCIENCE



### flash

A 9,300-year-old skeleton discovered in July near Richland, Washington is the oldest and most intact set of human bones ever discovered in North America. Research is suspended, however, as the tribes from the Native American grounds where it is found claim the skeleton as an ancestor and want the bones buried.

Trauma Seal, a new medical adhesive that is applied like a lip-balm stick, is in clinical trials at 10 hospitals and health care institutions nationwide. The biodegradable adhesive could eliminate stitches and return visits.

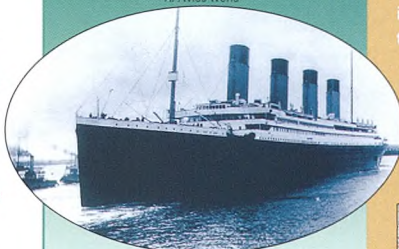
New York Police Department canines begin wearing three-pound, infrared cameras, scouting out potentially dangerous areas before police officers enter the scene. Handlers are developing bullet-proof vests for the dogs to wear.

A new category of animal is discovered in the form of bacteria that live on the lips of lobsters. *Symbion pandora*, which lives on food scraps from lobster lips, is called "the zoological highlight of the decade."



Videogame giant Nintendo releases its long-awaited Nintendo 64, a new hardware system that draws players into the game and moves three times faster than any existing system.

AP/Wide World



An expedition to raise the *Titanic*, the legendary "unsinkable" ocean liner that sank on its maiden voyage in 1912, from its North Atlantic grave more than two miles deep, ends in failure in August due to rough seas.



In August, scientists discover evidence of bacteria-like life on a meteorite found in 1984 and believed to be part of the crust of Mars 4.5 billion years ago. It is the first possible proof that life is not unique to Earth.



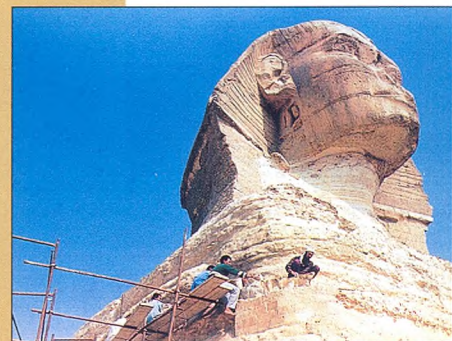
NASA



American astronaut Shannon Lucid (right) spends 188 days in space, breaking American space endurance records after joining the crew of the Russian space station *Mir*.



Egyptians begin work to preserve the Great Sphinx from the ravages of wind, pollution and time. The 4,500-year-old statue is located in Giza near the giant pyramids.



AP/Wide World



NASA



The Mars Surveyor Trolley, named Sojourner, is carried on-board *Mars Pathfinder*, an unmanned spacecraft launched in December. Sojourner, a free-roving probe the size of a child's wagon, will photograph the Martian surface and determine the composition of rocks on Mars.



Satellite dishes become one of the year's hottest-selling electronic consumer products. Owners find the savings of not paying for cable services cover the cost within a few months.

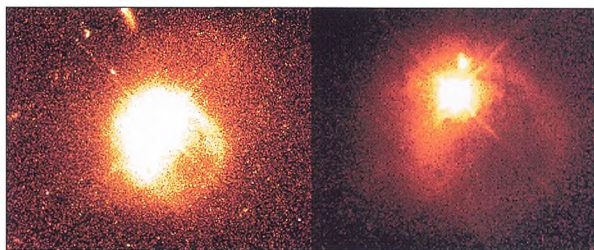


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J. Bahcall (Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton) and NASA

 California's Monterey Bay Aquarium opens a new wing in March 1996. The million-gallon indoor ocean showcases the marine life of the outer reaches of Monterey Bay, 5 to 60 miles offshore.

 The Hubble Space Telescope captures new images of quasars, the universe's most powerful and baffling phenomena. Previously thought only to exist in colliding galaxies, new pictures indicate quasars can also exist in undisturbed galaxies—causing astronomers to revisit their theories.




AP/Wide World

 Steam and ash from Iceland's Loki volcano blast 33,000 feet in the air on October 9. Molten rock from the volcano's 5-mile-wide fissure melts through more than 2,000 feet of glacial ice, threatening the island with widespread flooding.




O. Spa Bar

 An "oxygen bar" in Toronto, Canada allows patrons to pay \$16 to spend 20 minutes breathing pure oxygen. The owners of the O<sub>2</sub> Spa Bar claim the treatment is a healthy way to reinvigorate the body and offer fruit "flavors" to liven up the experience.





Smithsonian Institution

 The Smithsonian Institution celebrates the 150th anniversary of its founding with a nationwide tour of prize exhibits, including this stovepipe hat worn by Abraham Lincoln.




AP/Wide World

 The world's largest flower, the Titan Arum, also known as the "corpse flower," blooms in London's Kew Gardens for the first time since 1963. The flower is nicknamed for its strong stench when in bloom.

 New research suggests that hormone therapies can keep middle-aged men stronger and more youthful. A testosterone-releasing skin patch called Androderm is prescribed by many doctors to supplement the natural hormone.



Nick Cardillo/Chicago

 Paleoanthropologist Mary Leakey, shown with husband Louis Leakey in a 1959 photograph, dies in December. Discoveries by the Leakeys throughout their careers are some of the most important in paleoanthropological history. Her greatest discovery was a trail of 3.7-million-year-old footprints, which proved that hominids walked upright far earlier than previously believed.



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SCIENCE



# FACES

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### flash

Former NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle dies on December 6. Rozelle is credited with transforming professional football into America's top spectator sport, and with inventing the Super Bowl.

Basketball megastar Michael Jordan launches his own cologne: Michael Jordan Cologne. Demand for the fragrance is so high that manufacturer Bijan Frangrances limits sales to 12 bottles per customer.


The ever-present Cindy Crawford releases a book on applying make-up. *Basic Face* enjoys a long run on the best-seller lists.

The National Women's Hall of Fame opens in Seneca Falls, New York, inducting 11 women, including author Louisa May Alcott, and Oveta Culp Hobby, the nation's first female colonel.

Archbishop of Chicago, Cardinal Joseph Bernardin dies of pancreatic cancer in November. Bernardin was known for being a reconciler in churches torn between tradition and modern culture, as well as for speaking out against physician-assisted suicide.


Steven M. Falk, Gamma Liaison



 Mother Teresa, 1979 Nobel Peace Prize winner, suffers a heart attack in late December. It is the 86-year-old Roman Catholic nun's fourth serious illness in 1996.

AP/Wide World



 In April 1996, singer Michael Jackson is seen escorting a woman later identified as Debbie Rowe, an employee of Jackson's plastic surgeon. In November, Jackson announces that he and Rowe are married and that she is carrying his child.



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 "The Late Show" host David Letterman (right), who had been hinting at retirement, re-signs his contract with CBS, keeping him at "The Late Show" through 2002.


 Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, and Prince Andrew, Duke of York and son of Great Britain's Queen Elizabeth II, are divorced in May 1996. "Fergie" subsequently goes public with TV appearances and an autobiography.




AP/Wide World



 Regis Philbin appears with host Rosie O'Donnell on ABC's "The Rosie O'Donnell Show." The talk show, which premieres in 1996, gains quick popularity and respect.

 Music megastar Madonna gives birth to Lourdes Maria Ciccone Leon, a 6-pound, 9-ounce girl, on October 14. Madonna's big year continues when she wins a Golden Globe for her role in Andrew Lloyd Webber's on-screen rendition of the musical *Evita*.

 In October, TV talk-show host Jenny Jones testifies during the Michigan murder trial of Jonathan Schmitz. Schmitz was accused of killing Scott Amedure, who revealed romantic feelings for Schmitz during a March 1995 taping of a "Jenny Jones Show."




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Steve Granite, Reina






Stephane Cardinale, Sygma

 In a small, secret ceremony on an island off the coast of Georgia, John F. Kennedy Jr. marries Carolyn Bessette, a Calvin Klein publicist, in September. Kennedy, who dated Bessette for two years, had long been considered one of the world's most eligible bachelors.



AP/Wide World

 New York Yankees fan Jeffrey Maier interferes with a fly ball during game one of the American League Championship Series on October 9. The hit is ruled a home run, tying the game 4 to 4 in the eighth inning and making Maier New York's hero for a day.




AP/Wide World

 Legendary heavyweight boxer Muhammad Ali is the final athlete to bear the Olympic torch, lighting the Olympic flame at the opening of the Centennial Summer Olympics in Atlanta on July 19.




John F. Kennedy Library

 More than 4,000 items owned by former First Lady Jacquelyn Kennedy Onassis and President John F. Kennedy are auctioned off in April 1996, including a necklace of simulated pearls shown in this 1962 photograph. The fake pearls, valued at \$500 to \$700, sell for \$211,500, bringing the auction total to \$34.5 million.



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 Veteran comedian George Burns dies in March 1996, just weeks after reaching the age of 100. The legendary Burns won an Oscar, an Emmy and a Grammy Award in an illustrious career dating back to vaudeville.





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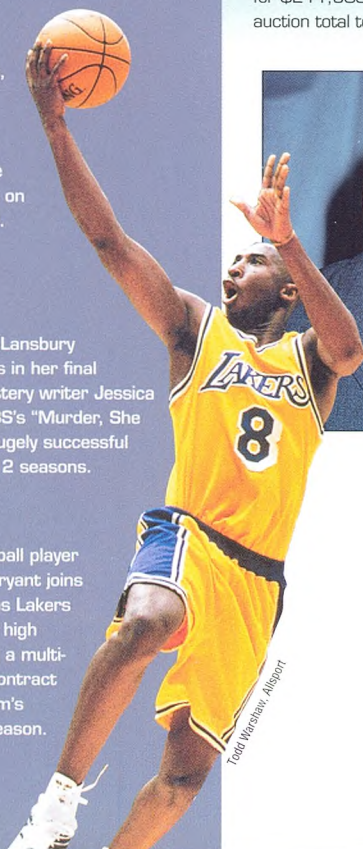
 Miss Kansas, Tara Dawn Holland, is crowned Miss America at the 1996 pageant on September 14.



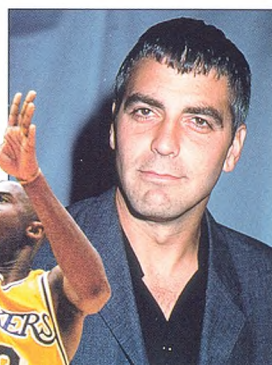
Universal City from Shooting Star

 Angela Lansbury appears in her final season as mystery writer Jessica Fletcher on CBS's "Murder, She Wrote." The hugely successful show ran for 12 seasons.


 Basketball player Kobe Bryant joins the Los Angeles Lakers straight out of high school, signing a multi-million dollar contract during the team's 1996-1997 season.



Tom Maresca, Allsport



Lee / Archive Photos

 As a stand against the invasion of his privacy, George Clooney, star of NBC's "ER," boycotts Paramount's "Entertainment Tonight" after its sister show "Hard Copy" runs unauthorized footage of the actor's private life.

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# ENTERTAINMENT

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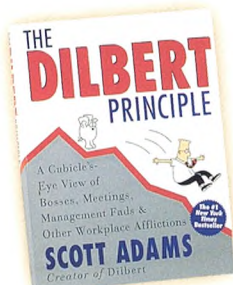
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Tom Cruise stars in *Jerry Maguire*, a romantic comedy about a sports agent who decides to change his shallow ways, and spends the rest of the movie trying to regain his success. It is a breakthrough role for Cruise, who is normally depicted as a cocky winner.

To honor the 20th anniversary of its release, producer George Lucas issues a "remade" *Star Wars*, with new scenes, computerized special effects and souped-up animation. Lucas' grand plan calls for a nine-film cycle, including prequels.

English actor/director Kenneth Branagh plays Hamlet in his star-studded remake of Shakespeare's classic. Despite running four hours, the movie is a critical and box-office success.

NBC's Thursday night drama "ER" features television's first HIV-positive prominent character. Jeanie Boulet, a physician's assistant played by Gloria Reuben, is relatively open about her condition and helps confront the stigma of AIDS.

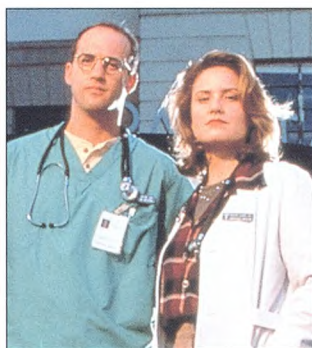


Scott Adams' *Dilbert*, the comic strip about office politics, captures the nation's imagination. In book form, *The Dilbert Principle* becomes a national best-seller.

20th Century Fox from Shooting Star



Actors Winona Ryder and Daniel Day-Lewis star in *The Crucible*, which opens in December. The screen adaptation of Arthur Miller's famous play about the Salem witch trials is written by Arthur Miller himself.



Sherry Stringfield, Dr. Susan Lewis on NBC's "ER," leaves the show at the peak of her character's popularity. In her final episode, when Dr. Mark Greene, played by Anthony Edwards, declares his love for Susan, the show garners its highest ratings ever.



Paramount Pictures from Kobal

Patrick Stewart (left) and Brent Spiner (right) star in *Star Trek: First Contact*, a movie featuring characters from the TV show "Star Trek: The Next Generation."

Drew Carey (left) finds TV stardom during the second season of ABC's "The Drew Carey Show," a zany sit-com about working-class characters in Cleveland, Ohio.



Warner Bros. TV from Shooting Star



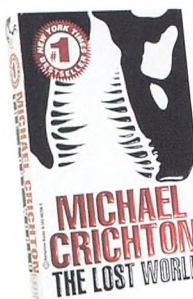
20th Century Fox from Shooting Star

Academy Award-winning actor Tom Hanks' first effort at directing receives critical praise when *That Thing You Do!*, a movie about the meteoric rise and fall of a 1960s rock band, opens in October.

Model Brooke Shields (center) moves to television in NBC's "Suddenly Susan," a sit-com premiering in September. Shields plays a columnist opposite magazine editor Judd Nelson (far right).

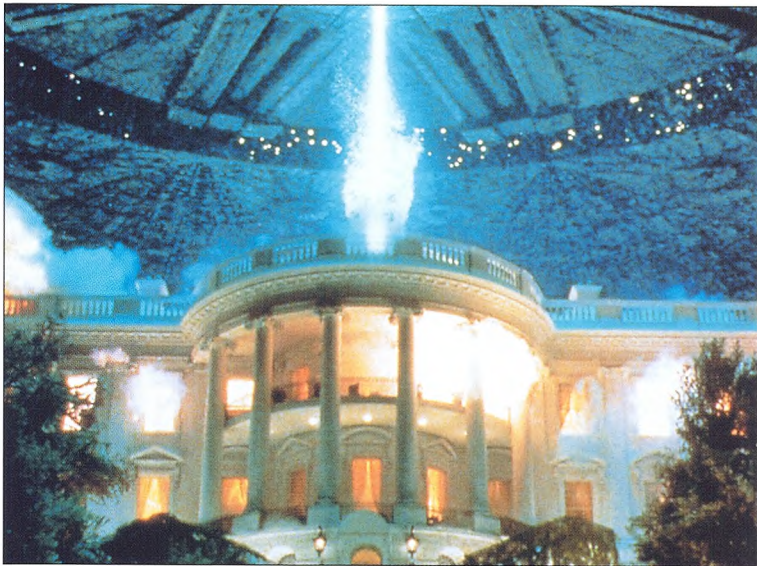


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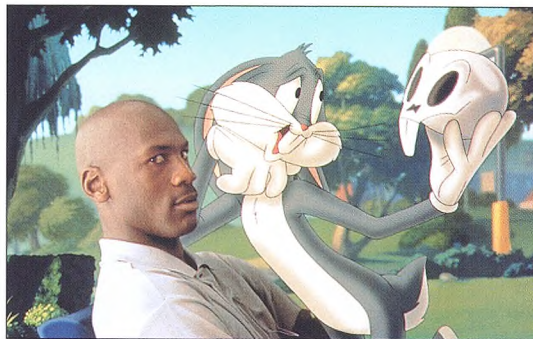


Author Michael Crichton publishes *The Lost World*, a sequel to *Jurassic Park*, the colossal novel and movie. The new book promises to generate just as much hype, with a movie already in the works.





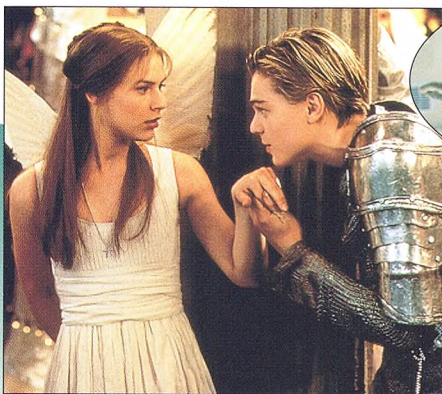
20th Century Fox from Shooting Star



Warner Bros. from Kobaal

Explosive special effects rivet audiences to their seats as they watch *Independence Day*, one of summer's blockbuster movies.

Bugs Bunny and Chicago Bulls basketball star Michael Jordan share top billing in *Space Jam*, a partially animated feature film that opens in late November.



20th Century Fox from Shooting Star

In September, Leonardo DiCaprio and Claire Danes star as the classic star-crossed lovers in the film *Romeo and Juliet*.



Paramount from Shooting Star

Tom Cruise stars in *Mission: Impossible*, based on the 1960s and '70s television series of the same name. Despite critical put-downs, the movie is a huge box-office hit.



NBC from Shooting Star

John Lithgow (front right) earns both an Emmy and a Golden Globe Award for Best Actor in a Comedy Series in NBC's "3rd Rock From the Sun," a sit-com about a family of aliens living in contemporary America.

Actors Brad Pitt (left) and Jason Patric star in *Sleepers*, a film about four men and their extraordinary scheme to revenge the abuse they experienced as boys. The controversial movie also stars Dustin Hoffman, Robert De Niro and Kevin Bacon.



CBS from Shooting Star

America's favorite sit-com father, Bill Cosby, enjoys the success of his new CBS show, "Cosby." In January 1997, however, tragedy strikes as Cosby's son Ennis is killed in Los Angeles in an apparent random robbery.



Warner Bros. from Kobaal

Michael J. Fox returns to television in September as a deputy mayor in ABC's "Spin City," a sit-com about the inner workings of New York's City Hall.



Dream Works SKG from Shooting Star

Stars Bill Paxton and Helen Hunt flee a tornado of awesome proportions in *Twister*, another summer blockbuster, which tells the story of storm chasers highly devoted to studying the inner workings of tornadoes.

ENTERTAINMENT



# MUSIC

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## flash

Folk and blues artist Tracy Chapman returns to the scene in 1996 with the single "Give Me One Reason." Chapman receives five Grammy nominations in January 1997.

The artist formerly known as Prince releases *Emancipation*, a three-hour, three-CD album, in honor of his release from his Warner Bros. recording contract.

Guitarist Slash of Guns N' Roses forms his own band. His new group, *Slash's Blues Ball*, is a six-man blues band grounded in the blues-based hard rock of the 1970s.

Rocker Sheryl Crow joins the ranks of musicians who have had their albums banned from Wal-Mart. The retail giant objects to a lyric alleging that kids kill each other with guns they obtained from the store.



The Beatles' *Anthology 3*, the third and final album from the reunited remaining members of the band, is released in November. Following the example of their two previous anthologies, *Anthology 3* sells in record numbers.

Gary Malerba, LGI



Kiss bass guitarist Gene Simmons strikes a familiar pose as the band kicks off a reunion tour with a June 28 concert in Detroit. The tour marks the first time the original members of the band perform together since 1979.



Tim Mosenthal, LGI

Canadian pop artist Celine Dion tops the charts in 1996 with the album *Falling Into You*, which sells more than 16 million copies worldwide.



Kipa, LGI

British pop superstars Liam (left) and Noel Gallagher cancel the remainder of a U.S. concert tour in September amid rumors that their band, Oasis, is breaking up. Denying the reports, the brothers announce they will release a new album in the summer of 1997.

Alternative-rock band Nirvana releases a new album, *From the Muddy Banks of the Wishkah*, in October. The album contains 17 live tracks recorded between 1989 and the 1994 suicide of singer Kurt Cobain (right).



Jane Huntington, LGI

Bush, a British rock group with an American "grunge" sound, tours the U.S. to promote their album *Sixteen Stone*. They release another chart-topping album, *Razorblade Suitcase*, in the winter.



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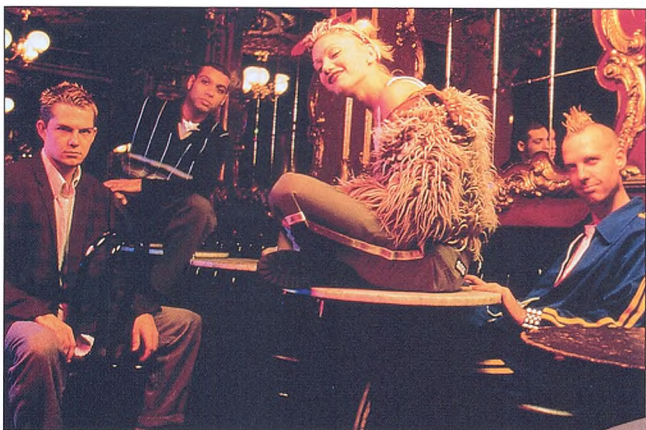
Heavy metal band Metallica is the headlining act for the summer concert Lollapalooza, traditionally an alternative-rock show. Metallica remains high-profile, winning an MTV award for the year's Best Hard Rock Video in September.



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After 10 years of separation, members of the band Van Halen are reunited with their former lead singer, David Lee Roth (right), at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Roth later claims he thought he was rejoining the band, who chose a different lead singer.





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No Doubt, fronted by lead singer Gwen Stefani, releases *Tragic Kingdom*, which includes such chart-toppers as "Just a Girl," "Spiderwebs," and "Don't Speak."



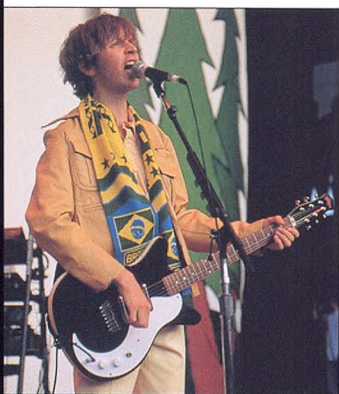
Counting Crows' second album, *Recovering the Satellites*, is released in October. The long awaited follow-up to 1993's *August and Everything After* debuts at number one on the charts.



Adele Starr, LGI



George Strait is honored by the Country Music Association in October with three major awards—Single of the Year for "Check Yes or No," Album of the Year for *Clear Blue Sky*, and Male Vocalist of the Year.



Tim Mosenfelter, LGI



The hit single "Where It's At" kicks off the new Beck album *Delayer*, which is released to popular and critical acclaim. *Spin* magazine awards Beck Artist of the Year.



Mike Hashimoto/NGI from LGI



Lisa Leone, LGI



Toni Braxton's second album, *Secrets*, is released in summer 1996. Braxton wins R&B Single of the Year for "Let It Flow" at the *Billboard* Music Awards in the fall.



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Alanis Morissette's *Jagged Little Pill* reigns the charts, becoming the all-time top-selling album by a female artist. Morissette also dominates the 1996 Grammys by winning four awards, including Best Album.



Death Row Records co-founder Dr. Dre, often dubbed the "godfather of 'gangsta' rap," begins distancing himself from hard-core rap. "Been There, Done That," his break-away anthem, premieres on MTV in September.



R.E.M.'s 12th album, *New Adventures in Hi-Fi*, the group's first recording since 1994's *Monster*, is released by Warner Bros. in September.



The Wallflowers, with Jakob Dylan, son of legendary folk artist Bob Dylan, release *Bringing Down the Horse*, which features hit singles "One Headlight" and "6th Avenue Heartache."



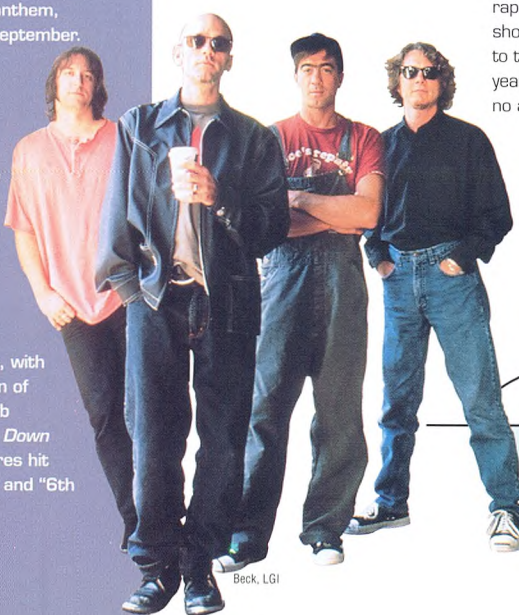
James L. Lance, LGI



Fourteen-year-old singing sensation LeAnn Rimes is nominated for the Country Music Association's Horizon Award after the breakthrough success of her single "Blue." The popular new star is often compared to country music legend Patsy Cline.



The music world is stunned in September by the death of rapper Tupac Shakur, killed in a drive-by shooting in Las Vegas. Speculations as to the killer's motive abound, but the year ends with no answers and no arrests.



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## SPORTS

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Tennis pro Pete Sampras wins the eighth grand-slam title of his career at the U.S. Open in September. Steffi Graf wins the U.S. Open Women's title, beating Monica Seles.

Pro boxer Mike Tyson loses his Heavyweight Champion of the World title to Evander Holyfield in a November match. Holyfield, a former two-time world champion, reclaims his title in the surprise win.

Chicago Bulls star Dennis Rodman furthers his controversial reputation by kicking a photographer in the groin during a game against the Minnesota Timberwolves in January 1997. Rodman is suspended for up to 11 games without pay, costing him more than \$1 million, in addition to a \$25,000 fine to the NBA, as well as a reported \$200,000 settlement with the photographer.

Baltimore Orioles second baseman Roberto Alomar is suspended for five games, deferred to the 1997 season, when he spits on an umpire during a heated argument over a questionable call in the National League play-offs. Controversy ensues over the leniency of the punishment.

Canapress



Team USA wins the World Cup of Hockey, beating Canada 5-2 in the final. Eight teams from Canada, Europe and the U.S. participate in the World Cup, which replaced the Canada Cup.

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Twenty-year-old golfing phenom Eldrick "Tiger" Woods turns pro in August, making the transition from exceptional amateur golfer to well-endorsed professional, including a deal with Nike worth an estimated \$40 million.



Craig Jones, Allsport



Al Bello, Allsport

The New York Yankees win the World Series, beating the Atlanta Braves in a four-game sweep, after losing the first two games. It is the first series title for the Yankees since 1978.

In June, the Colorado Avalanche beat the Florida Panthers in the NHL Stanley Cup play-offs. The final game in the series remains scoreless until 1:05 a.m., when the Avalanche finally score the winning goal in the third overtime period.



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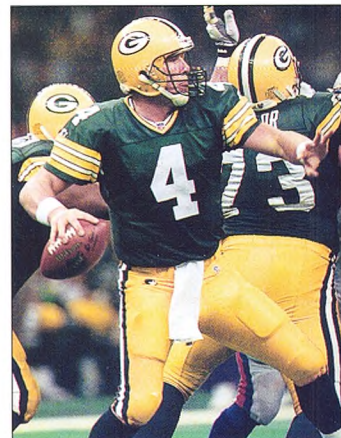


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Paul Molitor of the Minnesota Twins becomes the 21st player in major league history to reach 3,000 career hits. The milestone is reached in September, when Molitor triples against Kansas City Royals rookie pitcher Jose Rosado.

Race car driver Terry Labonte wins NASCAR's Winston Cup championship with a total of 4,657 points after finishing fifth in the final race, the Napa 500, at the Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Led by quarterback Brett Favre, the Green Bay Packers beat the New England Patriots 35-21 in Super Bowl XXXI at the Louisiana Superdome. It is the Packers' first Super Bowl since 1968.



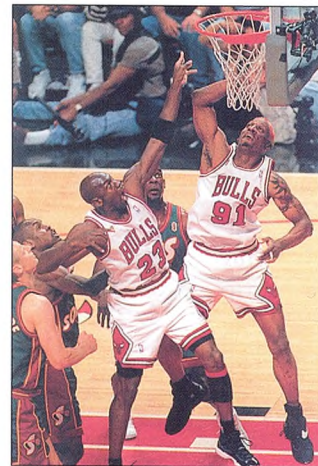
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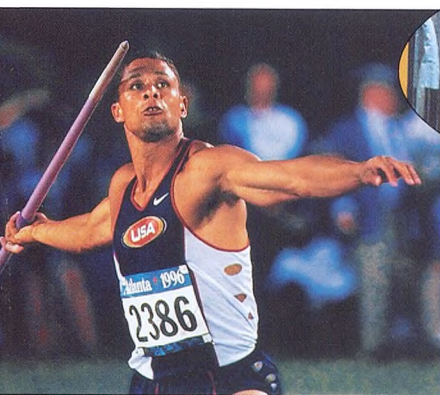
The U.S. women's gymnastics team takes the gold at the Summer Olympics. Kerri Strug, second from right, is the heroine of the competition, landing her final vault despite a dislocated left ankle.

U.S. swimmer Amy Van Dyken wins the women's 100-meter butterfly event at the Olympic Games with a time of 59.13 seconds. Van Dyken wins a total of four golds.



The Chicago Bulls win their fourth NBA championship in six years as they defeat the Seattle SuperSonics in game six of the NBA finals on June 16.

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Olympic swimmer Tom Dolan captures another gold for the U.S. as he wins the 400-meter individual medley on July 21. Dolan wins with a time of 4:14.90.



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Minnesota Twins star centerfielder Kirby Puckett announces his retirement from baseball in July. A serious eye ailment forces Puckett to give up the game, but he manages to maintain his upbeat attitude at press conferences and interviews.



Al Bello, Allsport

U.S. Olympian Dan O'Brien racks up 8,824 points to take the gold medal in the decathlon, a grueling, 10-event track-and-field competition.

April 1996 marks the 100th running of the Boston Marathon. More than 38,000 contenders participate.

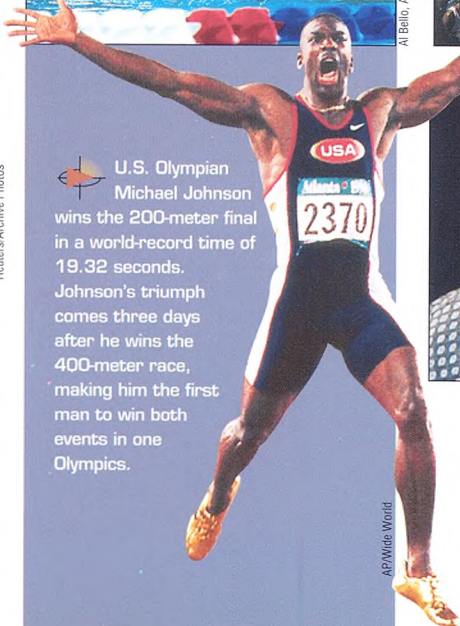


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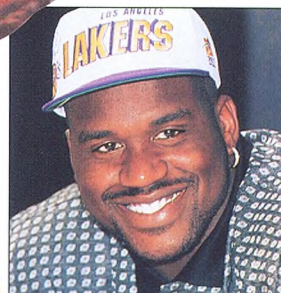


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U.S. Olympian Michael Johnson wins the 200-meter final in a world-record time of 19.32 seconds. Johnson's triumph comes three days after he wins the 400-meter race, making him the first man to win both events in one Olympics.



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Jean Driscoll (front right) of the U.S. takes the silver in the women's 800-meter wheelchair race, a demonstration sport, at the Summer Olympics. Driscoll, seven-time winner of the Boston Marathon, retires at the end of 1996, after setting several world records during her career.

Basketball star Shaquille O'Neal jumps from the Orlando Magic to the Los Angeles Lakers in July. The deal is the richest in NBA history, paying O'Neal \$120 million over 7 years.

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# LIFESTYLE

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Helping consumers maintain privacy, marketers promote home AIDS tests. Consumers draw their own blood and then send it away to be tested confidentially.

Advancing technology means more options on telephones, including Caller ID, which becomes more common than ever in 1996. The display unit allows people to see the name and number of their caller before even answering the phone.

Authors Ellen Fein and Sherrie Schneider release *The Rules*, a controversial manual teaching women strategies for getting a man to propose marriage. While the book draws criticism from both sexes, it is a best-seller.

The U.S. Postal Service issues stamps commemorating Hanukkah, the first non-Christian religious holiday ever featured on a stamp.

Casual Fridays become more and more widespread in American work culture. Businesses allow employees who normally dress in professional clothing at work to wear more comfortable, casual clothing on Fridays.



A "Sesame Street" stuffed toy causes panic among holiday shoppers. Tickle Me Elmo sells out in stores nationwide, and has shoppers fighting over scarce inventory and paying hundreds of times the toy's value.

My Twinn Doll Company



The My Twinn Doll Company offers individually crafted dolls that replicate, from a photo, the eye color, hair and facial features of a living girl. Each doll comes with two matching outfits, one for the doll and one for the owner.



Nail polish colors get darker and funkier. Deep browns and blues are popular forms of expression and style.



Monica Almeida, NYT Pictures

The ongoing dance craze is the "Macarena," a Latin line dance. People of all ages participate in the dance, including Olympians, delegates and workers of the Democratic National Convention (above) and the New York Yankees grounds crew.



The minimum wage is raised to \$4.75 in October, and will increase again to \$5.15, effective September 1, 1997.



The beverage industry introduces a new concept—bottled water with caffeine! One bottle of the uncarbonated water contains as much caffeine as one cup of coffee.

Disney's 101

Dalmatians inspires an avalanche of promotional merchandise, filling stores with spotted toys, backpacks, games and other odds and ends.



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