



### Reflections on Community Day

Year 2000

Sponsored by the Institute for International and Cross-Cultural Psychology, Community Day is one of my favorite events at the College. The name points to its basic purpose—to celebrate who we are as a community. Community Day means sharing in the cultural diversity among our student body, faculty, administration, and staff. It means celebrating our Franciscan heritage and spirit with a multilingual, multiethnic mass that invites all religions to participate. It means having fun, sharing different foods, music... coming together to have a good time.

We prayed together, ate together, sang our Alma Mater song with pizzazz, heard the voices of our leaders, shared a piece of ourselves, and watched with pride Caribbean song and poetry, Greek dance, African-American Christian spiritual, and Brazilian comedy performed by some highly talented students. Organized by Brother Thomas Grady, Dr. Michele Hirsch, Ms. Andrea DeMarco, Mr. William Mallett, and myself — and the help of so many others — the day was a true coming together. This is who we are!

Dr. Renee Goodstein





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# Student Government Annual Award Dinner



## Dr. John Clifford Memorial Award

For many years Dr. John Clifford served as a dedicated and concerned Dean of Students Affairs. His love for our community and understanding of its students have left an indelible mark even upon those who never knew him personally. To commemorate his spirit, loyalty, and dedication, the SGA has established this special award in his name. The award is given annually to the graduating senior who best represents the genuine unselfishness and the Franciscan Spirit so exemplified in the life of Dean John Clifford.

## Franciscan Spirit Award

The purpose of this award is to recognize students, staff, and benefactors of St. Francis College for extraordinary service to the College community or service to others performed without thought of reward.

## Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities

This award is presented to students who deserve special recognition because of outstanding involvement and achievement in academic, extra curricular, and community activities.

## New Student Leader Award

This award is presented to freshmen and sophomores who are developing student leaders. Students nominated for this award addresses their generous contributions in time and energy to make extra curricular activities at the College flourish.

## The John Fitzgerald Kennedy Memorial Award

The John Fitzgerald Kennedy Memorial Award was established by the Student Government in the memory of the late President.