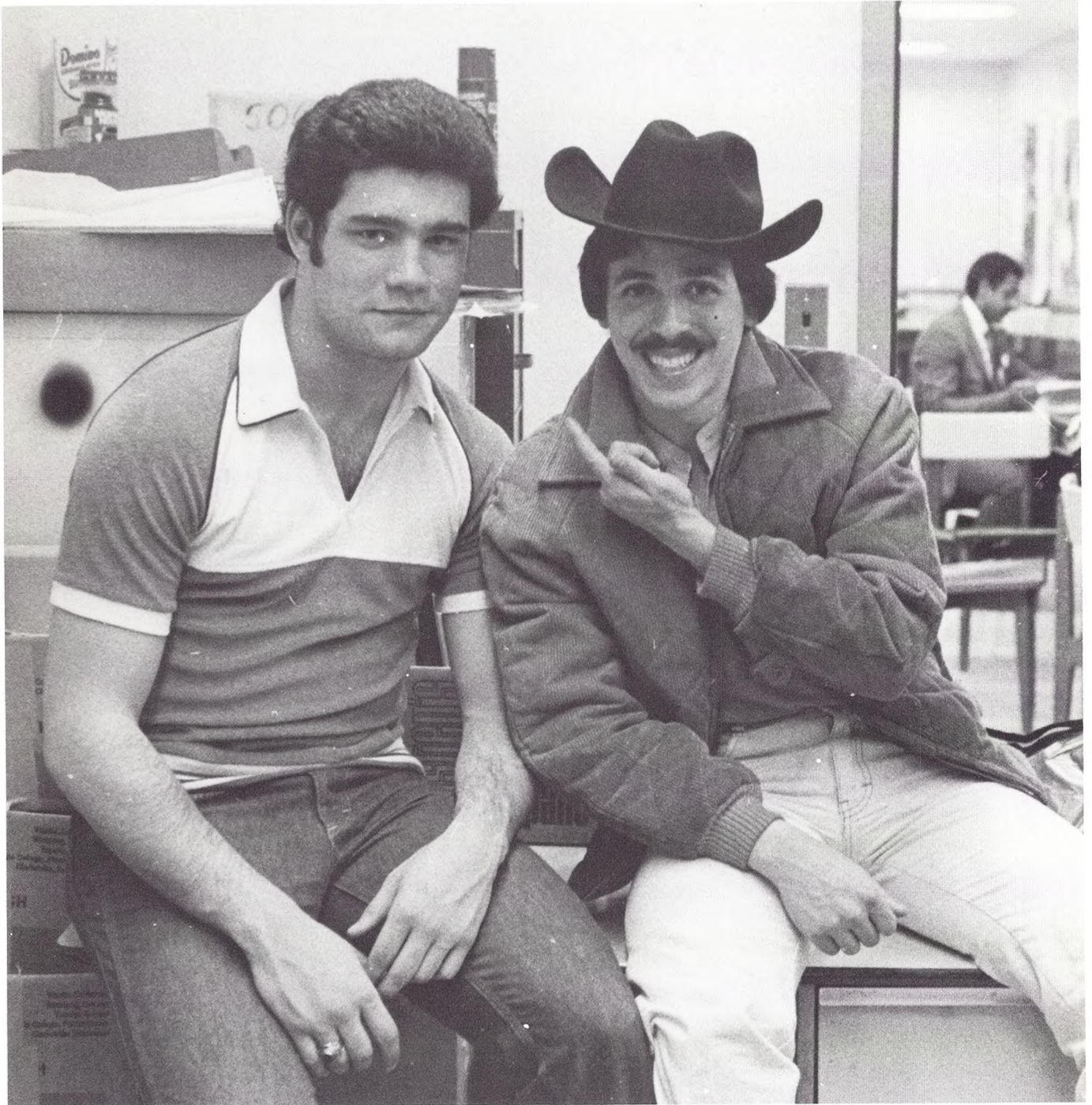


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Paul and Joe; 1981 Editors Franciscan Yearbook

Dear Friends,

How does one end a year's work of joy, devotion, love and even pain? It is not an easy task by any means. Maybe it's an old cliché but it still fits, "All good things must come to an end." We can only hope the book was as good for you as the experience of producing it was for us.

As with most books which are produced, yearbooks being no exception, they cannot be produced by the two editors alone. Therefore, the warmest and sincerest thanks are extended to those who helped whenever they could: Joli Yuknek, Vinny Pisani, Lorraine DeLandro, Anthony Imbruglia, Liliana Arias, Barbara Ann Banninger, Maria Bennici and Ed Thornton of Thornton's Classic Studios.

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Lastly, we would like to say that although it is thought unusual and hard to do, we think we showed that two people, two distinct personalities can produce a yearbook while occupying the position of Editor-in-Chief simultaneously. On that note we would like to thank and congratulate each other on finishing, what in our opinion, was the most challenging and enriching job we have faced thus far.

Very truly yours,

Joe & Paul
Editors Franciscan 1981