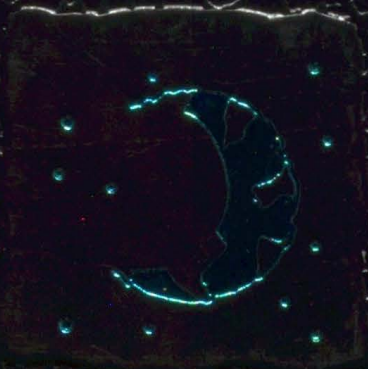
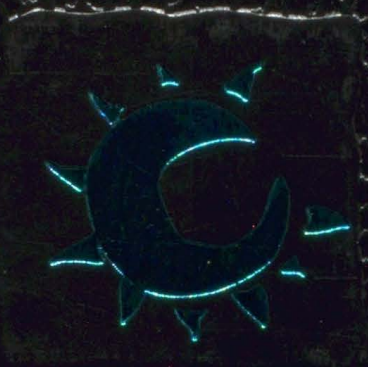
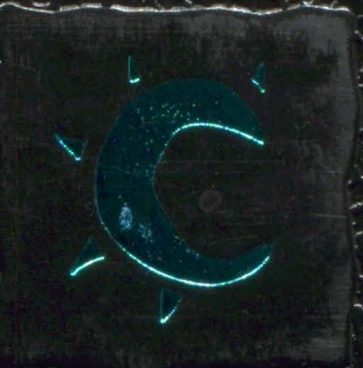
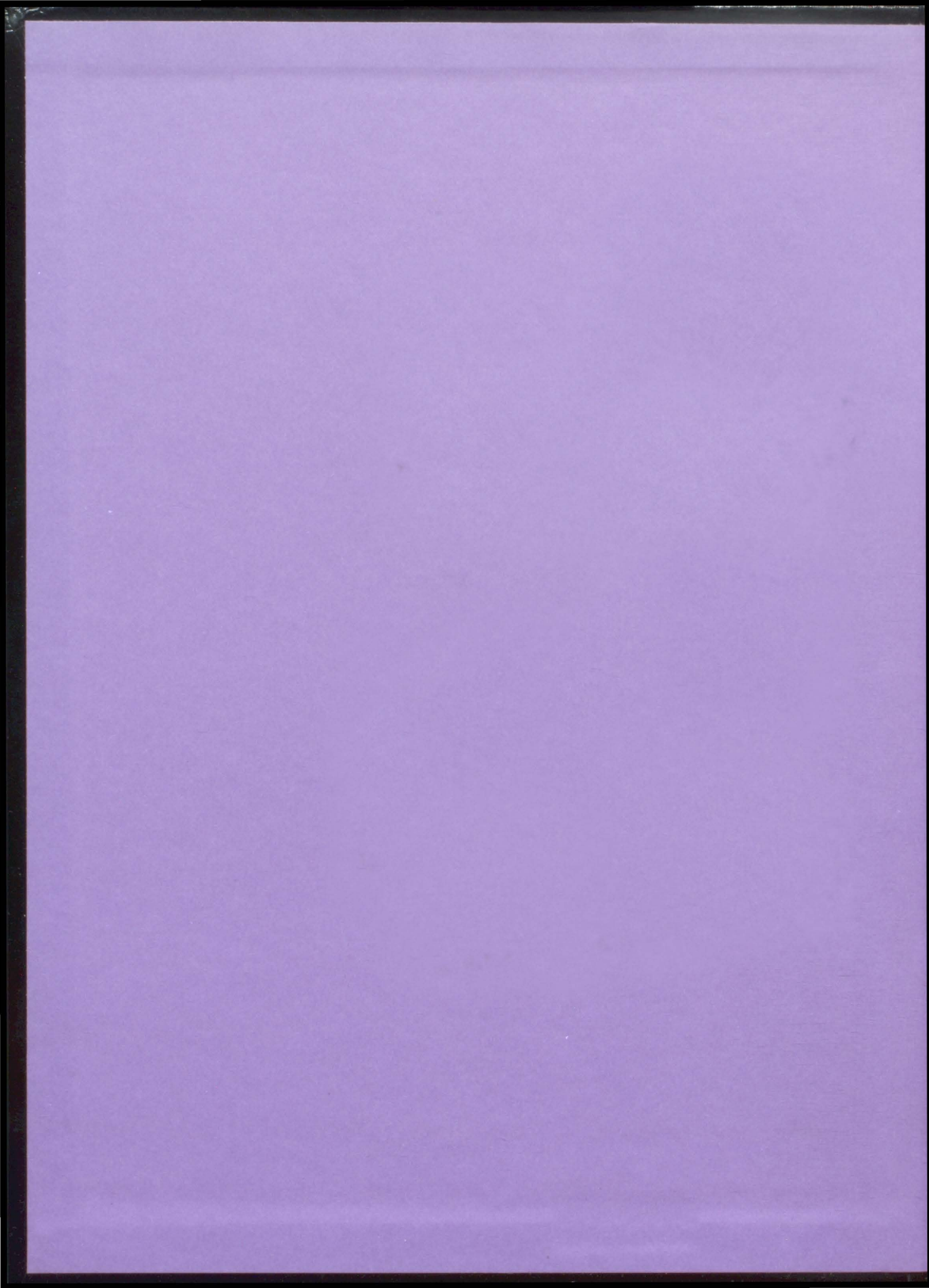


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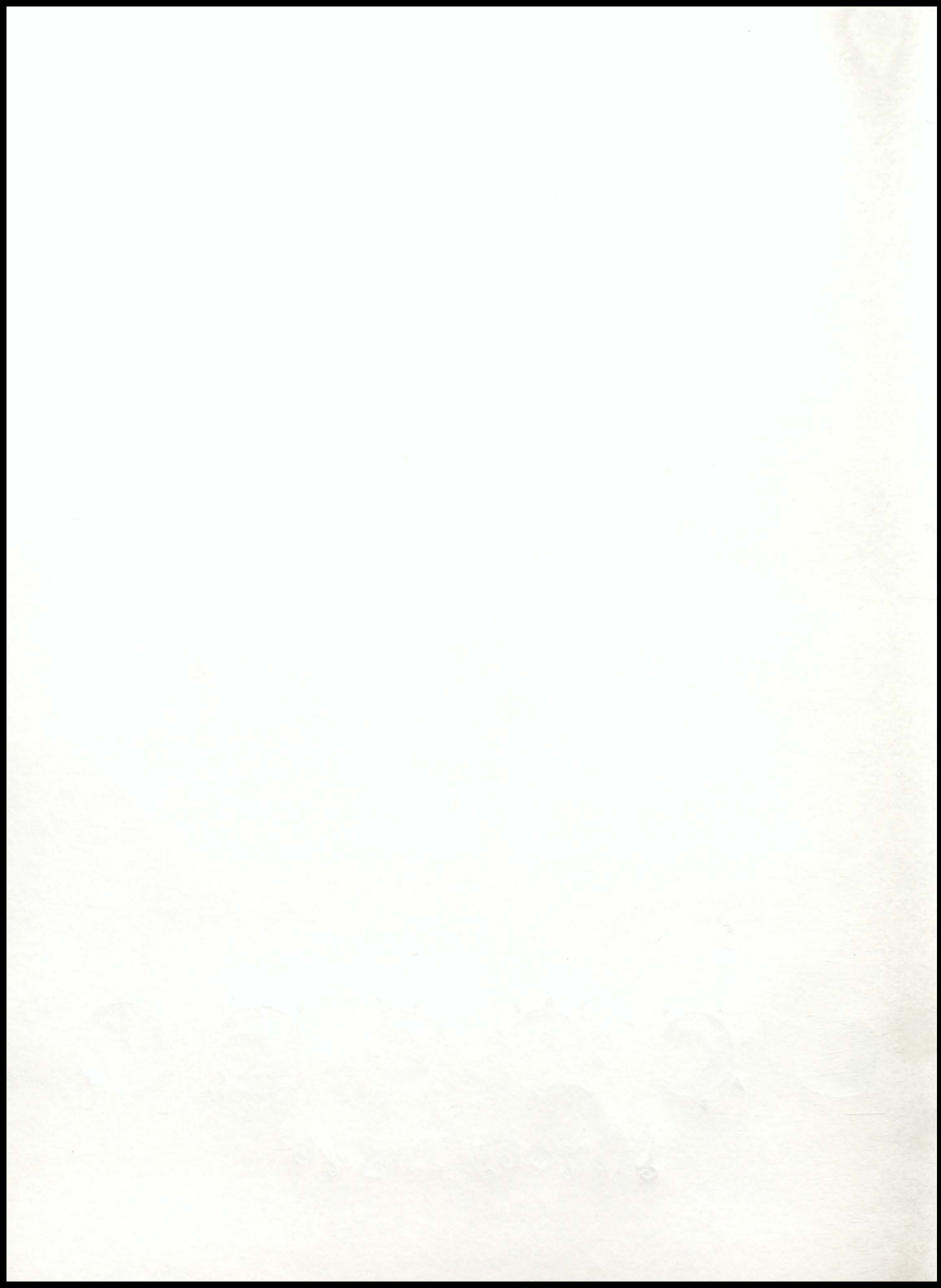
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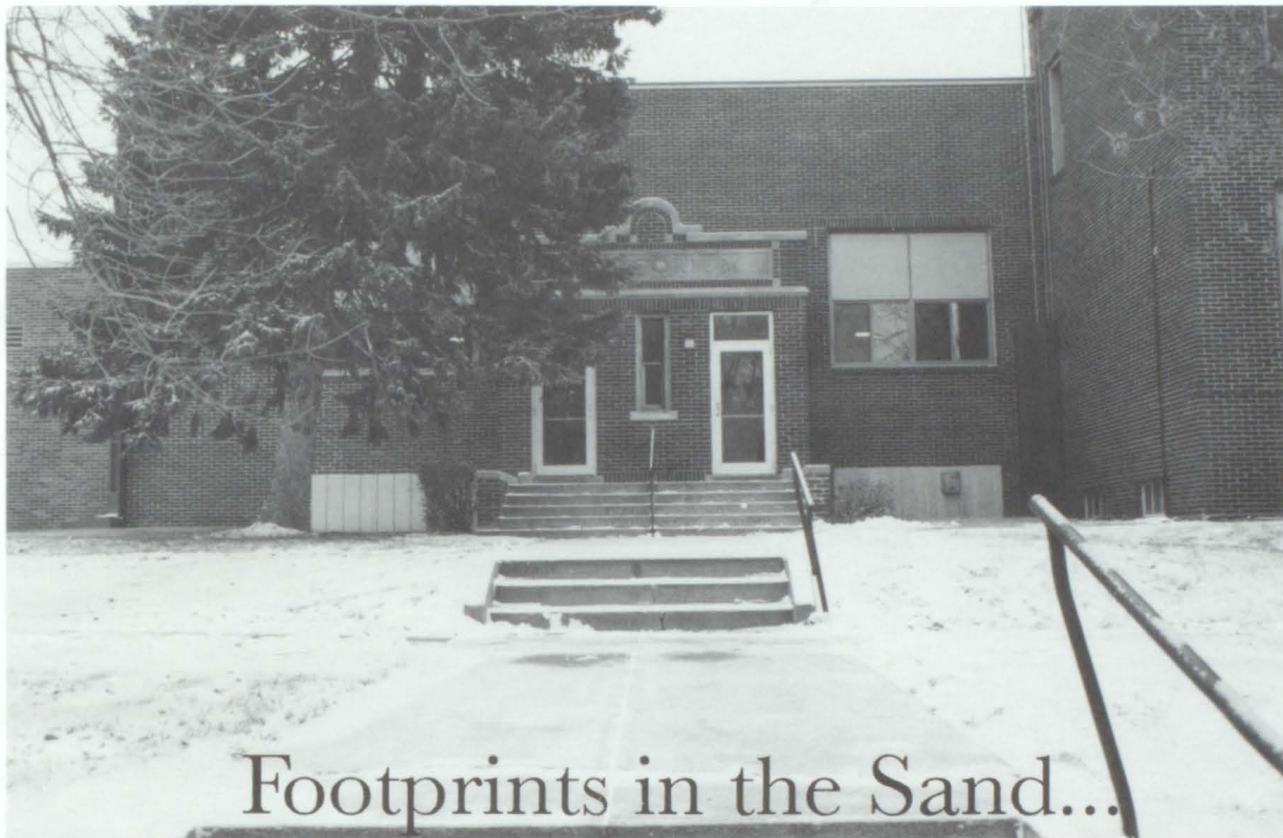




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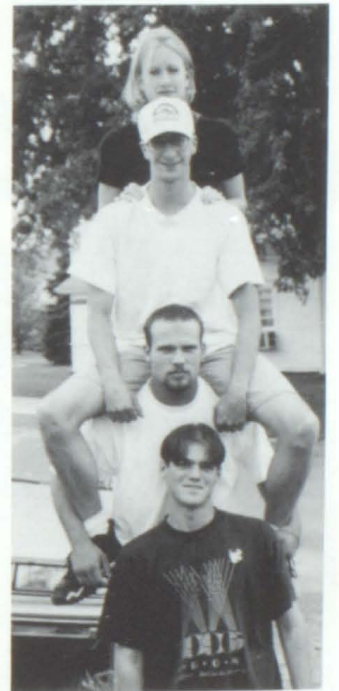
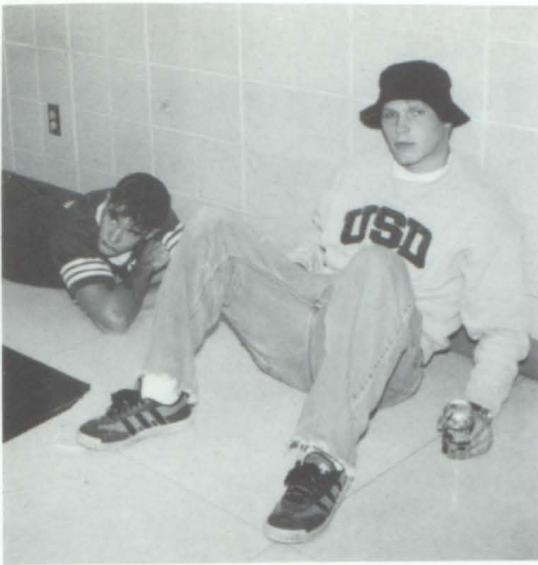


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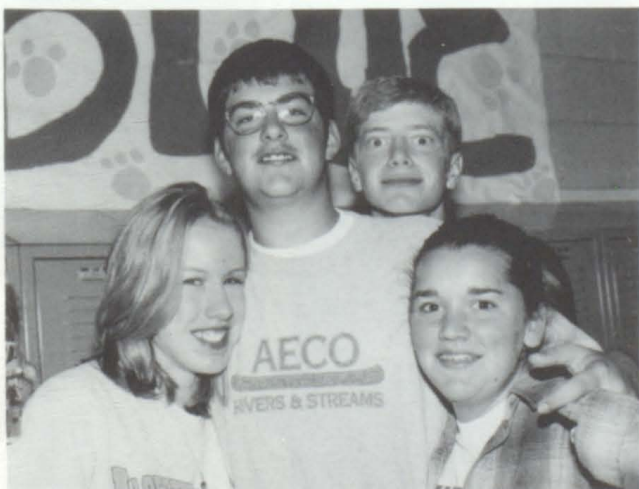
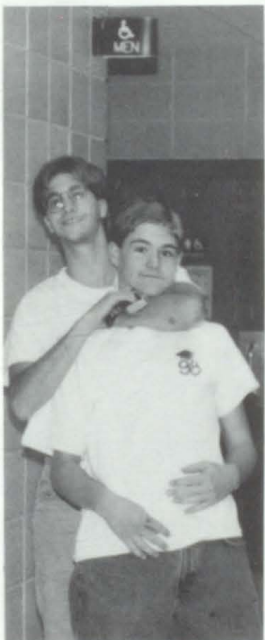


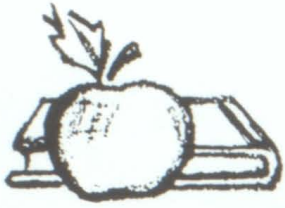
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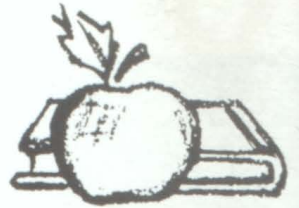




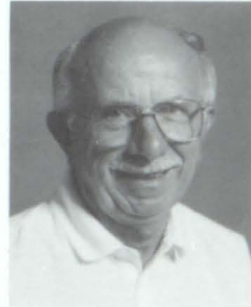




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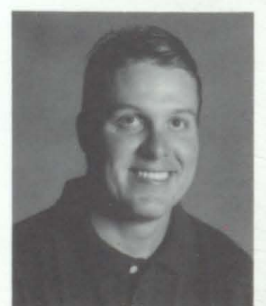
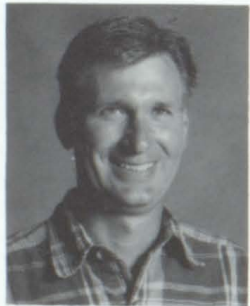
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Mrs. Voeltz
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Mr. Bauer
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Mr. Wells

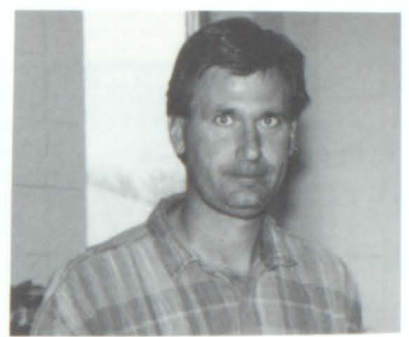


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Mrs. Kresak
Miss Bossman
Miss Ortman
Miss Busker



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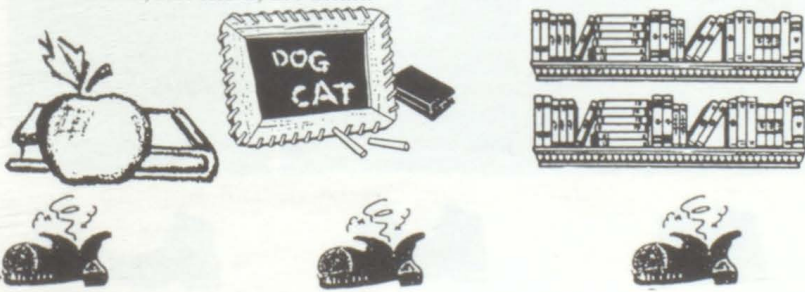
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Mrs. Hope
Mrs. Thompson



SCHOOL BOARD



1st Row, L-R: Lori Jurrens, Val Haverhals 2nd Row, L-R: Fred Woods, Tim Winquist, Lance Johnson, Curt Keiser, Ery Steiner



Class of
2001

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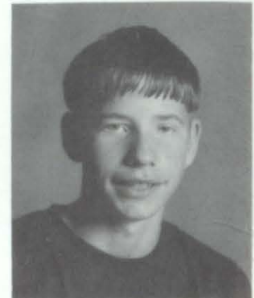
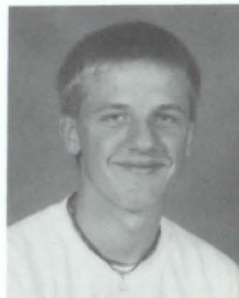
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- * David Anderson
- * Laura Baker
- * Jared Barnes



- * Wade Brown
- * Jon Burt
- * Joey Davelaar
- * Nicholas Day
- * Christopher Doty



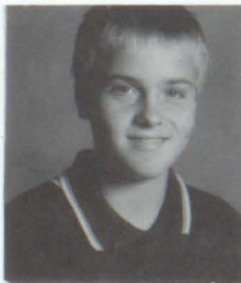
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- * Jill Duncan
- * Amanda Dunham
- * Shane Eden



- * Jessica Farley
- * Cory Fickbohm
- * Kyle Gates
- * Sarah Hahl
- * John Haverhals



- * Dustin Havlin
- * Steven Hennigs
- * Eric Heuer
- * Jean Hughes
- * Nicole Jacobson





- * Aaron Johnson
- * Lynise Johnson
- * Heidi Kramer
- * Carrie Larsen
- * Steffanie Liston



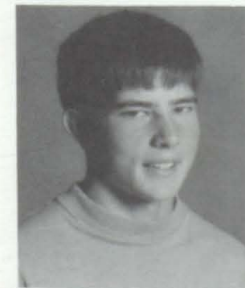
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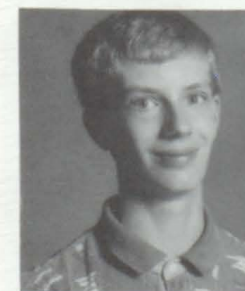
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- * Eric Saugstad



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- * Amber Smith
- * Matthew Sommervold
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- * Jennifer Vreugdenhil
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- * Kendra Witt



- * Joshua Yaeger



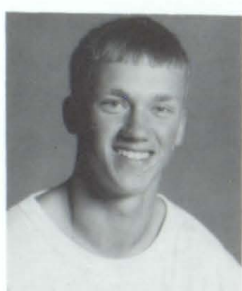
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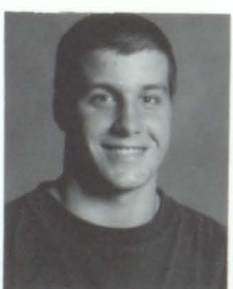
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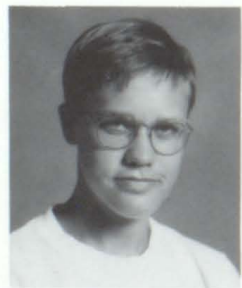
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- * Nathan Hammer
- * Emily Haverhals



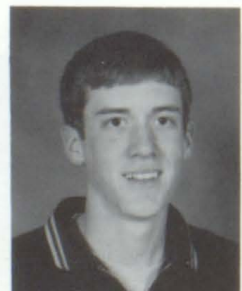
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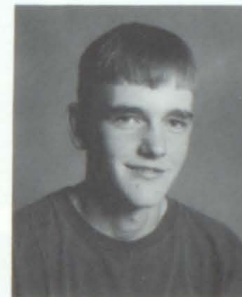
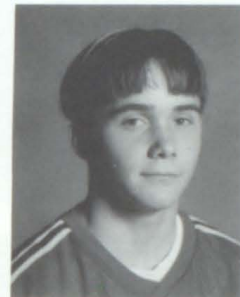
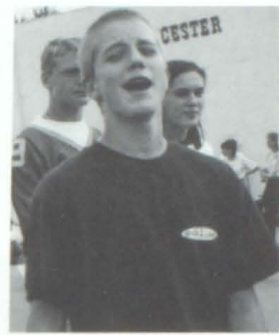


- * Ben Johnson
- * Nolan Johnson
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- * Karen Kezar



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- * Jamie Liston

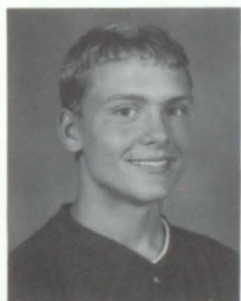




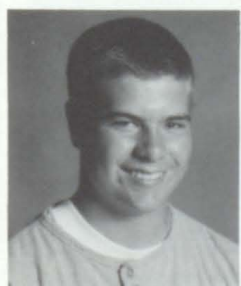
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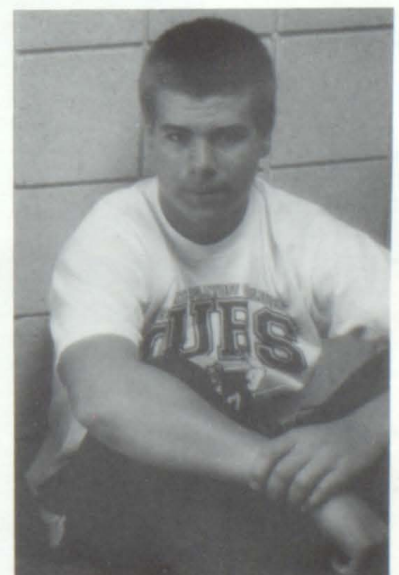
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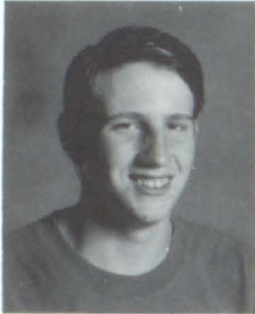


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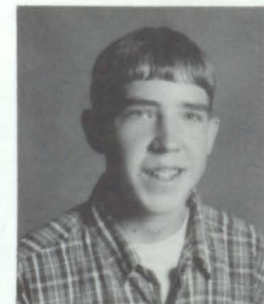
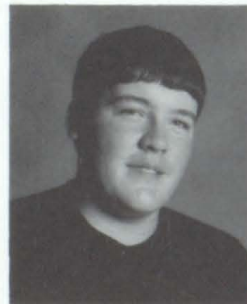
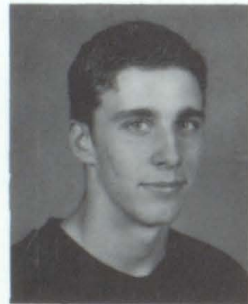
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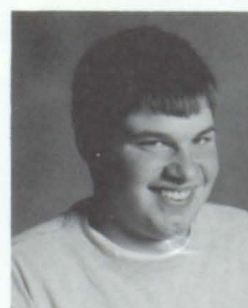
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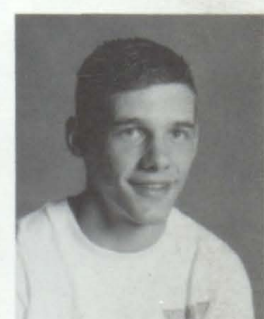
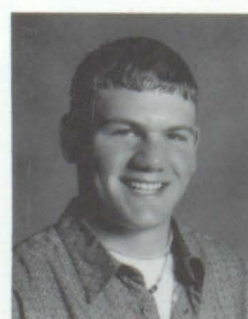
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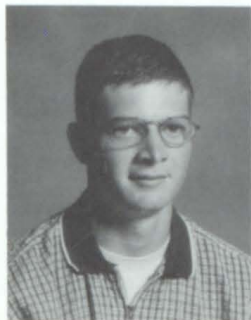
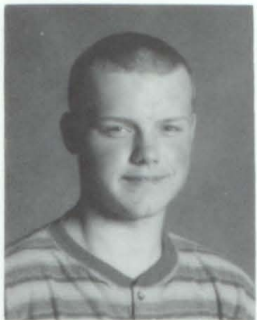


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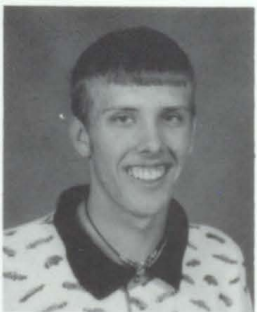




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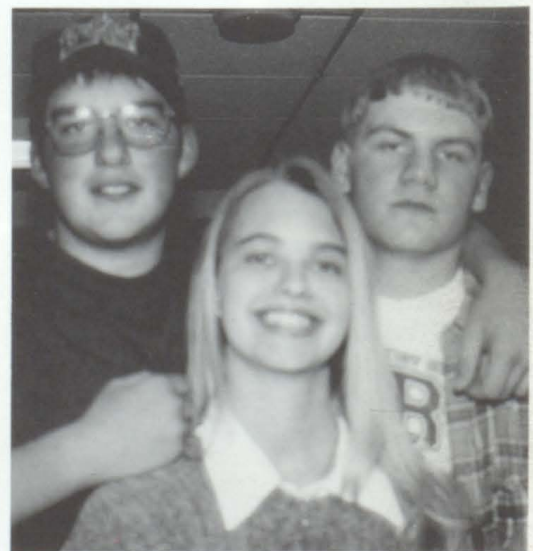
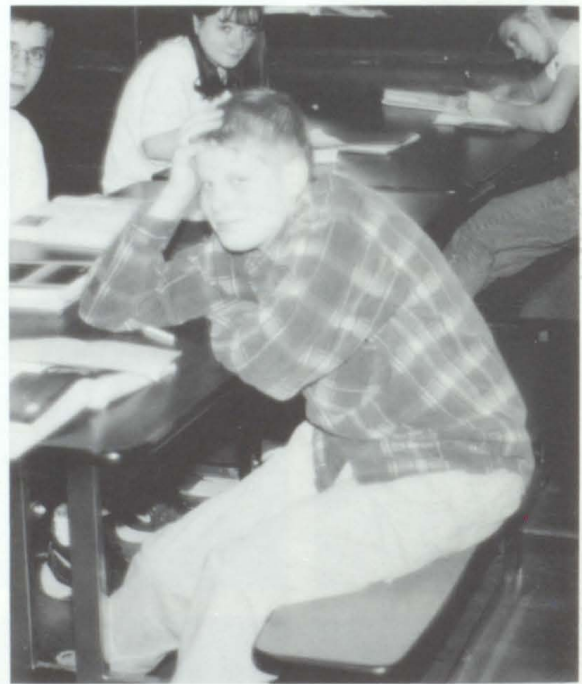


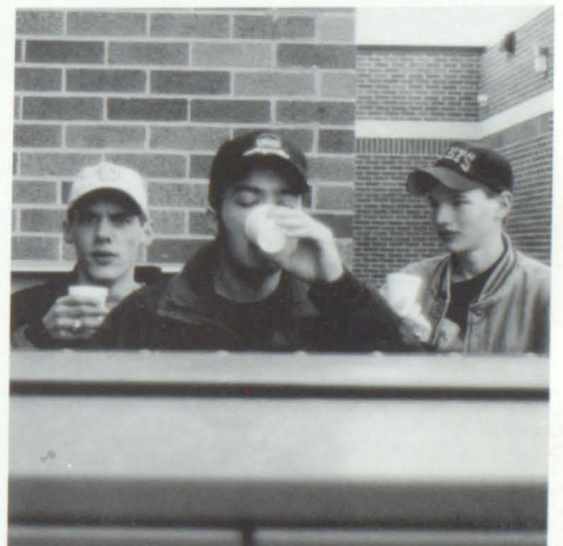
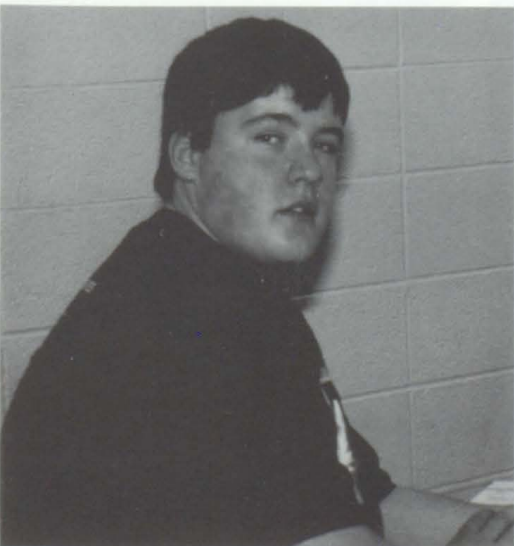
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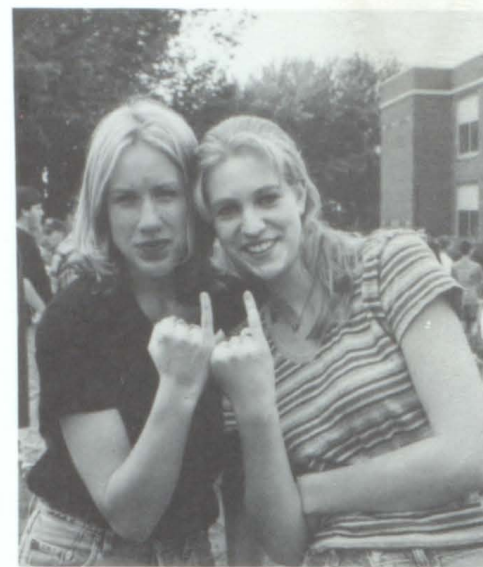


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Anna Albers

July 4, 1980

"Did nothing in particular, and did it well."



Kate Anderson

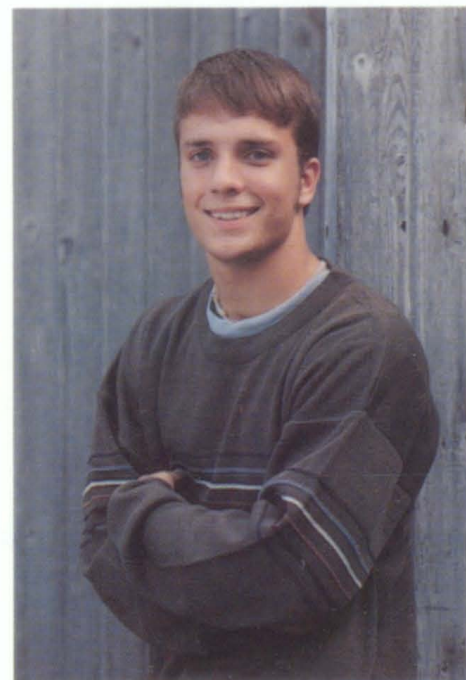
January 21, 1980

"Don't over look life's small joys while searching for the big ones."

Kevin Blauth

August 4, 1979

"It's not like I'm going to be a piolet or anything."



Payne Allen

August 27, 1979

"Everything is in the last place you look."



Sarah Baker

December 21, 1979

"The man who wakes up and finds himself a success hasn't been asleep."

Lori Brown

August 1, 1980

"Hold on to your dreams but let go of your fears."





Desiree Carlisle

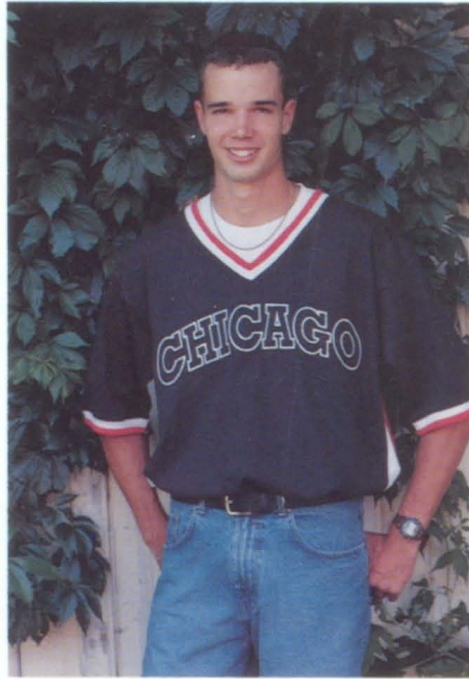
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"Open your arms to change but don't let go of your dreams."

Travis Dominisse

April 23, 1979

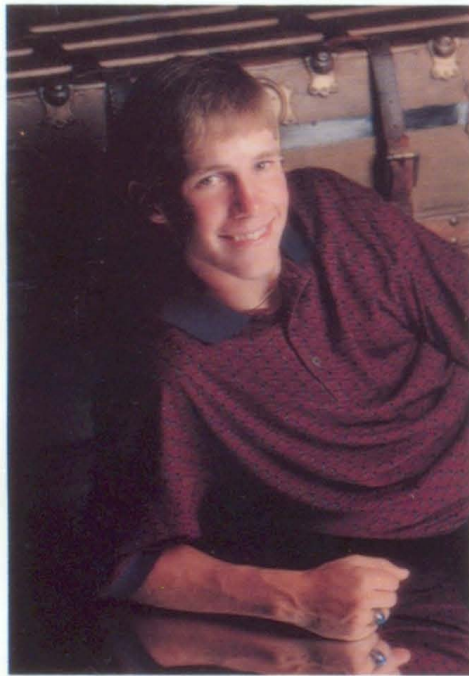
"Follow your heart and it will never lead you in the wrong direction."



Darcie Dreeszen

April 30, 1980

"The gift of happiness belongs to those who unwrap it."



Scott Embrock

February 11, 1980

"Pursue your dreams with courage. Prepare your heart with determination."

Timothy Feekes

April 7, 1980

"If you mess with the bull, you get the horns."



Nathan Groon

November 12, 1979

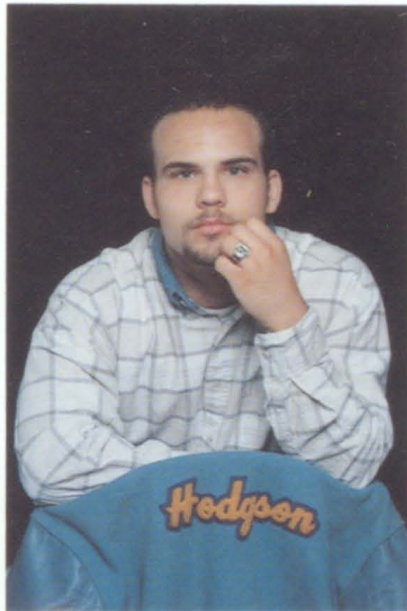
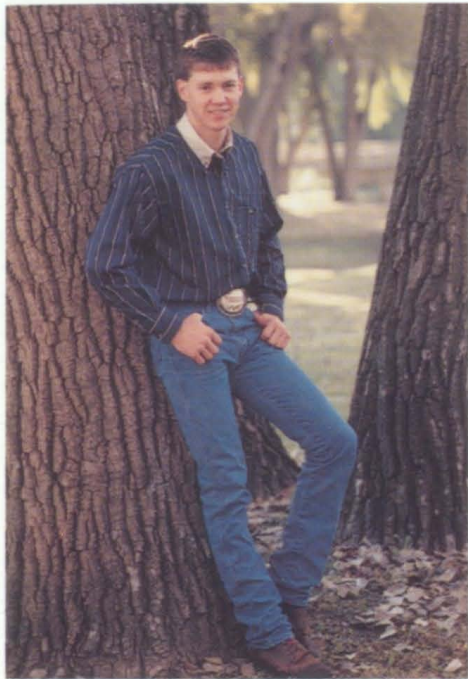
"A smile can change the world by changing one person's life."



Heath Keiman

January 29, 1980

"Don't use a hatchet to remove a fly from a friend's forehead."



David Hodgson

May 1, 1980

"When you leave room in your heart for love, be a bit selfish and leave some for yourself."

Jennifer Kolthe

September 24, 1979

"The place to be happy is here.
The time to be happy is now."



Julie Joachim

December 18, 1979

"Love makes the world go round. But it's laughter that keep us from getting dizzy."



Ashley Johnson

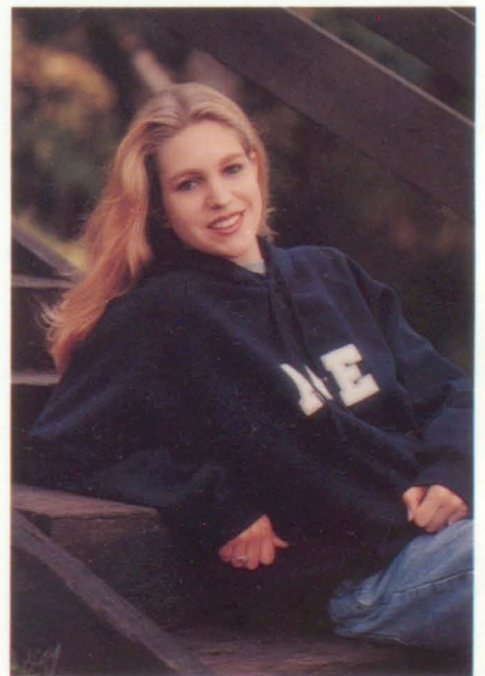
July 14, 1980

"Nothing has ever measured how much a heart can hold."

Kama Johnson

November 23, 1979

"Act as though you were to live forever,
and live as though you were to die tomorrow."





Lonnie Johnson

November 17, 1979

"There is a He-Man in everyone."

Sheryl Johnson

November 17, 1979

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams; Live the life you've imagined."



Jesse Jones

January 29, 1980

"Don't let what other people think decide who you are."



Heidi Larson

September 23, 1979

"May you always have a smile on your face and laughter in your heart."

Michelle Limoges

November 13, 1979

"The most beautiful action in the world?
To love, the second most beautiful? To help."



Paul Lundberg

September 12, 1979

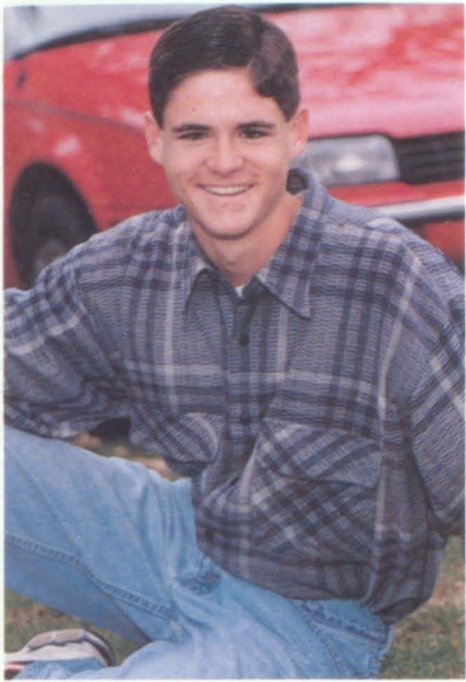
"Sanity is the playground for the unimaginative."



Jeremy Mead

May 29, 1980

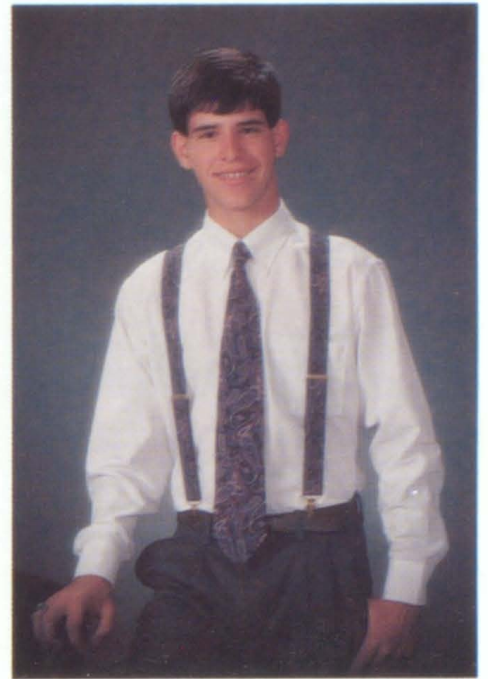
"You may have to fight a battle more than once to win it."



Matthew Neu

May 16, 1980

"You can only whip a horse so many times before it lies down in the pasture"



Jousha Mounmy

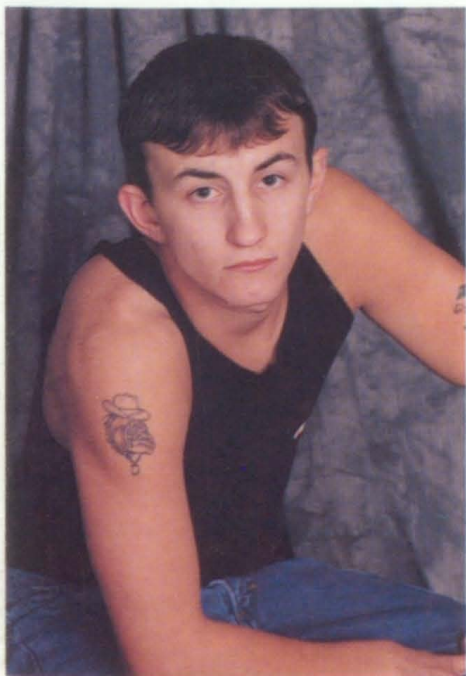
November 4, 1979

"Life is short and hard like a body building elf."

Wayne Overhulser

December 15, 1979

"So until I do something wrong, you don't have to ask me no question. If it's not broke, why are we talkin' about fixing it."



Rebecca Ronning

September 4, 1979

"When there is a hill to climb, don't think that waiting will make it smaller."

Tylese Pearson

October 22, 1979

"Only those who risk going too far can possibly find how far they can go."





Corey Scott

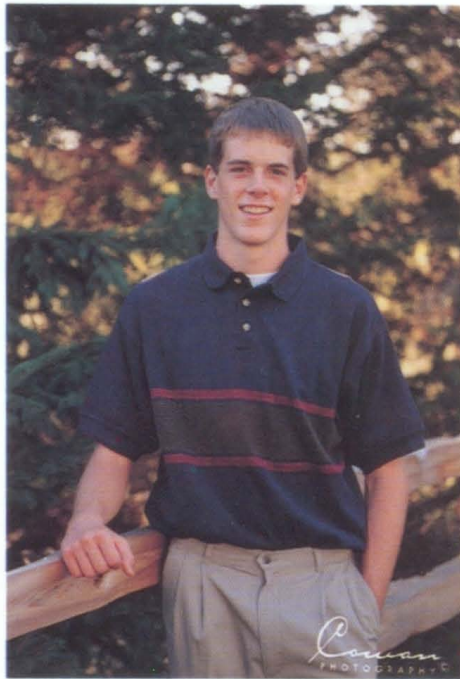
August 3, 1980

"Yesterday is the past, tomorrow is the future, today is a gift, that's why we call it the present."

Matthew Seivert

December 21, 1979

"How beautiful it is to do nothing and rest afterwards."



Scott Spade

April 8, 1980

"If you aim at nothing, you'll hit your goal everytime."



Sara Thompson

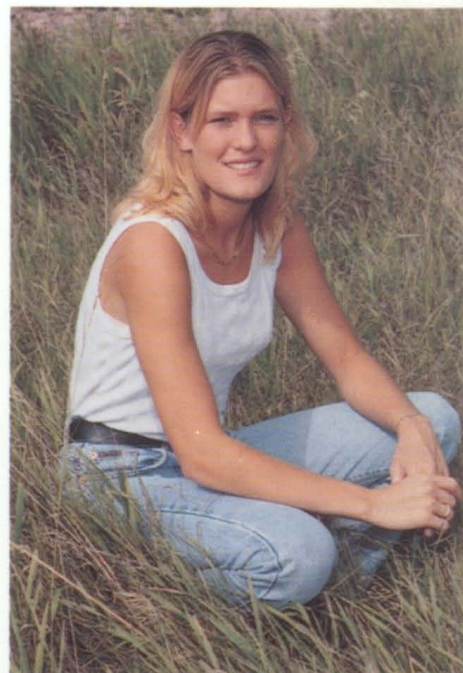
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"Laughter is the shortest distance between two people."

Anna Van Ballegooyan

November 10, 1979

"Trust in God, but lock your car."



Carey Van Egdorn

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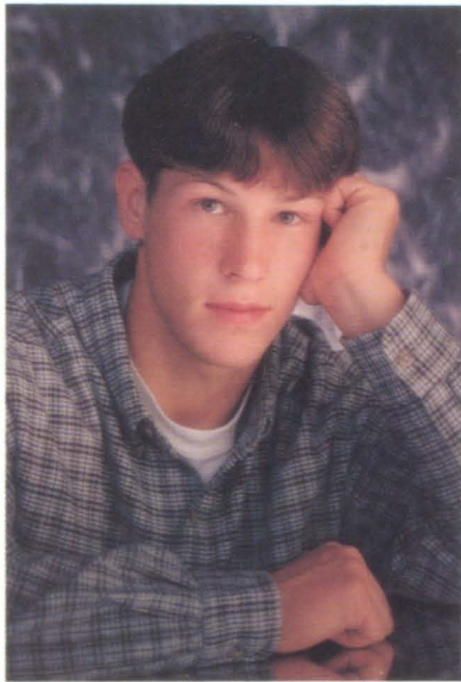
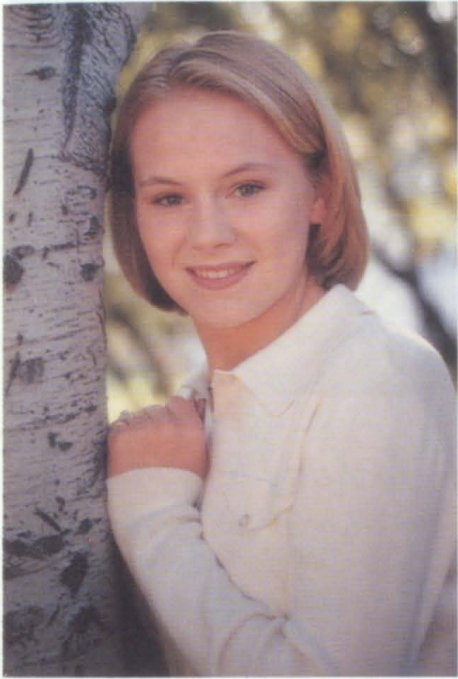
"Don't worry about what other people think, they are too worried about themselves to even notice."



Katherine Van Engen

September 26, 1979

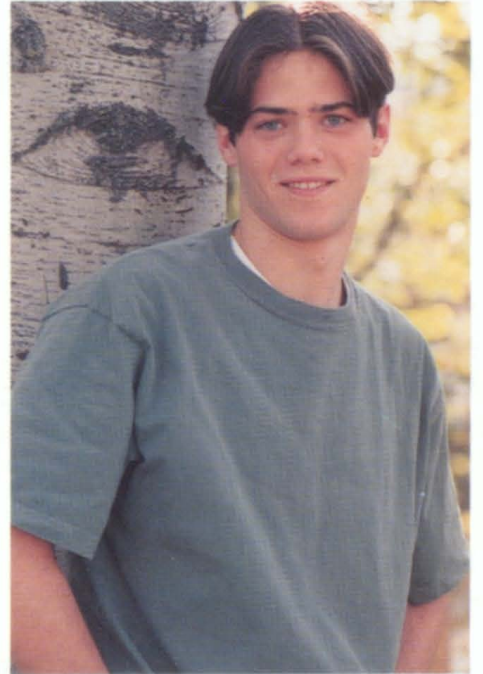
"Patience is a form of despair, disguised as a virtue."



Daniel VandeMore

December 25, 1979

"Just because you are paranoid doesn't mean they are not after you."



Gregg Van Wyk

March 18, 1980

"Don't let weeds grow around your dreams."

Jesse Voss

May 21, 1980

"To err is human, to forgive, divine."



Amanda Westphal

October 11, 1979

"Life is like film, it only develops right if you take your best shots."

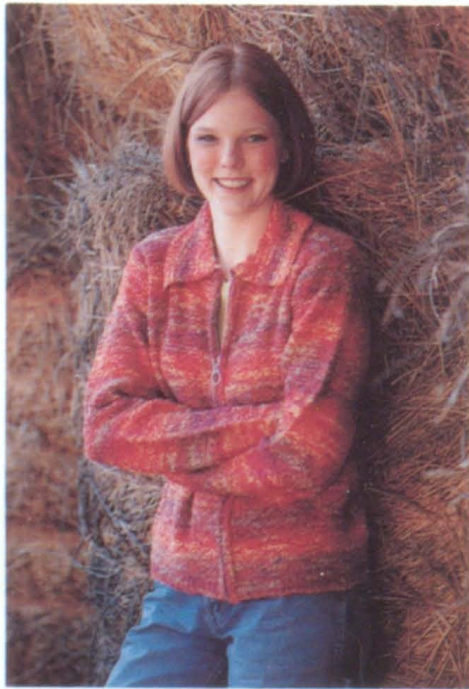


Rhonda Wegner

August 29, 1980

"Let us be friends with the earth as we are friends with each another."





Annie Wilson

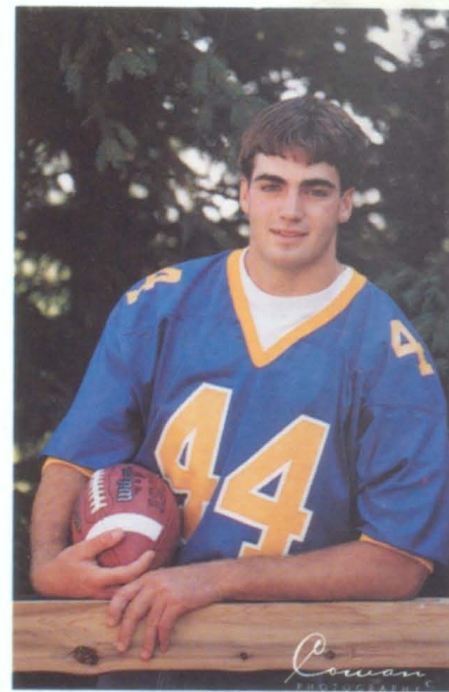
February 6, 1980

"It is not how much we have, but how much we enjoy, that makes happiness."

Class Motto:
"Behind you are the shadows of what we might have been, and ahead- the image of what we hope to be."

Class Flower:
Lily

Class Colors:
*Black, Hunter Green,
 and Silver*

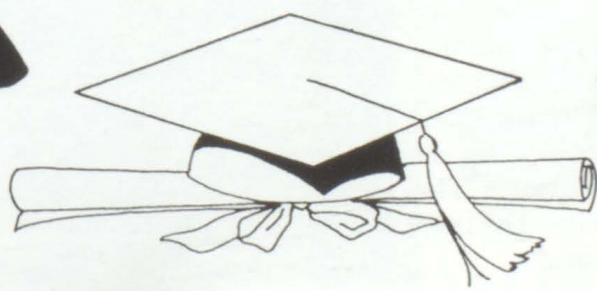
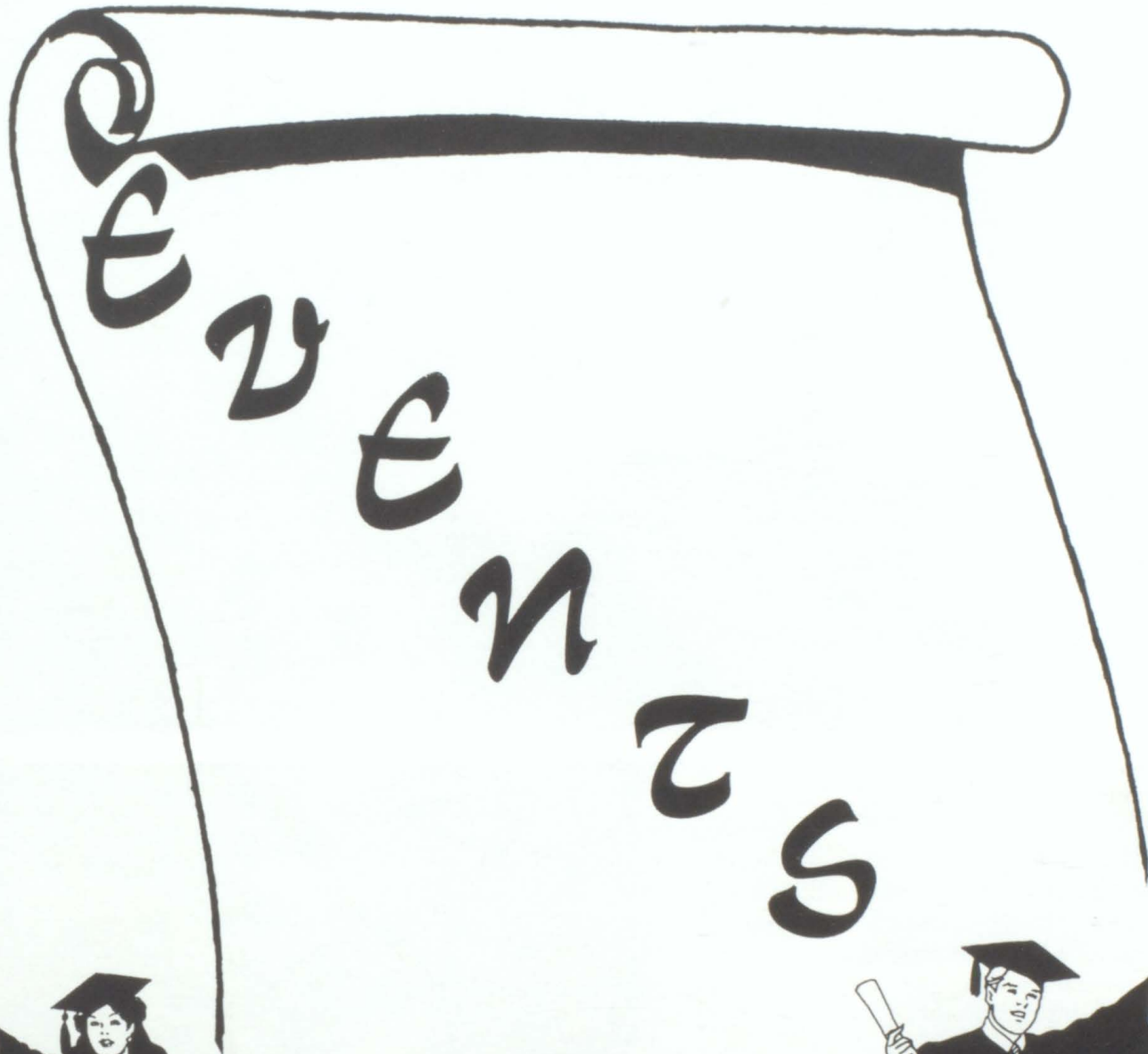


Joshua Winguist

October 20, 1979

"It is better to have milked and churn than to have never milked at all."





Homecoming

Back row L-R:

J. Moumy,
J. Winquist,
K. Blauth,
S. Johnson,
K. Anderson,
J. Joachim.

Middle row L-R:

K. Ahart,
J. Gray,
A. St.Pierre,
S. Hommandberg,
A. Beeler,
N. Ahart.

Front row L-R:

C. Braaten,
N. Braaten,
J. Fickbohm,
M. Wood.



Homecoming 1997 was a well awaited event for Alcester-Hudson High School. The week started out with get up and go day as the students came to school right out of bed. A new addition was added to the eventful week, picnic day. The student body was served a picnic lunch by the student council. The night that everyone was waiting for was finally here, the crowning of the 1997 Homecoming King and Queen. As the lights dimmed and the words of "Building a Mystery" filled the gym the 1997 Royalty took the stage. 1997 Attendants were: Freshmen; Nikki Ahart and Keegan Ahart, Sophomore; Amber Beeler and Justin Gray, and Junior; Sara Homandberg and Adam St. Pierre. The King and Queen candidates were then announced, Sheryl Johnson and Kevin Blauth, Julie Joachim and Josh Moumy, and Kate Anderson and Josh Winquist. As the crowd quieted the envelope was given to the MC's Kyla Honglso and Laurie Evanson and they announced that Sheryl Johnson and Kevin Blauth would reign over the week. The Royalty were entertained by skits from the student body and musical selection from Rebecca Ronning, Nikki Kellen and Melissa Mead. The program was followed by a pep rally in the gym because of the rainy weather. Game day arrived and the mighty Cubs beat the Parker Pheasants. The game was followed by the Homecoming dance. The 1997 Homecoming week was one to be remembered.





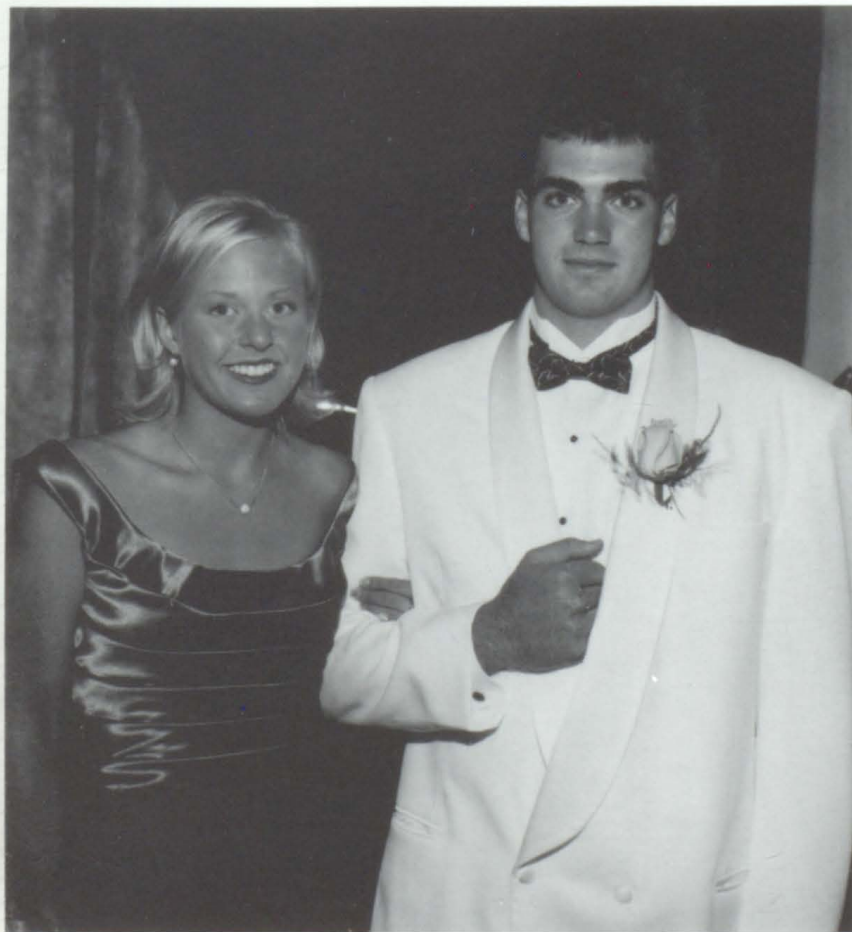
Junior Attendants:
Adam St. Pierre
&
Sara Homandberg



Sophomore Attendants:
Amber Beeler
&
Justin Gray

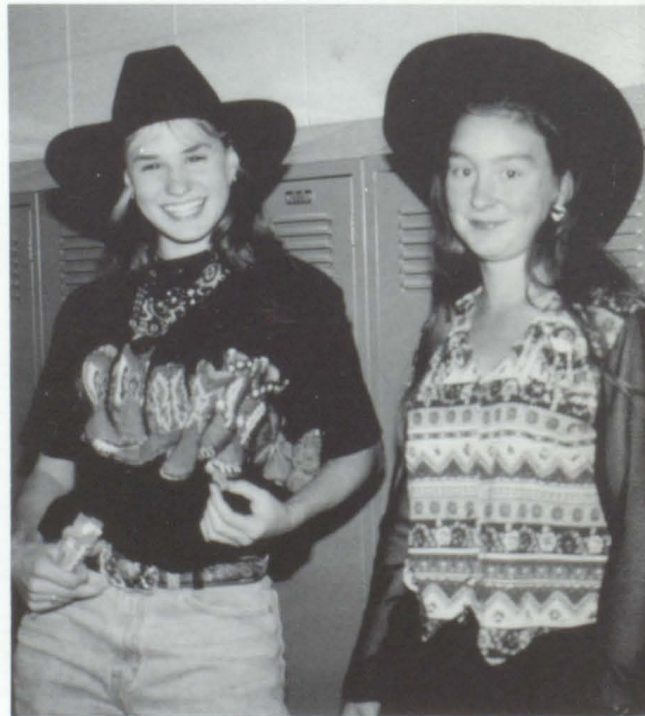


Royalty: Joshua Moumy & Julie Joachim
Joshua Winquist & Kate Anderson



Freshmen Attendants:
Nikki Ahart
&
Keegan Ahart





Why do We Laugh?



Alcester-Hudson High School presented the play "Why Do We Laugh?" by Stephen Gregg on April 24th and 25th. It was a nostalgic look at the lives of an aging couple portrayed during different stages of their lives by Chris Homandberg and Leslie Fickbohm as the children; Luke Bakker and Paige Heeren as the teenagers; Scott Johnson and Bethany Groom as the middle-aged couple; and Nathan Groom and Annie Van Ballegooyen as the senior citizens. Sara Heiman and Tara Peters provided the Lighting as the audience re-lived the lives of Meridith and Andrew Powers.

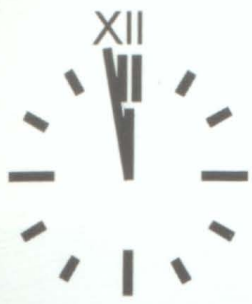


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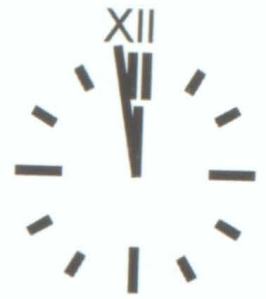
"You Can't Be Too Careful", a play by Carolyn Lane, was presented by the Alcester-Hudson High School. The elderly women in the Bridge club were portrayed by Mary Lyon, Jenny Horner, Katie Turner, and Julie Joachim. The visitors to the house were Annie Wilson, Corey Scott, and Nolan Johnson. The police officer was Matthia Melchizedek and the bank robbers were Colin McKellips and Brad Jurgensen. Keep your doors locked - You can't be too careful!





Prom '98

"Time of Your Life"



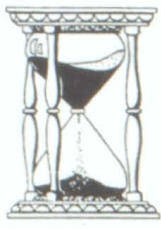
The theme song, "Time of Your Life", set the mood for Prom '98. The banquet began at 6:30 in the Elementary Gym. The class futures were predicted and we were entertained by to musical selections and a poem. Spectators for the grand march were lined up to the gates and were all anxious to see who the new prom King & Queen would be. The bleachers were packed and the couples were escorted out and finally the new AHHS Prom Royalty were revealed...King Josh Winqvist and Queen Jennifer Holte. The dance was a great time, and afterwards, the couples boarded four buses to go to the after prom party held at the YMCA in Sioux Falls. Prizes were handed out back at the gym and everyone went home to sleep!

**King
Josh**

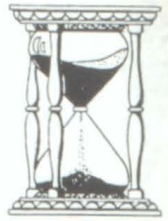
**Queen
Jennifer**

L-R: Matt Seivert, Julie Joachim, Kate Anderson, Josh Winqvist, Jennifer Holthe, Rebecca Ronning, Lonnie Johnson, Heidi Larson, Josh Moumy





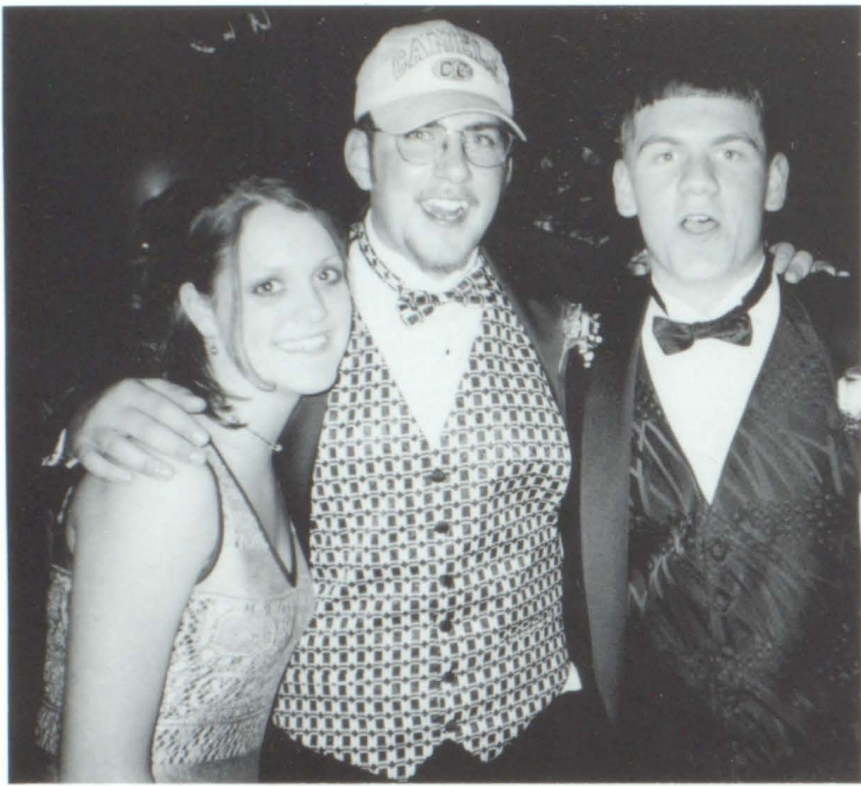
Juniors





Seniors





Waiters and Waitresses





Senior Trip

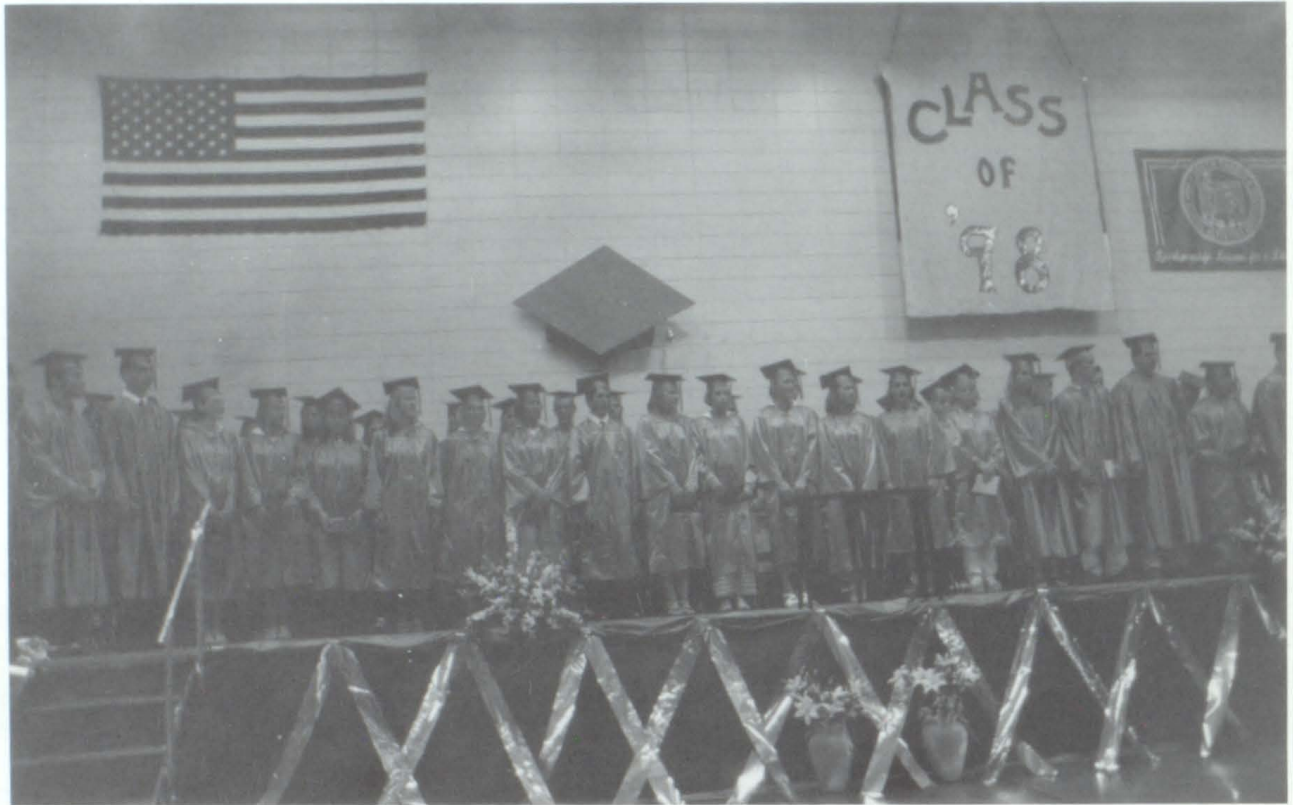




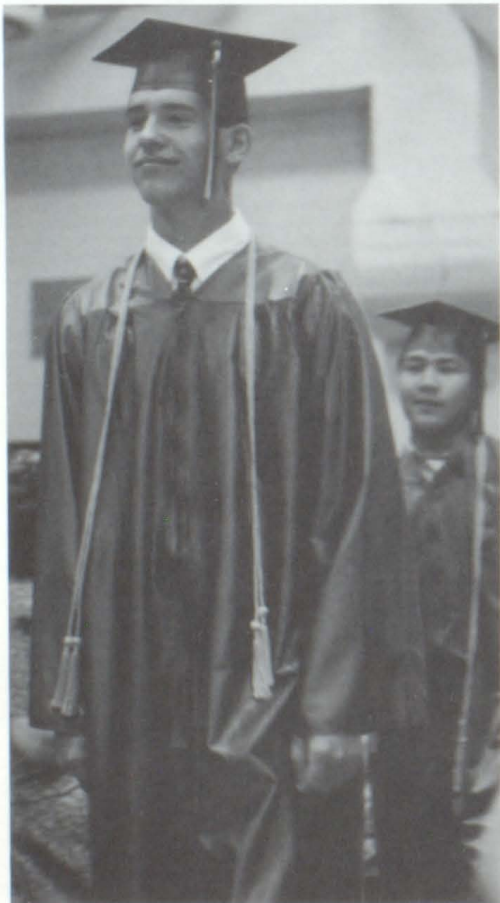
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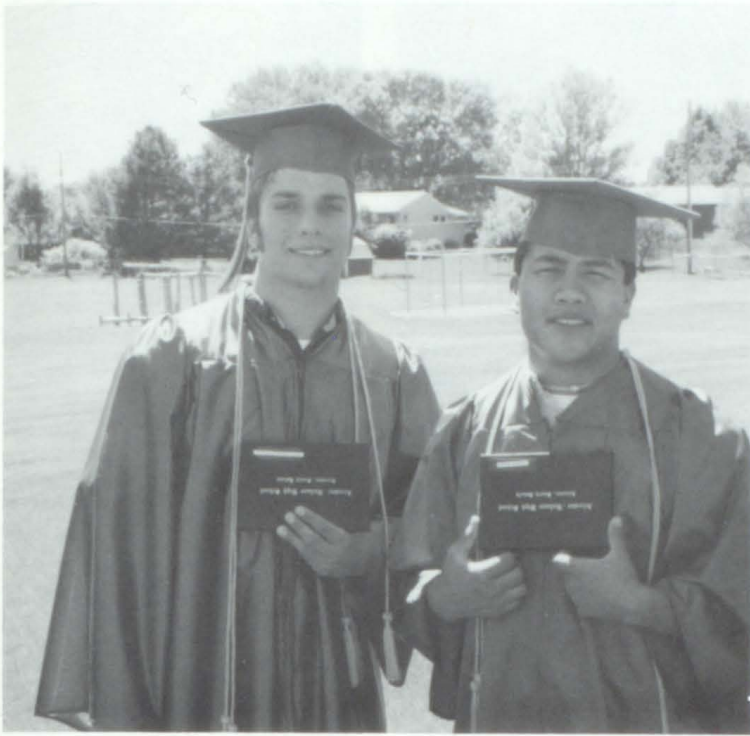


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CONGRATULATIONS GRADS





Sports





Basketball



1st Row, L-R: B. Groom, P. Heeren, L. Fickbohm, S. Heiman. 2nd Row, L-R: H. Wetrosky, J. VerMuhl, J. Hughes, J. Akland, J. Selchert. 3rd Row, L-R: N. Ericson, L. Evanson, K. Hong slo, M. Limoges, L. Limoges.

The 1997 girls basketball team had a very exciting season. The schedule was tough with top teams from both A and B ranks. Through hard work and dedication the team expects to rise up in the coming years. Returning letter winners for the Cubs were: Michelle Limoges, Jill Akland, Laurie Evanson, Leslie Fickbohm, Laura Limoges, Jessica Hughes, and Heather Wetrosky. New letter winners were: Nichole Ericson, Bethany Groom, Paige Heeren, Sara

Heiman, and Kyla Hong slo. Senior Team Captain Michelle Limoges finished the season with Honorable Mention All Big Sioux Conference due in large to her high finish as one of the conference's top assists leaders. Other leaders in the conference were: Leslie Fickbohm - 2nd Steals, Jill Akland - 10th Free Throws, Jessie Hughes - 12th rebounds and Laurie Evanson - Scoring. Great effort Lady Cubs!! Good luck next year!!





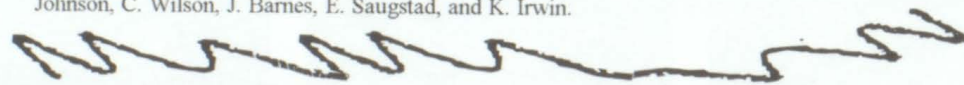
1st Row, L-R: K. Witt, S. Liston, N. Ahart. 2nd Row, L-R: J. Farley, S. Hakl, J. Moumy, C. Larsen, S. Busker. 3rd Row, L-R: R. Schreur, K. Ronning, K. Witt, K. Kezar, J. Vreugdenhil.



Cross Country



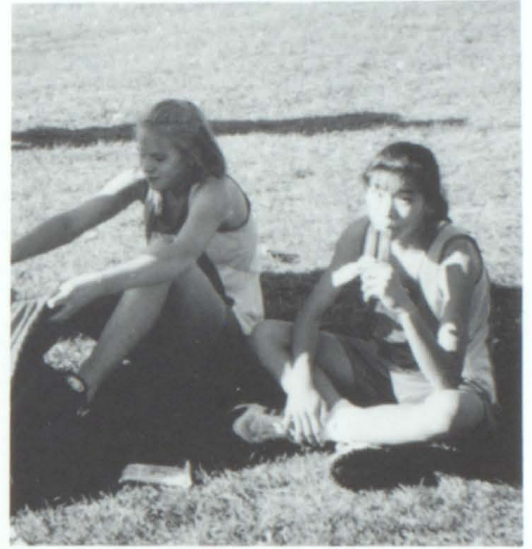
1st Row, L-R: P. Heeren, D. Feekes, K. Anderson, K. VanEngen, J. Homandberg, A. Johnson, B. Steeneck, A. Larsen and J. Ver Mulm. **2nd Row, L-R:** D. Anderson, E. Sommervold, S. Eden, J. Sommervold, N. Day, N. Fickbohm, J. Gates and G. Kleinhans. **3rd Row, L-R:** G. Kroger, B. Noble, K. Gates, A. Johnson, C. Wilson, J. Barnes, E. Saugstad, and K. Irwin.



The Cubs Cross Country team started out with 23 runners and Mr. Kroger at the head again. They had 5 returning letter winners to get the season started. This year was the first year in many years that Alcester-Hudson had a full girls team. They turned out to be very successful. Katie Van Engen led the girls team this year by placing 1st or 2nd in 10 of the 13 meets and lettering for 5 years. The girls won 1st place in the Big Sioux Conference, and they went on to be the first girls cross country team from Alcester-Hudson to

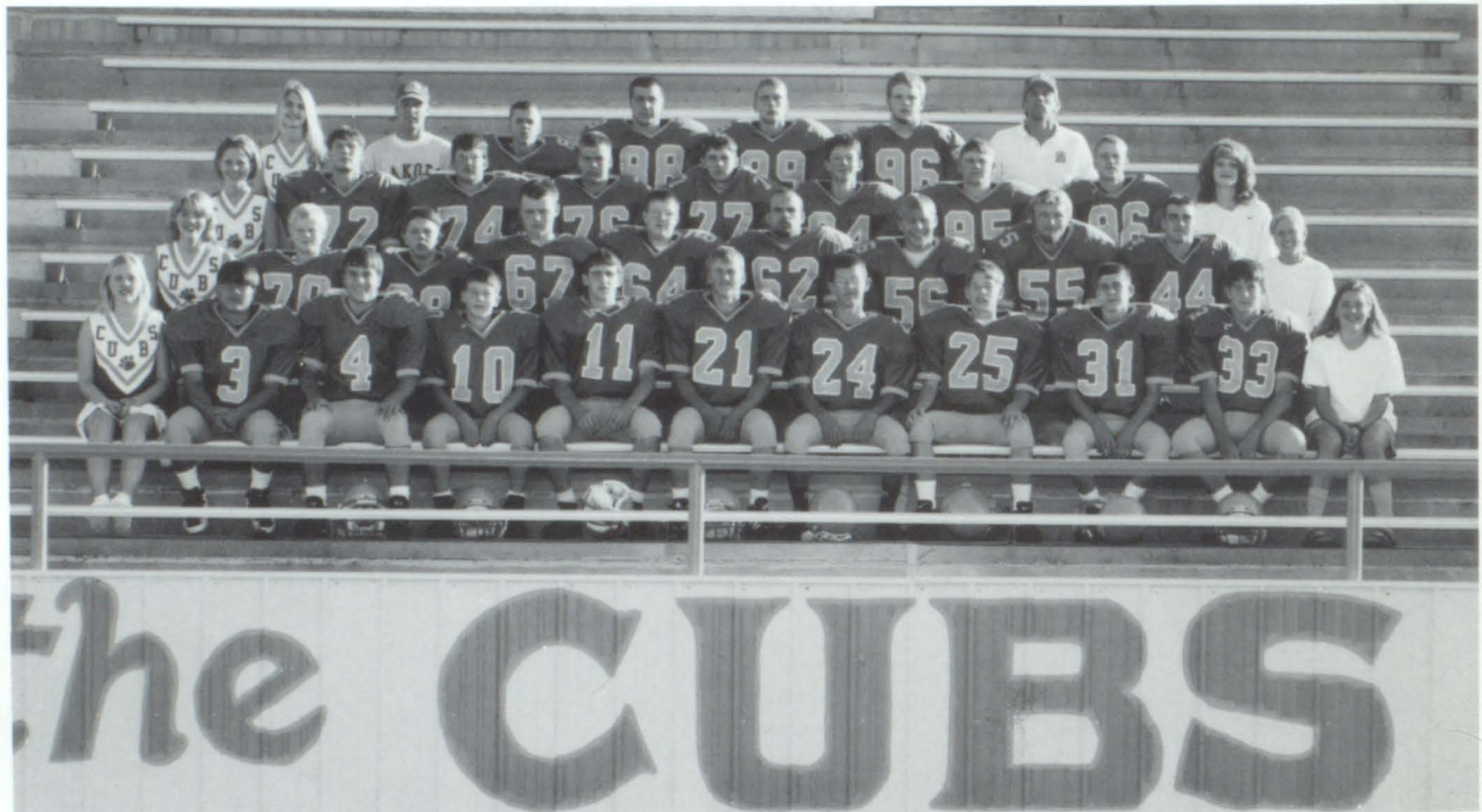
make it to the state finals as a team!!! The boys team placed 2nd in the Big Sioux Conference, and went on to send John and Erik Sommervold to state. Out of 136 runners, John finished 75th and Eric finished 108th. John Sommervold led the boys by receiving medals in all 12 meets for finishing as one of the top 20 runners at each meet. With only two seniors and three juniors on the entire squad, an even better year should be ahead in 1998. Congratulations and way to go on all your hard work!!!







Football



1st Row, L-R: S. Johnson, J. Moumy, K. Blauth, K. Ahart, K. Ahart, J. Gray, J. Nyreen, C. Doty, J. Haverhals, D. Voss, K. Hong slo. **2nd Row, L-R:** R. Ronning, M. Thompson, W. Brown, T. Kashas, C. Winqvist, D. Hodgson, L. Johnson, A. St. Pierre, J. Winqvist, K. Anderson. **3rd Row, L-R:** J. Joachim, G. Van Wyk, J. Reppe, J. Winqvist, J. Voss, S. Johnson, B. Jurgensen, E. Haugland, L. Evanson. **4th Row, L-R:** S. Eden, C. Long, C. McKellips, A. Hofer, E. Sommervold, M. Melchizedek, A. Hansen.



The 1997 edition of the Alcester-Hudson football team picked up where the '96 squad left off. The Cubs finished their second straight season with a 6-3 mark, and again fell in the first-round of the Class 11B playoffs to the Gregory Gorillas, 21-7. The Cubs finished the regular season with a 6-2 record and a second-place finish in the Big Sioux Conference behind eventual state champion Harrisburg. "It was a great accomplishment to make it to the playoffs for two years," said senior Jesse Voss. "It was a disappointment

to lose two years in a row to them, but the experience was one that I won't forget." The highlight of the season was a 13-7 win over the arch rival Beresford for the second year in a row. "It felt great to beat them two years in a row," said senior Josh Winqvist. "It was the first time in school history that Alcester-Hudson has beat them and we managed to do it two years in a row." Captains of the squad were Kevin Blauth, Jesse Voss, and Josh Winqvist. The three seniors were also named to the Class

11B All-State football team. Blauth earned a first-team position as a special teams player and Winqvist was a first-team linebacker. Voss was an honorable mention selection as an offensive guard. Four Cubs were named to the Big Sioux All-Conference team again led by Blauth, Winqvist, and Voss and junior Eric Haugland. Seniors Lonnie Johnson, Josh Moumy, and Gregg Van Wyk were named honorable mention. Team awards went to Blauth (Most Valuable Player); Winqvist (Most Valuable

Player); Voss (Most Valuable Defensive Player) and sophomore Adam Hofer was voted as (Most Improved Player). The 1997 seniors - Kevin Blauth, Jesse Voss, Josh Winqvist, Josh Moumy, Lonnie Johnson, Gregg Van Wyk, and David Hodgson - have provided Alcester-Hudson fans with a lot of great moments throughout their high school careers and will be remembered as one of the best football classes in school history.



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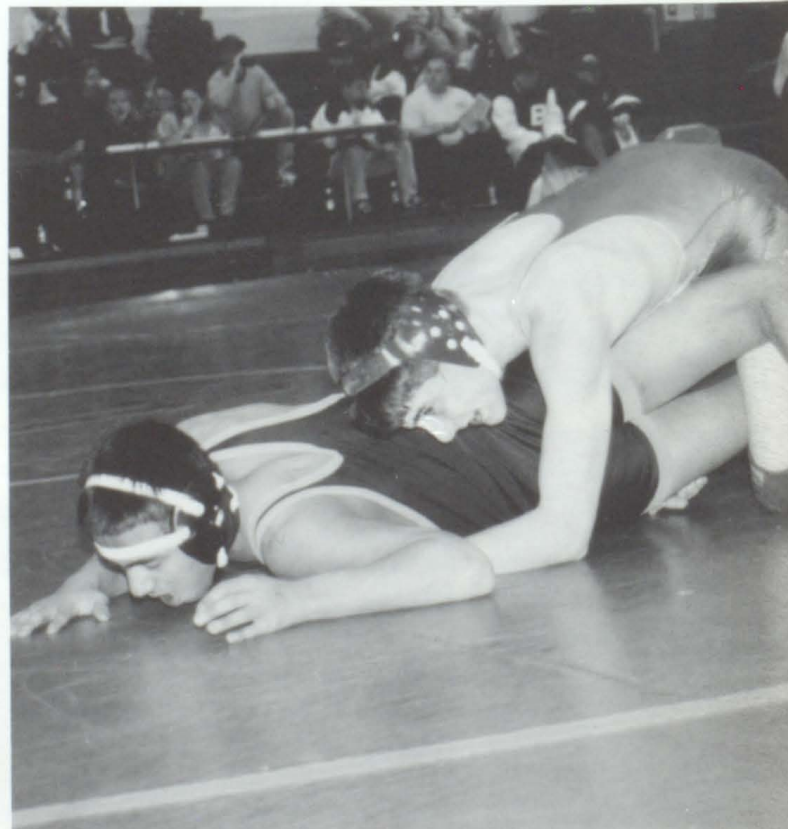


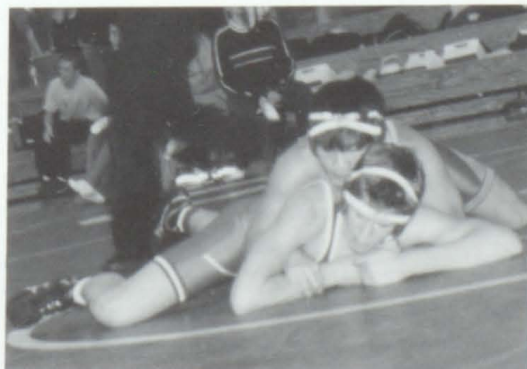
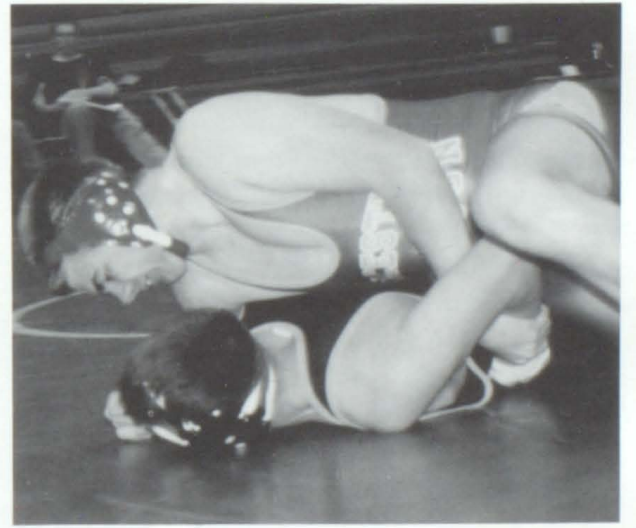
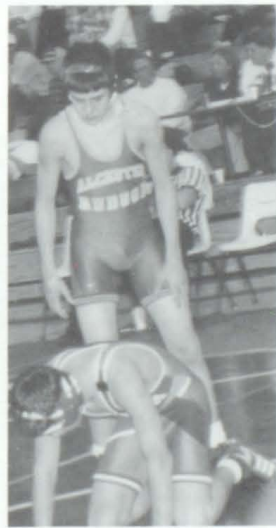
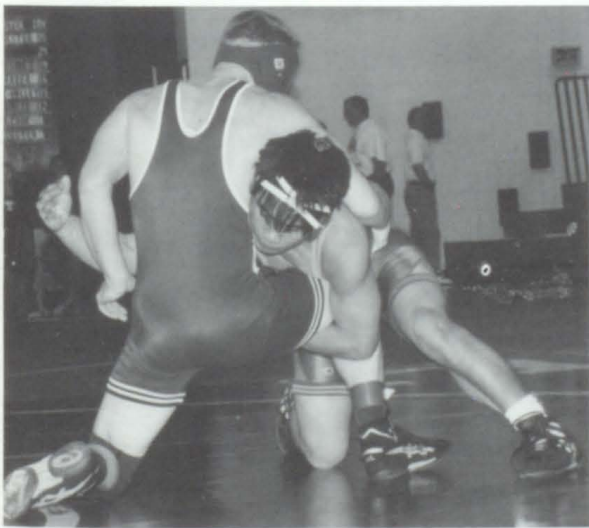
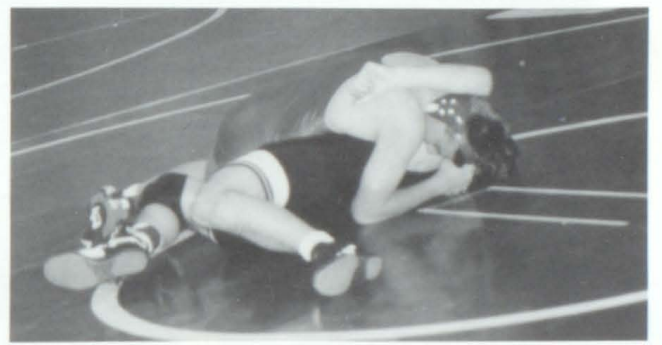
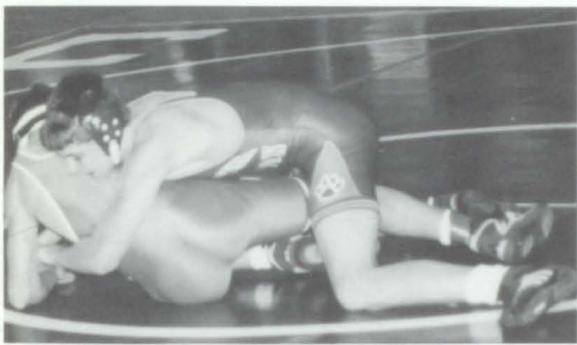
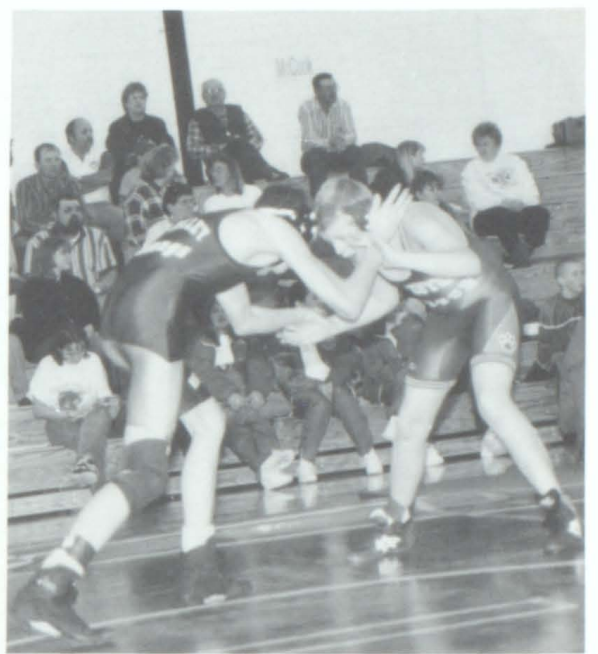
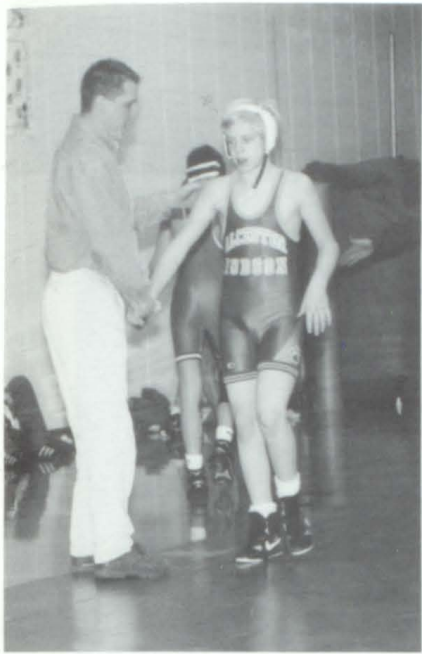
Wrestling



1st Row, L-R: B. Burt, M. Thompson, J. Barnes, J. Winquist, J. Moumy, T. Wells 2nd Row, L-R: J. Davelaar, B. Hedeem, J. Serck, R. Lundberg Not Pictured: J. Haverhals

The Alcester-Hudson Wrestling Team took to the mats with some solid individuals, including six letterwinners: Josh Moumy, Justin Winquist, Jared Barnes, John Haverhals, Mathias Thompson, and Bryan Burt. Individual standouts were Bryan Burt, an 8th grader, who placed 4th in the Districts to qualify for the Regions. Josh Moumy, senior, who qualified for his third trip to the State Tournament by placing 2nd in both the Districts and Regions. Jared Barnes, freshmen, had a stellar year by winning his second Big Sioux Conference championship and District title, winning his first Region championship and placing 3rd in the State Tournament at 112 pounds.







Basketball



1st Row, L-R: L. Johnson, K. Blauth, E. Sommervold, E. Haugland, B. Larsen. 2nd Row, L-R: Coach Kraning, M. Haverhals, M. Neu, M. Seivert, T. Dominisse, A. Hofer, J. Sommervold, Coach Seivert.

The 1997-98 boys basketball team was coached by Mr. Kraning and assisted by Mr. Seivert. Mr. Kraning enjoyed the season, was quite proud of the seniors, and said that they were a great team to work with. The senior letter winners were Matt Seivert, Matt Neu, Lonnie Johnson, Kevin Blauth, and Travis Dominisse. Junior letter winners were Eric Haugland, Brian Larsen, and John Sommervold. Erik Sommervold was a sophomore letter winner. The season ended 12-8. The All-Conference winners were Matt Seivert who made first team and was voted MVP, Kevin Blauth made third team, and Eric Haugland received an honorable mention. Matt Seivert made first team All-Region and third team All-State, and the SD elite BB team. Matt is selected to play in the SD BCA All-Star Game in July, and is 1 of 8 finalists for SD Mr. Basketball. Mr. Kraning would like to give thanks to his stat girls, and cheerleaders.





1st Row, L-R: S. Johnson, A. Johnson, E. Meyer, J. Hughes, S. Eden, G. Kleinhans. **2nd Row L-R:** N. Johnson, C. Doty, J. Scott, E. Sommervold C. McKellips, D. Voss. **3rd Row L-R:** J. Gray, N. Fickbohm, A. Hofer, N. Day, M. Haverhals, Coach Seivert.



Volleyball



1st Row, L-R: N. Ahart, and N. Ericson. **2nd Row, L-R:** K. Bossman, K. Hongslo, S. Heiman, J. Ver Mulm, L. Fickbohm, K. Schreur, S. Homandberg and L. Thompson. **3rd Row, L-R:** J. Hughes, J. Holthe, H. Larson, K. Anderson and L. Akland.

The 1997-98 volleyball season was successful. The Lady Cubs were coached by Karen Bossman and she was assisted by Linda Thompson. The season ended with the record of 11-21. But, they still achieved many records. In the AHHS Record Book records were set and broken by Jessie Hughes, Leslie Fickbohm, and Kate Anderson. The Cubs had a hard district with Vermillion, State A champs, coming from their district. The Cubs had tremendous leadership shown with 3 seniors: Kate Anderson, Jenny Holthe, and Heidi Larson. Kate Anderson was selected to be a member of the All-Conference Team. On the Honorable Mention Team were Jessie Hughes and Leslie Fickbohm. The Cubs look forward to an awesome season next year with 7 returning letter winners.





1st Row, L-R: S. Heiman, B. Groom, C. Larsen, J. Ver Mulm, and N. Ericson. 2nd Row, L-R: J. Vreugdenhil, J. Moumy, P. Heeren, N. Ahart, S. Homandberg. 3rd Row, L-R: L. Thompson, K. Hongslo and L. Johnson.

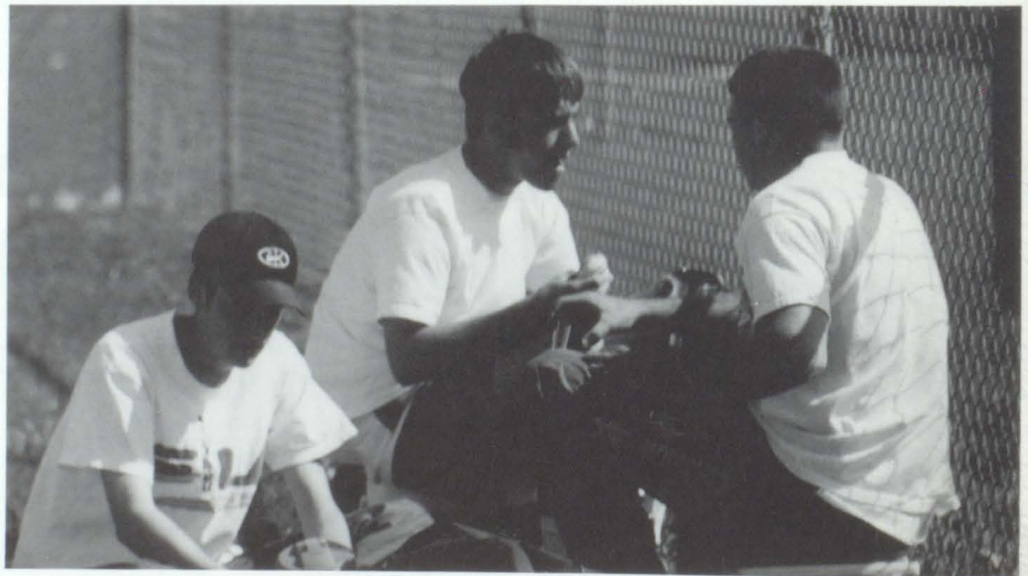




Track



1st Row L-R: J. Nyreen, J. Barnes, J. Gray, E. Haugland, G. Kleinhans, B. Larsen, M. Melchizedek, and E. Sommervold. **2nd Row L-R:** N. Day, D. Anderson, D. Voss, J. Sommervold, A. Hofer, J. Voss, A. St.Pierre, M. Seivert, J. Winqvist, K. Blauth, B. Jurgensen and M. Seivert.



The boys and girls track team had a very successful season. The boys qualified in six events, long jump, triple jump, 400m dash, 400 relay, 800 relay, and 1600 relay. State participants are Matt Seivert, Kevin Blauth, Brian Larsen, Josh Winqvist, Eric Haugland, and Erik Sommervold. The girls also qualified in six events, 400m dash, 3200 relay, 1600 run, medley, and 100 dash. State participants are Kate Anderson, Kate VanEngen, Paige Heeren, Leslie Fickbohm, Kim Ronning, Melissa Hofer, Amy Larsen, and Jennah Homandberg.





1st Row L-R: D. Feekes, M. Kleinhans, N. Ahart, K. Ronning, S. Liston, K. Bakker, M. Hofer and J. Homandberg. **2nd Row L-R:** L. Haisch, J. Hughes, K. Witt, P. Heeren, S. Fickbohm, J. Ver Mulm, L. Fickbohm, K. Van Engen, K. Anderson and A. Larsen.





Golf



1st Row, L-R: C. Wilson, M. Thompson, A. Peterson, S. Mielke, A. Johnson. 2nd Row, L-R: S. Neu, J. Winqvist, N. Johnson, J. Hughes, T. Peters, J. Jackson. 3rd Row, L-R: C. Long, J. Scott, N. Groom, M. Neu, E. Myers, S. Embrock, S. Johnson.

The Spring of 1998 found twenty-four Alcester-Hudson students on the links preparing for another golf season. The Cubs kept busy competing in eight events. The boys squad captured dual wins over Dakota Valley and Elk Point Jefferson. The Girls defeated Dakota Valley in a dual event. The season was highlighted with six golfers qualifying for the state golf meet held at Huron's Broddland Creek Golf Course. Qualifying for the boys were seniors Matt Neu and Scott Embrock. The girls that qualified were senior Michelle Limoges, juniors Jill Akland and Nichole Ericson and freshman Laura Baker. Baker was 12th at the Regional and Neu placed 10th. "I feel we had a very successful year," said coach Chris Long. "Anytime you can qualify six golfers for state and do as well as we have you have to be pleased."





1st Row, L-R: K. Ericson, A. Sigma, L. Johnson, L. Sohl. 2nd Row, L-R: M. Limoges, N. Ericson, K. Turner, J. Akland, L. Baker, C. Long.



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Right, Football Cheerleaders, L-R: J. Joachim, S. Johnson, R. Ronning, S. Eden

Below, Wrestling Cheerleaders, L-R: N. Jacobson, A. Larson, M. Schumacher (not pictured)





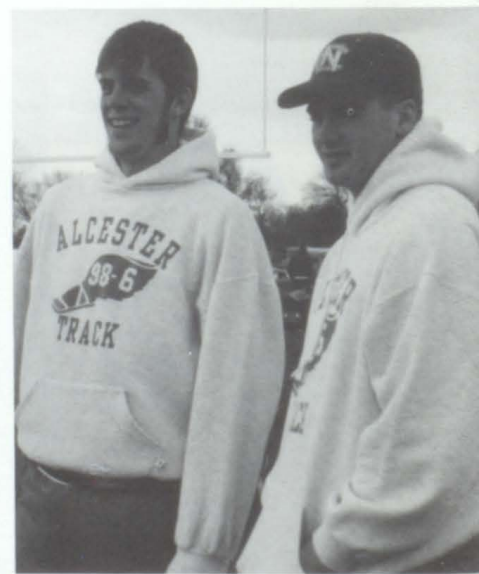
Above, Girls Basketball Cheerleaders, L-R: N. Bennett, A. Larson, M. Schumacher

Below, Boys Basketball Cheerleaders, L-R: J. Horner, A. Wilson, J. Joachim, S. Johnson



CHEER





Organizations

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A Club

Chorus

Gal Club

FFA





Cubette





Quiz Bowl



1st Row, L-R: K. Kezar, S. Eden, K. Turner, K. VanEngen, K. Anderson 2nd Row, L-R: C. Long, J. Scott, A. Mielke, B. Jurgensen, J. Moultry, N. Johnson

The 1998 edition of the Alcester-Hudson Quiz Bowl quad had an eventful year. The eleven-member squad was under the direction of Mr. Long. The season kicked off with one of the highlights, an appearance on KMEG's Trivia Bowl program. They also captured the Big Sioux Conference Academic Bowl title for the third consecutive year. Other events of the year were the annual AHHS Community Quiz Bowl which the "Teachers" team won and the Alcester-Invitational Quiz Bowl which was won by Beresford. The seniors of the team were Kate Anderson, Katie Van Engen and Josh Moultry. The juniors include Brad Jurgensen, Katie Turner, and Shelli Eden. Sophomores were Justin Scott, Nolan Johnson, Colin McKellips, and Karen Kezar. Adam Mielke was the lone freshmen. Good luck!!





1st Row, L-R: K. Scheur, K. Turner, J. Reppe, L. Evanson, J. Winquist, P. Lundberg, A. Van Ballegooyen, K. Hongslo, H. Heiman, Mr. Quick **2nd Row, L-R:** J. Vreugdenhil, M. Frazier, T. Peters, R. Steeneck, S. Eden, A. Drown, J. Akland, L. Johnson, T. Dominisse, M. Sommervold, R. Heunink, J. Gates **3rd Row, L-R:** M. Thompson, R. Schreur, N. Day, J. Winquist, J. Duncan, N. Fickbohm, J. Paulson, P. Heeren, B. Groom, N. Jurrens, M. Lyon, J. Liston **4th Row, L-R:** K. Irwin, A. Persinger, S. Dunnam, S. Kittleson, K. Kezar, K. Ahart, N. Johnson, G. Kleinhans, C. Winquist, C. Wilson, D. Anderson, J. Burt, S. Hennigs **5th Row, L-R:** J. Huges, K. Ronning, A. Johnson, K. Ahart, E. Reiss, B. Persinger, M. Limoges, B. Jurgensen, B. Solem, B. Noble

The AHHS FFA Chapter has seen another eventful year. Members participated in a very successful fruit-sales fund-raiser; many leadership camps and competitions; and state, district, and national competitions and conventions. Some highlights were the Vespers program presented by Annie Van Ballegooyen, Katie Turner, and Laurie Evanson at Made For Excellence; the Courtesy-Corps delegation, consisting of Heath Heiman, John Gates, Karen Schreur, Katie Turner, Kelly Ahart, Laurie Evanson, and Kyla Hongslo sent to the National Convention in Kansas City; district placement in Job Interview and Radio-Journalism Career Development Events; and Katie Turner being selected for District III Treasurer.





FHA



1st Row, L-R: Mrs. Larsen, R. Wegner, L. Brown, J. Joachim, S. Johnson, A. Wilson, S. Baker, K. Anderson. **2nd Row, L-R:** N. Ericson, K. Zweifel, J. Hughes, S. Homandberg, T. Westling, K. Ericson, A. Peters, M. Akland, L. Johnson. **3rd Row, L-R:** A. Christensen, B. Larsen, A. Albers, E. Haverhals, N. Kellen, S. Heiman, J. Farley, S. Liston, B. Persinger, K. Ronning, C. Larsen, R. Lykken. **4th Row, L-R:** C. Scott, A. Snedeker, R. Sailor, N. Jacobson, J. VerMulm, M. Lyons, B. Groom, A. Beeler, L. Fickbohm, K. Witt, B. Lias, L. Sohl, S. McMinn. **5th Row, L-R:** S. Schoellerman, K. Ahart, R. Larsen, K. Groom, S. Kashas, T. Sorlie, M. Serck, A. Larsen, B. Steeneck, S. Fickbohm, M. Hofer, A. Johnson.



"The Magic of FHA" was the theme of the Alcester-Hudson FHA chapter's projects for the school year. The magical year started with 60 members joining which was a record number for the chapter. The Chapter also had a State Peer educator, Annie Wilson, who was on the Bod Squad, and a District officer, Amber Beeler, who was the Secretary for District 4. Thirty members prepared Illustrated Talks and presented them at the District Meeting. Twenty-five members advanced to state competition. Another 10 members elected to do Star Events. Some of the projects completed by the chapter included the Blood Drive, Senior Citizen's Thanksgiving Dinner, a Lock-In, a Halloween Carnival, 3-D Month and FACTS projects, and FHA week activities. The chapter was led by President-Annie Wilson, Vice-President of Projects-Sarah Baker and Rhonda Wegner, Secretary-Lori Brown, Treasurer-Sheryl Johnson, Vice-President of Records-Kate Anderson, and Student Council Representative-Julie Joachim.





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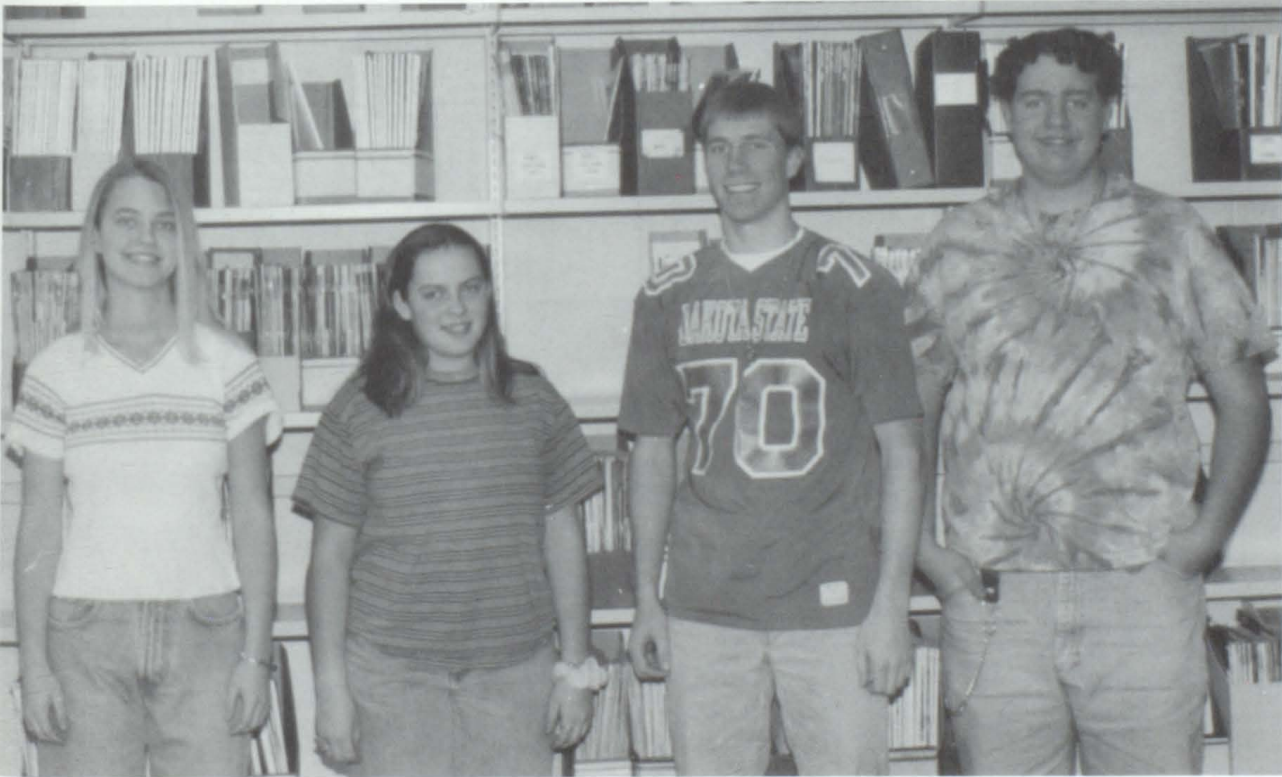
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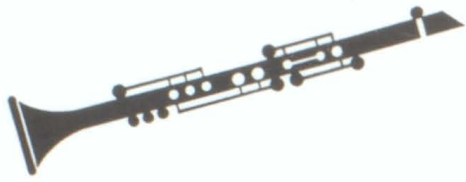
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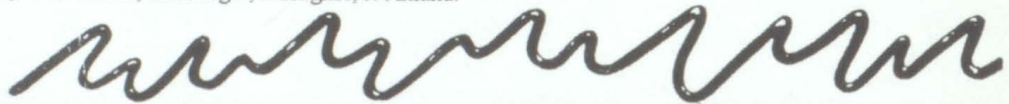
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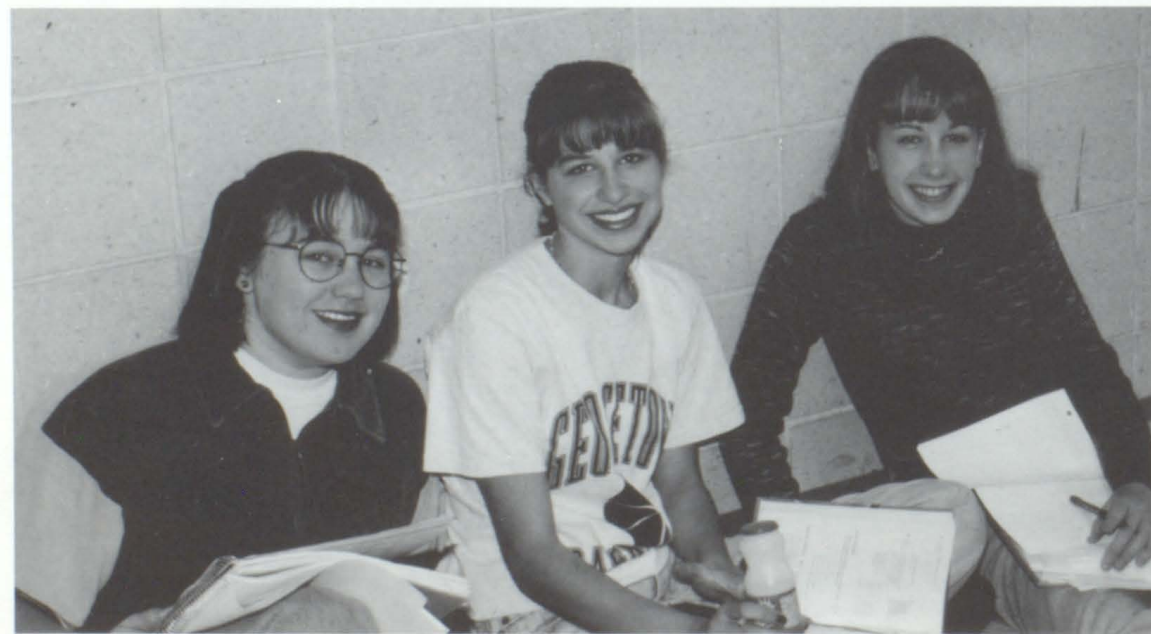
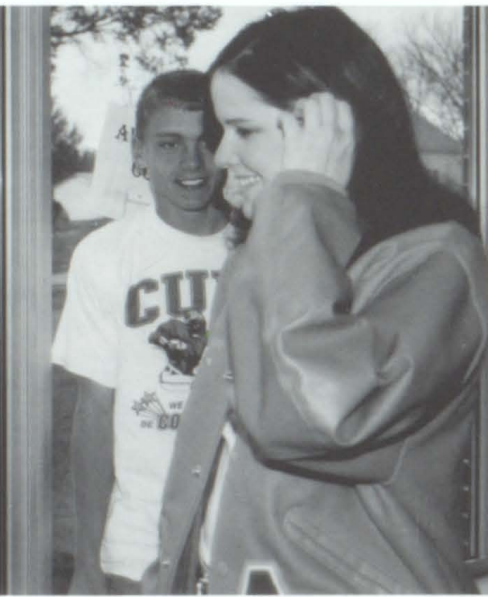
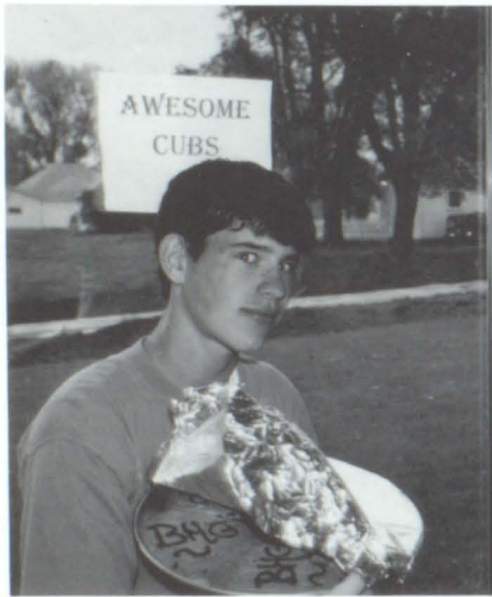
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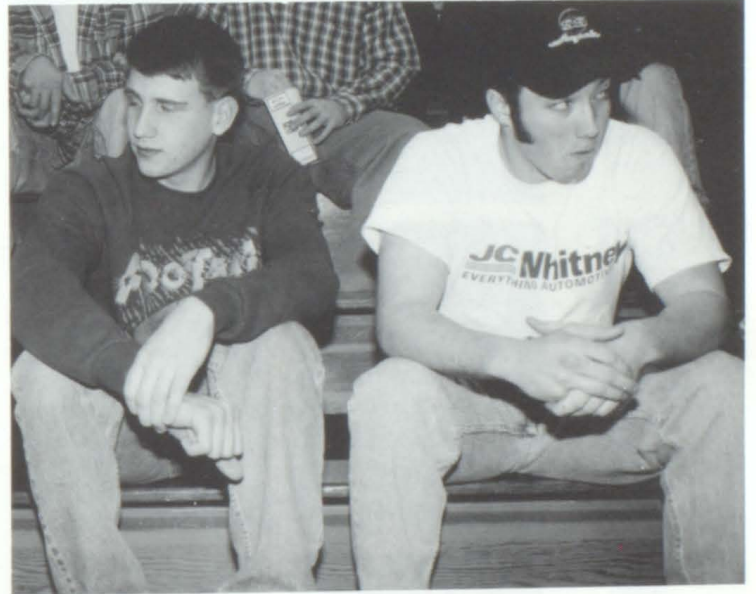
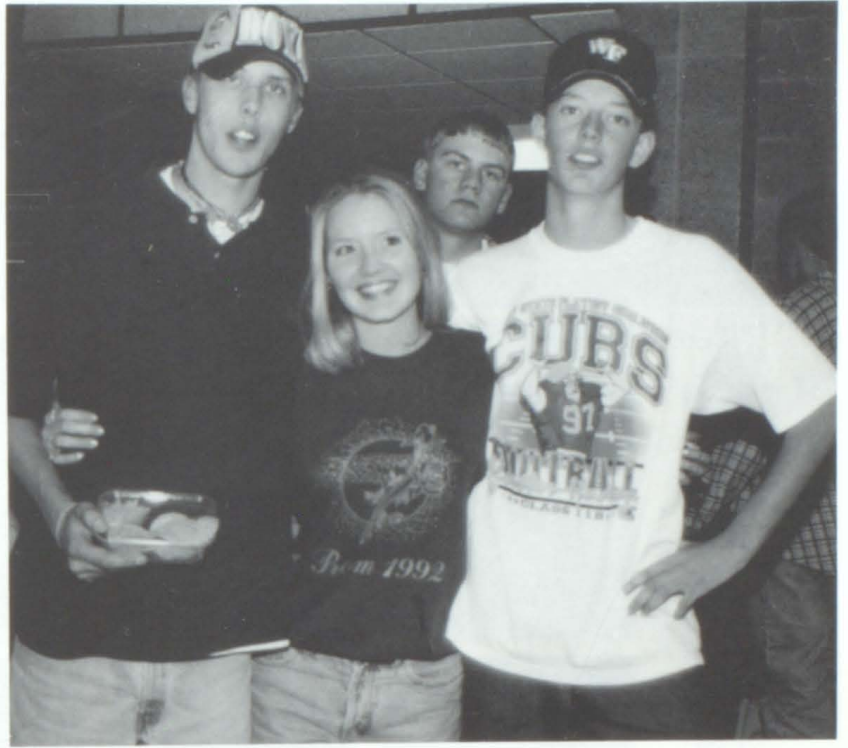


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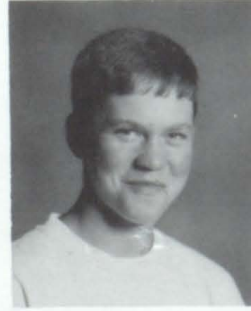
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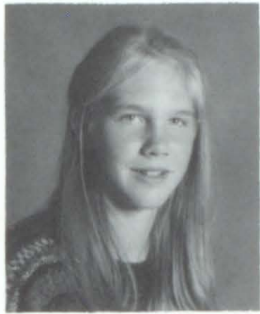


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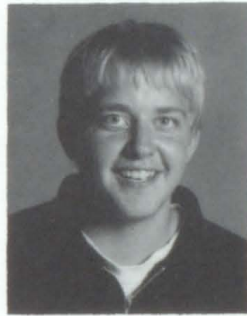
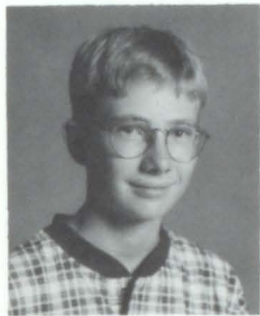


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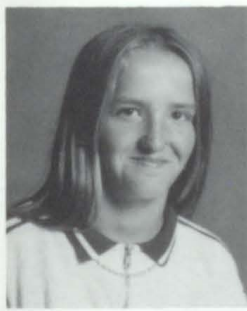




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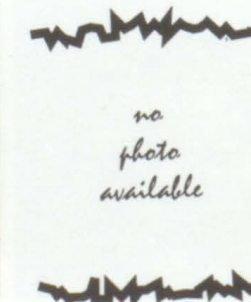
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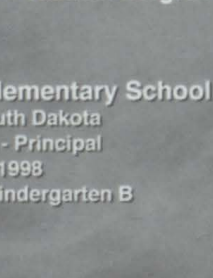
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One night a man had a dream.
He was walking along the beach with the
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and across the sky flashed scenes from his
life.

In each scene, he noticed
two sets of footprints in the sand;
one made by him, and the other by the Lord.
When the last scene of his life
flashed before him,
he looked back at the footprints in the sand.
He noticed that many times along the path
of his life
there was only one set of footprints.
He also noticed that it happened
at the worst times in his life.

This bothered him very much,
So he asked the Lord about it.
"Lord, you said that once I decided to follow
you,
you'd walk with me all the way.
But I've noticed that during times of trouble,
there is only one set of footprints.
I don't understand why you left me
when I needed you the most."

The Lord answered, "My precious child, I love
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and I would never leave you.
During your times of trial,
when you see only one set of footprints,
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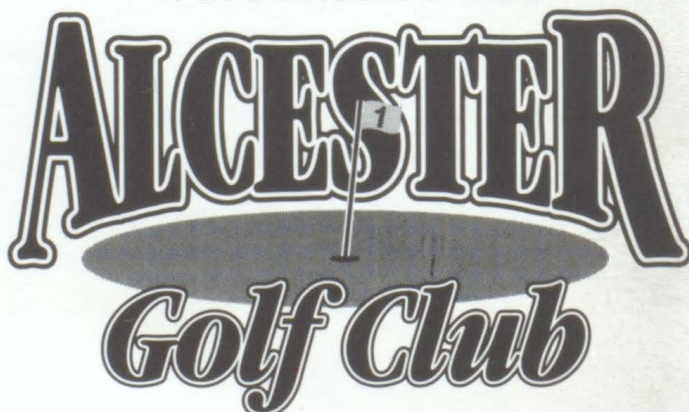
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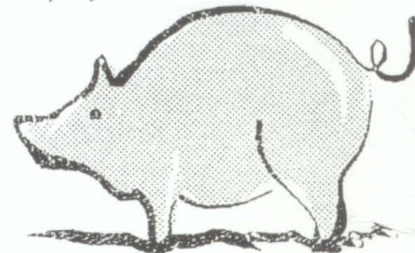
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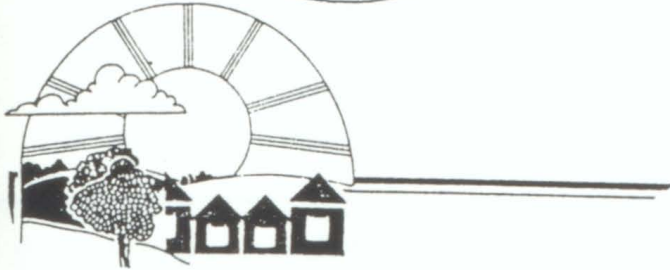
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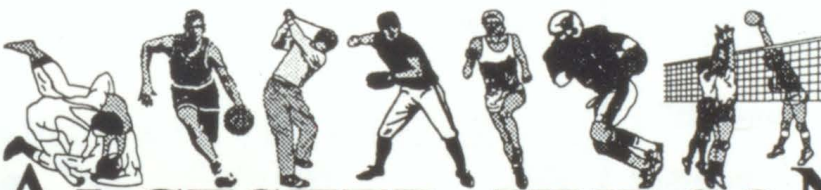
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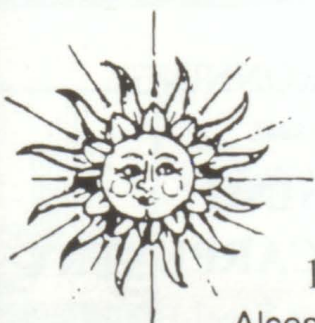
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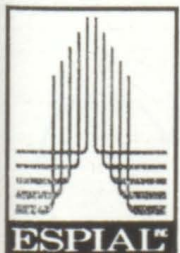
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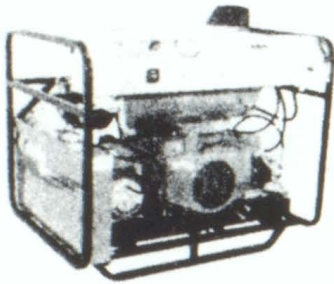
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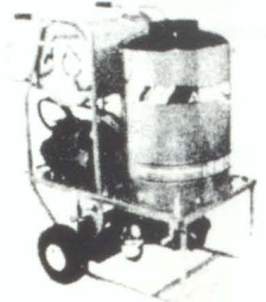
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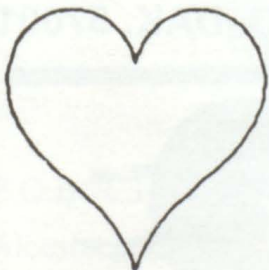
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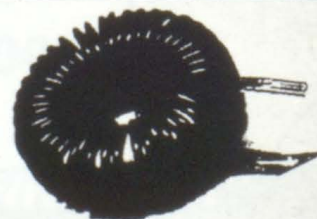
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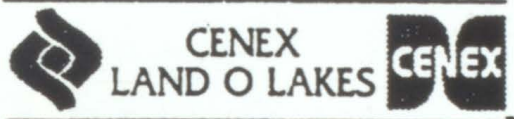
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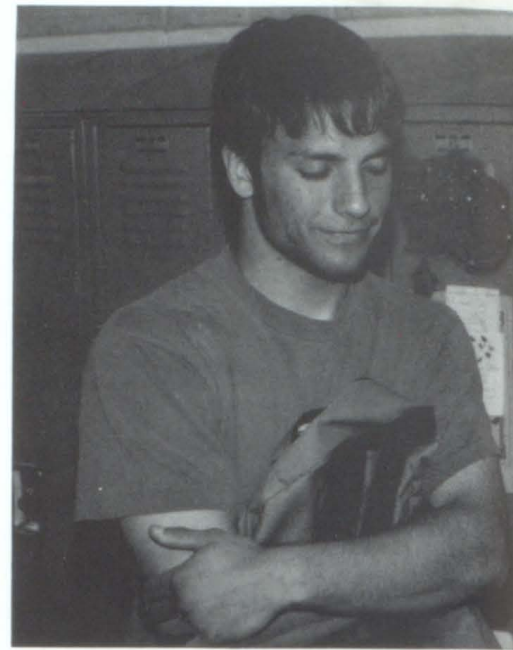
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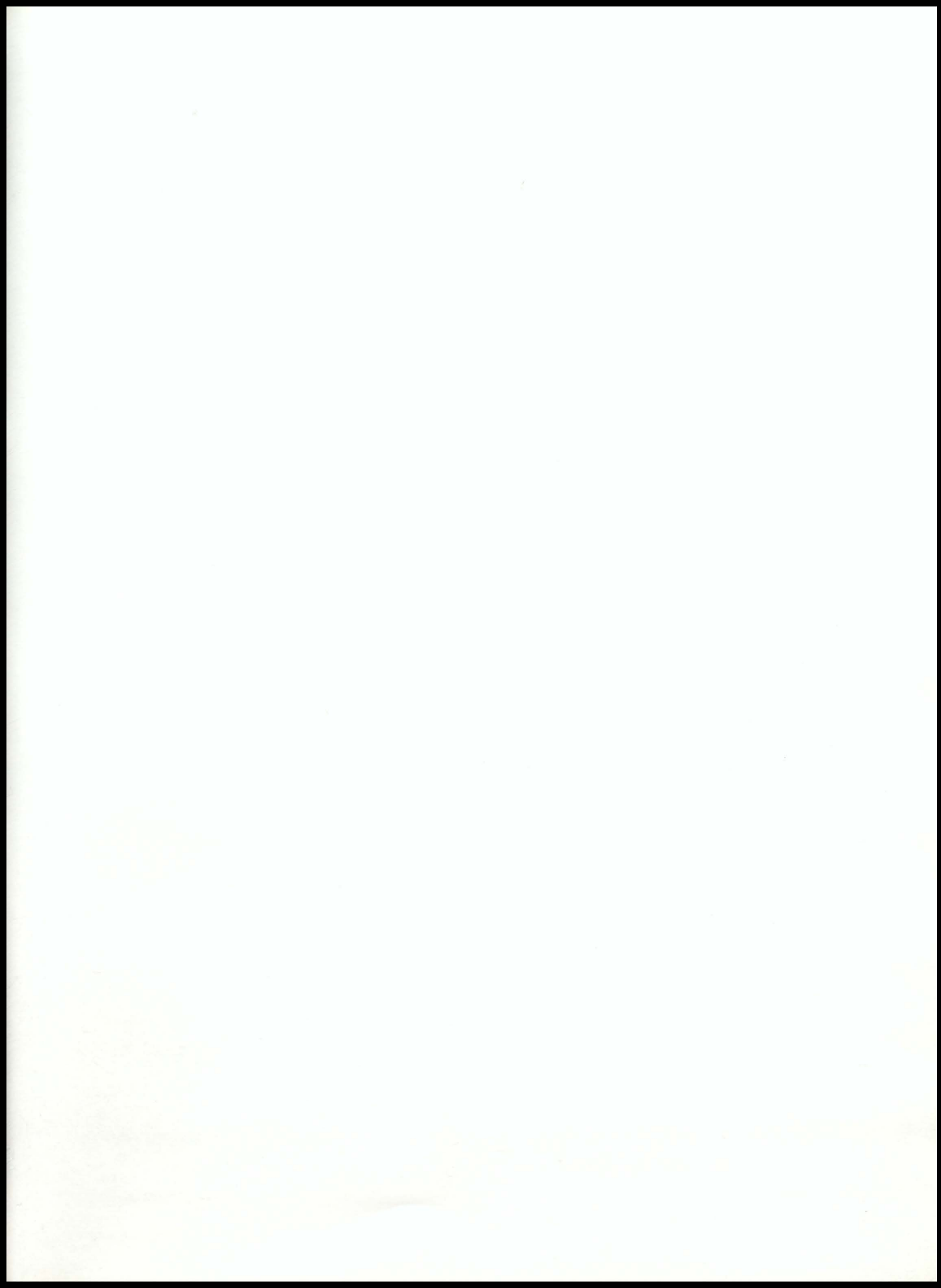
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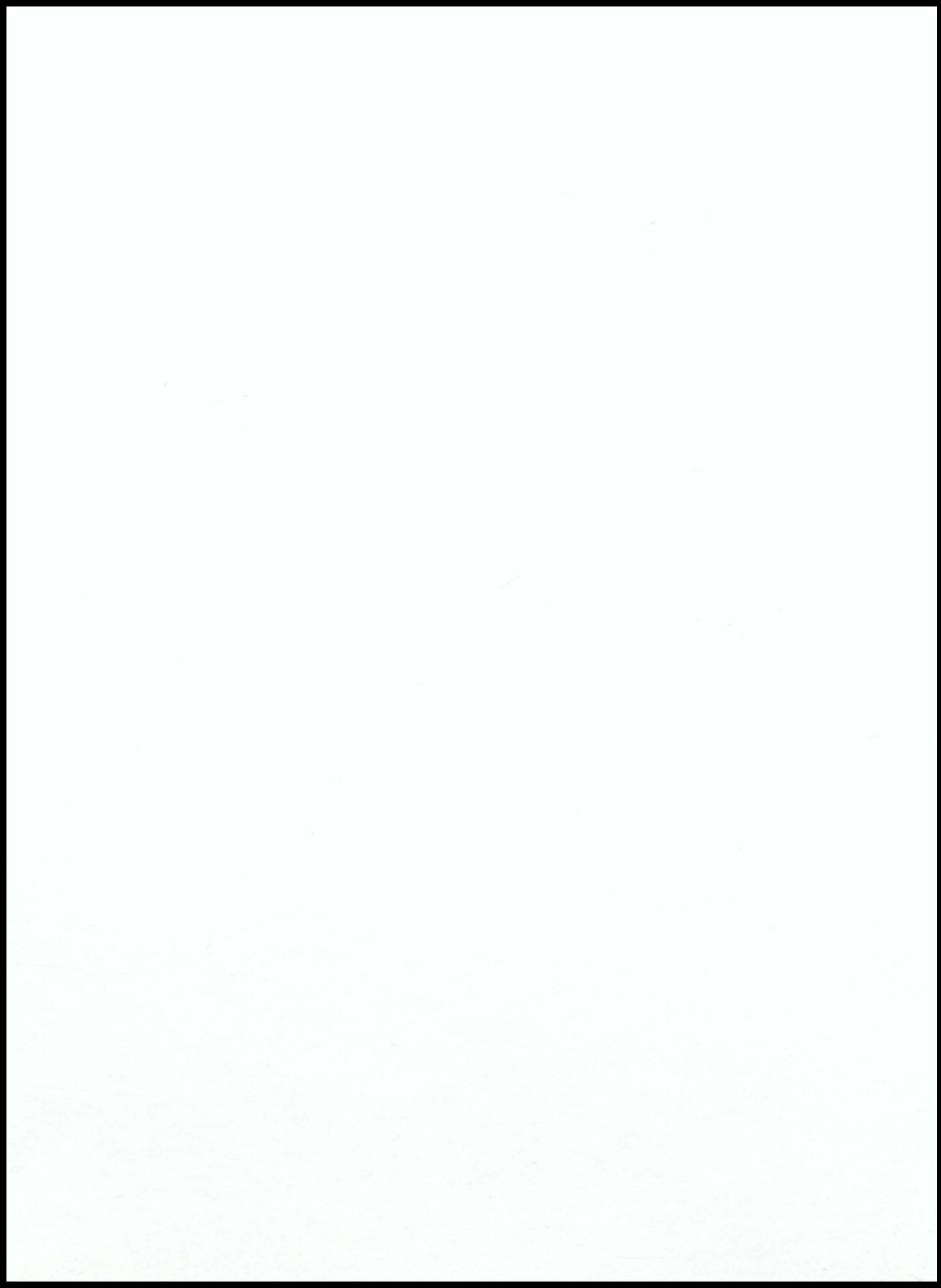
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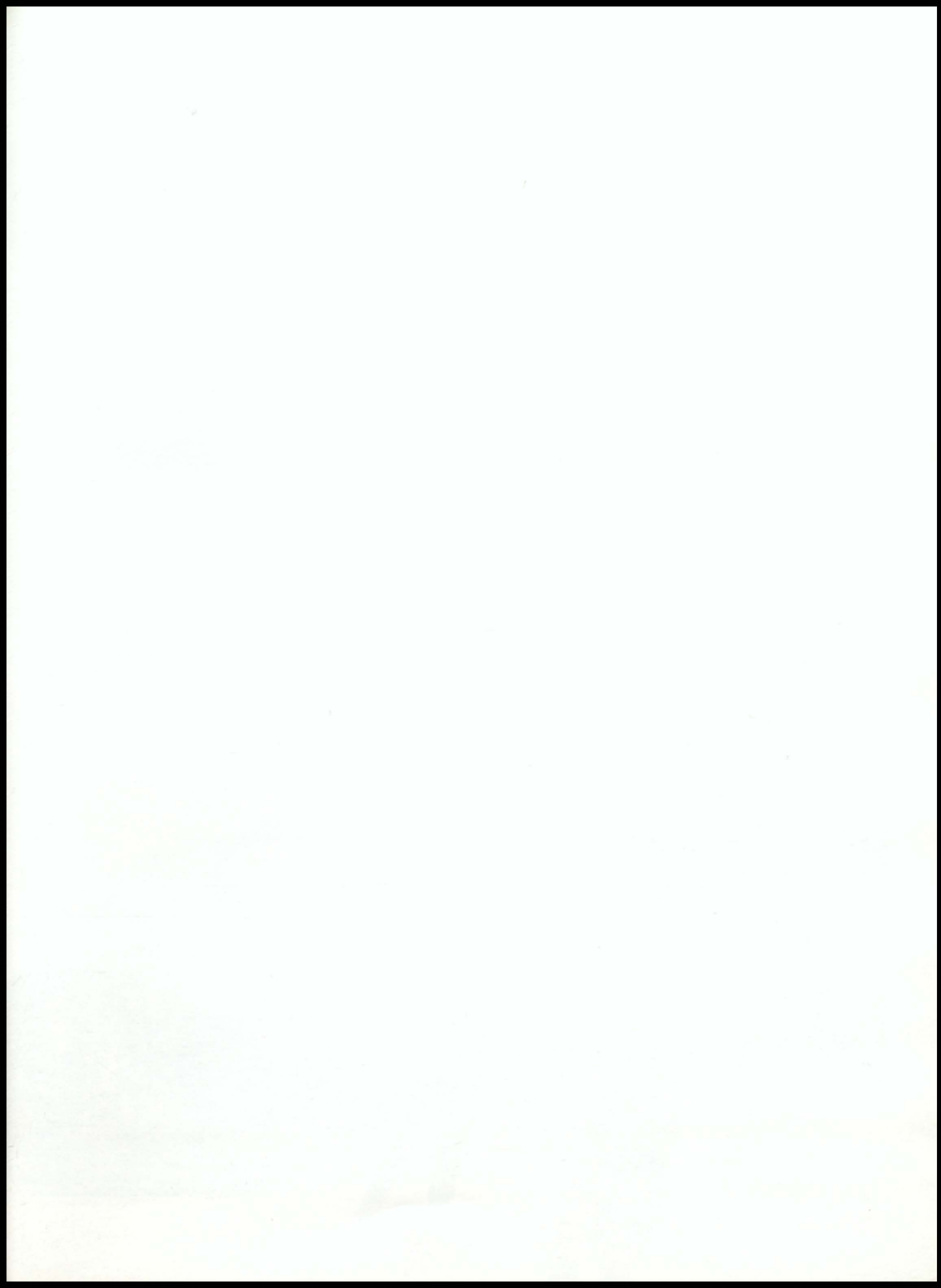


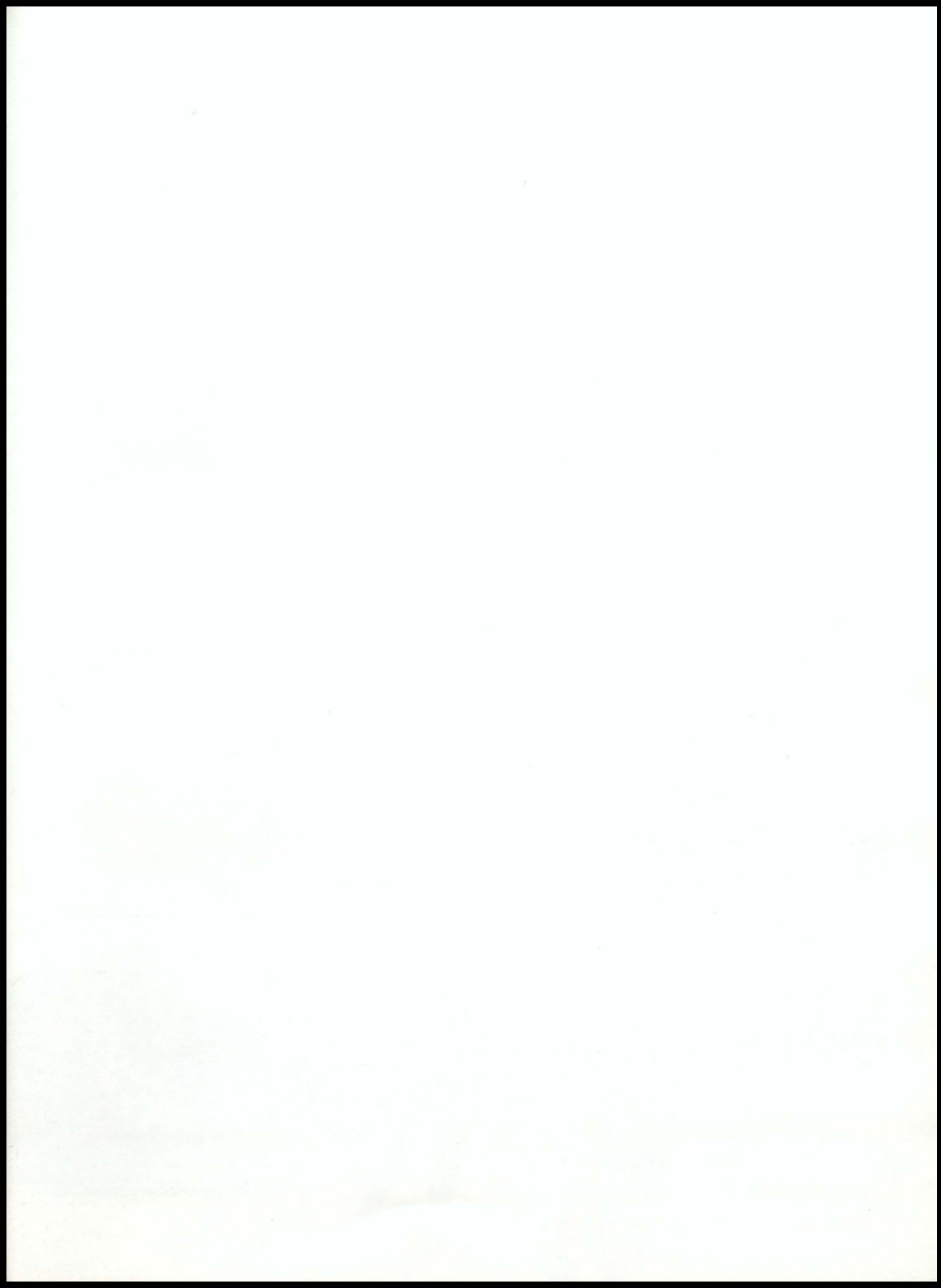












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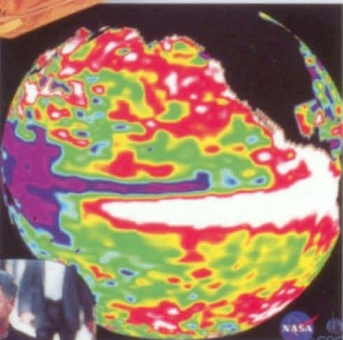
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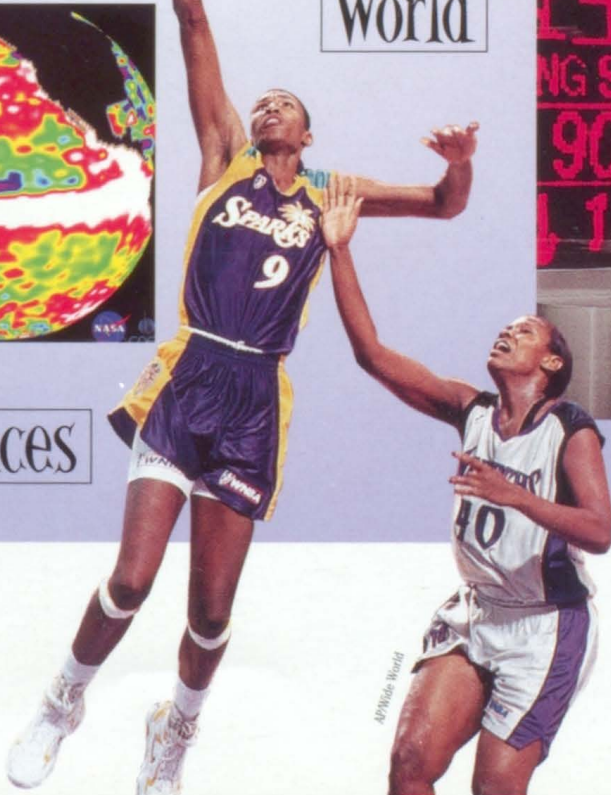


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Asian economic turmoil triggers global unrest. In October, Hong Kong's stock market crashes. Asian countries receive billions in bailout dollars from the International Monetary Fund.

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Hong Kong reverts to China at 12:01 a.m., July 1, after 156 years of British colonial rule. China says Hong Kong will continue its Western way of life and free-market economy.

A 15-day school strike in Ontario, Canada, affects 2.1 million students. Late in October, 128,000 teachers walk out to protest a controversial bill that would alter educational funding and centralize government control of education.



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Powerful earthquakes in central Italy kill 11 people and damage art treasures, including centuries-old frescoes by Italian Renaissance painters, in the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.

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Governments and businesses worldwide race to remedy the "Year 2000" problem. Unless key computer systems are reprogrammed to recognize dates in the new century the world faces the threat of catastrophic failure in critical areas like banking, air safety, public utilities and defense.



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Montserrat, once called "the Emerald Isle of the Caribbean," is devastated by ongoing eruptions from a volcano that had been dormant for 400 years. Two-thirds of the populace evacuates.

flash

Change sweeps Great Britain as Labor Party leader Tony Blair's landslide election in May 1997 ousts the Conservatives and makes Blair, at 44, Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.

Hurricane Pauline slams into Mexico's Pacific coast in October, causing flash floods, landslides and at least 200 fatalities. The resort city of Acapulco is heavily damaged.



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The remains of Ernesto "Che" Guevara, martyred Marxist revolutionary, are laid to rest in Cuba in October, 30 years after his execution in Bolivia, where his bones recently had been found.



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After 32 years of autocratic rule, President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire is deposed in May 1997 and later dies in exile. His successor, Laurent Kabila, changes Zaire's name to Democratic Republic of the Congo.



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Halloween fever seizes France. At the base of the Eiffel Tower in Paris 8,000 pumpkins are displayed, and French children participate in an American-style Halloween celebration.

- President Jiang Zemin of China meets for summit talks with President Bill Clinton in October, the first visit in 12 years of a Chinese leader to the U.S. During his stay, demonstrators protest China's treatment of Tibet.



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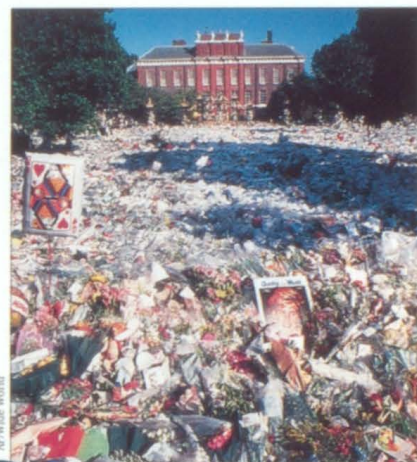
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- The death of "the people's princess" generates an emotional outpouring of love and grief, evidenced by floral tributes heaped at Diana's Kensington Palace home.

- Diana, Princess of Wales, one of the world's most famous and admired women, dies at 36 in a violent car crash in Paris on August 31.



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- One of the most poignant images of Diana's funeral: her young sons following her coffin into Westminster Abbey.

- At the funeral, Elton John performs "Candle in the Wind 1997," rewritten in tribute to Diana. The recording quickly sells more than 35 million copies, becoming the best-selling single of all time. Sales proceeds benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.



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- Crisis flares again in Iraq in late 1997 as Saddam Hussein protests U.N. sanctions and blocks inspection of suspected Iraqi weapon sites.

Floods, drought and mismanagement in North Korea create a severe famine. As many as a million North Koreans die of starvation.

Pope John Paul II visits Communist Cuba in January 1998, the first time a pope has done so. During his five-day visit the pope celebrates public masses and meets privately with President Fidel Castro.



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- In June, shortly before Diana's death, an auction of 79 of her evening gowns raises \$3.26 million for AIDS and cancer charities. Top price paid for a single gown: \$222,500.

National NEWS



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▶ On July 23 suspected murderer Andrew Cunanan, 27, commits suicide in Miami Beach. Cunanan was the prime suspect in a cross-country killing spree that left five dead, including fashion designer Gianni Versace.

▶ Once-mighty Apple Computer is close to failure when arch-rival Bill Gates of Microsoft "rescues" it with a \$150 million bail-out in August. The event opens a new era of cooperation between formerly fierce competitors.



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▶ Americans join "Stop the Violence" campaigns nationwide in an attempt to generate awareness of and solutions to the problem of violence in America.



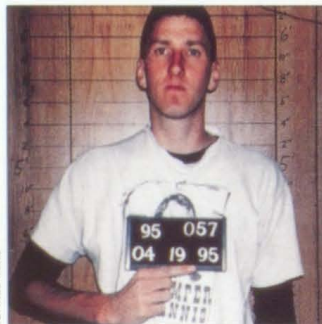
Jonathan Elderfield, Gamma/Liaison

▶ Joe Camel is snuffed out as the Federal Trade Commission bans tobacco advertising aimed at minors and institutes sweeping tobacco advertising restrictions.



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▶ British nanny Louise Woodward, 19, is convicted in Massachusetts of murdering a child in her care. The judge later reduces the charge to involuntary manslaughter and releases her.



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▶ Timothy McVeigh is convicted of murder and conspiracy in June for the April 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. McVeigh is later sentenced to death.

flash

Theodore Kaczynski admits he is the Unabomber responsible for killing 3 people and injuring 29 others in an 18-year bombing campaign. His January 1998 guilty plea spares Kaczynski the death penalty but condemns him to life in prison with no possibility of release.

UPS workers take to the picket lines in an August strike lasting 15 days. The eventual settlement is seen as a major labor victory.



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▶ First Lt. Kelly Flinn accepts a general discharge from the Air Force, avoiding court-martial for lying about an affair and disobeying orders. Flinn had been the first and only female B-52 pilot in the service.

Brooks Kraft, Sigma



▶ In April 1997, floods ravage the entire Red River Valley between Minnesota and the Dakotas. Ninety percent of downtown Grand Forks, North Dakota, is under water.

▶ A rare urban tornado prowls through Miami on May 12, uprooting trees, shattering windows and snapping power lines. Fortunately, the storm inflicts only minor injuries.

Arthur Harvey, The Miami Herald



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▶ Attorney General Janet Reno refuses to name an independent prosecutor to investigate Clinton administration fundraising, causing friction with FBI Director Louis Freeh.



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▶ Terry Nichols is found guilty of conspiracy and manslaughter in the 1995 Oklahoma City bombing. Nichols is spared a federal death sentence in January 1998, but still faces Oklahoma state charges.

▶ UFO enthusiasts gather in Roswell, New Mexico, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the alleged UFO crash there in July 1947.



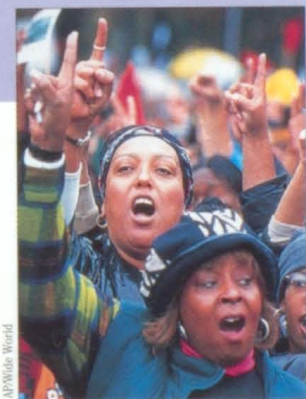
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▶ Bobbi McCaughey, Carlisle, Iowa, gives birth November 19 to seven babies, the U.S.'s first living septuplets. McCaughey and her husband Kenny now have eight children.

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▶ At the Internet/Online Summit in December, Vice President Al Gore announces government initiatives to protect young Internet users from online pornography.



AP/Wide World

▶ On October 25, at least 300,000 African-American women gather in Philadelphia for the Million Woman March. Winnie Madikizela-Mandela is one of the speakers.

flash

The all-male Promise Keepers movement inspires praise and controversy for its message of spiritual revival and personal responsibility for men. In October, the group holds a giant rally in Washington, D.C.

Once-secret tape recordings of former presidents Kennedy and Nixon are released publicly. The tapes provide an unvarnished, and sometimes unflattering, glimpse into the two presidents' actions and conversations in the White House.

▶ Fast-food giant Burger King is forced to stop serving burgers when supplier Hudson Foods recalls 25 million pounds of hamburger suspected of contamination with *E. coli* bacteria. It is the biggest beef recall in U.S. history.

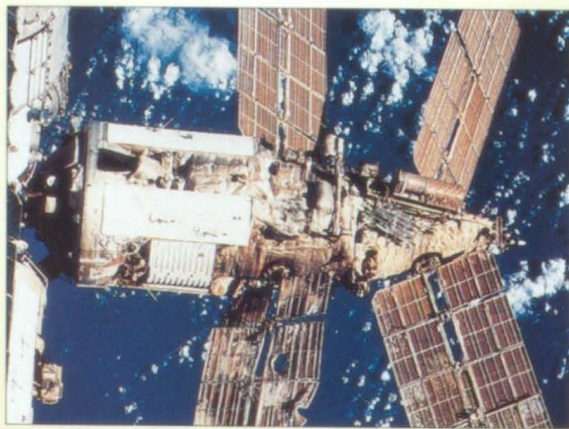
Science NEWS



NASA

- ▶ Russia's aging *Mir* space station collides with an unmanned supply vehicle in June and is seriously damaged. This is only one in a series of crises casting doubt on the viability of the station.

- ◀ Viewers worldwide see the first-ever high-resolution color pictures of Mars when the *Pathfinder* spacecraft lands July 4. The lander and its rover, *Sojourner*, collect and transmit extraordinary data for three months.



NASA



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- ◀ In September, CAT scans of petrified dinosaur eggs found in China reveal a dinosaur embryo.



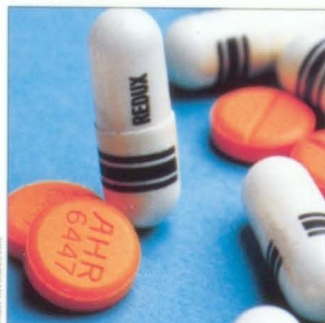
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- ▶ Scottish scientists in February 1997 announce the world's first cloning of an adult mammal. The sheep, named Dolly, fuels controversy over possible misuse of the technology.



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- ▶ Research produces medical breakthroughs, including a genetically engineered "bullet" molecule being tested to fight cancer and new drugs to control or prevent Parkinson's disease, osteoporosis and congestive heart failure.



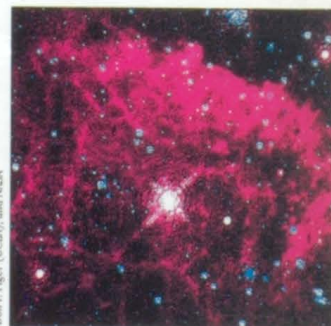
Matt Mendelsohn

- ▶ The popular diet regimen fen-phen is pulled off the market in September. The combination of fenfluramine and phentermine is shown to cause heart valve disorders, as is the diet drug Redux, also recalled.

flash

Fuel cells that convert a fuel's energy directly into electricity are being developed for use in cars, making possible an efficient, low-emission car of the future.

The first prescription pill for male-pattern baldness is approved by the Food and Drug Administration in December. The drug Propecia is made by Merck and Company.



Don F. Figer (UCCLA) and NASA

- ▶ Aided by the Hubble Space Telescope, astronomers discover the Pistol Star—the brightest star yet observed in the Milky Way. The Pistol Star is 25,000 light years from Earth.

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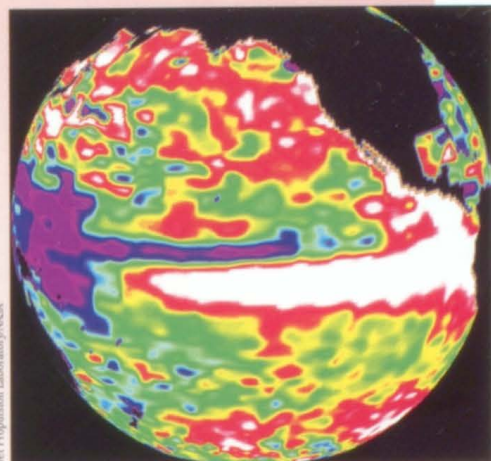
- ▶ For \$8.36 million, Chicago's Field Museum of Natural History buys "Sue," the most complete *Tyrannosaurus rex* fossil yet discovered. The sale occurs October 4 at Sotheby's in New York.

▶ Comet Hale-Bopp captures imaginations worldwide as it streaks past Earth for the first time in 4,200 years—or, since 2203 B.C. Hale-Bopp next returns in 4397.

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▶ On October 13, the British jet car *Thrust SSC* becomes the first vehicle to break the sound barrier on land, traveling 766.6 miles per hour in the Nevada desert.



Jet Propulsion Laboratory/NASA



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▶ In December, 159 nations gather in Kyoto, Japan, and negotiate a climate treaty to combat global warming by reducing greenhouse gases.



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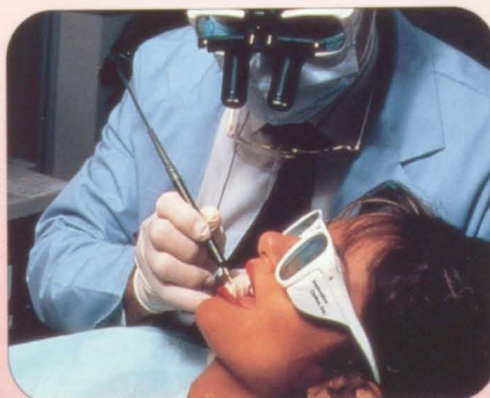
▶ El Niño stirs up global weather patterns. Caused by warmer-than-normal water temperatures in the equatorial Pacific, the '97 El Niño is blamed for storms and weather problems worldwide.



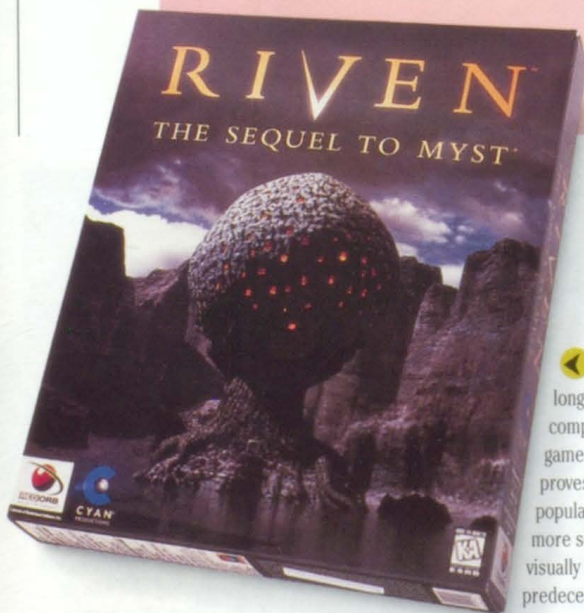
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▶ Protesters unsuccessfully attempt to prevent the October launch of NASA's *Cassini* spacecraft to Saturn, fearing an accident could shower the Earth with the rocket's radioactive plutonium.

▶ The Food and Drug Administration approves a dental laser for treating cavities. Unlike traditional dental drills, the laser in most cases causes virtually no discomfort.



Premier Laser Systems, Inc.



▶ *Riven*, the long-awaited computer adventure game sequel to *Myst*, proves to be just as popular and even more sophisticated visually than its predecessor.

flash

Hong Kong authorities in December order the slaughter of more than a million chickens in an effort to halt the spread of a bird flu virus that killed six people.

The space shuttle *Columbia* releases the errant *Spartan* satellite in November. U.S. astronaut Winston Scott and Takao Doi, the first Japanese astronaut to do a space walk, retrieve the satellite for return to Earth.



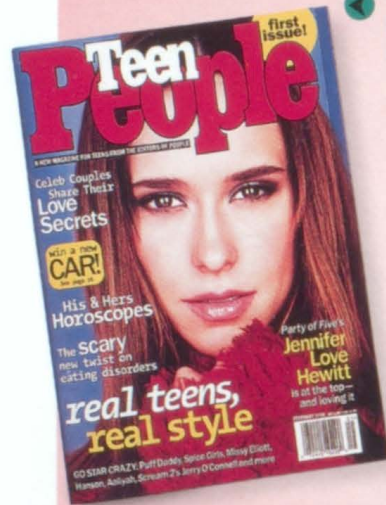
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▶ French oceanographer and award-winning filmmaker Jacques Cousteau dies in June at 87. His work gained renown through the popular television series "The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau."

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Teen People, a savvy monthly magazine for and about teenagers, premieres in February 1998.



Fashion advertising and clothing trends inspire the popularity of the color orange, which replaces neon green as the fad color of the year.



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In October, a cyberfashion show at the M.I.T. Media Lab Wearable Symposium features fashions with built-in computer devices and electronic hardware. M.I.T. students designed the high-tech fashions.



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Fashion looks to the Far East. The stick-on bindi, a tiny decorative accent worn in the middle of the forehead, is popularized by Gwen Stefani, lead singer of the band No Doubt.



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Princess Diana tribute merchandise abounds, including a double CD set and a new Beanie Baby named Princess, a royal purple bear adorned with a rose. Profits benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.

flash

Nike introduces a new "I Can" advertising campaign on New Year's Day. The company does not plan to abandon its "Just Do It" slogan, introduced in 1985, which will continue to appear on T-shirts and posters.

Diet Scent Patches are introduced in June by Slimline, a British company. Designed to help people diet successfully, the small arm stickers produce an unpleasant odor to discourage the wearer from eating sweets.



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"Two Fat Ladies" becomes the Food Network's hottest new cooking show in the U.S., attracting fans with its unconventional British stars, two overweight, middle-aged women.

This year's look in cosmetics is glimmering, sparkling and colorful. Riding this wave, cosmetics giant Christian Dior introduces Mascara Flash, temporary hair color in a variety of outrageous tints.



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Platform shoes, a fashion statement during the disco '70s, make a style comeback in a big way in 1997, inspiring even platform sneakers.



Christian Dior

▶ The Chevrolet Corvette is named *Motor Trend* magazine's 1998 Car of the Year.

General Motors



Softer Hairstyle

Smaller Chest

Larger Waist

Smaller Hips



▶ After nearly 40 years, Mattel's Barbie doll takes on a more realistic face and body shape than the Barbie of the '60s. The new doll will begin to appear in stores in early 1998.

▶ A new \$50 bill featuring a larger, off-center portrait of President Ulysses S. Grant is unveiled in October. Design details make the bill more difficult to forge.



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▶ Mattel introduces Share a Smile Becky in May 1997. Seated in a bright pink wheelchair, the doll is marketed as a friend to the traditional Barbie.



▶ Digital "pets" are a 1997 toy craze. These virtual critters keep their owners busy by beeping when they need care or feeding. If ignored, they "die."



Karl Steinbrenner

▶ Mehndi, intricate designs painted on the body with henna dye, is a popular expression of the fashion trend toward Eastern themes and patterns.

flash

As many as 700 school districts nationwide teach "emotional intelligence," aiming to develop children's values and people skills as well as their minds.

B beepers are a status symbol and a lifestyle must-have for many teens juggling school, jobs and after-school activities. More than 40 million beepers are carried in the U.S., an estimated 25 percent of them by people between the ages of 12 and 24. In some schools, beepers are forbidden as disruptive.



▶ Canada issues a Superhero postage stamp series that includes a 45-cent stamp featuring the colorful, comic-book image of Superman.

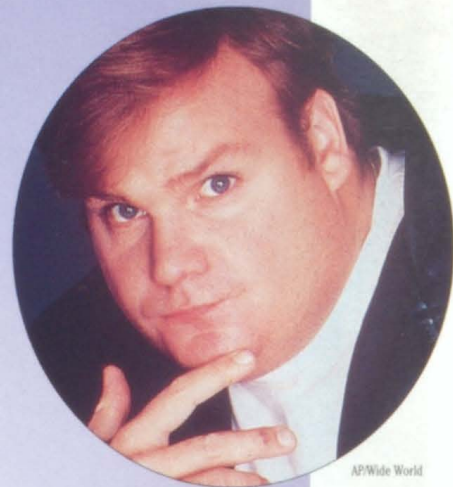


▶ Popular board games appear on CD-ROM in ever-growing numbers, including interactive favorites Monopoly, Scrabble, Sorry, Risk and Boggle.

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▲ Comedian Chris Farley dies at 33 of a drug overdose on December 18. He starred in NBC's "Saturday Night Live" and movies including *Tommy Boy* and *Beverly Hills Ninja*.



ABC from the Kobal Collection

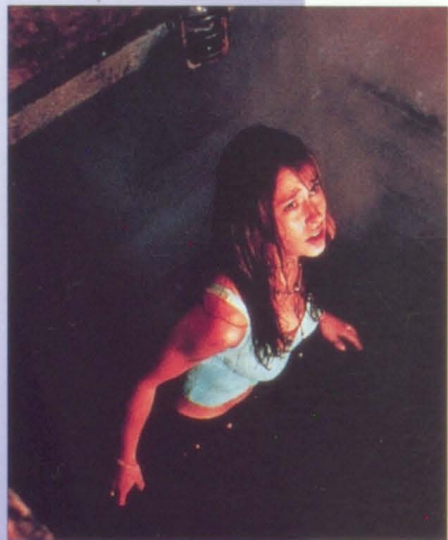
◀ ABC's gritty police drama "NYPD Blue" remains one of the most popular one-hour dramas on television in 1997, capturing four Emmy Awards.



Universal Studios, Inc., from Shooting Star

▶ *The Lost World*, Steven Spielberg's *Jurassic Park* sequel, breaks summer box-office records everywhere. It earns \$229 million in the U.S.

Columbia/Mandaly from the Kobal Collection



▶ Horror films draw teenagers to the box office. *I Know What You Did Last Summer*, starring Jennifer Lowe Hewitt and Sarah Michelle Gellar, is one of the year's biggest attractions.



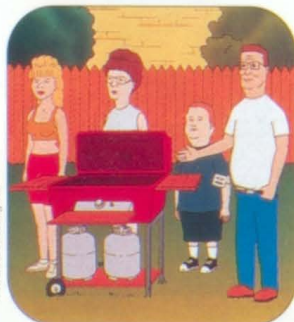
Gino Mifsud, Shooting Star

◀ Jerry Seinfeld, creator and star of the NBC hit "Seinfeld," announces in December that the 1997-1998 season is the show's last. The final episode airs in May, ending the popular show's nine-year run.

flash

In its second season, the WB's campy sitcom "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" blossoms into a huge favorite with many viewers.

Jenny McCarthy stars in a new fall NBC comedy "Jenny" that, in January 1998, goes into hiatus only a few months into its first season. McCarthy had been an MTV personality before moving to the network.



Fox from Shooting Star

▶ Fox network launches "King of the Hill," an animated show that focuses on the lives of a propane dealer from Texas and his family. The show goes on to become a smash hit.



Dimension Films from the Kobal Collection

▶ *Scream 2*, the chilling hit sequel to *Scream*, is a wildly successful mix of carnage and comedy starring Neve Campbell, Jerry O'Connell, Tori Spelling, Jada Pinkett and a host of other stars.



Dreamworks Pictures from Shooting Star

▶ Critically acclaimed *Amistad*, directed by Steven Spielberg, tells the story of an 1839 slave ship mutiny. The film culminates years of effort by producer Debbie Allen to bring the story to life.

▶ Religion is a common theme on eight fall-season network TV shows inspired by the success of CBS's "Touched by an Angel" starring Roma Downey, Della Reese and John Dye. New programs include ABC's "Nothing Sacred" and "Teen Angel."

CBS Entertainment from Shooting Star



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▶ *Titanic* is a huge critical and box-office success. The movie event of the year, this \$200 million picture is the most costly in history. After 45 days in the theaters, *Titanic* had earned \$308 million.



Fox/Paramount from Shooting Star

▶ *Star Wars* captures a new generation of fans when George Lucas re-releases the film trilogy 20 years after the first film was shown. In Washington, D.C., the National Air and Space Museum mounts a huge exhibition of now-historic *Star Wars* artifacts.



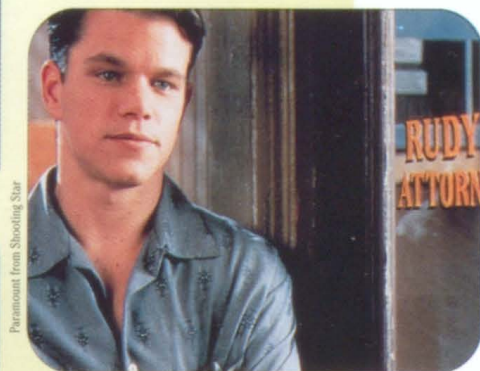
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▶ Michael Flatley's pulsating show "Lord of the Dance" fuels the extraordinary popularity of Irish dance. The show tours 15 cities in the U.S. through October.

▶ In the fall, Fox debuts "Ally McBeal," a comedy/drama starring Calista Flockhart as a young Boston attorney. The show captures a Golden Globe Award in January 1998 for best series/musical or comedy.



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Paramount from Shooting Star

▶ Matt Damon stars as an attorney in *The Rainmaker*, a movie based on the John Grisham novel. Damon's successes also include the film *Good Will Hunting*.



Columbo Tristar from Shooting Star

▶ Summer blockbuster *Men in Black* grosses more than \$500 million worldwide to become 1997's biggest hit. The sci-fi comedy stars Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones.

flash

The Wonderful World of Disney presents its adaptation of "Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella" on ABC, starring Brandy as Cinderella and Whitney Houston as the Fairy Godmother.

Tomorrow Never Dies, starring Pierce Brosnan as 007, is a holiday box-office hit and confirms the enduring popularity of James Bond movies.



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▶ The 1997 season premiere episode of "ER" is broadcast live and draws 42.7 million viewers for NBC, including those who watch it on a giant screen in Times Square.

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▶ Chumbawamba's hit single "Tubthumping" brings long-awaited success to this British band. The song becomes popular at pro sports events, kicking off games for several teams.

▶ Fiona Apple, 20, one of rock's female superstars, is named MTV's Best New Artist in a Video. Her single "Criminal" soars to the top of the charts.



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▶ With their hit single "MMMBop," three young brothers from Tulsa become one of the biggest breakthrough acts of 1997 as the band Hanson.



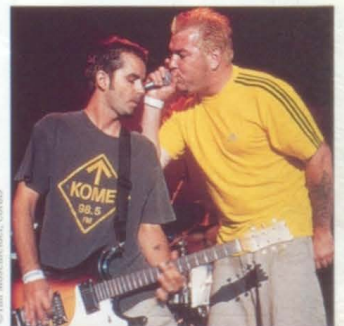
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▶ Lilith Fair, an all-female summer rock concert, draws large crowds on its 37-stop tour. Canadian singer-songwriter Sarah McLachlan masterminds the festival and releases a hit album, *Surfacing*.

flash

Drummer Bill Berry leaves R.E.M. after 17 years with the popular rock group. R.E.M. plans to continue as a trio.

Kenny G. enters the *Guinness Book of World Records* for holding the longest musical note—45 minutes, 47 seconds—on his saxophone.



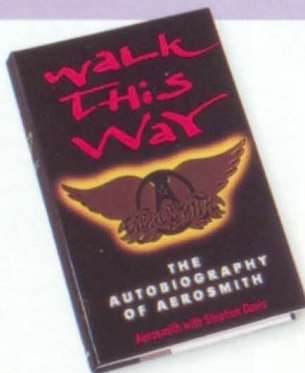
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▶ Smash Mouth popularizes a genre of alternative rock known as neo-ska with its hit single "Walkin' on the Sun" and debut album *Fush Yu Mang*.



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▶ Country music superstar Garth Brooks releases *Sevens*, his first album in two years. The album sells 800,000 copies the first week.



▶ *Walk This Way: The Autobiography of Aerosmith* chronicles the long career of the band notorious for its excesses in the '70s and '80s. The group's new album *Nine Lives* is nominated for a 1998 Grammy.

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▶ Rap artist the Notorious B.I.G. is killed in a March 1997 drive-by shooting in Los Angeles. He is posthumously awarded MTV's 1997 Best Rap Video Award for "Hypnotize" and is named *Spin* magazine's Artist of the Year.

British pop phenomenon, the Spice Girls, makes millions with mega-hits such as "Wannabe" and sells 14 million albums and 10 million singles.

Ron Davis, Shooting Star



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Adam Yauch of the Beastie Boys engineers the second Tibetan Freedom Concert, held in June in New York, offering 27 music acts and a free-Tibet political message.



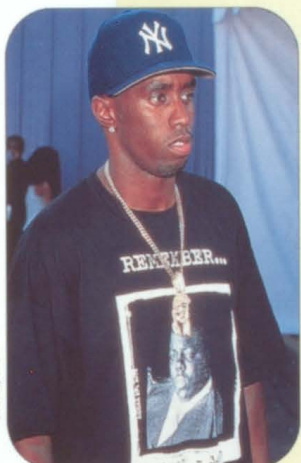
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Third Eye Blind, after several years in San Francisco's underground music scene, goes big time in 1997. Their song "Semi-Charmed Life" is listed as the top-selling modern rock single for 1997 in *Billboard* magazine.

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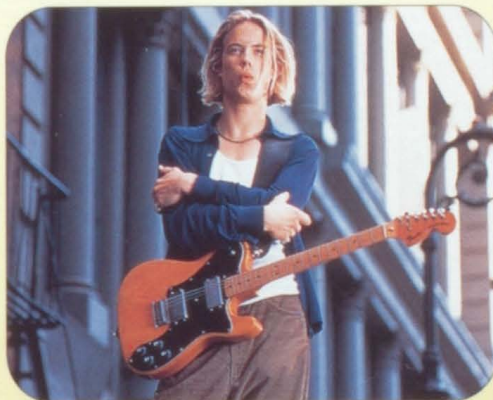
At 15, country music sensation LeAnn Rimes sells more than 12.5 million recordings in the U.S. in 1997 and is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Year. Her single "How Do I Live" is one of the year's best sellers.



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The album *No Way Out* by Puff Daddy & the Family goes multiplatinum. Puffy's single "I'll Be Missing You," an elegy to his friend the Notorious B.I.G., also tops the charts.

Sixteen-year-old R&B phenom Jonny Lang opens for the Rolling Stones' fall tour and spends 16 weeks at No. 1 on *Billboard's* blues chart with his album *Lie to Me*.

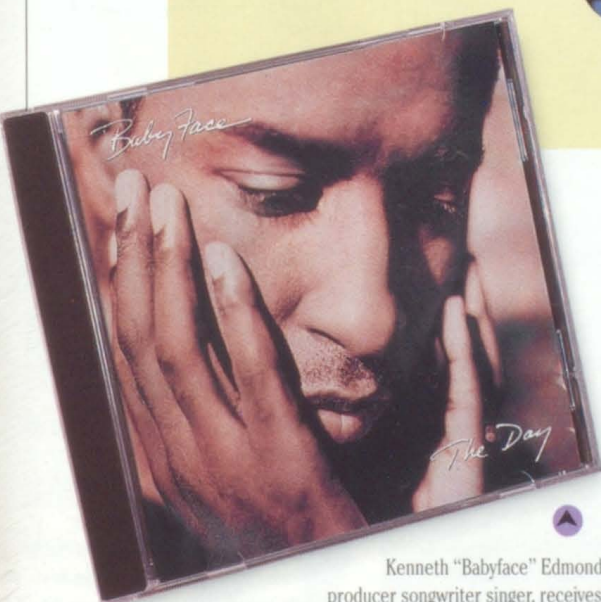


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Metallica releases a seventh album, *Re-Load*, that confirms its position as the premier heavy-metal band in the music world.

Radiohead is *Spin* magazine's Band of the Year. Critics praise Radiohead's album *OK Computer*, variously described as haunting, revolting, inscrutable, stunning and gorgeous. The album receives a 1998 Grammy nomination for Rock/Pop Album of the Year.



Kenneth "Babyface" Edmonds, superstar producer songwriter singer, receives more 1998 Grammy nominations than any other artist, including one for his album *The Day*. Edmonds and wife Tracey also produce the film *Soul Food* in 1997.

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- ▲ The Florida Marlins are baseball's 1997 World Series champs and the first team ever to win the Series without winning its league pennant. The Marlins defeat the Cleveland Indians in seven games.



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- ▲ In July, 16-year-old Swiss tennis star Martina Hingis becomes the youngest Wimbledon champion since 1887. Hingis wins three of the four 1997 Grand Slam events.



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- ▲ Quarterback John Elway leads the Denver Broncos to a 31-24 victory over the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl XXXII in San Diego, January 25, 1998. It is Elway's first Super Bowl win in four appearances.



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- ▲ Mike Tyson bites off part of Evander Holyfield's ear and is disqualified in the WBA Heavyweight rematch in June 1997. Tyson is fined nearly \$3 million and his boxing license is revoked.



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- ▲ Tiger Woods, 21, becomes the youngest golfer ever to win the Masters Tournament. His 18-under-par score sets a Masters record. Woods wins 3 other tournaments and sets a PGA Tour earnings record of \$2.1 million for the season.

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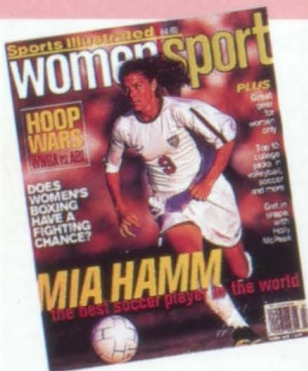
Swedish golfing phenomenon Annika Sorenstam, 26, tops the LPGA earnings list in 1997 with a record \$1,236,789.

Professional sports salaries keep skyrocketing. One of the most publicized of 1997 is Kevin Garnett's \$126 million contract to play basketball for the Minnesota Timberwolves.



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- ▲ Pittsburgh Penguins' Mario Lemieux retires in April 1997 after a spectacular comeback from Hodgkin's disease and injury. Lemieux is elected to the Hockey Hall of Fame in September.



- ▲ In April 1997, the premier issue of *Sports Illustrated Women* hits the newsstands. The magazine reflects the explosive growth of female participation in sports.



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- ▲ Charles Woodson, Michigan's versatile junior cornerback, becomes the first primarily defensive player to win the Heisman Trophy, awarded in December.

▶ Jeff Gordon, at 26, wins the 1997 NASCAR Winston Cup, his second Winston Cup point title in three years. Gordon's 1997 points total 4,710.

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Scott Cunningham, NBA/Allsport



▶ The Chicago Bulls beat the Utah Jazz in June 1997 for their fifth NBA championship in seven years. Michael Jordan is chosen Finals MVP a record fifth time.

▶ When the college football season ends, two teams share the national championship. Michigan (12-0) is named No. 1 by the sports writers' poll, and Nebraska (13-0) by the coaches' poll.

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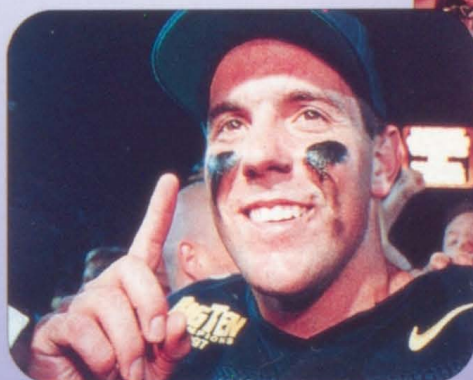
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▶ Nagano, Japan, hosts the 1998 Winter Olympic Games during February. Three new medal sports make their Olympic debut: curling, snowboarding and women's ice hockey.

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▶ Detroit Red Wings captain Steve Yzerman powers his team to the 1997 Stanley Cup championship, its first in 42 years, by sweeping the Philadelphia Flyers in four games.



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Women officiate in an all-male professional sports league for the first time. The pioneers, Dee Kanter and Violet Palmer, are referees in the NBA.

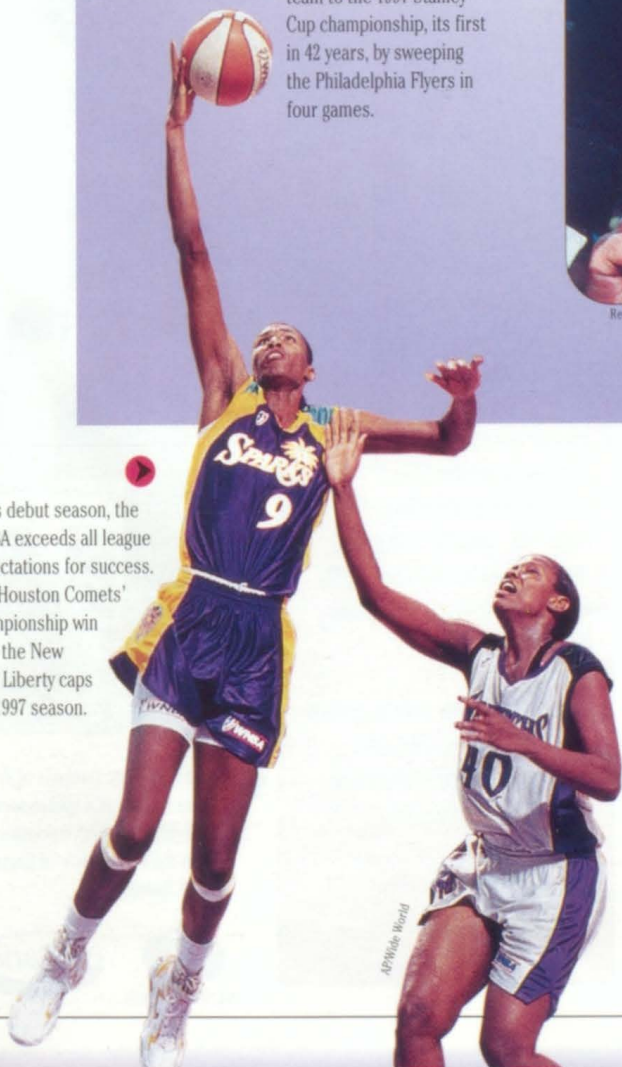
Mark McGwire, of the St. Louis Cardinals, slams 52 homers in 1996 and 58 in 1997. McGwire becomes only the second player in baseball history with back-to-back, 50-home-run seasons, the other being Babe Ruth.



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▶ Dean Smith, winningest coach in college basketball history, retires in October after 36 seasons at North Carolina. *Sports Illustrated* names him 1997 Sportsman of the Year.

▶ In its debut season, the WNBA exceeds all league expectations for success. The Houston Comets' championship win over the New York Liberty caps the 1997 season.



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Faces NEWS



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Miss Illinois, Katherine Shindle, is crowned Miss America 1998. For the first time in its 77-year history the pageant allows contestants to wear two-piece swimsuits in competition.

Chelsea Clinton begins her freshman year at Stanford University in Palo Alto, California. Despite security measures, she reportedly will lead as normal a college life as possible.



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For the first time, a computer beats a world chess champion when IBM's Deep Blue beats Russian Garry Kasparov in a six-game match in May 1997.



Shooting Star

Beloved actor Jimmy Stewart dies in July at 89. Stewart's enduring nice-guy popularity is exemplified by *It's a Wonderful Life*, his 1946 movie that is now an American cultural icon.



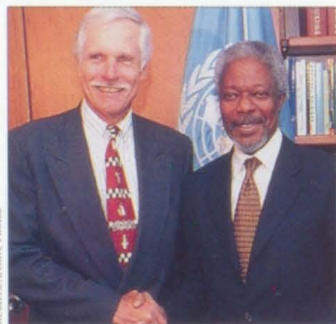
J.T. MacMillan, San Diego Union-Tribune

Roman Catholic nun Mother Teresa of Calcutta dies September 5 at the age of 87. Revered for a lifetime of helping the poorest of the poor, her many honors include the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize.



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American Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines are awarded the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize in October. The U.S. and China refuse to sign an international treaty that would ban land mines.



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Ted Turner, vice chairman of the Time Warner media empire, pledges \$1 billion to United Nations programs. It is the largest single gift in philanthropic history.

flash

Former leader of the Soviet Union Mikhail Gorbachev films a TV commercial for Pizza Hut. He reportedly earns \$1 million for the appearance, money he plans to use to benefit his Gorbachev Foundation.

Singer John Denver dies in October at 53 when the experimental plane he is piloting crashes into California's Monterey Bay.



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Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, appears in ads as a spokesperson for Weight Watchers International. She is the former wife of England's Prince Andrew.



