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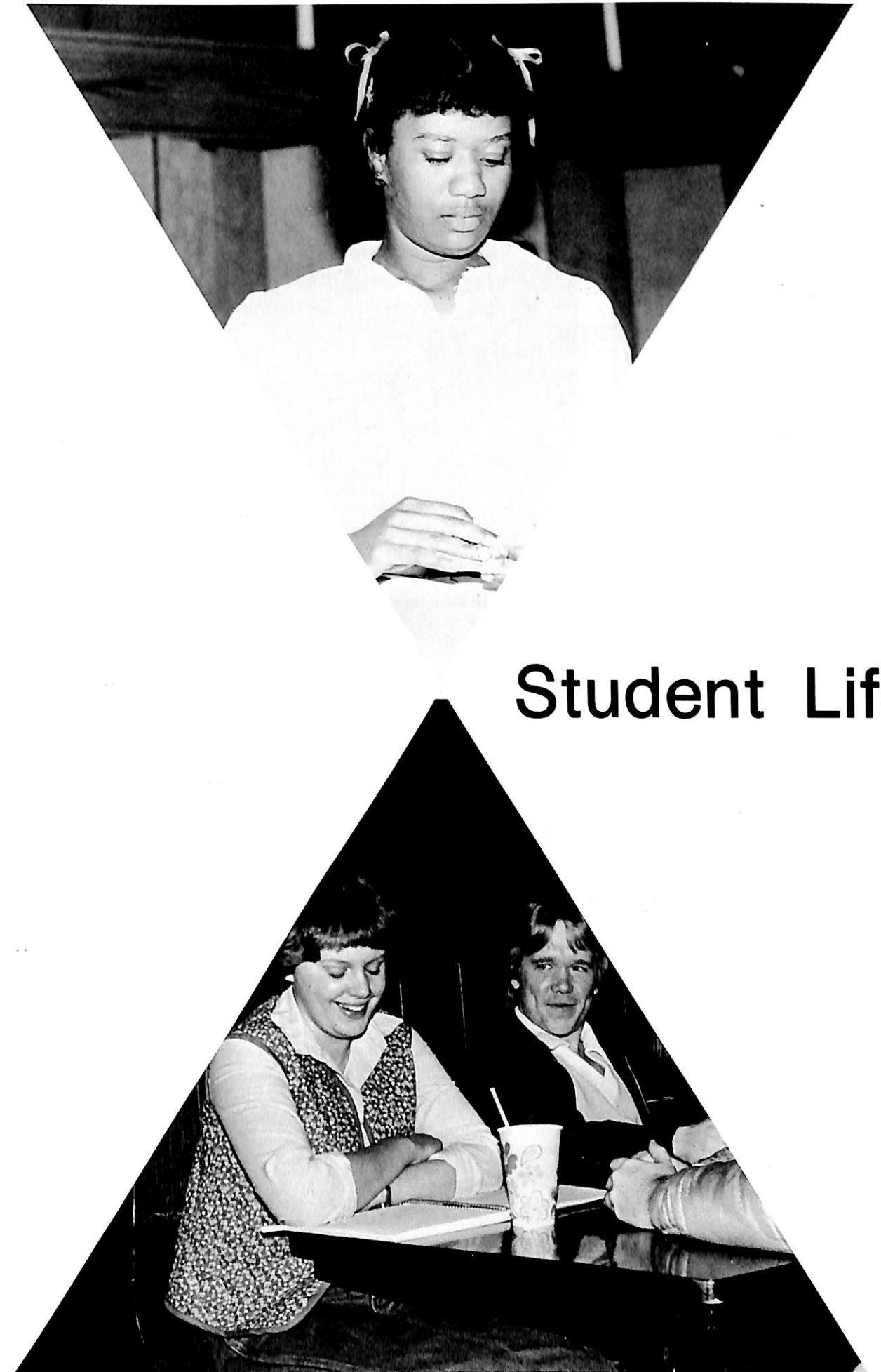


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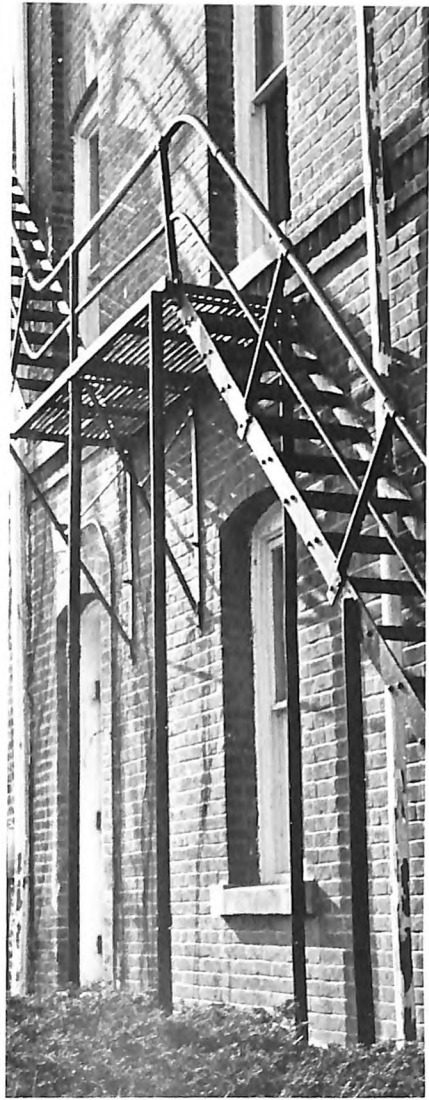
The 1980 Danian is dedicated to Mrs. Dana — Alice Laaker — in appreciation of her many years of dedicated service to Dana College. Without Alice Dana would not be the same, and we hope that she will spread her smiles and happy comments on campus for many years to come.

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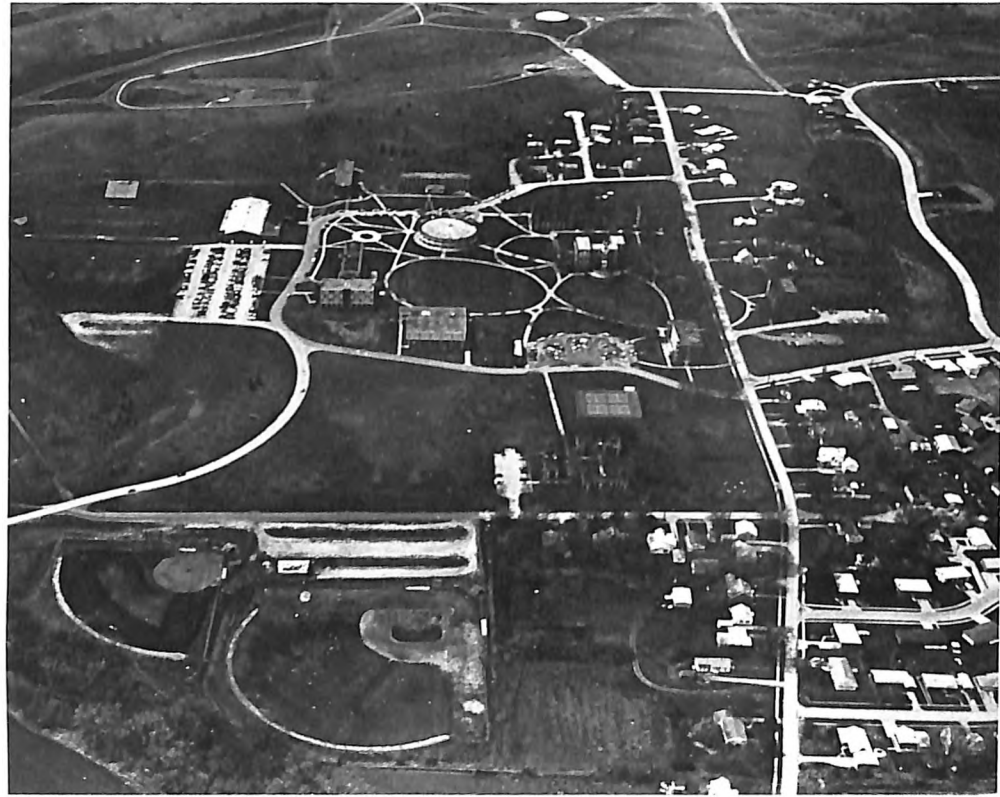
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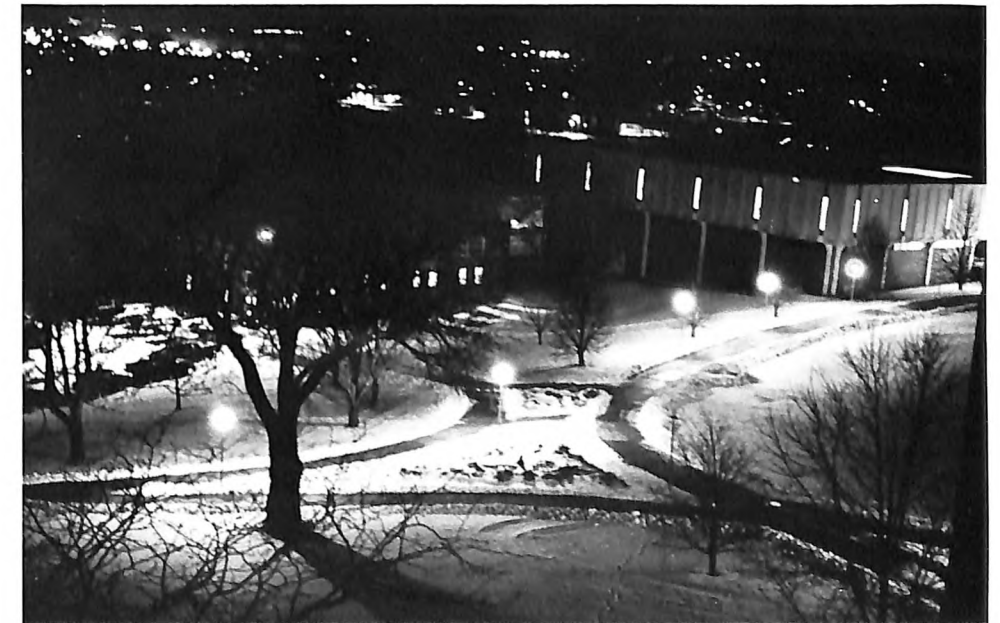
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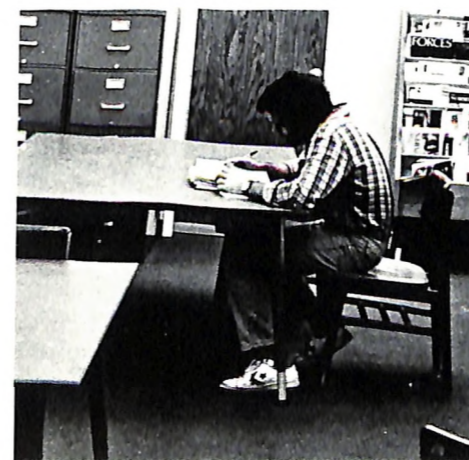
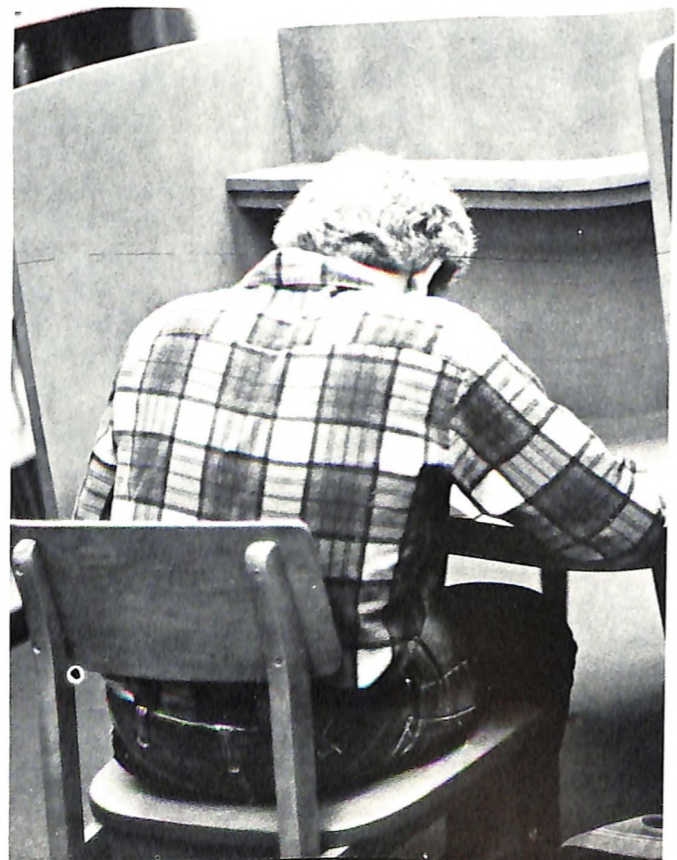
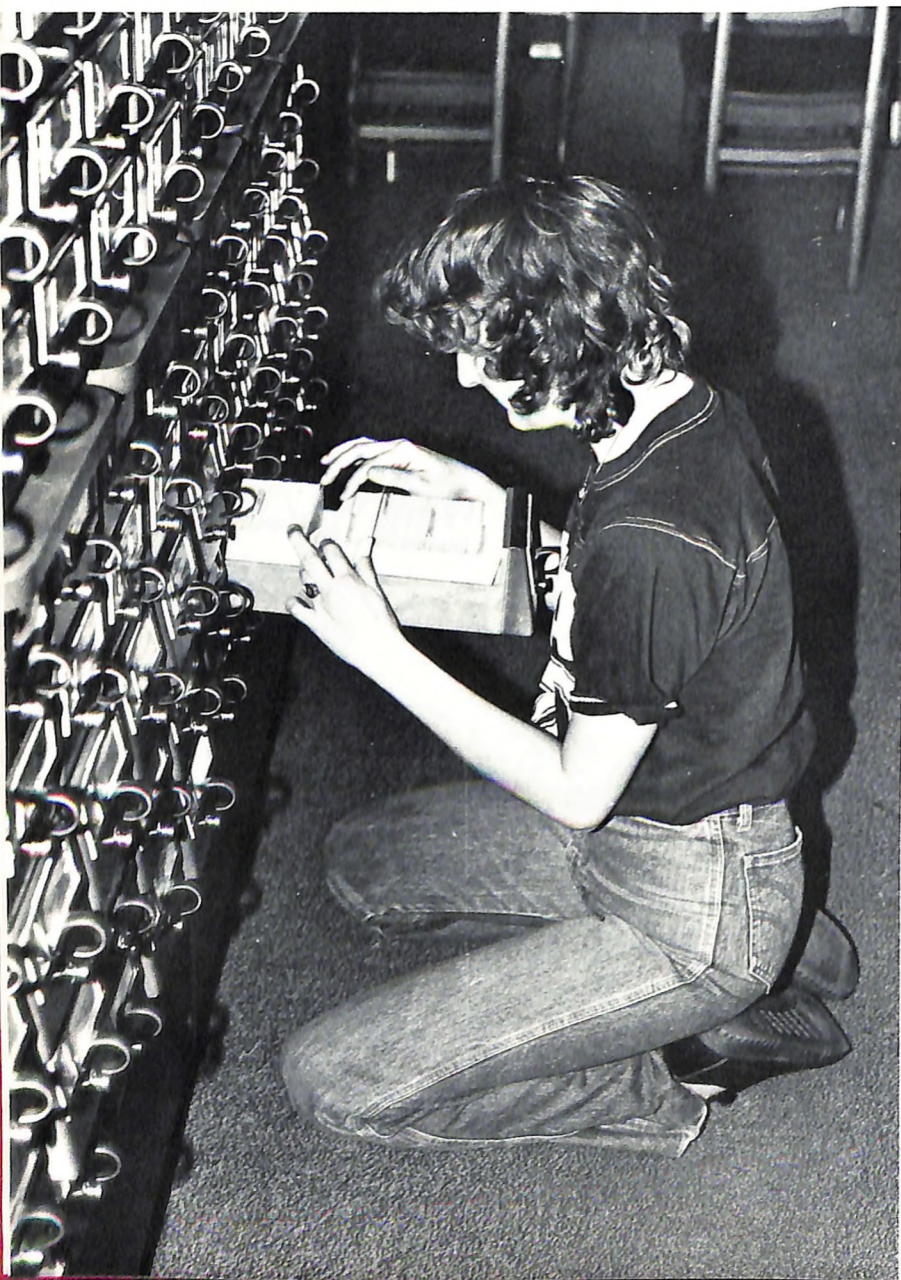
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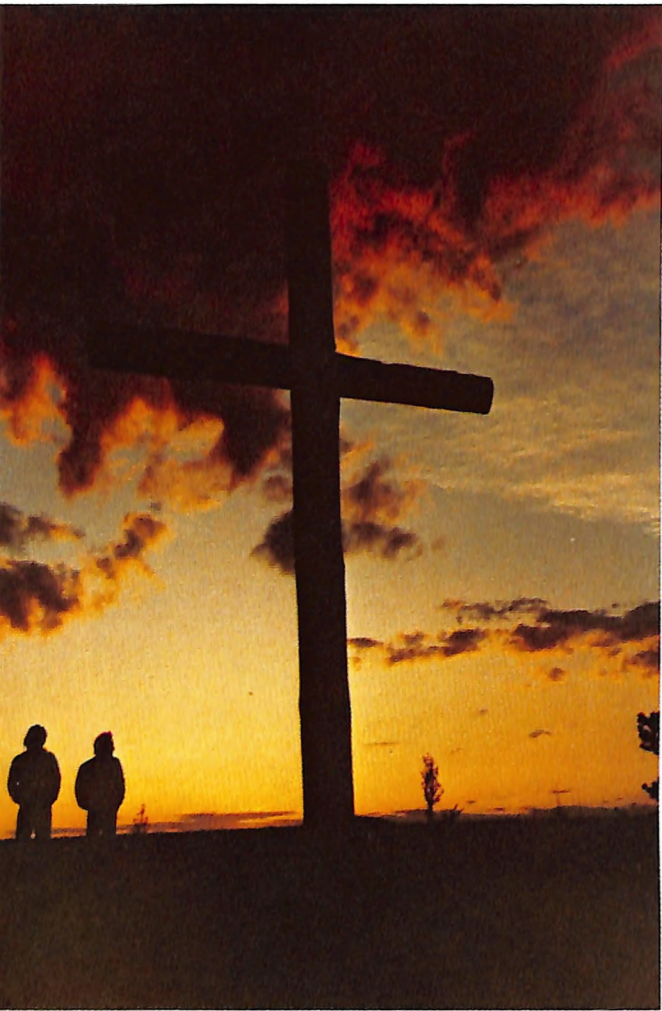


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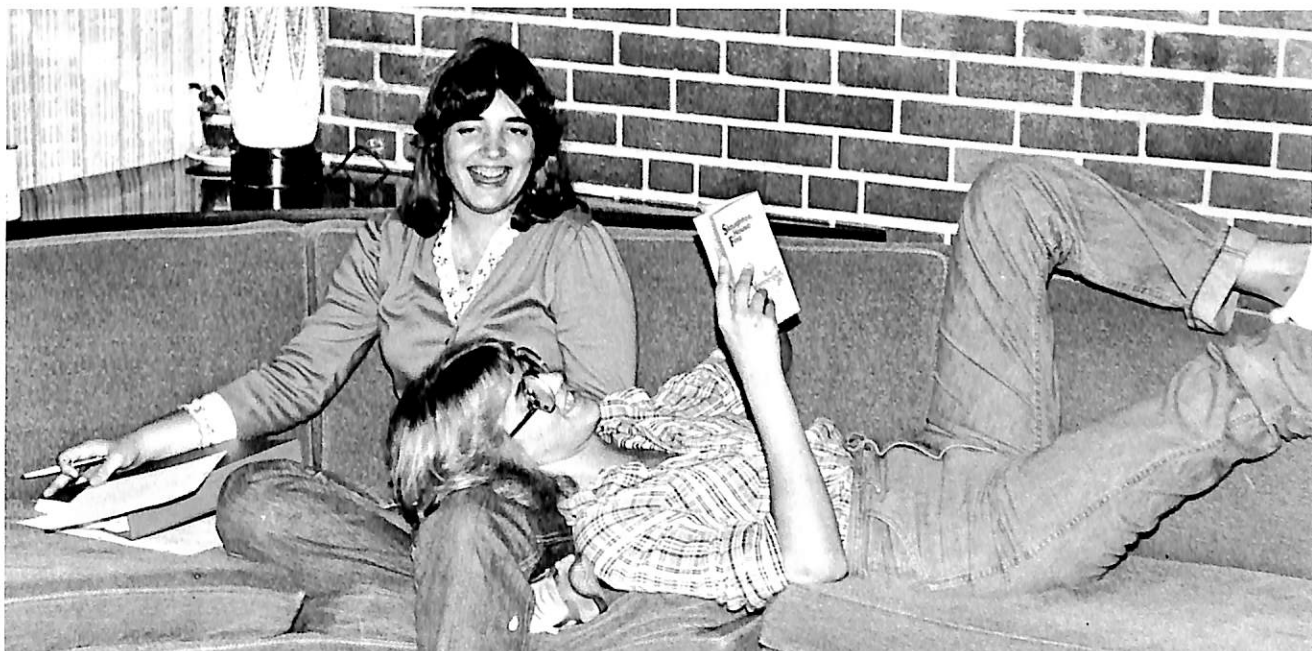
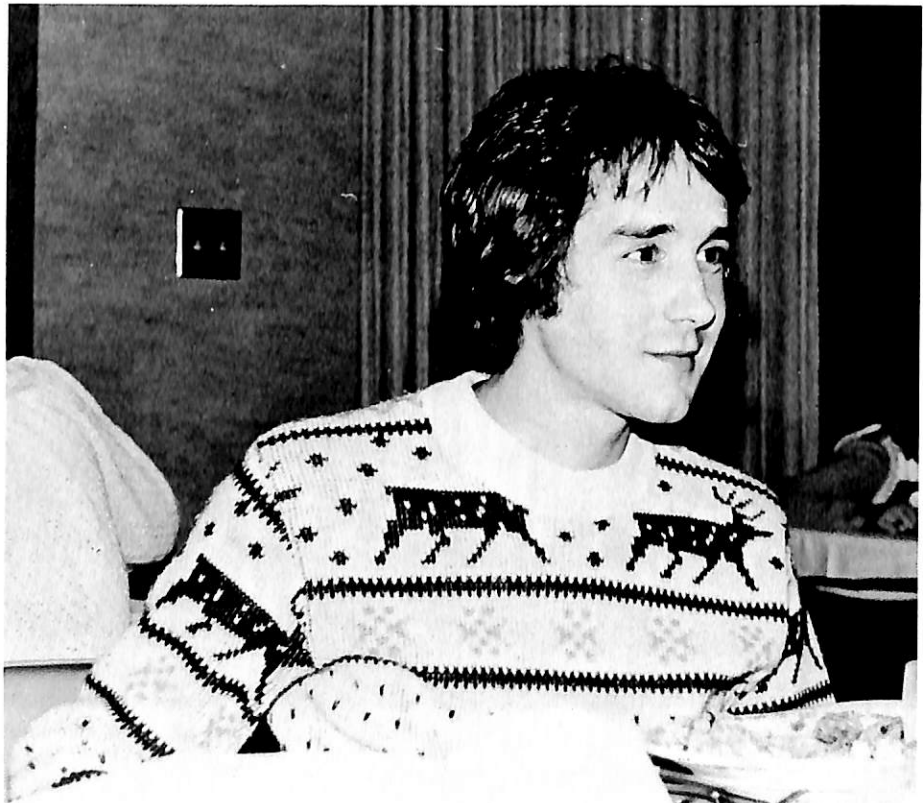
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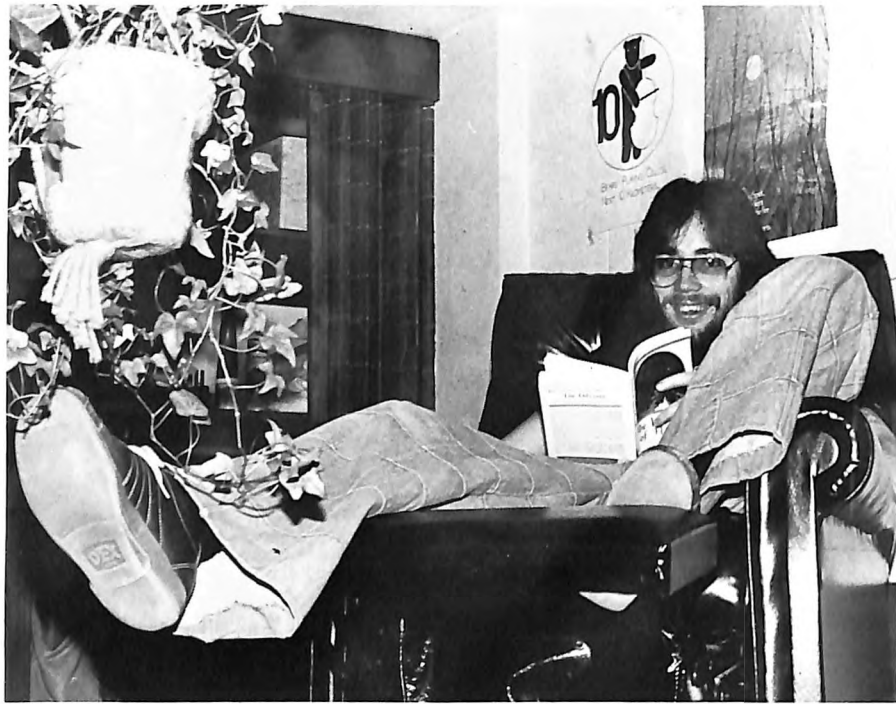
It's the Dana Difference



The Dana Family

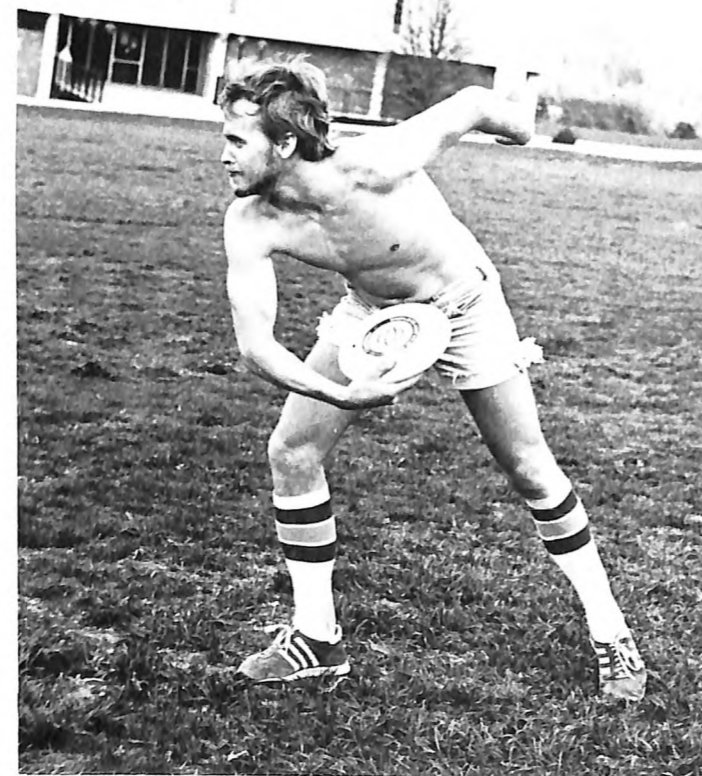
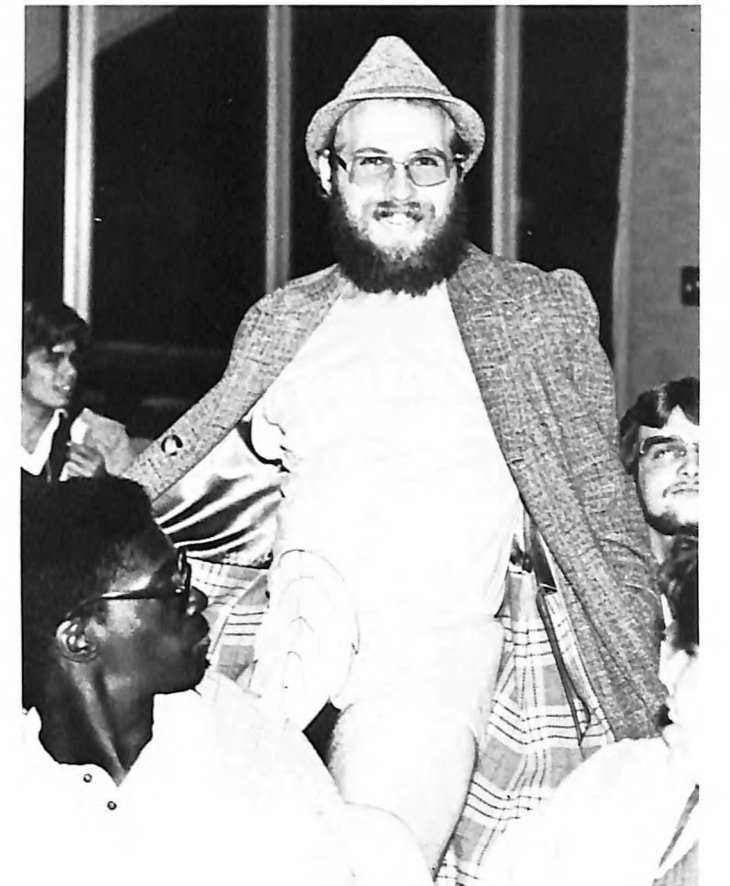


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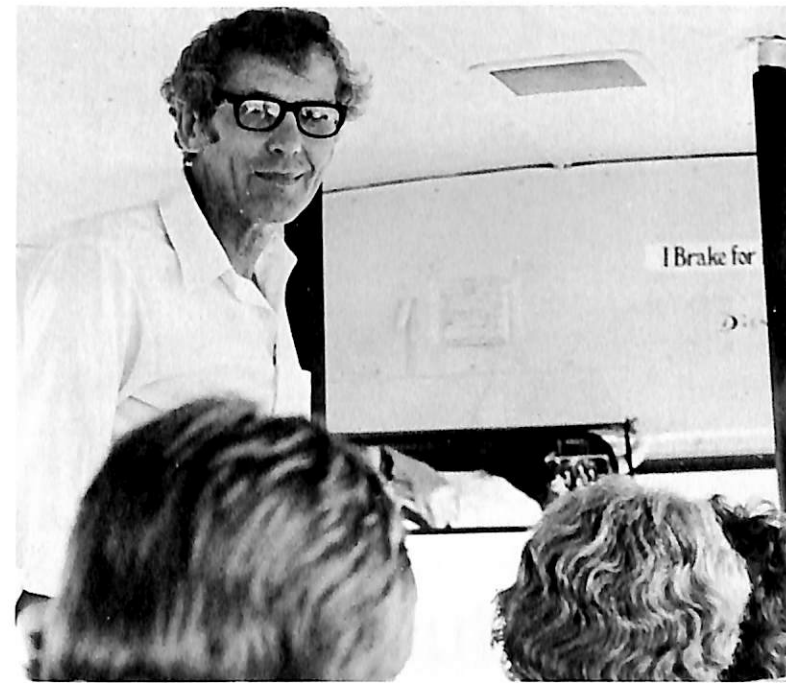
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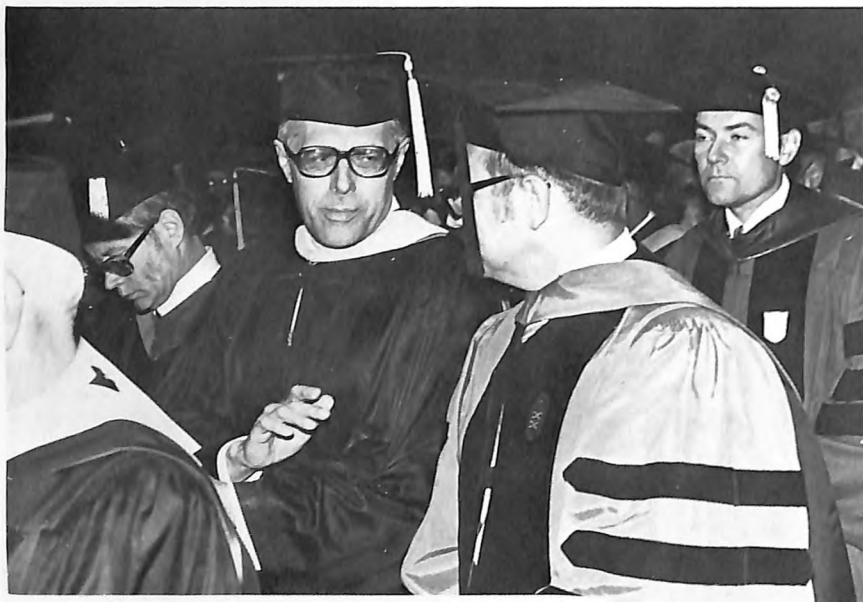


Ladies' Man



The Many Faces of Dana





Graduation



Special Events



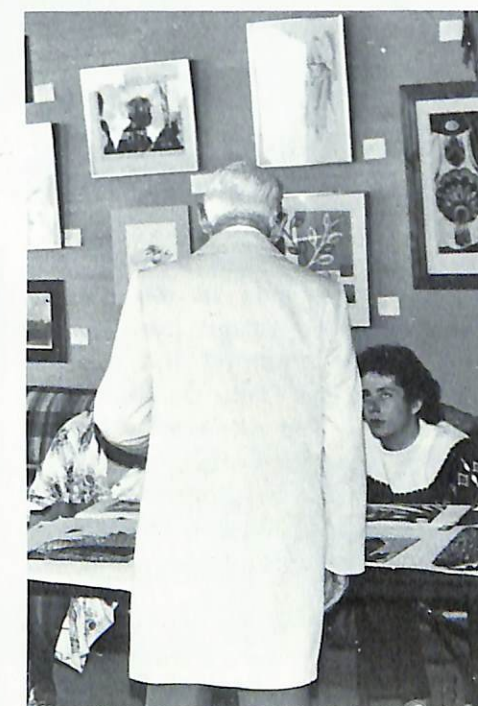
Happy Days Are Here Again



The theme of the 1979 Homecoming was "Happy Days Are Here Again." This theme had been chosen by the Homecoming Committee in 1978 when Dana was in deep trouble, but when the day finally rolled around it seemed to have been almost prophetic. Enrollment was up, donations from alumni and friends had gone up to an all time high, and there were many people at hand to enjoy the varied program in the warm autumn weather.



Homecoming queen Kristi Kruse with her escort, Tom Harm.



Homecoming

The Sights And Sounds Of Christmas



The 1979 Sights and Sounds of Christmas was one of the most successful ever. About five thousand people attended the many activities on the Dana Campus on December 2. The day started with worship service in Borup Coliseum, and after church approximately 1845 people enjoyed a delicious Scandinavian buffet in the cafeteria. All afternoon different organizations presented events, and among the most popular were a storytelling hour with Dr. John Nielsen, and the traditional Santa Lucia ceremony. The day was capped off with the band and choir concerts in Borup, where 3000 people filled the beautifully decorated auditorium.





Dana College
COMMENCEMENT
 Sunday, May 18, 1980



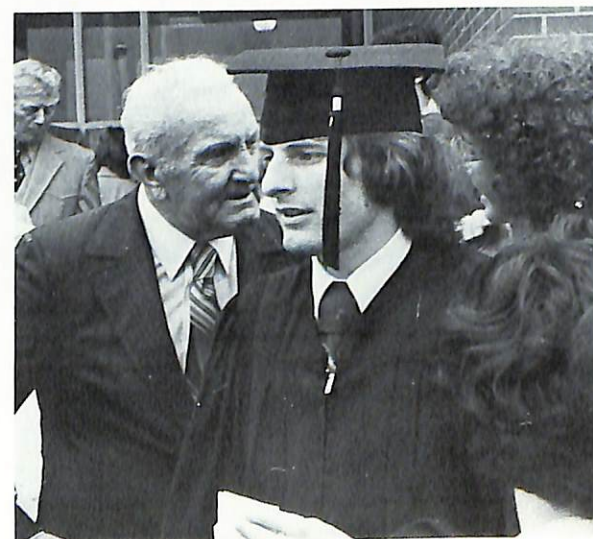
The happy faces of graduation

On Sunday, May 18 the 1979-80 Academic Year came to a close with the Commencement Ceremonies.

Sunday morning the festive Baccalaureate Service was held in Borup Coliseum for the graduates and their families, and in the afternoon the beautifully decorated Borup Coliseum was filled to overflowing for Commencement. President James Kallas extended his greetings to all visitors, and expressed his appreciation to the graduates for having spent four important years of their lives at Dana. Dr. Kallas then presented the Valedictorian, or rather the *three* Valedictorians.

After four years of college JoAnne Roberts, Carol Weckmuller, and Jerry Schmidt were so close in their cumulative averages that it was impossible to name one Valedictorian. In her address JoAnne Roberts said that graduation was both a beginning and an end. She said it was time for the graduates to "launch our own little barks," but also that Dana would follow her wherever she goes in life. Jerry Schmidt stressed that at Dana students learn to think for themselves. Facts are part of the education, but they do not hang suspended in the air without relation to real life. Carol Weckmuller stressed the diversity of a Dana education. We are not specialists, but learn about both Buddhism and the energy of the cell.

After the Valedictorian address the 1980 College Community Award was presented to Ralph Steier for his long time work to make Blair a green and pleasant town.



Two honorary degrees were conferred at the Commencement. One was given to Marshall Fredericks, internationally known sculptor, who is also known for his work for disabled and blind people. Fredericks has been honored in twenty-one nations around the world, but Dana is the first educational institution to honor Fredericks with an honorary degree.

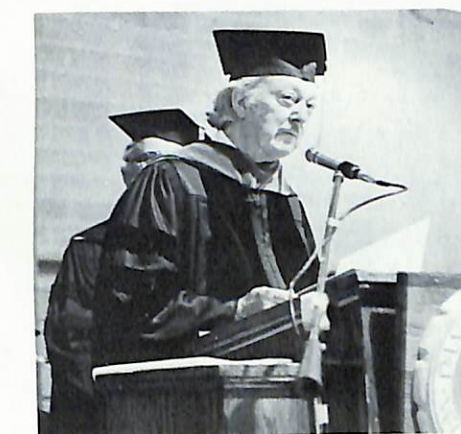
The other honorary degree was given to Robert S. Jacobsen of Luther College for his many years of service to Christian Higher Education.

The Commencement Address was presented by Dr. David Preus, President of the American Lutheran Church. Dr. Preus instructed the graduates to go out in life and make a statement of life. He told them to always look ahead and never settle for the past or the present, but always pursue new goals.

Finally, the Class of 1980 was presented, and 84 seniors were graduated. Eighteen students were graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree, and sixty-six with a Bachelor of Science degree. Ten students were graduated cum laude, and thirteen won magna cum laude honors. The ceremony closed with "Hail Dana", and the recessional.



Finally, — Graduation





Once Upon A Mattress

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Minstrel	Brent Noel
Princess No. 12	Kristi Swensen
Wizard	Tim Nietfeld
Lady Larken	Melanie Rath
Queen Aggravain	Renae Claussen
Prince Dauntless	Craig Shaffer
King Sextimus the Silent	Rick Knutson
Jester	Mary Heistand
Sir Studley	Mike Von Hollen
Sir Luce	Craig Campbell
1st Knight	Robert Schmoll
2nd Knight	Tom Jacobson
3rd Knight	Steve Appel
4th Knight	Mark Overmeyer
Lady Rowena	Betty Bliss
Lady Merrill	Amy Nichols
Lady Lucille	Linda Lemon
Lady-in-Waiting	Debbie Johnston
Lady-in-Waiting	Jane Travnicek
Sir Harry	Jerome Christensen
Princess Winifred	Sally Miller
Lady Mabelle	Kathy Swensen
Nightingale	Jane Travnicek



"A princess is a delicate thing" as Princess Winifred (Sally Miller) tries desperately to achieve comfort on her bed of many mattresses.

ORCHESTRA: Carol Olsen, Sarah Hansen, Melinda McCord, Sherri Sandoz, Debra Olsen, Janelle Siffering, Kathy Gerking, Jill Esbeck, Devon, Speck, Linda Timm, Barbara Kalal, Mitch Jensen, Roy Lubkeman. Director, Sieghard Krueger; Music Director, Thomas Williams; Choreography, Cheryl Fleming; Production Assistant, Jane Travnicek.



Members of the court try to help Princess No. 12 (Kristi Swensen) as the wizard (Tim Nietfeld) awaits the answer.



LEFT: It was not a pea that was in Winifred's bed as members of the chorus look on to see what really was under all those mattresses.

The Crucible

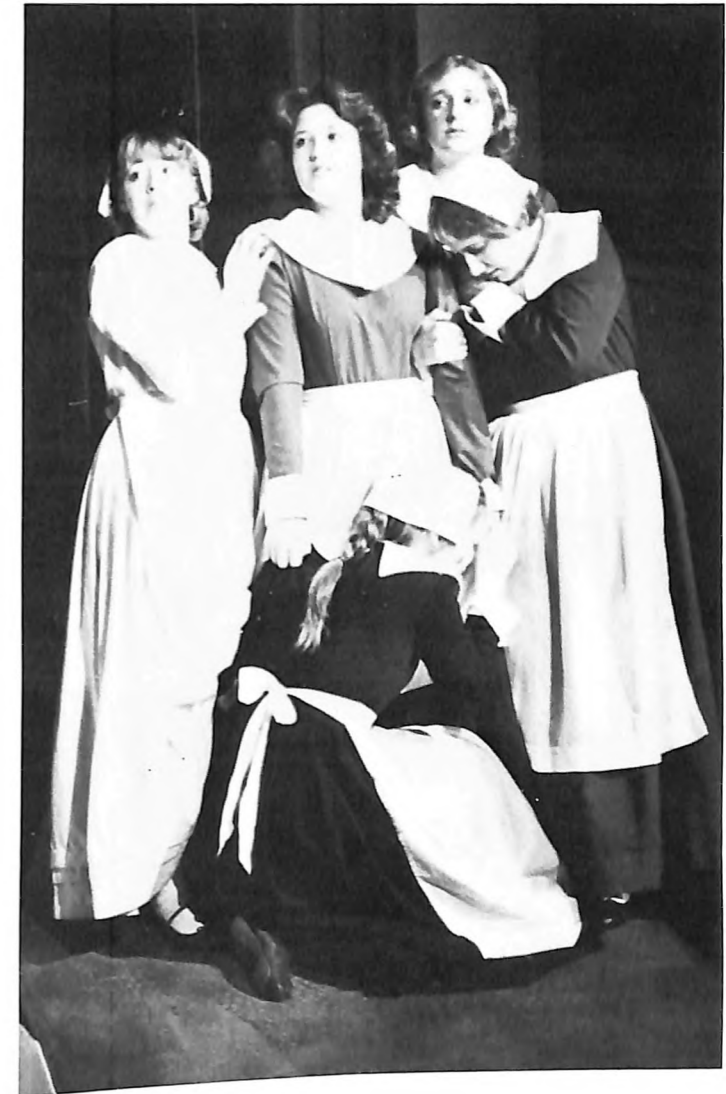
CAST

Betty Parris
 Reverend Samuel Parris
 Tituba
 Abigail Williams
 Susanna Wallcott
 Mrs. Ann Putnam
 Thomas Putnam
 Mercy Lewis
 Mary Warren
 John Proctor
 Rebecca Nurse
 Giles Corey
 Reverend John Hale
 Elizabeth Proctor
 Francis Nurse
 Ezekiel Cheever
 John Willard
 Judge Hathorne
 Deputy-Governor Danforth
 Sarah Good

Jennifer Jensen
 Thomas Quale
 Renae Claussen
 Colleen Dutch
 Linda Lemon
 Jane Travnicek
 Paul Madsen
 Connie Frahm
 Angela Arkenbauer
 Steve Appel
 Jill Wetzel
 Brian Barratt
 Jerome Christensen
 Joanne Hansen
 Rick Knutson
 Mike VonHollen
 Tom Martin
 Mark Overmeyer
 Tim Nietfeld
 Cathy Malone

Director

Sieghard Krueger



The Crucible was a very successful production, and all involved did excellent jobs in this difficult production. Particularly outstanding performances were given by Angela Ankenbauer, Steve Appel, and Joanne Hansen, who carried the play to a perfect climax in the final scene.



The Magic Flute

List of Characters:

Tamino	Tim Nietfeld
Three Ladies	Amy Nichols, Jane Travnicek, Lori Hansen
Papageno	Kip Tyler
The Queen of the Night	Mary Heistand
Monostatos	Brent Noel
Pamina	Joanne Hansen
Three Spirits	Melanie Rath, Melinda Jensen, Renae Claussen
The Speaker	Mark Walth
Two Priests	Brian Tuthill, Mark Walth
Old Woman	Linda Timm
Sarastro	Tom Jacobson

Chorus:

Kathy Appel	Sherri Sandoz
Loveda Barthelmeh	Monty Scheele
Merle Brockhoff	Craig Shaffer
Janice Butts	Mary Rowland
Denise Folkerts	Diane Timm
Kathryn Gerking	Brian Tuthill
Sally Miller	Mark Walth
Lynn Moline	

Director: Lucinda Sloan
 Student Musical Director: Elizabeth Falksen
 Accompanist: Iris Frey



The poor Papageno tried all kinds of things to keep his mouth shut at the right times, usually without much success.



The 1980 opera production was The Magic Flute by W. A. Mozart. This both delightful and highly symbolic opera was presented in an elaborately staged production. The set and costumes were memorable in their exotic strangeness, and the audience left the opera with a good feeling, because in spite of all hardships for Tamino and Papageno the Magic Flute was able to bring together the lovers Tamino and Pamina.

As an independent Interim project seniors Tom Kendall and Jim Borden decided to build a 12 foot clock of old wood bought from different places. On May 1 the wonder was shown to the public for the first time, and awe is the word that best describes the feeling in the large crowd in Parnassus as the clock was unveiled.

The clock is built completely of wood, and will be placed permanently in Parnassus. The only people in the world who can service the clock are Jim and Tom, and we will probably see them around campus trying to get the clock to strike on the appropriate times.



New Landmark



During the year there were many musical events at Dana. Among the more memorable was a visit by the Copenhagen Boys Choir. The boys 9-13 brought a fresh breath to the campus and their performance was well-received. Also the Chuck Girard concert sponsored by EK, and the Michael Rogers music residency, sponsored by ASF, were interesting and brought many visitors to the campus.





Organizations



Three Cheers For The Viking Cheerleaders



VIKINGS

Kathy Jensen, Denise Honebein, Liz Miller, Felicia Clark, Peggy Coonce, Shari Sorensen, Miriam Petersen, Sandy Kult, Karen Struble, Allison Sprieck.



S.A.M.



Gladys Braun, Francisco Arroyaur, James Hanson, Lee Ahrens, Judy Csejthey, Teri Hupp, Susan Andersen, Mary Asmus, Jeff Butler, Allison Sprieck, Alan Pedersen, Jerry Christensen, Sabina Kirk, Gary Cissell.



Kim Nielsen, Leanne Danahy, Mike VonHollen, Paul Meeker, Amy Nichols, Lucy Lindahl, Dana Kirk, Roxanne Carlsen, Betty Bliss, Rhoda Hutter, Jan Evenson, Ellen Hamann, Mike Martin.

In His Name

Dana College Choir



Tour Choir

First row: Denise Folkerts, Sue Lazzarro, Lynne Moline, Shellie Smith, Kathy Jensen, Kristy Hansen, Nancy Anderson, Ruth Mirtz, Mary Asmus, Sherri Sandoz. Second row: Danette Johns, Patty Hineline, Amy Holmquist, Amy Nichols, Colleen Dutch, Lori Neve, Carol Olson, Jean King, Janice Butts, Loveda Barthelmeh. Third row: Ellen Hamann, Betty Bliss, Liz Falksen, Denise Honebein, Mark Walth, Pam Larsen, Jan Evenson,

Lisa Hanson, Julie Elliott, Paulette Strecker. Fourth: Sheryl Kester, Jim Borden, Scott Gorud, Gary Beltz, Craig Schaffer, Paul Judson, Miriam Petersen, Tim Kloth, Tom Jacobsen, Bob Schmoll, Paul Madsen, Kathy Gerking. Fifth: Monty Scheele, Paul Meeker, Tony Jones, Kim Nielsen, Curt Fett, Kip Tyler, Tom Kendall, Andy Johnson, Jerry Christensen, Merle Brockhoff, Mike Martin.



KDCV

Jane Travnicek, Ted Hanlon, Terri Hupp, Connie Frahm, Steve Albertsen, Paul Judson, Rick Danforth, Phil O'Brien, Steve Riley, Curt Fett, David Jensen, Bruce Bro, Darrell Dibben, General Manager.

Church Council



Lucy Lindahl, Paul Meeker, Danette Johns, Mike Martin, Loveda Barthelmeh, Kim Nielsen, Mark Walth, Sherri Sandoz, Paul Judson, Merle Brockhoff, Scott Gorud.

Danish Dancers

Jim Borden, Jane Mundschenk, Ellen Stokebrand, Sheryl Kester, Leanne Danahy, Kristy Hansen, Jennifer Atkinson, Paulette Strecker, Mike VonHollen, Lucy Lindahl, Kathy Gerking, Scott Grorud, Curt Fett, Roy Lubkeman, Betty Bliss, Tom Jacobsen, Danette Johns, Shelly Peterson, Ellen Wilderson, Merle Brockhoff.



Pictured: Felicia Clark, Ruth Mirtz, Dorothy Olson, Sandra Stellyes, Rhonda Wellsandt, Jolene Darrington, Liz Falksen, Nancy Anderson, Wyleen Jorgensen, Mari Barry, JoAnne Roberts, Jennifer Ivers, Kathy Appel, Cheryl Lustgraf.



S. E. A.



Hermes

Editor, Jennifer Jensen, Suzanne Lazzaro, Debra Lytle, Dana Kirk, Scott Grorud, Scott Rasmussen, Mike Martin.



Syncro Swim

Members: Kim Morrison, Amy Hansen, Linda Timm, Julie McMahonill, Annette Laune, Diane Timm, Jill Esbeck, Lynn Hohneke, Peggy Roden.



Kappa Theta Chi

Sheri John, Felicia Collins, Mari Barry, JoAnne Roberts, Shari Sorensen, Teresa Michelsen, Evy Dilts, Beth Jorgensen, Sheila Hinds, Julie Jensen, Peggy Counce, Lynae Vanderwiell, Penny Hinehline, Jennifer Ivers, Amy Hansen, Jill Vohs, Leslie Fitzke, Carol Pletner, Tracy Harrington, Dee Bevington.



The Muscular Dystrophy Marathon was sponsored by the "Greeks" on campus.



Kappa Chi Lambda

Roy Boston, Mitch Lane, Dennis South, Andy Chapman, Dale Pash, Scott Petersen, Alan Cue, Brent Johnson, Gary Reed, Mark Jones, Scott Christensen.



Tri-D's

Alice Laaker, Felicia Clark, Wyleen Jorgensen, Candy Mitchell, Roxanne Carlsen, Jane Mundschenk, Mary Asmus, Selma Sims.

Ars Medica



Ruth Mingus, Sue Mowry, Tom Jacobson, Carol Weckmuller, Julie Paulson, Gary Beltz, Ryan Mattley, Mark Rosenthal, Sheri John, Jane Mundschenk, Carol Larson.



Selah

Linda Timm, Craig Shaffer, Lanette Gardner, David Kreier, Kathy Swensen, Sally Miller, Mark Walth, Loveda Barthelmeh, Lynn Hagen, Joe Eagen, Mary Rowland, Mitch Jensen, Metinda McCord, Jeff Fahrenkrug, Steve Appel, Jane Travnicek, Jerry Christensen, Jan Evenson, Mike Martin. Not pictured: Director Joanne Hansen.



Patricia Reed, Julie Paulson, Pernille Wolthers, Lori Henrickson, Mary Sue Langren, Marian Warman, Kendra Fehlberg.

H.R.C.



Hall Staff



Homecoming Committee

Esta Deets, Ellen Hamann, Paul Meeker, Paul Medsen, Sally Miller, Ted Hanlon, Jim Borden, Judith Yusten, Suzanne Lazzaro, Kathy Gerking, Mark Walth, Ruth Behrens, Curt Fett, Paulette Strecker, Kim Nielsen, Jolene Darrington, Kathy Malone, Scott Rasmussen, Mark Gengenbach, Lisa Hanson, Mary Asmus, David Jensen, Sheryl Lustgraf, Mary Heistand, Tim Nietfeld.

Mark Friis-Hansen, Julie Jensen, Amy Nichols, Lisa Hanson, Sharon Gordon, Laura Broeker, Scott Rasmussen, Annette Laune, John Beck.

Parnassus

Staff: Dorothy Wright, Bee Krantz, Lela Neve, Elizabeth Nielsen.



Volunteers: Carol Radke, Scott Grorud, Rhonda Wellsandt, Peter Bonde, Sheryl Kester, Ruth Mirtz, Bob Schmoll, David Kreier, Kitty Wooley, Mike Martin, Lucy Lindahl, Mark Latenser, Tera Norenberg, Liz Falksen, Kathy Gerking, Merle Brockhoff, Kim Nielsen, Cheryl Lustgraf, Gary Beltz, Mogens Knudsen, Ruth Behrens, Jerry Schmidt, Paulette Strecker.



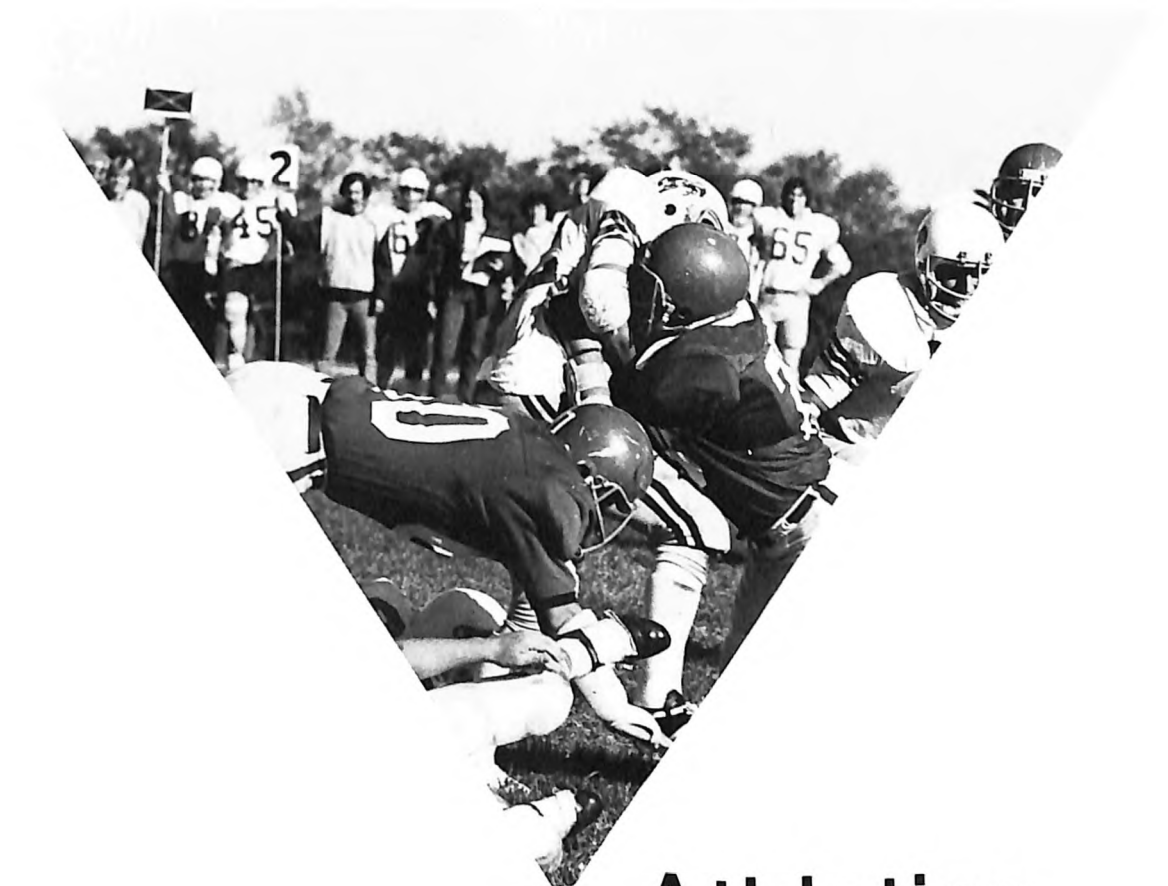
Dana College Band



Third Argo Zoo

Janice Schlange, Kathy Appel, Sandy Stellyes, Debra Aldag, Cheryl Lustgraf, JoAnne Roberts, Jill Wetzel, Betty Bliss, Wyleen Jorgensen, Mari Barry, Renae Claussen, Dorene VonRentzell, Rhoda Hutter, Dana Kirk.





Athletics



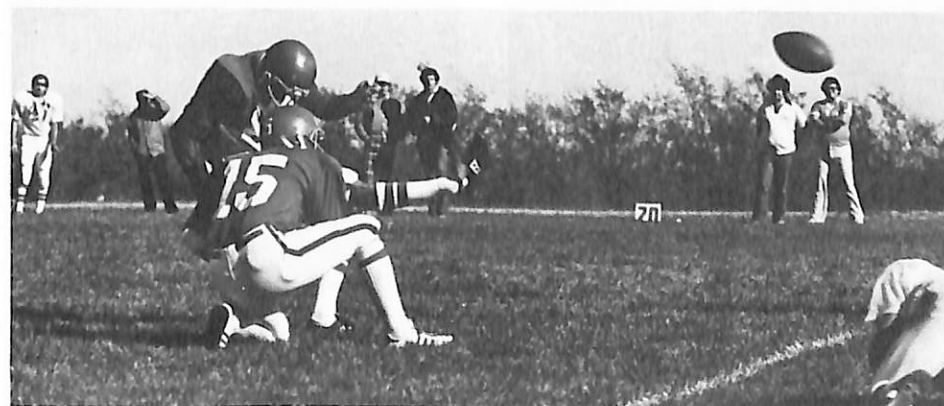


Football: 3-6

Before the 1979 football season there was a feeling of anticipation on the Dana Campus. Ron Johnson had taken over the responsibility of Head Coach, and for the first game the students rented busses to follow the team to Northwest Missouri State University. The game quickly brought players and fans back to reality, and the Vikings limped away after a sound thrashing with a 44-0 defeat.

After the first game there were several ups and downs in the season. During the homecoming game against Nebraska Wesleyan Dana started well with a record setting 98 yard punt return by Scott Peterson, but eventually the game was lost. Dana was soundly beaten by Doane, Concordia, and Midland, but posted an impressive win over Hastings in a tough game.

In spite of the losses a new spirit was implanted in the players, and it was obvious they were "110 percenters." The players gave all they had, and as soon as the season was over a program was started to make the players stronger for the next season. With strong recruiting Dana could become a football power, because the enthusiasm is certainly there.

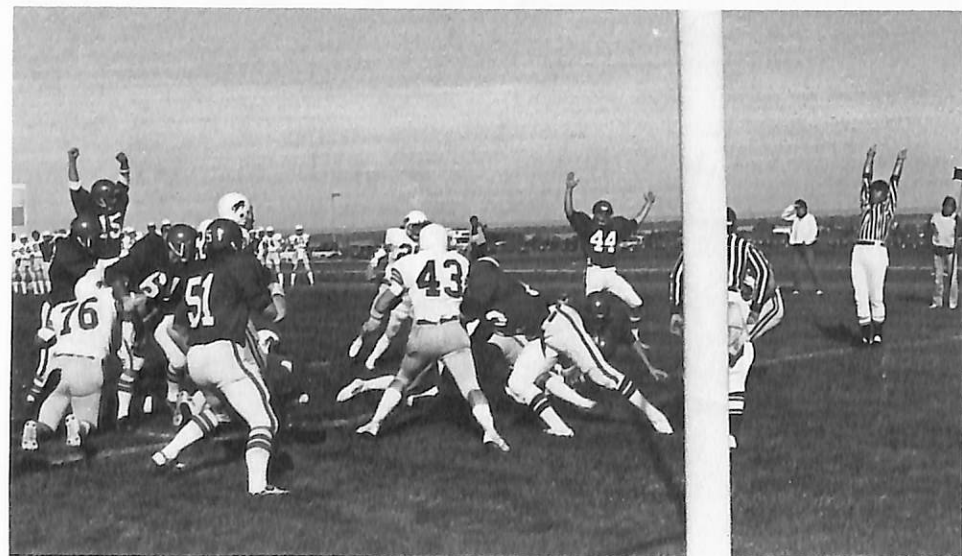
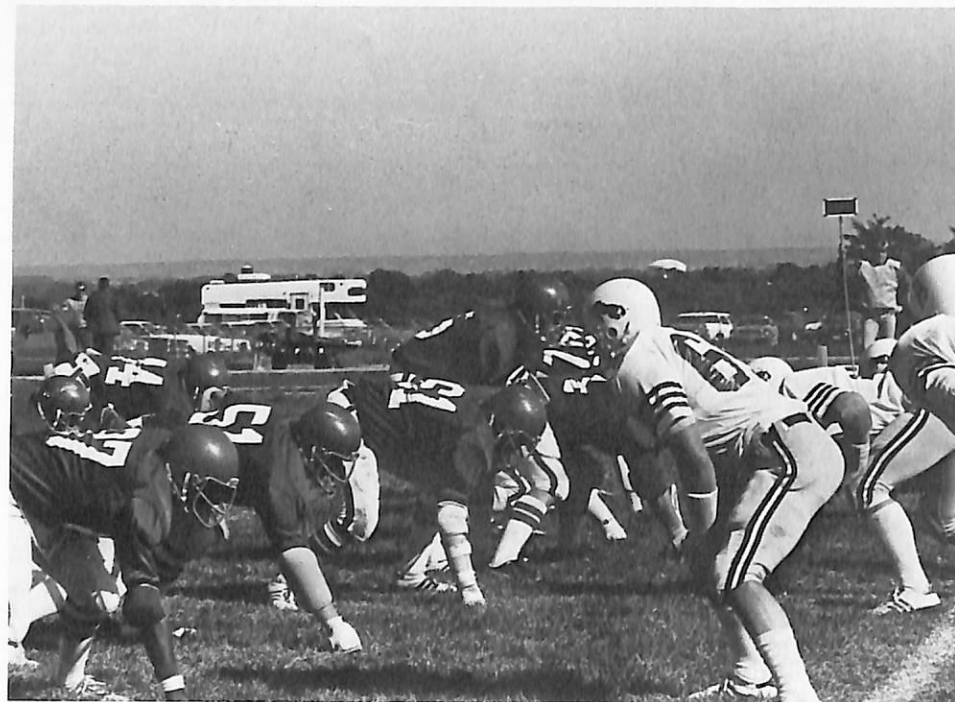


In the Homecoming game against Nebraska Wesleyan Scott Peterson (above) returned a punt 98 yards for a new NAIA record. Peterson was one of the dominating players all season. The defense was consistently tough, and such players as Kim Townsend, Greg Manske, Tom Vohs, Brian Nelson, Jeff Rich, Scott Buchanan, Mark Kastner, and Kurt Amen put in good, consistent performances.

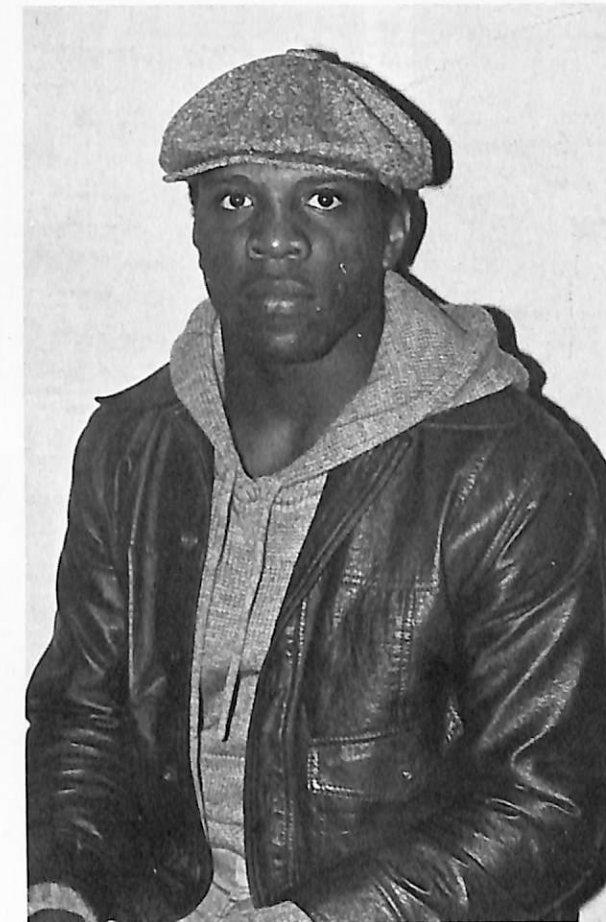
1979 Dana Vikings

Stan Spurgeon, Don Savino, Dave Clifford, Tim Barber, Steve Johnson, Kurt Amen, Pat Rotherham, Scott Peterson, Jay Heiman, Corey Cook, Mark Murray, Jay Hartong, Duane Barrier, Marvin Schrage, Mark Roth, Mitch Rew, Reginald Tullos, Ty Kjeldgard, Bill Harms, Mike Rotherham, Mark Jones, Curt Powell, Tom Vohs, John Freburg, Scott Bogardus, Tim Straka, Kim Townsend, Jeff Rich, Chuck She-

pherd, Scott Buchanan, Brian Nelsen, Davin Dickerson, Eugene Johnson, Tim Heuton, Wayne Leikam, Mike Miller, Randy Rabstajnek, Tim Cooper, Rob Samuels, Gary Reed, Andy Chapman, Todd Brockman, Scott Christensen, Mark Kastner, Greg Manske, Doug Lemon, Dale Pash, Larry Jirovsky, Lynn Beecham, Kevin Samuels.



Wrestling



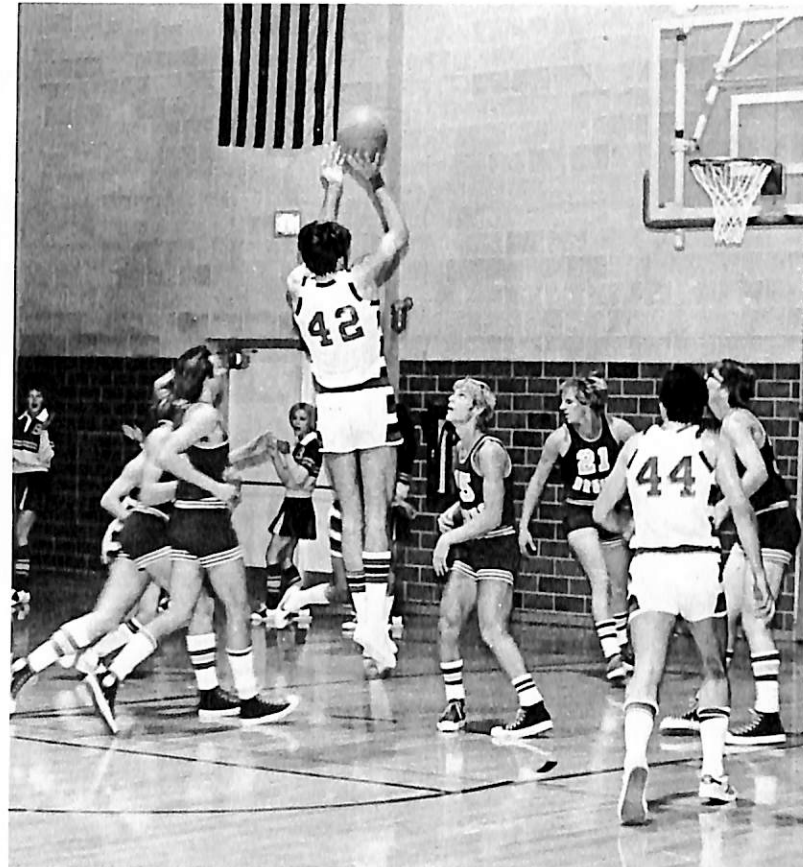
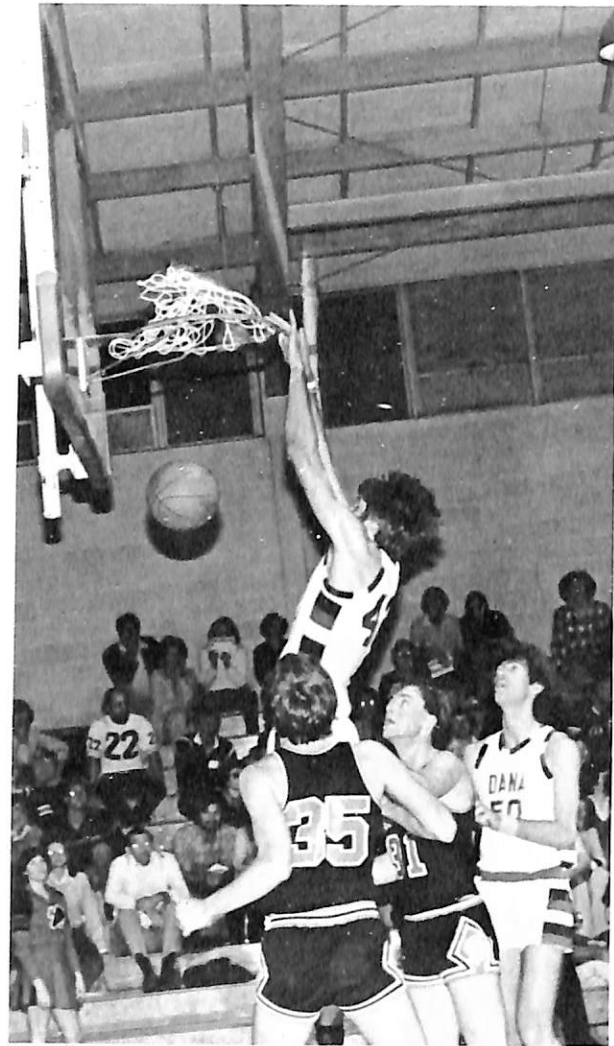
Watson is All-American

During the 1978-79 wrestling season sophomore Virgil Watson was the first Dana College wrestler ever to achieve All-American honors.

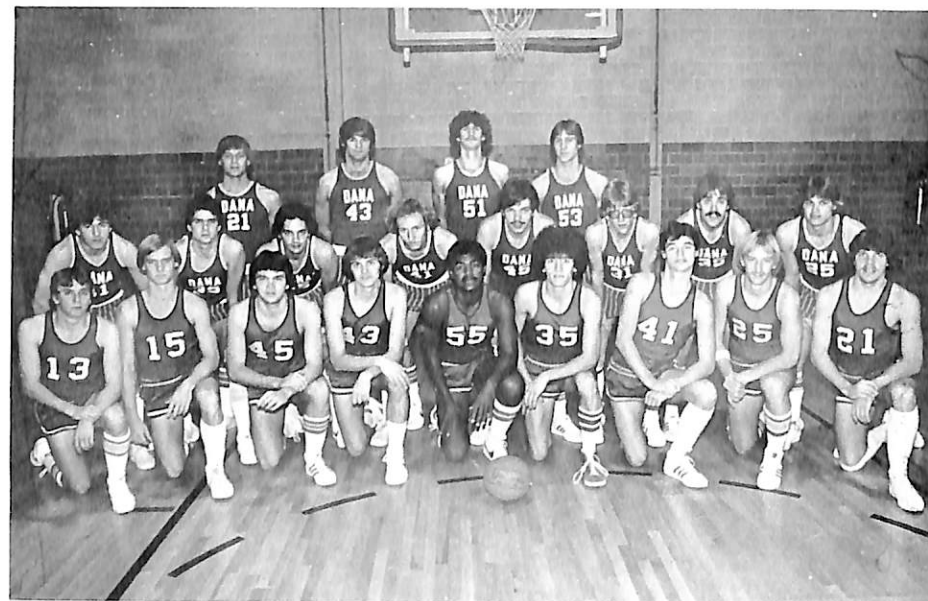
Virgil capped off the season with a fourth place finish in the 35 man, 167-pound bracket at the NAIA National Tournament in Wheeling, West Virginia. Placing in the top six confers All-American honors.

Sorry this was not in '79 Danian.

Basketball: Best Ever



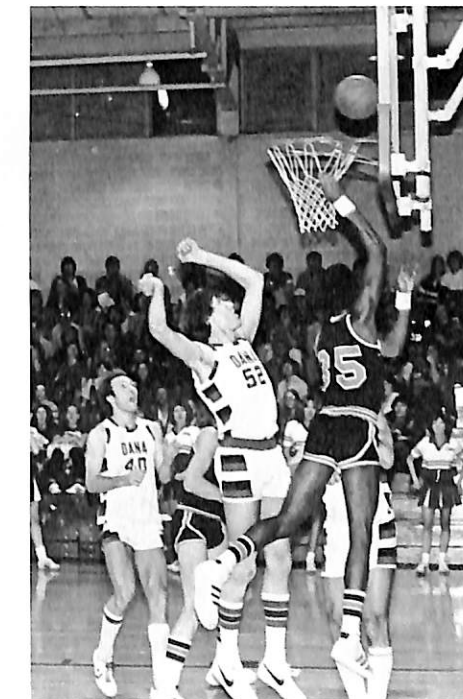
The 1979-80 Viking basketball team was not the most winning team in Dana history, but according to Coach Paul Peterson this year's squad is "the finest ever to play for Dana College." The Vikings finished the season with an 18-10 record and a second place finish in the Nebraska Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. The Vikings NIAC finish was their best ever in the conference's ten year history. They lost out, however, in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics district play-off to Doane College 65-64, to bring the season to a fast close. The Vikings generated much excitement on the Dana campus, and they never let their enthusiastic and ever-growing crowd down. The team finished with an incredible 11-0 home record, and the highlight of the season was a 95-81 win over NIAC champion Hastings before a sell-out crowd in Borup Coliseum



Team roster: Kevin Wurzer, Robert Jackson, Shawn Palmer, Wayne Winter, Kevin Samuels, Dave Prather, Joe Crnkovich, Steve Peterson, Tom Law, Terry Kelly, Steve Laune, Scott Simms, Larry Fry, Dick Johnson, Al Cue, Mike Anderson, Tim Barber, Kevin Rasmussen, Gary Cissell, Brian Serr, Pat Kenealy.



Five seniors played a big role in the highly successful season. Gary Cissell, Dick Johnson, Mike Anderson, Steve Laune, and Kevin Rasmussen all made great contributions to the team, and will be remembered for their dedication and leadership on Dana.



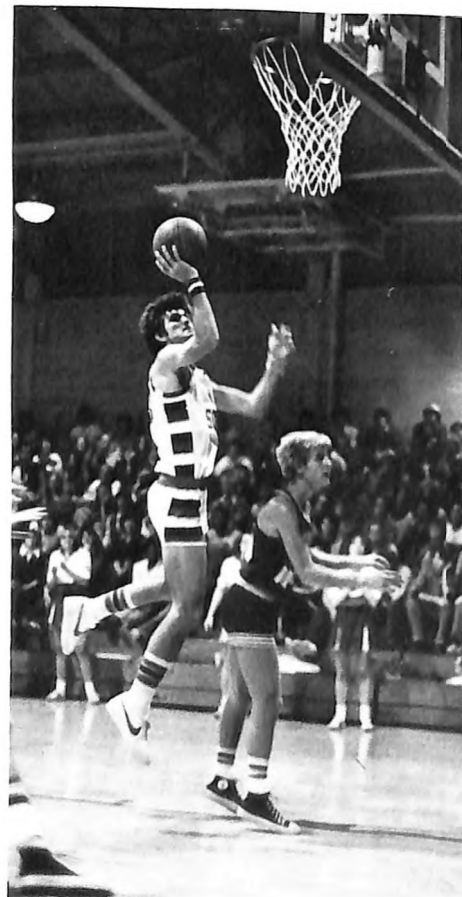
Gary Cissell finished his career at Dana in the best possible way. His shooting average of 63.48% ranked third nationally. Gary was the leading scorer in the NAIA with 609 points to bring his career total to 1798 points. He averaged 21.75 points per game in this season, and 17.5 for career. Gary hit 737 field goals in four years, and had 950 rebounds.



Gary Cissell won all-star honors in both the NIAC and NAIA and earned the starting center position on the Omaha World Herald's All-State College Team. Brian Serr received honorable mention in the Omaha World Herald, and also in the NAIA.

1979-80 Basketball Season Results

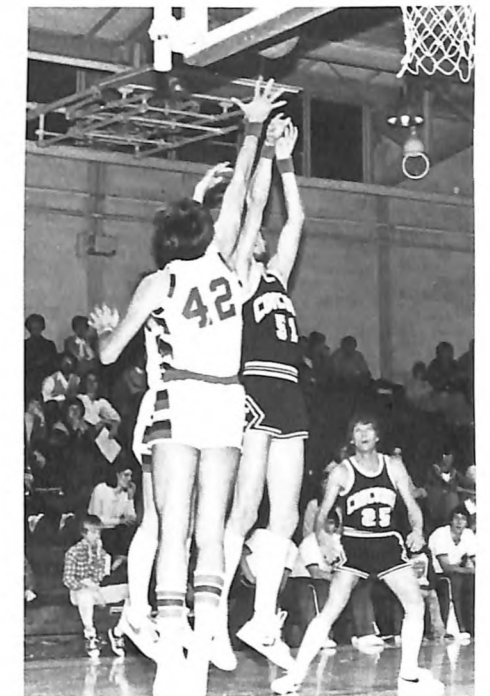
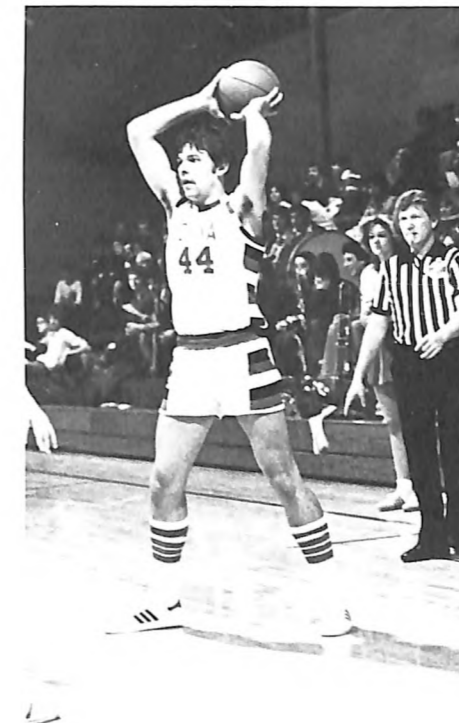
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DANA	86	Buena Vista	76	DANA	79	Northwest Missouri	96
DANA	92	Kearney	111	DANA	77	Doane	60
DANA	78	Bellevue	72	DANA	72	Concordia	70
DANA	72	Wartburg	78	DANA	71	Hastings	75
DANA	68	Buena Vista	56	DANA	95	Wesleyan	74
DANA	75	Tarkio	73	DANA	75	Midland	86
DANA	113	Grandview	104	DANA	94	Peru	65
DANA	80	Northington	96	DANA	65	Doane	77
DANA	70	Bellevue	80	DANA	64	Doane	65



Throughout the season the Vikings played tough defense, and often quick steals turned Dana into a run and gun unit.



Vikings shot a school record 53.2% from the field while averaging 82.1 points per game to their opponents' 77.5. Dana scored a total of 2300 points in a 28 game season, and both are new records



Dick Johnson scored 326 points in the 1979-80 season and reached a total of 1244 in his four-year career. Dick led the team in free throws with 83.3%, and he started the season with 18 for 18 before he missed a free throw.



Paul
Peterson



Coach Of The Year

The 1979-1980 basketball season was one of the best ever in Dana history. The team compiled an impressive 18-10 record, and an incredible 11-0 home court record.

Dana was the surprise of the NIAC, and after the season Coach Peter-

son was unanimously selected as "Coach of the Year."

It was never boring to watch Coach Peterson on the bench, and on these pages we have tried to capture some of the many faces of "The Grand Ol' Man" of Dana athletics.



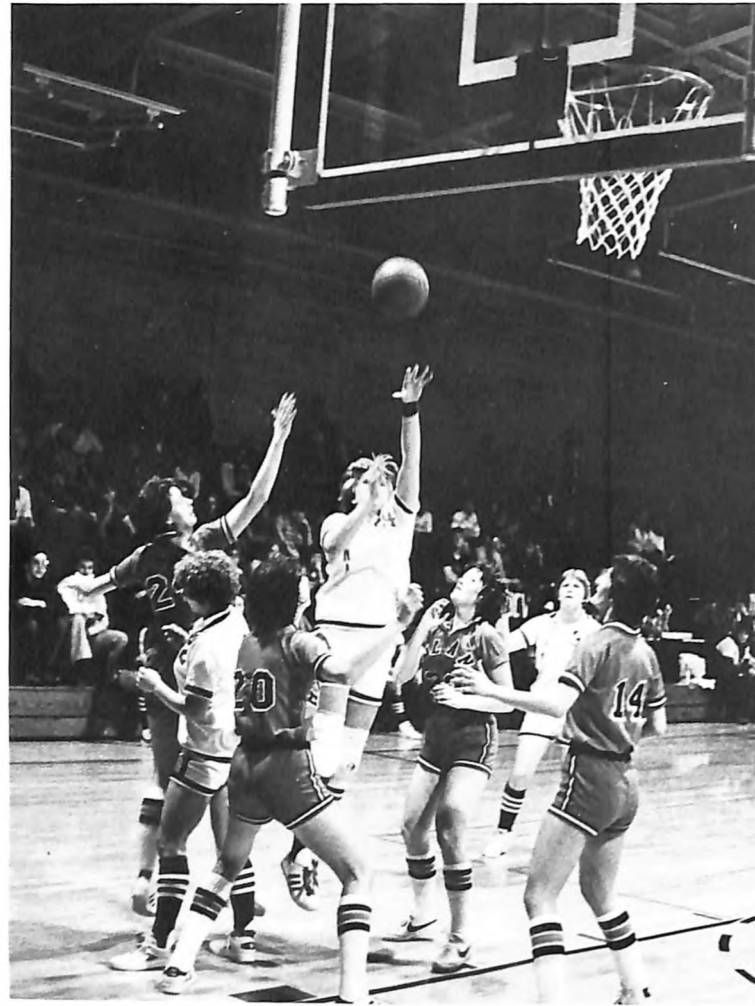
The Many Faces Of Coach Pete



... and then a smile.

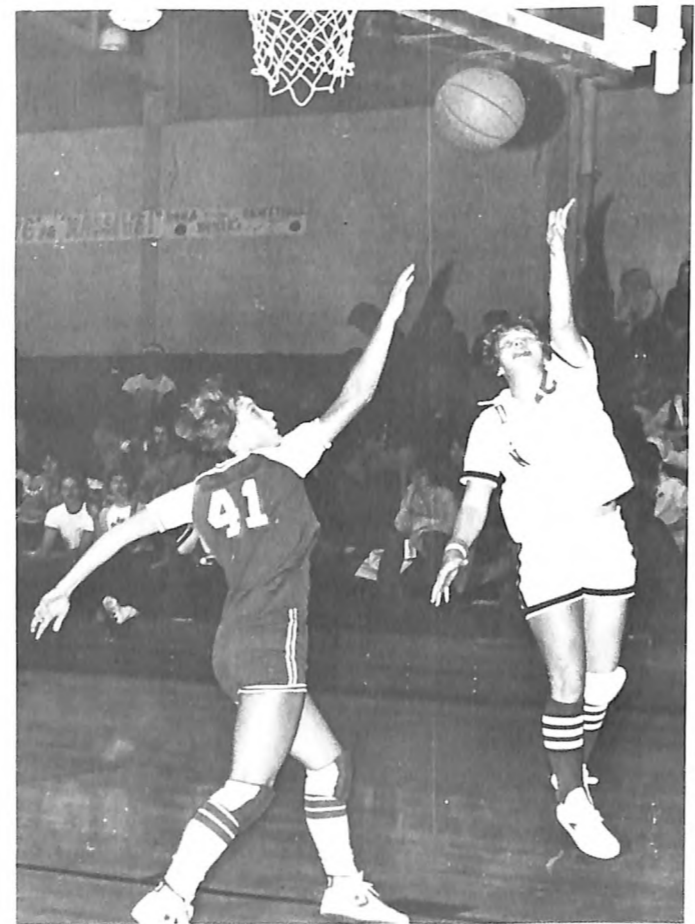


Women's Basketball: "A Successful Season"



The 1979-80 Lady Viking basketball team turned around rather dramatically from last year's dismal 1-19 record to a good 9-15 season. Under the direction of Coach Lee Ahrens the Lady Vikings worked hard all season, and the team succeeded in winning more games than all previous teams combined since the basketball program was revived four years ago.

The Lady Vikings did not win any championships, but according to Coach Ahrens all the players were winners. The team members average under 5' 6" in height, and starters were injured throughout the season, but in spite of adversity the team fought on. Lee Ahrens feels that a spirit and discipline has been developed that promises good results for the Lady Vikings in the seasons to come. Only one senior is graduating, and many talented players remain on the squad.

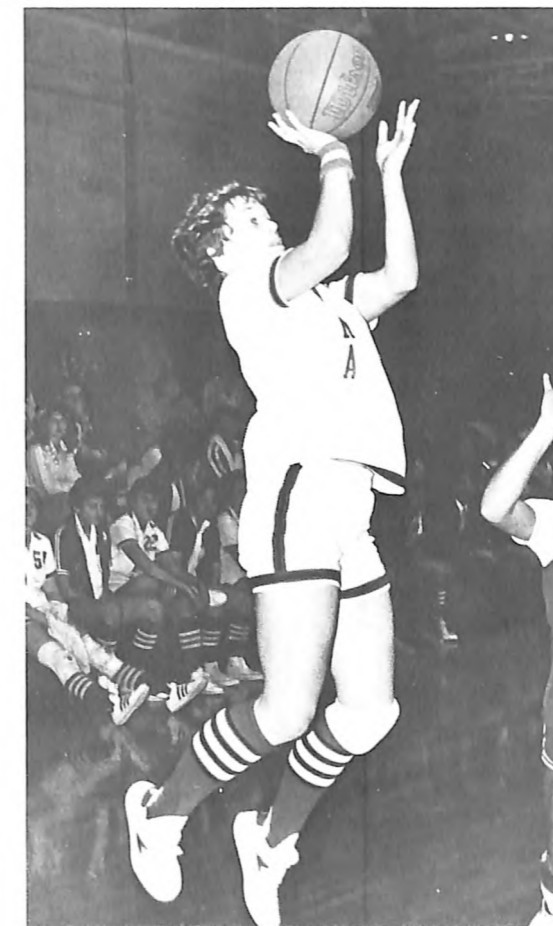


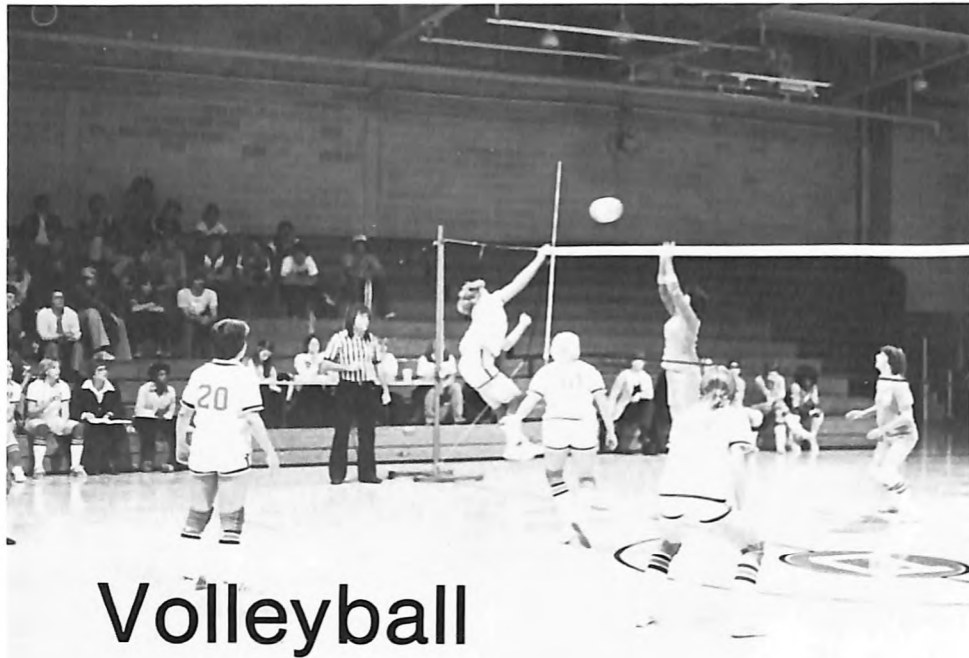
Coach Lee Ahrens, Dawn Munyer, Betsy Mathews, Sheila Hinds, Teresa Michelsen, Felicia Collins, Lynae VanderWiel, Heidi Larson, Mary Welp, Assistant Coach Janice Schlange, Trainer Jay Hartong, Julie Gangwish, Mary Erickson, Ronda Newman, Jeanie Watts, Lori Persing, Jill Christensen, Lisa Galvin, Heidi Faudel, Lori Allen.

Lady Vikings



Heidi Larson is the only senior to graduate from the Lady Vikings this year, but it is not just any player that will be lost for the team. Heidi Larson is the first Dana woman to score 1000 points in her career. She reached this unusual accomplishment when she scored on a free throw against Hastings on February 12. When the season was over Heidi Larson had taken possession of 36 basketball records of 55 possible.



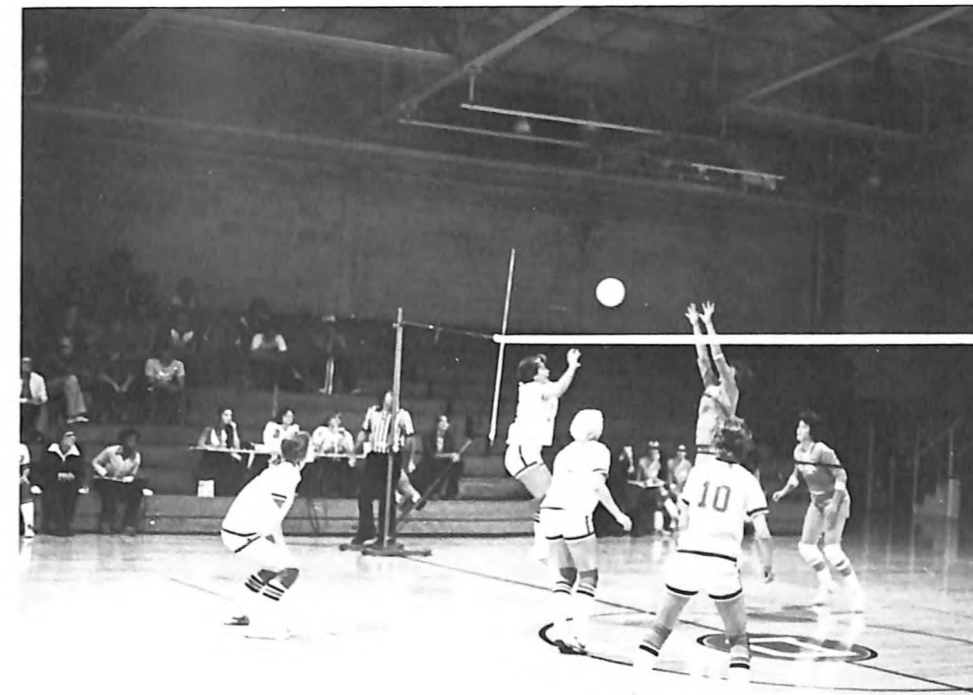
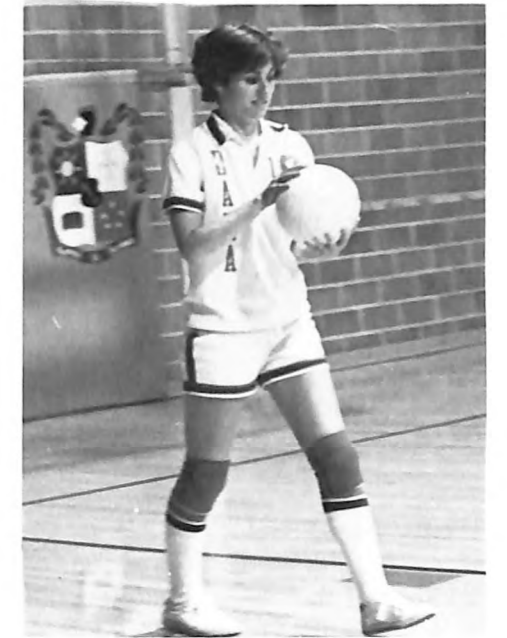


Volleyball

Tough Season

The Lady Viking volleyball team had a rough season, and they were only able to win two of sixteen matches. The Lady Vikings still played good ball, and there were many inexperienced players who showed promise for the future. With only a couple of players graduating Dana could be stronger next season. Sophomore Kayla Walsh was selected "Most Valuable Player", and Peggy Coonce "Most Improved Player."

OPPONENT	GAME SCORES	MATCH SCORES
Hastings	9-15, 15-9, 8-15	1-2
College of St. Mary	8-15, 9-15	0-2
Creighton	11-15, 8-15	0-2
College of St. Mary	16-14, 11-15, 2-15	1-2
Midland	15-0, 15-11, 15-9	3-0
Nebraska Wesleyan	5-15, 12-15, 15-11, 11-15	1-3
Peru	15-12, 10-15, 4-15	1-2
Doane	6-15, 8-15, 12-15	0-3
Concordia	12-15, 2-15, 7-15	0-3
Hastings	6-15, 8-15	0-2
Bellevue	15-3, 15-7	2-0
Peru	6-15, 8-15, 15-8, 15-10, 12-15	2-3
Nebraska Wesleyan	3-15, 6-15, 6-15	0-3
Midland	7-15, 5-15, 16-14, 6-15	1-3
Doane	15-6, 5-15, 2-15, 5-15	1-3
Concordia	10-15, 7-15, 10-15	0-3



Team Roster: Laurel Biffar, Patty Clary, Peggy Coonce, Lanette Gardner, Julie Gangwish, Lori Hansen, Sheila Hinds, Teresa Michelsen, Melanie Ploederer, JoAnne Roberts, Traci Schlueter, Karen South, Lynae VanderWiel, Kayla Walsh.

Baseball: Dana Wins NAIA And NIAC

Dana College ended the 1980 baseball season with a 24-20 record. This does not sound like the most outstanding record, but at a closer look it contains a very good season. After the April trip to Oklahoma Dana was 1-13, but they won 23 of 30 after that. Dana won a share of the NIAC championship, and won a first-ever district (NAIA) championship. Dana went to Jamestown, North Dakota, for the area (NAIA) play-off, but came out with two losses.

The Vikings started a very young team with ten freshmen and five sophomores on a 21-man squad. However, the young players came through, and the Dana team ended the season with a .292 average for the entire season. Individual batting leaders were Mitch Lane with .415, Dale DeBuhr with .392, and Scott Petersen with .339. DeBuhr ended the regular season with a state leading .418, but he dropped below .400 when going hitless in

two games in North Dakota.

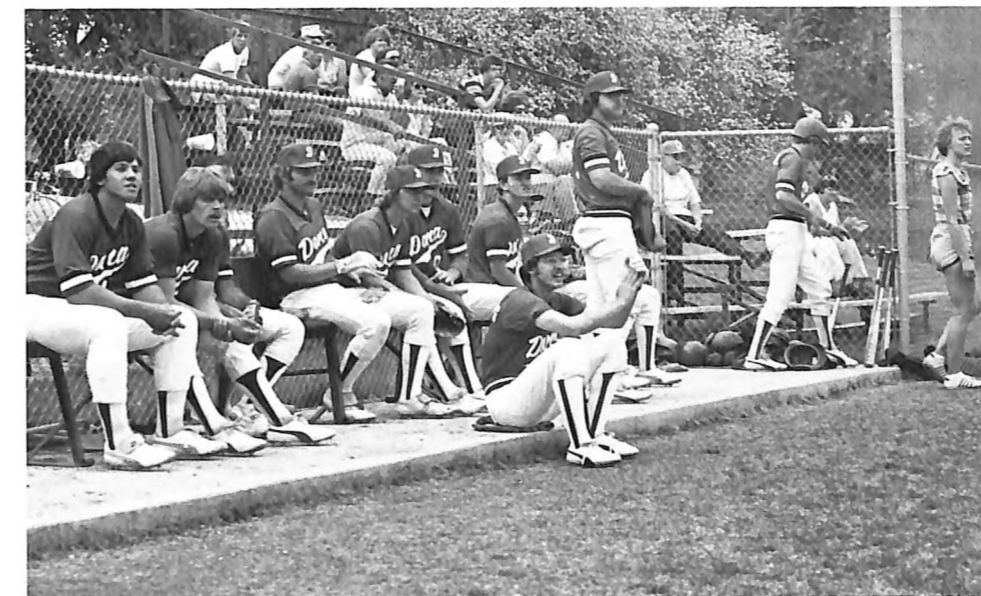
Gary Fauskee led the Dana pitchers with a 7-3 record, and he was selected to the NIAC and NAIA all-star teams. Freshman Tim Johnson finished with the lowest earned run average, a 4.17 in a 4-4 campaign. Jerry Smith was 4-4, and Scott Simms was 6-6.

Randy Rosenthal led the Vikings with 7 home runs, and a second best 25 RBIs. Don Savino had a record 95 putouts, and was an excellent outfielder all year, in addition to hitting .326. Freshman Bob Dudley won the starting job as a catcher, and he set a record with five assists in a single game.

Coach Dale Lemon reached a milestone of 300 wins when Dana swept a pair from Nebraska Wesleyan. The Vikings graduated only three players, so they could be very strong the next couple of years.



At the end of the season senior Gary Fauskee was selected by his teammates as the most valuable player of the 1980 baseball season. Gary earned the honor with a fine 7-3 pitching record, a .295 batting average as a designated hitter, and for certain intangible things on and off the field which boasted the Dana attitude and morale.

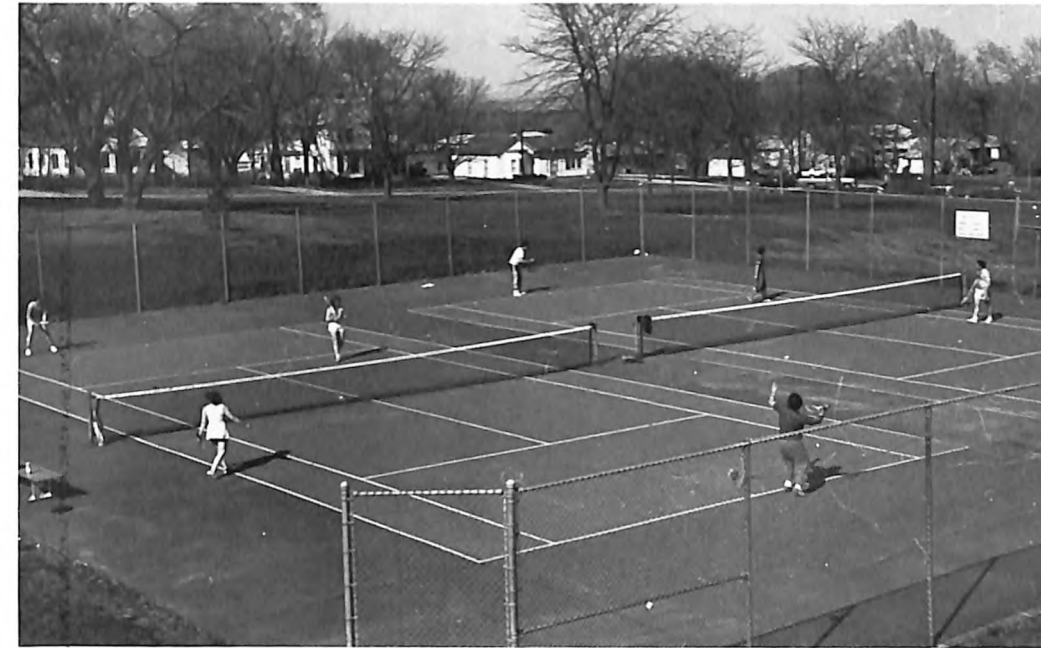


Four Vikings were selected to all-conference and all-district teams, and three players gained honorable mention notice. Pitcher Gary Fauskee, and infielders Dale DeBuhr, Mitch Lane, and Scott Petersen were named to both the NIAC and NAIA all-star teams. Don Savino and Randy Rosenthal got honorable mentioning in both NIAC and NAIA, and Tim Johnson won honors in the NIAC.



Soccer

The Dana College soccer club had a two game season, and lost both games to Concordia College. The first game at home was lost 5-0, and the second game at Seward was lost 13-0. Pictured are Paul Behrens, Paul Platz, Kendra Fehlberg, partially hidden, and Mogens Knudsen.

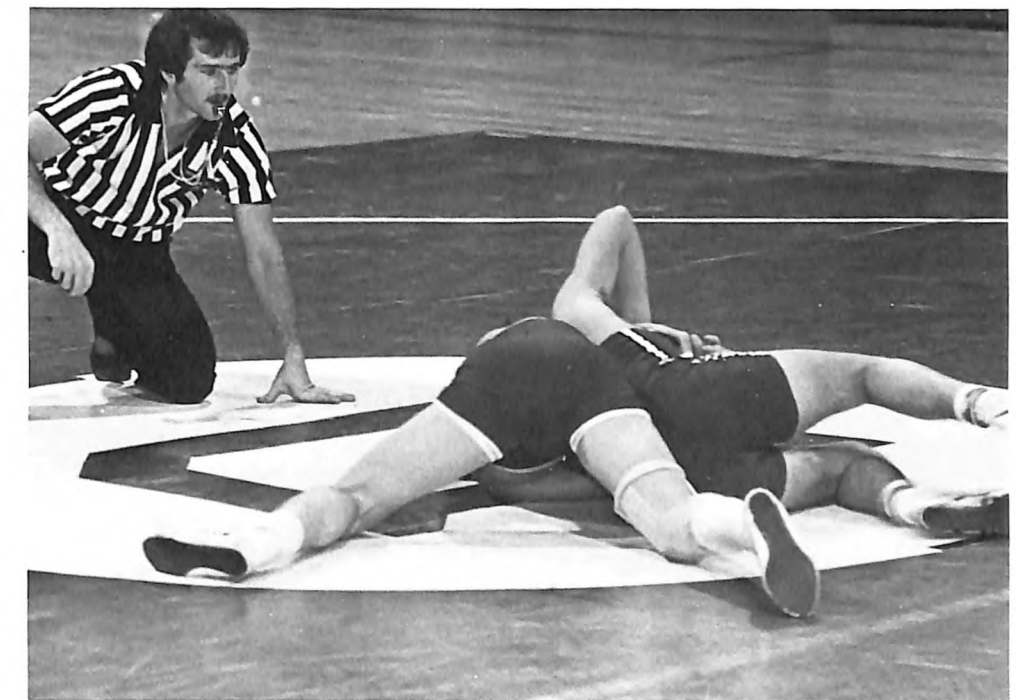


The Viking tennis team had a good season, and won more than in the three previous seasons combined. Dave Jensen, Pat Daley, Lynae VanderWiel, Karen South, and Becky Fingerlin were the most winning players, but the team as a whole showed much improvement. Coach Betty Bullock stated that the team did an outstanding job, considering the facilities at Dana.

Tennis



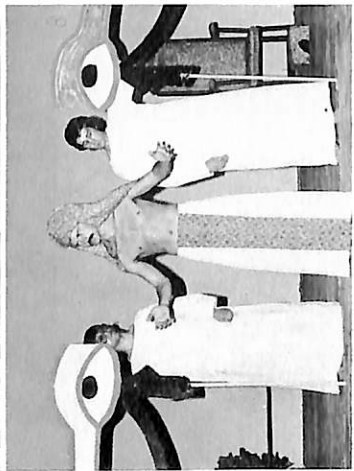
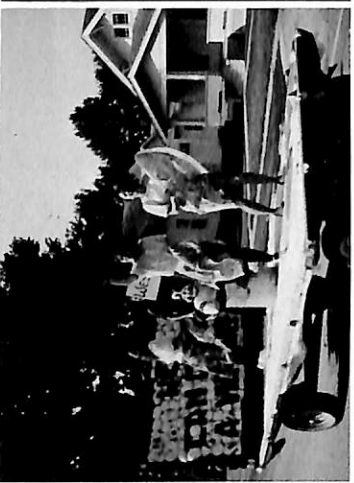
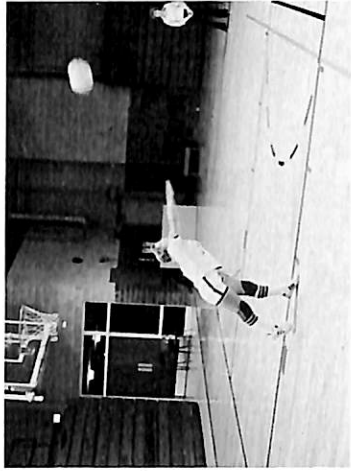
Track and Field.



The 1980 Dana wrestling team consisted of Bob Wiesman, Bob Murtaugh, Scott Petersen, Corey Cook, Virgil Watson, and Reggie Tullos. The team had some good results, but was hurt by injuries to key people, including All-American Virgil Watson.

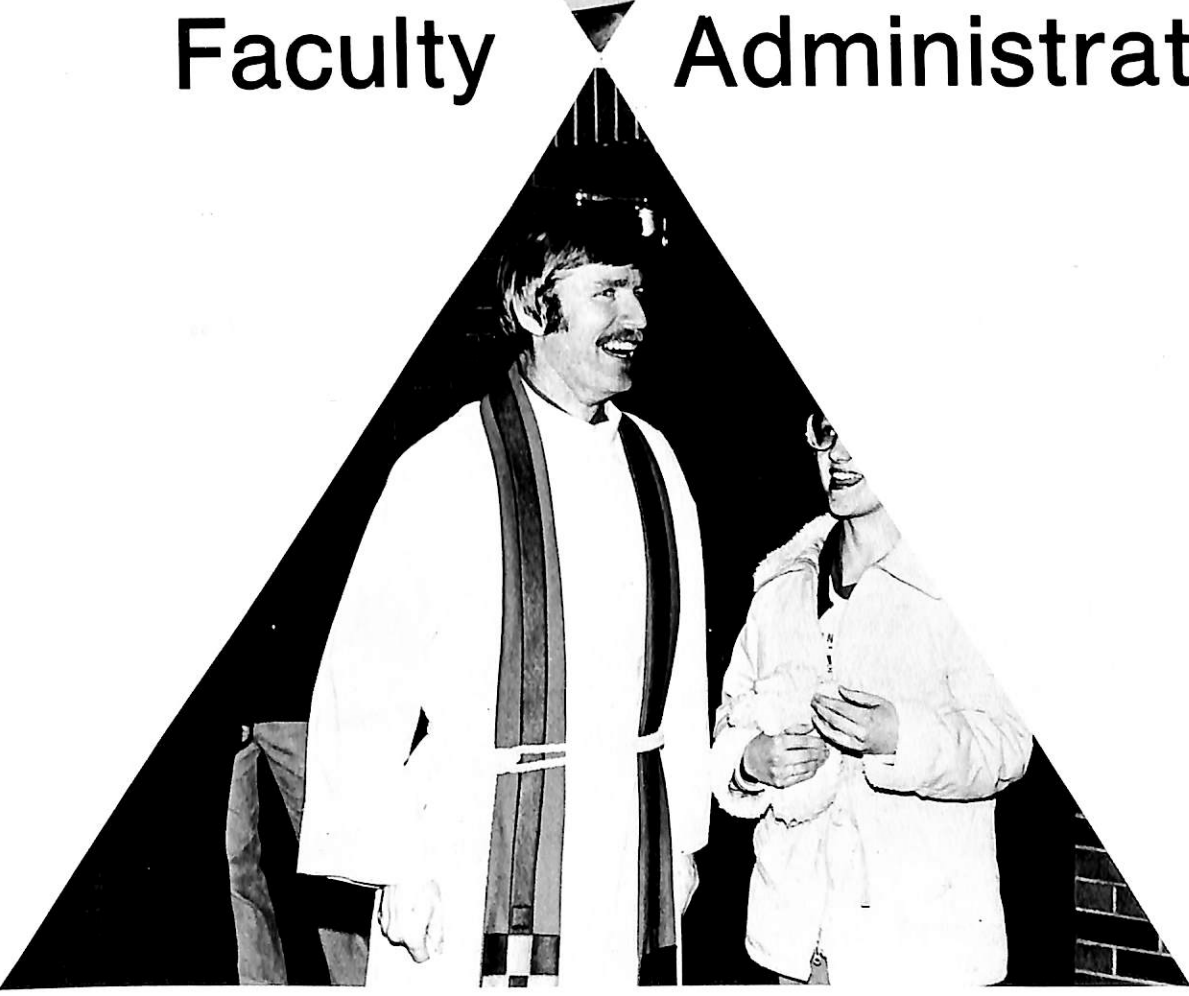


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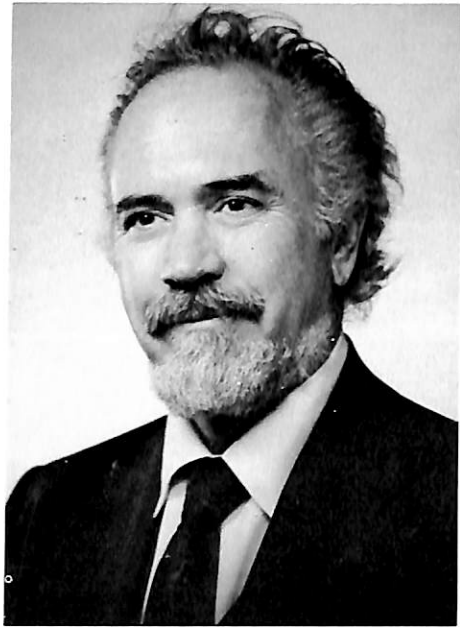


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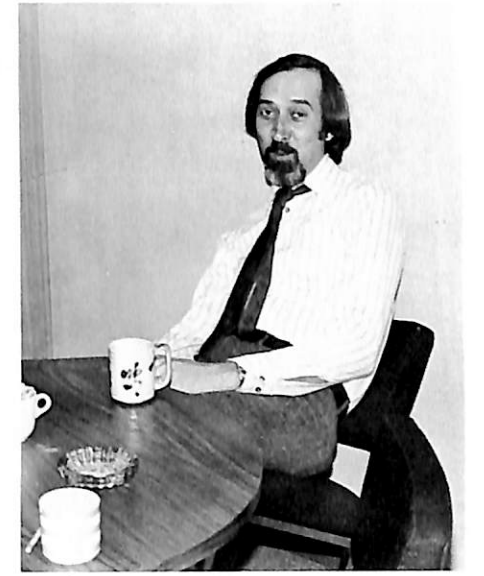
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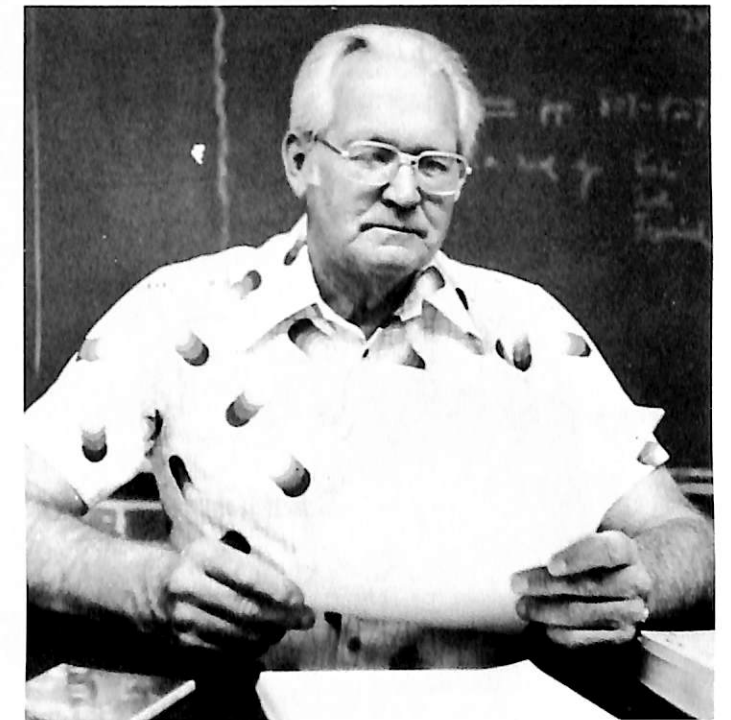


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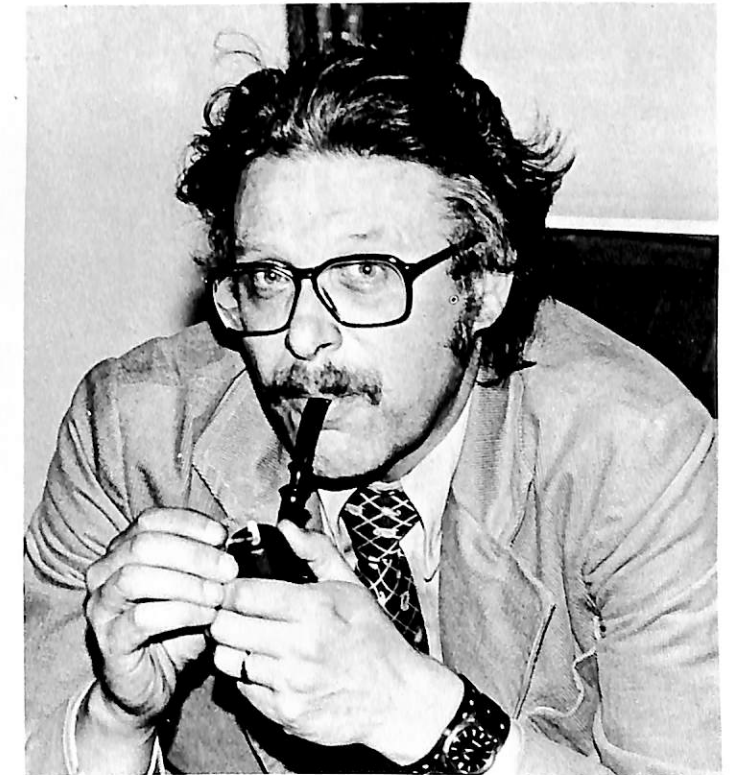
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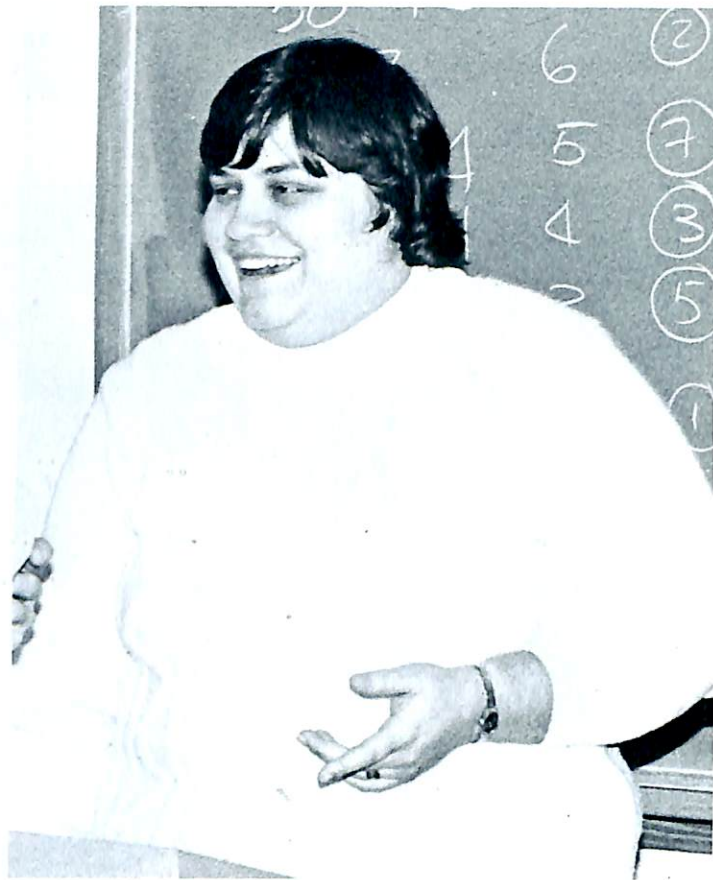
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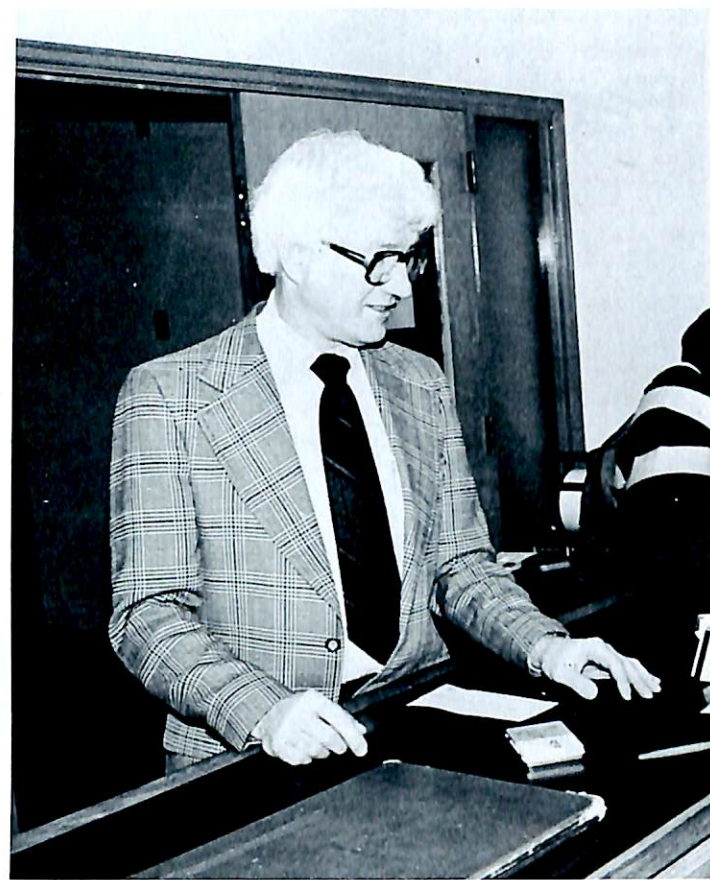
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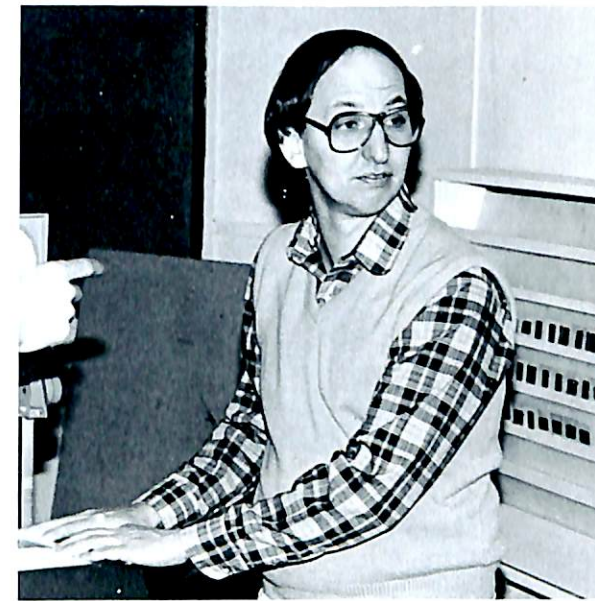
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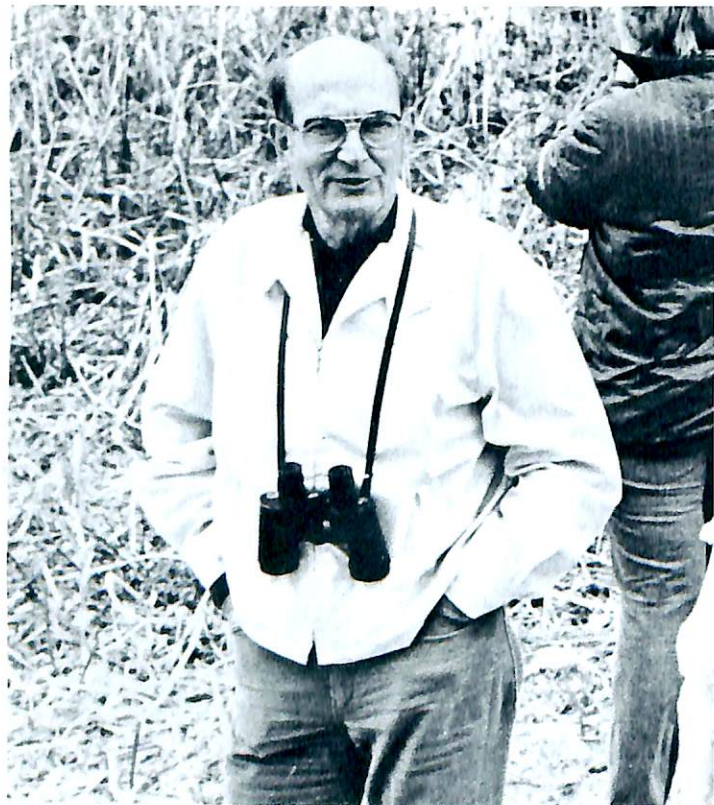
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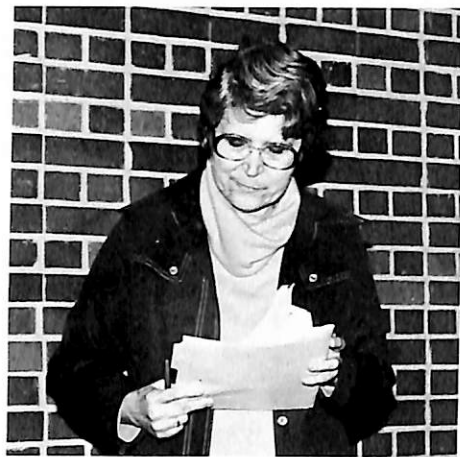
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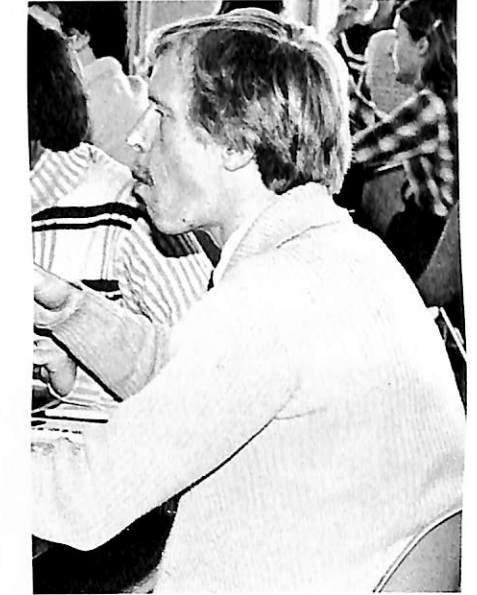
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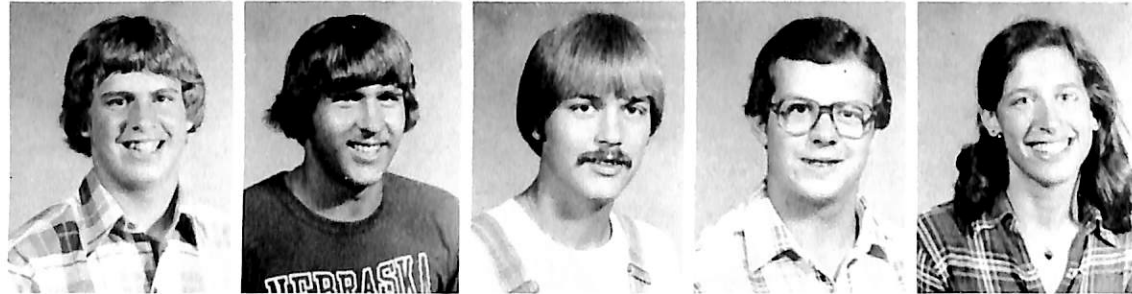
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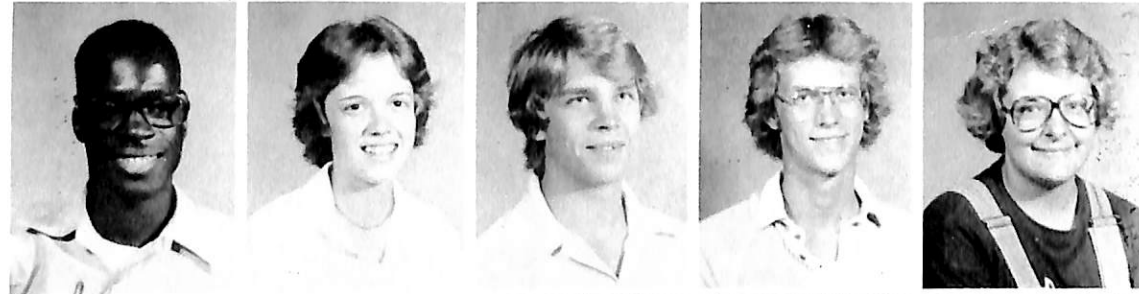
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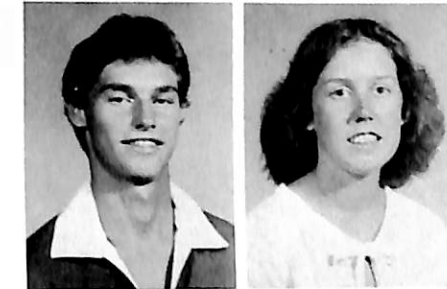
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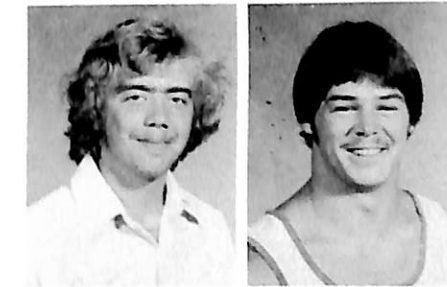
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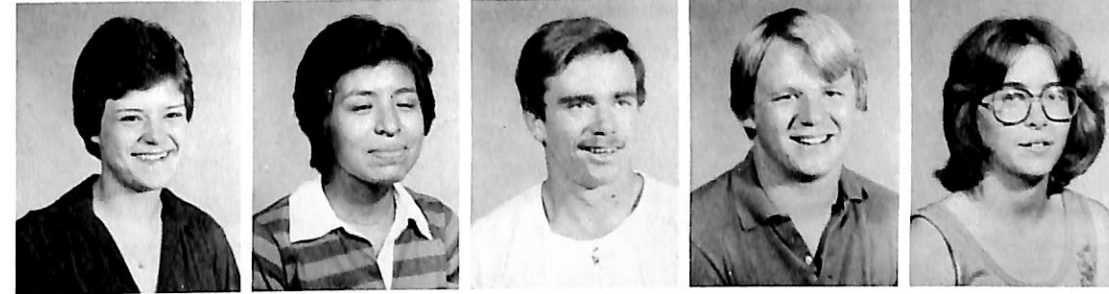
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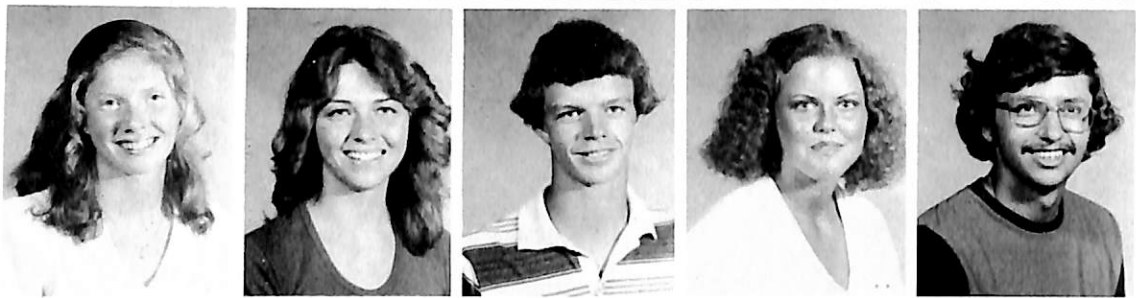


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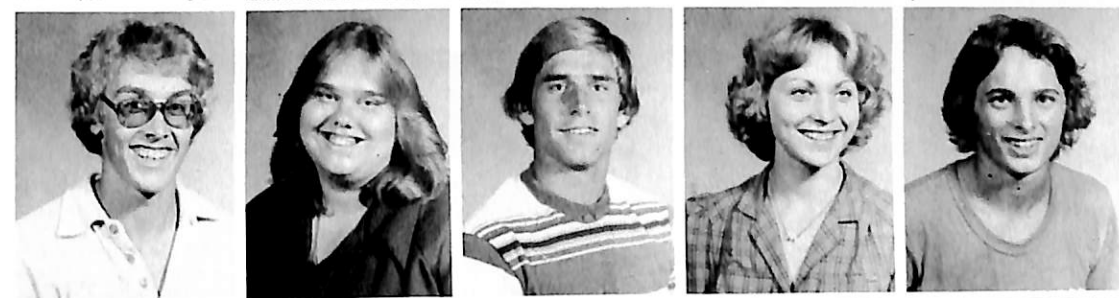
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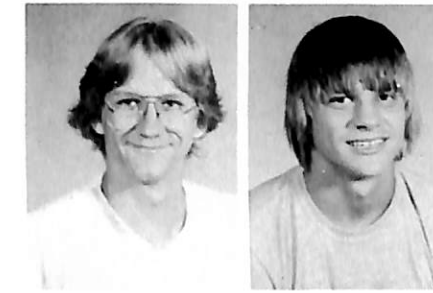


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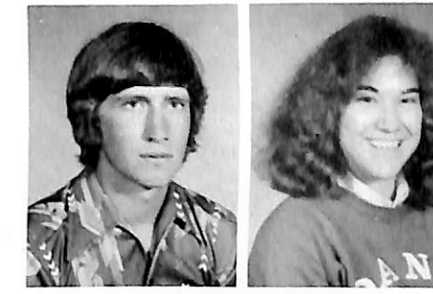
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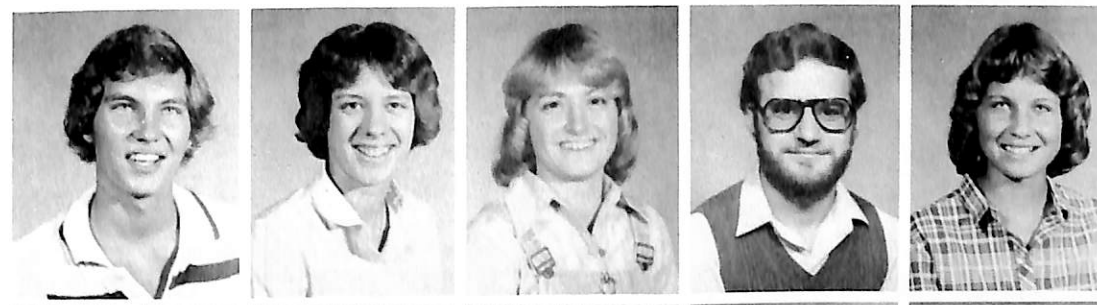
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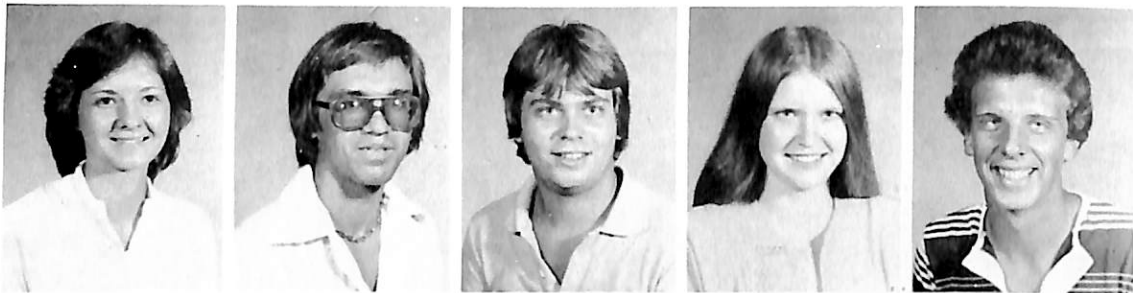
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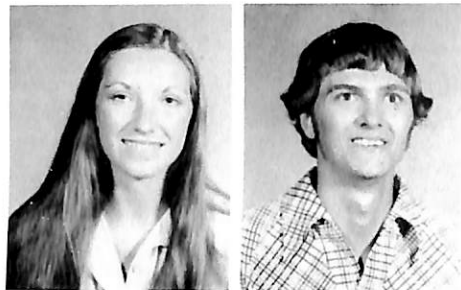
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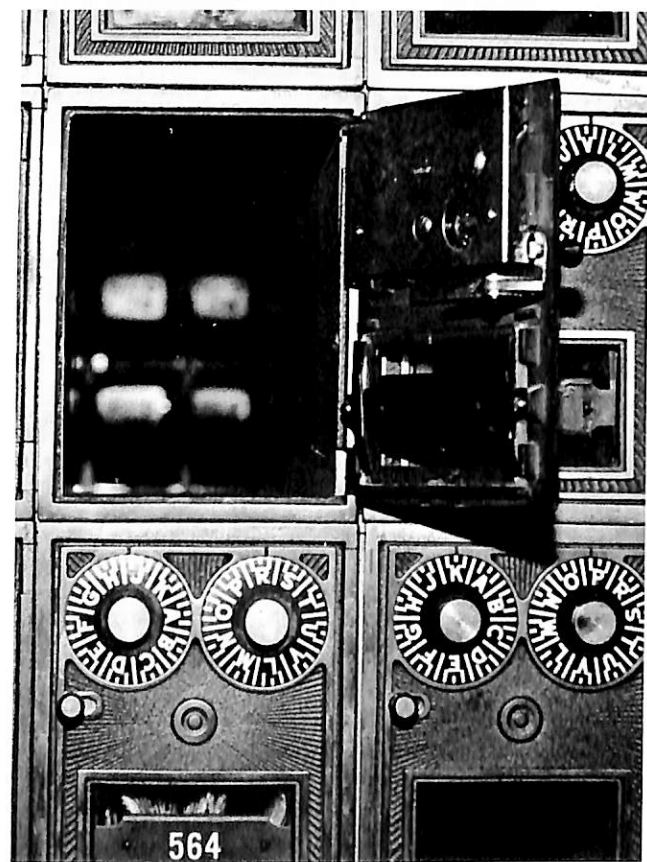
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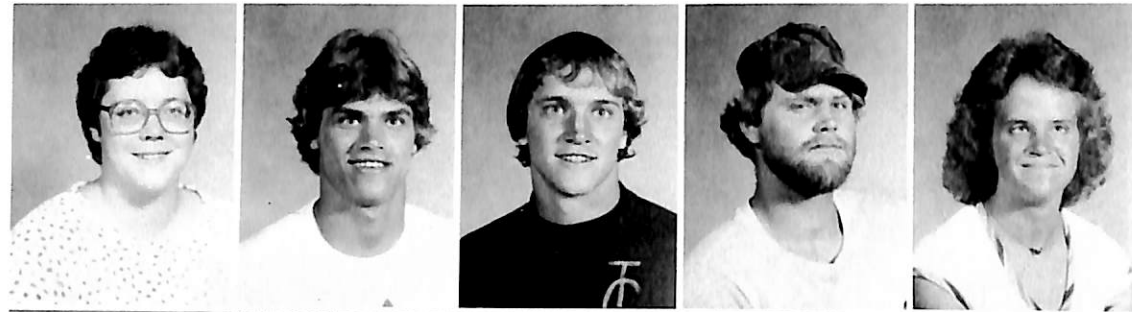


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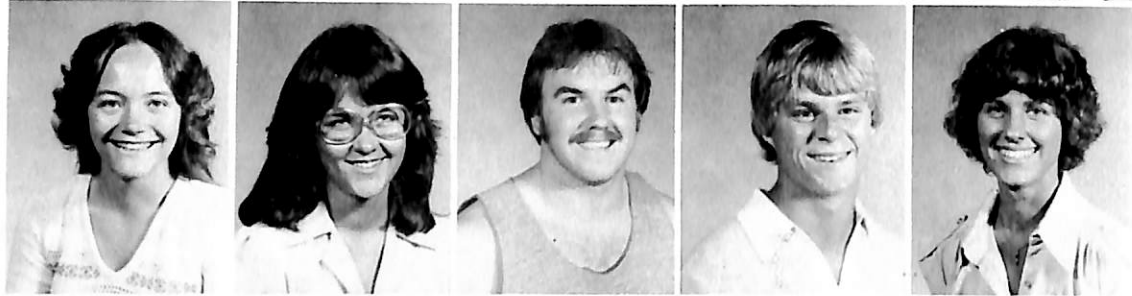


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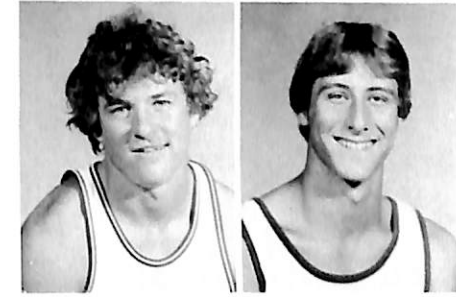


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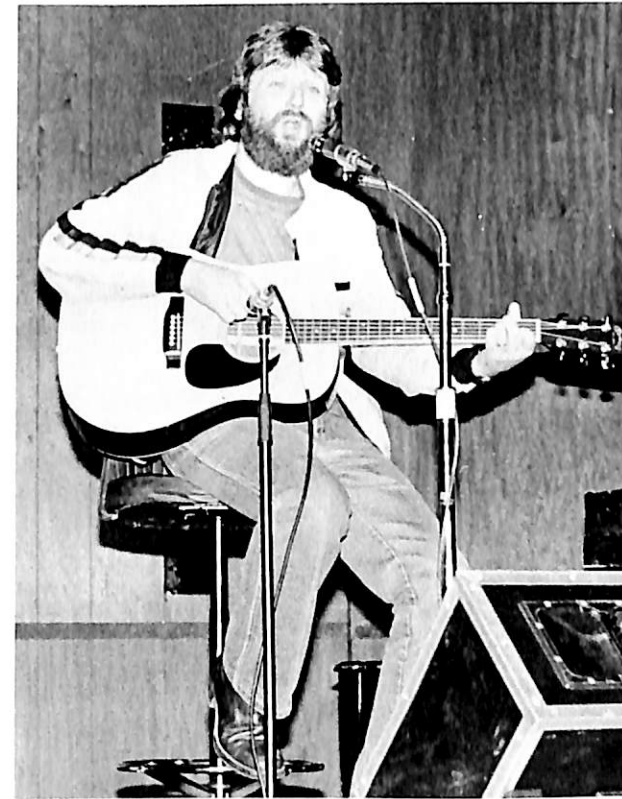
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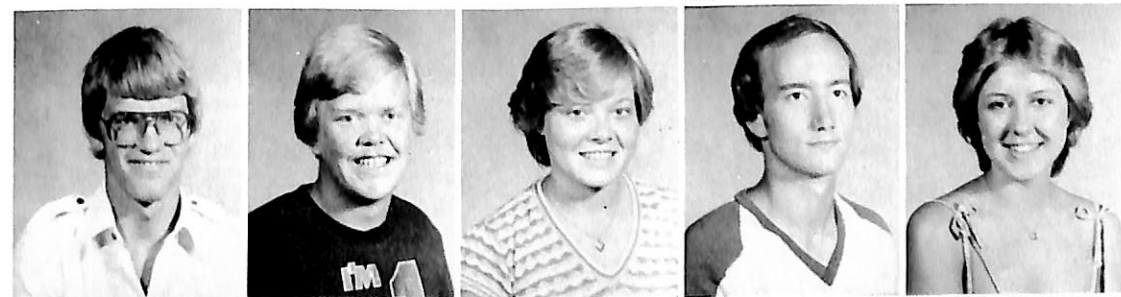
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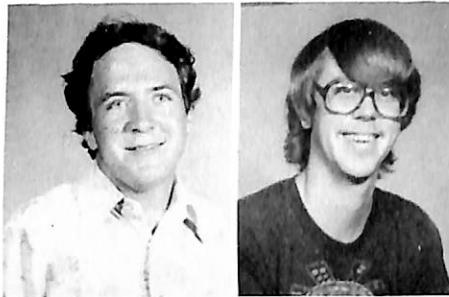
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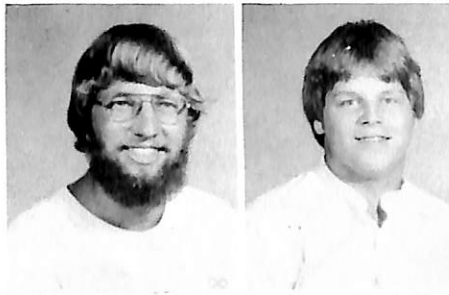
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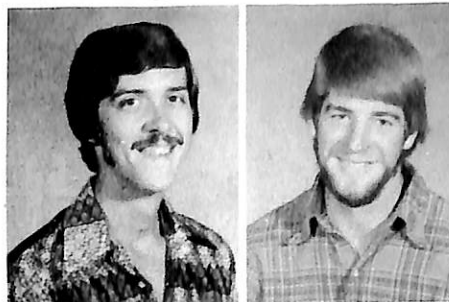
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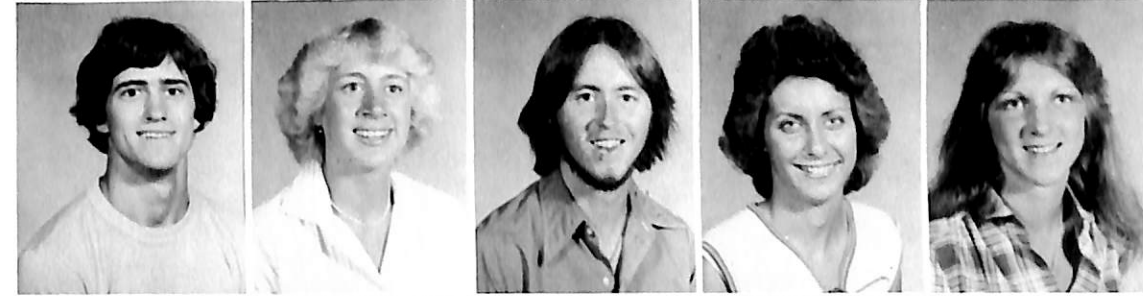
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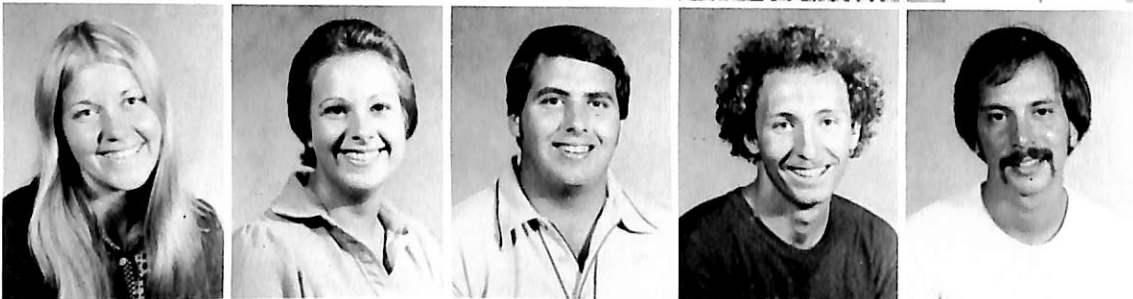
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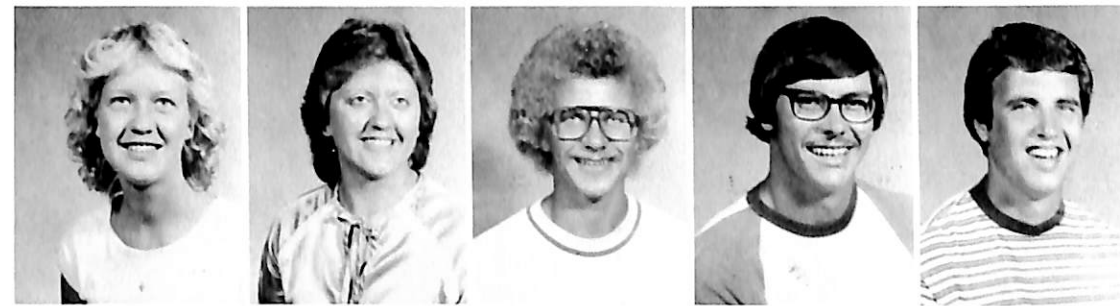
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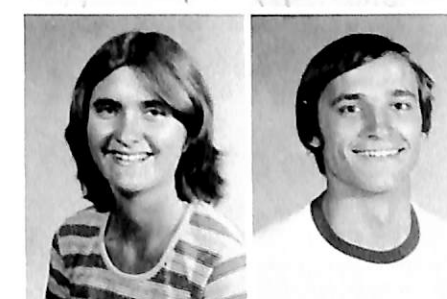
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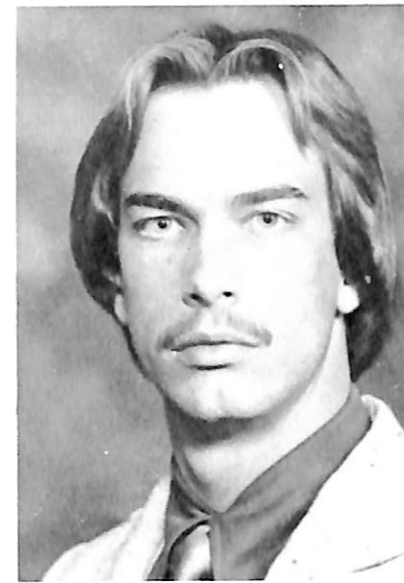
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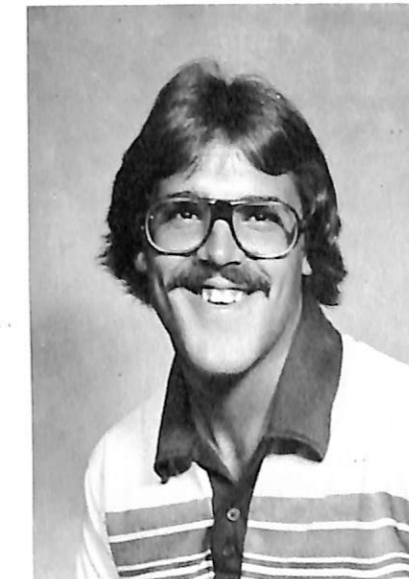
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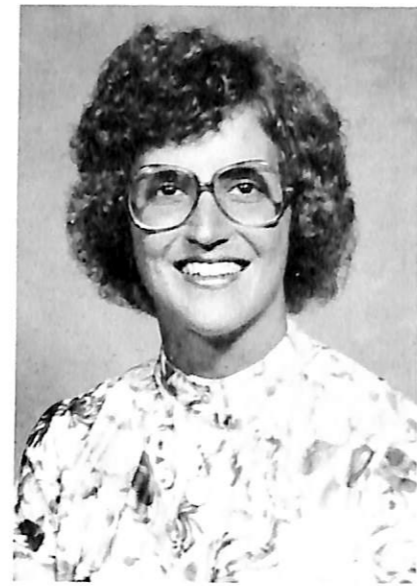
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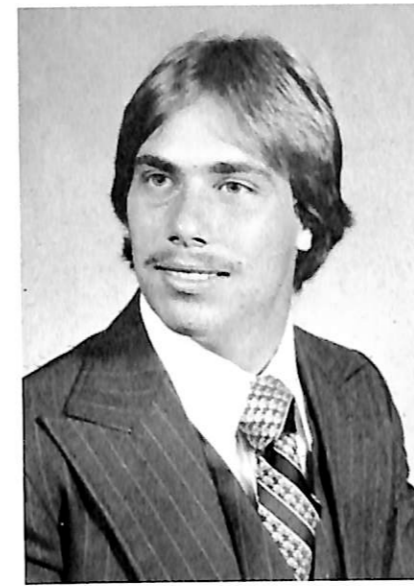
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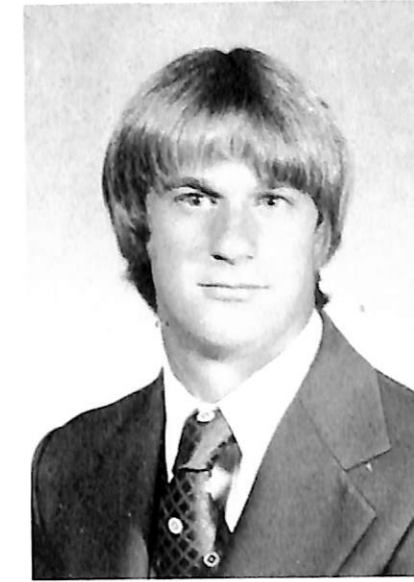
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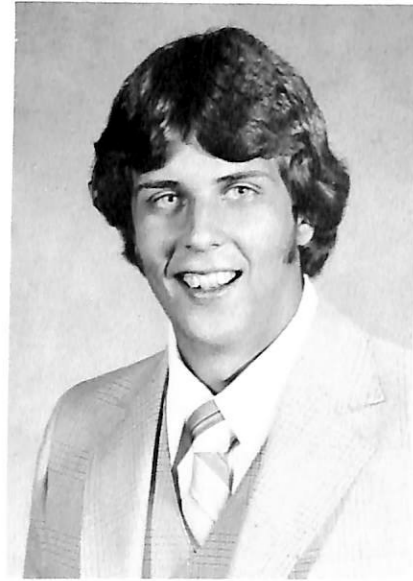
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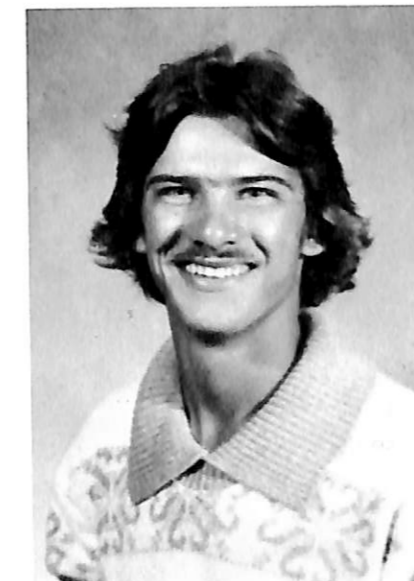
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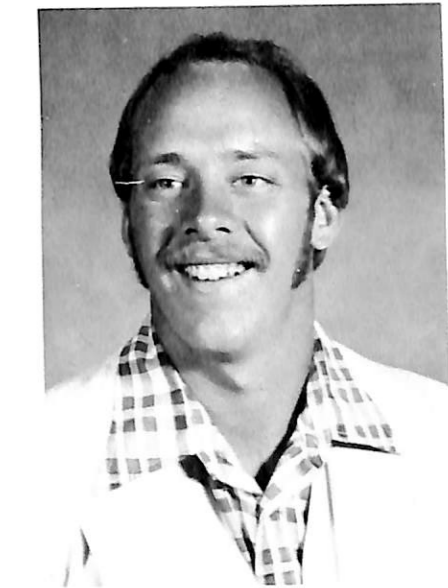
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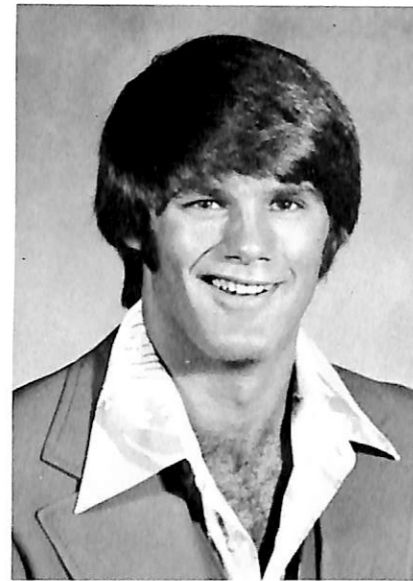
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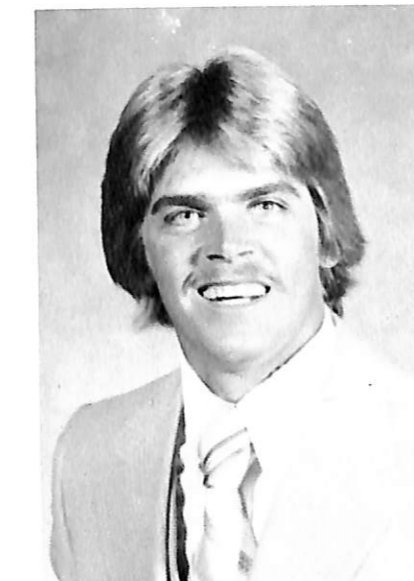
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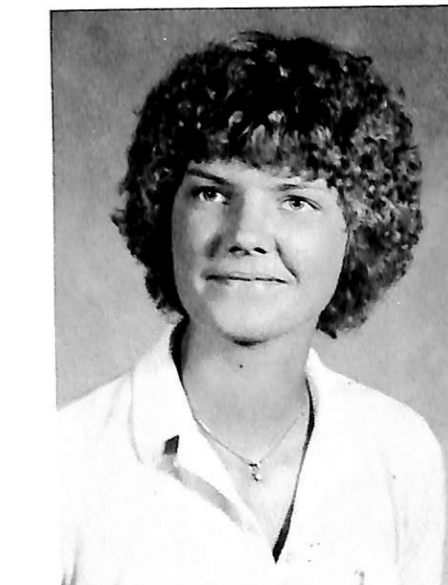
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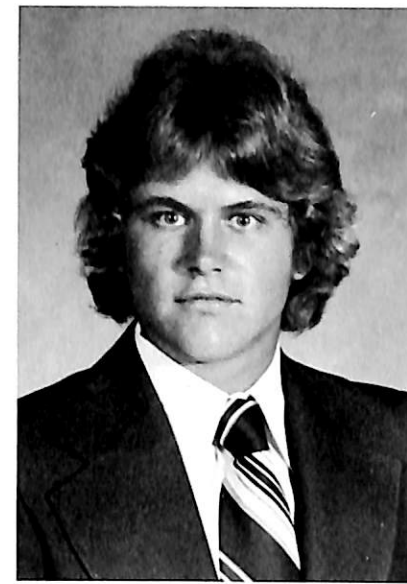
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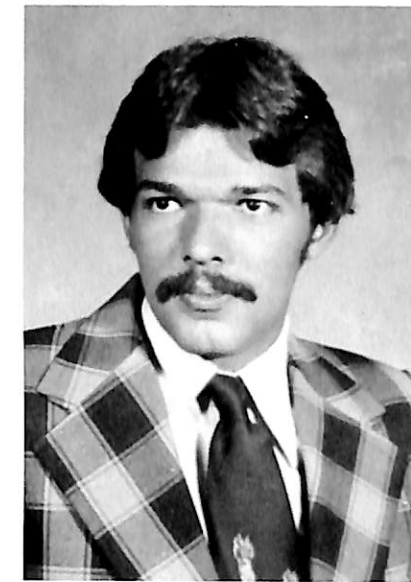
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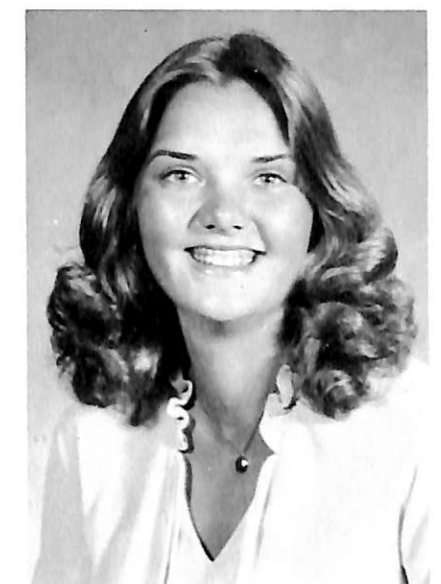
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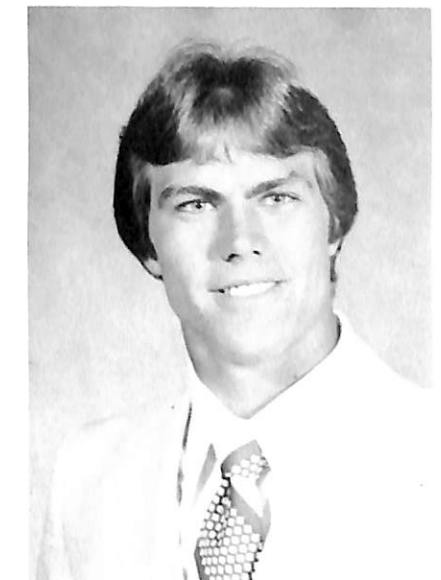
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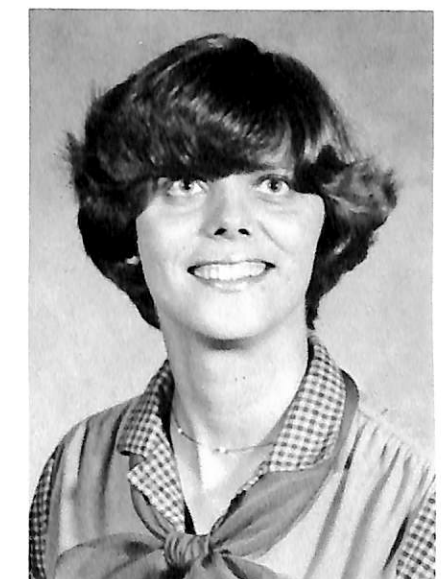
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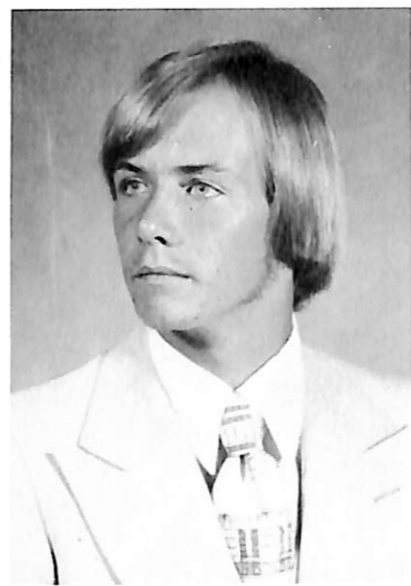
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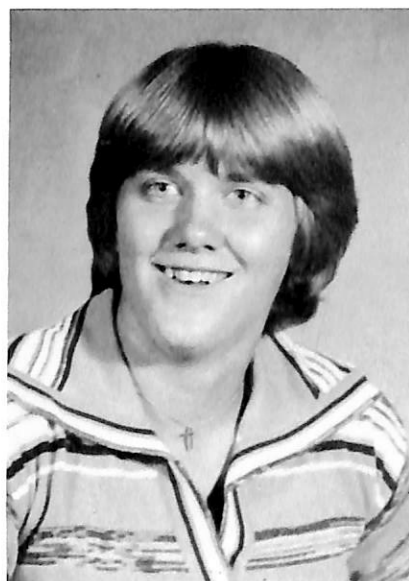
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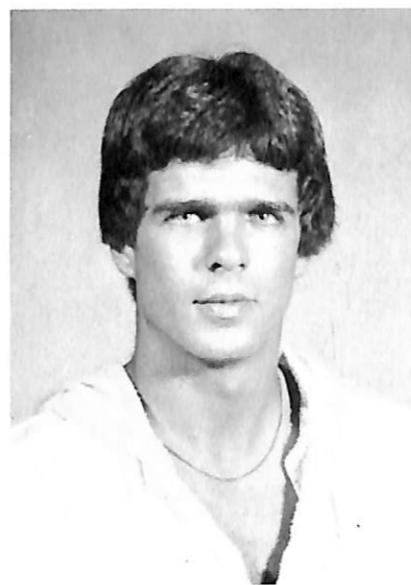
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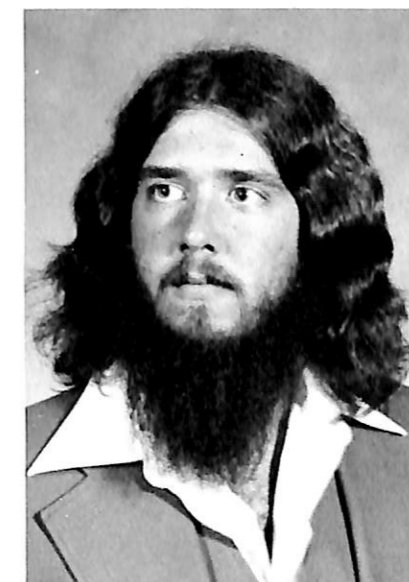
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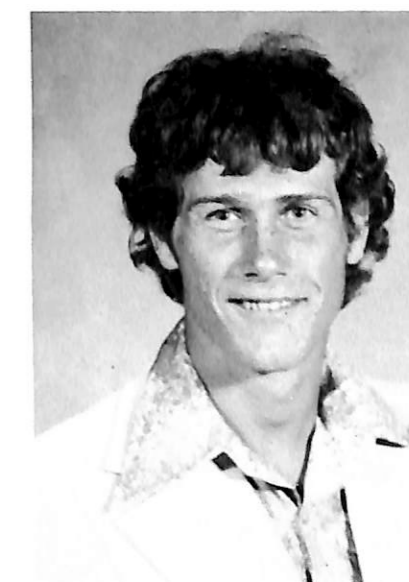
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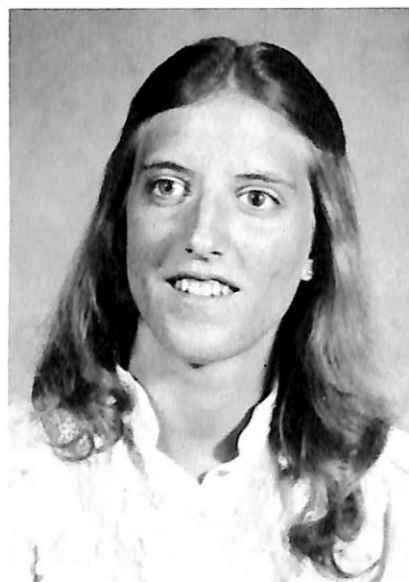
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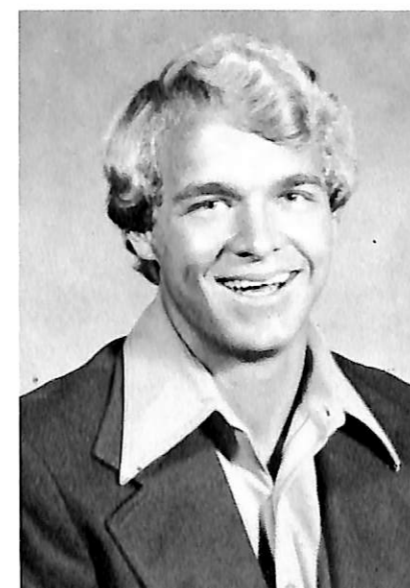
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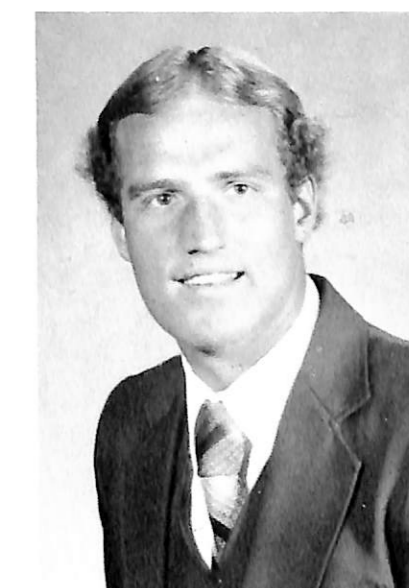
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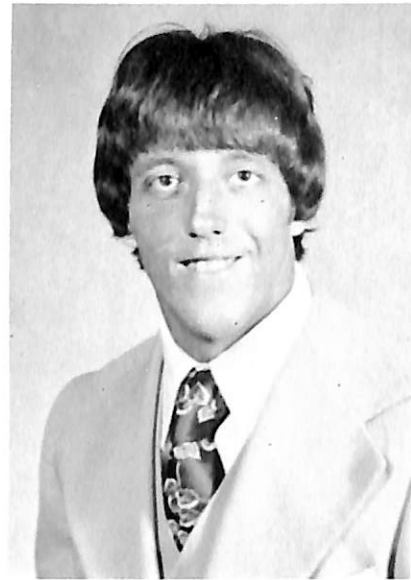
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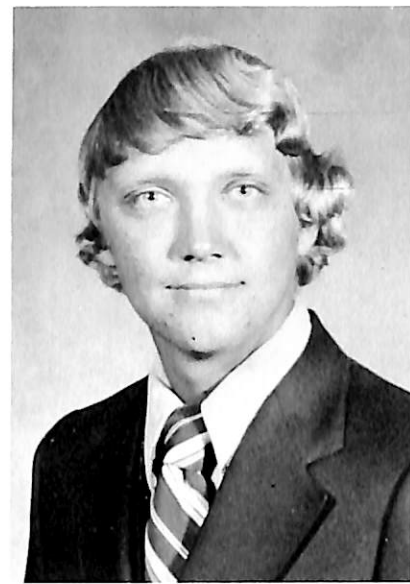
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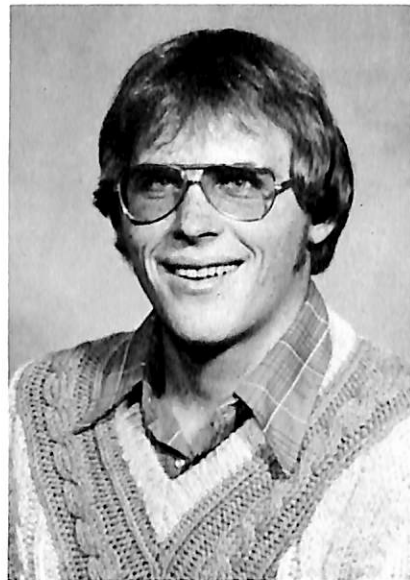
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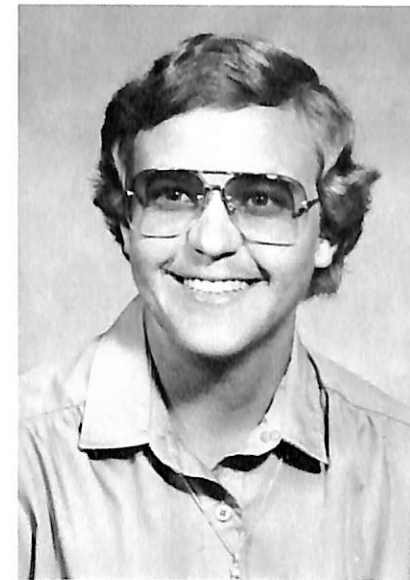
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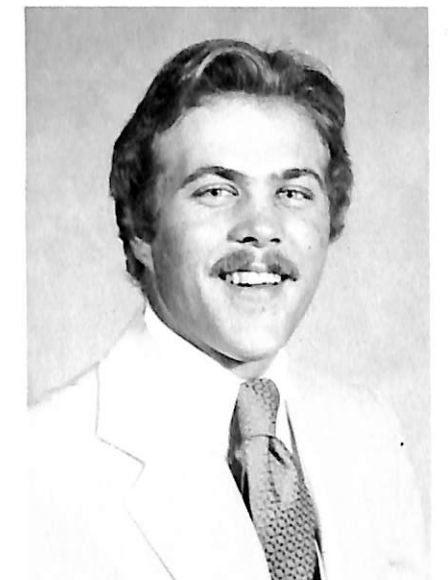
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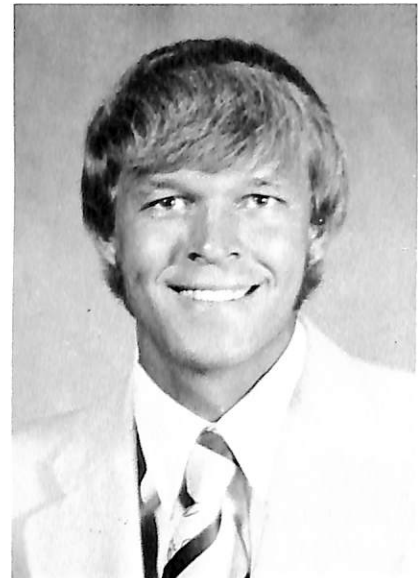
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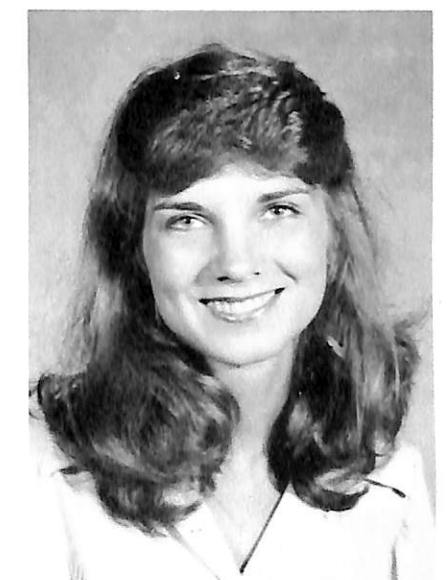
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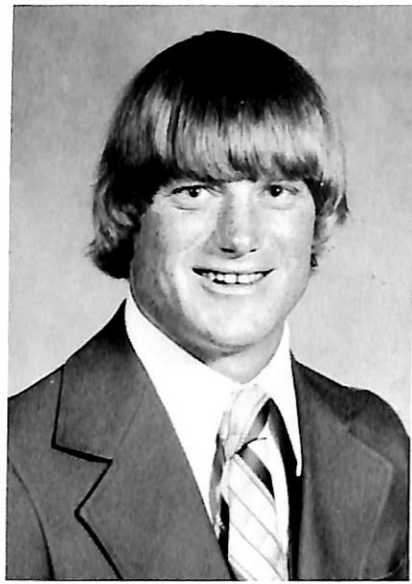
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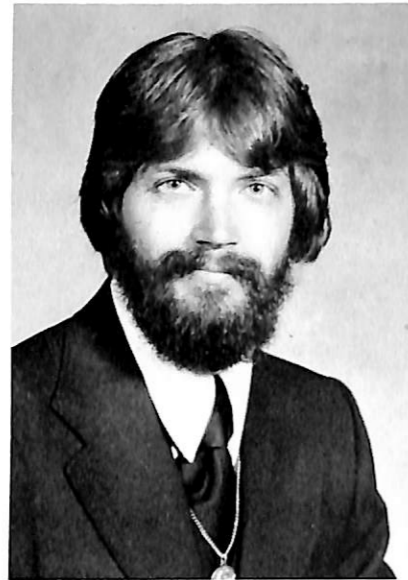
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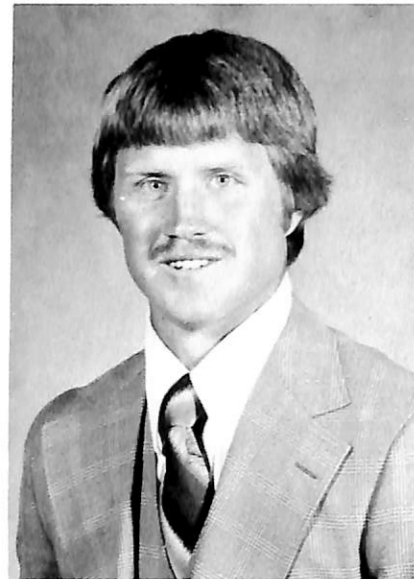
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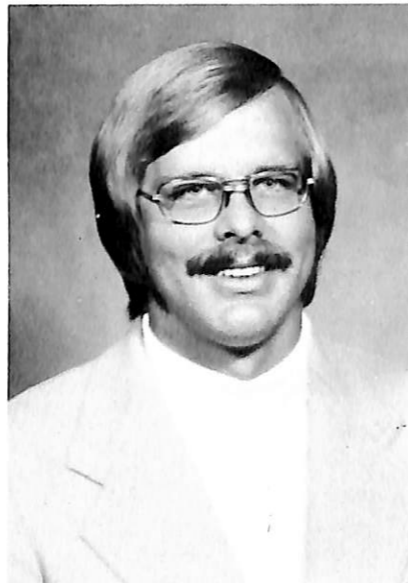
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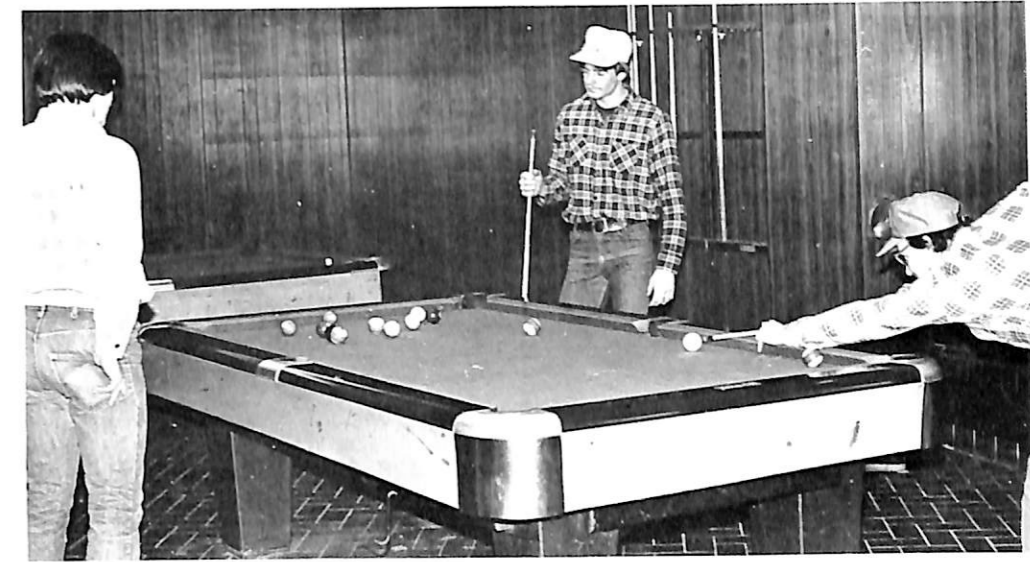
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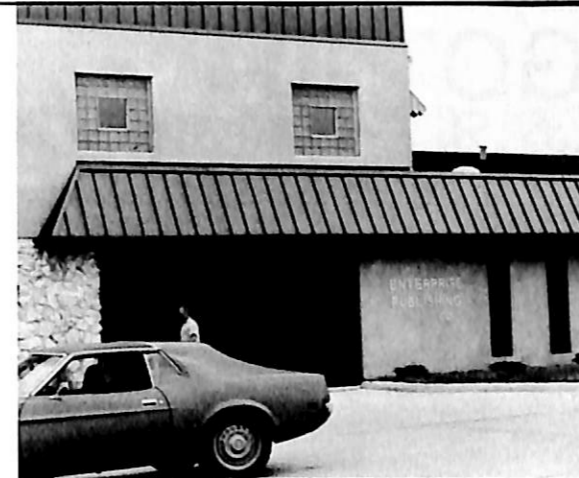




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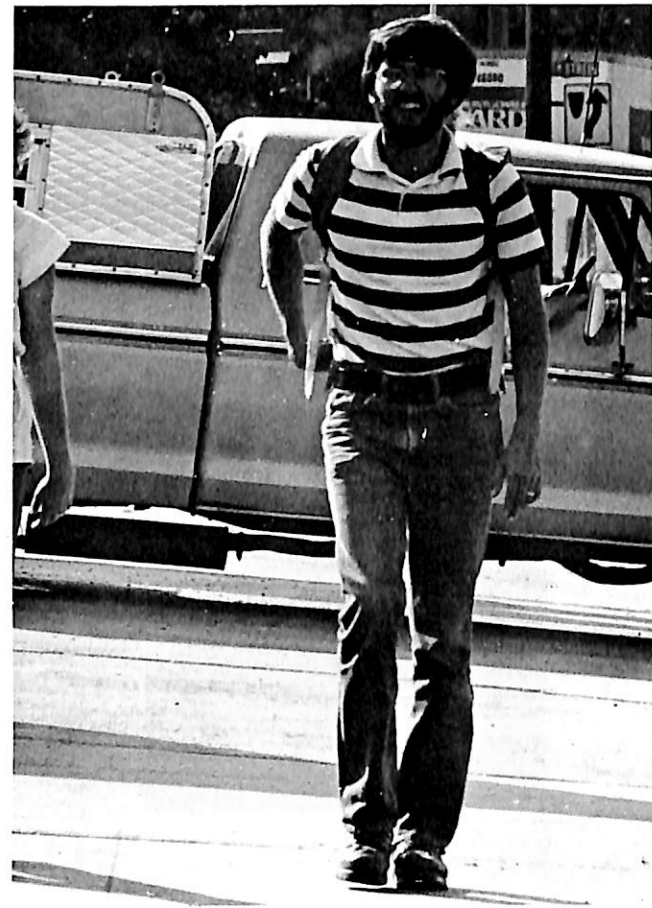
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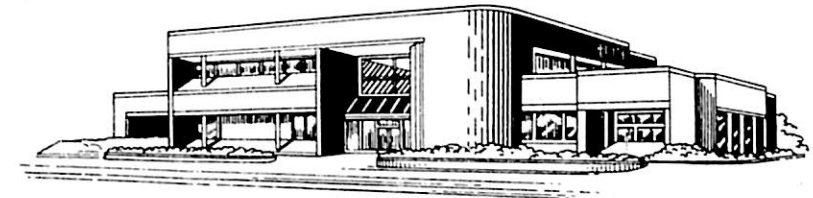


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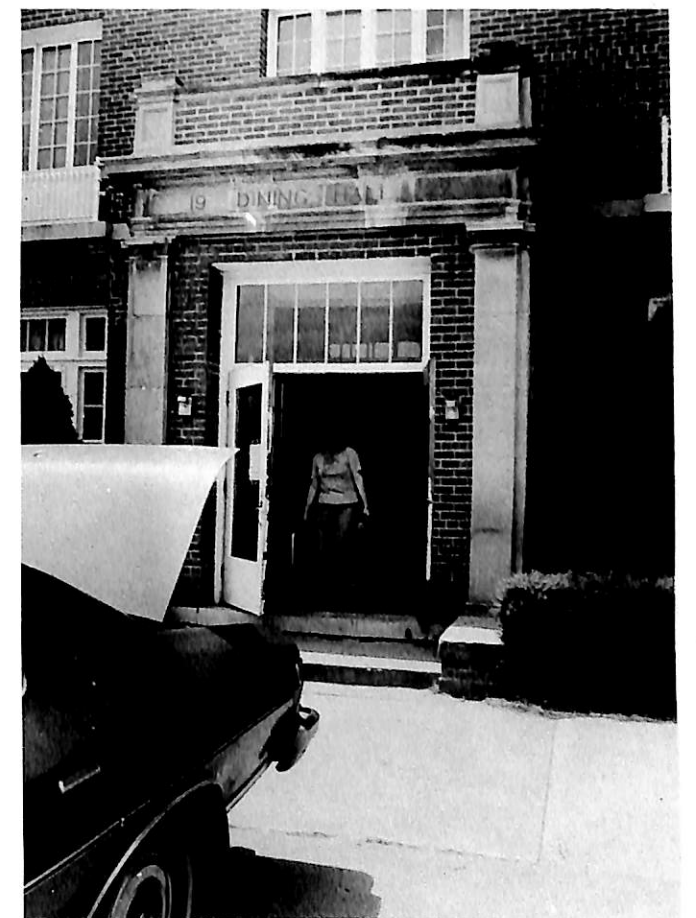
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