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Class of '96

The 1996 edition of "Footprints" is dedicated to Sr. Helen Keamey for her outstanding devotion and dedication to all the members of the St. Joseph's College community. From the college students in her class to the children, parents, and staff at the Dillon Center, she brings joy and wisdom to all she encounters.



Sr. Helen ... umm ... I like her, Sr. Helen.



As a professor, Sr. Helen has the unique talent of integrating her personal experiences into her classroom lectures. This enables her students to gain a true understanding of childhood education.



It is a pleasure to work for someone who enables her teachers to do their very best and is right there every step of the way to help them.



Carmelisha



Christine

NAT



"For you my friend I'd walk a lonely road,



Margaret

Christine



Mary

Kristine



Danielle



Keefe

for you I'd save the sweetest rose that grows."



Shirley J.



Mary

Kustine

Margaret



Stivella



Julie

"Friends are those people who touch your life in a special way."



Kimberly



Max

Jalene

Lisa



Anno-Marie



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"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature."
—Ralph Waldo Emerson



Deborah



Rose Anne



Noreen

Cirena



PAUL

Jennifer

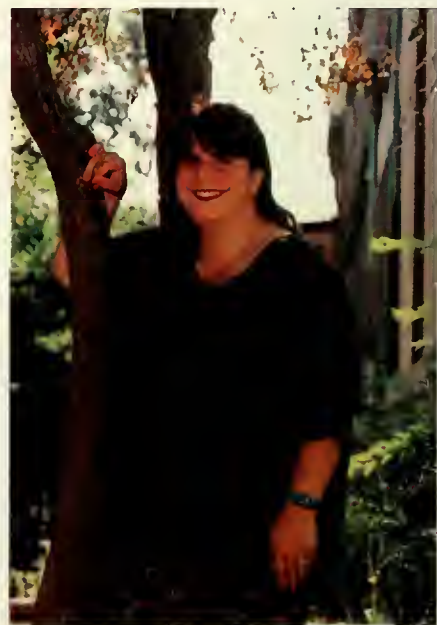


*"You meet your friend, your face brightens—you have struck gold."
—Kassia*



Maureen

Kathleen



Christine

Angela



Vierge



Quitone S.

"A good friendship requires tolerance, humor, nurturing, time, and perspective."



Ana

Nora



Marie

John Paul Gonzalez



Beech



Steve

"I get by with a little help from my friends."

—The Beatles



Albert



Christopher

Audoly 

Jammy



Joy



Sharon

"Wonderful friends last a lifetime."



Myrtle



Susan

Edina

Dorothy



Tara



Tracy-Ann

"Friends care enough about themselves to understand and be behind you in your time of need."

Lennox-Ann



Judy



Kyla

Kate



Jennifer



Maria

“Fate makes our relatives; choice makes our friends.”
—Jacques Delille



Josephine



Gina Leigh

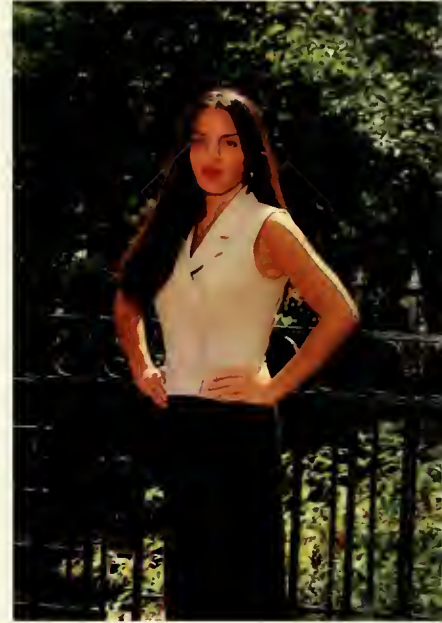
Jennifer

Francine



KATHLEEN

Nancy



"Friends not only give us laughter and good times, but strength, support and help."



Claudia

Mary



Jennifer



*There's a miracle called friendship that dwells within the heart,
And you don't know how it happens or when it gets its start.
But the happiness it brings you always gives a special lift,
And you realize that friendship is God's most precious gift!*

—Spiro





Our



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Kyla



Shirley



Nora



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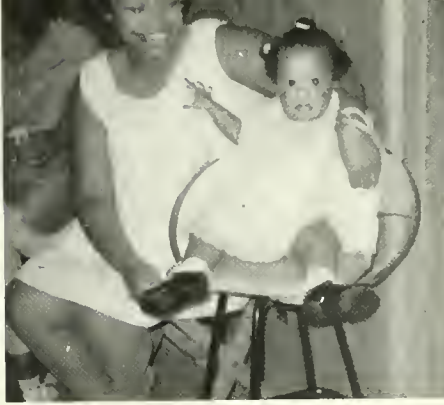
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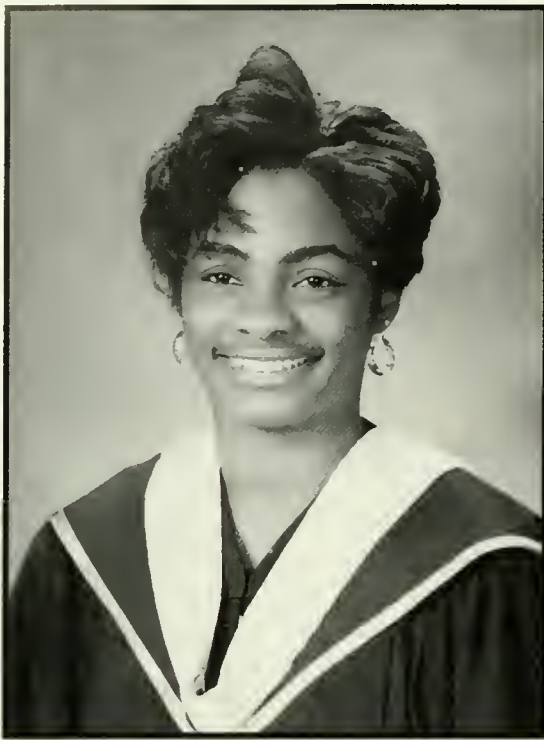
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Formal Pictures





Angela Mobolaji Adetola, B.A.
English

Thank God for giving me parents who have been blessed with health, strength, understanding and wisdom. They have shown me that education is the key to success. I also thank my friends for their love and support.

Mom and Dad — You are the wind beneath my wings.

Kemi and Kevin — I am creating a path, it is up to you to follow the road.

“Treat no person as a mere means to your end; recognize the human equality which underlies all inequalities.”



Kyla Laini Ali, B.A.
Human Relations

“Keep thy heart warm with all diligence, for out of it are the issues of life.”

—Proverbs 4:23

I thank God for all the opportunities He has given me.

To My Mother, Father, and Grandmother, I Did It! Without your love, words and guidance it would not have been possible. Thank you for teaching me that the obstacles in life are merely the lessons of life.

I also thank my friends for their unconditional friendship and support.

To my teachers and others at Saint Joseph's, Thank you for caring enough to make my time here meaningful and memorable.

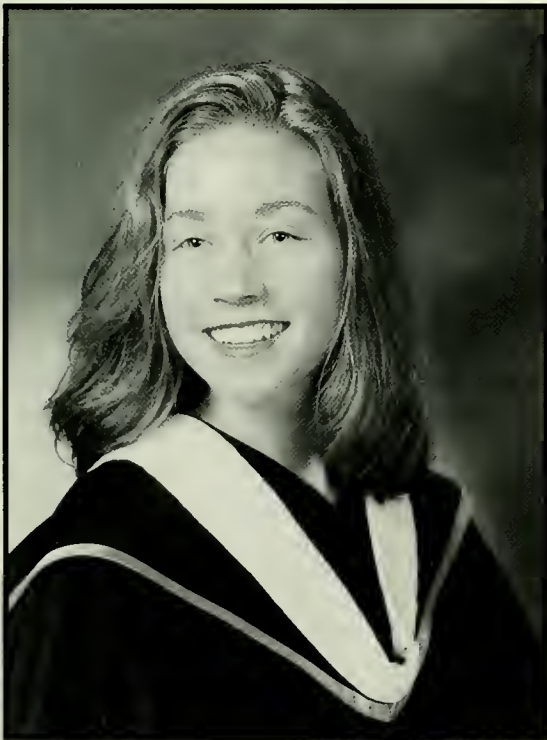
To My Son — I Love You!



Susan M. Ament, B.A.
Psychology

I thank my family for helping me through rough times; for all the support and encouragement not to give up; for the patience and understanding when I could not be there.

And most of all, thank you for loving me and for being there.



Mary Bailey, B.A.
Child Study

Mom — Thank you for all of the support and encouragement you have given me these past four years.

Michelle, Nicole and Jennifer — You are the best!

Ted — You mean the world to me.

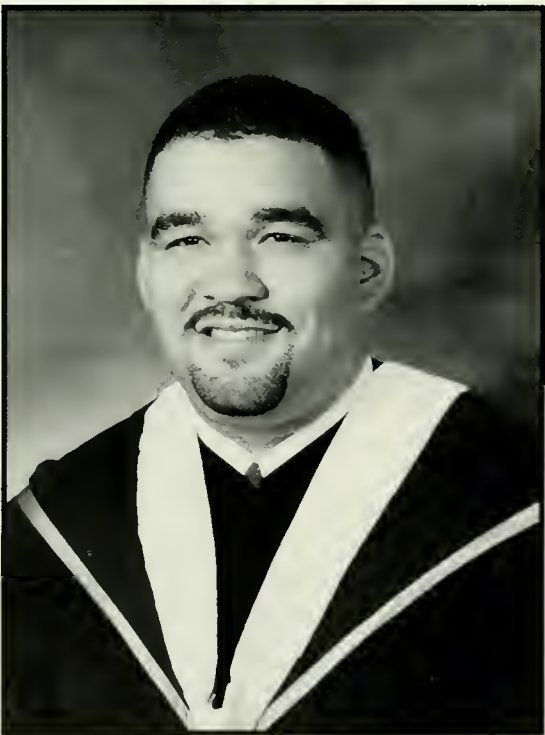
To all my friends — Best of luck, success and happiness. I Love You All!



Dorothy Berger, B.A.
Child Study

Matthew — Thank you for your love, support, and encouragement. Most of all, thanks for your patience and for proof-reading! I Love You!

Mom and Dad — Thank you for all of the things you have given me, especially your love.



Jose L. Bonilla, B.A.
Speech Communication

Mom, Dad and Erika — Thank you for all the support and love you guys have given me through the years. I Love You!

My second parents, Ana and Candy — Thanks for all your inspiration to do good. You guys have been a great example and I Love You.

To all my friends — Thanks for making my four years at SJC unforgettable — Rack 'em!

Steve — These four years were great and you were a part of it; thanks for being such a good friend and frat. brother . . . It's all Good!

Melissa — Words can't explain how much I appreciate what you do for me, Thanks . . . I LUV U!

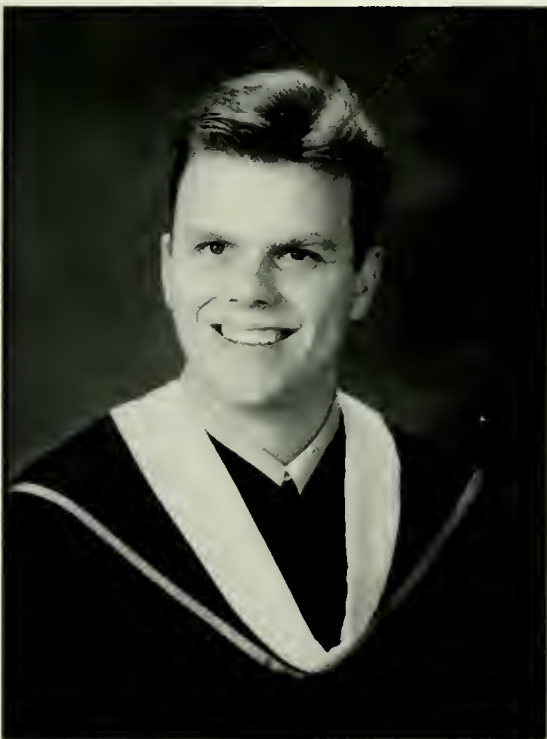


Emily Boodram, B.A.
Psychology

*"If I didn't define myself for myself
I would be crushed up in other people's
fantasies and eaten alive." —Andre Lourde*

I would like to thank:

- my parents for their patience and strength.*
- all my friends who supported me through
the good times and bad times.*
- Sister Catherine who showed me there is a
light on the other side of the tunnel.*
- Dr. Jennings who opened my eyes to the love
of great literature.*



Robert B. Brady, B.A.
Child Study/Special Education

*"I asked for health,
that I might do greater things;
I was given infirmity,
that I might do better things . . .
I asked for riches, that I might be happy;
I was given poverty, that I might be wise . . .
I asked for power,
that I might have the praise of men;
I was given weakness,
that I might feel the need for God . . .
I asked for all things that I might enjoy life;
I was given life, that I might enjoy all things.
I got nothing I asked for —
but everything I hoped for.
Almost despite myself,
my unspoken prayers were answered.
I am among all men most richly blessed."*

— Anonymous

*I would like to thank everyone who helped me
along the way — they know who they are.*



Danielle A. Buoncore, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my mother and father for giving me the most precious gift of all, an education that is second to none. I now have the tools to succeed in the world ahead.

I would like to thank Michael, John, Christopher and Joseph for their love, support and guidance throughout these years.

In the past four years, I have gained many close friends and have made memories to last a lifetime. They will always be treasured in my heart.

To the staff at St. Joe's, thank you for providing me with an education that will enable me to pursue my goals in life. I will truly treasure these years!



Gina Leigh Buonocore, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my parents who have supported me throughout my education. The love they have for me has given me the strength to accomplish the goals I had set out to achieve.

I will miss St. Joe's dearly. The friendships I have made will be cherished always. Janine, Jennifer, Kathleen, and Meghan — I will always remember the good times we shared.

Josie — We have been through a lot together. Thank you for being there for me.

I would also like to thank my teachers, especially Sr. Anne and Sr. Rosemary, for encouraging me to persist in my teaching career and preparing me for the outside world.

Josie — We did it together!



Kimberly Rose Capeci, B.A.
Child Study

*"Just like a fortune,
I have gathered up my youth,
And now I'll spend it."*

— Unknown

Mom, Dad, Christi, and Bagle,

*I could not have made it through the last
four years without your love and support. I
love you all.*

*To my friends, (especially my fellow Chapel
Players),*

*Thank you for making these last years at St.
Joe's so special. I will never forget you.*

Kim



Ana M. Carabello, B.A.
Child Study/Special Education

*I would like to thank God for the wisdom and
motivation to succeed which He has given me. I
would also like to thank my family and friends
for being there for me through the years. It has
been a long road I have travelled to reach this
point. I have learned many things, but mainly I
have learned not to give up without a fight.*



Claudia M. Colombo, B.A.
Child Study

Thank you, God, for helping me accomplish my dream.

Thank you to my family and friends who were always there for me. St. Joseph's College will always be a memorable time in my life.

"If you can strive, not caring who gets credit, work at building bridges, not walls, or hearing idle slander, just forget it and never fail to help someone who falls. If you can give your help without begrudging the time, patience and effort you impart, or look at others' weakness without judging, and see, not with your eyes, but with your heart."

— Barbara Burrows



Myrtle M. Date, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my family, sisters, and brothers for their help, encouragement and abundant supply of patience. Thanks, I love you all.



**Vierge Dieujuste, B.S.
Chemistry**

To My Mother,

I would like to graciously thank you for your loving support and encouragement you have given me. Your guidance has allowed me to reach my goal today. It has also given me the motivation to excel in the future.

A Ma Mere,

Je vous remercie beaucoup pour votre amour, support et courage dans ma vie.

De votre fille qui t'aime

To my friends: Faithful

Reliable

Intellectual

Exciting

Nurturing

Devoted

Supporting

Mom, Dad, Michael, John, and Jeffrey,

I want to thank you all for your love and support. I am truly blessed to have such a wonderful family. Mom and Dad — Thank you for the gift of knowledge.

I Love You all very much.

Jim,

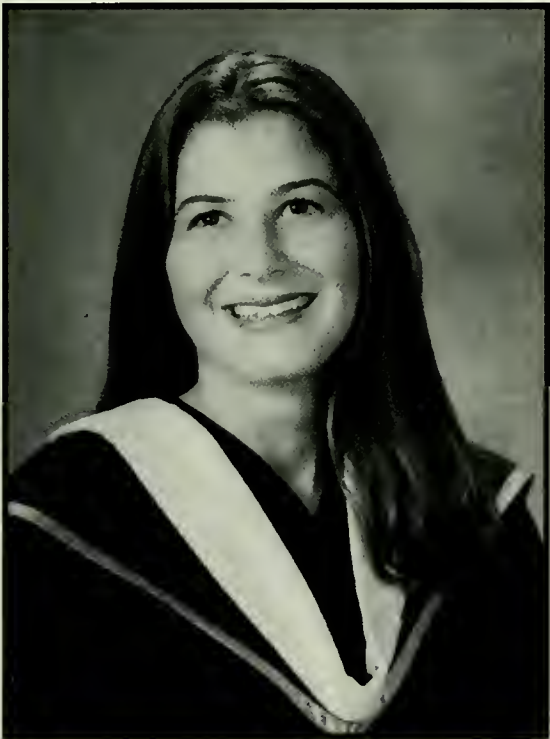
I am the luckiest person in the world to have found such a beautiful friend and soulmate. You will always be "Beautiful In My Eyes."

Simply said — I Love You so incredibly much.

Mirella,

These four years have developed into a beautiful friendship which will last forever. Thank you for being a part of my life and for being my Best Friend.

I Love You.



**Julie A. Donnarumma, B.A.
Child Study/Special Education
and Speech Communication**



Francine E. Fasulo, B.A.
Child Study

"I can do all things through Christ, who strengthens me."

— *Philippians 4:13*

First and foremost, I thank God for giving me the strength and courage to return to school in my adult years.

I also thank my parents for all their love and continuous support.

I also thank St. Joseph's College, its teachers and staff, for helping make this special moment possible. God Bless You!



Maria Gagliardi Forlenza, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my family and friends for all their love and encouragement. My parents, especially my father, have always emphasized the importance of a higher education. They are proud of all my accomplishments which led me to receive my Bachelor's Degree.

I especially want to thank my husband, Tony, who has been extremely supportive.

I will never forget the quality of the education I received from the St. Joseph's staff. They have prepared me to make a positive difference in every child's life.

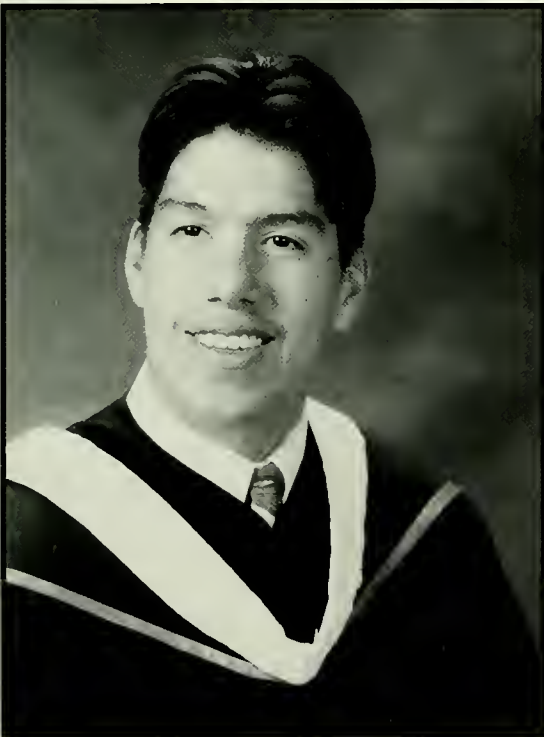


Judy L. Gabriel, B.A.
Child Study

*"I prayed for patience — and my prayer came true,
for many tasks were given me to do,
demanding patience I had never known.
Each task completed found my patience
grown . . ."*

— Helen Lowrie Marshal

*I give many thanks to the people who helped
me reach my goal. Without them, and without
God, nothing would have been possible.*



John Paul Gonzalez, B.A.
Child Study

*I would like to give thanks to my family and
friends for their love and support during this
time. I especially want to thank Bruce Klein for
giving me the ultimate opportunity. Thanks.*



Rosemarie Grimaldi, B.A.
Child Study/Special Education
and Speech Communication

To Mom, Dad, Aunt Ma-Ma, and Uncle Sal — Thank you for all of the love, support, and encouragement. I love you!

To Heather, Lynda, Susan, Christina, Karen, Lisa, Toni-Anne, and Ann-Marie — For teaching me how to laugh, how to cry, and how to trust, I thank you. This is truly a friendship no one could ever understand. I love you all!

"Oh What a Night!"

To everyone at St. Joe's — It's been an incredible four years. Thank you!

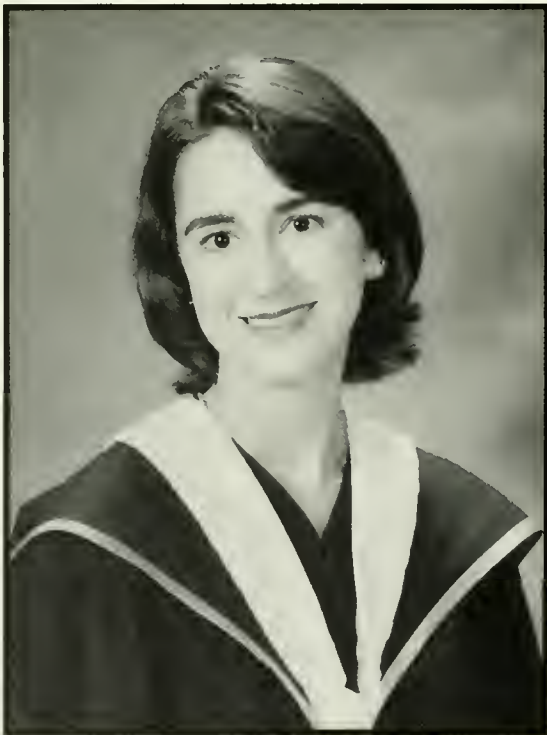
Sherrie — Thanks for the advice!

Deb — It's been an incredible eight years!

Li — We did it! Who's better than us?

To all of the kids at camp — Thanks for the inspiration!

Laura — I like-a-you! Love, Rosie!



Ann-Marie Guerra, B.A.
Psychology

I have many fond memories from St. Joseph's that will last a lifetime. I would especially like to thank my family for their constant love, support and encouragement that enabled me to reach my goals. I also thank my friends for all of their enthusiasm and laughter that could brighten the toughest of days in a matter of seconds. My family and friends were there for the good and the bad and never let me down. I love you!



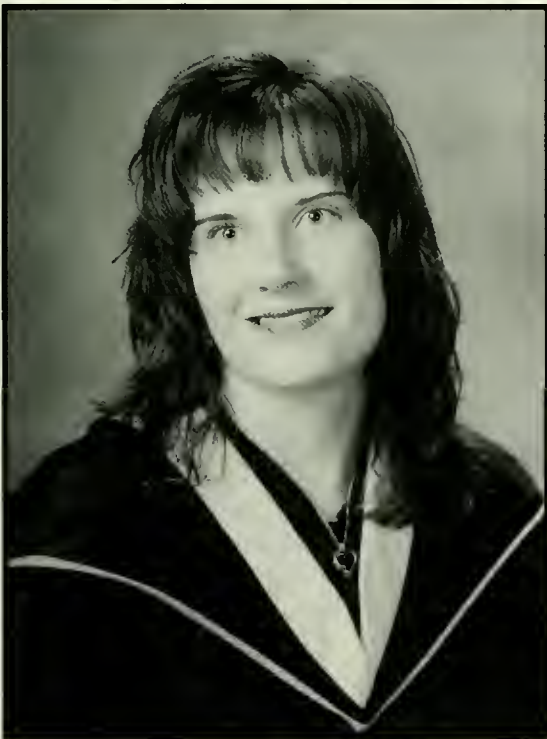
Margaret Hall, B.A.
Child Study

*Dear Mom and Dad,
I would like to specially thank you for my education. One can never realize just how lucky they are until they have to go out on their own. Thank you for sticking by me during the good and bad times. All I can say is that I'm glad I stayed and graduated.*

I would like to thank all my family and friends for all their love and support over the past four years. I Love You All!

"Education is an admirable thing, but it is well to remember from time to time that nothing that is worth knowing can be taught."

—Oscar Wilde



Deborah Lynn Heintz, B.A.
Child Study

*"Far away there in the sunshine
are my highest aspirations.
I may not reach them,
but I can look up and see their beauty,
believe in them,
and try to follow where they lead."*

—Louisa M. Alcott

To my Family — Thanks for always believing in me and helping me to believe in myself. I have always felt your love and support.

Daddy and Nanny — Not a day goes by that I don't think about both of you. I will never forget all the love we shared.

Rick — Thanks for always being there for me in good times and in bad. I love you with all my heart.

To my Friends — Thanks for helping me get through these four years, especially when it was really tough. I am very glad I have friends like you.



Kristine Hendrickson, B.A.
Child Study

You're the best ma!

ME — "You can't always get what you want, but if you try, sometimes you just might find you get what you need."

— Rolling Stones

KAIT — I love ya, Kiddo!

Friends and Graduates —

"You're off to Great Places!

Today is your day!

Your mountain is waiting.

So . . . get on your way!"

— Dr. Seuss

Lunch Club — Who's better than we are?

Stay gold and remember to have fun. You only live once.

**For the rainbows, magic, sunrises, and sunsets, but most of all for the laughs, Thank You. It was worthwhile because I have really lived.*



Carmelisha Hernandez, B.S.
Biology

To my parents and family: I would like to thank you with all my heart for all your love, support and most of all for your guidance which made my pursuit for higher learning more successful.

To Emily, Kavita, Marie, Christine and all my friends: I will always cherish the beautiful friendship we have shared with one another and all the times we have spent as wonderful friends.

To George: You have been there for me so many times when I needed your help the most. Thank you for all your advice, support, guidance, love and most of all for your beautiful friendship.



Tara Kathleen Jensen, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my family and friends for their continuing support and love through all the good and bad. I love you all!



Shirley Johannssen, B.A.
Human Relations

Mom and Dad, thank you for all your love and support throughout my entire life and for always giving me everything I needed and anything my heart desired. It was all your faith in me, and my decisions that made me who I am today and made this day possible. Without the both of you, none of my goals would have been accomplished. I love you both very much.

Cynthia, thank you for being my inspiration. It was you, your luck and success that enabled me to work as hard as I did. Even though I don't show it, I love you.



Eirena Louise Kennedy, B.A.
Child Study

Many thanks, mom and dad, for all your love, support, encouragement, and especially your help in my making the right decisions during the last four years.

Vincent and Stephen, thanks for giving me a hard time when I wanted to go out with my friends when I should have been studying.

Tom, you have been a great inspiration to me. You set your goals in life and you never give up until you attain them. Your success in life has helped me tremendously in aspiring to my goals. "I love you just the way you are." — Billy Joel

*Thank you; I love you all.
Good Luck to the Class of 1996.*



Kathryn Jeanette Kenniff, B.A.
Child Study

"... And the teacher pushed them, and they flew." —Unknown

To my family,

Thanks for all the love and support you have given me for the last four years and throughout my life. I love you all.

Sisters of BYΔ and Brothers of ΨΦΩ,

When the going gets tough, just remember you can always count on me and if I made it, ANYBODY CAN.

*I love you all,
Kate*



Kathleen Anita King, B.S.
Accounting

I would like to thank God for allowing me to reach this far.

To my family, especially Auntie Sheila, Uncle Telbert and his wife, Eleanor, thanks for the inspiration and challenge you gave me to pursue higher education. To Daniel, Anna, Claudiene and Denis, thanks for your support and encouragement.

I would also like to thank my teachers who instructed me and prepared me for the outside world.

St. Joseph's — Keep up the good work.



Kathleen Anne Koban, B.A.
Child Study

*Mom, Dad, and Jeannine,
Thank you for all your encouragement and support. I love you.*

*Thanks Christine, Eirena, Maureen, and Tara,
for all the good times and bad. "These are the
times to remember cause they will not last
forever . . ."*

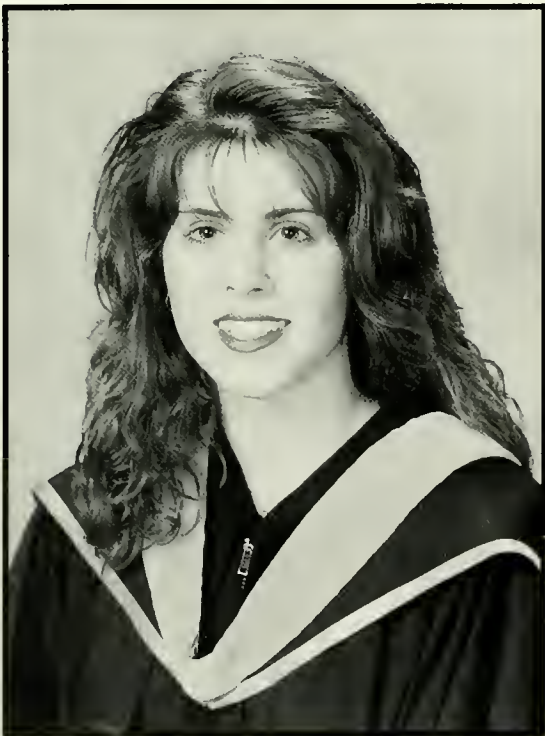
— Billy Joel

Good Luck Class of '96.



Edina Lawson, B.A.
Child Study

Reaching this point has been like running a marathon with lots of obstacles and detours for me. Now I have won the million dollar prize, My Degree. Special thanks to my family, friends and all who have guided and assisted me throughout the long haul.



Christine Marie LeBlanc, B.S.
Biology

Mom, Dad, Louis, and Karen,

Sometimes it may seem that I take you all for granted, but I just want to say, thank you for all the support and encouragement you have given me. I love you all very much!

Nanny, Poppy, Aunt Georgina,

Thank you for all your love and support through the years. I love you!

Jimmy,

I can't imagine what I would have done without you. Thanks for all your help and always being there for me! I love you!

To my friends,

I wish you all the very best in life. Always remember to follow your dreams!



Kristine Lelak, B.A.
Child Study

Mom and Dad, thank you for everything you have given me — I love you.

Lee, what else could I have asked for in a sister.

Keefe, thank you for always putting a smile on my face — I finally found a love of a lifetime. I love you.

Damon, I never stop thinking of you.

Aunt Jeanette and Uncle George, thank you for being there for me.

Gramps and Grandma, thanks for loving me.

Keith, Paul and Justin, I love you guys.

To all my friends at SJC, good luck in all you do.



Joy Levine, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my parents for providing me with love, encouragement, an education and a belief in myself that if I put my mind to it, I could achieve my highest goals.

To my sister, Laura, thank you for your guidance, direction and confidence in my abilities. Also, to my Grandparents, Aunts and Uncle, for their endless love and support.

A special thanks to Ms. Duberman, the teacher who inspired me to become a teacher.

I Love You All!



Josephine LoDuca, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank, first and foremost, my parents for allowing me the opportunity to receive such a high quality education.

Thanks, mom and dad Vento, for the use of a quiet place to accomplish my work when I needed it most. Thanks for your patience and support.

To my fiancé, Stephen: No one believes in me the way you do. I could not have done it without you.

To all the friends I made at St. Joseph's: I didn't know how lucky a person could be until you.

Gina: There is so much I would like to say to you, but not enough words to say it, so I will just say, we did it "together!"

Finally, thanks to my professors at St. Joseph's.



Lennox-Ann Marsh, B.A.
Social Sciences/Sociology

*"If I should stumble — as I have and will,
Oh, let me stumble going up the hill;
Let the stumbling be because my eyes are fixed
Upon some star high in the skies . . .
Dare to be happy — don't shy away,
Reach out and capture the joy of today!"*

—Helen Lowrie Marshall

*Special thanks to Mommy, Daddy, Nicki, TG
and my family in Jamaica.*

Jeff, I Love You.



Rose Anne Mastandrea, B.A.
Child Study

"Life's a journey, not a destination."

— Aerosmith

Mom and Dad — You always pushed me to do my best and never stopped believing in me. Thank you for all your love, support and everything you have done for me. I love you.

Joey — I love you more than words can say. You are truly the light at the end of my tunnel.

To all my friends — Thanks for all the great times and memories. With a smile and a tear I wish you all the best of luck. I'll never forget any of you.

"Don't let your fears get in the way of your dreams." — No Fear



Jennifer Ann Marie McNeela, B.A.
Child Study

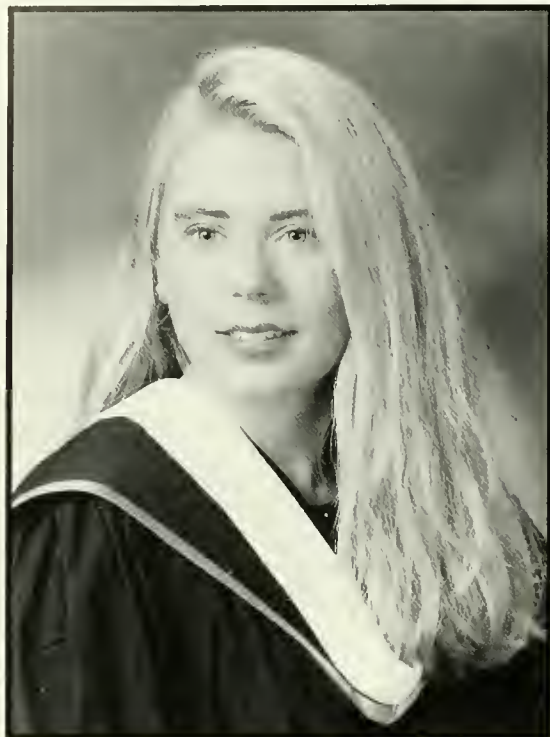
Nothing in the world can take the place of persistence. Persistence and determination are two of the keys to success.

Thank you to my family, especially my mother, for putting up with me and guiding me through my times of confusion and frustration.

To Mary, thank you for being a "Phenomenal Woman!" Your friendship is invaluable.

To PJE, although it is still early on, you have added joy to my life!

Best of luck to the Class of 1996!



Nicole Maria Miehl, B.A.
Child Study

"One day I would like to teach, just a few people, many and beautiful things, that would help them when they will one day teach a few people."

— A Teacher's Prayer

There is no way for me to express the heart-felt thanks to my parents for believing in me during my four years at St. Joseph's College. I'm also thankful for the support of my brother, friends and God; for, without them, I wouldn't have had someone to lean on.

Good luck to all my classmates. Remember: The man on top of the mountain didn't fall there!



Christine O'Callaghan, B.A.
Child Study

Mom and Dad, Thank you for all your support and for helping me get this far. I couldn't have done it without you.

Mary Beth, You are not just a sister, but also a friend.

Jimmy, you're the best little brother a girl could ask for.

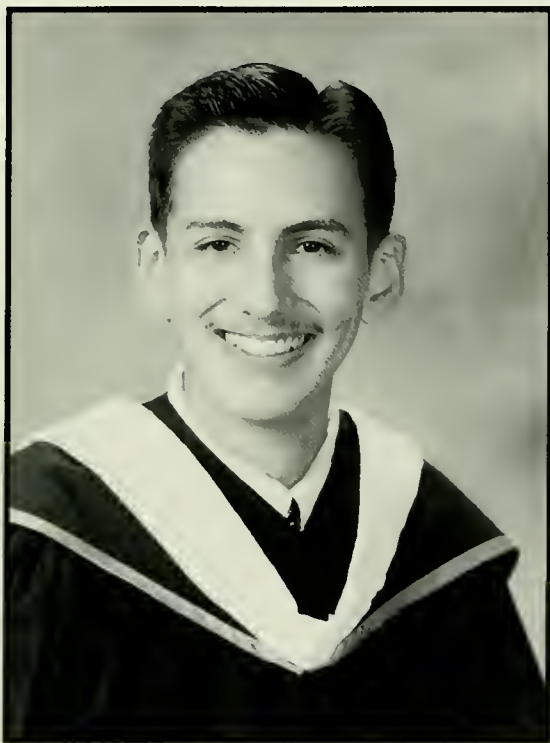
I Love You All!

To Kathy, Eirena, Maureen, Tara, and all my other "school" friends, Thanks for everything.

Meghan, Bridget, Bree, Helen, and Sarah, I hope we'll be friends forever.

"Life is a series of hellos and good-byes. I'm afraid it's time for good-bye again."

— Billy Joel



Freddy Ortiz, B.A.
History

Mami, Papi, Abuelitos, gracias por enseñarme de Dios y guiarme en mi niñez, juventud y como adulto; en la Firmeza de tener valores y morales respetuosos. Hermanas, gracias por las veces cuando me pedian besos y no les daba y me atacaban, valia la pena. Johan, por no dejarte ver a Starks, te quiero. Lidna, cuando jugabamos de mano, te quiero. Margie, por los tiempos que tu estabas conmigo cuando no tenia a nadie y los momentos de risas y de lagrimas, te quiero. God Bless.

Anne, words can not explain our Friendship. You have been the most precious gift that God has given me. I cherish you with all my heart. Anne, just remember, "Deus amo tu et ita facio ego!" Love you always.



Maureen Petrie, B.A.
English

"Life is far too important a thing ever to talk about."

— Oscar Wilde

Thanks to my friends and family.



Janine R. Pitta, B.A.
Child Study

I would like to thank my parents, family and friends for all the support they have given me throughout my years at St. Joe's. Their love and support made my time here successful. The friends I have made and the good times I had will be remembered forever. I will miss St. Joe's.

I would also like to thank the staff for their dedication to their students and for taking personal time to care for the students. A devoted, caring, personal staff deserves to be noted and never forgotten.



MaryCarol Powell, B.A.
Child Study

"Learning to love yourself is the greatest love of all."

—Whitney Houston

I thank my family, especially my parents, for trying so hard. You did an incredible job and I do know that. Daddy, I love you.

Keith, you have been the biggest part of my life the last few years. Thank you for coming in to help make it better. I know we will stay strong. I love you.

Ellen, thank you for your help in changing my life. You have helped me see that the most important person to love is me.

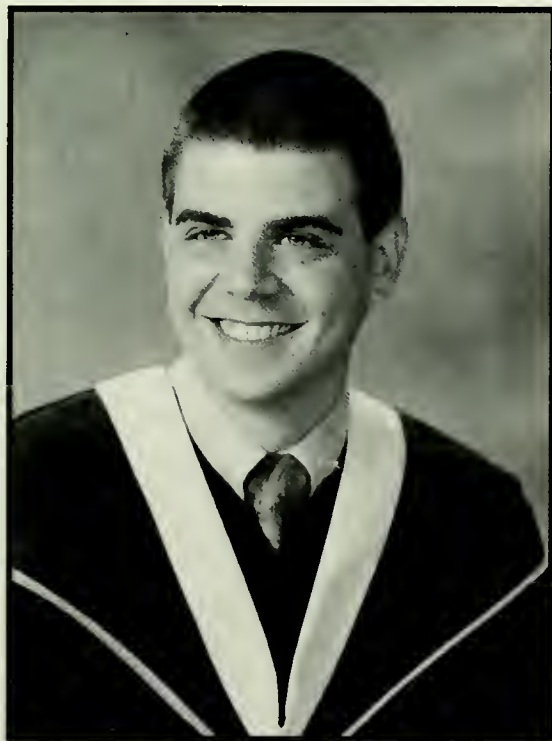
I will never forget college and my incredible accomplishments. These have truly been the best years of my life.



Valerie Isabelle Prasquer, B.A.
Child Study

*"Yesterday is but today's memory,
And tomorrow is today's dream . . .
. . . Let today embrace the past
with remembrance,
And the future
with longing." — Kahlil Gibran*

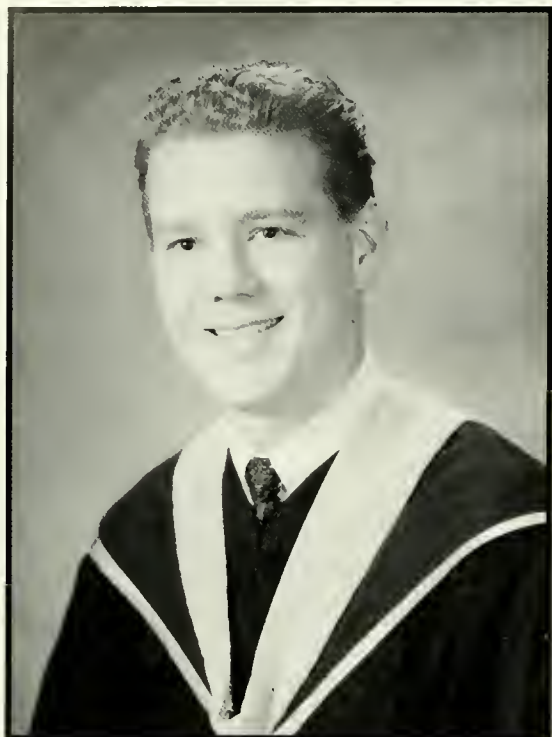
*To all of you whom I know and love, each of
you has touched my life in a special way.
Thank you for making my life everything that
it is. I know I couldn't have gotten this far
without your help, love and support. I Love
You!*



Christopher C. Regina, B.A.
Social Sciences/Political Science

*"What is Success?
To laugh often and much;
To win the respect of intelligent people
And the affection of children;
To earn the appreciation of honest critics
And endure the betrayal of false friends;
To appreciate beauty;
To find the best in others;
To leave the world a bit better;
To know even one life has breathed
easier because you have lived;
This is to have succeeded."
This I did at St. Joseph's.*

—R.W. Emerson



Neil Edward Remmen, B.S.
Business Administration

All my gratitude and love to my family: Gigi, Popi, Marilee, Eddie, Noelle, Erin, Meghan, Brian, and especially Mom and Dad. Thanks for everything.

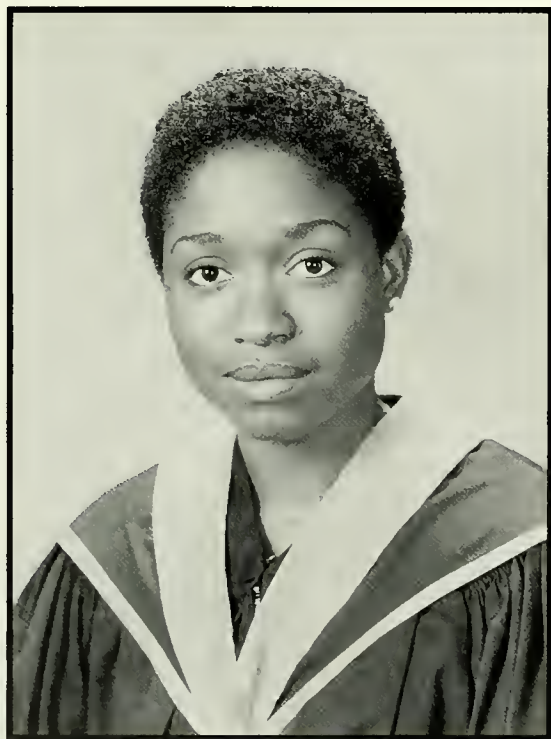
Grandma and Grandpa Remmen and Mama: You're in my thoughts.

Cara, I love you, 10-31-91.

Coors, Bud, Miller . . . You get the picture.

"If you can imagine it, you can achieve it; if you can dream it, you can become it."

One journey has ended and now another begins.



Guitone-Soraya Rene, B.S.
Biology

— I would like to thank the Lord for my parents. Without Mémère, Pèpère, Maman, and Papa, I would not be who I am today.

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— Thank you for your love, your support, and your guidance.



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Child Study/Special Education

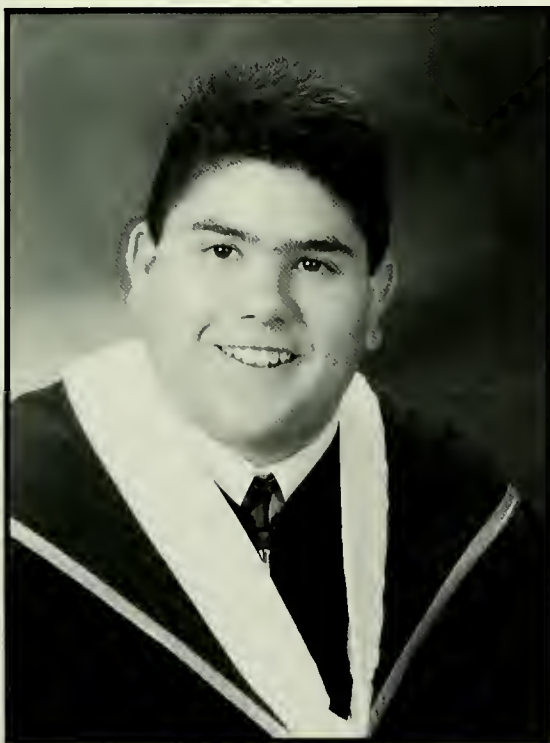
*"No love, no friendship
can cross the path of our destiny
without leaving some mark on it forever."
— Francois Mauriac*

To my Family — Your love, support, and encouragement have brought me closer to my dreams than ever. Thank you for always being there to listen, to understand, and to watch me grow. I love you!

Daddy — You are always close to my heart and my mind. I love you!

To all my Friends — The memories that we have made and the friendships that we share are everlasting in my heart and mind. The poem on page 61 expresses how I feel.

To the Administration, Faculty, and Staff of St. Joseph's College — Thank you for providing me with a rich education filled with a wealth of knowledge and wonderful experiences.



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Speech Communication

I would like to thank my parents for all their love and support. I would not be where I am today without it. Thanks for making me the person I am.

I would like to thank all my friends at St. Joseph's as well. Without you, the past four years would not have been as fun and memorable. I would also like to thank them for putting up with me and making me laugh alot.

Jose — Rack 'em. I'll never forget all the times we had and all the laughs we shared. You're a great friend. Thanks for making my four years at St. Joe's great.

Thanks to all the $\Psi\Phi\Omega$ fraternity brothers. You guys are the best.



Calogera Michel Scibetta, B.A.
Spanish

Esta licenciatura es un honor para mí, mi novio, y toda mi familia que está aquí conmigo. Pero también es importante para mi abuelo que me mira desde el cielo en este día especial. Quiero dar las gracias a la profesora Montoya que ha sido muy paciente y me ha integrado en la cultura española. Quiero de nuevo expresar mi agradecimiento a mis padres y hermanos por su apoyo y amor.



Noreen Thérèse Steffens, B.A.
Child Study

"God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can and wisdom to know the difference."

You're born into a family, but you pick your friends. I'm so lucky to have both in one.

Steffens Family: Your love, support, sense of humor, and encouragement, especially throughout my college years, have been immeasurable. Thanks!

The memories made with those we love live forever in our hearts. To all my friends — thanks for all the wonderful memories! Nicole — Yo goober! Where's the meat?

"Oh, all I want to know is where does all the time go?"

— The Grateful Dead



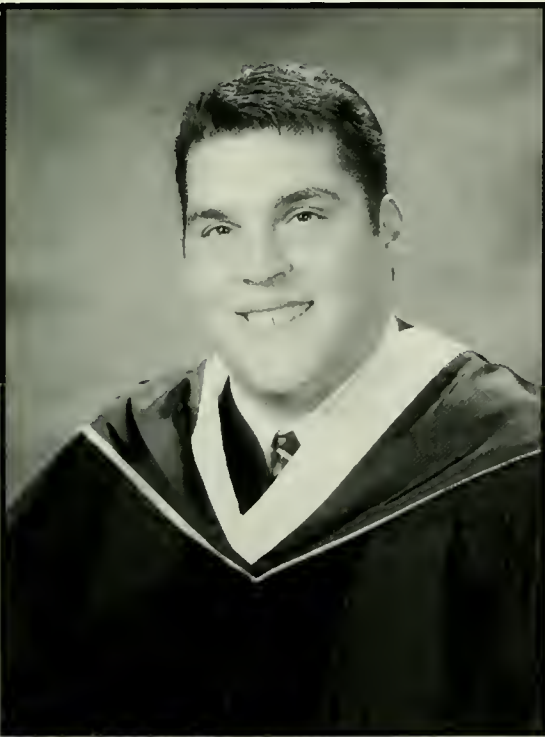
Mirella Treglia, B.A.
**Child Study/Special Education
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Mom — I feel very proud and blessed to have you as my mother. Your love and dedication has made all my dreams come true. I love you.

Frank — "Love is elevating. It lifts you up. It makes you look up. It makes you think up. It makes you a better person than you were before." — Unknown

Thank you for bringing love and happiness into my life. I will love you FOREVER.

Julie — There is so much I need to thank you for. I could never have made it without you. You have shown me what true friendship is and I will always treasure you as my best friend. I love ya!!!



Keefe Vallaro, B.A.
Child Study

Mom and Dad, what more can I say, thank you. Thanks for giving me the opportunity for an education, encouragement when I needed it and a place to come and talk when I was in doubt.

Damon, thanks for being my guiding light throughout my four years. When things got tough I knew you were leading me in the right direction. I will always love you and miss you.

Kris, the one I love, thanks for helping and putting up with me. I do realize how difficult I am at times and I wanted you to know how special you are to me. You're the love of a lifetime.



Marie C. Volcy, B.A.
History

To God: Two precious treasures have come from you — my parents and my life.

To My Parents and Auntie Paulette: If it were not for you, I would never have been here today to experience this great amount of achievement and fulfillment. I deeply thank you for this beautiful gift called LOVE.

To My Friends: "Friends forgive our mistakes and help us forget them . . . They believe our dreams and help us find them."

—Paula Finn

To Child Study/Dillon Staff: Thank you for all your love and support.

Class of 1996: Always believe in your dreams!



Josephine J. Volpe-Cotroneo, B.A.
Child Study

May our lives forever be extraordinary and full with inspiration.

Come my friends.

'Tis not too late to seek, a newer world.

For my purpose, holds to sail beyond the sunset.

*And though we are not now that strength,
Which in old days moved earth and heaven
That which we are, we are*

*One equal temper of heroic hearts
Made weak by time and fate, but strong in will.*

To strive, To seek, To find.

And not to yield."

— Alfred Lord Tennyson

*Many thanks to my love, my Lord, my faith,
my world.*



Julie Sorbara Volpini, B.A.
Psychology

I would like to thank my husband, my parents, family, and friends, as well as my teachers for all their support. Without all of you, I would have never made it so far.

The journey was difficult at times, but well worth it.

Good luck to the Class of 1996.



Tammy L. Warner, B.S.
Business Administration

I would like to thank my family for their love and support — especially Mom and Uncle Timmy.

I will never forget the good times or the friends made at St. Joe's. Allison and Patrice — I will miss you most.

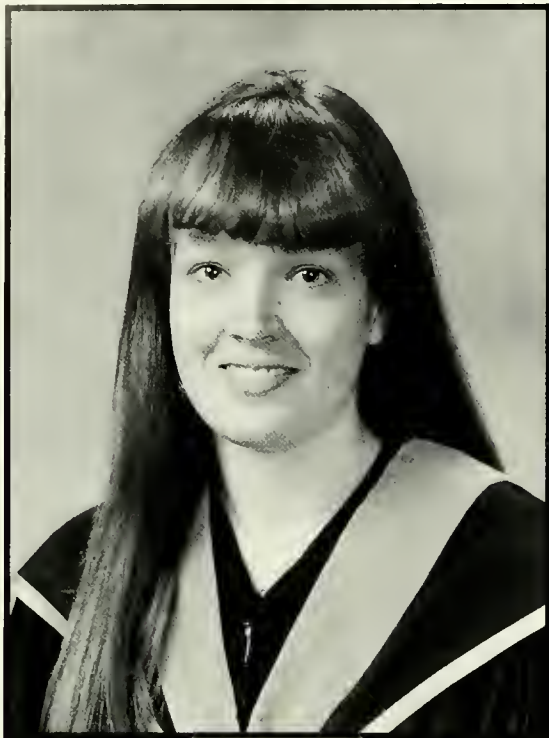
Dr. Torz — Thank you for your generous support.

Father Catania — How do you thank someone for friendship? With your heart! Thank you.

Pop-Pop — I carry you with me always. I love you.

Aunt Pat — You are with me now, as much as you were four years ago. I love you.

Dreams really do come true. God bless us all.



Allison B. Wheeler, B.S.
Accounting

I would like to thank all my family and friends for their support through the past four years.

I would especially like to thank my mother. Without her, I never would have had the desire to continue after freshman year.

I love you all. Thank God I made it!



Tracy-Ann Willacey, B.A.
Child Study

"Climb the rope of life till you reach the top, then tie a knot and hang on!!" — Derrick

It's finally over, but it has only just begun. I would like to thank my family and friends for their support, understanding, and encouragement. You have given me the strength and motivation I need to strive for the best. Thank you for your love and friendship.



Christine Zinser, B.A.
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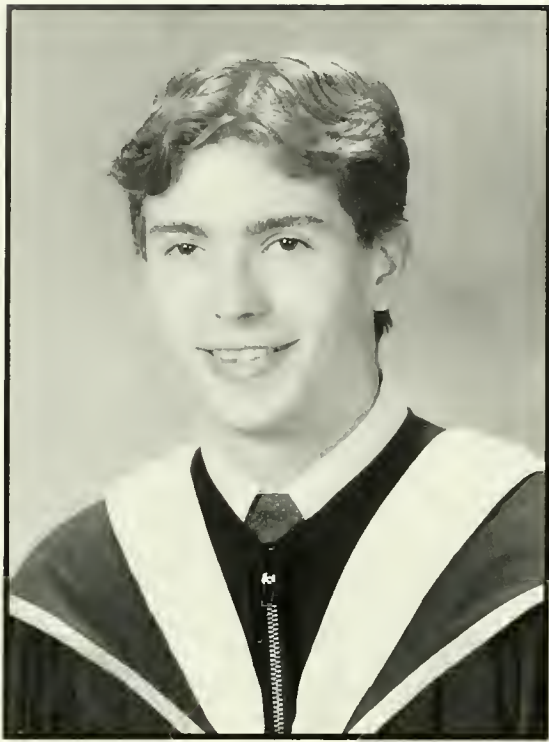
*Thank you to my family and friends
for all your support and encouragement.
Best of Luck & Happiness to all of you.
"Live life, learn to love, always laugh."
— Anonymous*



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*I love you not only for what you are,
but for what I am when I am with you.*

*I love you not only for what you have
made of yourself, but for what you are
making of me.*

*I love you because you have done more
than any creed could have done to make
me good, and more than any fate could
have done to make me happy.*

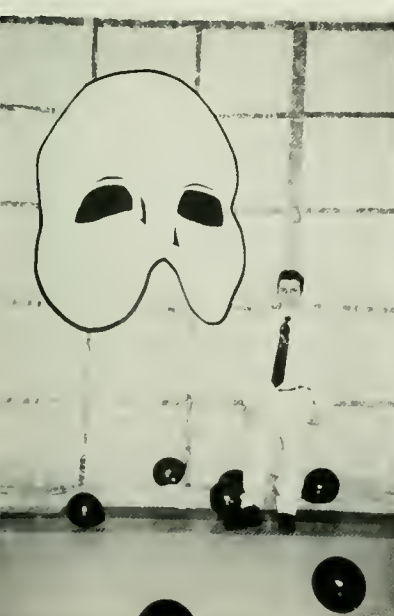
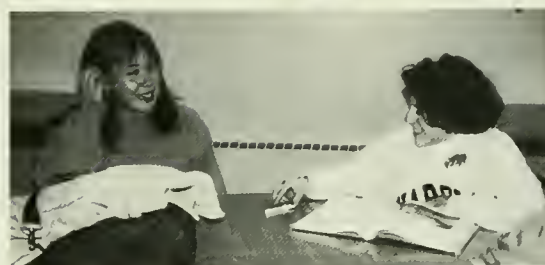
*You have done it without a touch,
without a word, without a sign.*

*You have done it by being yourself.
Perhaps that is what being a friend means,
after all.*



**“You’ve got to
have friends . . .”**







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Dear Graduates,

*Looking back over the past year,
I am gratified by how far we
have come as a college community.
Striking a balance between tradition
and progress is a formidable task.
With your continued help and interest,
we look confidently to the future,
ever-mindful of the lessons and
values of the past.*

*S. George Aquin O'Connor, Ph.D., LL.D.
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To the Members of the Class of 1996:

*In an increasingly complex world, our need for
real friendship is greater than ever before. In these
college years, you have shared dreams and fears,
feelings and aspirations. May your friendships
strengthen and delight you in the years to come.*

*S. Mary Florence Burns, Ph.D.
Academic Vice-President*



To the Graduates:

*My wish is that each of you may carry with you the
vitality, generosity, and concern for others that have
characterized your class. You have much to bring to a
world in need of hope.*

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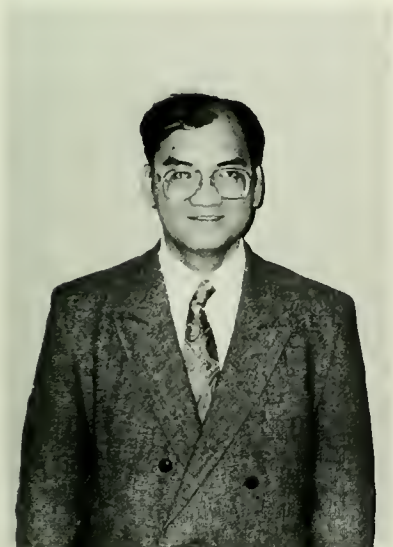
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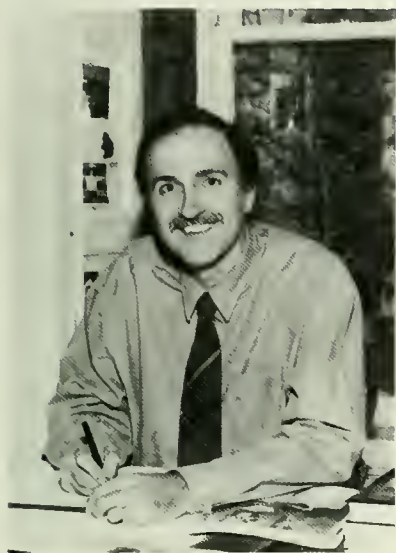
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"The art of teaching is the art of assisting discovery."

— Mark Van Doren

"The object of education is to prepare the young to educate themselves throughout their lives"

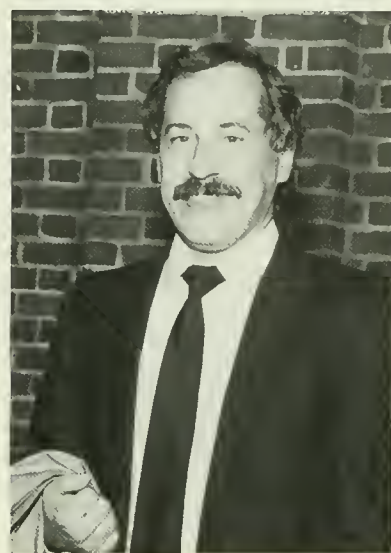
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*"A teacher affects eternity; no one can tell where his influence stops."
— Henry Adams*

"Teaching that impacts is not head to head, but heart to heart."

— Howard G. Hendricks



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"What the teacher is, is more important than what he teaches."

— Karl Menninger

"The teacher is like the candle which lights others in consuming itself."

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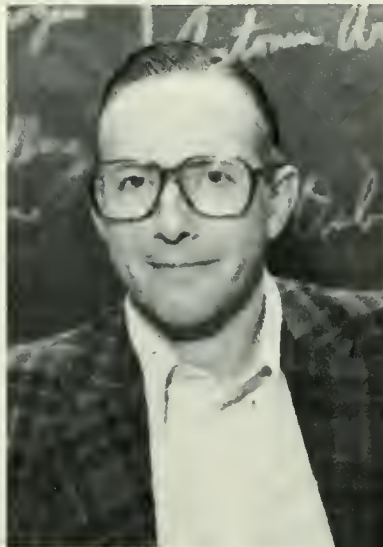
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*"To receive a proper education is the source and root of all goodness."
— Plutarch*

"Some people come into our lives, leaving footprints on our hearts and we are never the same."

— Flavia



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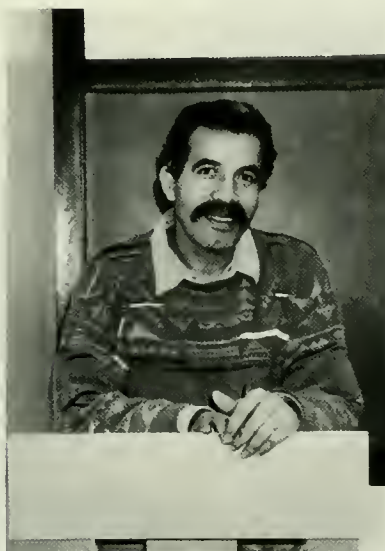
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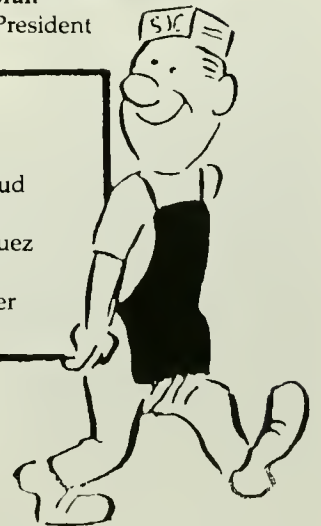
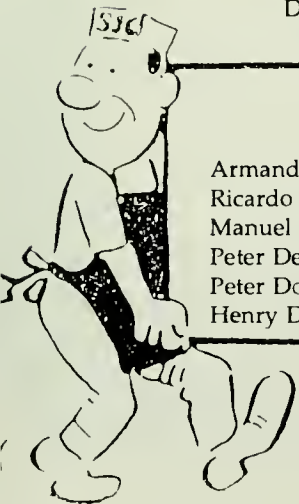
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a voice that is heard
in complete trust and understanding.
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at special times and stay.

We travel separate journeys
and cross different bridges
with each other's help
and with the wonderful feeling
that we are not alone.

In our joys and our problems,
in our dreams and our work,
we are all different.
And yet we feel each other's special place
of caring within
and we know that we are all the same.

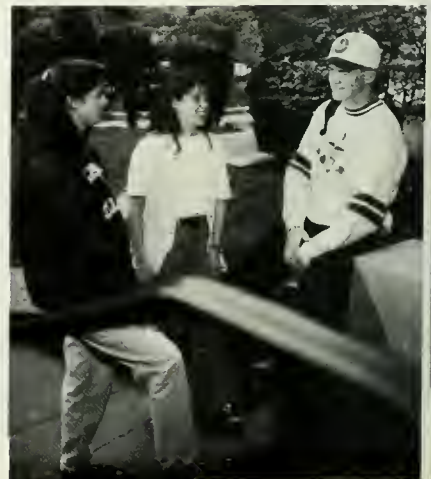
The most magical part of friendship
is that I can be who I am . . .
and you can be who you are . . . totally.
Together we can laugh
in the midst of a problem . . .
and find hope in the midst of despair.

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but every new dawn brings a
wonderful chance to do what
we can on that day.

As you reach for the goals
you would like to achieve,
may you find all the strength
you will need- to meet every
challenge, one step at a time till
the day when you proudly succeed!!

-Larry S. Chengges



*The Alumni Association
of
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Congratulates the
Class of 1996
and welcomes them
as its newest members.*

Dear Christine,

*Congratulations on your
accomplishments and achievements.
We are very proud of you.
We wish you a happy, healthy
and successful life.
May all your dreams come true.*

*All Our Love,
Mom, Dad,
Louis, and Karen*

Dear Lisa,

*Congratulations! Warmest wishes for a future
filled with love, happiness, success, and good
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Uncle Johnny, Aunt Louise, Tina, & Greg

*May your light shine as bright as those entrusted
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Uncle Charles

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*All our love and best wishes for a bright and
beautiful future!*

*Uncle Tom, Aunt Margaret,
Zachary, & Justine*

Dear Marg,

*Wishing you a long, successful
teaching career. May you have good
health, peace, and happiness always.
May all your dreams come true.*

*"Don't wait for your ship to
come in — row out and meet it!"*

*Love,
Dad, Mom, Ed,
Eileen, Dawn, & Linda*

**DEAREST ANN-MARIE,
YOU CONTINUE TO FILL
OUR HEARTS WITH PRIDE!
YOUR HARD WORK HAS
PAID OFF.
WE WISH YOU NOTHING
BUT JOY IN THE FUTURE
BECAUSE NO ONE
DESERVES IT MORE.**

**ALL OUR LOVE,
MOM, DAD, AND JOHN**

**P.S. GOOD LUCK TO ALL THE
WONDERFUL FRIENDS
YOU HAVE MADE AT ST.
JOSEPH'S!**

Dear Lisa,

Although the road has been long and your life has not been easy, "Graduation Day" will soon be here. In your journey, you have climbed many mountains and crossed many seas. During the course of this anticipation, you have grown into a very loving and caring young woman. The "special" children you have been working with for so many years have helped you become who you are today. Their love and courage have given you the will to follow your dreams. We are all very proud of you and all your accomplishments. Thank you for always being there for us. May God bless and guide you and all your "special" children. Congratulations!

Love always,
Mom, Grandma, Theresa, & Bobby



CONGRATULATIONS

Dear Ro!

Words cannot express how very proud we are of the person that you are, and the person that we know you will become. We are especially proud of the endless love, devotion, and energy you have for your "Special Children."

"Nothing is so clear in this world as the glory in the special child. It shines in its hard times with words — they are songs if you listen carefully. And in her troubled walk — there is a dance if you pay attention. The special child, whether or not she came into the world in agony or had that agony imposed on her by the world — that child is a blessing. It is our work to celebrate her being on this earth, to celebrate her life, her spirit, her right to grow, to be who she is. No matter how difficult that being in the world might be, the special child has a share in this world and this world must have a share in her. The special child and those who are her guardians must learn how to give life to each other, a life filled with peace, joy, and above all — love."

You are truly a guardian to the special children, because you are and do all of this and more. You give more than you receive, and love with all of your heart. The world is truly a better place because of you. You are the sunshine of our lives and to the many lives you have touched throughout your 21 years.

We love you and will always be there for you.

Love, Success, and Happiness,
Mom, Aunt Mama, and Uncle Sal



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AND
BEST WISHES

MAY ALL YOUR
DREAMS BE FULFILLED.
GOD BLESS YOU, ROSE ANNE
LOVE,
MOM & DAD

Dear Danielle,

Today, June 7, marks the end of a four year voyage of a wonderful education. We all know you have greatly succeeded in your accomplishments and we also know your future will continue to shine.

So on this day, your graduation from St. Joseph's College, we wrote this little note to let you know how much you are loved.

Congratulations!
Mom, Dad,
Grandma, Grandpa,
John, Chris, Joey,
Michael, and Maximilian

DEAR CHRISTINE AND MATT,
WE ARE ALL VERY PROUD OF
YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS
AND PERSEVERANCE. MAY THE
FUTURE HOLD FOR YOU
EVERYTHING THAT YOU SO
RIGHTLY DESERVE!!!

LOVE, MOM, DAD,
JANINE, ED, EDDIE,
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AND JENNIFER

PAUL SEAN DILLON
"CONGRATULATIONS!"

WE ARE ALL VERY PROUD OF
YOU AND WISH YOU THE BEST
IN THE YEARS TO COME.

LOVE, MOM, DAD, BRENDAN,
PATRICK, NANA, AUNT LINDA,
DIANA, AUNT TERESA,
& ANGELA

Dear Christine:

Another major stepping stone in your life will soon be undertaken and we will always be there for you to help you over any hurdles life may throw in your path. Our love and prayers are with you as you graduate from college and we know the career you have chosen is the right one. We wish you the very best of everything and hope all your dreams come true.

Love,

Mom, Dad, Mary Beth and Jimmy



For all you've been,
For all you are,
For all you're yet to be,
We love you very much.
Congratulations, Nicole . . .

Love,

Mom, Dad, and Chris

Dearest Daughter Tammy,

You are my bright and shining star, and I am so very proud of you. I love you very much. I know you will shine forever because you are the Best Daughter any mother could ever want in life. I am very proud to say you are mine. Hold your head up high because you have made me, Pop Pop, Nana, Uncle Timmy, Uncle Billy, Aunt Irene, Aunt Patty, and the rest of the family very proud of you.

Love Always & Forever,
Mom, Dad, & Brian

Congratulations

to my daughter

Joy Levine

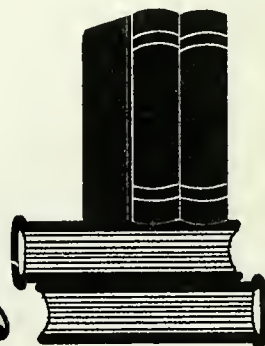
You make me very proud to be your father, and may all your dreams come true.

I love you!

Always and Forever,
Dad



ANNIE,
Congratulations!
We are so proud of you. We
love you.
May God bless you today,
tomorrow and always.
With all our love,
Mom, Dad & Robert



Dear Nora,

Thank you for making our dream come true. You have exceeded our expectation. We love you very much. May God bless you always.

**Your Parents
and Brother,
Pedro, Luisa, and
Julio Alvarado**

Congratulations

To

Valerie Isabelle
Prasquer

And The
Graduating Class Of
June 1996

June 7,

1996

CONGRATULATIONS MARY POWELL
and
CLASS OF 1996

We love you Mary and we're
very proud of you.
May God be with you always.

Mom, Dad,
John, Helaine,
&
Philip

***TO THE STAFF OF
FOOTPRINTS '96:***

GOOD WORK!

***THANKS FOR ALL OF
THE LONG HOURS,
CHINESE FOOD,
AND...FRIENDSHIP.***

Robert Wood

It is with great
pride that I congratulate
you on your college
graduation.

Best of luck always.

All my love,

Grandpa

Robert Wood

Congratulations

on your graduation!

All our best wishes

for your future success

and happiness . . .

Love always,

Tommy & Maggie

Dear Robert Wood,

You're one in a million.

We are very lucky parents

to have you for a son.

Love

Forever & Always,

Mom & Dad

Dear Rob,

I am so proud of you. I

never doubted your success. I

love you with all my heart.

Love You Always,

Maria

**Congratulations to the
graduating members of
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**Robert Brady
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Julie Donnarumma
Margaret Hall
Jennifer McNeela
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**Thank you for your support and
Best of Luck in the future!**



FOOTPRINTS

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonging to him, and the other to 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 very lowest and saddest times in his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me."

The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

With God's help we will walk proudly in your footsteps.

Congratulations to the
Class of 1996!

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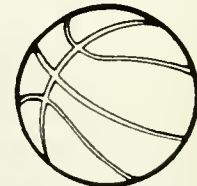
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"A LEADER BY EXAMPLE"

THE MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM

CONGRATULATES

ITS GRADUATING SENIORS:



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*To the Graduating Seniors
of the Admissions Club:*

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Lisa Romano
Chris Regina
Julie Donnarumma
Bobby Brady
Christine LeBlanc
Freddy Ortiz
Vierge Dieujuste
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*Congratulations and thanks for all
of your help. We couldn't have
done it without you!*

Campus Ministry wishes the
Class of 1996
a successful future and
may all your dreams
become a reality.

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Child Study Club congratulates
the Class of 1996
on a job well done.
Best of Luck in your
future endeavors.

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Special Thanks to
Lisa & Ro!
for a great year!



*"The splendid achievements of the intellect,
like the soul, are everlasting." - Sallust*

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THE BEST OF EVERYTHING

FOR THE FUTURE

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*"It is one of the most beautiful compensations of this life
that no man can sincerely try to help another without
helping himself."
--Emerson*

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YOU HAVE GIVEN TO STUDENT LIFE
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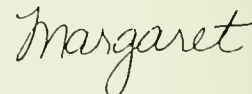
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<p>My Niece — Tammy Warner You are the poem I dreamed of writing, the masterpiece I longed to paint; You are the shining star I reached for in my ever-hopeful quest for life fulfilled; You are my niece . . . Now with all things, I am blessed.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love Always, Uncle Tim</p>	<p>Dear Christine, Congratulations on all your achievements and on your graduation from St. Joseph's. I wish you the very best of everything and know you will be successful in all that you do. I love you with all my heart.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Jimmy</p>
<p>To my fiancée Carmelisha, You have worked so hard for this moment. I'm very proud of you and wish for nothing but the best in your future.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love you, George</p>	<p>To the Class of 1996: "We do not remember days, we remember moments." —Cesare Pavese</p>
<p>To Kris, It has been a delight to watch you develop in these last four years. You have worked very hard at achieving your goal and deserve the very best. We are so pleased that you are part of our family.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, "The Vallaro's"</p>	<p>Joey, You are a mother's dream. Words could not explain the joy you bring to my life. Your ambi- tious dreams, dedication, and all of your accom- plishments have made me proud of you and the luckiest mother ever. I love you for being a "perfect son."</p>
<p>Ro!, Lisa, Margaret, Vierge, Christine, Marie, Carmelisha, Julie, Mirella, & Tai: What a great experience this has been! Thanks for the joy, the agony, and most of all, the HILARITY.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sherrie</p>	<p>Dear Rosemarie, Ann-Marie, and Debbie, Congratulations! Wishing you a future filled with love, success, and happiness!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Marie Romano & family</p>
<p>To my dear daughter Mirella, Congratulations! You have worked very hard to reach this point and I'm very proud of you. You are wonderful with children and I know you will be an excellent teacher! May all your dreams come true!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love always, Mom</p>	<p>Dear Class of 1996, Compose the symphonies of your lives wisely — you shall make an indelible mark upon this world. The Chorus would like to wish you all the best of luck in your endeavors.</p>
<p>Keefe, You will be a wonderful teacher. We are very proud of you.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Linda & Roger</p>	<p>To Ana, We're proud of your new success. Congrats!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love you, Jackle & Leslie</p>
<p>Dear Julie & Mirella, Congratulations! Love and Friendship Always, Anne</p>	<p>Dear Freddy, Butterfly kisses for my favorite graduate.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Erica</p>
<p>Ro!, Shouldn't you be smiling? SVA</p>	<p>To Julie, Congratulations! Wishing you the best of luck in the future.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Frank</p>

<p>Dear Lisa,</p> <p>"When you wish upon a star, Makes no difference who you are, Anything your heart desires Will come to you . . . " — Jim Crickett</p> <p>May all your heart's desires come true. Love, The Occhipinti Family</p>	<p>Dear Ro!</p> <p>"When there's a smile in your heart, There's no better time to start Think of all the joy you'll find When you leave the world behind And bid your cares good-bye You Can Fly, You Can Fly, You <u>Will</u> Fly!" —Peter Pan</p> <p>Love, Aunt Joanie, Uncle George, Georgie, Deb, & Laura</p>
<p>Freddy, Lisa, Noreen & Ro Christine and Julie (Senior Reps), Senior Senators: Thank you for participating in student government. You have made life at SJC better for all of us!</p>	<p>Dear Christine,</p> <p>Blo majors find their calling one time or another. Don't worry, you shall prosper and be happy.</p> <p>God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr.</p>
<p>To our dear son Keefe,</p> <p>You have made us so proud, not only because of this wonderful academic achievement, but because of the fine young man that you are. Your exceptional character and values will make you a success in all that you do.</p> <p>Love, Mom & Dad</p>	<p>Dearest Mirella,</p> <p>I am very proud of you! I know you will succeed in being the best teacher possible. I LOVE YOU with all my heart and I can't wait to start our life together.</p> <p>Your Pooh, Frank</p>
<p>Matt & Christine Z.,</p> <p>Great job and good luck to you both.</p> <p>Love, Ed, Janine, & Eddie</p>	<p>Dear Julie,</p> <p>"A dream is a wish your heart makes . . ." — Snow White</p> <p>May your heart be filled with countless dreams for the future, and may all of them come true.</p> <p>Love, The Occhipinti Family</p>
<p>Steve, Josè, & Freddy,</p> <p>QYE Forever! Pledging was Great! May your lives be filled with success and happiness.</p> <p>God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr., "General"</p>	<p>Dear Sherrie,</p> <p>Pizza, late nights, deadlines?, lost copy pages, fights about a ride home . . . Thank you for this, and so much more!</p> <p>Love, The Yearbook Staff</p>
<p>Dear Sister Mary Maier,</p> <p>Thank you for your time, effort, and never ending enthusi- asm. You are one in a million!</p> <p>Love, The Science Club</p>	<p>Carmelisha,</p> <p>May your life be fruitful and happy. It has been great knowing you this short, but eventful year.</p> <p>God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr.</p>
<p>Kristine, We are very proud of your accomplishments. We know whoever you teach will be very lucky. Always stay the unique Individual you are. We Love You!</p> <p>Mom & Dad</p>	<p>"To know someone here or there with whom you feel there is understanding in spite of differences or thoughts expressed — that can make of this earth a garden." — von Goethe</p>

<p>Kristine & Keefe,</p> <p>You are both a special part of our lives. Best wishes on your graduation and in your teaching careers.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Lisa and Robert</p>	<p>Margaret,</p> <p>I hope that you will be as happy as life can make you. May you "live long and prosper."</p> <p style="text-align: center;">God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr.</p>
<p>Ro!,</p> <p>I shall never, ever forget you. You have been nothing but nice to me (even when you weren't happy). You've helped me since day one and I am forever in your debt. "Live long and prosper."</p> <p style="text-align: center;">God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr.</p>	<p>Dear Freddy,</p> <p>"Friends are the stars in your happy memories. In your sad memories, they are the shoulders you leaned on and the hearts that listened."</p> <p style="text-align: right;">—Marie Elena Najera</p>
<p>Thanks for new friends, thanks for great friends. A happy four years in a wonderful school. Let's go for seventy more happy years.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">—Tara Jensen</p>	<p>Lisa,</p> <p>I'll never forget you. The legacy shall live forever. Good Luck and "live long and prosper."</p> <p style="text-align: center;">God Bless, Tai M. Lee, Jr.</p>
<p>To Julie,</p> <p>Congratulations! You did it! I wish you the best for the future.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Love, Tilde Treglia</p>	<p>Rosie, Congrats!</p> <p>I'm so happy, "I know you too!"</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The Shoe</p>
<p>Beatrice,</p> <p>Congratulations! May all your dreams come true, and may I always be a part of them. I'll love you forever, and like you for always . . .</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Melissa</p>	<p>To Our Beautiful Daughter Gina Leigh,</p> <p>Through your strength, determination and hard work you have achieved your ultimate goal. You have made us very proud and it is our hope that you will continue to be the best that you can be.</p> <p>With all our love always,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mom and Dad</p>

To the Friends, Families, Businesses, and the Graduates of 1996,
 Thank you for all your support! Congratulations to my fellow classmates. Good Luck in all your future endeavors!
 I would especially like to thank the yearbook staff for their help and a job well done — I'll miss those late nights the most!

Sincerely,


Business Editor
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Cursed Pages!

Late, Late Nights!



Deadlines!



Lost Pictures!

Yearbook Staff At Work



Pizza!



Trips to the Men's Room!



To my fellow graduates,

Friendship. The meaning of this word will be different for each one of you reading this message. However, it is my hope that this yearbook will enable you to reflect upon your friends at St. Joseph's. These were the people who listened to your everyday complaints about professors, papers and examinations. These are also the people who listened to your hopes, dreams and aspirations. Whoever these friends may be, they have each played a significant role in your life.

In a world as confusing as ours, we must all remember that we cannot do it alone. We will always need someone to be there to comfort us, encourage us and support us. May you all continue to find true friendship in your lives!

To my friends,

Thank you for always being there to show me the meaning of "true friendship"!

To the faculty, staff and administration,

You have made our experiences at St. Joseph's so special. It is rare to find such a group of caring and supportive individuals. On behalf of the graduating class, I am extending my sincere thanks for all of the extra time and effort that you have put into our education.

To Sherrie,

Speaking as someone who has spent most of her life in Room 101, I am not sure that I know where to begin. Throughout the past four years, your "love, support and encouragement" has always been evident. Thank you for everything - including putting up with the Yearbook staff, and especially, for putting up with me!

To the Yearbook Staff,

Through working on this yearbook, we have learned what a "pica" is, how to crop pictures, how to type copy pages, how to put together a history section, and most of all, how to get along and have a good time. I enjoyed working with all of you. We should all be proud of our accomplishment!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ro!".

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