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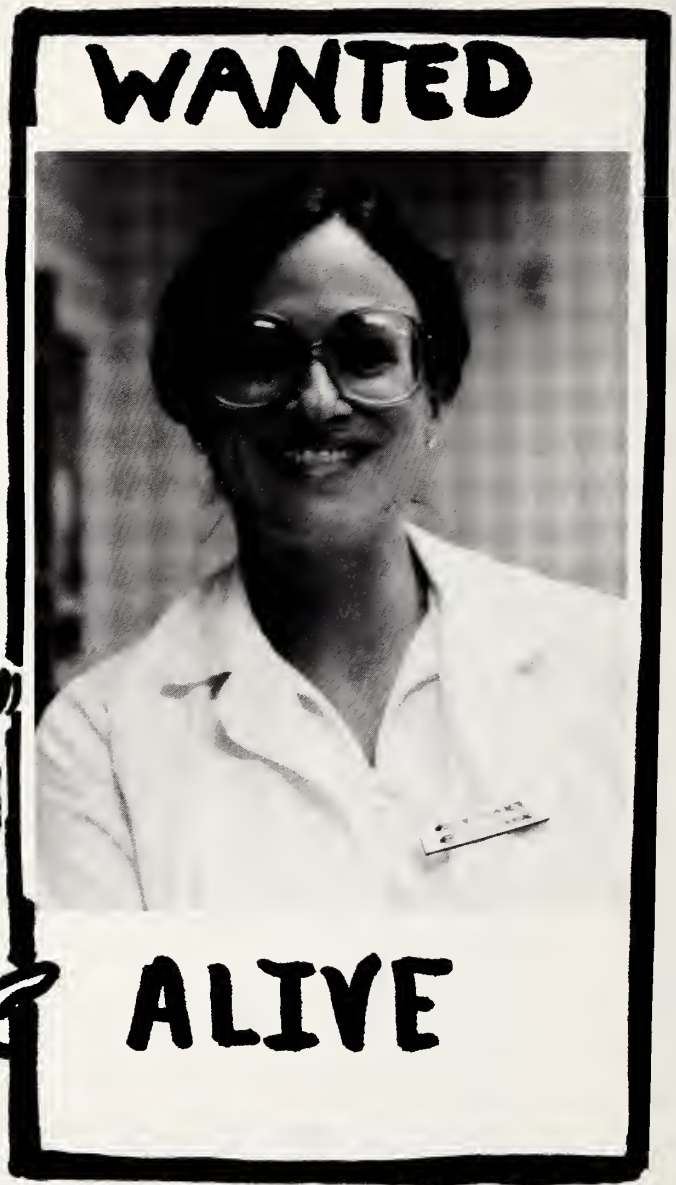
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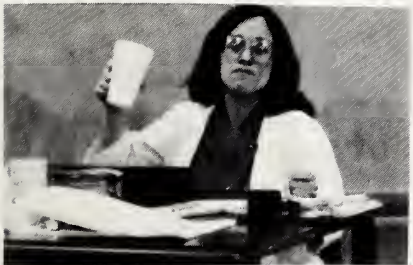
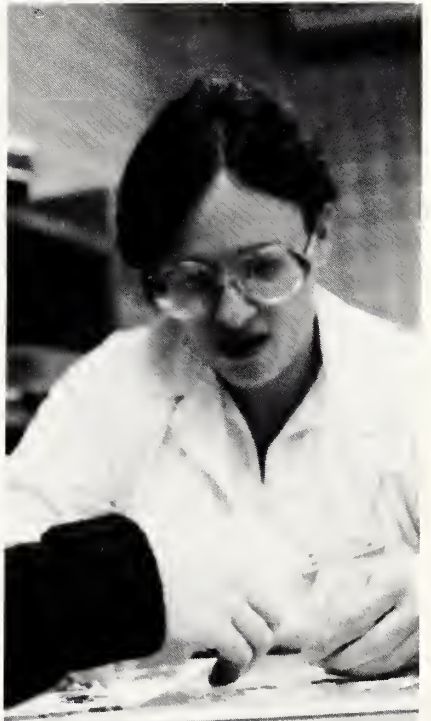


Mercilite 1985  
Mercy School of Nursing  
1921 Vail Avenue  
Charlotte, N.C. 28207





A WEEK OF BIRTHDAYS  
 Monday's child is fair of face,  
 Tuesday's child is full of grace,  
 Wednesday's child is full of  
 woe,  
 Thursday's child has far to go,  
 Friday's child is loving and giv-  
 ing,  
 Saturday's child works hard for  
 its living.



But the child that's born on the  
 Sabbath day  
 Is bonny and blithe, and good  
 and gay.

— copied —





Guess what, Mom?  
No cavities!



Psycho I and Psycho II



Who rang the doorbell?



Have you got your study hall  
hours in?



Let's watch it and see what happens.



Name tag and all!



Let me tell you what happened  
at Charlotte Memorial!



The Tweed Shop has a sale.



What Now?



# THE BOUNTY HUNTERS

"Administrators and Faculty"





Lynn Jolly, RN, BSN, MEd,  
Director, School of Nursing



Linda Opdyke, BSN, MSN,  
Assistant Director, School of  
Nursing



Juanita Moore, RN, BSN, MEd



Dorothy Schwobel, RN, BS,  
MSN



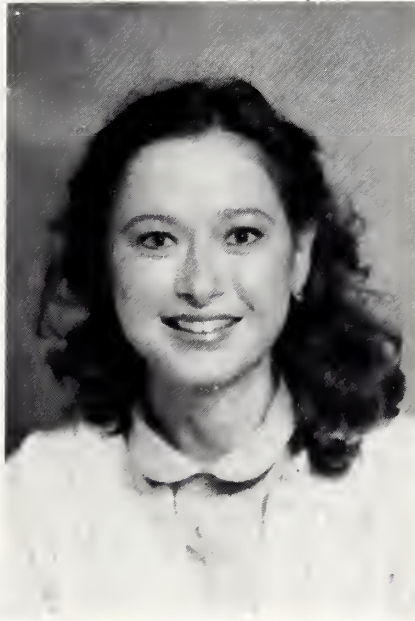
Mary Mangrum, RN, BA



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Ann Scofield, BSN



Pam Rudisill, RN, BSN, MEd,  
CCRN



Susie Elkins, RN, BSN, CCRN



Pat Thompson, RN, BSN,  
MEd, CCRN



Barbara Holliday, RN, BSN



Lee Mebane, RN



Gale Freeman, Sec.



Karen Keating, Registrar and Recruitor



Dee Spake, Librarian



Julia Morrow, Assist. Lib.



Bettie Braden  
Housemother



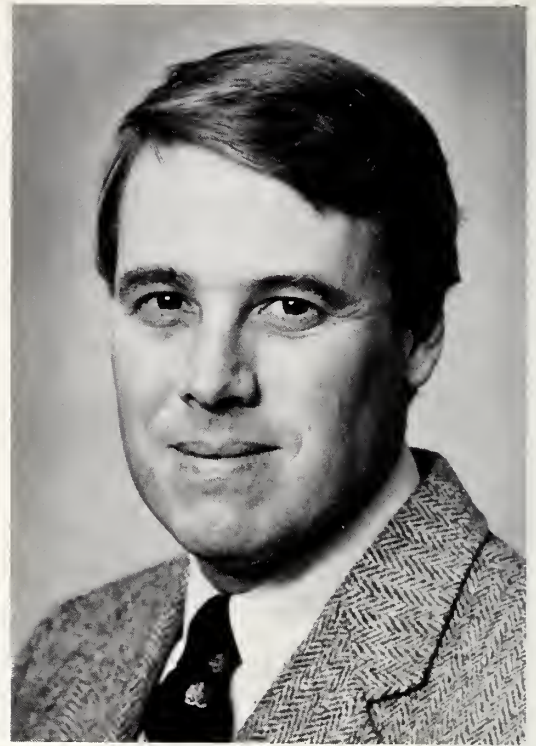
Nina McCurry  
Housemother



Sylbia Moser  
Housemother



Sister Mary Jerome Spradley, President



V. Gregg Watters III, Executive Vice President



Steve White, Assistant Administrator/Director of Nursing



Father McGarry, Hospital Chaplain



Sister Vincent  
"Visiting Sisters of Mercy"



Chester  
"The Fox"



Sister Evangelist  
"Visiting Sisters of Mercy"





THE  
BIG  
VALLEY



Mercy Hospital, Inc.

# Fundamentals of Nursing



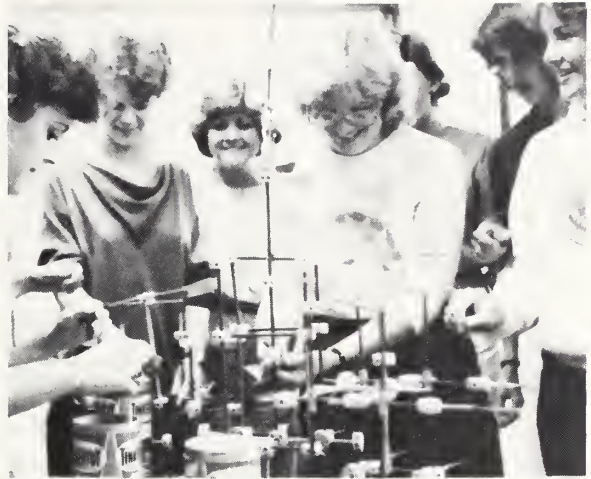
# Med-Surg Nursing



# Psychiatric Nursing



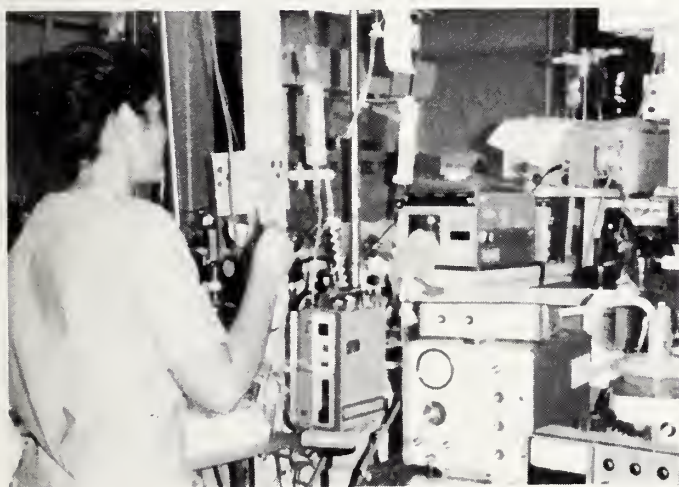
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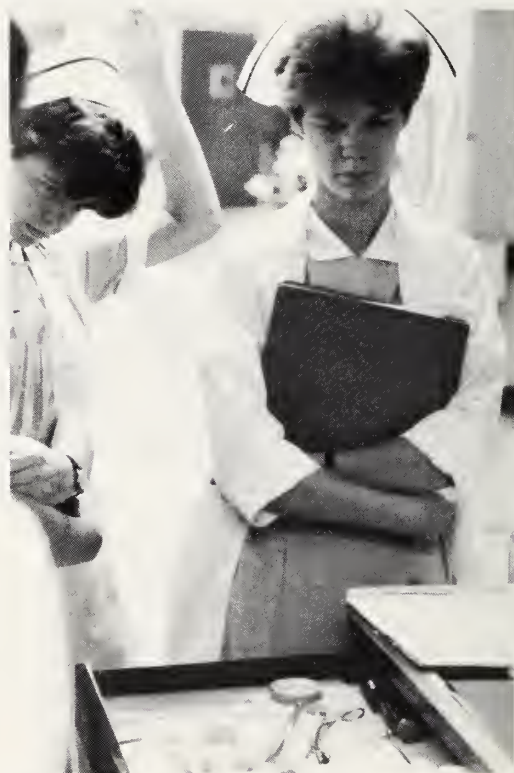
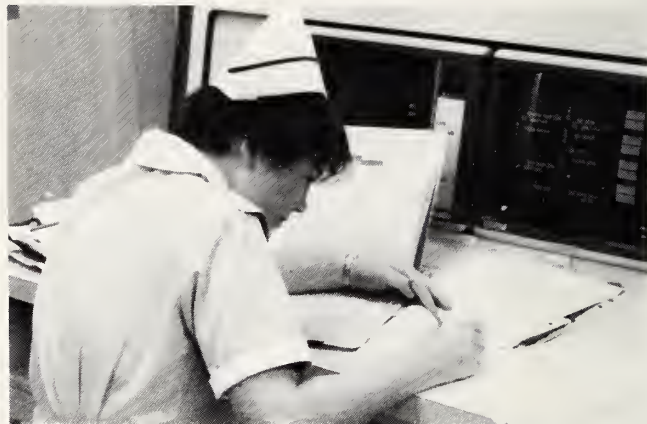
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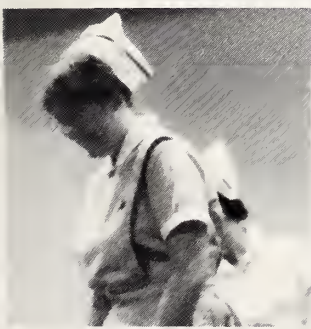
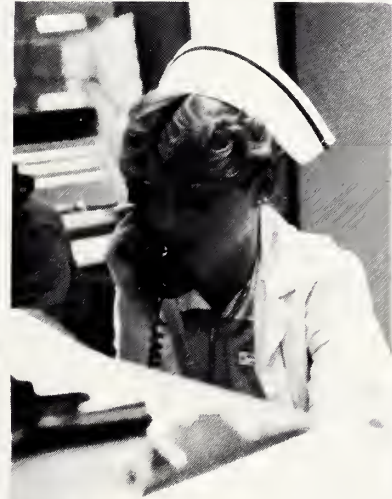
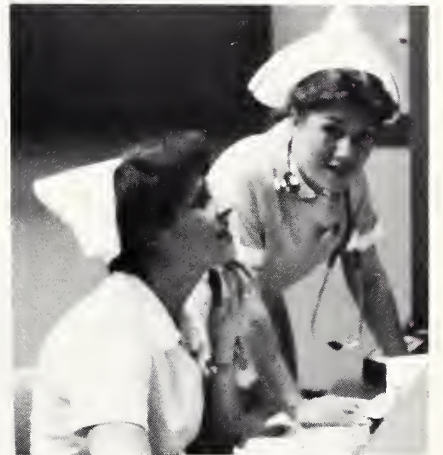
# Pediatric Nursing



# Critical Care









TRIBES OF MERCY





### SGA Officers

Teresa Alley  
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 Kathleen Collins  
 Sam Clemmer

### Executive Committee

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 Tina Mantooh  
 Teresa Smith  
 Kathleen Collins  
 Debra Dawson  
 Amy Adams  
 Tammy O'Kelly  
 Sam Clemmer  
 Teresa Alley



### Student Regulations Committee

Dotty Schwobel  
 Susie Elkins  
 Barbara Holliday, CH.  
 Teresa Alley  
 Sam Clemmer



**Student Regulation Comm.**

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 Melanie Fry  
 Amy Gantzer  
 Jeannine McBride  
 Mashal Fleming  
 Karen Powers  
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 Sylbia Moser  
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 Barbara Holliday

**Santa Filomena Honor Soc.**

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 Teresa Alley  
 Donna Hall  
 Kathleen Collins



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Jeannine McBride, St. Rep.

### **Adm. and Promotion Comm.**

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Barbara Holliday  
Mary Mangrum  
Dotty Schwobel  
Karan Keating



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Sherry Arnold  
Carin Gruebel  
Lisa Mundt  
Deborah Dawson



### **Social Club**

Tina Mantooth  
Kelly Rhead  
Tammy O'Kelly  
Amy Adams  
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Clara Crews  
Teresa Alley  
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Sam Clemmer

### **Student Outreach Comm.**

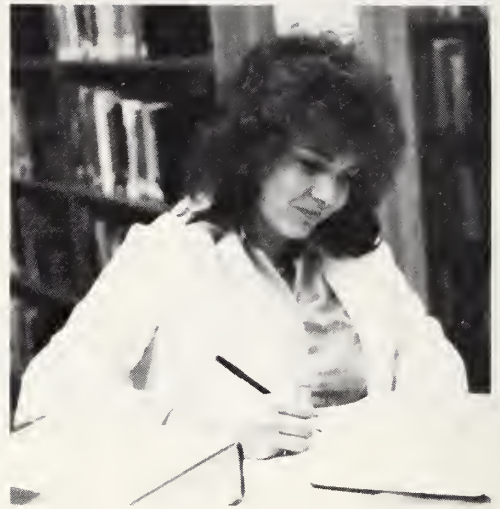
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Dotty Schwobel, Ad.



### **Red Cross Volunteers**

Kelly Rhead, Rep.







# THE GAMBLERS

"Freshmen"



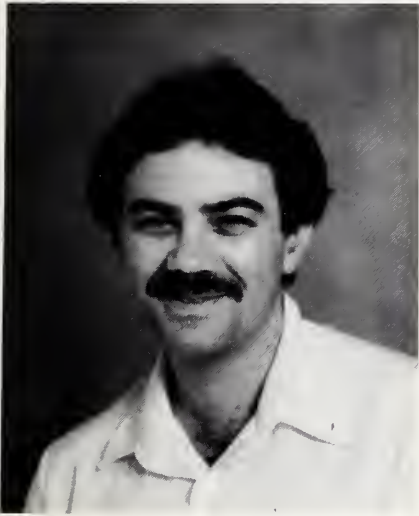
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Molly Greene





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Kimberly Hipp

Angie Kuhs  
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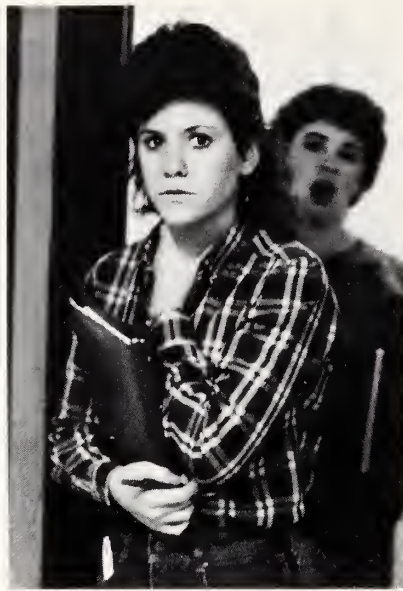


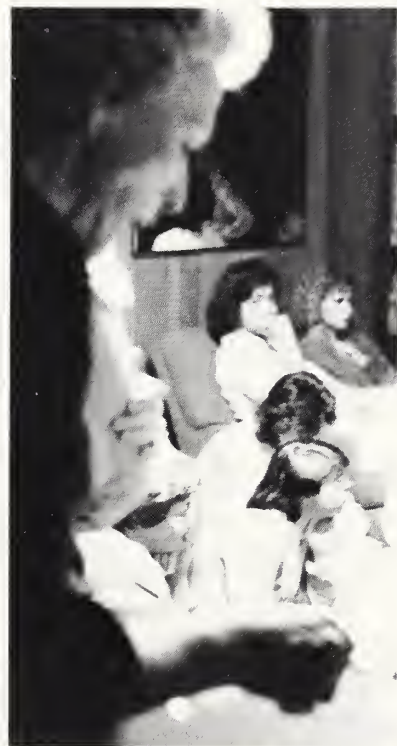
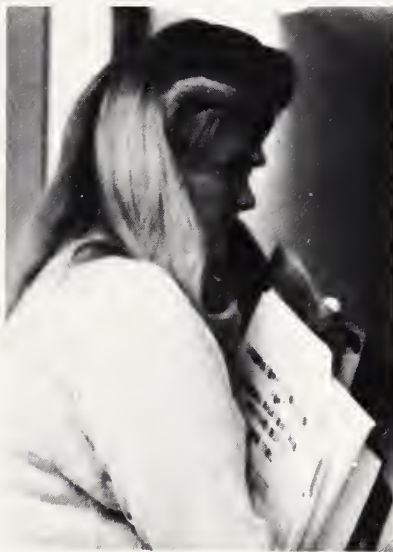
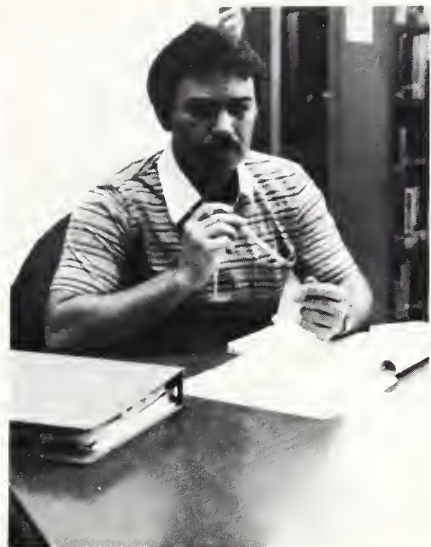
Theresa Smith  
Rena Stinnett

Lisa Thomas  
Maureen Tibbitts



Donna Worick  
Marcia Zielinski









# THE OUTLAWS

"Juniors"





Amy Adams



Pam Bard



Tammy Baker



Susan Beardsley



Linda Burnett



Donna Braswell



Selena Calloway



Clara Crews



Donna Crump



Kim Eudy



Sharon Edwards



Regina Ficzk



Mary Ann Frazier



Cheryl Francis



Michelle Funderburk



Teresa Gilfoyle



Carin Greuble



C. J. Harris



Jonna Harrelson



Yvette Harwood



Patia Lee



Julie Hassenplug



Trena Lynch



Lisa Mundt



Kristine Noblitt



Donna Pace



Tammy O'Kelly



Lisa Sheets



Sherry Smith

The aim of education  
Is to teach us  
How to think,  
Not what to think.



Robin Spake



Lisa Swindall



If this is Monday? . . .



My diet starts tomorrow



I have versatility



This is too exciting



Onward for another A



To go please



Butt, I like my gown



What, me worry?



Where's Randy?



Pass The Loot



The Devil and I



The Adams' Family?



Mercy, Mercy



Friends, fun and above all—food



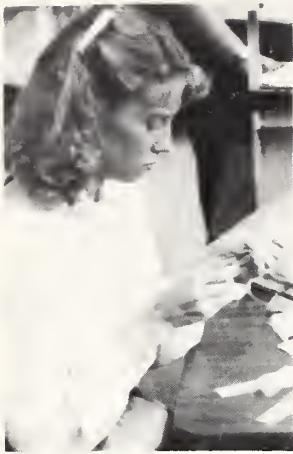
A.M. Care



Roll me into the O.R.



Lithotomy please



Let's shoot up!



They are disgusting!



Yes, I'm 18 today!



I have a bad ride . . .



Seniors at their best



See, I can cook!



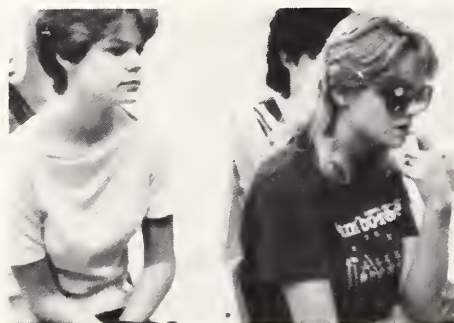
Yes I'm Queen Sheeba



Max, what is this?



Girls want to have fun



How interesting!



Smile Jim!



# THE FINAL DRAW

"Seniors"





Teresa Alley

Is anybody happier because you passed his way?  
Does anyone remember that you spoke to him today?  
Can you say tonight, in parting with the day that's slipping fast,  
That you helped a single brother of the many that you passed?  
Is a single heart rejoicing over what you did or said?  
Does the man whose hopes were fading now with courage look ahead?  
Did you leave a trail of kindness, or a scar of discontent?  
As you close your eyes in slumber, do you think that God will say,  
"You have earned one more tomorrow by the work you did today?"

Rhonda Baynard

This life is yours  
Take the power  
to choose what you want to do  
and do it well  
Take the power  
to love it honestly  
Take the power  
to walk in the forest  
and be a part of nature  
Take the power  
to control your own life  
No one else can do it for you  
Take the power  
to make your life happy.

—Susan Polis Schutz



The Supreme happiness  
of life  
is the conviction that  
we are loved.  
— Victor Hugo



Sam Clemmer

Kathleen Collins  
Most Studious



So often I sit and think  
about the way things were —  
The fun and friendships,  
the joy we all had  
and the times of just being together . . .  
Of course there were some days,  
times we wondered how we made it.  
But our friendship helped us through.

Now we may be separated,  
but the band is still there.  
Friendship holds us together.

— Joyce Brink



Jennifer Dellinger

My Heart Leaps Up

My heart leaps up when I behold  
A rainbow in the sky;  
So was it when my life began;  
So is it now I am a man;  
So be it when I shall grow old,  
Or let me die!  
The child is father of the man;  
And I could wish my days to be  
Bound each to each by natural piety.

— William Wordsworth

Joyce Flynn

There is nothing better for man than he should  
eat and drink and find enjoyment in his work.  
This also is from the hand of God  
For, apart from Him who can eat or drink or en-  
joy his work.  
For to the man who pleases him, God gives wis-  
dom, and knowledge, and joy.

Ecclesiastes 2:18



A cheerful heart does good like medicine,  
but a broken spirit makes one sick  
We make a living by what we get,  
but we make a life by what we give.  
Even if its a little thing do something for  
those who have need of help;  
Something for which you get no pay  
but the privilege of doing it.  
God will not look you over for medals, degrees,  
or diplomas, but for scars.



Melanie Fry  
Most Congenial

Amy Gantzer



I do not ask to walk smooth paths  
Nor bear an easy load.  
I pray for strength and fortitude  
To climb the rock-strewn road.

Give me such courage I can scale  
The hardest peaks alone,  
And transform every stumbling block  
Into a stepping stone.

Gail Brook Burkett



Lynn Garbrick  
Best All Around

Our home is seldom very clean, The meals are not as good, And we don't take a bath as often as we ordinarily would, The change is overflowing, The ironing's seldom done, And the socks that were neatly in the drawer are practically down to none.

She was a model mother, The house was shiny and bright, She was so even-tempered, And a perfect "guiding light", But all that now is changed, Dust'neath the bed does pool. Where is that wonderful mother? Why mother now goes to school.

She has no time for cleaning, We kids must do our best. We're having eggs for dinner, 'Cause Mom's gonna have a test.

She got a terrible longing, a nurse she wanted to be. So she nagged our Dad for tuition, and the poor guy had to agree. So every night she packs her books, and walks out the door, We'd like to stop her, But we're sticking to the floor.

We take our vitamins and drink our juice, It would be terribly cruel if we got a fever or a cold, Mother couldn't go to school. So if you're in the hospital, And on your back you lie, If you happen to see a student nurse, Tell Mommy we all said "Hi!"

Angie Greene

A Love Poem  
Sometimes it is hard to express my thoughts,  
But he understands my silence.  
Sometimes it is hard to express my sorrow,  
But he understands my tears.  
Sometimes it is hard to express my happiness,  
But he understands my laughter,  
Yet it is always easy to say,  
"I love you,"  
And he understands this, too.

— Cyndi Weyne



Father, I have knowledge, so will You show me now  
 How to use it wisely and find a way somehow  
 To make the world I live in a little better place,  
 And make life with its problems a bit easier to face . . .  
 Grant me faith and courage and put purpose in my days,  
 And show me how to serve Thee in the most effective ways  
 So all my education, my knowledge and my skill,  
 May find their true fulfillment as I learn to do Thy Will . . .  
 And may I ever be aware in everything I do  
 That knowledge comes from learning and  
 wisdom comes from you.

Helen Steiner Rice



Donna Hall

Jackie Harris



The Winds of Fate

One ship drives east and another drives west,  
 With the selfsame winds that blow.  
     'Tis the set of the sails  
     And not the gales  
 Which tells us the way to go.

Like the winds of the sea are the ways of fate,  
 As we voyage along through life:  
     'Tis the set of a soul  
     That decides its goal.  
 And not the calm or the strife.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox



Karen Hunter

How happy is the little stone  
that rambles in the road alone,  
And doesn't care about careers,  
And exigencies never fears;  
Whose coat of elemental brown  
A passing universe put on;  
And independent as the sun,  
Associates or glows alone;  
Fulfilling absolute decree  
In casual simplicity.

Amy Jenkins

Fill your heart with beauty,  
And beauty will come to you.  
Fill your thoughts with love,  
And love surrounds you.  
Seek always Truth  
And it shall be yours.  
For as you believe are all  
Things made manifest unto you.

Joan Walsh Anglund





Thank You

Thank you my dear Husband for your  
love and your concern,  
When you sent me to the bookwork so  
nursing I could learn.

Thank you Mom and Dad for your  
love across the miles,  
Your pride and your teachings were  
with me all the while.

Thanks to all the others who  
helped me on the way,  
To know that nursing was  
the part that I must play.

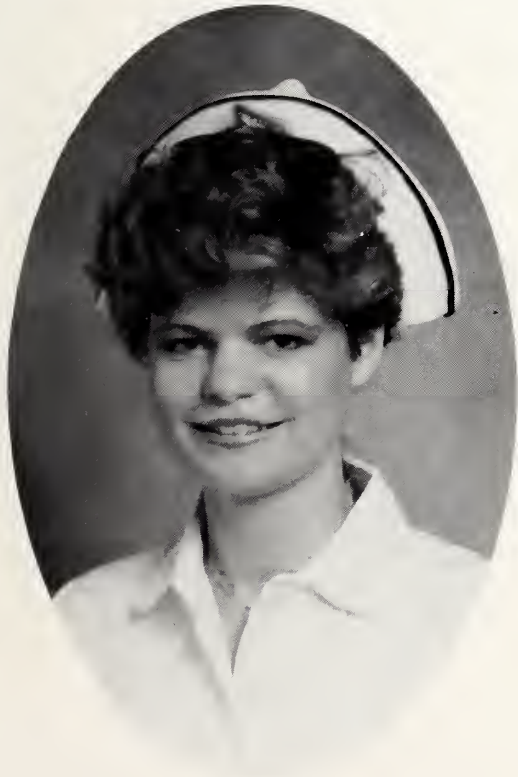
Thank you Lord for these blessings  
of their love, faith and concern  
Without them, this career could not  
be earned.

LBL



Lynn Leezer  
Most Professional

Margaret Lennert



Roses are red,  
Violets are blue,  
I made it through Mercy –  
So can you!

ML



Christine Levan

We cannot know the grief  
That men may borrow;  
We cannot see the souls  
Storm-swept by sorrow;  
But love can shine upon the way  
Today, tomorrow;  
Let us be kind.  
Upon the wheel of pain so many weary  
lives are broken,  
We live in vain who give no tender token.  
Let us be kind.

Tina Mantooth  
Most Likely to Succeed

What lies behind us  
and what lies before us  
are tiny matters  
compared to what lies within us.

—Ralph Waldo Emerson



To my Parents:

You sheltered me from harm  
Kept me warm  
You gave my life to me  
Set me free  
The finest years I ever knew  
Were all the years I had with you . . .  
You taught me how to love  
What it's of  
You never said too much  
But still you showed the way  
And I knew from watching you . . .  
Thanks for all your love and support  
You've always shown.



Jeannine McBride

Karen Powers



I expect to pass through the world but once,  
Any good therefore that I can do,  
Or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature,  
Let me do it now.  
Let me not defer or neglect it,  
For I shall not pass this way again.

Anonymous



Debbie Revels

I learned to laugh I learned to cry  
I missed my family and friends though they  
were nearby  
I've seen the joys of life, and dealt with dying  
too  
I worked hard, but I made it through!  
The friends I have made taught me to love,  
care, and respect  
Your kindness, support and encouragement,  
I'll never forget  
The instructors gave me knowledge, their  
support and kindness were true  
To my friends here at Mercy, Goodbye, I'll  
miss you!  
Thank you Mama, Daddy and Del for your  
love, kindness,  
support and patience through these three  
years . . .

I love you!!!!

Kelly Rhead

Class Clown

So Hard to Leave

Because of the special friends I've made it  
makes it hard to leave  
Because of what Mercy means to me it's  
quite difficult to conceive.  
Though we must all go our separate ways  
Some near, some far away  
The friendships we've made throughout these  
days in our hearts will stay.

KAR



Life is sweet because of the  
friends we have made  
And the things which in common  
we share;  
We want to live on, not because  
of ourselves,  
But because of the ones who  
would care.  
It's living and doing for  
somebody else  
On that all of life's splendor  
depends,  
And the joy of it all, when we  
count it all up,  
Is found in the making of friends.  
— Anonymous



Dawn Watkins

Alice Watson



Laugh a little—sing a little  
As you go your way!  
Work a little—play a little,  
Do this every day!

Give a little—take a little,  
Never mind a frown—  
Make your smile a welcomed thing  
All around the town!

Laugh a little—love a little,  
Skies are always blue!  
Every cloud has silver linings,  
But it's up to you!



Sonja Whitaker

A Nurses Prayer  
When I falter, give me courage.  
When I tire, renew my strength  
When I weaken because I'm human,  
Inspire me on to greater length,  
If doctors and patients become demanding,  
and days are too short for all my duty,  
Help me remember I chose to serve,  
to do so with grace, and spiritual beauty.  
In humility Lord, I labor long hours –  
and though I sometimes may fret;  
My mission is mercy – abide with me,  
that I may never forget.

### SENIOR FAVORITES

Place to Eat: Shoneys  
Hangout: Whispers  
Group: Chicago  
Song: Stuck on You  
Vacation Place: Myrtle Beach  
Flower: Rose  
Animal: Dog  
University: UNC-CH  
Sport: Football  
Place: Home

Food: Pizza  
Movie: Gone With the Wind  
Radio Station: WBCY  
Saying: Don't worry about it!  
Drink: Coke  
Color: Blue  
Star: Tom Selleck  
Season: Fall  
Toothpaste: Crest  
TV Show: Knots Landing



Amy Beth



Jay-Dee



Fanny



M. Sam



Sister



Blinky



Bunny



Keleran



Sissy



Dimples



Non-a-babe



Freckled-face strawberry



Margaret



Nanny



Cotton top



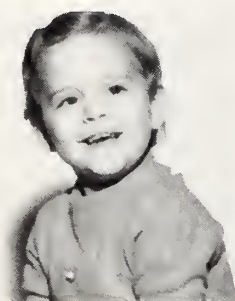
Suzy



Debbie



Jo



Dodo



Angie



Scream



Pumpkin



Muffin



Lynn

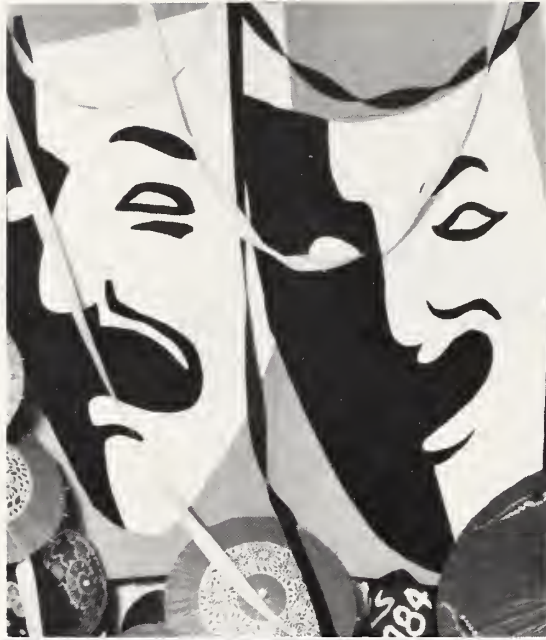


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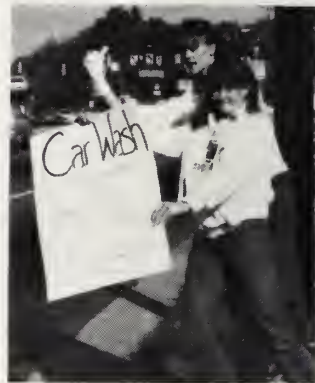
# Welcome to the Mardi Gras . . .

April 28, 1984



# For Sheer Pleasure





# The Feast . . .







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# Reading of the Will

I, Teresa Alley, being of sound mind and body, do hereby leave to Bonnie Robinson the ability to graduate and a China Grove tomato farmer. I leave my positions to whomever is willing to take them. I take with me the memories, both good and bad, but most of all I take my friendships. For without them, I would not be at this point in my life. I'll miss you Mercy!!

I, Rhonda Baynard, being of sound mind and body, leave the good times to anyone who can find the time to enjoy them; my ability to study at the crack of dawn to anyone who so desires too; and my ability to shut an entire floor up with one word to anyone on fourth floor who can make it work.

I, Mary Sam Clemmer, being of caffeinated body and edematous mind, hereby leave my second home—Mercy—to go on to another place of destiny but I leave with all of the good and bad times that makes Mercy-Mercy. To all my friends who graduate with me and who graduate later—Thanks for everything! I Love You!!

I, Kathleen L. Collins, being of listless mind and lethargic body, leave to my dear suitemate, Trena Lynch, our bath; to Mrs. Rudisill, my appreciation for her encouragement, and to all my friends and instructors my gratitude for helping me through this part of my life.

I, Jennifer Dellinger, being of sound mind and body? Declare this my last will and testament. To Jonna and Kim I leave the Pi Kappas; Cheryl F. I leave her bathroom; To Cheryl C. I leave all the trucks to Highway 16; to Maria, I leave the Thursday night amateurs at Panamas; and to Mrs. Elkins, I leave all the rabbit recipes my mother has collected since Easter 1984.

I, Joyce Flynn, being of sound mind and body, leave to Jonna a year's supply of late nights, case study care plans and a rubber pillow she can punch instead of walls. To rising juniors and seniors, I leave a wish of good luck and endurance to make it through the years. To C.J., I leave a years supply of Teddy Bear hugs to get her through long nights with love.

I, Melanie Fry, being of sound mind and body, do hereby leave to Julie, a clean bathroom sink, empty trash can and many thanks for being a great suitemate. House mothers, an empty piano bench for someone else to fill. To all my instructors a Big THANK YOU. To Every one on second floor, I leave 379-5854, pudding, Quick fire exits, Ching, E.R., Foxy electricians, Macaroni and Cheese, weighing scale, the true meaning of Christmas and a Big Thank You for being such a wonderful group of girls to live with.

I, Amy Gantzer, being of totally unsound mind, mangled body and weary soul leave to Mrs. Moore a freshman who cries every quarter; with Tina—to Mrs. Rudisill lots-n-lots of green and yellow m&m's; to Mrs. Elkins another senior who will not let you leave her side in CCU; to 5th floor maybe some freshmen who will stay, to have a great senior year (to Lisa a great Jr. year) and I will miss all of you. A good year to Tammy too!

I, Lynne Garbrick, being totally exhausted do hereby bequeath to Ashley Sabo the great frustrations of being a wife, mother, and student nurse and of the great reward of feeling you accomplished what you set out to do no matter what the obstacle in your pathway. I also want to thank our wonderful faculty for all their support, understanding and patience.

I, Angie Greene being of somewhat sound mind hereby bequeath to Michelle F. the ability to get up early each morning, fight traffic, rain and snow and still make it to school on time. And to anyone who is willing to take on a husband, house and school and enjoy every minute of it. Thanks to Kevin and to my Parents. I love you!

I, Donna Hall, being of exhausted mind and body, I leave my midnight candles that got me through studying to Jenny because she will need them for her years to come, to Patia I leave all my crying and homesick handkerchiefs, to Susan and Selena, I leave Clara, good-luck! To Clara, I leave you an empty 464 and wonderful memories of my senior year in hopes that yours will be as great as mine and a place to stay in Raleigh any time.

I, Jackie Harris, being of overfilled mind and overworked body, leave Mercy with a great big smile but with a few tears. To all the Juniors and Freshmen I wish all the good luck possible and best wishes in the future. I wish to leave my wobbly desk, my unlevel bed and my spotted mirror to whoever is unfortunate enough to get them. To Jonna I leave my stock in the Palamino and my ability to two-step my way into happiness. To all my friends a huge thanks. I couldn't have done it without you. Thanks for everything, Mercy!

I, Karen Hunter, being of sound mind and skinny body do bequeath to Cheryl C. All the enjoyment of the soap operas in the TV room and to anyone who wants it, 6 hours a week library time.

I, Amy Jenkins, being of tired mind and body leave to all a wish of good luck and happiness for your future to come.

I, Lynn Leezer, in usual state of mind will to the future students of Mercy: my shoes to those who wish to walk the endless miles of hallway; my hat and uniform to those who wish to show their pride in Mercy; my hands to those who wish to help patients in their care; my heart to those who wish to really care; my shoulder for those who need one to cry one; my feelings are mine to keep to warm my future days in Illinois where I'll be far away.

I, Margaret Lennert, being of psychotic mind and delapidated body, do hereby bequeath my ability to move 8 times in 4 years, my 13 roommates and N.C. to whoever can live with it. I leave my ability to party, study, and get my work done (not necessarily in that order); to Cheryl F., my thanks and love to my family and friends who gave me support and finally my waterfall friend you'd better come!!!

I, Christine LeVan, being of sound mind and body leave all my care plans to Cheryl C., my stuffed animal collection to Deborah D. and Marianne F., and lots of good wishes to the class of 1986.

I, Tina Mantooth, being of atrophic mind and malnourished body leave to Amy A. the mind-boggling position of editor for the yearbook. To C.J., shouts across the hall, long nights studying, term papers, and a dirty popcorn popper. To the classes of 86 and 87, GOOD LUCK!! I hope your years here are as hard but rewarding as mine have been.

I, Jeannine McBride being of battered mind and body due hereby leave to the mothers of Charlotte their children. May the only time I have to babysit again is when I have children of my own.

I, Karen Powers, being of unsound mind and top heavy body do hereby bequeath to Kim M, Maria S., Kim H. the ability to party Tuesday, thru Saturday and still pass MSN. To Cheryl F., what a great suitemate and friend, one clean bathroom in which I did **not** help and have a high ol' time the rest of your life. To Sonja W. my Palomino pal—good luck and keep on two-steppin! To Mel F. —let's go get a make over at M.N. To Amy A. turn down your own devil music. To Lisa M. a big hug. To second floor it's been real! To Margaret L. never mind I'll see you in the big C. To Christine L. don't ever let Jamie go, I love him too! To Mrs. P. Rudisill—never get your ears triple pierced. To Mercy School of Nsg—GOOD-BYE!

I, Debbie Revels, being of frazzled mind & worn out body do hereby bequeath to Donna Worrick my room, careplans and other assorted paraphenalia along with alot of good memories and love to help her thru the next 2 years. I leave to the rest of the upcoming juniors and seniors the courage and determination to make it through the long, hard days ahead. To all of the faculty I leave my Thanks and appreciation for helping me through these hard times, but especially to Mrs. Rudisill thank you for your encouragement, patience and confidence in me it was a tremendous inspiration to me and I will always be grateful to you!

I, Kelly Rhead, being of sound mind and sad body leave Mercy with many, many great memories. In the years that I've been here I have learned that the things you want most in life aren't handed to you—but come with lots of effort and determination. To C.J. I leave best wishes, fun times, and the ability to mess up a sweatshirt order. Thank you to my parents for all the support they have given me—I love yall! Thanks also to the instructors for being so helpful and supportive—you're the best!!!

I, Dawn Watkins, being of geriatric mind and pediatric body, will my room to Jenny M. (if she can dig it out of all the dust). To Dana A., I will my side of the sink to put her dishes (dirty or clean!) To all present and future nursing student, I will all the luck and good wishes given to me. But most of all, I will all the love, support and friendship shown to me by the class of 1985!

I, Alice Watson, leave to Tammy O'Kelly my ability to find and read all the good romance novels and the ability to get up at six 45. To Donna B. and Sherry S., I leave my ability to play spades the night before a test and get a "B". I leave to Tammy O. Wednesday night to watch Dynasty. I leave to Becky my ability to collect all the cute stuffed animals. To Theresa I leave my ability to keep a full schedule and keep it straight as to what time to be where.

I, Sonja Whitaker, being of country mind and petite body bequeath the following: To all the rising juniors and seniors, I wish them luck and good fortune in their nursing careers. To Bonnie R., I leave my ability to go out every Wednesday night to the Palamino Club and still pass the test the next day. To all the graduating Seniors, Good Luck!

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Buck, Christine and the whole clan. We  
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From your Mother and sisters  
Daddy would be proud!  
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Congratulations on your graduation from Mercy!  
You are a loving daughter who is near and dear to  
our hearts. We are very proud of your years of ac-  
complishment. May you have many years of success  
in your new career. We love you!

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Dear Chris:

Congratulations, Honey . . . GO FOR IT!

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is only with the heart that one can see rightly; what  
is essential is invisible to the eye." (Antoine De Saint-  
Exupery)

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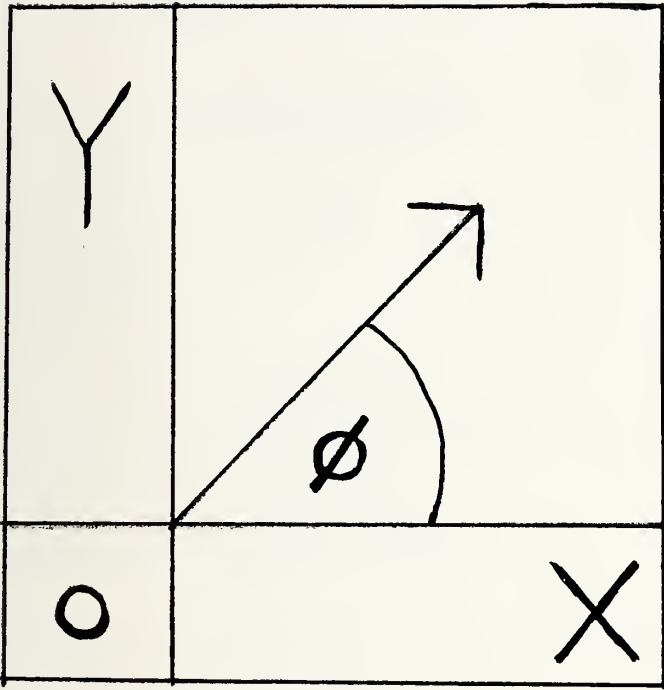
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then has grown each year. You have proven your-  
self trustworthy, dependable and mature enough to  
try your own wings, but I will be "on call"  
throughout my life.

Congratulations! All my love, Mama

To Tina Mantooth

For life is the mirror of king and slave,  
'Tis just what you are and do;  
Then give to the world the best you have,  
And the best will come back to you.  
Madeline Bridge

Congratulations & all our love **always**.  
Mom & Dad

To Dawn:

Congratulations!!!

May the Lord Bless you, enrich you and fill your  
desires of your heart, for as long as you will live. I  
am so proud that you grew to be the kind of lov-  
ing daughter that you are.

Love Always,  
Mom

Our Dear Margaret Ann,

Remember always to keep your face to the  
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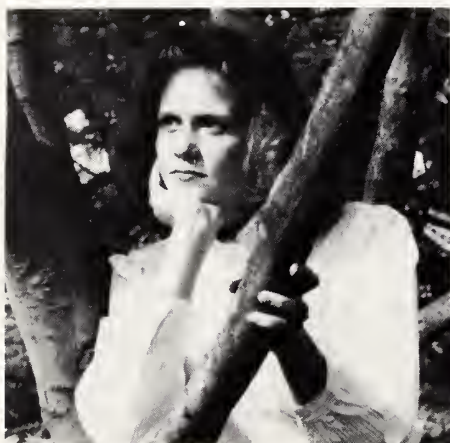
# The Settlers



Amy Adams, Trina Lynch, Susie Elkins, Kelly Rhead, Amy Gantzer, Molly Greene, Maureen Tibbitts, Teresa Alley

## EDITOR'S NOTE

- M—Many long nights!
- E—Elkins—Thanks for everything
- R—Rolls & Rolls of film!!
- C—Challenge of a lifetime!
- I—Indigestion\*\*\*\*
- L—Long lasting memories
- I—I will miss everyone!
- T—Total commitment?
- E—Everyone together at last!!



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