The question for the Yearbook Staff this year was not what to put in the Valley Green, but what not to put in. There were so many pictures, so many memorable moments, so many images to choose from, and it was very difficult to select those that would be used. This year we tried to include as many students as possible so that our book would appeal to the variety of students who walk these halls. We believe that the hard work of the editors and the rest of the yearbook staff has paid off, and that this book will bring back fond memories to a great many students who have passed through the doors of Passaic Valley.

Sincerely,
The Valley Green Editors and Staff

The Valley Green Staff

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The 1997 Valley Green Editors: (From left to right), Jennifer Shields, Sara Bitar, Robert Bird, Melissa Rosolen, and Melinda Shabka
Years from now, when the students of today look back on their days at Passaic Valley High School, they will remember the special times pictured in the Valley Green. From the excitement of sporting events, the pageantry of the theatre productions, to the daily grind of academic life, the Valley Green will serve to remind our alumni of the memories of the 1996-97 school year.

Taking Pride: The Girls' Cross Country Team takes a moment to advertise their 1996 undefeated season.

"To Thine Own Self Be True" is just one of the many literary words-of-wisdom displayed daily in Mrs. Garofalo's English classes.

At Passaic Valley, education is often extended beyond classroom learning. Students participate in many first hand experiences, such as the band marching in a parade at Universal Studios, Florida during spring break.
1991 LITTLE FALLS SCHOOL #1  1992
HELENE REED - GRADE 7-2

ROW 3: ALLISON NITCH, JAMIE GEORGE, ANNIE MARIE MIRAGLIA, RACHEL BIGelow, KEVIN FLOOD, BRIAN ROTH, DAVID SAoud, ERIC PHILIP

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ROW 1: JONELLE MONTGOMERY, COURTNEY BARCELONA, HOLLY BOLENS, SERPIL GAZXO, SHANE BARRECA, JASON TIMMS, BILLY GEMZA

Who is that beautiful baby? Senior, Danielle Carnazza has come a long way. (More pictures on page 34)
This yearbook is dedicated to the memory of Pat Couso, friend and co-worker. Pat was a graduate of PV and the Accounts Payable Bookkeeper in the Business Office for 21 years.

Pat's joy in life was her cherished family: Sonny, her soul-mate of 38 years; Linda, Lori and Mike, her children; and of course, her pride and joy, her three grandchildren, Brianna, Melanie and Steven.

Bulldogs, 12 o'clock lunches, Neil Diamond at Madison Square Garden, Frank Sinatra, "Wind Beneath My Wings" and "The Checks in the Mail" . . . . Memories of Pat that fill our hearts with warmth and laughter.

She taught us how to live.
She taught us how to die!!

Fondly remembered by,

Her Friends in the Business Office
The faculty at P.V. has been guiding all of us toward enlightenment for the past four years. Although, it must be said, they have also brought to some of us detention and hopelessly difficult exams, it cannot be said that anyone has not benefited in some way from their tireless efforts. We will all exit this institution greater than we entered. After all, who amongst us can look back upon their freshman year without asking, "How could I have been so stupid?!"

Why is it that we now realize the errors of our ways, but were unable to as freshmen? Quite simply, we have grown since then — mentally, intellectually, morally, socially — we have achieved a higher level of understanding in all of these areas and more. The experiences that have bettered us were shaped by the teachers and administrators that we have met along the way. This was inevitable since we see these faculty members every school day; of course they had an impact on our lives. Due to their influence, we will always remember them. Thanks alot faculty; we are eternally grateful.
The faculty members who are retiring this year have served the students of PV long and well. Now that their years of teaching are over, they have found new ways to keep busy. Mrs. Alper will move to Washington state, Ms. Bridenberg works in the computer industry, and Mr. Hoelscher is still mayor of Harrington park. Mr. Verrone continues to design and cast sculptures of Mr. Degroot's paintings, hoping for their big break. We wish them all good luck in the future.
Standing: Mr. Carlo Spinella, Mr. Robert Muccio, Vice President, Mr. John D'Auto, Mr. William J. Depsee, Mr. Curt Masklee, Mr. Donald C. Donadio Jr. Seated: Dr. Lois R. Centolanza, Superintendent, Mr. James Belford, President; Mr. Paul Gerber, Board Secretary, School Business Administrator, Mr. Steven J. Veltri, Board Secretary, Mr. Davis Seyer, Mr. Rocco Fonzetti.

Dr. Louis Centolanza, Ed.D., Superintendent

Mrs. Rose Ann Cortese Administrative Secretary

Dear Members of the Class of 1997:

On behalf of the Passaic Valley school community, I would like to congratulate you on your graduation from Passaic Valley Regional High School. The accomplishments of the Class of 1997 will serve as a benchmark for other graduating classes to emulate.

It is our hope that we have provided you with a sound educational foundation so that you will meet with success in future career and educational endeavors.

Congratulations, again!

Warmest regards,

Louis R. Centolanza, Ed.D.
Superintendent
1. Which teacher has been here the longest?
   a. Mr. Aharrah   b. Mr. Malone   c. Mrs. O’Malley   d. Mrs. Beyer

2. Which teacher owned a parakeet named “Bluebell” for twelve years?
   a. Ms. Mazucca   b. Mr. Gordon   c. Mrs. Mulcahy   d. Mr. Bonbelli
3. Who was head Majorette in High School?

4. Which teacher owns a cat named "Peepers"?
   a. Mrs. Levash  b. Mr. Block  c. Mrs. Mulcahy  d. Mr. Costello
5. Who failed out of NHS for an "F" in Gym?
   a. Mrs. Dakes   b. Mrs. Otterbein   c. Ms. Hergert   d. Mr. Fitzgerald

6. Which teacher applied to an all girl's art school?
   a. Mr. DeGroot   b. Mr. Mercadante   c. Mr. Frashe   d. Mr. Millar

7. Who was head cheerleader in High School?
8. Who plays the saxophone and drums?
   a. Mr. Ward  
b. Mr. Sisbarro  
c. Mr. lobst  
d. Mr. Sileo

9. Which staff member sings the PV Alma Mater at graduation?
   a. Mr. Sileo  
b. Mr. Frasche  
c. Mrs. DeYoung  
d. Mrs. Intilli

10. Which teacher was on the game show "Word for Word", and finished last?
    a. Mrs. Garofalo  
b. Mrs. Beyer  
c. Mr. Ward  
d. Mrs. Pedalino
11. Which math teacher received a "D" in Calculus senior year?
   a. Mr. Sileo  
   b. Mr. Malone  
   c. Mrs. Smolen  
   d. Mrs. Brown

12. Which teacher lived on a sailboat for a year?
   a. Mrs. Otterbein  
   b. Mr. Callahan  
   c. Mr. Gordon  
   d. Mrs. Corsini

13. Which teacher was a paratrooper?
   a. Mrs. DeRosa  
   b. Mr. Caruso  
   c. Mr. Lijo  
   d. Mr. DeGroot
14. Which teacher was president of the Art Club in High School?
   a. Mr. Frasche      b. Mr. Fitzgerald   c. Mrs. Beyer       d. Mrs. Brussel

15. Which teacher was in a beauty pageant at age 13?
   a. Ms. Mazucca      b. Mr. Tanis        c. Mrs. Schatel      d. Mrs. Duke

16. What staff member was mugged at gunpoint in Atlantic City on his first day of teaching at PV?
   a. Mr. Budelman      b. Mr. Gerber       c. Mr. Wallace       d. Mr. Salierno
17. Which teacher was a New Jersey State Archery Champ?

18. Who collects 15th Century Gregorian Chant manuscripts?
   a. Mr. Millar  b. Mr. Sisbarro  c. Mr. Frasche  d. Ms. Intilli

19. Which teacher started his fourth career at PV?
   a. Mr. Gerber  b. Mr. Aharrah  c. Mr. Millar  d. Mr. Costello
20. Which teacher was salutatorian of her graduating class?

21. Which teacher failed painting in college?
   a. Mr. Mercadante  b. Ms. Ingrahm  c. Mrs. Corsini  d. Mr. DeGroot

22. Which teacher can yodel?
   a. Mrs. Brown  b. Mrs. Betro  c. Mrs. Dakes  d. Mr. Terzuolen
Answers

1. a. Mr. Aharrah
2. a. Ms. Mazucca
3. a. Mrs. Sullivan
4. c. Mrs. Mulcahy
5. a. Mrs. Dakes
6. b. Mr. Mercadante
7. c. Ms. McNeal
8. d. Mr. Sileo
9. c. Mrs. DeYoung
10. b. Mrs. Beyer
11. a. Mr. Sileo
12. d. Mrs. Corsini
13. d. Mr. DeGroot
14. a. Mr. Frasche
15. c. Mrs. Schatel
16. b. Mr. Sisbarro
17. a. Mrs. Corsini
18. c. Mr. Frasche
19. c. Mr. Millar
20. b. Mrs. Pedalino
21. b. Ms. Ingrahm
22. a. Mrs. Brown
P. V. Family
The senior class of 1997 is leaving PV, and perhaps this will be the section they will look upon most often in the years ahead. For here is presented a pictorial history of that most joyful time, their senior year at Passaic Valley. Here they may look upon images of great friends, zany antics, and happy memories. As they wander through these pages, they will be reminded of their lives in high school, the way they used to look and act, the people and places they cherished, and all the great times in their last year at PV. The following pages are representative of the seniors, and for them, they are a microcosm of the world. These are their faces, their friends, their lives. The pictures captured on film are the visions that capture the hearts and minds of all the seniors, now and forever. The thoughts and ideas embodied here will remain with them for all time.

Important as these memories are, this year’s seniors still have most of their lives in front of them. They lived it up in PV, but will they be working in an office ten years from now? Who can tell now, but certainly the spirit and energy demonstrated by the senior class offers high hopes for the future. Wherever they choose to go and however they choose to get there, they can always remember the beginning of their great journey through life simply by flipping through the next few pages . . .
Where Has The Time Gone?
Every year P.V. students are given a picture ID. When looking at the ID’s taken freshman year, it is amazing to see how much some people have changed. It seems odd that students’ appearances have changed so drastically over what seemed to be such a short four years. Although faces and attitudes have changed, addresses have remained the same.
To the Class of 1997,

On September 8, 1993, we entered Passaic Valley for the first time. Both new to the school, we were a little nervous and uncertain as to what would lie ahead and develop over the next four years, a time that seemed then so far out of reach. Time has rapidly moved on and so shall you to the next stage of uncertainty and development of your lives. You are my first class and I will always keep a special place for you in my heart. Here are a few of the memories that we have shared.

the failed freshman Winter Dance
towels, towels, and more towels
"I won't think about that now, I'll think about it tomorrow!"
sorting Christmas merchandise until late at night
the carwashes or should I say the people washes
"Ali, which officer are you?"
road trips for the prom
"Where's Carolyn?"
Honors Algebra II last year
- the breakfast, "I haven't bought a --- yet for the Cotillion!"; field trip to LSC, the wind tunnel at LSC, M. Saba the disciplinarian, S.B. and her obscene sniffing noises.
Reddin and Sils - the next Siskel and Ebert
S.B. how about that foot massage?
"Peanut" and "Lucky", you guys are awesome!

If I had to give you some advice, it would be: "The great challenge of adulthood is holding onto your idealism after you lose your innocence and believing in the power of the human spirit after you come crashing into the limits of the real adult world." Believe and be true to yourself. Strive for your dreams so you won't look back to ask yourself "Is my dream a lie if it doesn't come true, or is it something worse?"
Best of everything, you deserve it!!
Your friend,
Sal Sileo, "Sils", "Sil-Dog"

Work hard at making your dreams come true and never give them up. Look upon all of life's little setbacks as a chance to get a running start on the rest of your life. I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers, because you have been a special part of my life at PV. Take my thoughts, prayers and wishes for a bright future and run with them to wherever you want to go.
Best of Luck,
Mrs. Sullivan

The Class of 1997
Wishes to Thank
Mr. Pantale, Mrs. Mahr, Mrs. Tichio, and Mr. Marion
For All of Their Help
During the 1996-1997 School Year!!!
What If ...

Brandon Frank DeMarco
Brand "Br" 'B'
Ambition: Dentist
Memories: 4 yrs 1st Gr BSK sw/ My Boys JM MP BG JM SB MemDay Wknd/86897 Lou hse kicknabTle GinGcultural/PSMrw/ MPU settle Filmight Hallow in MtTruck ThxSB-B
BingupDC MInWdW DSUcamp RMBiz PSFid TFF FatPrytsgB
CmngpsJM MyHseAfterColli Swchit up JeMByourlovs JoTD
AlwaysBeing There4MeBFFE 1sXW SBrkink3Xsrrr MPMkg TpelsFrDy Thnx4 everyday lluvU Mom Dad Jess Michael60 MaxRIP Benson PV CY
Secret Ambition: To love All Women. But Hold Only One In My Heart
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Jerzie Ann Marie Kissel
"Kisses"
Ambition: Occupational Therapist/Politician
Memories: 4yrsSB TrapW/ML 4yrsVB oug32yrGDMsco865rspl-ThatsSoU Dm-Lab ofo Mich-S Many MemSlovell LolNever ChangeStrain
-RF Never Forget TheTimes WeHadHope ToTravel TheWorld Togeth-EnglandBF Mommicha Grandma PapaZane Rosanne JoeA JoandT Tomkat JennLovelw w All My Heart Thank4Everthing SileSchatel Humes Pedalino Garofalo All life is not important except for the impact it has on others
Secret Ambition: To always stand up for what is right, even if I stand alone.
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Jamie Nicole Nardino
Nards'
Ambition: Advertising
Memories: 3 yrs VsBAllCptw/ DT&L VE
MKELVE 3yrs GRKnhdw/ SR 4 yrs VSBall DT ResPicWds EM
Blin/CRNRs w/ AKDCEML VC DC
MTsMntnStreet - 14 yrs OCSEM
BF 4 Ee NYApz AK-LV 12 00cn 12/17/94 Hldyin w/ GRNC06 1psu/2BSTEBTZ RUTGRS w/AK-
OJHP BFride JU CzL WM LZDT 2 59 AP-Hws-7Yl l yr knwI
Fon: the memsPrty-BvlyHlsS390
UnFWeMt Agn! MMDADDAYE CHERKARBETH LUV YALWAYS SORRY
Secret Ambition: To figure out what Victoria's Secret is.

Dana Trovato
"Tane" Trovato
Ambition: College
Memories: 3 yrs VsBAllCptw
JNLV yrBrall JNLVEMKKnLV
DSSAKR DSCEV HrdnkCqtnJ
JNSeqplcEwdISLP smk JCDs sponza LPCS DMB CrtCrsh 9512-1 794 anged Hrin at CliffsQuartc w/LPCSSBMMBE HSDSCPAPL
aly8bmey BFimmybr 2yntymem 1LYvULNLL 2 59 F xMB 00
erry4thbrble Nr4get4lluvUDean 2rmGrYx AmlyStpahd MULuLOfus RRLAYbms BF nr4getUus DMske JELDAhUx Selvly MomDadT FLankCdn thvednU It outULuvU dfrymce
Secret Ambition: To be able to answer a question truly.

Alison Marie Konzelmann
"All"
Ambition: College
Memories: 3 yrs VsBAllCptw/ GrX
MKELVE 3yrs GRKnhdw/ SR 4 yrs VSBall
DT ResPicWds EM
Blin/CRNRs w/ AKDCEML VC DC
MTsMntnStreet - 14 yrs OCSEM
BF 4 Ee NYApz AK-LV 12 00cn 12/17/94 Hldyin w/ GRNC06 1psu/2BSTEBTZ RUTGRS w/AK-
OJHP BFride JU CzL WM LZDT 2 59 AP-Hws-7Yl l yr knwI
Fon: the memsPrty-BvlyHlsS390
UnFWeMt Agn! MMDADDAYE CHERKARBETH LUV YALWAYS SORRY
Secret Ambition: To take a day off with Ferris Bueller
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Seniors-Class Officers/45
Maria Agresti "Re"

Ambition: Lawyer


Secret Ambition: To boot and not seen NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Nicholas T. Attianese "Nicholas T. Attianese"

Ambition: To live a life that's full and do it my way.

Memories... I knowIt. s over. I will miss Ally. You. Thanx from the heart Of. My. Bottom Ji. Ct. Thanx for suffering with me. I'll try you. I'll get stuck on a root. I hope you're there. MadProps To. Mmm. DB. Some. n memories I mos t. st oke. Th ean. Morrissey. lambe. The last. of the famous international playboys. Finally, you're here. It's important. time you know I love you. I'll forever be Leah. The Green. This is the last song. I'll forever sing. Goodnites E thanyou. Secret Ambition: To boot the grime of this world in the croth.

Mark A. Autore "Marky"

Ambition: Success


Suzanne R. Balady "Suzy"

Ambition: College


Anthony R. Audita "Juice"

Ambition: Wealth-Health-Happiness


Secret Ambition: To never lose.

Joseph Andreano "Joe"

Ambition: A comfortable academic life

Memories... I have a concealed weapon at Academic Team. Electrocuting Jon L. ZAGA! Degeneracy w/ Jon P. Getting Grass. hopper into college. Jammin w/ Brian B. RAvi. BHATT. you will be first against the wall when the Revolution comes! PRAVDA w/ Sharon. Humoring Frasche. "I am such an Idiot"- EC Thanks to. My parents & grandparents. The Little Baby Jesus. GB. Paquita Secret Ambition: To be a costumed vigilante NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Nala Bachkhaz

Ambition: To finish college

Memories... ASALAMU ALAKUM LUV. MOMBO. BLANA ORAYAMIZNAFEN ISLAM. MlCHLUV2MBST. FREN. HANADI AND. MYCUZ. LUZA. BST TIES. WIT. LUZA. AT PARTIES. CALL. NEU. R. BEST TIES. WIT. HANADI AT PARTIES. EAST. ORANG. IRVINGTON. HI. SMILY. AYLIN. N CUTE. MAYS. LH. LUV. ALWAYS LL COLD. J2ALL. MY FRIENDZ AT P. V. THANX. 4 BEING THERE4ME ALSO DONT 4GET. ME CAUSE 1M2S. WIT. 2FEB. FORGOTEN! MISSU ALL. REST IN PEACE 2PAC.

Secret Ambition: To become a better Muslim

Anthony Ballouline "a-Rab"

Ambition: Stock Broker

Cori Ann Balogh
"Cor," "Cory," "Sizzle"
Ambition: College
Memories... 2YRSV-Ball + St-Ball Grownup w/ RB, MS, UK + AMDD-NubbyAlwaysnextto-Cabun'sInArt w/ANJknvr4getFriatWillib SMFV-MSGrYSW7- knvr4getUrBra- SptryRB + CB = BFE + yrsatC W He's Alive! NvrStop Watchin AnieD Danconor GreseWebe Thister's4ever RRxSw/Ct, AZ, RB, SM, EP, + EHC KCCXKXC CCCKXCKCXIttsProm96 w/DH- Nvr 4getour Advesp25 TWork w/AW + CROCG3 w/WB- MW + C G C W. AlwaysMyBud T H X M o D a d + Fam Luv U AllIHeYHeyGNAAAI!
Secret Ambition. To Always Be a TOY'S US KID

Jeffrey Louis Barattin
"Jeff", "Mr. Jeff"
Ambition: To get a college degree.

John Balonze
"Ralph"
Ambition: To have a healthy son named Ralph
Memories... at Rocky w/TM & pan-handling at OcToKe To Shar, Joe. Jon-lunch was full of laughs rant on! Jamming & debatimg ethis w/Teeth hanging w/Malcolm, Cailia, Christina. Noodles Great times w/Jon H. Smythe's Light. Valentine Special thanks to Unc. Joe. the most generous person I know thankyou Mom & Dad for your support.
Secret Ambition. To start a Communistic club in college NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Andrey Banko
"VLAD"
Ambition: Open my business
Memories... MY MEMORIES ABOUT CHANDPV ALLWAYSSTAY SOKEVEN IDIDNOTLIKE ANYOFITI WANTTSAYH'TODUDUSS LIKESISI AMCONTRESSS STOP GROWING OSHWLV DMGKARMA IWANTTO THANK MYPARENTS TDANDAB FOR EVERYTHING THEYDID FORME ANY MARY SCHOOLS ISSKAND WENOW THATTHAT IS ALL PEACEEVERY ONESPREEYOU IN 20 YEARS IALSWANTO SAYHITOMY GOODFRIENDS WHOARE FEARFUL AWAY FROMME ANDI CANNOTSEE ANDTALK WITHTHEM EVERYDAY.
Secret Ambition. Get a lot of money and "Beautiful Wife."

Courtney Barreca
"Court"
Ambition: College
Memories... Where 2 begin ...
Mems w AN AW KK AN-BF 4 Life Vermont "95" Gar. Sales 2 Many meme! AW-Maur Pocs "93" Bros moB ML Chills KK-Sum "94" w JWSSA Rigamaroll PSw Wed Dalm. "94" "95" CB we-have 2 change our 1st name! 5G-Crm puff's DH-SAT JC-F 1F Far. Pool AMKVK-Ver, PK Jorge! Cn Ex. Harm DC94-96 Gone Country "95" Mom Dad Keith Pam Kim Case Chels Kev Christie65D Lux UL Later PV
Secret Ambition. To find myself

Duen Barrett
"Loof"
Ambition: To love all
Memories... To my family at PV, thanks for the support. To the PV football team, maximum respect. To JT, we did our piece. Good luck in the future and don't forget what is important in life. To Dave & Dennis, don't forget to leave your mark. And to the rest of you, just take a look above at the man who is and who will always be. Much love.
Secret Ambition. To become a famous singer.
Darrin Beasley

Memories...2 yrs bowling in
TCart & G F w/CGHanginout
w/ERJMNPA&T- Bowling with Wood'96
w/cous Jenny Grit & Adventure
w/Lori PMP IPMAB 6BrillSafari
Fortniff w/Jo & Leslie Dinner
w/Ant Mar Bri Las Vegas '96-
RCWeddingGeo w/RR&Chlkdge
VKURagtr hrd CANSUIlove you
rememberEng w/Rugg Schatel &
HST's Anniversary Pttydance
w/Jenny Kara thanks for all the fun.
Mom Dad Roa Martha thanks for putting
up with my handicapness.
Secret Ambition: To see the day
when my mom stops singing in public.

Frank Bassara

Ambition: College
Memories...2 yrs bowling in
TCart & G F w/CGHanginout
w/ERJMNPA&T- Bowling with Wood'96
w/cous Jenny Grit & Adventure
w/Lori PMP IPMAB 6BrillSafari
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Mom Dad Roa Martha thanks for putting
up with my handicapness.
Secret Ambition: To see the day
when my mom stops singing in public.

Michael Benvenuti

"Note"
Ambition: College
Memories...4 yrs ftbl
Kfsum's5C-Pspssdon Cliffeunfips
McMady Washk Stakeouts w/RH,SC,
Rhevyywt? - Mc D's Crash
w/KFS DLPT Drawl@ LP's
ThanxNP,SC, RHSD, JT, AP, Quarry 4th
July Wknd '96 P&plmat w/RHNP,SCJP,
DTsum 36AP 'How do I look'
Mtomuchto little DT Nevrgrt
Ulootditto! RailRoadUSnake.
Mom Dad Lisa Joe. Thanx 4 always bein
therelluvufugus!
Secret Ambition: To always be
told the truth.

Robert C. Bird, Jr.
"Fatty G Phat Fat"
Ambition: To be the best bass-fisherman
the world has ever seen.
Memories...4 yrs cheeving, 4 yrs
Girl's Show, Boy, those were some great
times. I'll miss you all coz playpeople,
it's beenaBLAST! Thanx to everyone who
has treated me nicely, especially Rach.
who always comfort me when I'm
bored and Kristina, my 'choir girl friend'
And of course, thanks Mom, Dad,
Steph and especially the family. I love
you all kiwi, I miss you Everyone else
- keepin touch, I'm goin' to fame. Z?
Secret Ambition: To see myself in the
mirror with my eyes closed.
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Erica Benedict

Ambition: College
Memories...2 yrs Track,
Gr8X's W/CB,CL,DH, AZ,SM,AM,
K,K,UK, MS, C = BFFE, CB,
RmbrrDGncing, Grse, Anie, Bng Antscl,
8yrsAt Wrk, Smr96atRtX w/surpees.
Cl, eyeshng, DH Thrs-N + StFceAZ,
SD965M, Nmme&m AM All Our CrazY's
Kkarobcs 5DnceUK. Rushing Ur Bk
Bne Out 4a Rsn Rm = SB-Fp GeomRR,
Clun30Y Hmbrd. CKCK CKCK CKCK
Ido Not! RACK! He's a whl! KISSES-
Thnx 4 being GR8Frdn. Mom Dad + Peter
Thnx 4 everything! HeyCori-GNAA!
Secret Ambition: To Catch That Shooting
Star

Mark Battagliese

Ambition: Success
Memories...4 yrs VFH IndtOutsTrk,
GrX's/AC,CKG,MA,JP, FS, JIMMJ,
ILJUClnk! PcePrty'98, Chln,LKATree!
ThsSmr 7 CR-prob? npngs'94 Lc-LMF,
ChlnA + ThcM. WffMey MDtt8 8Ev,
NP-LtS GoShpng Thnx 4 Clngmry M= h O
+ ULdrstdt! ILVUMJ! G1-12+K! Dg-
ThrsASpcl PicleN My Hr +4 U,
Thnx4Evrythng. Chnk ThbrnaniePan
MemsW? 5d+ KLD + hByChcl+ Sk1 SD+KLD+h ByChcl+ SL-U Do What?
SHmun Mom,Dad,Ed,Gran + Bob+ Thnx 4 UrSpt over ThrsYrs, ILVUMa-
How's TheAlm?Secret Ambition: To never say "I should
have."
Brian Borowski  
"Brain" "BK"
Ambition: College  
Memories: "Devoted" Spanish Club, Math League, Jazz band member. Many thanks to my parents for helping me through all my best friends, BD, JD, JL, R, AMT. Thank you for making boys State fun. Thank you for all your support. Don't need the shrink, Mrs. S. Thank you for all your homework. Oops! The car stalled again. Thank you for all your efforts. BD, JD, JL, DB, KA, MT.

Erich Bresson  
"Chester Coobblepot" "C.P." "Chaz"
Ambition: To make mad loot  
Memories: First And Foremost! Want to give much love to my parents Ashley, Jim, Ashley, and Adna. Love you all. OW to all my people Chris, Always bump in dumb stuff to do in Ptown. JAY GALWAY BOYSDB. Yours all.

Richard Bressette  
"Beavis"
Ambition: To always love God  
Memories: First and foremost is faith. Mom, Dad, and great brother Eugene. For being there. Thank you all. My parents, Mom and Dad, for being there. Eug for the good times next. Miss All Nightguys Dad. Love you all. AKKGCCDDSCFL. DPDJBPBMJKJT. MOTVNNSPETJSEB always remember. Jill and Taca, Chris don't forget who has been there for you. Thank you for all your efforts. BD, JD, JL, DB, KA, MT.

Anthony Mark Bressette  
"Beavis"
Ambition: To always love God  
Memories: First and foremost is faith. Mom, Dad, and great brother Eugene. For being there. Thank you all. My parents, Mom and Dad, for being there. Eug for the good times next. Miss All Nightguys Dad. Love you all. AKKGCCDDSCFL. DPDJBPBMJKJT. MOTVNNSPETJSEB always remember. Jill and Taca, Chris don't forget who has been there for you. Thank you for all your efforts. BD, JD, JL, DB, KA, MT.

Timothy Britting
"Boyle" "Zeke" "Z-Man" "B-Man"
Ambition: College  
Memories: 4 yrs Soccer w/mt, sp, mb. 5 cm, mk, dd. 4 yrs Indoor W/Al. ljlbnc 2 yrs Out Door w/dcm. lm, Camping w/m1mb, dp, dpjd, pj. Shaggy. Uptspilled guttsdawants meyanks6 w/champsibi w/lbp, Jm, epdp. -- hepshap/1 WESTON/ hczuille/ dpap/ dadametownwld BJJ's- wasc4edijibjs PAnknts Rmb/-/guard/ skankin/w/Sevel lu-ak. Nmdayuvoa suzann Emm mb buckman/ csagmetal, mtoadiebso. boRedMom. Dad, Wozinski Herb. Stevie-MP.

Secret Ambition: To be invisible  
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Philip Brychtz
"Boyle" "Zeke" "Z-Man" "B-Man"
Ambition: College  
Memories: 4 yrs Soccer w/mt, sp, mb. 5 cm, mk, dd. 4 yrs Indoor W/Al. ljlbnc 2 yrs Out Door w/dcm. lm, Camping w/m1mb, dp, dpjd, pj. Shaggy. Uptspilled guttsdawants meyanks6 w/champsibi w/lbp, Jm, epdp. -- hepshap/1 WESTON/ hczuille/ dpap/ dadametownwld BJJ's- wasc4edijibjs PAnknts Rmb/-/guard/ skankin/w/Sevel lu-ak. Nmdayuvoa suzann Emm mb buckman/ csagmetal, mtoadiebso. boRedMom. Dad, Wozinski Herb. Stevie-MP.

Secret Ambition: To be invisible  
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Jeremy Bukowczyk
"Jer" "Buc"
Ambition: Feed the ducks  
Memories: ... J soccer, golf oo) sbkball, XC/in indoor/snip LmAKea2drgn/ snip. WAsAskedTo MemorizeWhat 1Did Not Understand, And, My Memory Being SoGood. IRefused To Be Insulted That Manner. A. Crowley. JM/FRN. db, jllimp, c46, prpbae. I stcnhill, mm, klsdy/TJ, FC, KD/ VicBar. MEXHairy andreass. Cmaverik/ c r z y j e o s t i c k y /5M / / bythemar/ltsass/2im/WOW1/ elsnd

Secret Ambition: To be done.  
NATIONAL HONORS SOCIETY

Dave Buck Jr.
"Buck, Bucker"
Ambition: Poverty  
Memories: 3 years bowling, 4 years other stuff. Good times w/PB, MO, BT, JL, NA, MM, RP, other stuff. FHL SHERRO/ BUCK. BSL EEUURAGRS inspiration. 4 years skate, HW, SH, B. ThemightyBucshat is my good. The key to immortality, in that living life worth remembering. BLEE MOM, DAD, AMY thank you. Secret Ambition: To beat up Mickey Mouse  
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Nicole Buono

Seniors/49
John Carmemolla
Ambition: No Stress
Secret Ambition: See my face on a $20 bill.

Jennifer Lynn Cannamo
"Jen" "Blonde"
Ambition: To be a Pediatrician
Memories... Deb Thanks for being there for me. I’ll Miss You Good Times in PANY 1995 CB and JC FIF’s foreverkk Watch Out for All the Animals! Hey Gimpy, Here comes Corky! MsWomanAnd MrMan JC And KW REPEE CuteWalk! Blue271 Good Times with, KW, SM, SG, CL, CB, Chicky, RR, KK, AM, DH. Remember to wear your blinders Mom and Dad. I Love You, thanks for being there for me! I’ll miss you All. GoodBye

Xiao Qiong Chen
Ambition: Accountant
Memories... Here I want to say thanks to Mr. Marion. Since the time I came to P.V., he really helped me a lot. I won’t forget my years at P.V., and all the good times I had with my friends CG, MS, AA, AG.
Secret Ambition: Psychology

Xiao Qiong Chen
Ambition: Accountant
Memories... Here I want to say thanks to Mr. Marion. Since the time I came to P.V., he really helped me a lot. I won’t forget my years at P.V., and all the good times I had with my friends CG, MS, AA, AG.
Secret Ambition: Psychology

Dominic Chipolone
"D" "Dominecvo" "Chipper Jones"
Ambition: Rocket Scientist
Secret Ambition: To graduate life with honor and without regret. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Christopher Cifaldi
"STOP"
Ambition: TO FINALLY GRADUATE
Memories... FIRSTHAVETO GIVEMADPROPSTO MYFAMILY FORBEING SO SUPPORTIVEPEACE2 ALLMY CLOSEST FRIENDS SCCADJP RBDDBFDACGR KMBRGNHPIM TRETCLCAD SORRYFOREVERYTHINGTHAT YOUHEArDT_THATISNT TRUECHPRBS STUPIDITYTHINGO'DO INPATERSON SPOPO.SALATICE CANCE SCARY MB DONTEVER DRINK OVER EVERAGAINCLEAN M YFLOOR JC LEARN TODINRIGHT LIKE I M I LOVE YOU DOBGGET NEWP AIAAS BUT NOT FROM YOUR BROI LYNDHURST JP WENEE MORE PIAASSILL GETMORESCENES!
Secret Ambition: TO GET THE "SNEAKER"

Jaymie Collins
"Jaym"
Ambition: college
Memories... Thru my yrs in hs I rldz that w/o th sprit of the ppl I’m cht 2.1 mtr wild hve sccd. I want 2 thnk my mother, b/c her encgmt is what got me thru the hrd tms. I also want 2 awkldy my byfn Evan who I rifi Lv. Spcl mens-v-ball. PN 96 6 attr hrs in NY w/ CWN.N’s prty, NA’s prmknd w/ RC, NHS HMCNG 94 w/ MB, Pnc in pk 93, "Cusn’ MS, FL UL Ambr, Sis, Lsa, Jhn, Mrk, Mchi.
Secret Ambition: Health, wealth, and happiness.

Salvatore Colombo Jr.
"Sal", "Balls"
Ambition: college
Secret Ambition: to go in through the out door.

Diana Condorelli
"Di"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... 4yrs GX - lyrVraHajJELEDA. Fatboy-96- CGGS-Tops off 2 BBZ-Crmbrs-BFEEN-Meet me insthtr! 1yrs- UDOMS/kkout-I am EM-im alwz ritel! YURWelcome! LV-rockehngtr! AK-watch thecar! JT-UR a Frutolipop! He’s a nice guy! PeerPresre NOS/ Dl-ReString: Jl-No mat AP-95-12/17/94-CS!sag. Anothr Nite SB-2 many lafs Hold Inn 96w/GC Mom Dad and Fam-Luv! Ul Hope UK Proud Anthony+ Alexya My sweetie!
Secret Ambition: To marry a rich man and to never have to work.
Anna-Lynn Condron
"Chink"

Shaun Coronato
"Slammer"
Ambition: Play Hockey
Memories: 4 Yr SocrocB-DayatDinerFrosh YrMooning F JrYr Shaun! GoHome, IHaveDtesionWed, Thurs. MemoriesSophYr Geometry Lijoi, S oddatPathmark on2E, D OM, MEHOCKEYlewisPlGang, Gebrey nightSnowBalls Booter Summer KickedGions ButtinDarts SWoffleBall, Home runDurByat Brickyard, TrickrTreatIngwith InvisiMan D rag- ing 2EDown Steps, DadBeatYou MomThanks for All SteveScotGood LuckIt’sOver! Don’tWanttoWork. $$$Snow&ELGR Secret Ambition: To be the Professional

Thomas Coughlin
"Tom"
Ambition: To go to acting school
Memories ... CHILLINWMY FRIENDS, HANGIN’ ATHEMALL WITHPR, SD, PG, SF, AND/IF CHILLIN’ AT THE MOVIES WITH PB SOMEONE ASKING ME OUTSIDE OF THE THEATER WHEREMYMONY ATBRO CHILLIN ATTHEMOVIES W/NG AKA GRRIMMIES AND THEBOYZ CHILLINW/ ALL MYFRIENDS ALLMYTEACHERS SPENDINGTIME W/MYFAMILY. BEINGONTHEBALL TEAM, BOWLING TEAM AND ON THE TENNIS TEAM.
Secret Ambition: To become an actor.

Brian Cox
"Bri"
Ambition: To be a Marine Biologist
Memories ... I did it! Im DryGood times in Florida w/ CM, CC, MS No! Just a Hotdog Chonibus/Winow make the noise CM, CC, NS, TD-That’s disgusting G2-Stop Bouncing Arewetheyerey? Discard ... LG? CKCCKCCKCKCCKCKCCK Marcell awwinoH262CShekeem for xtraPoints Lunchw/5GaskMV DD AP 8AK AW Smoremin SM rave QuaziCorkyRB Dottouchme! Clmrbigian DCêsshape FrenchFricCheese ImHungary FunnifAnd BluUNMom Secret Ambition: To discover the meaning of “free time.” NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Josephine Cristofano
"Jo"
Ambition: Business management
Memories: 4r8ks W/AN.BF-FLsLkW’Vbnfrends 4erwNv 4gtScopHyts, Stik’ntsWts, WilFatt, DnkmOntsW/CF, LmLite, HgnW/AT, RM, JC, VU, NY, LV, El, JJ, Juice, RJ-Biggs, Boln’ Ski’n, Prom‘96, HldGxdXs 2gthrGdCkJT-DynFrztnSwinGns, SB-3yrMth, BB-Yeah HP, HtntTkS, RP- GtMyTp? DF-StfYngn/SpSoCl, BlrNt4gtMe, TackOfNCDadSMom-ICoudn’tHaveDoneThisWithoutYour Support ILoveYou BothNICK-It’sUr TrnToMkThmPrdGoodLuck Secret Ambition: To be able to overcome any obstacles that may lie ahead with a smile on my face. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

James R. Conklin
"Book"
Ambition: Artist
Memories ... HNGNw/2PAKTRAP, SlicRicM, Juicer AA, NV, RS, UL, Bansk, JR, JJ, GM, Wild Wood98, Cracs ... Whr We U While. What girls ... AA, RM, NV, Camp Great time ... RM, UL, Snowy parkn Lots ... Lets Rent A Boat ... Toyota! Mov Yor Noen ... SuperCop, Let’sRaceThamgys 4 being ther ... 2 My Mom, Edward, Melissa, Robby ... Love U Always

52/Seniors
Nunzio Cucaro  
"Nunz"

Ambition: To become a very successful business man
Memories...Thanks to all of the following people through out PV: Mymom, Myparents, Myfriends, etc. I would like to wish the best of luck to all of my friends in school and all of the teachers that actually had the patience to teach me.

Sue Damico

"Sue-Balls"

Ambition: College Memories...4 yrs at FHP, 1st year at SB, etc. Thanks to my parents, sisters, brothers, friends, teachers, etc. Good luck to all!

Carmen D'Allegro

Rita Czapinski

Stephen D'Amato

"Nucleus"


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Jean David Decembre

"Badala"

Ambition: Engineering Memories...Thanks to my parents, Guerdateism and All my brothers especially JD thanx to All my teacher Mel, YmcsyCD2, Good Luck to all my friends MKN, NP AP KB AK LG JA RP FL CG Thanks for all the good times we had together. tk nhmgly for you will never end you'll be my hearty and always be my sweetangel DD to NW thanx for helping from all the bad time and for all your advice friendship forever D. DTS Klove you always. Secret Ambition: F.B.I.

Renee Dawson

"Ne-Ne" "Xena"

Ambition: Psychiatrist Memories...Remember all the good times in JC w/SisMelissa Thanx 2 my fans I will make ya proud Luv ya Neva 4get Bullwinkle-oh my zoondes Aav w Zsa Zsacafeny30 I dont sink so AW AKA JAHIRA Dana stsr mouth EY our piggy BFS 51554 * 304 * Sharty Always rem KMEAPSH! Good Luck Class of 97 Secret Ambition: Dancer

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Nick Desfrazissio

"Defab"

Ambition: Automechanic Memories:...JeffRoccoandme takingshots badchillin with Heather Peachillinn with Jeff Rocco and Ingredail summerg o tother carshow w th my boysone Peeling out in the parking lot and getting away with it two asorvingthat cars atworkand making mad cash MarkCarrot in his homework on my carsand racing Islamisthe manguy Secret Ambition: Brain Surgeon

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Gina Del Guidice  
"Gina Sean"  
Ambition: Physical Therapy  
Memories ... *All'MY Love' to' my'MOM'DAD' JOE' AND' FAM- 
ILY'YOU' S' ARE'THE'GREAT- 
EST'GOOD' LUCK' TO' DO'MMY' JP' 
MN' JP' P' MG'R' MY' YOUSR' GUYS' 
ARE'THE'BEST' MY' 4' YEARS' AT' 
PV' WERE' TOSH' OF' FUN'THOS' 
EES' WILL'MISS' SPE-
CIALLTHANKS' TO' ALL' OF' MY' 
TEACHERS 
Secret Ambition: To Live Life to its 
Fullest

Kristen Rose DeGregorio  
"Gigges & Tigger"  
Ambition: To work in a New York City 
office job. 
Memories ... My Love Goes to the 
most important people in my life "MY 
FAMILY" without you I couldn't get this 
far and would never want to push myself 
guardless of what others thought Mom 
I LOVE U 4 being my only parent who 
cared. Grandma Gramp your always in 
my heart ME yrsgoing strong WE can't 
say we didn't have fun. Sweet Memo-
ries! LN Remember the ECC Crew. Re-
member Iris Good to visit the past but 
not to stay. 
Secret Ambition: To show everyone 
how big my heart is.

Marcella Cesira Maria Di Benedetto  
"Chella"  
Ambition: Medicine/Biology  
Memories ... *4yrGirlScor. Fitz. 
4yrBndGrd 1yrWtrGrd/W/LgiCiaoSe-
- Bhappy Gz 5pbm - NWorresFica-
-Fnjkykidfij grlyGrlld - UgoGrllDd-
-Msbroccp - InkyllMilUsyjz! 
CMCBcstGrdB6- Abf(1996) BHNN57, 
BlmBndGrd Grd-ComRydDaTram. MV-
PvlnlKidEr! Rp ER LM- MD- RFFE- 
Pooh42rs. Bio: MmbCdb5b EcsGjkCgMvMnt. CKCKCKKI. Phys-
DcSdJllMnEy. Brn- Mne- CalCFun-
ItalW/Lg 1 In/KrAmCpdmor. Class 97#1. 
MomDadNicJeoe Ant. GraziePer 
TuttoEvi VoglioBenet! 
Secret Ambition: To be a part of the 
Women's U.S. Soccer Team and the 
Cadets of Bergen County. 
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Debra Lynn Drobik  
"Debbie"  
Ambition: Special Education 
Memories ... 4yrsH 4yrsGD kHM#1 
Cg5g Wendys Cot- LkRhSmJRPcG5s 
Cg-MemDay! NCSNI cheeringAtFH! La-
Woo! Kh-HELLO! 5d-HewitBB#1Soup? 
Cb-Nubbly Cg-NiceQuall Mw-Lacawan-
|MissU BFFE Lv-SeaSide96 5d-
ItsGonnaRain! Kh-RAHooD!? TWAQ 
LvCg- UItoldMeSo! ThanxxKhCg-
BloodCloot 5d- 4thPsyCh Lou-
IllusuvII Ever 12-3-94 Cglv GC96 Cg 
WasThatlor TheFloor? TWINS? Lv-
UBetterWriteMe Back! MomDadJeff-I 
LuvU! Thanx4Everything! 
Secret Ambition: Not to worry so much. 
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Marc C. Earley  
"Marcus" "Gomer" "Marc Antony"  
Ambition: Physician 
Memories ... 2yrs ST, JSILuvUII Senior 
Lunch w/I The Good Times w/MN, JS, 
AF, RB, KM, MC, DD, BL. Summer '96 
w/J5, MN, AF It Was Fun! MN Remember 
1st WivesJoel! Am The Frothy King!! 
Classes w/TM And BB. BR!liestill 
myrecord!! Mom, Dad Thanx I Luv U! Im 
finally done! BL Remember NYC! Bye PV 
Its been fun. 
Secret Ambition: I don't Know

Matt Falconieri  
"Matt"  
Ambition: Electrician/Business Manager 
Memories ... Greattimes/ER, KL, KH, 
TN, NP, Memories/EB-DND, Garrett, 
Ourfav Places. EBILove Yasomuchii 
amalways Hereforyoumo matterWHAT! 
Your emysflav Becauseyouallt, 
Blondandwillnever Bedenied. 
KLWhatatnight! BRBILIt'saBomb! KH-ON! 
Whatcolor? IloveYouBlanche!! TN- 
Blueyescrushes. Life #?! 
PNeverchange. YourMom! 
JudyDaddymichaelAmy Chris 2 
ITFINALLYOVER! 4Usme 
Secret Ambition: To make over a million 
year and watch TV in my office.

Joseph Dulski

Kevin Flood  
"Flood"  
Ambition: College 
Memories ... LLLLLRD NC ST SCSparky 
MGL ARKY Myour out cool DuDE yo 
JOHN, wherethe L at. MAD SPA Des RH 
NUTE SD SD NUTE, LFOG. OD MAD JR 
K!N JACUZZI. BO your GROUS. LAURN 
is HOTRZA. JewsAl! ThH4times. 
FRANK, AFTER RB, yo your sogrous SDS 
w/MAD BEEGS. 16 CANDies DBLETMD 
BY SHHH. MOM DAD, THANZ4 every-
thing. Mike, HEATHER, I love you BOTH. 
Secret Ambition: To Ride the Wave 
where it takes me.

54/Seniors
Andrew Frey
"Frey the Fire Guy"
Ambition: Firefighter
Secret Ambition: "To taste every flavor ice cream in the world."

Carrie Ann Garrabrant
Ambition: Elementary teacher
Memories... 4yrs. Vesty Gynnxtx 20-0-96 Triple Crown Sr yr. Capt. w/ RP LSSKE URdabomb - 4yrs. Vesty bowl w/JHSB MVSSG potato SG que/ quoi, OkGr8 DD Itsdafloor, twins, bidclt, nice quaf MW MS-Gofyj#1: Lacawana Hello ML LVSSJ LetsGoRangers! DH Benigens LM Hilo JPBFFE DDSG Wendys. MemorialDay? DD, SG, JP URTtheBest! JlVuL, all To my family& God Thanx 4 everything. I couldn't do it without you!
Secret Ambition To live life to its fullest
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Serpi Gazko
"Serp" "Serpie" "Potato"
Ambition: Dentist
Secret Ambition To work at Blockbuster and be as cute as Dana Hellegers!
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Lisa Gencarelli "Lisa G." "Lee" "Gen"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... Grmemena... w/ JR, RG, KM, AP, AK, AP, CT, CL, MR, JP, KG, SR, MD"Zalba. Uc'nthevil Jo, dnt wry yo ho use zez fe" KM- waut darch!" AP, yo walaizych SHORTEE tstsweeatdntchege" COOL BEANS """" CV-CVS-Lxs" JRRGrembr AtCtyMr. Peanut: wherzdaPooZd? R-U Guyzwins?!?" 4yr MarcmbndbsttmznvrGurd#1 "CommRddtn" 'Cella, Feeka, BrOclikBrEfr G2SPMrjEJDC-gmn- ms-uguyzsm dad sa joey graziempreuttelesco seautefattol
Secret Ambition: To remember the past and look forward to the future.

Rocco Galano
"Rock, Rockamino"
Ambition: College
Memories... 3YRS SOCCER, MUCH LOVE TO MY BEST FRIENDS NICK AND JEFF. PEACE TO MY GOOD FRIENDS MB-HP-IC DB- JP-CC-DEB-JG- ET-CL-SP-RKG- 2SC-RS-AT U LUV YA NS- IM-MG-3Z TB... OLD SCHOOL ANTS. R, DEWEY AVEPOSSE, 94 NYRJC, JKYR LUNCHDPS MANY GD MEMORIES- KG "WOW" FLTRIN' R GRM REAPER-ND JB MADSHT SATEFABs- BIGUP JD-MB "DEYHILL" NS 'LL LONGEVY FORDS 0 THANKS MOM, DAD, JOHN, GINA, POP AND GOD PEACEOUTPV
Secret Ambition: To make a difference.

Jason Gates
"Jay"
Ambition: To Be Successful No Matter What I Do
Memories... CHILLIN W/ TBBB CCCBOCTBLCNC APRG72 EBLINELVE 4GETUIGYS PAMPSWEGOT MADANDWICHES2 ETHISISTHE COOLESTTHING IEVERSEEENGr8 MYT1B80 Thanks4 BINGHERE RICHMYBFIAMONNA SKEEALABRAX 4CHUKHOE + TUBSRULE CHRIS WE GO TASTOS WADInLAURA UPAT3AM BUBBA IHOPEUGETNEW PIA SHYU WILLLAWAL YSBEMOG 4NINCORE MEMBERS + MOST TALK INRMMAY THANKSFOR EXPANDIN MY HORIZON Z CHARISA THNKS4THE BRXNFLOURVIUCT PEACE2 YOU ALL DAY MAMOAD LUVU
Secret Ambition: To go to Infinity and Beyond.

Rosalba Gencarelli
"Roe" "Zalba"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... GREAT X SW/JR'KM'LG AP'CT NB' CV' PC'KW' WILDWD 95+ 96JR' RR'MEMDAY Wknd LizNce carJo altwk/NYCAtCtyMr. PEANUT! W4Ysve JCanDrive?? BIDCOST = ROOMDOXOCT. 9B46L1 U-2, RikemySista' All RRJ7C VC BC MKC WK. YOUJUY2are DaBEST! LGCOOLEANES PENNWK Gymme!! PLEASE I brdwy/CV'BC' WUZPHAT!! JR' DIDyageti17 "UIM69??" CLUBEXP0S DABOMB! MOM DADThnx4 evrythings JoeAmazesslls luvzGuyz! PEACE
Secret Ambition: To turn my DREAMS INTO REALITY!!!!

Lisa Gencarelli
"Lisa G." "Lee" "Gen"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... Grmemena... w/ JR, RG, KM, AP, AK, AP, CT, CL, MR, JP, KG, SR, MD"Zalba. Uc'nthevil Jo, dnt wry yo ho use zez fe" KM- waut darch!" AP, yo walaizych SHORTEE tstsweeatdntchege" COOL BEANS """" CV-CVS-Lxs" JRRGrembr AtCtyMr. Peanut: wherzdaPooZd? R-U Guyzwins?!?" 4yr MarcmbndbsttmznvrGurd#1 "CommRddtn" 'Cella, Feeka, BrOclikBrEfr G2SPMrjEJDC-gmn- ms-uguyzsm dad sa joey graziempreuttelesco seautefattol
Secret Ambition: To remember the past and look forward to the future.

Lisa Gencarelli
"Lisa G." "Lee" "Gen"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... GREAT X SW/JR'KM'LG AP'CT NB' CV' PC'KW' WILDWD 95+ 96JR' RR'MEMDAY Wknd LizNce carJo altwk/NYCAtCtyMr. PEANUT! W4Ysve JCanDrive?? BIDCOST = ROOMDOXOCT. 9B46L1 U-2, RikemySista' All RRJ7C VC BC MKC WK. YOUJUY2are DaBEST! LGCOOLEANES PENNWK Gymme!! PLEASE I brdwy/CV'BC' WUZPHAT!! JR' DIDyageti17 "UIM69??" CLUBEXP0S DABOMB! MOM DADThnx4 evrythings JoeAmazesslls luvzGuyz! PEACE
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Lisa Gencarelli
"Lisa G." "Lee" "Gen"
Ambition: Elementary Education
Memories... GREAT X SW/JR'KM'LG AP'CT NB' CV' PC'KW' WILDWD 95+ 96JR' RR'MEMDAY Wknd LizNce carJo altwk/NYCAtCtyMr. PEANUT! W4Ysve JCanDrive?? BIDCOST = ROOMDOXOCT. 9B46L1 U-2, RikemySista' All RRJ7C VC BC MKC WK. YOUJUY2are DaBEST! LGCOOLEANES PENNWK Gymme!! PLEASE I brdwy/CV'BC' WUZPHAT!! JR' DIDyageti17 "UIM69??" CLUBEXP0S DABOMB! MOM DADThnx4 evrythings JoeAmazesslls luvzGuyz! PEACE
Secret Ambition: To turn my DREAMS INTO REALITY!!!!
Kelly Gerdes
"Kelly"
Ambition: Criminal Psychiatrist
Memories: GetInvolved in EVERYthing. SMcutieJD clutzPHTAR-OLD. BASSnossuf JESSbBigkh SHUTUP lookit LITTLEdOANDY istilhavea car JAMIESAND EillMisAllthe SOAPSthanxFORALL. Then getmy revenge on wffl Bll. TDFHSIP5LSMY CB ·s DgVgAgSf MgRd cStBc. "The shoot heard round the world. PTVV Football member. Secret Ambition: To travel around the world.

Christine Giannetti
"Chris"
Ambition: To be very happy forever. Memories: I can't believe I'm graduating. Already I won't forget my years at PV and good times with XC JG MC JAAAAMW-hope your happy I put you in Secret Ambition: To travel around the world.

Benjamin F. Gualano
"Ben"
Ambition: Law Enforcement
M- 1owemylifeFe ThoOydjvuiSU. HafalBigSis LuvUGys WdlldlTrPV. Secret Ambition: To never have to wake up in the rain, head in pain, hung in shame, a different name, or have my love in vain.

Anthony Giacchi
Memories: MMWHATHAPPENEDAT THEPALADUM? URAICUCHHUGLETIT! N2CSNPCJCI CMPAPUGAAGYGYM WASFUN! SGSMMTIOISOLCEOMUM DADJENANAAANG JOEJON SENKERIDAWN ANTHOWS LASVEGAS? ULL BIECBEAK! MCISSILIL#1 MCCONCERT PROMAT97MIC. BURRITO TKRLOCI! REMEMBER THESTORE? SIGIURHEW IMR SWEAT­ING! DONTSWORRY MILLHOOK YOURUP! WELLYBEVYEPV. SCASSOF97- GICHY.

Kelly Guffin
"WAA"-"Kel"-"Guf"
Ambition: Success

Keith Giangrasso
"Gion"-"Fujii Jr."-"Fuj"
Ambition: To play Professional Slow Pitch Softball
Memories: Jamming w/Desecrate w/my Djembre. JpRCAATZsJb. Always getting whooped by Shaun in Darts, but getting my revenge in wiffi Bll. DTFHSIP5LSMY. The MondayGang at CB's DgVgAgSf MgRd cStBc. "The shot heard round the world" Brickyard Baseball. PTVV Football w/BcKl. Shaun remember I am the bst at wiffi Bll. Coratz I am the bst at P-PNG Secret Ambition: To NEVER Leggo-my-Eggo.

Jenn Grutza
"Jen"
Ambition: To work with children

Kimberly Marie Haden
"Kim"
Ambition: To be successful

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Ross Michael Hannan Jr.

Secret Ambition: To keep my moral standing from lying down.

Allison Harvey

"Allie, Hoor, Harv." Ambition: Professional Secret Bowl Maker Memories...MRHS Falcons #1 BF-Munch, Pheldar, C5K, Juice, JandoChev RPMBH (Hoog) lul u4ever. nevr 4 get' fun x's root Jump'n, LBI-drown. speils, trips&J'sfondky w mex hat-sneak'n out-phat prtryll! PV CL5 of 96. LIV U Sal G (my lil guinea) Ch1'n w Justin, Dennis, Jeff, Jon, TJ. Daryli Jessica at Qury, mt plant, trx, camp'nso0scrs rembr the troll/papers'good luck Matt-luv u thanx4everthign! lul u, Mom, Dad&evn Sean

Shawn Haverick

"Haverick, Dallas Maverick" Ambition: To own my own business Memories...3yr. OutdrTRK, 1yrIndr TRK, Rmbthr Jersey Whr's Jr yr 2-14-96 Wackdnt. Hrs95-5pd. Hth965yr. 7pd/Inch hal2myg-frnd. DARN Rmb Gr8x's @ghter! UALWAYS BMHART, DILLUWALWAYS 4-EVER! Rmbr Ortbych-Clfspool, k.a. EBaby-Ncami Rule! Frks RulBrDw1k'n rides2my frnds, unohour- BM, CM, JK, JBus. shprTNahse- mybaby-JmeE- 2allClff-nNylfrnds. It's ralROMBI! 2myfml thanx4BNther 2con. Nic atckpl rdnarnd LUVUPEACE THABOMB Secret Ambition: To be the host of Singled Out

Hesham Hazin

“Ishy” Ambition: Shrimp Boat Captain Memories...Gr8x’s w/ DS, SH, RH + GoGo. FURNOSE where is Lt Dan? Shrimp in the ELITE w/ OH. GoGo the bus will be here in 322 sec. Hello is Steffy there? DAAAAH twinkies TO M. ALL! AND the devil. PF con w/DS, JV, GH + DC. See Wat Habben. Kl. UU wipped. MS How is the couch? Reeb UR homeless. Comata come on! Cnna w/2 lemons. NVR 4gt 3 week massacre w/ RHO Mom + Dad Thnx + I lul u 2 much. BUMFIRMFUM Bump Secret Ambition: To erect a monument in memory of Bartocki

Dana Hellegers

"Dane" "Dayhole" Ambition: X-ray technician Memories...CTR Times w/all my Friends Adv w/CB ESP. #251 Clifton Senior Prom96 w/CB FLA Summer 95 w/AM Himalarw Jen remember put on your blinders. NP Rag Shop, Totowa Taco Season! Being Dom w/RB Thurs. Nights@TV Face Cori-TT! SG-I've driven lately! Chris I'll nevr 4gets. UR 4ever in my heart. To my family-Thns for putting up with me. I'll make you proud! Renee RST UR mouth! Secret Ambition: To make all my dreams become reality.

Ian Honcharuk

Ambition if I only knew Memories...ENNKT-4-13-94 4YRS HS-NO BETTER OFF THAN BEFORE WASTING MY TIME WITH THE GUINDERSOMETHING OR ANOTHER MS + RR + RT TRYING TO FIND THE NEXT SHOW MCDONALS 8-24-94 WILL WE MAKE IT TO PENNSYLVANIA? DONT WE WISH I LOVE U KATE Secret Ambition: To have an ambition

Colleen Humucker

"Col-Clf” Ambition: To work with children Memories...ACSN "iam thecabinet is calling us" EFB! LBthere 2Hold Up Head. AC + EB. LV + HOFatitt! Heylaur Squeezeze theell ppo-poo CGhanginthere. you'llalwaysbmy ppo-poomonster. LV + HOFetsigo skingw/ Mary. J. ToMom + Dadthx4 the suppo5love and myBrother thefrat-love youguys! ThayGodimat offere. Secret Ambition: To find someone that can make me crave the wave backwards
Rosangela Iacovo

"Roe"

Ambition: Teaching  Memories: 4 yrs FB 3 yrs WR

Michael Juliano

"Jules"

Ambition: Successful career  Memories: 4 yrs FB 3 yrs WR

Ashraf Khan

"Ash"

Ambition: To be a success in life  Memories: Thanks for looking down on me

Ursula-Ann Klim

"Urs"

Ambition: To be remembered by almost everyone  Memories: 4 yrs TRACK 3 yrs XC/2 yrs WR

Ventia Kouzis

"Netta, Nee, Vee, Sneak"

Ambition: Music Engineer/singer  Memories: B/Fw/LBK/BAPK/SCG/RR

Justin Juba

"Spanky"

Ambition: To ignore everything and everyone  Memories: Great Times with L.V.

Carolyn Kaiser

Michael Justin King

"Mike"/"Kinger"/"King"

Ambition: College  Memories: 3 yrs Varsity

Secret Ambition: To realize that the greatest test of courage on earth is to bare defeat without losing heart. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

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Jack Kowalik  
"JK" Kowalski

Ambition: To be successful
Memories: 3 Yrs. VB-Ball, MyLife.
HnginW/BC, NK, KA, KG, NB, RF,
KL, HWWB, PB-madbox-CJUVY.
HCefJJC, MA-LYuYaIn<fx For
AllTheAdvice, GTAINE. MadTalks.
JCSickMove. BC-KeepStirring.
KHE/8.5DThelngcDntues. MK-
We'reStynClmp. MD-Boy.
WeluyThefellaJI, MJ, RR, BB-
KeepTakesMMyMone. MK&nt4getB-
dayPies. MSGBH-Thanx4AllYourHelp!
Mom, Dad, Kim, LuWyAndYour
AlwaysinMYHeart. I'llNever
ForgetYourHelp. ThnxForAllThe
Spt
Secret Ambition: To see If Anna
Nicole Smith Is Real.

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Kara Kulick

Ambition: Teaching
Memories: Soph. Socw/JW, CB.
AW, BT-CKN, Rage? lollypop?
Gottwheface/frog. DJ-Got a penny?
AM-NeedTheHeimlich? cpt. Veg. TG.
JK-Pickle. JC-wich grdge men/JK-
Disco Monte W/co-pilot Don. MS.
N-Gush96, ckn soup. JB-smells like
fries! DB-Got a Question? BT-Thnx 4
everything! I'll always luv u-more!
Meesh and the Princess AAF! Mom
Dad Paul and Gram - I luv u all.
Mom-my BF. Thnx 4 always being
there
Secret Ambition: I'll get back to you
on that one.

Stephen Kaybida

"Budda"

Ambition: To change the world
Memories: HANGINGW/,
ELAYNVRMUAJJ JRRESHPVLVC
THEROYS DOWNTHE SHORE'96'
OFFLOADING. WHERE'SMRK?
HANSSSTUCKTHE MUD? ELIN
THEJEEP THATGUY WANTEDTO
RACE. ATSMFIVD THATCIVIC/
ELCHASING THATBWM
ATGOODRIVE CHEITY WALKING1
ELONOURHIKES HANGINGW/ JCU
SUMMEROF'95 WHAT HAPPENED
TOSM? TOTOMSBUMBTHESHORE95
MIKESPARTY DRIVESTOWHERE
THANXS FOR EVERYTHGING
GAVEME. NEVERFORGET USTHE
TIMESWE SHARED THERIGHTONE
AND ILOVEYOU
Secret Ambition: To jump out of
that plane with Eubie Loya

Heather Lang

"Headley, Head"

Ambition: Doctor
Memories: 4 yrs V1 Onis,
2 yrs Capt. w/MM. 4yrsVTrk Jyrlntrk
w/IM, TN. Playm 1 Onisw/MM. TN. JP,
MD, 6 GirlsTeam. TN-U5DDD4BS!
MadCow. WantSomeGravyw/Thot?
O-Lit Hot E. Uhi! SpdBmp.
MadPhatWknds. KH-WhatAloser,
GR-BG. HoozHot? IM-BK. Labs. JS-
CJ &N/Y, MD-OlderBffr.ned. MO-
Strabery. JK-Hello! UK-SkTrp?
Gr8Xsw/TN, KH, JS, IM, MD, MM, MO.
QC, JS, DC, MF, NA. Mom, Dad &
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support. I love U!
Secret Ambition: To always say hello
and never goodbye, and to always
be able to handle it.

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Corey Landau

"Kore"

Ambition: To be successful
Memories: 1stDaySummer'96
phatPartyateT's house yo ETorry
about your rug, my bad what up
ETELPT + rest of HSPO"and"5
witmyboyzwas PhatPethaxor
thebeatdownI neededthemeyeas!
Ilovegettin thrownoutatl's
Placeeveryday Nexttimesleesleap
outsideSummer'96 wasworthitall
ThansMom + Den for Putting up
with me I'm finallyouttaPV

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Michele Lapaglia

Ambition: To be successful
Memories: TightSweaterDC
SENIORS/59

Jozef Laski

"Lask" Joe"n

Ambition: Find out many tricks
that takes to get to the center of a
Tootsie-Pop
Memories: PLUG-INI KHS
Crew4YRSV AKRAKX 400 PENN-
RELAYS/DONT65 the Bed DC DP KL
PP JR MCHM2 AP/HISTORY-DP8BC
Sdmr POLSKA DURI NICOLEPUZZO-
DEE Dikeed Aride! Ches-
POPU4EVER! JSA YOUR MOM! Phi-
INDUCTIONS DT SS BOY'SSTATE-
Ace-Ducee Steve What? Psychol-
yc TN KHTN 4 EVERYTHING
RobChrisMomDad. KimKelty lluvUl
I'MBATMAN. The MAN of Inte-
gence fixes HisGazeOn Wisdom.
PROVERBS 17:24
Secret Ambition: Engineer
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Michelle Jeanette Leech

"Mushy"

Ambition: Dental Hygienist
Memories: Wh Pitts Hn w-GB
4yrs SB Nard How many outs? RR-
NO he didn't drink ur Sprite! Hello -
CG BK w-JSNC JK-thanks 4 being such
a gr8 frnd LUV KK-the futr is r's
3-26-94 is 4ever 2-25-95 ... will
always in my hrt I'll never fr-g the fals
Cot 9596 Prom 96 DD w-GGB THE
WALL-we're surviving Bri ka: fam.
Dad. Mom. CindisTracy thanx
4erving Ur the Best! I LOVE
YOU!!
Secret Ambition: To be his baby
forever!
Christina Michaelina Leporini
"Chris" "Fluffy" "Fritzina" "Natalie"
"Reeloul"
Ambition: X-Ray Technician

Rebecca Ligieri
"Becky. Beckatha. Becca"
Ambition: To be a nurse
Memories... NOODLES52DC. MV. JhMrbr2 wheelasvtrs AnneRdJ5. MC. ME. JL. LS. TG II nvr 4getu Jlstayw/KGbrownths-hibng u"C" ILlvu DGroot umyPicasso DDrbrsldnes 3ytrs w/4yrstcrw! Girlsbo0GDeEn Irelandhere!Came! Crencusnscrew w/outstring? Canl'drivett Horn tmbible? ME. JhMrbrNYC.+ Yanks GOOD LUCK JlasEN RL FROSH Vl bgood Mom Dad I llvu thks 4everything CHUCK I LOVEYOU 4those4got thankyou everyhthing Secret Ambition: to own a Harley Davidson

Jonathon Lorusso
Ambition: Vagancy
Memories... 123EMASEh TEBLLI WQNIH TYEERICAN T EMMONK+ NODvDYF5 SATCALI VOYEBY MROGEEFPLA EVAHDGII e WNDAERUTIUE HTNINEM ITMOSUDY SEELL 'TWONK' NODTSu JIATHT SSEULI ODOTTN AWINGHTONS EREHDNASE VILLALTSM ROTNAWITA HT GNIHT YNA E DDT ' NEV AHDNADADEM' IWONTHANKFOR AWONDERERLTIME DLOGIR IAMAFOW ORANIL LASERV TCDPRO LOCXIS WOLSS KCDHLE HILLAN ILlAYA WATEDG LUOCHI SIWINW OLOSOTS MESEM ITGNDL ASIREV ERDF Secret Ambition: To take the same train for real, you know!

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Ambition: X-Ray Technician

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Eugene J. Loya
"Eubie"
Ambition: To be a cop

Kelly MacFarlane
"Splat"
Ambition: To survive the end of the world
Secret Ambition: Racecar Driver
John Macones
Ambition: Carpenter
Memories: ... ITS FINALLY OVER GREAT TIMES WITH JM, BG, BDM, SR, MP YAH, YAH, YAH. JM GOING BLIND, WAWACART, PSNN FLD, TOSSIN ORGAN HOLIDAY SE-TANK YOU! BDM FIDIGY FAT 180’S MELTZER’S CAR 95 BUSTED! SR Ms. GIZLET SHUT UP!!! ROLLER HOCKEY 94 MOM, DAD, JOE, JAY THANKS FOR EVERYTHING JEN I LOVE YOU!! JM GET A JOB WALKING STINKS!!

Steven Maisano
"S, Steve"
Ambition: To be rich and famous
Secret Ambition: To work at ShopRite with the rest of PV.

Riccardo Maritato
"Erie"
Ambition: To be rich.
Memories: ... GoodTimesw/The Boysaaatem Parkway TOACVULIAAA Turnpiketo Newark AirPort NWWhat GirlsATRI46 "FORD" ELThe Chickenfarm LeMonday NightshULIC Nightsin PToownAAR5LB1986JJB NeverAARJcRedLight JRPuchach SKWalleyelex Pexus5 SaturnToYour motherat phatparty VUDidwe justgethitATCoilsprings SBWE5SEX BD8ZJIAAJC Memday weekend96 AA SummerSchool Camping96four wheelingw/theboys AGoto Germany
many VVWRabbit AmcataCmaks Thanks MomDad

Erika Anne Martinez
"Erika"
Ambition: Business
Memories: ... 4yrsGarg Chnghd w/V3yrsVB, DJL, MknvGrtXsW/ JELDADec17 sn3d DC6yrsBF TnxXNARDSkp AllseetsSHn! BELMAR Vet gtww/me AliLtdnwnt Mcds! Frankx 138WW 96dki Se5Defatldy Tnx 4 AllIDMs Mem Alprr Mseever. Kspning. Tnx4km My HdUp. LtsGo 2DAlke. JNNvrgtU1 LwvJTMh4 DAtks. Dskgtfime FrndSflyn W/nts! JELDA Tnxs4 StndBetaL LvU1 MOMP DADDThnx 4ptnpugw/me. Tina Renee Apgees4Da Attitude! I Luv U! WHOSBEN?
Secret Ambition: For everyman to realize that women are not just objects but companions.

Manuel E. Martinez
"Manny"
Ambition: To Be Happy, Successful, and Wise
Memories: ... 4yrscX/ TRK BC, JR, KL, EL, MG, JM, LM, ND, hair AC? 50-X 4yrScheme NA, JL, RL, GZ, K0@rahamas. JP, SP, JA AcadTeam. JR, TB, FR, SD LifCht. melikeRP, NP, T N, KH .. KING OF THE Hillw/Lovass + Buk. DocsFlock. KNO 3+ C6H12O6 = BOOM. NutMonkey/Fil-A-PBS. driving around in my invisible car. JBeatALOT. pV=nRTfsf = ma. oneday the good guy will win! That which does not kill me can only make me stronger ..... JAR ...
Secret Ambition: To have the world circle around me.

Joseph Mastrogiovanni
"Joe" "Mastro"
Ambition: To be Successful
Secret Ambition: To never let fear hold me back.

Lawrence McCave
"Lar"
Ambition: College
Memories: ... 3 yrs bsktble. HGN w/CC, BT, JT, SP, BO, AB, AB, KEEP TRYN. CHLNw/KF, DP, EM, JC, RD, NC, CL, LC, JE, ML, ST, DS, JR. WOOD 96, C-NOVA W/ CL, EL, KF, JR, ML, ST, LLL’s LBR D96 MAD WU+ BK’s, CHLN AT RD’S PLYN PPTMDN. TNX MCM, DAD, KERRY, ERIN 4 EVRYTHG.

Erik Martin
"Martin"
Ambition: College
Memories: ... 4wres2FRall 4 bsball Chillin timesw/FP, JC, JC, KF, LM, NC, RD, MI, ST, CL, DC, TV, DS, JS, RF, OH, JV, DH, DS-2@RDein! old skoolw/MJ, RR, SC, MB, RH, AP, NP, SD. s o p h s u m @ NC w/ evry l. WW95w/CS, RL, KF, MB, ST, JR, GM, MM, M-DAY965HUH? "W98w/ST, JC, KF, NC, MI, JR, DS, JS, ML timesw/2e BT, JAtjustchillin. MomDad"I’m sorry" for the past and the future ... thanx for being there! JasonPTony-Good Luck! Chemw/CS LATER ...
Secret Ambition: ... To have the world circle around me.

Seniors/61
Shaun McComb
"Nips"
Ambition: Criminal Justice
Day Weekend 96Nips Never Forget The Forklifts, Raibno Catering, TheWarmth with CedarGrove. Chilling At TheGasStation, and 7-11. JD-She's bad. JT-GetOur DailyDose Mlg. ThanxTo All MyFamilyAndFriends. Could'n'tHave doneItWith outYou JC. WeWill OpenThe BikeStore WithJT.
Secret Ambition. To be the disciplinarian at P.V.H.S.

Laura McEvanna
"Laur/" Lar/" Daisy"
Ambition: Medicine
Memories... VRXC wb/JmCapts96 K1UK mKs Bc J1Jba Ana ClgE1GsMgVRTRKw/TnHldcJL Tnb1Madcow MooOLord Twin1WuvU Tgakgm. Ch-BtrgrsDlttn LikeAsis. Jmbrtte3Memyss WowVisit IluvU4evr. Hl. Brgrkn.
Secret Ambition. To tell the bull I'm sorry.
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Drew McMahon
Ambition: To golf for a living
Memories... 4yrs. VGolf 1yr. Soccer. Summers golfing at PGCC. goodtimes shooting poolgolfing w/JS. PAL FBallw/IT, CC, PB, JS, SP, BO, BC, BT, MB, & KL. PB. The ProblemIs the readlist. MeadowlandsTrack. ByardBball/PA & JSFishing down the shore 8/96. Driving aroundinJeoffs dads truck and my10car. NFL sundays watching the fish. Thanks to everyone in my family, you're good people.
Secret Ambition. To win all 4 majors.

Megan Mendillo
"Meg/" Egamay/
Ambition: Medical Research
Memories...: 4yrs Vrsy tennis snr co-captin w/HL Great times w/ GDbb J5now in Vrn MT Sndld and Spmz. Skiing in Vt w/ CK and JP are you on? Moo! TN Madcow! Drgnbrth SO Yes you can count CB, CT Inch TN, MD, CG, SC, BC, MT, MV, JK-APBio (fun england'96 Flural Lots of love and thanks to Mom, Gdma, Gdpa, Steve, Jon. "the kids" and everyone! Good Luck class of '97!
Secret Ambition. To always take the road less traveled.
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Jennifer Joyce Minchin
"Jen/" Little One/" Minchin/
Ambition: Biology
Memories... 4yrs VTb3yrxVXC2yrs Captw/bfilm Ldrgw/gul.mjrlks/Ja5 & boys WewillBinvncb LAuRthegr8est RT3BF! Pntgtherkwr/ LmEJmMkAMAN whrmkyeys? URSwegot jackets $ Laurgot HnrMenLVU! KATWIN12 & Pbfsmkmknenks. ERINluJlualways Umeathewrld2me 32490Yes March! LBPpKIE1 DpnDmSnDnd FnrmdlesW/JB, Lab/M/MS & CR. HrbNvr4gctu iluqyda2. FrhmbudsDmNaljPb. LuvUMom & DacslnhtHaveGoten ThurItAll w/outUthr4me.
Secret Ambition. To never take any thing for granted.
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Tripha Minery
Ambition: Teacher
Secret Ambition. To be able to eat and eat and never gain weight.

Donna Miller

Anna Marie Miraglia
"Anna"
Ambition: Counselor
Memories… I ysftball, 3yrstallanClub, Growing w/RB, CB & MS, kdIwutnuror beingthere! Kkurmymestbud! GotagumCP? Summer95Dh, 9thparw/CB, AW, kk, MS, mSUrgreatfriend. Woods96w/ RBCB, Spal.adv95/ CRUIRthe greatest. NeverforgetU Pizzaw/CPKkHz! Italy96 w/fam. Don’tgothereBT! Bagell95-96. PurplehairCPAP. lmChem95! Alwaysmyheart l Grazieper tutti!
Secret Ambition: To one day be able to deal with pain and disappoint-
.

Ingrid Eileen Monteagudo
"Porky"
Ambition: To be extremely happy.
Memories… FallenInLuv w/Jeff. IfUonlyknewwutu meantome! LUV UW/Allmyheart. InGRID-N-JEFF 5/27/96. Summer of96 w/JB. To-JR. IC, CC, RG, ND, DB, JG, BCand thers of the crew!ar my BF’s EJ, ET, TB, LI, CH, NB, JF, JvmyIFFE. ICtanhx4everything CChanhx4being there4me. Allmy Luv to myfamily. Kirby toiltile BLV! All the animals-SR, Dr Katz! Jeff, Islam, Dv, Chris Thanx U4BEING THERE4ME. RG (goofy) JB (MISTERTEF) HAI! ILOV UJEFF
Secret Ambition: To be taller than Islam and for my sister to stop sleeping and get a job!

Janelle Marissa Montgomery
"Jen," "Jay"
Ambition: To own my own Beauty Salon.
Memories… BBF-NB, ET, TP, MV. NB + ET-Czng Trmpk, Cherry Coke! NB-Florida 96-Wikng McD’s. YeahRight! Don’t tell Tiff. TP-NB Hngn in Nutley. I lyvFC, ET-Rd Acura + Snowbnk-dn’t Misi NB, ET + TP. MAlways be my BF’s. Don’t forget the Pcm! TP-Sayreville 4! Mom, Dad + Randy-Thanx 4 always being there, I luv you guys! PS-I Can Stop Taeking!
Secret Ambition: To find a riddle that was lost forgotten.

Kirsty Mori
"FLACA"
Ambition: To be successful
MEMORIES… w/BF, JR, AP, JG, GF, w/BD, JJ, PR, CHeAks. LOV YA, DC, THANX FOR. ALWAYS BEING. HONESTFUL Summer of ’96, JC ’95RULED. MG, I’M GLAD WE BECAME, GF, NFG AP & I WILLALWAYS BE. MY SK. JR, REM FUNX’s, THANX FET. JRYR’95 RULED! ’SR, U. WILLALWAYS HAVE’AP’ IN’MY’ HEART! NMWIF ‘YOUR’ THEORY DON’T B/CREALITY. WILDWOOD WJ/ FLWAZ’DA’BEST’ MOMN. RICH. LOV YA!’ IS FUNNY I N/KWI’ I HASTILL ITS GONE CLASS of’97.
Secret Ambition: To be kept a se-

Stephen Morrison
"Morrisey"
Secret Ambition: Why would I tell you, your not my friend.

Kristen Murphy

Ryan Murphy
"Murph"
Ambition: Master Chief
Memories… FRESHMAN FOOT­ BALL, TRACK AND FIELD, MR. SEULINGS HISTORY CLASS, FOOD FIGHTS IN THE CAFETERIA, CHILLIN IN THE HALL WITH FRIENDS, FIRST PERIOD SENIOR YEAR… THANKS FOR EVERYTHING MOM AND DAD …

Melissa Ann Negrotto
"Mel, Melis, Mim"
Ambition: To open my own day care.
Memories… 4yrsCG KMDon’t for­ get the Junior Ct 95 let’s go to Hoboken BFW/KMJSME FW/ LNKJMKK NKBLGD KMDon’t forgetOC 95 + 96 KIMtanhx4being mybrother MK + Methans4beinthere KMosophmore gym’period Guess whowasthere KMyour 16thparty owhatanight GDalways getting into trouble Thanxmom + dad 4alwaysbein there4mewhen I neededyouguysh Thanx55, A4allyourhelp all4yrs seeyaPV! Secret Ambition: To find my prince and to live in Cinderella’s castle.
Teresa Angela Nicosia

"T. Terri, Tressa"

Ambition: Education
Memories... 4yrs/OT Drk 2yrstdrkr. HL-usd4b$, headly, anyway, mad pht. O-LittHo/f, O'Scott. KH-CM. BB, Bbr-Wnn, GAGky, Hooz hot, like BAllt more... , Luv/UAlwys.
p1d/o$$. LM-OLord, 1maGoBm. RR-GP, MrSpap1lAPP, DC-NoDoubt, OutLike Cays. MF-Thanx/4Liseaun, We'IA1wys HavOurBlu's. MM-Madcow. BW. JS-F198. SMM. GrFxW/Hl, Kh, Lm, Rr, De, Mi, Mm, Mm. Js, Js. Jl, Mo, Km, Sg, Kl, So, Na. Jb, MamaE Papa-GraziTed Vgo/lie Bene. Thnxbros4 BeingThere 4Me. Secret Ambition: To always find something positive in my life to be happy about.
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Allison Nitch

Ambition: Visual arts
"One is taught by experience to put a premium on those few people who appreciate you for what you are."
YRROSM/IADAD/MOM! YADEMO SHTOB EVOSI DEUPEH. DEENUS SENIPP AHEHTD NARAEO TDNLB ERAJOY YTJAUER ENTROF. ANNOD, USAC. DLROWS INTRO SJROICE RPOOT. LUOSSLU FITUAE BAERAU. ABFABX SW.AR. MS. JA. JPI. WONS/ NOOSW Odamer asyadt sensaeht. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Marcel Oldja

Ambition: Doctor
Jr Cotw/ TN-NevFrgtis. TV. Fmout. Mom, Dad. Sis. & FamThnx 4everything! I'llMakeUAUProud
Secret Ambition: To always be at the right place at the right time.

Nicole Oliveira

Ambition: MONEY!
Secret Ambition: To live today without dwelling on yesterday and without worrying about tomorrow.

Sabian Nieves

"Sabes"

Ambition: Make lots of money.
Memories... I came into PV intheletterpart of 1994. Over the next days everyone quickly began enjoying myself. The people that I've encountered at PV, are great. Maximo, Tamika, Jim Murphy, Natasha, Jerome, Katya and Bowiere are people who I feel hazereal beengoodfriends. Altheday Pampscalled me Scrots. The1996PV footballseason. Katya, thanks fortheadvice. Duen: thecoolestguyinPV. Ryanrocks thehouse. HLF, keytomyheart always.
Secret Ambition: To finally live in reality, not in P.V. mentality.

Mosopeoluwa Abosede Oggunyemi

"Shopay"

Ambition: To not be what everyone expects me to be.
Secret Ambition: To learn to shut up, and finally remember.
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Mirko Oldja

Nicolette Ortiz

"Nikki. Nick. Cole"

Ambition: interior designer
Memories... 94Chillin/RRDDBK KRCSCRD JESSCN5N. Memsofthegood XsChillin w/Fat AVMLMC5MJP JD-Loveguy: Akmagidtshpg Chillinin Hackensack w/SSPMPGSPJPEJP. Right! Memday weekend96 PromWeekend w/SSSCGWJ & LodiCrew. SSURMYBF. ILOVEULIK ASIS. JP & NO10-15-96. Hopethissisthestartofsomethinggreat Ch & ACthecabinet calling. Mom & TomThnx4everything. I LoveUl GrandpalHopeto makeUproud! NO & SSBBFE!
Secret Ambition: To live each day to its fullest.
Brian Ostrowski  
"Iggy"  
Ambition: College  
Memories...Chillin w/myboyz CC, JT, SP, BT, Pudge, Erms, upat MickeyD's inalin Pic's car w/#2, Goingupto BTHOUSE w/Friends, Down Shore w/Boy, AS + AK, don't mix, Fallin out in R Field during games. Classes we're good. Chillin Multimeda. PhatClass. Parents are cool. Help me buy car. Overall Rosepath since G.P.V. notbad 4/4years still Got Time Left 4Chill until June. Good Luck Ever Body!

Angela Palazzo  
"Shorty"/"Angie"  
Ambition: College  
Secret Ambition: Happiness that Lasts A Lifetime.

Andrew Pampanin  
"Pamps", "Drew"  
Ambition: Own A Business  
Memories...4yrs Ftbl Gt Xsw/RhsD NpsCmbkf MJtRlpCs Tmdt Stit Clifand Quary Gt Xs Memorial Day Wkd R V090 + Here We Go! Gt Xst Sd "Yeah" Jt Thankx for Everything AAMJ Jt What timesit? Jg Fat Sandwiches Chillin worksheets/Mt Grandmas Car "You'reUgly" Jn "Tease?" Hope Uprove ME wrong! Brawlats Lps Np3rdgforever Sp Wld Wd Prking Lot Go NY! Ns Wht Colr? Mk Cc Bt Fds Mom + Alisa, Thnx for always being there I'll make u proud! What? Later!  
Secret Ambition: To Move on to Bigger & Better Things.

Nickie Papastavrionoudis  
"Nicke, Poppy"  
Ambition: To be successful  
Memories...5th period lunch w/HP and The Invisible Man. Field Hockey w/DZ, AK, TG, HP, BBFE-AD, DP-going out the window. Rag Shop, Totta w/DH. BBFE-MR I'm going to tell everyone. I Luv ya PPR/TG. Dan ishFriends forever. AD, DP. Remember  
all the adv. getting lost, and all the go and fun. Mark stop taking our seats! Linda and Angie Luv ya! Mom and Dad Thnx for everything! Angie good luck in PV!  
Secret Ambition: To make all my dreams come true.

Carmela Pacente  
Ambition: Psychologist  
Memories...lyritalianClub. growingup w/BFMG, FMP.F.95-96 ItalyMeet AMHealth Class. AM Thankss for allu hav edoneforme. Urmybody fromPV-F.R. tryingto steal gum from NM.96breaking up w/RB. Chokingat Burgerking w/AM & KK. SpringBreak '97 Bahrain, NP. FLR somuchfun goingout FPs w/AM, KK, FB, MOM, DAD + Angelo, Graziepetuttoech poehaveate fattermer. Iluq ol poumon daddhene.  
Secret Ambition: To fall in love.

Mariesa Catherine Pami  
"Rea", "Reas"  
Ambition: To fulfill all my dreams w/out looking back saying "I wish I had ..."  
Memories...Ralphie BFFEP + yWdAbys Snowboardin RlsDaWrd AA CaltDown sm06 FFLveu JTMK. SMU JmyGrw'96 RS96BJSJj isis AvwhylSltltiRimg? KFn BtrsmPS95: LsFLACIS97 Ptsmy HesQy Nt86Jhve Apkep SMllin Ranlupmch? Jmstupid. 5Bfreetst MPaws BtrReBg Maries ... KjrCrM LvAtJrRj AbStBdJrAv NAKedGuy NOV16 DG4vckup ' thxn 4 exing Level Mom, Dad, Jer, Lvre 4 lots! GLlveul! Alaque lost wittol splov NovS8 BNVF96  
Secret Ambition: To forgive and forget on the stairway 2 heaven and when I get there for my Grandma Geri to open the gates and welcome me in.

Jason Micheal Pandorf  
"Jay"  
Ambition: Carpenter  
Secret Ambition: To remain a se cret.

Steven Pasquariello  
Steve "Passk"  
Ambition: College  
Memories...4seasons of Soccer WELLDONE GREEN!!! MT showin Herman 4 yrs. Baseball/BO, FT, CK, AM, PEl Hangingoutwith BO, JT, CC, BT, Pudge, Erms and the Falls. Wrestlin AB6JT1 kickedyourbutt! Skankin'/Pffill!!! Hey Pamps where'd Ugetthose speakers Warped Tour '96at ATThnx Mom & Dad 4ever anything.

Seniors/65
Heather June Peer
H

Ambition: to be successful
Memories: . . . MA. thanx-being there 4me.A.R. ILUVremember it was inside no matter what. POP.I. FEARD.Z. Watchtornucurb VPVGMrs.SD. ART.GNPBBFE ILuvUaAll Bruratre-friend E. give me my snorlheynay A.Tnj.C7IP1. MND. Zthanx4dvicev EN.BFln4GthanxLA. R.PU SweatlittBMr Bmsrlthanx TGN TBFISD DSH. Rericikenrock RWCass98 Mom llalwayslov Ull Never 4get Ull wish UUerestill W/me family thanx 4support.

Nicholas Pastula
Nick "the Nuclear"

Ambition: To keep my family proud Memories: . . . BOUNCIN' w/SC. SD. RH. AP. MB. SC-my BFforever By My Side-Iluv You Like My Bro SdTheTruNucleus -StillPartyn 'DICRN ILuvThis BigUp to the Trend! ASmDP my BFToThe End JP in Ud my FirstBoy AP3rdGrade JTNFL CHILEN at Cliff Quary SdBaseament all the memories CRAZYCREEVIN MemorialDwnk 95964th July-Homeless SummerBBFreeFall PVFootball 96Captain ThnksCoachP Last Mom. Dad. Di. Em. Mar. I Luv You. Secret Ambition: To stay on the Low End Theory.

Renee Fhifer
"Chickymonkey" Deezy


Lisa Polzer
"Li, Lis"

Ambition: to be successful Memories: . . . 2yrs VRAh Rah 4yrs White Onse HDw/CV. VBFW/"CSchTm. BF w/DT. CI & Quary SbtMcs DTS6S RshDnp MpbApGr Xsw/JmpBd Bg. SBqlkBnLu? BunWcsShdvFln Frnds-4E. CSAnti Gumbry Ml/Wht Vic078VF. TMMylolst FrndBubNTrOCoG6Firel DBlus wrtOC95 MnyMems 2Bad It Had2BT hsway. RHbfIKmbr lSOPhYr. KHbb5bWbFsy Liticcomplex. EF-5R-Nite. Jc/SC § S5w/RH. CSTkitty-Shoons-BQ § Knucal STORM! VirnaPrk. OW-Emph! Mom & Dad-Thanks 4 EvryThng LuVYas! Secret Ambition: To one day learn from my mistakes. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Anjali Patel
"Anj"


Frank Pergola

Ambition: No Pressure Memories: . . . Sumr'95 chllun NC § thc w1luv! MJThBt snvrstp floodsm96nvr4-get Uysrogous "John" oldslclwnY2go2 Bch? Alwysmlbsthks4 ikngot4me Goom! E rika thx4 - me md t dck y l3 8 Pevnntowwu wrlythbtttrInvr4-getmek Pyrhupaly LuvU BRICKCK ya Ahyrmr myboyz! JKCFEM RDJCR NCSRRJ MBJAN 94get UMom § Dadthnx 4ptngup w/mellUUVU Hometeam! ThnxBree § Linda "Turningapppnnmr" Grandma § Grandpa Invr4-getUUI 'PV" Later! hpnvrCU' sign. Secret Ambition: To know why life is so short and Death is forever.


Michael A. Picarelli

"Pic"


Sharon Post

"Nah ist Und schwer zu fassen der Gott. Wo aber Gefahr ist, Wacht Das Rettende auch."

Friedrich Holderlin

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Hans Philip Prell  

"Blue Leader" 


Secret Ambition: To be the most feared criminal mind in America.

Nicole M. Puzzo  

"Chickmonkey" "Nickle"  


Joanne Renne  

"Jo"  

Ambition: College Memories . . . Greattimes w/KM. AP, LG. RG, DC! Wildtwood w/RR. RG. JG. TM. wurDaBEST!! K = To the left to theRIGH! Atl City#32! MEMDAY wkn! RuleDIN7Yrs! EVE WAZI! FRAN'Nv4' getul SoPhyR. NP. DZ- AP-FH! CHRSV. Luv Your HAIR!! COOLEANS!! ! Luv - LCCOULJ! YANKESAPRULES! LST IN THE == ROOMBOXY! P. LOWER IT#! MOM, DAD P. I LUV U! THANKS'4 EVERYTHING! Good LuckPV97'S-27-96.

Danielle Puesstel  

"De"  

Ambition: Nurse Memories: Mom. U said there's no going back u taught me 2 always stay ahead bstrong and never fall behind. The time has come where I made it 2 the top and I'm looking ahead of me and never back. Ilov U Venessa-Thanks 4 Being there always I Luv U. VPJPHR6 Khv. GE LMWOOD PK SD 5 SC ALIBUBBA - The Fl BALL GAME NALA-your Hair! LG Jyr 'th Per SR - The Tunnel I Don't Know VPDPBF Secret Ambition: TO HAVE ALL MY DREAMS COME TRUE.

Raymond Reddin  

Ambition: Always keep my head up. Memories . . . Hangin w/MJ. SC. KF. RH. NP. MB. AP. SD. JT. JC. FP. EM. MT-Lots of Gr8's GoodLuK guys. RH-Only could talk 2U when were b.FKD w/SC. NP. KF. FreeFall-DH. SC- Its all good. MMD96 w/evry. 8Dwik w/AP "HereWeGo" M. + RHmy boyz! thans 4 takin care of me. LivWell RI + D'S-mytaw girls. DT-Many fun x's wont 4get U. MJ-Thaxx 4 being like a brothrr. Mom. Dad. Ry. Ant. Mike-Your the best. Thaxn 4 everything. Secret Ambition: To be as wonderful to my children as my parents are to theirs.

Max Reynoso  

"Maxi. Max Factor. Mad Max"  

Ambition: Pro Baseball Player Memories . . . Qnly. BTinPR w/DVWSstMylACAYM. BFW/GNA. DNA. D. J. U. FnyTLK2SC. RANGERS1# GT inginthlnch w/DZB B L4yrsfb1cmcn N D winnFf Ug sw/ DW, NR. KG. CL. SR. DK. YM. DM. K. KM. AP. LN. JN. WILL A WAYS Luvless #2RulzThxMrF4 bbiTiptMsC4ev thruGBRhrlum C OMEThxMOM ++ D AD4 ev yth Mi ssu Ag ustin Nubby L uva Both IcanA lwy s get sumInCASAB IANKA RmnbrdA mistakesRLike Nppleevylh has AtLeast 15.

Joseph Rintzillo  

"Rmz. Seph"  

Ambition: To own a restaurant Memories ... Chillin/JdBbhVv VuAtrm AHeMe JmBqJm RtbEl MWD96 Vu-ve Quiet Afarena EL-BadStuf Jd Wartwup Baby WhatUneed Nv-lwnt Fog Lites Here Kitty Tata Aa-No Respt At-WnAmecm Rm-50 Pic-ChanPerf Jm-Hyip17Qk FSUcump PlayClnds-VuMeS5 EvbrdylyetsGoHme ChillinAtGelo Shane-UrAmeex BrunoCrw Mo-Pio4v Russ-Imortal 1stTOLL MomDad Thans 4evrthng Mel Ree NoMoreSchool Roe-UpayUp.

Charissa Ryle Roan  

"Red " "Waa " "Clee"  


Secret Ambition: To be in a League of My Own.
Rosanne Roccasanta
"Maria" "Consuela" "Juanita Gonzales" "Ro"
Ambition: Teaching
Memories . . . 4 yrs BF w/ AC-ups n dns bt w/B BFFE; Glfrnd, Llw/AGP; Dmrguage, AC-Cn I tkurpetz? ER cncttxi, Fashitson RP gt clid, Gbin, pp sm DTPG, DDD, chpcmlulALAS, Dl-1 Ilup2u, fgtas, 2 wng FoeBdzC, CD, FLB, Expo, BKlyn. NU1-2 MCLP, ML-myspr, Dmnm DmsAsh, JC-YEAH! I3ys Trs9-MS nthgd. ADC-plmp! Itly 9596-Coes. Ul. Ma. Dad. JKJSJ-spry so mdy Ul Lloglio bene! Ma-ur the bomb! 2mny gdths 2 wrt abt! Thnks! Ciao! Pull Its all over!
Secret Ambition: To stop thinking about what I should have done, because deep in my heart I know that it wasn't worthy.

Nicole Rogalski

Rogalski

Mike Rogalski
Ambition: To Meet Mikey Mouse
Memories . . . It's been fun JC, JP, Mi, hnwawaybe w/ Llw, Tothe screw all way and forever.
Secret Ambition: To Hang With Mr. Manson.

Ana Maria Rosado
"Ana Banana"
Ambition: To be all that I want to be.
Memories . . . Remember SR C-DAY at Rt. 80, Feelbad 4 C.L, D.Z., N.P., H.P., T.G., S.B., and R.P. field hockey crew. D.Z. LUV Ul. Good Luk w/T.V. Remember the get-away car. To my BF J.G. thxs 4 All the great memories. I will never regret the day I met U. Luv u always. 3-4-95 Roy-Illuv Ul. Good Luk w/school. Mami y Papi gracias por la savilida que me han dado. Los quiero mucho.
Secret Ambition: To raise my children in a colorblind world.
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Melissa L. Rosolen
"Mel"
Ambition: Broadway
Memories . . . PV-AstArt $ endw/Frendz: SB, JV, JT, DC, RS, DS $ All The "CoolOnes" ThnxToAllWho Strdfo The End Activities-4yrG5 (headPstrs & chrrng) 4DmCib (CoPrez) Sfbl, Gymn, Choir & othrCibs. MemzVerSk1Trp 94, Seasd94JT & 95CH, 1 st Grd SBandwlyBfs, EUROPE96, GSprty93 $ on. Thnkxch
suchngdmy lfe, FamilluvUl w/outyourupport it would've been lost. "A loud voice cannot compete with a clear voice, even if it's a whisper."
Secret Ambition: To own a B & B off an interstate highway (in new England) with my cousin.

Maria G. Russo
"Grace, Grax"
Ambition: Physical Therapist
Memories . . . Chillin'w/JG, AC, JK, JA, NS, CK, AM, AC, JG, JV, NC; I'm STUCK'N DA MUDI! CrazyX's n NYC 3yrs Party'n at Ul 2yrs stuck'n HAB nuff said can't get SKING stuk'n PA w/JG, Lionking & ALLDASNOWChilln w/GnJw/Nacho & Tommy BW + I MaxLuvYalots MomsPopsMike & Claudia Luv Ul always $ thanx I'll handle it from here Ba-Bye I'm out!!!
Secret Ambition: To Touch the Sky.

Michael Saba
a.k.a. "Mike"
Ambition: U.S. Marine Corps
Memories . . . JR, LN, KG, Real friends till the end. E.P., C.R., JR., Bestsummer'96. Gonderschmitz rule. Lauren Ul will always have a special place in my heart. To mom, Stan and Ro thanks for everything. Go Class Of '98.
Melissa Saia
Ambition: To live a Happy life. Memories...IHOP95w/NicoleSThroughthick & thin/W/Cori & Rae...English "95-96" w/AM, AP, SH...Mom thanks for always being there!!! I love You!!! SMTW...IC, TC, NS, CB, MS, DO, MP, AM, JC Big SMSo silly!!! Islamihuman... Pow Pow Power! IluvU4Ever. JN. No b st lookin...EO N ig a re the cra zest most fun freshmenyear R Gi sthe sweetest F ull mo on makes m e crazy. People make no sense..."urt JT & MS. Fore ver stuck at the heart. Imakeno sense Peace.
Secret Ambition: To stop thinking so much.

Shannon Salveson
Ambition: College Memories...CHILLINw/NCL KANGATA...LUVUALL. NC...Never forget camping PromWknd w/NOCSC5GA2JW & Lodierew. NC & JK LET5GO CREEPING/JC. Thanks for listening to all memories. NC. Let's gotoRamapo. NO. had fun hanginin Sacw/JP/MJP/JPG...JRight! NC & JK. Let's have fun with sisters. I love U. AA. you are to good. NO. Never forget grt times - Thx for always being there, sis. MOM, DAD, Blair, George, Debbie, Mike. Thx for everything. I love U. NO = SS-BFFE. Secret Ambition: to be like Nicole Ortiz.

Joselie Sanchez
"Josie"
Ambition: I want to work with computers. My memories are that I had friends that I used to be with. I will miss them al ot. I had a boyfriend named Chandler Debolt, and I love him so much. Secret Ambition: I want to work with computers.

Luis Santana
"Junior"
Ambition: To be famous. Memories...I'm Happy I'm getting out of the PEN. I want to remember all the good times. MP my 1st LO VE. MS remember all the good times. KG you've been a good friend. I'll be there for all of you.

Nicole Santo
Ambition: Marine Biology Memories...BFw/VMnr4gUK WhatSm SDR Von MM ST "WHRRWE" PKWSDM RBUUC EVRPIL U4EVRWGW96 GR EMSc utngmnt ETgfslw JC & RDye & n9495wrs CFULR95MW wMDF w ettbst496 CMM1UMem9nat EDWrsatGDS 9185085, WW96 unfgtbg 2mdK5UmD5D AcmpsD5Ust PDRNKSP96 JMW WW 90123...SMBJED & S & EM & DOH4R wehds hagdf shmnyr ILLMV R 4GY OUTHANKX DAD & MOM4 ALWS BNGTHR4MJS2L UY LL ALWSY BFMY LtrRQ. GS = DIARY MS = MOM. DA. Tk&4GWMN MO5UTM STILVU. Secret Ambition: To one day have a relationship with my mom.

David Saoud
"Dash"

Steve Sanders

Tracy Schoenerger
Melinda R. Shabka

Ambition: Law

Memories... GRB's w/KK-AM-AW-SG-NS-GZ-UK-MS-JL-4yrSB /2yr DM funx's w/8kjrbs. GUSSHE, YMYES, Friz Bl, CT, & cts. Always ready for any sport, win or loss. Love playing tennis. Always try to make it to the next game. And my favorite, if I could be a fly on the wall...it would be to be a fly on the wall at the wedding...Worship the Grape God.

Jennifer Shields

Ambition: College

Memories... 4yrS Rah RAhBFfE w/TNHLuvuGUys LVNSThelecedtea? AtTffhnx 4evrythingAT & JM-thehce. craise MPIHI, NYwilntnfr4g et -TNFLORIDA 96Ukhnx 4beingaGR8 friendluvuMR -GR8time beingyour RAHRAH/htnx4 evrything luuvJFFE wilnfr4getku BDGR8time inaccounting luuvRUM 2nevr4getk busses KT JGallthe s LVuvuothBB & PHPhs. ?tperiodGR8xs 2evrylelse Goodluck & BeHappy AlwaysThansx4the memsMomDadkel TersSean thanx2 myGrandpaluvu ByePV.

Secret Ambition: To keep smiling no matter what happens (DJ). NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Robert Simek

Ambition: Surf the world

Memories... TOALLTHABOYS: LOU, JUICE, RICK, BUDDA, HANS, BONK, UBIE, JUST, VIN, NICK, TRAP WHEREARE WEGOING? LB195* JCAT, ARI WMFUFORD LORENZO'S INEEDA MACOTIE ROSEPLACE ANTS HPYRJ, AA, JRHUCNATAM w/EMATHHPYTHYP FIRMILB195* AA, RIMGORIGHT! 7/6FLX2MR BFCHIZEN w/400zEL, MR, BILLY ROLOCH EATROSEF JC, AS, BIG UPS, MRS.GS's w/RM, AA, AT NEWYRS9? NYC. OK. THANKS EVERYONERS "ANDIN THEIRSOUl FROM THE FIRSTIME YOURUP, TILLYOUDE.

Janette Soohoo

Ambition: To adventure on any ride I may wish to pursue with health, happiness, and success.

Memories... 3yrsV-ball, 1yrB-ball, 1yrSftball, Cncts, IntreviewHERESTO: "APEACHROSE", Silkshker, drm'sed do-nut, saphrscll, froshtmO26, ctnapspyhaye, shw'my ignrvhay, evnwill AlleyNT + MA. TOJSWOULDN'T OFBRENTHESESM W/OUTU! FFE! BRYOUREATSWEETEE! D fizYffall8PDS, CRWDDERSOFHNCHTLE W/ONP + 15 + 1 WRK6BETHWOOD w/TM + RR. TOMYMMOM + DADILUVUBOTH SOMUCH! THANX4EVERYTHING! ALLEN-NOWIT'SYOURTURNKID. GOODLUCK + HAVEFUN!

Secret Ambition: To always bend (when nessary), but never to break!

Jeffrey John Skrabak

"Skatch"

Ambition: To get rich quick

Memories... 3yr VBALL, 3yr B- BALL, 2yr SOCCER, 1 1/4yr XC, and yr GOLF?? DEWY WHAT'S WORSE, PAT OR 7, or G?7? Byard BALL PB, DM, XC, US, JL, JAY, 10BEANS. MRT 96-97 ALL IT TAKES IS A DOL L & A DREAM LV, 777 4ME? MAYBE 7-11 93 WORTHIT? WHERE'S BIG BLUE? NO MORE PVHScrNJ NOW ITS UNLV & NFIVALLY, WHATZUP2DMNC MOMTVJDBM BYT NKR HMJLGJRR CMFLJ GOBYBE PCGC THANKS MOM & DAD VIVA LAS VEGAS! Secret Ambition: To beat Drew at his game.

Michele Staufer

Ambition: Elementary Education

Memories... Summer93 Rules- CP340, HIGHLAND A VEW ARWICK, 7-7-93 Never4Get-APRILU helped me throughitall, & MD-Nhrs. LIZ-LotsOf LAUGHsin theBes, DriveBy's, 4hours2theShore, BlueStang, Stuckin theSnow, JD'S 5K, LOVEYOU FROM Week end, 4aminmyCloset.

Mikey'sParty, 10-8-95 Seaside, Geolotis OffRoading, FriNiteSkitrips, 21, ShopRite OverRide DePaul SR, MiriamMom & SamiLove You DAD, I'm Going To Make You PROUD.

Secret Ambition: To stop sweating J.P.

Danielle Strothers

"Dan"

Ambition: Success and Happiness

Memories... 4ysSocr-Cpt-NUNchs 3yrsBB 1yrTrk/DsSd - 7wps 1yrGrChr97 Bf/DsAv GrBx/evrL XF5atRd's RRinPA LsrLS- LostNyoWw/Mt LALAP/NcCJcC Sum9SsA Cw's A-smnwelday MDW8sooap Opr/AvD/B5mk Vrmtn8 859sh-TndLhbGrBx/sBm Jl2gpMrRt DtAc/HLWN96 Gs-bf2MnyOdxs GmStolMyBp+ Min-StolPknAtMe BRMDA/Nc-my hart 4evr LuVulwys - Ds-CdrtLuVw/outI Mom & Fam Thanx 4everlyng LuVl.

Secret Ambition: "To change by not changing at all" P.J.
Deanna Leigh Strothers
Amusement: College Memories... 4 yr BS Soc #5 Cpt GDxsw/R1Av 2D1DsAcHwn96 Kb & crubgd Bst Sum95 Ncs Socw/ScCotw/JcPrm96 w/RdDc5bolschbts HgnatRd & Dhsx/evryl GdXsw/MP Jm 2Bdgbfwm/D1fDnd JRegr Aways9er 4 UMHP & filrwm/MUR & 5 mmtcuts jblw/R1lnindrstd Lsin Pat 12mny partisgetncaut Midn1tLs MDWx/evryl Hgw/GrTrAl JcBjCv MDmMtc Gdf rp/11a1tikrs GsULthasbs MjmyBtther 4rnmlfas & tears InMy HarrAlwys DSwnd NoWut 2Dw/outUT 4EMom 5 Fam ThnkU 4evrythng LuvUalwys Secret Ambi On, To Be Happy.

Nicole Sweeney
Amusement: Beautician Memories... IHOP95 w/MS SS Where the key, lets go IC, DC, RG, watch out 4 BOB! BC-LR still my fav. Cal, JG, get over the guys in the grn car at the PALL-They RGon PL-TRUST ME! L w/JG, AM, GR. God 4gime. GR, junyr, 4get. U tll me. Hangin w/ AF & DO. Guys Bhavell lllwachmujl Grd. 9 w/NO & thecrow. OWUtAyr ANN dvd Wut 2do Wityal? Go2HS. UwllRegret. I finally outta here! Goodlik DM. AF, DO & DF-LR NEXT. Secret Ambition. To be on board.

Susan Tanis

Melissa Tashjian

Erik Taylor

Michelle Tan
Amusement: To Become a Billionaire. Memories... MEG MEN SNFED SPNZL. CSMO. SG, AG, FB, SM PD 2 GYM, BDMTN. SG & SM KIOSK. EST YNFA DSNR. EY & SHFRC 3 & 4. PD 8 ANJ PD 3 ENG & PD 4 LNC. BR HGS MSV 6 SHPNC. SG MJS & DA BILLS R BST. JN PST RLLY TLL. MM TNS. APBIO. MM, EY & SG GD LCK & HVE A VRY GD LFE! TLL MS YL Felicitations et Bonne Chance Mes Amis! NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Brian Testino
Memories... 4yrinPV werecool everything was possible because of my parents Iheyrs were fun chillin'with thaboyz CC, JT, SP, BO & Pidge. Fuhshavin phatpartsies atmyhousedownd thesehore takindown withCD, SD, VK, MK, JJ, Going. TDU, getturnednoted steve Hangin'WithChrisC pckinup ladesspendin timewithmygirl DaniellewhoLUV rollin'toPassaicwith SC, BC, CC, listin'Ismalotowa AudioAllthenboyz wrestlingathall outlinesworkinmon carsatHans & Josh'alivinYo.

Christen Sylvester
Amusement: College Memories... 3yrV. RahRahCapt w/ AK + BR LiveWEX WHITECHIEF97 WHITEULZKI. BFalmostgotcavt sorryididthe lcplean SBchi civici/fguys Rgoodtommy ucumacmbck 2nitelmisery. antiTMFARTS thereasafrice LTCSBFFE luvlguyx! GBtinxww/BGMBPD SBMdidy96 JZoooint crashinthe corsicaMB. cyhemrodzKH misuA URthebest5C. BFEChemetBbig broCliff/guary SCSKPN APMBERR MJHRSM PluvyaThe GarbageClub DWIDTold SchoJCSUS Wetme MCMAD STEVELLULL Secret Ambition: To be forever happy.

Melissa Tashjian

Seniors/71
Jerome Tillman
"JT"
Ambition: To Play NFL Football.
Memories...Memories of highschool Football with my team NSMRJKDSMRA (knowyouguys likebrothers itsbeen veryexciting throughout the yearscant forgetmy coachesParlavecchio MarkDesalvo Helper Powers pucchio ThevagLeoneMathews andlobst. Likethank MyMom Dad Grandmothers AuntsUncles andcousins forleaping mean that right track Dennis hopeyou get betteriknowyou will andyouwill bethemamanthe field.

Joseph Tomasello
"Joe"
Ambition: College
Memories...3 Years Basketball. Hangin\out w/BT, CC, BO, SP, SD, DD, VK, MK, LB, FUDGE & ERMS. Remember New Years Eve at LM 6 Memorial Day 98 w/the telephone booth. The time at the Hall w/BT & DD. Hey AP what time is it? Skinw/CC. The times we had hangin\out at the houses & the highs at AB station. HeySD my driving is fine. Don't forget the good times. To my Family thanks for everything.

Anthony M. Trapanese
"Trap"
Ambition: Auto Mechanic
Memories...4 yrs Wrestling PG it Was A GoodWeek. JCFreshman Football. RMWhere The Stang. VUHey Man. JW Who Are You GoingToThe Prom With. SWrapped. JTO PKouch. JGrandPanFord. LVMondayNight. AALetsWalk. MSTraps EMlooking Fine. RSSurfer. GVHaiIRM RS, HP, NV, 4x4WestMilford96. BCCowbell. BLoogy EL Dumbr/R Tracks96. SBArbySD Prom Night. UJ, NV, RS, SK, MP, SD. Its Been Good13yrs. RJGrandAm. JMWant Togo T School. SWWorkingAtThe GasStation. PV. Never MissYou. SeeYou later. Secret Ambition: To be PV's next disciplinarian

Danilia Trama
"Trama" "Maddeline"
Ambition: Radiologist
Memories...2YRSVARSOCW/DS 2BFW/A CGRTR FRSW/DS 2 6 RR. ARUBA96W. AC. SAMWHATSURNAME? SVCINFX. LET5G04 AM DNGHT SWIM. A/LEFOLOWSU EVRWHRE. QUEQUEQUEZ MVRR1L96W/AC & RR & THE MURATURE! RR HEY FRANKY! SNFASTMCDW/DSZ. MTHANKS4 BENTHRE. CV-WSHUWLDVEMDE THER GHT C OISE! PAPA-SEI SEMPRE ELMIO CUOREILUVO! JO & MARYTHANKS4PUTIN UPW/ME. MOMMYLOVEU! THANX4EVERYTHING! Secret Ambition: To find a man as wonderful as my father

Jamie Nicole Trovato
"J, Jaim, Julie"
Ambition: College
Memories...GPSZe97- 6r8xSW/EbyIMR. BFCSid94. LUVUredMen/w/ DHarzDevymA & Miltchew/K. KGCSid95. BJRemHavaDC- ftstoi. PrssNO: AV PTHO. 2M NyMem 2remMP. RainSum96w4r gt/t5/981 PW/AVJaemaky jmeorgC-SBUZIOIC-PiglySB-Emmit BFV Msc 96cot96 JRCot95 thx4altkas Shtskn nehors APrvsysw/ CCvisits/ MV Onro Lodi RapCh\rsBSEX CR8/98 BLFULUV JVAKL-OhCarina PARTY Aristitthi lovinfelnf. MOMDDFGRAM Petethanx 4everYthLUVU
Secret Ambition: To be someone's brown eyed girl.

Michael Tuohey
"ZE, ZHA, Toohey, 2Shat, Mike"
Ambition: College
4yrs Socr-Cmpout9bw/everl Diners/Team 1yrRH Hng W/EmbtJapCc Shore W/Pamps (Youglty)-Drums CarLrsLs Lost NY Cno WW DS Shore/Cc4log dks/nborHood CRWLDShool! RMjEmJC FpNPscAp Showing SP Herman. Christine-MyBaby-
This past year has been the best thing that ever happened to me Nr4getU LovelU always. Mom Dad Bros and Fam-Than x4 standing by my side LUVU. CL09?

Jason Timms
"TNT"
Ambition: to be rich
Memories...I can remember the time that JC SM MS JP went to RC and got a lot of stuff But the best was when we hung out played ball but what was the best was the Joger that was a lot of fun But cant forget the best people SM JC JP Di\SR BepDI LR RB JT MT MF MI NR MR NO And my parents for what they did to help me Thanks TNT Secret Ambition: to be filthy rich

Erin Tremper
"ER"
Ambition: Food Scientist and Nutritionist
Ambition: To be successful
Breaking all the rules with my boyz.
What up cuz! Just bby it EL sorry I was in Belmar AA Just let it
go 8 lose it already RM Mustang? JR Memorial Day weekend I'll be quiet
JC find a girl mon night FT BA I'll House get JJ bddy wak it MP need
a buzz RS Tone it down AT on 1 Y American Heyes say 2 yrs varsity
grt DG Luv U 4 ever Thnx for being there You R the best thing Mom Dad
debt Thnx for your support I love
you Boys keep partying PV wnt mis
ya a bit By its over finaly
Secret Ambition: To be partners
with Joe Rinz

Courtney Vander Brink
“Court”
4 yrs GSHW Sr Yr Head WD w/JP 2
yrs shdve won NS FL prom w/DF $1
shdve went w/U.K KP-Skip R Chux is
NO REALLY “IGA” Mario NYTrip 3
hrs KV KP LR Hey Mani SM- BBFL-BR
5k Gorg Dinnor Jose LD 9 yrs FAO
XMAREST U lvbe Butiful Hair JR-
Wayne Fixing. KPS Lawn Watch my
mirors CIBYB CV KM- “Julio” Br-Alg
Hugin midle of fior ETNSB/Kp Jr 5m
BDF Mom Dad Jen Thansk for every-
ing. I Love you guys!

Amy Varcadipane
Ambition: College
Memories ... 3Yrs WhtlMotb97/Lg
Bl/Ds;2TMinO Gr8xs/ FlasMI
Mc5mJd IluvUguys! Jt-2Mny
Mem2Kmrbr-PlntHle-BBf4evr
Ds-lsmwday !BigSoapOpera, Prtya at
Nc’s RRdwnDEL/evt/! LALAPB/ MCMIBfatsn PRL JNKMD Mn Why
Whats 2morow? MDW96 AZ-
Thmx4 AllLheMemsNO REGETS!
JtMps-RPT- WntMe2AnswrThat? Tp-
Dr yBys No-cuz4evr 316-
2 much 4 get D t h e y s x y
We1uVUpamps! Mom Dad TomsFam
thnx4evrthng lvlu
Secret Ambition: To laugh till I cry,
To love till I die

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Secret Ambition: To laugh till I cry,
To love till I die

Lauren Nicole Veteri
“Digit” “Vet”
Ambition: Business
Memories ... 3yrBib1Cptsw/DTJN
3yrsBib1 Grtx’5w/JELDA
Decl75NGD! CRNBRESw/ JELDA-
TopOff! 2hby2Plnty- CG5um96
ak-BRN96othaxAA-JT-PARTY!
JAEQGKnetrsPONCMO! SB-
INATOR! 4whin-indalinc.
JAL-12Ocenes- Grtxtsw/JBPB
(kngs)-JED- MklveDoTw/prty.
SumsatDaShrew/AK! Ali-Claasnmps-
MchMreThnAFrnd! SEPT 84-
LimeBeUD! Lvlu! MOM DAD NEEN
JOHN SUE DAN Thmx4 Evryng-
ILoveU! Grmps-9996 misUJELDA-
ILYoGys-WHO’s REN?
Secret Ambition: To find the other
half of my pinky.

Jennifer Vialou
“Jen”
Ambition: Actress
Memories ... 4Yrs-FLEWBY
(THANKGOD)- BUTHAD SOME
CRAZY TIMES WOOD STOCK94-
INSANE SUMMERS- CRAZY
NYCNYGHTS- AC-MP-JH- JF-KR-
MD-MS-LG + RESTOF THEYCOS
WE ALL T & FWAYMT HUG!!
SMFEST95-FLSTRANGED/ GCPARTY
SKINGS + HOLDAYINN, SCOTTSQR
MORTALCOMBATG. CHEERING
KICKS (@#3) EM-MR-NJGRE
TEAM 96-97 WEROCK! MPKEEPT
GOING! NINA “WILLSHOW EVERY-
ONE” JT + MR-REVER JMLUV
YOUALWAYS! I’VELEARNED
SOMUCH! WAKA WAKA!!

Secrets ’73
Kelly Wright

**Ms. Woman**

**Ambition:** Dancer

**Memories:** Best Times

- Where am I going to go when I'm twenty-one?
- Playing soccer with the boys?
- Learning to skate?
- Going to the beach?
- Sitting in the car?

**Secret Ambition:** Love is the only thing you can give away and still keep.

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Nicola Vincenti

**"Nick"**

**Ambition:** To Own a Business

**Memories:**

- Goody's, VU, EL, JJ, RM, AT, AA, JR, JC, IC, SM, SK, HPAL
- SoASMVL TPCKNJB. JCMARAA
- CAMPlngtriipdONT UKY, Whatgirls.
- JY ou r d rivin g, here kitty. RMgoood's, n Teshtang g rippin git waitin g44lts getdonedownthe shore.
- JJSKMommy4it 4x4AT, SK, HPstuck il-8-96 nothing went r ights MV UEL rent Ac ap VU IOUD o g gin the civic goingnowhere, Stillwhichwaydo we go? Frank # BroThanks 4fixenAlmy mistakesmom + dad thanks4everything. GoodBye! PV

Secret Ambition: To Have Direction

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Dana Lynn Ziegler

**"Beefy D"-Dane**

**Ambition:** Interior Decorator

**Memories:** 3yrs F.H.B.F.F. Fw/A. T. G. C. L. N. P. K. S. T. V. A. R.


**LUVUG. Z. HANGINHERE I'MORYE. T. V. ILLUUVLA MEHEART8-25-93 TOMYFAMILY THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING: ILUVILUVILUVOM DAD GINA & CHRISTOPHER. TG. PPR. LUVU LUVI BEEF EST.

Secret Ambition: Decorate the world.

**National Honor Society**

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Andrea Marie Ward

**"Pooh"**

**Ambition:** College

**Memories:**

- Well I did it! 3yrs
- HVCBC! GRXsw/Bert RD MS KK Cori
- We are a Harmon family OH Bert too!
- DD The green T-Shirt! Getting Lost CB!
- Ahh! GSPmsAmKKCB! Bert where R the munchkins? BCJust5moremin. KK RUCOK? RD Jahira is here! Mom Dad Nicole Mike Gram I Love all of us couldn't have done it/w/outyou! Pop-Pop n Nana
- wish u were here I miss you both SPAN NAT HON SOC Bert I'm Sorry!

Secret Ambition: To Learn to smile no matter what!

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Esther Yoon

**"Easter Bunny"**

**Ambition:** College

**Memories:**

- LOTS OF MEMORIESW./NJ1004: FM GONG 2 WRITE U A NOTE.
- HH177! K. FM GLAD WE'RE CLOSE FRIENDS! 1-177155-12-22. HOLD INFINITY IN THE PALM OF YOUR HAND...
- 143LITTEBOY! ETPHNE HOME. KIDS MEAL-82-82 MICH TAN THANX 4 91 r ING ME OUT! THANX/DNKY "SILLY WARBIT" ANJALIASH 4EVER/THANX.
- MOM. DAD, TAJU158/ ALL MY TEACHERS MUSIUM. FRCH 123 "ZUTALOR" EVERYONE GOOD LUCK... 97#1

Secret Ambition: Larger in the Fashion World

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Darby Lynn Hughes

**"Darb"**

**Ambition:** Early Education Teacher

**Memories:**

- 4yrAMB/CB ... NS-HUT ...
- LikeaMan!! Florida 96w/MD. IG. SE, CM. CC. BM ...
- REMEMBER Pewter? I'll Always Remember Lunch Freshmanyrw/kk6CBand the DARBY Song! MT-Shopping/MOVIES To my twin- Kelly ... I'm glad you could be in the yrbook/me ... I will always be there to help!! SG-Thanks for the rides home! DJ-Getoffmyflowelers! Mom, Dad-Thanks4 doing your best to help me through the years!

Secret Ambition: To look toward the future and not dwell on the past.

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Alisa Zvalaren

**"Chicky "Lis"**

**Ambition:** To get a good job

**Memories:**

- 3yrs. Vst. Softball 3yrs. Soccer capt. Da2DTMA. CL96 BFFEFluFFSMTPhatDIDNAVY: RBS
- mashedBoones! CBlmssingdaparty Erwinlover. CLSM RRCB Chillinnat thetracks. RBwanna goswimming?
- SLURPIEMom& Daddilyoveyou SuellLuvU2
- IlmissDUF Loveyoualways! Natalie FactsLife CKCCKC CKCCKC CKCCK Keepin touchguys Chicky + Fluffy FE!

Guys LoveUall andamhappy youguys rthere formeeventwhen Im sick. LoveUCheck talater!!!

Secret Ambition: To be perfect.

**National Honor Society**

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74/Seniors
Also Graduating . . .

Daniel Alberti
Kenan O. Atli
David K. Ballard
Daniel Corbo
Kevin Gallager
David Joseph Munsey
Hector Ortiz
Christie Palmieri
Christopher Scalzo
James Alan Timms Jr.
Jason Van Orden
Michael T. Contreni
Marlene Petroff
Christina Payor

Kenan Atli
"Keenan"
Ambition: TO FINALLY GRADUATE
Memories: . . . 4 yrs in Jail A lot Of
GoodTimes And SomeBadAlgRules!!
Time To Get Out Don't Want ToLeaze!
MaZuxGoodFriends MJNMMSMWDIZAdI
kPartysofyr Don'tEvenTry EvilElvesKill
TheLittleGreen MenBbalARPGive
Ashouts2 AGHEAD Peace CusEveryone
Iforgetwhoops HaveFunByTheWay
FOLididntDoMyHW

Marc A. Ichart
"Brooklyn"
Ambition: To become President
Memories: . . . OH WELL ITS OVER. NO MORE
YOU BROKE THAT KIDS NOSE ITS OVER. OH
WELL PEACE TO ALL OF MY PEEPS. TO
SINAK. TO ALL THE FLY GIRLS AND HERE'S
MY NUMBER. 812-9194 I WON'T EVER FOR
GET ANYONE PEACE. ONE LOVE

April Scavone
Ambition: To pursue my dreams
Memories . . . 3yrsSoc 3yrsGrjShow MS
Sum0f93 ThankfOrAll. TheTamphrsLV-
Uare2Much TheWRWG Nutsw NV2mmyMems
JKkeJcnoJY MDWKnDJK livin2gether
Out0fCON TROL allFunTrips WithU1
Ch6sNOMARIO5! NVElshMskk HplvJrGr'Ng
htCSIDE! LOUSPARTY96' SMInMyHeart
4ever9596' DTROOPER MsZinaThanx4 ev-
erything! BB-CNtEOv LokYepRght
TherOnTheFlor 230ThisIsTheBging Of4ever
LUVUMom DADPhilLUVU PVKEEPINTOUCH
WITHYOURSELF!!!
Secret Ambition: To learn from the last so I
can enjoy the future.

Jonathan Post
"Bugbladder"
Ambition: To beat up a costumed vigilante
Memories . . . I think that the strange alien
creatures that vomit pieces of extra-terres-
trial bile will tear me to shreds in the future.
If there is a GOD, he hath no power over me.
for I have already sold my soul for a ham-
burger. It was never that good, anyway.
Hopefully, my life will not end in a trailer
park. Attention earth-beings: The Vorlons
shall destroy all!!!!
Secret Ambition: To beat up Joe

. . . We Had All
The Answers?
Who Did You Choose?

**BEST LOOKING**

Chris Carfagno / Carolyn Kaiser
Frank Pergola / Jamie Nardino
Brandon DeMarco / Mike Picarelli / Christen Sylvester

**BEST SMILE**

Steve D'Amato / Diana Condorelli
Frank Pergola / Serpil Gazko
Mike Picarelli / Alessandra Cacciola

**MOST CHANGED SINCE FRESHMAN YEAR**

Tom Velez / Suzy Balady
Andrew Pampanin / Jennifer Cannataro
Chris Carfagno / Donna Miller

**CLASS CUTIE**

Eric Taylor / Brianne Rufino
Justin Juba / Trisha Minery
Nick Vincente / Alison Konzelammn

**BEST DRESSED**

Mike Tuohey / Esther Yoon
Mike Picarelli / Daniella Trama
Steve D'Amato / Trisha Minery
CLASS CLOWN

Justin Juba / Jamie Trovato
Vince Urciuoli / Jennifer Viaud
Phil Brychta / Sara Bitar

MOST ATHLETIC

Kevin Flood / Dana Trovato
Jerome Tillman / Erica Benedict
Mike King / Nicole Puzzo

MOST MUSICAL

Manuel Martinez / Melinda Shabka
Brian Cox / Ursula Klim
Rob Lorusso / Melissa Rosolen

MOST ARTISTIC

James Conklin / Alison Nitch
Nick Attianese / Kelly Gerdes
John Balonte / Jamie Trovato

MOST TALKATIVE

Jason Gates / Alison Konzelmann
Matt Falconii / Maria Agresti
Jeffery Barattin / Christina Leporini
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Dominic Chipalone / Susan Damico / Heather Lang
Manuel Martinez / Jerzie-Ann Kissel
Brian Borowsky / Laura McEvna

TEACHER'S PET
Nick Pastula / Jerzie-Ann Kissel
Brian Borowski / Daniella Trama
Steve D'Amato / Heather Lang

CLASS REBEL
Jennifer Viaud
Donna Miller
Andrea Camarano

CLASS COUPLE
Lou Vetsas & Debbie Drohik / Ash Khan & Anjali Patel
Frank Pergola & Erika Martinez
Jeffrey Barattin & Ingrid Monteagudo

CLASS INSEPERABLES
Brandon DeMarco & Joe Mastrogiavanni / Ali Konzelmann & Lauren Veteri / Mike Picarelli & Ben Gualano / Cori Balogh & Rachel Bigelow
Nick Pastula & Sal Colombo / Teresa Nicosia & Kim Haden
Hold my hand and I am healed.

Smile and my heart is warm.

Stand by me and I have strength.

Wipe my tears and I feel joy.

Walk with me and I will run.

Hear me and my soul is cleansed.

Hold me and I know I'm safe.

Have faith in me and I believe.

"Hey, remember when you asked me if we'll always be friends? I knew we would."
"Do you think we'll be friends forever?"
"I don't know."

Protect me and I'll never fall.

Encourage me and I'll never fail.

Cherish our friendship from the day we met.

Remember it all and I'll never forget.

I'll do for you as you have done.

Each moment, a more special one.

Build my future as you've filled my past.

Love me, and my memories last.

-Katrina Bitar
Be Without You?
Consider the life of a student at PV. For most it involves a challenging academic schedule, a demanding job, and a busy social life. Yet most students find the time to manage their hectic lives and still have fun. The pages that follow will prove this, from the freshman class that has three more years of this madness to look forward to, to the senior who has been chosen to depict a "day in the life" of a PV student. But even their busy lives seem tranquil compared to those of the Top 10 Most Involved, who wake up earlier and go to sleep later than any other students in the school. Happily, however, the frantic students of PV still had time to provide the rest of us with an always witty and informative class survey, as well as many amusing and memorable images of PV student life. — Sharon Post
It's 6:00AM and you're at school. Why? The majority of students in New Jersey are sleeping, snuggled in bed. However there are a few early birds who are not. Maybe they have class or maybe they just really like school. Who knows?
"I'm here because I have choir." when asked if she would be here if there wasn't a choir class, she responded. "Definitely not."
- S. Bitar

"I come to school every morning at 7:10AM. I do not wish to be here however I have class, otherwise there is no way I'd be here that early."
- N. Puzzo

"I'm here for a meeting but usually because it's the only time I can get a ride."
- J. Laski

"My dad drops me off before he goes to work, I can't help that."
- J. Ligieri

"I crashed my sister's car, so she took mine and now I have to come with the early bus."
- D. Simicevic

"He's my ride."
- J. Simicevic

"I'm 15 and I'm a senior, that's all that needs to be said."
- S. Ogunyemi

"Meetings!!" - A. Nitch
Class Officers: President - Brandon Pergola, Vice President - Jaclyn Janeski, Secretary - Mi Suk Pak, Treasurer - Melissa Ciongoli, Historian - Michelle Wolek. Not Shown Mi Suk Pak and Michelle Wolek.
Officers: (Pres.) Lauren Sandy, (V. Pres.) Theresa Santaniello, (Sec.) Lisa Caruso, (Treas.) Allison DeLuccia, (Hist.) Tara Trovato.

Freshman Class Advisor: Mrs. Schatel
A Day In The Life

Jeremy has to be dragged out of bed by his mom.

Jeremy gets his morning 6 mile run in before breakfast.

After a victorious fight, Jeremy decides to let out the rest of his anger and throw Manny across the room.

His rumble to preserve his honor and win the love of the girl of his dreams (Jen).

Jeremy stacks machine to get ready for.....

After giving his address to the world Jeremy shakes the Presidents hand and asks him if he would like some jelly sandwiches.

Jeremy goes shopping. He is very concerned with the grams of fat that are in jelly.

Jeremy's next stop is at his barber Tony. He wants to look good for his big day.

Jeremy crashes on his bed. He had a hard day and dreams about tomorrow's events.
A Day In The Life Of Erin Coughlin

the morning struggle
daily exercise: lifting those weights and pumping those muscles
steppin' out

the morning commute
school
that's just Sabrina

the good part of school
maxin' and relaxin' with Randy and a little Micro Machines

I need money
My typical morning includes waking up and going to period zero choir.

Mmm ... lunch!

What note IS that?!

The bus ride home.

After school, my loving family is home to greet me!

I push myself to get my homework done.

My second family. Gotta love 'em!
I'm NOT a morning person.  
First period lab.  
Will we still like bagels by Senior Year?  
There's always time to soak up some good literature.

Studying intensely.  
"Slurpee connoisseur."  
Learning the basics.

Shoppin' for a new board.  
Educational T.V., of course.  
Yes, I am Megan's brother!  
Me and my mom, isn't she great?
The top ten most involved students are people that have a great devotion to Passaic Valley’s after school activities. From the drama club, to track, volleyball, and even mathematical talent, these ten students are the most preoccupied of the high school. Past Passaic Valley graduates have set goals and standards that were certainly surpassed by the class of 1997. Future classes at Passaic Valley must set high standards if they will continue Passaic Valley’s tradition of excellence.
The Most?

Bottom Row
left to right:

Philip Brychta
Heather Lang
Alison Konzelmann
Robert Lorusso

Top Row left to right:

Melissa Rosoleno
Dominic Chipolone
Jamie Nardino
Jezzie-Ann Kissel
Laura McGeuna

Dave Buck

Top 10 Most Involved/101
What are outstanding students? These are students who not only constitute the top ten GPAs of the senior class, they are also students who have been recognized for their intelligence and leadership outside of the classroom. For four years, these students have maintained an outstanding level of performance in their studies, and among these ten students exist Edward J. Bloustein Distinguished Scholars, Boys' State Delegates, National Honor Society Members, Governor's School Representatives, and National Merit Semifinalists. We are proud of their accomplishments and know that these distinguished members of the Class of 1997 will continue to excel in all of their future endeavors.
At 2:32, when the bell rings, most students at P.V. seem to disappear. Most students are just trying to get away from school, but others hurry off to work. Some work for extra money while others work to gain work experience.

Hallmark - Sara Bitar, Diana Corderelli, Erica Martinez and Daniella Trama.

Harmons - Cori Bailogh, Andrea Ward, and Debbie Drobik.

United Artist Cinema 46 - Rob Lorusso.

Cosmetics Plus - Brianne Rufino

Steak and Ale - Mike Tuohey

Vit-a-Life - Suzy Balady

Calandra’s Bakery - Teresa Nicosia

Applebee’s - Matt Falconieri

Parkway Mortgage - Maria Agresti, Kelly Guffin.

Shop Rite - Shawn Haverick

Old Navy - Serpil Gazko, Steve Maisano.

Carvel - Jen Minchin and Nicole Puzzo.
Can You Give Me A Lift?

A quintet of cavaliers

The ultimate altima

A couple of camaros

A bevy of chevys

Two T-Tops

Fantastic Fords

A pair of convertibles
On July 27, 1996, members of the Passaic Valley Drama Club took a trip to Europe. They traveled for 2 weeks and covered four countries; England, France, Switzerland, and Italy. They saw many historical sites, including Big Ben, the Louvre, the Eiffel Tower and the Vatican. In Switzerland the group attended a dinner where they ate fondue, danced, and some of them even got the chance to yodel. Everyone who went had a lot of fun and felt that the trip was definitely a success.
The whole crew at Trafalgar Square

Mel posing

Crossing the English Channel

Bird and Nick taking a rest

At the Eiffel tower

Some of our Chaperones in Italy
And You Choose . . .?

The best vacation spot of Summer '96 was:
1. Jersey Shore
2. Aruba
3. Australia
4. Europe
5. Atlantic City

The worst vacation spot of Summer '96 was:
1. Home
2. Anywhere on the New Jersey shore
3. Six Flags Great Adventure
4. Idaho
5. Florida

The best reason to skip the prom is:
1. It's too expensive.
2. You don't have a date.
3. To go somewhere else with friends.
4. TGIF on ABC Friday Nights.
5. You don't feel like it.

In high school you regret these the most:
1. Staying only within a clique.
2. Not going out with someone.
3. Not being more involved.
5. Taking school seriously.

If you could be any cartoon character, which one would you be?
1. Bugs Bunny
2. Betty Boop
3. A smurf
4. Wakko
5. Superman

Which cartoon characters do you like best:
The Smurfs: 52%
Charlie Brown and the Peanuts: 48%

Your best reason for not having your homework was:
1. I forgot to do it
2. My dog ate it
3. It was never assigned
4. What homework?
5. I left it in my car.

The best thing to do to get through boring classes is:
1. Daydream
2. Doodle
3. Write Notes
4. Do other homework
5. Sing.
The best T.V. show of the year was:
1. Seinfeld
2. Party of Five.
3. Down in the Valley
4. The Simpsons
5. Melrose Place.

The best P.V. lunch is:
1. A bagel and a drink.
2. Macaroni and Cheese
3. A cookie
4. Pizza Hut Pizza
5. Chicken Patties

The best song of the year was:
1. Don't Speak (No Doubt)
2. Clear My Throat (DJ Kool)
3. Unbreak my Heart (Toni Braxton)
4. Greedy Fly (Bush)
5. Beautiful People (Marilyn Manson)

The worst P.V. lunch was:
1. Macaroni and Cheese
2. Pizza
3. Mashed Potatoes
4. Stuffed Peppers
5. Chicken Patties

The best movie of the year was:
1. Scream
2. Independence Day
3. Legends of the Fall
4. Grease
5. 12 Monkeys
6. Feris Buller's Day Off
7. Romeo and Juliet
8. Mission Impossible
9. The Rock
10. Trainspotting

The first thing you would do with a million dollars is:
1. Buy a car.
2. Buy a house.
3. Pay off your parents debts.
4. Go on a Shopping spree.
5. Invest it.

The thing (s) you'll miss the most about P.V.:
1. Your friends
2. Girl's Show
3. Mr. Ward's classes
4. Lunch periods
5. Running it

The Best Moment of the '96 - '97 school year was:
1. Graduation
2. Girls' Show Victories
3. Football State Championship
4. Getting College Acceptance letters
5. All Vacations
Many students at PV have associated high school sports with the name, "the Hornets" for so long that they have taken this bizarre title for granted. But when you really think about it, it is weird to have a team named after a insect. And that logo! An angry hornet with boxing gloves! Who thought of that?

Actually, it was Fred Voos, who in the 1940's, first created the image of the PV Hornet we know today. And, all kidding aside, he did an impressive job, giving our hornet the spirit and panache that provided the school with one of the most unique mascots in the area.

But what do the members of the PV community think of the Hornet? We asked some students about their opinions of our winged friend:

One new student said, "I think it's cool. I've never been to a school with a hornet; everyone has a panther or something." Another pontificated, "The boxing gloves make it look more fierce," and a thoughtful sophomore added, "It really catches your attention. It's very original."

There you have it, right from the hornet's mouth (corny). As you can see PV loves its Hornet, and it shows on the fields and courts it's teams play. The athletes at PV have all the energy of tenacity as the fiesty little bug that adorns their uniforms. Like their caricatured counterpart, PV's teams understand the importance of team work and show a fierce determination to achieve their goal. When it comes to sports, PV is not tolerant of mediocrity. The Hornet never let's us down!

Sharon Post
This 96-97 season marked the last time the first of the Lady Hornets would walk off the field. Although it was not a "winning" season, these seniors left the field with their heads held high knowing they had paved a path for future players.

Despite the team's 4 and 12 record, the Hornets showed strength and dedication throughout the season. With only five seniors, the majority of the team was underclassmen. The Hornets struggled against the best teams in the league showing heart and determination. New coach, Rory Fitzgerald helped the players overcome the obstacles that arose all through the season.

The Lady Hornets were led by Senior Captains Danielle Strothers, Deanna Strothers, and Alisa Zvalarian and Seniors Maria Agresti and Daniela Trama. Before these athletes had arrived at Passaic Valley, no girls soccer program had existed. Now, four years later as they are leaving, the legacy of girls soccer will stay in these halls forever.

Lisa Caruso
Second Team All County
Danielle Strothers
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference
Deanna Strothers
Honorable Mention Northern Hills Conference

CLEAR OUT!!!!

Team Spirit
The first ever Passaic Valley soccer team was started in 1965. The team began a completely new era of athletic competition for Passaic Valley Sports. The first soccer team lost all of its games, but did tie two! Despite losing every game, the team showed great determination to play, and a passion for the game.

Since the first team was established in 1965, there have been many successful soccer teams. The first successful soccer team was the 1972 team. Ranked twelfth in the state, they were 13-4 and finished second in the NNJIC conference. The 1980's marked a decade of great achievement. In 1982, P.V.'s soccer team advanced to the state sectional finals with a 16-3-5 record. The 1986 team was the first Passaic Valley soccer team to win the Passaic county championship. The end of the 80's and the beginning of the 90's marked another great era of Passaic Valley Soccer. From 1989-1992, Passaic Valley's soccer teams won four consecutive league titles and two county titles in 1991 & 1992. The 1992 soccer team was the greatest Passaic Valley team ever. They had the best winning percentage in P.V. soccer history. The late all-stater Rich Ferraro surpassed the 100 goal milestone as a varsity player. He set the school records for most goals in a season and in a career.

During this, our 1996-97 season, the team looked strong. The team was young, but they had tremendous talent and heart which is a trait that can't be matched. This year's team was looking to capture the winning spirit of Passaic Valley Soccer. The team started out it's season with an 0-3-1 record, but then turned their season around and went 7-3-3 in their last thirteen games. The team finished the season 7-8-4 and showed the rest of the league and county that they are going to be contending for the league and county titles for the next few years.

The team was led by senior captains Phil Brychta and Mike King. Other seniors that contributed to this year's team were Mike Tuohy, Dave Decembre, Mark Bressette, Shaun Coronato, and Steve Pasquarello. Talented juniors on the team were Frank LePore, Don Platvoot, and Jack Donnarumma. The young, but very talented sophomores playing important roles for the 1996-97 team were Sergio Minervini, Joshua Prell, Carlos Ortiz, Jack Tripi, John Galiano, and Guiseppe Vella.
Jack with a great save!

Mark throwing the ball in!

Dave scoring a goal!

Steve on the move!

Shaun dribbling past the defender!

Don with a nice pass!

Jack with a great save!
The 1996-97 Girls Tennis team was led by senior Co-Captains, Heather Lang and Megan Mendillo. The team was made up of First Singles Heather Lang, Second Singles Megan Mendillo, Third Singles Jacklyn Janeski, First Doubles Yasmeen Shueib and Cathy Pushchak, and Second Doubles Anna Arriaga and Michelle Minieri.

The team finished its season with a record of 7-11. Other team members, including Erin Coughlin, Jennie Rizzo, Ellen Oh, Lara Batarseh, Shirley Masand, Heny Shah, Charissa Bacsik, and Kelly Rogel, contributed to this record by giving the team the support it needed.

The Tennis Team thanks Coach Phan for his guidance during the fall season and looks forward to having a successful season next year.

1st Doubles - Freshman Cathy Pushchak

Coach Vu Phan

2nd Singles - Megan Mendillo - Honorable Mention Conference

2nd Doubles - Junior Anna Arriaga

Junior Erin Coughlin
This is the question that gymnasts are asked most frequently, but it is not so easily answered.

Imagine yourself walking on a railing that is four inches wide and four feet off of the ground. . . . It is difficult to picture, right? Well, gymnasts must encounter this every day at practice.

Starting at an early age, children must condition their bodies in order to build muscle and endurance. Only then will the body be in shape to perform more difficult skills and routines on each of the four events.

In other words, gymnasts do this by many long years of hard work, dedication, and having "No Fear".


Right: Alright Carrie, you've got straight legs!
Left: Renee, are you dancing again?

Below: Jenai Agosta, Coach of the Year, with captains Renee Phifer, Carrie Garrabrant, and Asst. Coach Tiffany Pelle.

Above: Freshman Erica Phifer.

Left: Sophomore Liz Styles
In 1956, Passaic Valley started the cross country team. At its initiation, it was an all male team. As the years went by, the team grew and so did its records. In 1961, the team won the state sectional meet, making PV history. In 1966, Vic Mizzone, the team’s current coach, led the team to an undefeated season and set a record for the course at Garret Mountain. 1974 saw the first female cross country members, and not until 1980 did the girls have the full team of five people.

This year’s girls’ team was also added to PV’s history. They were the first ever to be undefeated in the conference, including their defeat over Wayne Valley who had not lost for a consecutive 195 meets. They finished their regular season with a record of 15-0. The boys team, who held a record of 48-0 for three years, also finished well with a record of 15-2. The boys placed third in the Passaic County meet, and the girls qualified for the state group meet at Holmdel. Headed by Vic Mizzone and Asst. Coach Dave Nowen, the team had many outstanding performances leaving behind a winning tradition for others to follow.

Best friend girls’ team captains Laura McGevena and Jennifer Macchina...
... Stand up and face the enemy. We will be invincible!

5. Passaic Tech — The Bulldogs edged Eastern Christian by 11

120/Cross Country
Passaic Valley girls run to title

Cross Country/121
What if hard work, dedication and team spirit could determine the outcome of a game? If that were the case, the P.V. Field Hockey team would never lose a game. The Lady Hornet spirit and their love for the sport pulled them through every game whether they won or lost. The players never gave up hope and this helped them to play their best.

The 1996 Varsity Field Hockey team consisted of many new faces with only a few varsity players back from last year. Everyone helped each other learn skills, and as a team, they trained hard. The new head coach, Michele Speidel, started practicing with the players during the summer. With help from their coach, each and every girl worked toward improvement. Even though they didn't win every game, the P.V. Field Hockey team had a successful and memorable season.

The game doesn't always go to the bigger and faster WOMAN, but the game sometimes goes to the WOMAN who thinks SHE can!

Who are those crazies?
State Of Mind?

Dana Ziegler, look at her go.

Dana Ziegler - Honorable Mention All County
Nickie Puzzo - Second Team All County
Honorable Mention All Conference

Uh-oh, we're in trouble.

Erica Benedict
First Team All County
First Team All Conference

SUEBALLS!

Sue Damico - Honorable Mention All County
Honorable Mention All Conference
Nicole Crosman - Second Team All County

Keep going. Er, don't fall!

CODE RED!!!

Don't miss it Sabrina!
Can You Dig It?

Can You Dig It? Continuing Passaic Valley's volleyball tradition of excellence, the Hornets completed another successful season. The Hornets relied on a tense pre-season to prepare themselves for the competitive '96 season. Head coach, Bill Humes, provided the team with both the confidence and conditioning they needed to become one of the most feared teams in the league. These athletes upheld the word 'team' in every aspect of the game. They always played together and developed a comradeship that helped them to learn more than the skills of the game. They learned some of the most valuable lessons life offers - to never back down, to stand strong together, and to give 100% all the time. The Lady Hornets played every point as a game within itself.

The nucleus of the team was made up of five seniors. One junior and two sophomores gave the team the energy they needed to work together and get the job done. Senior/captain, Dana Travato, contributed to the team with her savvy net play. She came up with key blocks and put many games away with her dominating spikes. Senior/captain, Lauren Veteri, came up big with dominating back row play and her untouchable spikes. Senior/captain, Jamie Nardino, was the team's heartbeat. Her hustle on the floor to set every ball gave the Hornets an edge over the competitor. Jamie also gave the Hornets momentum with her line drive serves. Senior, Erika Martinez, was the team's motivation. Erika gave the Hornets life with her inspirational words and impressive back row play. Senior, Jerzie-Ann Kissel, added to the Hornets offensive attack with powerful serves and savvy back row play. Junior, Michelle Vacari, the Hornets secondary setter kept the rhythm of the game and added points with her back position spikes. Although inexperienced, the two sophomores, Caroe Vanway and Wendy Cook, never let it show. Caroe provided the team with point winning blocks and timely spikes. Wendy sparked the team with consistent serves and added to her offensive attack with her powerful spikes.

The Passaic Valley girls' volleyball team gained one thing far more important that a title or a trophy, they gained self-respect. Each and every member of the team grew as an individual during the '96 season because each and every member laid their heart on the line and was never afraid to lose.

The graduating seniors will certainly be missed by both the coach and remaining teammates. Coach Bill Humes said, "When we start the season next year we are probably going to have a tear in our eye because these girls won't be with us."

At the beginning of the season other coaches came up to Mr. Humes and said, "You lost everything you had last year. You're never going to reach the 500 mark and you won't even qualify for states." The '96 Lady Hornets certainly proved them wrong.
Captains: Jamie Nardino, Dana Travoto, Lauren Viteri.

Seniors: Jerzie Ann Kissel, Erika Martinez, Jamie Nardino, Lauren Viteri, Dana Travato.

1996-97 Varsity Cheering squad had an exciting and fun-filled season. It started at U.C.A. Camp at Rutgers University where the team won a Superior Squad trophy and several spirit awards. The team also had one of its members chosen as an "All Star" to cheer in London. Not only did they take home awards and trophies, but they brought back memories that will last forever.

At the opening of their fall cheering season, the hard work and dedication began. They practiced each day to encourage the fans and cheer their team to victory. They also competed in the West Milford Cheering Competition where their hard work paid off.
The Passaic Valley Marching Band grabbed the attention of many old and new fans in their 1996 fall season with their dramatic performance of "Pictures for a Competition." Under the second year direction of Mr. James Millar, the band and color guard was revitalized with the largest membership in years.

The 1996 program featured the music of Mussorgsky: "Night on Bald Mountain/Promenade," "The Old Castle," "Dixie Promenade," "The Hut of Baba Yaga," and "The Great Gate of Kiev." After long, intense hours of practice, the band entertained the crowds at football games as well as performed in many exciting competitions, including Championships at Giant Stadium. Furthermore, the marching band brought back their old tradition and hosted their first home competition in many years. In the spring, the band will participate in a Music Festival on board a Bahamas Cruise.
Majors and Captains: Ready to salute?

Majors, Melinda and Brian, along with Captain, Lisa receive the band's trophies at competitions.

Under the leadership of head coach Chet Parlavecchio, the 1996-97 Hornets have reloaded with the firepower necessary to make their dreams come true. Training camp is a key part in order for the team to stay on task.

This year at Boston College, the team worked hard and learned valuable information to help them improve their game. Every day it was early rise at 8 A.M. to go onto the field and stretch. Then they spent the whole day practicing in the scorching heat. All of this hard work and commitment would pay great dividends for the Hornets.

In August, the Hornets took the field again for their annual camp at Passaic Valley. The coaches constantly evaluated the personnel they felt could win a championship. Practice continued for the first three months of school and the team became a group of well-disciplined men. The team had great intensity for every game as they crushed opponents on their way to one of the best seasons in PV history. The Hornets won their league championship and finished with a 10-1 record with their only loss coming in the State Championship Finals to the top ranked team in the state, Hoboken.
The Hornets "O" Moving Forward.

Reddin Back To Pass.

Coach Paravecchio Giving Orders.

Simone Getting Ready For Action.

Hannan Hitting Stride.

Pastula Disputing The Call.

Flood Delivering The Hit.
Where were the Lady Hornets off to this year? Well, the answer was simple. For this team there was nowhere to go but forward. Who's in charge of this aspiring team? The players were led by second year Head Coach Gus Jaworski and Assistant Coach Carol-Ann Din. With the team working together in the off-season, they were nothing but ready come December. Their hard work and dedication paid off, earning the girls a state tournament berth. The tremendous effort they put forth is the key to what makes them the athletes that they are. The Lady Hornets have a reputation for their tenacious defense. With the team spirited by their captains, there was no turning back. Even though these two seniors will be missed, they leave the team with promising youth and a bright future.
As the 1996-1997 basketball season rolls around, the Hornets are looking to have a good season. They return four starters from last season which makes them one of the most experienced teams in the league and county. The Hornets will look to run the ball and press more often this year because of their experience and quickness. They are not a big team, but they do have a lot of quickness and shoot the basketball very well which will make them one of the better teams in the league and county. With these two great characteristics and a ton of talented players, the Hornets will be a fun and exciting team to watch.

Passaic Valley will be led by senior co-captains Sal Colombo, Jack Kowalik, and Ray Reddin. Sal Colombo is a strong post player who shoots well and plays good defense. Jack Kowalik is the teams best shooter and will look to lead the team in scoring. Reddin is point guard who passes and handles the ball very well. Rounding out the rest of the starting lineup will be senior Mike King and Junior Steve Filan. Mike King is a three year starter and shoots the ball well. Steve Filan is a talented guard who passes and shoots well. Coming off the bench for the Hornets are junior Don Platvoet, seniors Joe Tomosello and Dom Chipolone, and sophomore Lenny Cusamano. Don Platvoet is a good post player with great leaping ability. Senior Joe Tomosello will play at the center position and will provide the team with good defense and strong post moves on offense. With this great lineup, the Hornets will look to do some damage in the league and county. With all of this talent, there is no telling how far this team could go.
Ray driving to the basket.

Steve looking for the open man.

Don shooting a foul line jumper.

Sal shooting a layup.

Jack shooting a three.
The 1996-1997 wrestling team had a rebuilding year with new coach Mike DeStefano. DeStefano had many aspirations for the season. The team was lead by captains Mike Benvenuti and Mike Juliano. The other seniors on the team were Eric Martin and Chris Carfagno. There is a prosperous outlook for the upcoming upper classmen. DeStefano's first year of coaching helped the team to achieve their hopes of doing their best.

The teams' record was 5-11. Even though their record may not be good the players as a whole did very well. Captain Mike Benvenuti's record was 24-4. His achievements of the year were 2nd Bloomfield, 1st District and 2nd Region. He also got 1st team All County and All League. Also, captain Mike Juliano's record was 20-5. He received 2nd Bloomfield, 2nd County, 2nd District, and 2nd team All County and All League. Sophomore Dan Dugan also received 3rd County, 3rd District, and Honorable Mention All County. The wrestling team did well, and we wish them success next year.
Back Row: Coach Ed Iobst, Moustafa Hazin, Mike Sawieljew, Chris Cartagno, Matt Laudi, Mike Juliano, Coach Mike DeStefano, Coach Victor Pallante. Middle Row: Mike Benvenuti, Anthony Nater, Eric Martin, Dan Dugan, Steve Diaz, Jim Sutera. Front Row: Gianni Perelli, Robert Constantin, Joe Deroos, Keith Wright.

Captain Mike Juliano

Dan Dugan working a tilt.

Laudi ready to escape.

Martin wrestling
Can You Spike It?

Indoor track, a sport for the bold. Ten hour meets and running in the cold. This year produced a successful season for both the boys' and girls' teams. Early in the season the team was larger than usual, looking promising. Through Christmas vacation head coach Callahan saw fit to lessen the team's membership, causing some dissension among the ranks. Still, those remaining trained hard through the cold weather, and for them, it paid off. Andres Cordero ran to first team in the 3200 meter at the counties, while Jeremy Bukowyczk earned Honorable Mention in the 1000 meter. Aisha Alexander placed First Team All Around, Erica Benedict placed Second Team for the 55 meter hurdles and Laura McGevna earned Honorable Mention for the 3200. Overall, the team placed 5th. The eight team members also fared well at the league meet. The girls became conference champions, and the boys placed 7th. Erica Benedict went on to qualify for the Meet of Champions where she broke the school record (which she already held) for the 55 meter hurdles. Comprised of mostly seniors, the track team will need to recruit new members to carry on the successes of this year's team.
When running a race in track, it is difficult to run it at top speed. The point at which a runner starts to slow down is called "The Wall"
Most runners encounter this during their training and when they first begin competing in their race.
What's That Racket?

This darn fly!

I'll never get the hang of this

Can I

Tennis anyone?

This way?
This darn arm is always in the way!

Okay, let's try this again

This is fun!

This darn arm is always in the way!

Who Got The Par?

Senior Jeff Barattin
Senior Drew McMahon

Sophomore Brandon Pergola

Sophomore John Galiano

Freshman Charissa Bacsik

Junior Chrissy Pasquarello

Steve Yurkosky, Hiram Ramos, Charissa Bacsik, Martin VanBeveren, Chrissy Pasquarello, Drew McMahon, Tammy Bacsik, Jeff Skrabak, Brandon Pergola, John Galiano, Jeff Barattin, Bill Marks, Devon Melone Not Pictured: Joe DiBenedetto, Mary Nesnay, Alyson Rowens, Lauren DeFeo, Joe Porter, Coach Ariola

Junior Martin VanBeveren

Junior Tammy Bacsik

Freshman Bill Marks

146 Golf
Who's The Kingpin?

Back Row: Coach Ariola, Chris Porta, Joe Huber, Danny Heinhold, John Bakalian.
Front Row: Rinaldo Bisesi, Brian Mistretta, Carrie Garabrandt, Keith Kessler, Jeff Gianino.
The 1997 softball season will be a year to remember. The motto for this season is "success only comes before work in the dictionary," and this softball team believes that 100%. With five returning seniors and a squad filled with talent, these lady Hornets are looking for their first county win in over nine years. There not only looking to sweep the county, but also to take the states as they did back in 1994. With pitchers Charissa Roan and Lisa Caruso the 1997 season is sure to be a success.
Who's On First?

Max standing on first base.

Chris throwing a strike.

Back Row: Sam Yodice, Steve Miedema, Mark Battaglise, Mike King, Coach Cassasa, Coach Taglieri, Phil Simone, Jeff Giannino, Chris Quinn, and Eric Madsen. Front Row: Bryan Corrado, Casey Kabana, Danny Casasnovas, Nino Calabro, Max Reynoso, Scott Mataya, Sanders Reynoso, and Steve Gaita.

Seniors Bryan Corrado, Mike King, M Battaglise, Nino Calabro, and Max Reynoso.

Phil playing first base.
The 1997 Passaic Valley Baseball Team has a new coach and is looking to turn around its season from last year. The Hornets were 8-14 last year, but with first year coach Marc Taglieri, the Hornets have a new attitude and are looking to get back into the winning spirit. They will look to surprise a lot of teams in the league and county and make the state playoffs. With a new coach and new attitude, the Hornets look to be an exciting team with a bright future.

The team consists of seniors Mike King, Bryan Corrado, Nino Calabro, Max Reynoso, and Mark Battagliese. Juniors contributing to this year's team are Chris Quinn, Steve Gaita, Jeff Giannino, Scott Mataya, Sanders Reynoso, Casey Kabana, Phil Simone, Danny Casasnovas, Steve Miedema, and Eric Madsen. The lone sophomore contributing to the Hornet team is Sam Yodice. These are the players who will try to bring back Passaic Valley's winning tradition in baseball. With this vast amount of talent, there is no doubt that the Hornets can reach their expectations of winning.
In Passaic Valley, it would be an understatement to say that sports is life. Many of our athletes train year round to become all county and state athletes. This year the 1996 Football Team went an impressive 10-1 with a state finals birth. With ten senior All County and League players, you can bet that they will be sorely missed on the field in '97.

Football wasn’t the only winning team though. Our Gymnastics team went undefeated in ‘96 with a record of 10-0. The girls practiced diligently and their work paid off when they won Conference, Counties, and Sectionals. Senior captains Renee Phifer and Carri Garabrant had exceptional seasons, receiving county and conference recognition.

Not many schools can say that they had three winning teams in a season, but we can. In the fall our Boys’ Cross Country team finished second in the county and also second in the league. With senior captains Keith Lovas, Jeremy Bukowczyk, and Brian Corado the Hornets swept away all competition. Not only were the boys exceptional, but the girls were as well. Seniors Laura McGevna and Jennifer Minchin ran their way in to a first place finish in the league tournament.

The winter season also brought greatness for the Hornets with the Girls Basketball team. With returning seniors Dana Trovato and Deanna Strothers these Lady Hornets had an impressive record and went to the State Tournament.

Now, when most people think of Passaic Valley sports, no one thinks of bowling, but they should. With senior Captain Carri Garrabrant returning the Hornets had an outstanding record and also went to the State finals for the first time in twelve years.

Finally, last year, as the weather warmed up, the Lady Hornets Softball team could be seen in the distance shoveling off their field. In 1996, with returning seniors Christine Vicari, Jody Beesley, Gina Sama and Jo-ann Spineli these Hornets went an outstanding 17-6.
The Junior Varsity teams at Passaic Valley are the building blocks to future success. Although JV players are not Varsity level, they still compete with the same intensity and determination. They are the dreamers and the doers, the future of Passaic Valley. JV Players may go unnoticed for all of their countless efforts, but in the end they prove their ability to work together in order to achieve victory.
Like Sisyphus with his rock, many students at PV continue to participate in extracurricular activities for no discernible reason. They're going to graduate one way or the other, so why do they do it? The truth is that we all have the drive to do something, no matter what it is. We have this drive if we have the need to say something. The act of doing expresses each of our "somethings to say." Students in the Key Club say, "I want to help," while student involved in the Arts say, "I want to create." Of course, it is much more complex than that. Those athletes in Girls' Show, for example, don't simply say, "I want to win." They also say, "I want to form friendships and memories; I want to test my abilities and better myself," and they express these ideas in their performance. Everyone at PV gives voice to their "something to say" by what they choose to do or not to do. In this way, perhaps, these activities make everyone an artist. Everyone tries to say what how they feel and think through their actions. Their individual efforts of self-expression combine to create the rich tapestry that is Passaic Valley High School.
Under The Bed?
"Should I call a doctor or something?"

"It looks like you've been driving nails into your arms!"

"Do you suck on this often?"

"Ooh, this sounds delicious!"
Performing on the Passaic Valley stage is one of the most rewarding and satisfying experiences. It takes a lot of hard work and dedication to prepare a production for an audience, but it is all made worthwhile when the applause of the audience echoes throughout the auditorium!

No matter how confident the actors and actresses may feel, opening night is still extremely nerve-wracking. Suddenly, the thespians begin to worry about old taboos and superstitions, such as "Don't quote Macbeth backstage," or don't say "GOOD LUCK," say "BREAK A LEG." Lines disappear from the memory banks, and the stomach becomes queasy, but the show must go on, and the cast must put aside their fears of nervousness and anxiety.

Once the play is over, there are mixed feelings of happiness and sadness. This year's fall play, Steel Magnolias, was a great success, and that brought a huge smile to the faces of everyone involved.

**STEEL MAGNOLIAS – THE CAST**

- SARA BITAR
- GINA CAPANO
- KELLI DEROSA
- JENN MESCE
- MELISSA ROSOLEN
- MICHELLE SCANO

Understudies: Kelli Brady, Kristina Hill, Christina Pilo.
Assistant Directors: Robert Bird, Stephanie Bird, Mi Suk Pak.
Director: Michael Sperrazza.
The holidays are a time to celebrate with family and friends. This year's holiday concert did just that. With the incorporation of the drama club, this year's holiday concert told the stories of Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and Christmas.

The 1996 Holiday celebration was indeed a celebration. This was the first year the Drama Club performed in the concert, and it was a huge success. The children from the neighboring towns came to watch the performance and were well entertained. The Hanukkah skit and Kwanzaa dance were their favorites along with the portrayal of the Night Before Christmas.

All in all, this year's holiday concert was, in a word, a "celebration". It told the complete stories of the traditions and customs of the Holidays around the world.

"MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL AND TO ALL A GOOD NIGHT!"
What Is The Greatest Honor At PV?

The greatest honor one can obtain at Passaic Valley High School is being inducted as a member of the National Honor Society. Membership into this elite organization is based on scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Under the second year direction of Mrs. Otterbein, these prestigious young individuals tutor student throughout the school year and volunteer in numerous community activities. The National Honor Society is a continuing tradition and distinction at Passaic Valley.

96-97 National Honor Society Officers

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Laura McGevna

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Posters- Rachel Loforesi
         Janine Buscema
Costumes- Michelle Leech
          Stephanie Cryan
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Christen Sylvester, White Chief; Jamie Trovato, President; Ali Konzelmann, Green Chief
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Nick Attianese

Krista Voorhis

Mel Rosolen

Jen Minchin

Rob Lorusso

James Conklin

Michele Shauger

Nick Attianese

James Conklin

Ore Ogunyemi

Art Show
The Yearbook, otherwise entitled Valley Green, is composed of two classes that work to distribute the momentous book at the end of each year. The students who are selected to work on this tedious project are selected by the Yearbook advisor, Ms. McNeal. She, in turn, chooses students with writing, artistic, and creative ability who can work well with others.

The work on the Yearbook begins in the summer. This is when the editors get together and brainstorm ideas for the upcoming year. The editors for the 1996-1997 school year were Rob Bird, Sara Bitar, Melinda Shabka, Mel Rosolen, and Jen Shields. In September, the real work begins. Both classes decide on a theme, cover designs, pictures, and page layouts.

The Yearbook staff has done an amazing job this year. Each person enrolled in the class has worked very hard to make this year's book a success. The memories captured within the yearbook will indefinitely last a lifetime.
What's The Scoop?
Who?- This group of juniors and seniors wanting to take part in the production of the Valley Echo, elected to take this class and entered in September, without any idea on how to run a newspaper.

What?- A triannual newspaper completely produced by P.V. students with the help of the advisor, Mrs. Pedalino.

Where?- In the halls of P.V., behind closed office doors, on the track fields and basketball courts, and anywhere else there's a scoop.

When?- Eight period, Monday through Friday these students can be found tracking the latest news concerning the student body.

Why?- The Valley Echo's main purpose is to inform students about issues involving their lives and their school.
S.A.D.D.
Club

Students Against Drunk Driving, otherwise known as S.A.D.D., is one of Passaic Valley’s more recently organized clubs. Under the second year direction of Mrs. Garofalo, this organization’s main purpose is to make others aware of the dangers and consequences of driving while intoxicated. They strive during the school year to be constant reminders of their cause, especially during the highly precarious seasons such as the Senior Prom and the Junior Cotillion. They feel that if young adults are warned beforehand, tragedies relating to drunk driving could possibly be avoided. For example, one way this small group sends their message is by giving key chains to Passaic Valley students the month they receive their driver’s licenses along with S.A.D.D.’s motto — “Friends Don’t Let Friends Drive Drunk.” S.A.D.D. is yet one more of Passaic Valley’s distinguished clubs that brings across a very important and powerful message to the school’s community — “Take the Lead, Don’t Drive Drunk!”
Audio/Visual Club

The Audio/Visual club is advised by Mr. Ruccia and is led by the co-leaders Phil Brychta - Sound Coordinator, and Dave Buck - Light Coordinator. The A/V Club is responsible for the sound and the lighting of all the productions inside of Passaic Valley's Auditorium. The A/V club works with the Television Production club in the filming of all the sporting events and everything else that appears on P.V.T.V. This year the A/V club is very successful with five new freshman to stand in for the departed seniors. The Audio/Visual and the Television Production Clubs will hopefully live up to past excellence and excel in the future.
The peer helpers are advised by Mr. Terzoule and are lead by the tri-leaders Laura McGevna, Reena Kamdar, and Nicole Sauter. The sub leaders are Teresa Nicosia—announcements, Michelle Scano—attendance, and Heather Lang—bulletin boards. This year the Peer Helpers have raised money to visit St. Joseph's children's hospital during the Christmas holiday to bring gifts to the children. It was a huge success; everyone had fun. We invited our favorite guest speaker back this year, Mr. Ed Agresta. He gave us motivation when we needed it most. He helped us to "extend ourselves to people in need."
SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Club of P.V.H.S., the largest club in the school, is involved in worthwhile learning and service activities each year. The club’s officer and advisor plan a balanced program that excites its membership and makes the school and community aware of the Spanish program, and World Language study in general.

In September, club members sold Christmas cards and wrapping paper to defray the cost of a field trip to see a production of Don Quijote do la Mancha and to enjoy lunch at a Spanish restaurant. During the month of December, members collected non-perishable food products for a needy family in the community. The collection was so successful that two families enjoyed a complete Christmas dinner, toys for children, and non-perishable food. A spring field trip is in the planning with possible destinations being a New York museum or a theatrical production at Repertouo Espanol.

These excursions give the members of the Spanish Club enjoyment and appreciation of Hispanic history and culture.
The Drama Club is comprised of talented students who love the theater. The Drama Club performs three plays a year, including the Fall Play, Christmas Play, and Senior Play. The club also participates in Competition plays, where they compete against other schools for awards such as Best Actor, Best Actress, and Best Play.

Drama Club Advisor: Mr. Sperrazza

Italian Honor Society Advisor: Mrs. Pizzolato

Stage Crew Advisor: Mrs. Corsini
The Jazz Band consists of talented students who enjoy performing music. Auditions are required for membership into the club. The Jazz Band meets one period a week during school on a rotating basis. The Jazz Band performances throughout the year include the Holiday Concert, the Pops Concert, and the Spring Concert.
Junior State of America is a national organization that was founded in 1934. Our local chapter was initiated this year after being dormant for several years. PV students gain hands-on experience by running their own government. JSA provides an opportunity for students to voice their opinions about various controversial issues via bi-weekly debates held in the library.
KEY CLUB
Advisor: Mr. Gordon

FBLA
Advisor: Mrs. Dakes and Mrs. Schneider

ACADEMIC TEAM
Advisor: Mr. Gemma

COLOR GUARD
Advisor: Mr. Hurley

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Advisor: Mrs. Brussell and Miss Intili
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Phil Brychta- Phil. Congratulations on all you've done.

We're proud of you. Mom and Dad

Dave Buck - Bucker. You are finally out of here! Congratulations! No matter what school you decide to attend, you are going to do very well in all of your future endeavors and always remember that I stand behind you if you need me. Love. Your big sis. Amy

Dave Buck - Time has passed by quickly. You have proven yourself to be a strong, compassionate, decisive individual. Keep everyone laughing with that unique sense of humor and dazzling smile. We are so proud that you are our son. We wish you the best of health, wealth and happiness and we love you always! Love, Mom and Dad

Jeremy Bukowskyz - Congratulations on your many outstanding achievements for which you have made us very proud. You have filled our lives with great joy and happiness. We have confidence in you, and we know you will always choose the right path. We love you very much. Love always, Mom, Dad, Mark, and Margaret.

Alessandra Cacciola - Dear Allie: Although things haven't always been easy, you've always been there to make them better. You're not only a wonderful daughter, you're also the best friend in the world. Love, Mom

Alessandra Cacciola - Dear Allie: Through the years, you've grown from a beautiful little girl to a beautiful, loving young woman. We are SO proud of you and wish you happiness, success and love! Love, Mom and Dad

Brian Callahan - We are so proud of and happy to be able to celebrate with you as you graduate. Now you will begin a new and exciting adventure in college. We know you will work hard and be successful. Brian, you are an intelligent, compassionate young man with a good sense of values. We believe in you and will be looking forward to another graduation in four years. All our love, Mom and Dave

Jennifer Cannataro - Our love and congratulations to our beautiful daughter. We are so happy for you. We've had our rough times, but you've grown to be the loving, caring person we always knew you were. Believe in yourself because you do have the potential to be anything you want. Love, Mom and Dad

Chris Carfagno - Dear Chris, CONGRATULATIONS, Your family and I are so proud of you. Now that you are on your way to college, I wish you a very successful future. Never Change. Remember always. Grandpa's love and admiration for you. He was very proud of you.

Love, Dad

Chris Carfagno - Dear Christopher, It is with much pride and admiration that I say, CONGRATULATIONS to you. It is your determination and strong will that will guide you to future endeavors. Enjoy your college years, reach for the STARS, don't settle for anything less. I am proud of your accomplishments and I know you will attain all your dreams. Believe in yourself, Nothing is Impossible. I Love You. Love Always, Mom

Danielle Carnazza - We love you and only want the best that life has to offer you. Love, Mom and Dad

John Carnelloll - Having you as my son has been one of the greatest gifts in my life. You have made me proud to be your mother from when you were born until now. Through good times and bad, you made it easy for me to always say, "That's my son." For all you've been, for all you are, and for all you're going to be, I wish you only what you deserve - Love, Health, Happiness, and Success!! Never forget how much April and I Love you! Love always, Mom

Dominic Chipolone - congratulations! We are so proud of you. Wishing you happiness and continued success. God bless you. Love always, Mom, Dad, and Mike

Sal Colombo - Good luck in college. We're all very proud of you, and follow your dreams. Love, Mom and Dad

Anna-Lynn Condon - Through good times and bad, through 'agreements' and 'disagreements' we will always have each other. I am very proud of you. Continue to reach for the moon and the stars. Hold fast to your dreams - for when dreams die, life is like a broken winged bird that cannot fly! Love, Mom

James Conklin - Dear Jamie, Congratulations! We are so very proud of you as you graduate. Know that daddy is looking down at you with such pride and love. Continue to pursue your dreams in the art field. We
Dear Andrew,

our look around and choose your own. We love you. Look at you! Dawn, Kristin, Robert, Melissa, Heather, and Megan

Brian Cox - Congratulations, Brian, on all of your accomplishments! You've made us very proud! We love you! Mom, Dad, Mom, Kevin, Kristina, and Kip

Sean Coronato - Congratulations and Best of Luck in your future endeavors. Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Josephine Cristofano - Dear Josephine. We are very proud of you. You are our shining star. We wish you much success in college, and in your future. Love always, Mom and Dad

Rita Czapinski - We know how difficult these four years have been for you. We love you, we are very proud of you, and we will always be there for you. We wish you happiness always. Love, Mom and Dad

Stephen D'Amato - To Our Stephen, We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments. You have always been so bright, loving, caring, and sensible, always making wise decisions on your own. Just keep on making all those wise decisions for yourself and continue to be your own person. Enjoy your college years, they go by so fast! We know you will be successful in whatever you pursue. Always stay happy, safe, keep the faith, and follow your dreams. Our home is going to be so quiet when you're away at college! Remember, your family is always there for you. God Bless You Honey, We Love You So Much, Mom, Dad, Andy, and Ronnie XXX

Susan Damico - Look around and choose your own ground; For long you live and high you fly, and smiles you'll give and tears you'll cry. And all you touch and all you see, is all your life will ever be. We are so proud of you and love you very much! Love Mom, Dad, James, Steve, Micheal, John, and Dana

Debbie Drobiak - Time passes by so quickly - It seems like yesterday when we sent you off to kindergarten and here we are getting ready to send you off to college. You have made us proud with all your achievements throughout the years - your determination and caring attitude will take you far in life. We wish you much happiness and success in the future. We will always be there for you! Love, Mom, Dad, and Jeff

Marc Eardley - Dear Marc, This is a big year for you. You're graduating High School and about to enter college. These past 13 years have been eventful, rewarding and filled with growth, adventures and love. You are to be congratulated for a job well done. There is a lot more to come. We want you to enjoy it, seize it and live life to the fullest. We love you and support you in all you do! Congratulations! With all our love, Mom and Dad

Marc Eardley - Marc, You're the best and the brightest. Congratulations. We love you so much. Dad, Mom, Beau, Jangles, Sprunky, Angel, and Baby

Andrew Frey - Dear Andrew - We are very proud of you. This Senior Year and all the days of your life. Reach out for all that life offers and may you enjoy continued success. Love, Mom, Dad, and Kathleen

Carrie Garrabrant - Dear Carrie: We are very proud of you and your accomplishments. You have been a real blessing to our family. We Love You! Mom and Pops

Serpi Gasko - Dear Serpi, Congratulations!!! We love you! We are very proud of you and the class of 1997. Love, Mom, Dad, and Ken

Lisa Gencarelli - We wish you luck throughout your future, and may your hopes and dreams come true. We love you always. Mom, Dad, Sam, and Joey

Lisa Gencarelli - Congratulations to our shining star. You have become our little shining star that make our eyes shine. May the future years bring you lots of success and happiness. We hope you reach your highest goal in Life. We are very proud of you. We love you very much. Love, Mom, Dad, Sam and Joe

Rosalba Gencarelli - We are very proud that you are our daughter, and a great sister. You have grown into a beautiful young lady. We wish you a future filled with love, happiness, and great success! Never forget how much you are loved. It seems like it was yesterday that you were in nursery school, and now you are graduating high school. Congratulations and God Bless you. Love, Mom, Dad, Joey, Anna Marie, and Jessica!!

Kelly Gerdes - We've had a lot of hard times since Dad passed away, but we did get through them. Just remember you're a smart girl and to think with your head and not always with your heart and you will be fine. I Love You, MOM

Anthony Giacchi - Congratulations Anthony - We love you! You make us so proud. Love, Mom and Dad

Jennifer Gruzas - To Jennifer with love. When you were small, you were a treasure of delight. It's been fun showing and teaching you new things. You've always been so happy and eager to learn. As the years have gone by, we've seen you grow into a beautiful, independent young lady. We still see you as our little girl, that will never change.

Benjamin Gualano - There is a special kind of love that parents share with their children. It is the kind that's built upon years of treasured moments, little endearments and affectionate nicknames that only parents and children share. The kind of love shared by us that will last forever. Ben, we could not be more proud of the person you are. We know your future will be filled with wonderful things. We wish you all the best, we love you, Mom, Dad, Tony and Gina

Kelly Marie Guftin - So glad you're our special angel. Love always, Mom and Dad (Keep your foot off the clutch!)

Kimberly Haden - I am so very proud of all your accomplishments and the beautiful young woman you have become. As you go through life, I will always be here to offer you my guidance and support and most of all, you have my unconditional love. I wish you all the success, health and happiness always. I love you, Mom

Ross Hannah - As parents it is difficult to express the joy and pride we take in having you as our son. You have surpassed all we could ever have hoped for in your accomplishments, be they in the classroom, on the field or elsewhere. But our deepest pride derives from seeing you develop into such a fine young man. You have shown yourself to be a person of character who understands and adheres to the highest values: those of respect for others, responsibility, compassion, perseverance, dedication, loyalty, integrity and faith. These are the qualities through which you have earned our trust, respect and sincere admiration and by which you have enriched our lives immeasurably. Continue to cherish and nurture these virtues and you are assured of a life of joy, happiness, peace, and success. May God always continue to smile down upon you! All our love, Mom and Dad

Dana Hellegers - The years have gone by so quickly. It seems like you were just starting kindergarten and now you are graduating high school. You have grown into a beautiful young woman. We know that whatever you choose to do in life, you will be successful. Remember, we love you and will always be there for you to support in whatever you do. Love, Mom, Dad, and Michael

Darby Hughes - Dear Darby, Congratulations and all our best wishes to you. We'll always remember the good times of marching band... comp, fundraisers, the prom and Glee Club. We are very proud of you. Love, Mom and Dad

Rosangela Iacovo - Dear Rosangela, Well this is it. Our little girl is graduating. You have made us so proud of you. We want you to know that we wish you a lifetime of happiness and much success in all your endeavors. We love you and will always be here for you BABY. Love Mom, Dad, Billy, Ornella, Pat, and Anthony

Justin Juba - Love and Success from Mom and Dad and brothers Rob '88, Nick '90, Joe '93, Randy '96. We're so proud of you. the last of the Juba dynasty at PV!

Michael Juliano - Michael "Jules", We are so proud of you and all you have accomplished! Always set your goals high and reach for the stars! We love you very much, and will always be there for you. We wish you happiness and success in all you do. Love, your #1 fans, Mom and Dad

Carolyn Kaiser - Dear Carolyn, You're loved as the sweet daughter you've always been ... the thoughtful woman you've become ... and the caring person who would make any person proud. Love, Mom and Dad

Michael King - You have been a constant source of joy and happiness. You are everything any parent could ask for in a child. Your strength, moral courage, intelligence, responsibility, humor and concern for others are such outstanding qualities to possess. We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. We alone, know how hard you have worked to keep your strong commitment to academics and athletics. Continue to be strong and true to yourself, to your values, and cherish your brother and she will always be there to support you in all of your decisions. All our love, Mom, Dad, Greg, and Chris

Jerzie Ann Kissel - I must tell you, you've made parenting a pleasure, a delight, one of the happiest, easiest jobs I ever had to do. You are such a good girl, such a nice girl, I'm so proud of you. All your accomplishments you did on your own. Jerzie, everyone was right, YOU ARE A QUEEN! Love, Your Mom
Jerzie-Ann Kissel - Dear Jerzie-Ann, We have enjoyed your school years as you have made us feel a part of them. You are a very caring and loving person. May God bless you and every thing you do. Love, Gram, Papa, and Angelo

Jerzie-Ann Kissel - Dear Jerzie, Your talents and opportunities in life are endless. Reach for the stars! With pride and love, always, Aunt Joan, Uncle Tom, Jennifer and Kate

Jerzie-Ann Kissel - You are a very sensitive and kind person, and along with all your other special qualities you will surely enjoy continued success in your future goals. We are all proud and congratulate you on your graduation from PVHS. and wish you good luck in college. God Bless you. Love, Joe, Ro, Vic and especially Joey. (Whose life you've touched and heart you will always have)!

Ursula-A-Ann Klim - We're very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. Always do your best in whatever you do. Love, Mom, Dad, Stephen, Laura, and Marie

Ali Konzelman - It has been sheer delight living with the most talkative, cheerfulgreen. Green Chef that has ever graced the halls of PV. We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments. We know that you have only just begun. The Best. We Love You xxx. Mom, Dad, and Jude

Jack Kowalk - You are a special gift from God that we will treasure forever. You have become a strong, sensitive, and determined young man everyone would be proud to call "Son." We believe we planted the seeds of hard work, good values, integrity and love in your ambitious heart. We are beaming with pride and feel truly blessed for having such a kind and caring son, who has a special compassion for other people. Your humor, enthusiasm, discipline, moral courage, and strength of character are very admirable qualities. Now it is time to pursue your dreams and reach your goals in life. Continue to be true to yourself, and set your goals high. Reach for the moon. and you'll land among the STARS (#34). We will always be there to support and guide you along your path of success. Thank you for the happiness you have brought into our lives --- always remember how much we love you. REMEMBER --- THE BEST IS YET TO COME #34 --- GOD BLESS YOU. Mom and Dad

Kara Kulick - To our dear daughter Kara, we cannot believe how much joy you have brought to us. You brighten our world each and every day. You have become a beautiful woman and we know that all of your dreams will come true. We love you with all our hearts and wish you a lifetime of happiness. Congratulations. Love, Mom, Dad, and Paul

Stephen Kuybida - You will always be our "Very Special Taurus". We will always be proud of you. Look to the future with a positive attitude and all your goals in life will be achieved with success. Love you. Mom, Dad, Nicole, Michael and Jonathan

Corey Landau - We wish you a life filled with much happiness and good health always. Remember to dream big, laugh hard, and love what you do. We are proud of you and don't ever forget how much we love you. Love, Mom and Dennis

Heather Lang - Heather - We are so proud of your many accomplishments. May you attain your goals and always remember how much we love you. Love, Mom, and Heidi

Michelle Leech - Congratulations to our first born daughter! And day you are graduating from PV has been so exciting. How times have changed and how proud we are that you have made all of the right choices to accomplish your goals and dreams. Continue along this path and you can't lose. We love you very much and remember we are "best friends forever." Love always and forever, Mom, Dad, Cindi, Tracy, and "Herbie"

Christina Leporini - Congratulations to our dear Christina!! We are all very proud of you and your accomplishments at PV. We wish you the brightest future, and know you can do anything you set your mind to. We all love you very much and are very proud of the smart choices you continue to make. Love and Kisses, Mom, Dad, Rosa, David, and Stephanie

David Liguori - Dave, You made it! Congratulations and Good Luck Today and Always. We're Very Proud of You and Wish You All the Best, Love, Mom and Dad

Rebecca Liguori - Hi Rebecca, Best of Luck and God Bless you all you do. Love, Mom and Dad

Jonathon Lorusso - Your life is at a crossroads. Decisions seem so important. But whatever path you chose...take in all the sights, learn from your triumphs and your mistakes. But most of all enjoy your journey, love, Mom, Dad, Andrea and Robert

Robert Lorusso - Until now, your life has been moored in the safety of your home port... so as you set sail to explore unknown territories, may the seas be calm and the journey be awe inspiring. Love, Mom, Dad, Andrea and Jonathon

Kelly Mac Farlane - We are so proud of you. You were sent from heaven to bless our lives and you have. Love, Mom and Dad

Ricky Maritato - Congratulations and best wishes. We love you and we're very proud of you. Whatever choice you make, let it be a happy one. Lots of love, Mom and Dad

Erik Martin - This is it! It's been a long 4 years! You know we are always proud of you and we will always be there for you. Love, Mom and Dad

Erika A. Martinez - Congratulations Erin, "You Did It." We're all so proud of you. If you follow your dreams, work hard, and believe in yourself, nothing will be impossible for you. We love you very much. Mom, Dad, Tina and Renee

Manuel Martinez - We are so proud of you. Your determination will bring you success in life. May God bless all your decisions. We are always here for you and love you. Mom and Dad

Manuel Martinez - May the next four years be just as memorable, fun, productive and full of achievements. You will succeed in everything you put your mind to. Love your sister, LAM.

Joseph Mastrogianni - Joseph - We are so proud of you! You are our living expression of God's love. From the moment you were born you have put a million smiles in our hearts. Congratulations on your graduation! It is another achievement in your life that will forever be engraver in our hearts. We have protected and cherished you, given you roots to know where your home is, and now we give you wings. May God bless you always, and remember - "There are no impossible dreams!" Love, Mom, Dad, and Lisa

Larry McCave - Larry - We are very proud of you. We wish you Health and Happiness all of your life. Love, Mom, Dad, Kerry, Erin and Kirby

Megan Anne Mendillo - Each day in your life is like the page of a wonderful book. You have filled yours and mine with outstanding accomplishments, unique qualities, and special memories. Always be yourself and I know you will continue to succeed in all you do. Look back on how proud I am of you... look ahead to a shining future and always remember I love you. Mom

Jennifer Minchin - I can't begin to tell you how very proud I am of you. You're the best. "I love you." I'll always be here for you. Love, Daddy

Jennifer Minchin - Preparing to move on in the world, meeting new people, living new experiences and continuing your education, I want to tell you what it is in my heart seeing my daughter becoming a woman. Not only am I so very proud of you, but I respect and admire your strength, perseverance, bravery, sensitivity and your endless determination. Whatever path your mind to I have confidence you will achieve. Saying the words alone cannot express how much I love you - and always will. - Mom

Trisha Minery - I can't believe my "Baby Girl" is ready to graduate. You have grown into a beautiful and talented young woman. We wish you all the success and happiness in the world. Remember you have two very special guardian angels watching over you and helping you along the way. God bless and Good luck to your future. Love, Mom and Unc. PT. Toots. Good luck in college next year. I'm really glad you're my sister and I love you no matter how lazy you are. Love, Mike

Trisha Minery - From day one you were our little girl. Now you've all grown up and beautiful, but you'll always be my little girl, who made us proud always. Pop-Pop will be with you forever. Good Luck, Love, Nan

Jamie Nardino - We wish you a future filled with health, happiness, and success. Love, Mom, Dad, Cheryl, and Karen

Melissa Negrotto - You've come along way since Freshman year. Whatever your dreams and goals are, go for them. We'll always be there for you. We love you. Love, Mom and Dad

Saban Nieve - I am very proud of you. Son. Good luck with in your future. Love you always. Mom

Allison Nitch - Congratulations! May your future be as beautiful as your art work! We love you and hope all your ambitions are realized. Love, Mom and Dad

Brian Ostrowski - Congratulations... We are very proud of you. Have confidence in yourself and you will succeed. Apply yourself in college and you'll find great satisfaction. Be Happy and always remember... Drive Careful and S-M-I-L-E. Love always. Mom and Dad

Maria Pami - Mariesa, Your caring and sensitive nature will always bring joy to others. I know it has to us. Set reachable goals and never give up. Keep smiling that beautiful smile. We love you always. Mom and Dad

Steven Pasqualetti - Dear Steven, You've always made us proud. Our hopes and prayers are for a future of happiness and success for you. Love always, Mom and Michael

Nicholas Pastula - Nick, The best of everything, you really deserve it. We're all so proud of you for all you've done and become. You've brought so much joy to all our lives. A true blessing for all of us is you Nick. Continue to be yourself and always remember, fast, hard - and smart! Love, Mom and Ernie. Di and Dad

Frank Pergola - To my God Son Frankie, Do what you gotta do... Make it right for you!! Love your Godfather, Uncle Tommy, Aunt Honey, Justin and Tara

Renee Phifer - You have grown to be a beautiful, talented and intelligent individual. We are very proud of you. The future holds so many opportunities for you. We hope it is filled with love, health, and happiness.
May all your hopes and dreams come true. You deserve it! We love you, Mom, Dad and Erica

Lisa Pelzer - You have given us so many reasons to be proud of you. We hope all your dreams come true. Love, Mom, Dad, Joe, and Michael

Nicolle Puzzo - You've made us so proud of you. We hope all your dreams come true. Love, Mom, Dad, Joe, and Michael

Ray Reddin - Live life fully, follow your dreams and be happy. Always remember that no one on this earth will love you as much as we do. Mom and Dad

Max Reynoso - Never give up in your goals. If you first don't succeed, try, try again, 'cause at the end, you'll always come out on top. Love, Mom

Rosanne Roccaseanta - Rosanne, we're going to miss you. We love you! Always and Forever... Daddy and Maureen

David Sauced - You brought hope and love into our lives. Wherever you go, whatever you do, you will always be in our hearts. We are all proud of you! Love, Mom and Dad, Zak, Peter, Mark, Rhonda

April Scavone - Dear April, Best of luck to you always and forever. Remember... Mom loves you with all of her heart, brother Philip wishes you the best of luck to! With all our love, Mom and Brother Philip xo

Melinda Shabka - The past four years have been filled with many unforgettable memories. You have made us extremely proud of your accomplishments. We look forward to your future with great enthusiasm. We believe that you have planted the seeds of hard work, determination, integrity and compassion into your life.

You are a mature young woman with the world waiting to help you fulfill your dreams. Always keep your radiant smile and positive outlook and your talents will shine through. Remember we love you very much and will always be here for you when you're watching your dreams come true! May success and happiness follow every footsteps. Love, Mom, Dad, and Jousef

Jennifer Shields - We are so proud of you. You have brought so much happiness to our family. We know you will be successful in all you do. May all your dreams come true. Good luck and lots of happiness. Love, Mom, Dad, Kelly, Terri, and Sean

Jeff Skrabak - Best wishes as you continue along the road of life. You've grown into a wonderful young man, and we are proud that you are our son. We love you. Love, Mom and Dad

Janette Soochoo - May your love be filled with Peach Roses, happiness, love, excellent health, and prosperity. Thank you for your love, support, honesty, understanding, and friendship. Keep smiling! Congratulations and best wishes. Love Always, Mom and Dad

Deborah Stanaback - Deborah, congratulations. We are so proud of you. May you be successful in whatever you do. Love, Mom, Helena, and Uncle John

Christen Sylvester - We can not express the joy that you have brought us over the past four years as we have watched you grow from a little girl into a mature young woman. We are proud of you! Good Luck in your future! Love, Mom, Dad, and Stephen

Brian Testino - We know when you don't always see eye to eye with us, but you have a special way of you loving us very much, and we wish you good luck in whatever you choose to do in the future. Love, Mom and Dad

Joseph Tommaso - Congratulations and good luck in whatever you choose to do. You have the ability to succeed, so don't ever give up trying. We wish you happiness, health and success always. Love, Mom, Anthony, and Pop

Daniela Trama - You have made us so proud. Remember always that we love you with all our hearts and that we support you in anyway and in anything you want to do. Always remember that Daddy's always looking for you and that you will always be "Daddy's Little Girl". Love, Mom and Dad

Dana Marie Trovato - Dear Dana. As another chapter in your life comes to an end, always keep in your heart the fond memories of FVHS. You have achieved so much and have accomplished so many things. You have made our family very proud and you should be proud of yourself. What lies ahead, is up to you! May the very best come your way. Always know that the love we have for you is so deep and strong. From the moment we saw you at birth, we knew you were special. May God watch over you and keep you safe in the palm of his hand. Love Forever, Mom and Dad

Dana Marie Trovato - You are a special and loving sister. We wish you all the best, now and always. May all your dreams come true. We love you so much. Love and kisses, Tora and Frankie

Michael Tuohy - Dear Michael, The last 4 years have just flown by as we watched you grow from a boy to a young man. We're very proud of you and hope you reach all the goals you are about to set for yourself as you leave high school bound for college. We wish you luck and happiness and only the best for your future along with our continued love and support. All our love to our Wonderful son. Mom and Dad

Vincent UCLeaux - Dear Vince. With everyday that passes, we watch you grow into a wonderful human being. You have made us so proud. We wish you the best in all you do. All our love to you always. Love Mom and Dad

Amy Varcadipane - It seems like only yesterday you were a little girl, and today you are a beautiful young lady. We are very, very proud. We wish you the best and reach your goals. May happiness always follow you. Amy, always remember we are here for you all the time, we love you and wish you all the best, and hope that life has to offer. All our love, Mom and Tom PS Thanks for Girls' Show.

Amy Varcadipane - Congratulations! You are a fine young woman and a loving daughter. Not to mention A Piece of Work, while I probably respect the person you have become. I am so proud of you. Amy. May your life be filed with only good things. Never lose sight of your dreams and know that I will always be there to watch over you. Support and guide you. I wish you a future filled with happiness and great success. I love you, Dad.

Courtney VanderBrink - A chapter ends. A new chapter begins. May your life be a "Classic". We hope your future brings you all the joy and happiness you have brought to us all. Love, Mom, Dad and Jenny.

Malcolm Vargas - Malcolm, Congratulations on your graduation! I'm so proud of you and all you've accomplished. Thanks for being a bright spot in my life. Love always, Mom.

Lauren Vetteri - You have given so much joy and happiness to our family. We're so proud of all that you've accomplished and we know your future will be filled with much success and happiness. Keep your individuality which makes you so special. God bless you always. We love you - Mom and Dad, Janine and Dan, John and Susan

Nick Vincenti - Congratulations and our very best wishes for your continued success in life. We are very proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, and Frank

Andrea Ward - Andrea, You have made us so proud of you. We are so proud of you, who we are very proud. Remember you can do anything you set your mind to and we will always be there for you. May your future be filled with good health, happiness and success. Love Mom, Dad, Nicole, and Michael.

Dana Ziegler - Dear Dana, You have always made us proud of everything that you have accomplished. We know that whatever goals you strive for in the future will make you just as proud, if not more. As you go out into the world now, you are not alone. All of our love will be wrapped around you forever, as always. Love, Mom and Dad

Alisa Zwalaren - To #18, the best on the soccer field, Success in life we send to you. Proud of you of course we are because we all love you for who you are. Our chick! Love, Mom, Dad, Suzi A-R-C-F and N

Jennifer - Congratulations! You made it and we are so very proud of you! You are a very special person and deserve the best in life and love. We love you very much and wish you much success. We will always be there for you! We love you, Mom and Dad.
Booster

Rachel. Congratulations! What an accomplishment!

We are proud of you! Love Grandma & Grandpa Bigelow.

Ceri, Christina & Alison - Thanks for everything. I wish you all the greatest luck in everything. Love Always, Rachael

Rachel. Congratulations! You’ve had what it takes to succeed. Love Grandma Shock.

Congratulations Tim! You’ve accomplished another important step in life. Good luck in your future. Love Mom.


Dear Richie: Congratulations! You are a great brother.

Love Ashley & Adriana.


Anthony Balloutine - Work it boy, burn that fat. Love Richard Simmonds.

Uncle Tony. I am so happy I turned out to look just like you! Love Joey.

Anthony, We love you Tony Bologny. Love Dad, Mom, Sisters, Brother & Joey.

Anthony Balloutine, I chud you! Love your sister Gina.

Too Antonio Balloutine, The most beautiful man in the world. Love Gina.

Dave Buck. Best of health and happiness to a loving, caring, understanding granddad. Love Grams & Gramps.

Dave. Best of luck in wherever you decided to go. Love Amy.


Dave, To my favorite son, be all you can be & be true to yourself. Love Mom.

Dave. To a son like you, it’s been our pleasure. Love Mom & Dad.

Michelle Leech. Good luck in the future. Love Tracy.

Dear Michelle, Congratulations! Love Keith.

Michelle. Congratulations! Love Cindi.

Good Luck Baby Charissa! Love Andrea.

Charissa. Stay as nice as you are. Love Pop. Charissa.

To my favorite niece, best of everything in life. Love Gail Gyle.


So proud of you. Congrats and be happy. Aunt Eileen.

Jeremy. Best of luck. We love you. Grandma and Grandpa & "K".

Allison. Congratulations little sister! Steve

Amy. All the best to you in the future. Love Uncle Charlie and Aunt Patti.

Congratulations! Now it’s time to celebrate. Good Luck! Jules and Barbara

Anut Amy. Best of luck. We love you. Amanda Lynn and Katelynn.

Amy. Best of luck in all you do. Love Rita and John


Amy. Best of luck in the future. Love Auntie Eileen and Uncle Marie.

Jennifer. My stomachachonkey, pizzahead! You taught me everything I know. Thank you. I love you! Your BFfe-Nicole

Keith. T.W. Loves: You’ve been my best friend for 4 years. I’ll love you forever (you know). Don’t leave me! Nicole(Da Book!)

Sueballis! I’m so glad we’re best friends. I’ll visit you on your day off. Love you forever Nicole!Code River: Chix - Your dad! You love the way I dance! He, He. I’m so glad we became best friends - Don’t forget me! Visit! Love Chix

Dani. UH best stis ... thanks for being my BF. Good Luck with whatever you do! Always and forever... Luv U Jo

Daniela. Thanks for making "us" proud. You truly are a wonderful & loving person that will be a success in whatever you do. Love you. Mom

Daniela - Thirs for taking care of me when I was small...now I’ll take Mom and Dad forever. Love Colleen

Dani - Congratulations and Good luck with the future. Love Mary, Felice and Baby

Danielle - U have made everyone so proud of your accomplishments in HS . Good Luck. And continued success in college and whatever you do. Love ya forever.


Carolyn - Happiness, Health and a great future are our wish for you.

Mom & Dad

Dear Carolyn, my little sister - Good Luck and success.

Love Mich

Dear Carolyn! Do your best! Love Helen, Billy, Kevin and Lois.

Dear Carolyn. Congratulations! We love you! Grandma, Nanny and Helmet.

Dear Carolyn. Good Luck in college - Aunt Chris, Uncle Jeff, Jeffrey and Kelly.

Dear Carolyn. You made it! Love Aunt Rita, Uncle John, Carie, Cindy and Cheryl.

John - Congratulations and Good Luck in college.

We’re proud of you and we love you - Mom, Dad, Chris, and Karen.

John - Congratulations and Best of luck in your future years. Hope all your dreams and expectations come true! Love Mom and Danielle.

Johnny. Remember your only adventure is to extend yourself in all dimensions - Uncle Joseph.

Allison - Congratulations! your life is just beginning - Enjoy every moment of the full Paul and Al Nicll Allison - Congratulations and thanks for being such a good kid! Mom and Dad.

Congratulations Class of ’97 - Mr. and Mrs. John Coronato

Sean - Congrats - Love, Lindsay

Shaun - Congratulations - What ever you choose in your future I’ll help you in any way Your brother, Scott

Shaun - Congratulations and Best Wishes in the future - Uncle John and Uncle Joe Unger.

Shaun - Congratulations and Lots of Luck in the future - Grandma and Grandpa Unger.

Sean - We’re proud of you - Love, Mom and Dad.

Sean - Congratulations - Love, Grandma and Grandpa.

Shaun - Proud to stay, love and congratulations - Your brother Steve.

Shaun - Lots of luck in the future - Grandpa Coronato.

Shaun - lots of love and Congratulations - Your Shop-Rite Grandma.

Sean - Best Wishes - Cary Desmond

Sean - Best Wishes to you and the Class of ’97 - Carol Agnes

Joselie - Congratulations to the Class of ’97 - Chandler DeBo

Dana - Sincere Congratulations in the future to my dearest granddaughter - Love, Grandma

Dana - Congratulations; You finally made it. My love and warmest wishes to you - Love, Joey.

Dana - Congratulations and Good Luck. Stay out of trouble we know your up to something! Love, Kelly and Scott

Dana - Good Luck and may all your dreams come true. Love Aunt Pat.

Dana - Thanks for always being there for me. I love you - Michael

Dana - May you be successful in all that you do. We love you - Love, Mom and Dad.

Dana - Another milestone of your life has past. College is now your future. Do well, be happy. Love Nanny Kay, Stephen K. and Michele S. - Best of luck to both of you at college!! The Kuybida Family.

Stephen K. - You’re the best! Good Luck! Jon K.

Stephen K. Good Luck at college. we are proud of you.

Love mom and dad.

Stephen. We’re so proud of you! Love, Uncle Gary, Aunt Debbie, Stephanie, and Nicky XXX

Steve! May all your dreams come true! Love Aunt Judy & Uncle Phil XXX.

Stephen. We’re so proud of you. You are emerald to us! Love, Mimi & Pop XXXXXX

Dear Janette, Felicitations on your accomplishments. I wish you happiness and success in future years to come.

Love your brother, Allen.

To our favorite granddaughter Janette. Congratulations! Our adoration. Best wishes ... and many, many, many more! Love Pats, Joe.

To Janette - We love you. Congratulations. Love, Grandma and Grandma Eng.

To the precious niece Janette - May all your dreams come true, and your future be as bright as you are!! Love, Aunt Marion and Uncle Sandy.

Congratulations Janette. Best of health and happiness.

To my stars! Love, Uncle Jim and Aunt Susie.

Congratulations Janette. We love you. Thomas and Michael, Aunt Ann Marie and Uncle Lakeland.

Dear Janette, Go girl! Love, Kja, Jarrod, and Kristin.

Dear Janette. We wish you happiness and success always. Love, Aunt Joyce, Uncle Richie, Jeffrey, Kenny and Steven.

Dear Janette, Lots of luck! Love, Uncle Lajoyng, Chris Sommam, Nicole, and Meghan.

To Janette - Congratulations and best wishes to your future. Hope the last four years were more than just work. Now it’s time to have a party, have a blast! Love, Uncle Lakman, Aunt Linda, Amanda, Peter, and Auntie.

Dear Janette - Best wishes and congratulations. Uncle Mark.

Good luck Janette! Love Terry, Roe, Jonathan, and Sue.

Janette-Good luck and happiness in future years to come. Love, Laken.

Good luck in all your future years, you are the best. Grandma.

To my favorite athlete and best niece - May your future be successful happy. Len Meozo.

Erica - Good luck in college. I hope you don’t follow my footsteps. Eddie Benedict.

Erica - I hope you grow up to be just as tall as you are. Best wishes. Michelle.

Erica - Good luck, have a great time in whatever you do. Don’t drive too fast. Nicole.

Best wishes to my friend Erica. I hope I can run fast like Erica does. Stephanie.

Good Luck Raymi - We’re proud of you!!! Aunt Karen & Uncle Ray.

Congrat’s. To our special nephew. Godson. We’re so proud of you! Best of Health, Happiness & Success always. We Love You! Aunt Terri & Uncle John.

Nicole - You are the best. Love, Aunt Maria.

Nicole - We are very proud of you. Love, Grandmom & Paco.

Nicole P. - HUGS. Love, Steven.

Nicole P. - Always remember me. I will visit you. Love, Steven.

Mary J. - Thank you for always being there. Love Always - Kelly, Erica, Charissa, Maria, Anna.


Good Luck Brian. - Scott Testino.

Good luck in the future Brian. - Eugene Molino.


Brian - Best of Luck. Love, Aunt Irene DiStefano.

Good Luck to our son Brian. Love, Mom & Dad.


Carina Pina. Tanti cari auguri di felicita e molto successo nella vita - Nonna & Nonna


Dear Josephine, We wish much happiness in whatever you do. We love you - Mom, Dad, & Nick.

Nick Pastula - Good Luck at Fordham and be a good little boy. Love, your sister.

To my grandson Nicholas. Good luck at Fordham. I am so proud of you - Love, Grandma Samra.

Nick - Best of luck at Fordham - show those Rams what defensive really is. Love, Uncle Ken.

Nick - Best of luck nephew at Fordham. Be smart & have fun.

Goodbye Hornets, Hello Rams. - Uncle Gary & Aunt Mary.

Nick. remember: Fast, Hard & Smart Always...- Marlania.

Nick - Goodbye Hornets, Hello Rams - Go Fordham.
Love, Chick
Brian O. O.owski Good Luck, Aunt Maryanne, Uncle Gene and Gary
Brian O. Congratulations, Love Grandma
Brian O. Good Luck in College - Love Mom & Dad
Steve P. Joe T. Brian T. Chris C. Congratulations, Mr. & Mrs. O'Reilly
Brian O. Congratulations & Best Wishes in your future
- Love Aunt Kathy & Uncle Dennis
Brian O. - Good Luck in college & in everything you do.
- Love Uncle Lori
Brian O. Ostrowski Congratulations! from your cousins in
Pa. Love Kristie & Ryan
Srpl. We are proud of you, and wish you the best in the
future! Semina & Mrnet
Srpl we love you, and we are proud of you. Good luck
always Grandma & Grandpa
Srpl We are waiting for you to clean our teeth. Nancy
Cashubat
Srpl. May all your hopes and dreams come true. Love
Mom, Dad & Kenny
To my dearest niece, Srpl. You have come a long way
and we are very proud of you. Sedat Amca and Yenge
To our dearest niece, Srpl. Wishing you the very best
in everything you do! Kalkay family
Gina Congratulations to "our little girl"! Love always
Mom & Dad
Gina "Good Luck" Love Joey
Dear Gina "Best Wishes" Love Uncle Ronnie
"Gina you are my hero" Love Mom & Dad
Dear Gina, Love, Uncle Andy
Best Wishes - Jonathan Lorusso - Love. Grandma
To Jonathan Lorusso - Love. Aunt Rev & Uncle BJ
Love to Jonathan Lorusso from Mom & Dad
Go get up Jonathan Lorusso - Love Andrea
Jonathan Lorusso - Woof Woof - Kibles & Ralf
Dana - Congratulations! I'll miss you next year.
Love You, Gina
To Dana - Congratulations! You have always made us
so proud. The best of luck and all our love goes with you
to college. Love, Mom and Dad
To Dana, my granddaughter - Congratulations on
graduating high school! The best of luck in your future
endeavors. Love Grandma
To Dana - Good luck in college next year. Congratulations.
Love, Grandma
To my sister, Dana - I'll miss playing with you next year
when you're in college. Love, Christopher
To Dana - Congratulations and Good Luck! Love,
Robin, Walt, Kim, Milo, & Georgia
Dana - Good luck, love your heart. Love, Aunt Margaret
Ann and Uncle Ed
Ali - Congrats, you made it! Best of luck in college.
Love, dad
Ali - You have made us very proud. Love, Mom and Dad
Ali - Congratulations! Best of luck in college. Love,
Gram
Ali - Congrats! I'll miss you! Can't have your room? Love,
Max
Ali - Be well and may good things come to you. Love,
Uncle Joe
Ali - You are the best! Love, Dad and Mom
Melinda - May all your dreams come true! We love you!
Mom and Dad
Melinda - I'll miss having you around next year! Good
Luck! Love your brother, Joser!
Melinda - You are a very special grandmother. Be
happy always. Love, Grandma
Melinda - May your psychic wishes come true! Love,
Aunt Kathy & #1
Melinda - Best of luck in college! Don't forget to come
home and visit often! Love, Matthew and Thomas
Tim - Best of luck in whatever you do. Love Your Cousin
Ronnie
Tim: Congratulations, I'm very proud of you, your
future looks bright. Love You Man Dad.
Tim: Congratulations, Best of luck in all you do. Love
Aunt Gayle & Uncle Jack
Hey Hey Hey!! What a surprise you made! I Good Luck,
Don.
To my little one, I wish you all the luck in the future,
Love Erin
Hey Peter Wheeler! Good Luck with all of your endeavor-
ors. Never forget that I lay you $ your big sis will always
be there for you!
Rachel. Have fun in college, but don't forget to do your
work! Love, your Brother.
Rachel. You are the greatest-the best daughter two par-
ents could ever have. Love Mom & Dad.
Dear Christopher, To my son, my inspiration, I wish you
Success and Happiness Always, Love, Your Greatest
t Fan, Mom & Dad.
Chris. To my brother, I wish you all the Happiness in
the world. You are the best. Love Danielle.
Christopher. Congratulations, To my Grandson, Love
and Success in your future, Love.
Christopher. Congratulations, To my son, I wish you
Good Health. Great Success and Happiness Always,
Love Dad.
Chris. Congratulations, Love Uncle George, Aunt
Donna, Frankie, Alanna, and Domonick.
Christopher. Congratulations and Good Luck for a
bright and successful future. Love Grandpa and Rose
Chris. The world beckons your talent, achievements
and inspiring awareness-meet the challenge and foster
it, Congratulations, Love Tom.
Dear Christopher, To a Great Nephew, Follow your
dreams, there are no boundaries. Congratulations,
Love Aunt Linda.
Christopher, I wish you happiness always: Lots of Luck
and Love. Lorraine
Chris. To a Great Nephew, Congratulations & Best
Wishes, Love Uncle John and Aunt Pam
Chris. Congratulations, Hugs and Kisses, Love, Nicole,
Adam, and Christina.
Dear Frankie. God bless and congratulations! The
Moore's
Dear Frankie, follow your dreams always! Love Mom
Best wishes always! Aunt Honeey and Uncle Stan
Debbie - Good luck and congratulations. Love
 Lindsay xoxyo
The past does not equal the future, look ahead,
good luck. Love dad.
Good luck in the future. Love Brandon
Dear John Macones - May your future be filled with hap-
piness and success. Love Mom
John Macones - Good luck in the future. Love your
brither Joe. Love, John. I hope you become the best
carpenter around.
Love, Grandma
John Macones - Best of everything to a great brotther!
Love. Jason
Dear John - Grab the brass ring of life. Love Dad
Teresa - Thanx for being ther, we've shared the same
um, problems. I'll miss you! Love Kim
Debbie - Imagine AP walked in' RP ek NVI! Good Luck, Kim
Heather and Teresa - we'Ve had great times together.
SS, WW, TT. Love you guys - Kim
Kim - Good Luck in college. Have fun! - Kevin
Kimberly - Congratulations. Love you and am very
proud of you. Good luck in the future and no matter
what you do, I'll always be proud of you. Love Dad and
JoAnne
Kim - Congratulations! We are very proud of you.
Good Luck in college and have fun. Love Mom and Ben
Kim - Good luck to a really sweet girl. and when you
come to that fork in the road, take it! Remember [hey
Kim I love you. Call me! Love Ben.
Mom & Dad - It came very fast, but I always knew you
guys were standing beside me. I love you, - Love, Kelly
Mars.
Kelly Marie Suck it up - Do the time - Get your Degree
Liz Guffin
Kelly Marie. Much love And Congratulations on your
Success Liz Guffin
John. "You are the best brother anyone can ask for" -
Love your sister April
John. You have always been my PRIDE AND JOY - I
love you with all my heart, Mom
Congratulations Dave! You did it! Good luck in all you
do! Love you Mom
Good Luck, Aunt and Love Nanny
To the Welding Man, Good Luck, Love, Dad
Congratulations! You're out of school and I'm still
here! Love Pam
To Dave. These are yet to come! Love Grandma
Dave. Always remember you can do anything you set
your mind to! Love Mom & Dad
Dear Cori - My best friend! Here's to finding that pot
of gold! Love, Aunt Char
Dear Cori - Grandpa and I are very proud of you. Reach
for your star. Love Grandpa and Grandpa
Dear Cori. Congratulations and Best Wishes at Mon-
mouth. Love Aunt Bernie and Family
To Cori - My big sister. Thanks for all the great times
and your stop worrying about Galileo. Love Char
Dear Cori. Good Luck at Monmouth. The shore and our
family welcome you at any time. Love The West's
Cori. Congratulations and best wishes at Monmouth.
Love Uncle Buddy and Uncle Jerry and Families
To Lisa Good Luck, Love Aunt Assunta and Family
Lisa G. Best of Luck and happiness Love Aunt Maria
To Lisa G. Good Luck in all you do Love Maria and Jay
The Lisa, Congratulations Love Aunt Angie and Uncle
Pat.
Good luck Lisa. Love Sam and Julie
Good Luck Lisa. Love Bro
Jennifer - Congratulations on your graduation! You did
a great job. Love, Grandma
Jennifer - Congratulations! You made it. We knew you
could do it. Have fun and be happy! Love, Mom and
Dad
Jennifer - We did it baby! It's been a great journey. I'll
be there through many more! Tommy
Ross - Best of Luck. Always stay the great person you
are! Love Aunt Virginia and Family
Ross - Congratulations! Good Luck in college. I'm really
proud of you! Love always, Grandma
Ross, Welcome to the real world! Good Luck in the
future! Love, Underdog and Families
Ross - Congratulations little brother! Have fun in col-
lege! Love always, Laura
Ross. Congratulations and Good Luck in college. Keep
up the good work! Love,
Ross - We're very proud of you! The future is open to
you! Love, Erica, Justine, and Lizzy
Nicole - Best of luck in your college years. Love Mom
and Tom
Jack #34 - to the little bro I now have to look up to.
Congratulations on all the success you've had at PV, may it fol-
low you throughout your college years and take you to
great things in your big sis, Kimm.
Laura - Your friendship means the world to me. I
love you! Friends for life! Love Jen
Nicole - We've been through atot and I love you! BFF! I
wish you all the luck in the world - Love Jen
Joe - Congratulations and good luck in the future. Love,
Mom & Anthony
Joe Congratulations and good luck always! Pop
Alexandra - Best wishes to you and I know you will be
a great success in all you do. Love Gabe
Alessandra - The world is yours. Good luck forever.
Love Sal and Tina.
Debbie - Good luck in college - You're the best! Love,
Jeff
Debbie - May success follow you all your life - We're so
proud! Love, Grandma and Grandpa
Jim - Imagine if AP walked in right now! Oh No! It's
NVI! - Debbie
Lou - I'll always love you! Thanks for always being there!
Love Debbie
Serpl - You better put your blinders on! - Debbie
Carrie & Serpl - Never forget our great times! Good
luck! Love Debbie
Erik - Congratulations, YOU MADE IT!!
Good Luck, Erik. We love you - Love Mom and Dad
Erik - We are always proud! Love, Mom and Dad
Erik - We love you - Love Grandma and Grandpa
Erik - Good luck in college - Love, Tony
Erik - You wrestled good for 4 years - Now I'll take over.
Good luck, Love Jason
Good luck Mike. Love Rob
Lori - Good Luck Michael. Love Lori
To our nephew Michael, We love you. Love Uncle John
and Aunt Ruth
Good luck Michael in your future years. Love Gram and
Paul
Mike - We like you, Good luck; your brothers Kevin and
Stephen
Michael - Good luck. We're proud of you always. Much
success Love Mom and Dad
Congratulations. John Best of Luck. Love Abbie and
Joan
John - Be the best at all you do. Love Elio and Marge
John - Love you! Love you! Love you! Congratulations Love Sitto
Congratulations John. Love Uncle Eddie
John - Congratulations and the best to you - Cousin Berni
James - Thanks for always making me laugh. I love you ALOT and I'll miss you. Love Kelly
Charissa, Anna, Erica, Maria - I love you boys - Good Luck and I'll miss you. Love Kelly
Congratulations! Nicole and Shannon - Thomas and Berninette
Best of Luck Nicole and Shannon - Thomas and Bernadette
Nicole - You will be a great success! Love Mom and Dad
Nicole - And I know you are very proud of you - Love Mom and Dad
Nicole - Congratulations! Love Mom, Dad, and Bailey Michael. Wishing You All the Best in College! Love Chris & Greta
Marc. CONGRATULATIONS & Good Luck in the Future.
Marc. CONGRATULATIONS Melissa. From Mom & Dad Eardley
Best Wishes Marc. From NANA The future is yours. Robert Lorussio To Robert Lorussio: Love from Aunt Bev and Uncle BJ Love from Mom and Dad Best Wishes to Robert Lorussio. Love Andrea Robert Lorussio, even Ralph and Kibbles say Good Luck Best Wishes and Good Luck Nick.
Lisa. Best Wishes, Love, Uncle Ray. "What's your major, Lisa?" Love, Aunt June. Lisa. May the stars light up your life and guide you to success. Love, June, John, and Dylan Lisa. "Marry a rich man!" Good Luck, Love, Aunt Fran Lisa. I've known you since you were 6 & the older you are the better you get! Sandy & Steve. Michael. Wishing You All the Best! You're the Greatest! Love, Pop. Michael. May your future be bright and successful! We love you. Love, Mom & Dad. Michael. Congratulations! Best of Luck in college! Love, Greg & Chris. Michael. You're the greatest! Shine On!! Love, Mom & Dad. Michael. I'm always so proud of you! Love, Aunt Win Congratulations and best wishes from your cousins from Maria Hannack. I've always been proud of you and I'm sure it will stay that way - the future - Aunt Helena May your future days be bright, and may the plans you're making today turn out exactly right - John & Maria. We are happy to share this special day with you. Be the best that you can be! 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Kelly We started out as enemies, but that all fell through. We had good times hanging out together. & Im sorry we couldn't stay close.

Maria We know we had our share of good vs & bad. We, together always made it through the hardest vs. Thank u for always being there 4 me when I needed u Things are going to change in the future. We will go our different ways.

Rissa 6 years we stuck together & we never had a fight, but the tension betw us seemed to build up this yr. I dont know what happened to us. Everything was always all right. I will always luv u, and b here for u if u need me.

LUV ANNA

Erica Thanks for always being there when I needed you. Never forget all the vs Blondie and Red Biffy, D&D 4-ever, Shoprite, Pocohantas.

"One More Try" lets double date but it has to be after June 20! Never forget how B.H. brought us together 6/7/94

Maria Its been a long 6 years. Hey u, yo u, all the fights, wildwood, Jake the toilet seat, 2 beaches, The Grand and messages from M.P.

Getting locked in your house with 4 feet of snow on the ground. A.M. & J.C. 4-ever in r hearts May '91 will never be forgotten.

Anna Even though right now is not the best of x for our friendship, u are still my best friend and my sister We've been through worse. 8-1-93; House party, the zucchini, the boat, Cyrus Hill, hot tub-pool-hot tub-pool, Al and Cloee-BF's forever.

Kelly AKA 'WAA.' We've been through it all, and got away with it. This list could go on forever 5th grade buddies and all down hill since then. Taco, Laddy, Easter, 4th of July, "ALL" the shore points, Belmar 96, LTJIS, if it burns-well ya know. WAA 4EVER!

LUV RISSA

Riss Good vs and bad we always laughed till we cried or cried till we laughed. I would really call you my Biffy if you didn't let my feet freeze, but I guess I could forgive u, in time. Anytime u want to get lost just call me but please no Newark. I Luv You!

Ria We've known each other for six years and I hope we stay close. Never forget Teachers Convention boiling all that water. I've really enjoyed our long rides, you're an entity of a friend and now you understand. Finally! Oh yeah-you're welcome.

Anna We've had some great times, some awesome, and times I haven't found the words for yet. I still can't believe we swapped that x-mas tree. I have two confessions. 1-I loved your purple face and 2-yes, I did throw the fish in the toilet. Luv ya.

Kelly I hope you keep laughing and if your good Ill buy you a squeezy. How about some capachino, capachino. capachino! Want some pizza? Those summer nights will never be forgotten-how could they be. See yea in Day Hill.

LUV ERICA

Waa 5th grade buds. LBI '93 '94, The wknd no 1 will ever understand Belmar '96. LTJIS. It burns-you're doing it right Aladdin '93, Ditty, and Biffy. You're Hot, you're 30! I luv u Bfs forever. You kissed a What? WAA Forever.

Ria AC Harrhahs 96 Johnny Q. Straw Daqs VA '96-'7's Spanish III Breakfast Club Maria + Carmen. Girl I've been hurt, frost on the fridge, the couch in your basement, all the parties esp New Years '95. Closet couples 723-HOE. She hears--thru the vents.


Erica Im still laughin' Graduation where will we be at 6:30? Ridin' the train on Riverview Dr.-u fuzzy-fairy-fruit. 7th lunch. Cappucino! Moo-cow shoppers in 6 bros. Never 4get the SQUEEG!!

Luv KELLY

Erica MOO. Never 4get the Chatham rides or our nice long rides to nowhere. u're the best hope you and true love work out. see I have this friend and she's in love but there's a prob. Don't 4get teachers conv.

Rissa What can I really say..its been interesting..from walking to mem. and MP's--driven in the Cav. the 2 beaches, the hair brush, toilet seat. Base? it must be Testino WW & LBI. Jake is Hot!

Kelly U did what. on my my where? u are 4given. AC W/QO thanx 4 the lawn I REALLY APPRECIATE IT! New years eve '95 was still the best. Glow sticks and jamie. Chicago '96 Luv yea.

Anna We've known each other since that stupid styrofoam globe in 4th grade. its been rough..hope it all works out. dont kill your self. take care.

LUV MARIA
From this picture to this yearbook time has past so quickly, but you have given me many happy moments that I can make stand still within me. I am very proud that you are my son. You are one third of my life that I lived for, the other two thirds are your sister Jessica and brother Michael. Don’t ever forget - we all love you!

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In November, a hijacked Ethiopian airliner crashes after running out of fuel. The crash occurs near a resort beach in the Comoros Islands in the Indian Ocean. At least 123 of the 175 people on board die, including the hijackers.

After 36 years, Central America's longest civil war ends when Indian rebels and military leftists sign a truce in Guatemala.

British Telecommunications agrees to purchase MCI Communications for up to $21 billion in November. The deal is the biggest foreign purchase of a U.S. company ever concluded.

A U.N.-negotiated treaty banning chemical weapons worldwide is set to take effect in the spring. The treaty prohibits the development, production, stockpiling or use of chemical weapons, and calls for the destruction of existing supplies. The treaty is signed by 160 nations, including the U.S.

A pipe bomb explodes in Centennial Olympic Park after the first day of competition at the Summer Olympics in Atlanta. Flags fly at half-mast to mourn the 1 person killed and more than 100 injured.

Pope John Paul II undergoes surgery for an inflamed appendix in October. His chief surgeon, Dr. Francesco Crucitti, announces that the 78-year-old leader of the Roman Catholic Church is free from "previously undiscovered serious ailments."
Israeli right-wing leader Benjamin Netanyahu wins the May 1996 election for Prime Minister, defeating Prime Minister Shimon Peres, whom many Israelis think is making too many concessions to Israel's Arab neighbors.

In a group so large it could be tracked by satellite, hundreds of thousands of refugees abandon camps in Zaire in November and begin a journey home to Rwanda, which they had fled to escape a civil war. Closing of the camps forces the refugees to flee.

Anti-American Saudi terrorists are blamed for a truck bomb that kills 19 U.S. service people on June 25 in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. Mourners grieve at a memorial service held in Khobar, Saudi Arabia.

On July 17, Trans World Airlines Flight 800 explodes 13,700 feet above the Atlantic Ocean, killing all 230 passengers and crew members. The Boeing 747-100 was en route to Paris from New York. The cause of the explosion remains a mystery.

Mass graves containing the bodies of Muslims, allegedly murdered by Serbs in 1992 during the Bosnian civil war, are excavated in Bosnia-Herzegovina throughout the year as a shaky peace negotiated in 1995 continues.

Prince Charles, heir to the British throne, and Diana, Princess of Wales, are divorced on August 28. According to one observer, "The most spectacularly miserable marriage of the century is over."

More than 300 Tutsi refugees in the African country of Burundi are slain by Hutus, a rival ethnic group. The covered bodies, mostly women and children, illustrate the ferocity of the conflict.

A lone gunman kills 16 kindergartners, their teacher, and then himself, at a Dunblane, Scotland school in March 1996. A month after the tragedy, officials tear down the school gymnasium in which the shootings occurred.
The U.S. Army issues strict new policies for drill instructors and female trainees, as hundreds of complaints of sexual harassment are revealed in November. Drill instructors are now required to leave their doors open if a female is inside, and women must travel in pairs.

After thousands of veterans complain of illnesses since the 1991 Persian Gulf War, the Pentagon warns they may have been exposed to chemical weapons. The Pentagon reveals that up to two tons of sarin nerve gas may have been released.

Six-year-old beauty pageant queen JonBenet Ramsey is found murdered in the basement of her parents' Colorado home the day after Christmas. Her death raises a nationwide awareness of controversial youth beauty pageants.

Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich (R-Georgia) is fined $300,000 in a bi-partisan vote after the House Ethics Committee's year-long investigation into alleged financial improprieties.

Theodore Kaczynski, alleged to be the "Unabomber," who killed 3 people and wounded more than 20 others with mail bombs since 1978, is arrested in Montana in April 1996. Information provided by Kaczynski's brother leads to the arrest.

Binti Jua, a gorilla at Chicago's Brookfield Zoo, becomes a hero when she rescues a 3-year-old boy knocked unconscious after falling 18 feet into the ape enclosure. The boy suffers brain contusions but soon recovers.

On August 11, a boater rescues 10-year-old Taylor Touchstone from the snake- and alligator-infested waters of a Florida swamp 14 miles away from where he disappeared August 7. Although exhausted and badly scratched, the autistic boy recovers fully.

One of the longest armed stand-offs in U.S. history occurs outside Jordan, Montana between the FBI and members of an anti-government group calling itself the Freemen. The 81-day siege ends peacefully in June.
Nationwide, forest fires blacken more than twice the acreage lost to fires in an average year: California, Montana and Oregon are particularly hard hit.

Days of abnormally heavy rains in November undermine the roadbed of Oregon’s Interstate 5, creating a 40-foot-deep sinkhole, into which two semitrailer trucks tumble.

A civil jury finds former football star O.J. Simpson liable for the June 12, 1994 wrongful deaths of his ex-wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman. In an unanimous verdict, the jury awards $8.5 million in compensatory damages to Goldman’s parents. The Brown and Goldman families are each awarded $12.5 million in punitive damages.

Topsail Beach, a town on an island off the coast of North Carolina, is one of many Eastern locations hit hard by Hurricane Bertha in July. Six powerful hurricanes, all with winds over 110 miles per hour, made 1996 a near-record year doing $3.5 billion in damage in the U.S.

William Jefferson Clinton defeats Republican Bob Dole and Independent H. Ross Perot to become the 42nd president of the U.S. and the last president of the 20th century. Clinton is the first Democrat since Franklin Roosevelt to be reelected to a second term.

Jeanie Montavlos Montavlos and another female cadet later drop out, citing harassment and “sadistic” hazing.

Security guard Richard Jewell is investigated as a suspect in the July Olympic Park bombing. After three months of media frenzy, during which Jewell is a virtual prisoner in his home, the U.S. Justice Department admits there is no evidence against him.

Six-year-old first-grader Johnathan Prevette is suspended from his Lexington, North Carolina elementary school for violating the city schools’ sexual conduct guidelines—he kissed a female classmate. Prevette is quickly reinstated after a nationwide controversy over the suspension.

The Citadel, South Carolina’s traditionally all-male military academy, admits four women, including PetraLoventinskaphoto(left)and Jeanie Montavlos. Montavlos and another female cadet later drop out, citing harassment and “sadistic” hazing.

All 110 people aboard a ValuJet DC-9 are killed in May 1996 when a fire breaks out in the cargo hold. The plane, on route from Miami to Atlanta, crashes and disappears almost completely into the Florida Everglades, making it difficult for workers to retrieve wreckage.
A 9,300-year-old skeleton discovered in July near Richland, Washington is the oldest and most intact set of human bones ever discovered in North America. Research is suspended, however, as the tribes from the Native American grounds where it is found claim the skeleton as an ancestor and want the bones buried.

Trauma Seal, a new medical adhesive that is applied like a lip-balm stick, is in clinical trials at 10 hospitals and health care institutions nationwide. The biodegradable adhesive could eliminate stitches and return visits.

New York Police Department canines begin wearing three-pound, infrared cameras, scouting out potentially dangerous areas before police officers enter the scene. Handlers are developing bullet-proof vests for the dogs to wear.

A new category of animal is discovered in the form of bacteria that live on the lips of lobsters. Symbion pandora, which lives on food scraps from lobster lips, is called "the zoological highlight of the decade."

Videogame giant Nintendo releases its long-awaited Nintendo 64, a new hardware system that draws players into the game and moves three times faster than any existing system.

An expedition to raise the Titanic, the legendary "unsinkable" ocean liner that sank on its maiden voyage in 1912, from its North Atlantic grave more than two miles deep, ends in failure in August due to rough seas.

In August, scientists discover evidence of bacteria-like life on a meteorite found in 1984 and believed to be part of the crust of Mars 4.5 billion years ago. It is the first possible proof that life is not unique to Earth.

Satellite dishes become one of the year's hottest-selling electronic consumer products. Owners find the savings of not paying for cable services cover the cost within a few months.

Egyptians begin work to preserve the Great Sphinx from the ravages of wind, pollution and time. The 4,500-year-old statue is located in Giza near the giant pyramids.

The Mars Surveyor Trolley, named Sojourner, is carried on-board Mars Pathfinder, an unmanned spacecraft launched in December. Sojourner, a free-roving probe the size of a child's wagon, will photograph the Martian surface and determine the composition of rocks on Mars.
California's Monterey Bay Aquarium opens a new wing in March 1996. The million-gallon indoor ocean showcases the marine life of the outer reaches of Monterey Bay, 5 to 60 miles offshore.

An "oxygen bar" in Toronto, Canada allows patrons to pay $16 to spend 20 minutes breathing pure oxygen. The owners of the Q, Spa Bar claim the treatment is a healthy way to reinvigorate the body and offer fruit "flavors" to liven up the experience.

The world's largest flower, the Titan Arum, also known as the "corpse flower," blooms in London's Kew Gardens for the first time since 1963. The flower is nicknamed for its strong stench when in bloom.

New research suggests that hormone therapies can keep middle-aged men stronger and more youthful. A testosterone-releasing skin patch called Androderm is prescribed by many doctors to supplement the natural hormone.

Paleoanthropologist Mary Leakey, shown with husband Louis Leakey in a 1959 photograph, dies in December. Discoveries by the Leakeys throughout their careers are some of the most important in paleoanthropological history. Her greatest discovery was a trail of 3.7-million-year-old footprints, which proved that hominids walked upright far earlier than previously believed.

The Smithsonian Institution celebrates the 150th anniversary of its founding with a nationwide tour of prize exhibits, including this stovepipe hat worn by Abraham Lincoln.

The Hubble Space Telescope captures new images of quasars, the universe's most powerful and baffling phenomena. Previously thought only to exist in colliding galaxies, new pictures indicate quasars can also exist in undisturbed galaxies—causing astronomers to revisit their theories.
Former NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle dies on December 6. Rozelle is credited with transforming professional football into America's top spectator sport, and with inventing the Super Bowl.

Basketball megastar Michael Jordan launches his own cologne: Michael Jordan Cologne. Demand for the fragrance is so high that manufacturer Bijan Fragrances limits sales to 12 bottles per customer.


The National Women's Hall of Fame opens in Seneca Falls, New York, inducting 11 women, including author Louisa May Alcott, and Oveta Culp Hobby, the nation's first female colonel.

Archbishop of Chicago, Cardinal Joseph Bernardin dies of pancreatic cancer in November. Bernardin was known for being a reconciler in churches torn between tradition and modern culture, as well as for speaking out against physician-assisted suicide.

In April 1996, singer Michael Jackson is seen escorting a woman later identified as Debbie Rowe, an employee of Jackson's plastic surgeon. In November, Jackson announces that he and Rowe are married and that she is carrying his child.

Music megastar Madonna gives birth to Lourdes Maria Ciccone Leon, a 6-pound, 9-ounce girl, on October 14. Madonna's big year continues when she wins a Golden Globe for her role in Andrew Lloyd Webber's on-screen rendition of the musical Evita.

In October, TV talk-show host Jenny Jones testifies during the Michigan murder trial of Jonathan Schmitz. Schmitz was accused of killing Scott Amelrose, who revealed romantic feelings for Schmitz during a March 1995 taping of a "Jenny Jones Show."
In a small, secret ceremony on an island off the coast of Georgia, John F. Kennedy Jr. marries Carolyn Bessette, a Calvin Klein publicist, in September. Kennedy, who dated Bessette for two years, had long been considered one of the world's most eligible bachelors.

More than 4,000 items owned by former First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis and President John F. Kennedy are auctioned off in April 1996, including a necklace of simulated pearls shown in this 1962 photograph. The fake pearls, valued at $500 to $700, sell for $211,500, bringing the auction total to $34.5 million.

New York Yankees fan Jeffrey Maier interferes with a fly ball during game one of the American League Championship Series on October 9. The hit is ruled a home run, tying the game 4 to 4 in the eighth inning and making Maier New York's hero for a day.

Veteran comedian George Burns dies in March 1996, just weeks after reaching the age of 100. The legendary Burns won an Oscar, an Emmy and a Grammy Award in an illustrious career dating back to vaudeville.

As a stand against the invasion of his privacy, George Clooney, star of NBC's "ER," boycotts Paramount's "Entertainment Tonight" after its sister show "Hard Copy" runs unauthorized footage of the actor's private life.

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Tom Cruise stars in Jerry Maguire, a romantic comedy about a sports agent who decides to change his shallow ways, and spends the rest of the movie trying to regain his success. It is a breakthrough role for Cruise, who is normally depicted as a cocky winner.

To honor the 20th anniversary of its release, producer George Lucas issues a "remade" Star Wars, with new scenes, computerized special effects and souped-up animation. Lucas' grand plan calls for a nine-film cycle, including prequels.

English actor/director Kenneth Branagh plays Hamlet in his star-studded remake of Shakespeare's classic. Despite running four hours, the movie is a critical and box-office success.

NBC's Thursday night drama "ER" features television's first HIV-positive prominent character. Jeanie Boulet, a physician's assistant played by Gloria Reuben, is relatively open about her condition and helps confront the stigma of AIDS.

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Actors Brad Pitt (left) and Jason Patric star in Sleepers, a film about four men and their extraordinary scheme to revenge the abuse they experienced as boys. The controversial movie also stars Dustin Hoffman, Robert De Niro and Kevin Bacon.

Tom Cruise stars in Mission: Impossible, based on the 1960s and '70s television series of the same name. Despite critical put-downs, the movie is a huge box-office hit.

Michael J. Fox returns to television in September as a deputy mayor in ABC's "Spin City," a sitcom about the inner workings of New York's City Hall.

Stars Bill Paxton and Helen Hunt flee a tornado of awesome proportions in Twister, another summer blockbuster, which tells the story of storm chasers highly devoted to studying the inner workings of tornados.

Explosive special effects rivet audiences to their seats as they watch Independence Day, one of summer's blockbuster movies.

John Lithgow (front right) earns both an Emmy and a Golden Globe Award for Best Actor in a Comedy Series in NBC's "3rd Rock From the Sun," a sitcom about a family of aliens living in contemporary America.

America's favorite sitcom father, Bill Cosby, enjoys the success of his new CBS show, "Cosby." In January 1997, however, tragedy strikes as Cosby's son Ennis is killed in Los Angeles in an apparent random robbery.

Bugs Bunny and Chicago Bulls basketball star Michael Jordan share top billing in Space Jam, a partially animated feature film that opens in late November.
Folk and blues artist Tracy Chapman returns to the scene in 1996 with the single “Give Me One Reason.” Chapman receives five Grammy nominations in January 1997.

The artist formerly known as Prince releases Emancipation, a three-hour, three-CD album, in honor of his release from his Warner Bros. recording contract.

Guitarist Slash of Guns N’ Roses forms his own band. His new group, Slash’s Blues Ball, is a six-man blues band grounded in the blues-based hard rock of the 1970s.

Rocker Sheryl Crow joins the ranks of musicians who have had their albums banned from Wal-Mart. The retail giant objects to a lyric alleging that kids kill each other with guns they obtained from the store.

The Beatles’ Anthology 3, the third and final album from the reunited remaining members of the band, is released in November. Following the example of their two previous anthologies, Anthology 3 sells in record numbers.

Alternative-rock band Nirvana releases a new album, From the Muddy Banks of the Wishkah, in October. The album contains 17 live tracks recorded between 1989 and the 1984 suicide of singer Kurt Cobain (right).

Bush, a British rock group with an American “grunge” sound, tours the U.S. to promote their album Sixteen Stone. They release another chart-topping album, Razorblade Suitcase, in the winter.

Heavy metal band Metallica is the headlining act for the summer concert Lollapalooza, traditionally an alternative-rock show. Metallica remains high-profile, winning an MTV award for the year’s Best Hard Rock Video in September.

After 10 years of separation, members of the band Van Halen are reunited with their former lead singer, David Lee Roth (right), at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Roth later claims he thought he was rejoining the band, who chose a different lead singer.

Canadian pop artist Celine Dion tops the charts in 1996 with the album Falling Into You, which sells more than 16 million copies worldwide.

British pop superstars Liam (left) and Noel Gallagher cancel the remainder of a U.S. concert tour in September amid rumors that their band, Oasis, is breaking up. Denying the reports, the brothers announce they will release a new album in the summer of 1997.
Alanis Morissette's Jagged Little Pill reigns the charts, becoming the all-time top-selling album by a female artist. Morissette also dominates the 1996 Grammys by winning four awards, including Best Album.

Counting Crows' second album, Recovering the Satellites, is released in October. The long awaited follow-up to 1993's August and Everything After debuts at number one on the charts.

Death Row Records co-founder Dr. Dre, often dubbed the "godfather of gangsta" rap," begins distancing himself from hard-core rap. "Been There, Done That," his break-away anthem, premieres on MTV in September.

The hit single "Where It's At" kicks off the new Beck album Odelay, which is released to popular and critical acclaim. Spin magazine awards Beck Artist of the Year.

Fourteen-year-old singing sensation LeAnn Rimes is nominated for the Country Music Association's Horizon Award after the breakthrough success of her single "Blue." The popular new star is often compared to country music legend Patsy Cline.

The music world is stunned in September by the death of rapper Tupac Shakur, killed in a drive-by shooting in Las Vegas. Speculations as to the killer's motive abound, but the year ends with no answers and no arrests.

No Doubt, fronted by lead singer Gwen Stefani, releases Tragic Kingdom, which includes such chart-toppers as "Just a Girl," "Spiderwebs," and "Don't Speak."

George Strait is honored by the Country Music Association in October with three major awards—Single of the Year for "Check Yes or No," Album of the Year for Clear Blue Sky, and Male Vocalist of the Year.

Toni Braxton's second album, Secrets, is released in summer 1996. Braxton wins R&B Single of the Year for "Let It Flow" at the Billboard Music Awards in the fall.

R.E.M.'s 12th album, New Adventures in Hi-Fi, the group's first recording since 1984's Monster, is released by Warner Bros. in September.

The Wallflowers, with Jakob Dylan, son of legendary folk artist Bob Dylan, release Bringing Down the Horse, which features hit singles "One Headlight" and "6th Avenue Heartache."
Tennis pro Pete Sampras wins the eighth grand-slam title of his career at the U.S. Open in September. Steffi Graf wins the U.S. Open Women’s title, beating Monica Seles.

Pro boxer Mike Tyson loses his Heavyweight Champion of the World title to Evander Holyfield in a November match. Holyfield, a former two-time world champion, reclaims his title in the surprise win.

Chicago Bulls star Dennis Rodman furthers his controversial reputation by kicking a photographer in the groin during a game against the Minnesota Timberwolves in January 1997. Rodman is suspended for up to 11 games without pay, costing him more than $1 million, in addition to a $25,000 fine to the NBA, as well as a reported $200,000 settlement with the photographer.

Baltimore Orioles second baseman Roberto Alomar is suspended for five games, deferred to the 1997 season, when he spits on an umpire during a heated argument over a questionable call in the National League play-offs. Controversy ensues over the leniency of the punishment.

Team USA wins the World Cup of Hockey, beating Canada 5-2 in the final. Eight teams from Canada, Europe and the U.S. participate in the World Cup, which replaced the Canada Cup.

In June, the Colorado Avalanche beat the Florida Panthers in the NHL Stanley Cup play-offs. The final game in the series remains scoreless until 1:05 a.m., when the Avalanche finally score the winning goal in the third overtime period.

Twenty-year-old golfing phenom Eldrick “Tiger” Woods turns pro in August, making the transition from exceptional amateur golfer to well-endorsed professional, including a deal with Nike worth an estimated $40 million.

The New York Yankees win the World Series, beating the Atlanta Braves in a four-game sweep, after losing the first two games. It is the first series title for the Yankees since 1978.

Paul Molitor of the Minnesota Twins becomes the 21st player in major league history to reach 3,000 career hits. The milestone is reached in September; when Molitor triples against Kansas City Royals rookie pitcher Jose Rosado.

Race car driver Terry Labonte wins NASCAR’s Winston Cup championship with a total of 4,657 points after finishing fifth in the final race, the Napa 500, at the Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Led by quarterback Brett Favre, the Green Bay Packers beat the New England Patriots 35-21 in Super Bowl XXXI at the Louisiana Superdome. It is the Packers’ first Super Bowl since 1968.
Olympic swimmer Tom Dolan captures another gold for the U.S. as he wins the 400-meter individual medley on July 21. Dolan wins with a time of 4:14.90.

Minnesota Twins star centerfielder Kirby Puckett announces his retirement from baseball in July. A serious eye ailment forces Puckett to give up the game, but he manages to maintain his upbeat attitude at press conferences and interviews.

The U.S. women's gymnastics team takes the gold at the Summer Olympics. Kerri Strug, second from right, is the heroine of the competition, landing her final vault despite a dislocated left ankle.

U.S. swimmer Amy Van Dyken wins the women's 100-meter butterfly event at the Olympic Games with a time of 59.13 seconds. Van Dyken wins a total of four golds.

The Chicago Bulls win their fourth NBA championship in six years as they defeat the Seattle SuperSonics in game six of the NBA finals on June 16.

Jean Driscoll (front right) of the U.S. takes the silver in the women's 800-meter wheelchair race, a demonstration sport, at the Summer Olympics. Driscoll, seven-time winner of the Boston Marathon, retires at the end of 1996, after setting several world records during her career.

Basketball star Shaquille O'Neal jumps from the Orlando Magic to the Los Angeles Lakers in July. The deal is the richest in NBA history, paying O'Neal $120 million over 7 years.
Helping consumers maintain privacy, marketers promote home AIDS tests. Consumers draw their own blood and then send it away to be tested confidentially.

Advancing technology means more options on telephones, including Caller ID, which becomes more common than ever in 1996. The display unit allows people to see the name and number of their caller before even answering the phone.

Authors Ellen Fein and Sherrie Schneider release The Rules, a controversial manual teaching women strategies for getting a man to propose marriage. While the book draws criticism from both sexes, it is a best-seller.

The U.S. Postal Service issues stamps commemorating Hanukkah, the first non-Christian religious holiday ever featured on a stamp.

Casual Fridays become more and more widespread in American work culture. Businesses allow employees who normally dress in professional clothing at work to wear more comfortable, casual clothing on Fridays.

Nail polish colors get darker and funkier. Deep browns and blues are popular forms of expression and style.

A "Sesame Street" stuffed toy causes panic among holiday shoppers. Tickle Me Elmo sells out in stores nationwide, and has shoppers fighting over scarce inventory and paying hundreds of times the toy's value.

The ongoing dance craze is the "Macarena," a Latin line dance. People of all ages participate in the dance, including Olympians, delegates and workers of the Democratic National Convention (above) and the New York Yankees grounds crew.

Disney's 101 Dalmatians inspires an avalanche of promotional merchandise, filling stores with spotted toys, backpacks, games and other odds and ends.

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The minimum wage is raised to $4.75 in October; and will increase again to $5.15, effective September 1, 1997.

The My Twinn Doll Company offers individually crafted dolls that replicate, from a photo, the eye color, hair and facial features of a living girl. Each doll comes with two matching outfits, one for the doll and one for the owner.

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