Boone High

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#### TEACH HIM GENTLY ... IF YOU CAN

My young son starts school tomorrow...It's all going to be strange and new to him for a while, and I wish you would sort of treat him gently.

You see, up to now, he's been our little boy.

He's always been the boss of the backyard. . His mother has always been around to repair his wounds, and I've always been handy to soothe his feelings.

But now, things are going to be different. . .

This morning he's going to walk down the front steps, wave his hand, and start out on the great adventure. . . It's an adventure that will probably include wars and tragedy and sorrow.

To live his life in the world he will live in requires faith and love and courage. So, world, I wish you would sort of take him by his young hand and teach him the things he will have to know.

Teach him, but gently. ... if you can.

He will have to learn, I know, that all men are not just, that all men are not true. But teach him also that for every scoundrel there is a hero. . . that for every selfish politician, there is a dedicated leader. . . Teach him that for every enemy, there is a friend.

It will take time; world, I know, but teach him, if you can, that a nickel earned is of far more value than a dollar found. . . Teach him to learn to lose. . . and to enjoy winning.

Steer him away from envy, if you can, and teach him the secret of quiet laughter.

Let him learn early that the bullies are the easiest people to lick... Teach him, if you can, the wonder of books... But also give him quiet time to ponder the eternal mystery of birds in the sky, bees in the sun and flowers on a green hillside.

In school, world, teach him it is far more honorable to fail than to cheat. . . Teach him to have faith in his own ideas, even if everyone tells him they are wrong. . . Teach him to be gentle with gentle people and tough with tough people.

Try to give my son the strength not to follow the crowd when everyone else is getting on the bandwagon. . . Teach him to listen to all men. . . But teach him also to filter all the hearts on a screen of truth and take only the good that comes through.

Teach him, if you can, how to laugh when he is sad. . . Teach him there is no shame in tears. . . Teach him there can be glory in failure and despair in success.

Teach him to scoff at cynics and to beware of too much sweetness... Teach him to sell his brawn and brains to the highest bidders but never to put a tag on his heart and soul.

Teach him to close his ears to a howling mob. . . and to stand and fight if he thinks he's right.

Treat him gently, world, but don't coddle him, because only the test of fire makes fine steel.

Let him have the courage to be impatient. . . let him have the patience to be brave.

Teach him always to have sublime faith in himself. Because then he will always have sublime faith in mankind.

This is a big order, world, but see what you can do. . . He's such a fine little fellow, my son!

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End of an era...the beginning of life.

From this moment forward we shall set our goals high



## and strive to achieve them.



and make sure we'd never part, and I'd live with you again.

wanted to leap between your covers and stay within your realm,

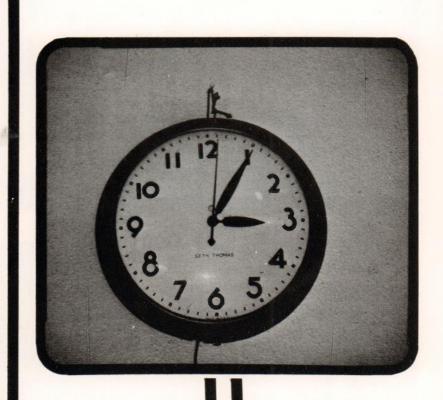
Well, book, the last page is turned but are you really gone?

No, for you were like a good friend, you brought life to me from your mellowed ivory pages, you gave me part of me.

You made me laugh, you made me cry and ache with all your troubles and pain, you made me explore me, deep within my soul, you gave me part of me.

You made me scared to turn a page for fear what I might find, yet spurred me on so I dared to face whatever that next page brought us, you gave me part of me.

And as I turned that final page there sprang a painful inner turmoil, I longed to cry out for it not to end and that I'd do it all, with you, again, you gave me part of me.



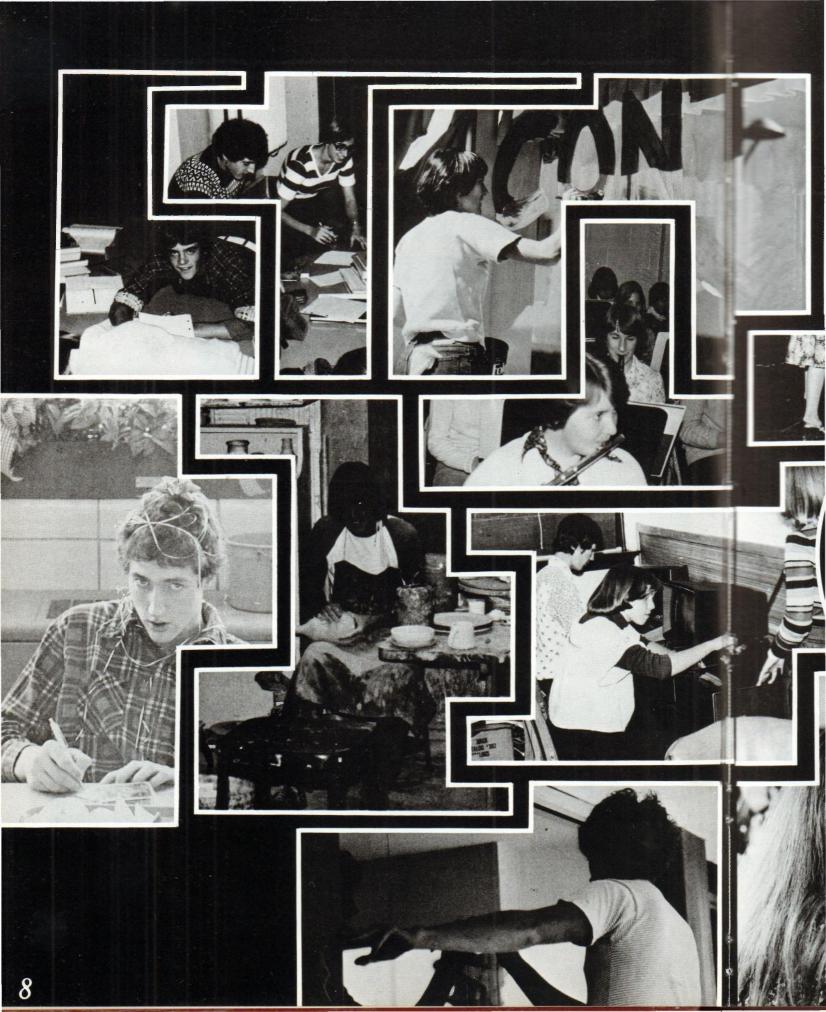
But, I knew that it could never be, for you were you and I was me, yet, you gave me part of me.

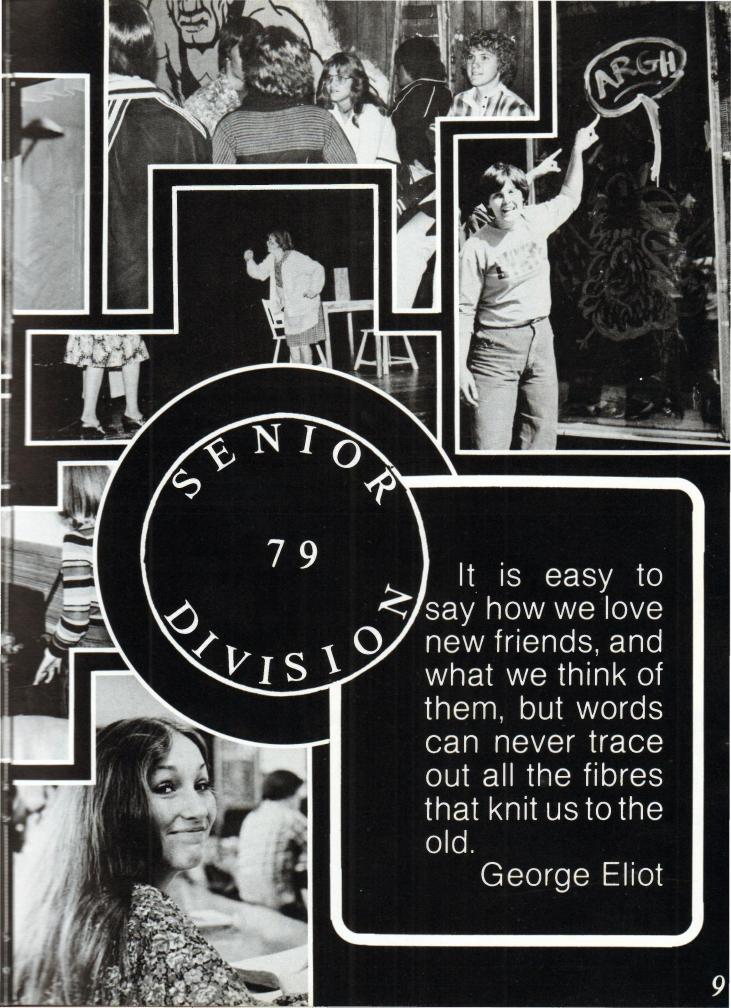
I shed a tear and sighed a sigh, but knew, like all good friends, you'd never end, for you'd become a part of me. You, book, my comfort, my pal, my friend.

by Donna Dodd









## Class Day



Reenie Baldus and some friends sang a song that Reenie wrote for the seniors.

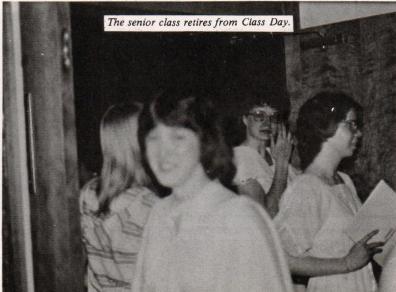


Barb Nell speaks at Class Day.



Members of the senior class sang their song to their parents.





Class Day —

Colors - Red and White

Theme — "Days to Remember"

Song — "The Times of Your Life."

Flowers — Red Silk Roses Bouquet
White and Red Streamers

Motto — "It is not the direction that the wind blows, but the way we set our sails, for now we enter into a boundless sea."



Students say the final good-



Everyone was sad that it was all over.





### Graduation



Mr. Anderson, President of the school board, hands Barb Venema her diploma.



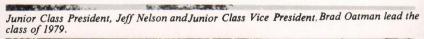
The senior class gets lined up for graduation.



Dan Blaess receives his diploma.



Seniors wait to hear their names read.





# Commencement excercises for the 1979 Boone High School Graduates were held at 4:00 p.m. Sunday May 20th at the Geoppinger Field





The senior class of 1979 retires with diplomas in hand.



Mr. Lyness was the speaker for graduation.

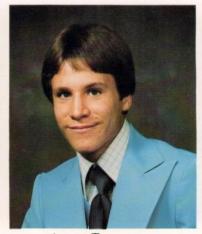


The senior class enters Geoppinger field.

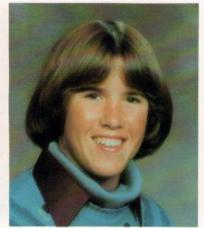




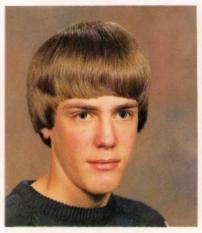
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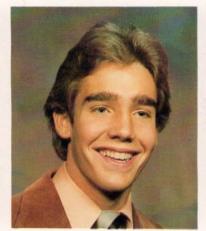
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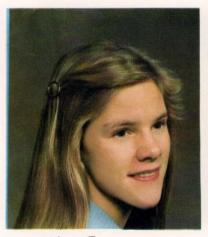
Jerry Dean Class Treasurer



Tim Ork Student Council President



Bill Killion Student Council Vice President



Sue Thorngren Student Council Treasurer



Marc Pip
AFS Student (Belgium)



Meryn Fairfull AFS Student(Australia)

... These I Have Loved:
Sitting on a fallen tree over a quiet creek; Playing tennis on mild days and winning; Going to a sad movie with my boyfriend; Not having to wake up at 5:30 A.M. to jog to work; Eating a thick, cheesy, pepperoni pizza; Gazing at a fire while munching on popcorn; Just goofing off and

having fun with my friends; Taking a leisure stroll in the woods; Reading a good mystery on a dreary, rainy day; Receiving a big pay check; Buying new clothes and jewelry; Getting dressed up and going to prom; Holding a soft, cuddly puppy in my arms; Dreaming of the possibilities of my future.

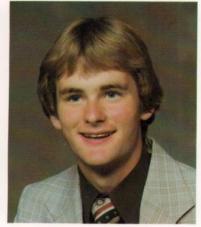
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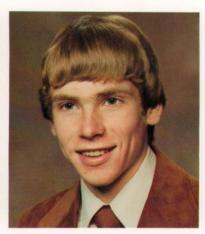
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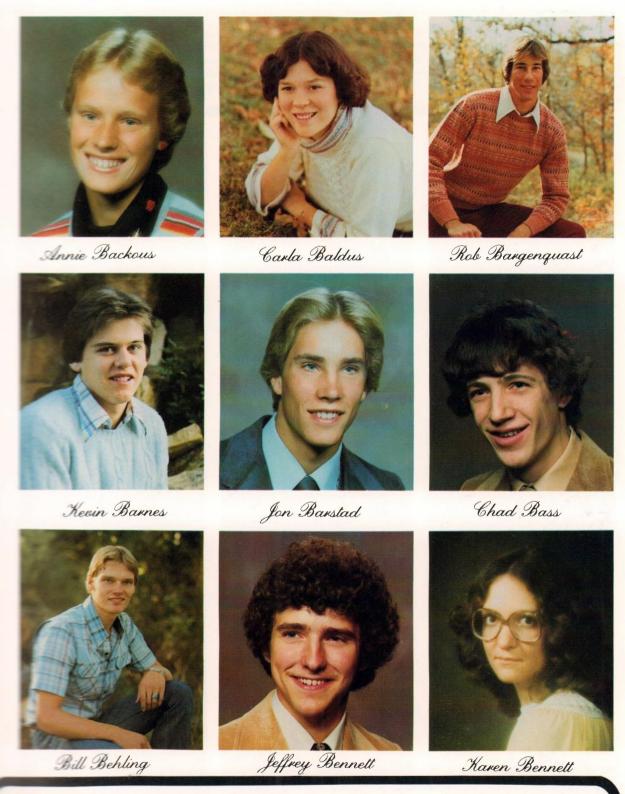
Julie Annan



Deb Arnburg



Brian Aspengren



and faces of new, people you know and people and together then drifting apart, always an new start. At graduation you all grow your friends seem much dearer. As you say one last embrace and one more cry. A

"keep in touch" and "promise I will, "a" remember when" but "better still." A plicce in our hearts you'll always saythat's what's said as you go your own way! by Lanet Biefelt



Tony Bergloff



Lanet Bielfelt



Dan Blaess



Jane Boesen



Elizabeth Bothner



Julie Bowes



Brenda Bray



Dan Brown



Michael Burge

. . . these I have loved: Rolling a canoe on a hot summer day; Sliding down small Trout Falls; Catching trout from a gurgling stream; Cooling my feet in a nice cool stream; Backpacking during beautiful autumn; Being alone on a trail to see deer; Watching the sun set behind giant pines; Watching the Aurora Borealis appear in the sky; Sleeping under the stars to awake content; Cooking on an open campfire; Falling asleep with rain pattering against the tent; Cating steak after two weeks in the wilds.

by Mike Scheuerman

I remember, I remember when I was very small, I didn't have a care, nothing bothered me at all; No pain or hate or were existed in my world; I took each and every moment to happily unfurled; There was no time to ponder on selectarys gone by, No binges of self pity when I'd stop

and wonder why; I never thought of growing up and being on my own, The hardships I would have to face, to me were never shown; It's sad to think of when time was at a stand still and even sadder yet to think that it never will.

by Christy Nelson



Glenda Carlson



Terrie Carman



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Joyce Carter



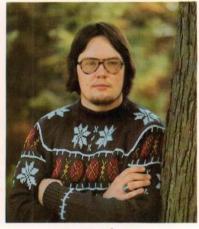
Sandie Cerny



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Sally Clark



Chris Colvin



Rich Conrad

These I Have Loved:

Ice-skating, skiing, tennis, and walking, Writing to friends and just plain talking; Dancing the hustle, ballet, or Irish

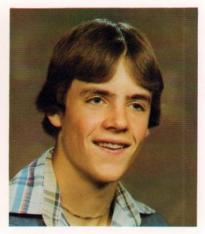
jig; Laying out in the sun and getting nig; Listening to my favorite tune, And gazing at a bright, full moon; Going to Baskin Rokbins for an ice-cream cone; Receiving a call on the telephone; Riding around town on a Saturday night;



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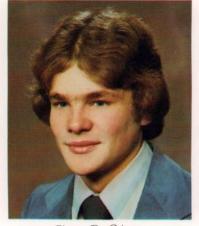
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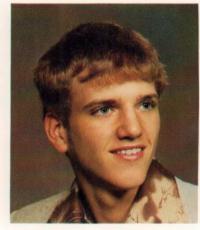
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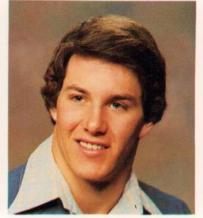
Deanna Eckhart



Kenneth Eckhart



Dee Ann Eckley



Randy Efkamp



Doug Elsberry

And being chased by neat guys, all right!; Christmas, Thanksgiving, The Fourth of July; Any day when people's spirits are high; Visiting my Italian kin; And getting fat on pasta and pizza, what a sin!; Bluebirds,

robins, parrots, and doves; These are the things that have been my loves. by Gail Peitzmeier



Renee Elsner



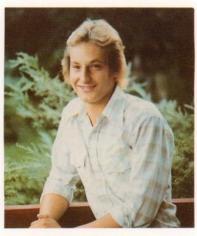
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Scott Feldmann



Charlene Fibikar



Suzanne Foshee



Patty Frakes



David Frisk

... these I have loved: The fresh smell of spring in the air; Having a weiner roast in June; My dog with his freshly clipped hair; Being with friends both old and new; My brothers and sisters when they're sweet; Christmas time with its hustle and bustle;

Waiting for Halloween to trick or treat; Giving gifts to aunts and uncles; The smell of new fallen snow; Waiting for summer to go to camp; Watching children give a show; Learning how to jump on a tramp; These I have loved . . . by Robin Jensen

these I have loved: Playing the piano just for you; Swimming in the hot hot sun; Running my fingers through clean hair; Taking walks in warm summer air; Going barefoot in warm sand; Exploring the flat green meadow land; Eating popcorn by the firelight; Listening to the rain fall at night; Going on a

hayride in November; Hearing the Christmas carols in December; Having a Boyd's thick malt for a snack; Eating my favorite sandwich, a Big Mac; Going to camp for a week; Seeing my friends is a real treat . . . by Renee Jensen



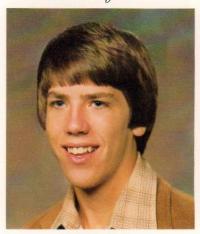
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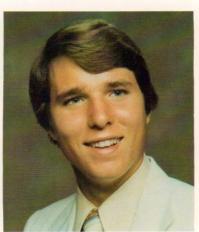
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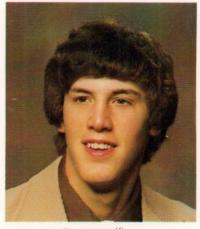
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Mysty Harper



Chris Harrington



Brent Harris



Patricia Harris



Bill Hasstedt

... these I have loved:
Long summer afternoons; Being with friends and knowing
they care; My little blue Maverick all shiny and new;
Crying at sad things no matter how little; Both of my dogs
though one has died; Roller skating with a crowd on
Saturdays; Boys that have come and those that have gone;

Listening to Barry Manilow and Bread: The excitement of the State Fair; Camping with my family and being close; The football games of 1976; The rainbow after a spring shower; Seeing cousins from far away; Sitting alone and remembering the days that have passed me by; These are a few of my loves . . . . by Kim Orr

It feels great for it's my Senior year and the last year is the best for there is a lot of excitement and privileges with assemblies, dances and being the top class in Senior High. As graduation day comes nearer, I feel quite depressed for leaving BHS, and this will probably be the last time to see all my friends, the senior class meetings, fourth hour lunch, pottery, library and all our rowdy get-togethers. Seniors are the class with class!





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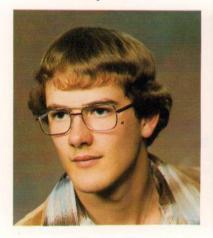
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Jeff Hopkins



Craig Howard



Don Howe



Patricia Huff



John Hull

Life is so short, yet so long lived it has a beginning and an end. The pages between is what fills the heart. The sand of time quickens our pace. The simple things are often forgotten or replaced by a side glance that looks at all but sees nothing. As many sit back and watch the sunset many do not realize their alotted time is running out. Life is to be lived not

endured. Goodbyes serve no purpose but hellos signify a beginning. Each of us passes through our school days. But is it enough to simply slide through these days. Graduation could be such a final goodbye. But it can also be a beginning to look forward, meet new people, see new places.

by Carla Silver



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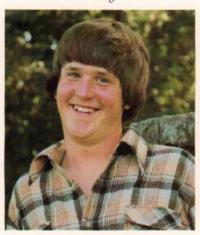
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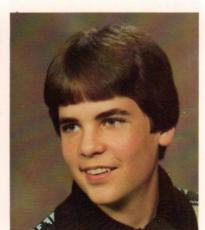
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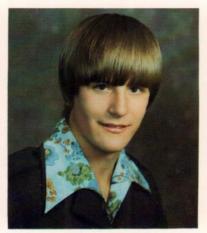
Kurt Kruse



Mike Kruse



Jim Lacey



Eliot La Follette



Sherry Lamb

I remember, I remember the days of the old schoolyard, Playing old maid without the one famous card; Pedaling my trike down 22nd Street, Never being frightened by anyone I would meet; Laughing and giggling as I walked through the tar, Sitting through the steering wheel on Dad's old car; Pulling out the fresh planted onions in the garden, Stealing popsicles out of the freezer before given a chance to harden; Hours spent building in the sand pile, The walk to and from school-almost a mile; The bruises and scrapes from my first bike, Looking down in the basement at my rusty blue trike.

by Janna Graves

these I have loved: Rain on rooflops and the rainbow that follows; Walks in the park on warm afternoons; Violets and daisies growing wild in the mountains; The sweet smell of my grandpa's pipe;

Loving hugs from my grandmother, who cares; Quiet evenings with that certain someone; The closeness of good friends; Campfires and hayrides out on the farm; Hot chocolate chip cookies fresh from the oven; The softness of a



Gwen Leichliter



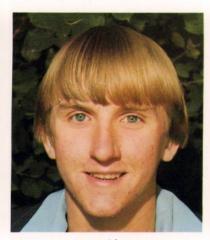
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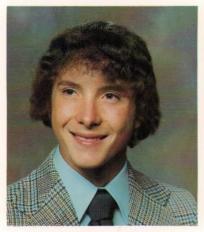
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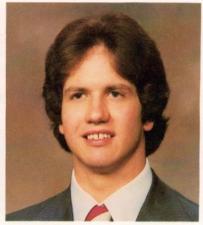


Kitty Miller

baby, so innocent and new; Surprises on birthdays, or for no reason at all; My purple blanket, all tattered and torn; Little kids playing in the yard; Smiles from strangers, trying to be friends; Fighting with my sister and winning; Getting dressed up to go out to eat; Being with my family for everyday occasions; Writing in my diary when no one is around; These have all been my loves. by Jill Smith



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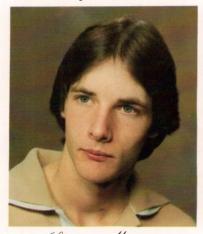
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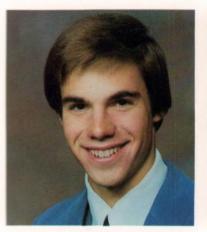
Shelly Moran



Bill Morgan

It's great to be a senior, but it's scary to think about it. To know that soon I'll be out on my own and high school days are over. Now it's time to think about a job and finding a career that will be best for me in my future. It's a lot of fun this year and it will never be forgotten, high school will always leave lasting memories in my mind. Best of luck to the rest of the students. Have fun in High School and live it up, you'll never forget your senior year. It's great! It really feels good to know I made it through all the pars of home work and report cards. It's kind of a reward be graduating from high school, but I ll probably go back be school next year to go through it again.

I think being a senior is great because it is your last year of school and it is the best year. We should try to remember everyone that we can because it may be the last time we will see our friends or be with them.



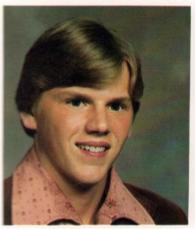
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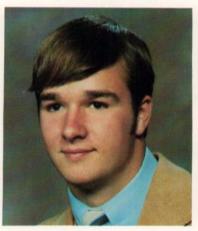
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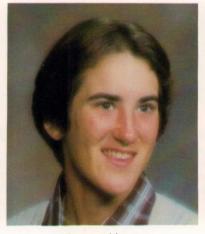
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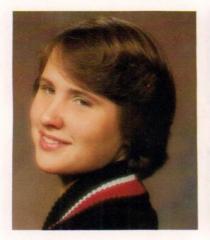
Julie Nelson



Jim Newbold

... these I have loved:
Going to dances with all of my friends; Talking on the telephone for hours and hours; Spending my summer vacation in Missouri; Going waterskiing on warm afternoons; Working on my stamp collection on rainy days; Putting jigsaw puzzles together during long winter nights;

Riding my bike through the park in the summer; Cruising through town in my little green Comet; Playing my horn at football and basketball games; Band trips to Estes Park, Colorado; Sharing secrets with close friends; Working at O.E.S. with Gail and Xit; Spending time alone with my niece; Just being home with my family. by Lisa Xirkman



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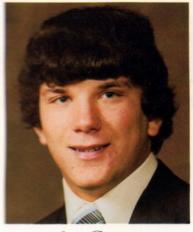
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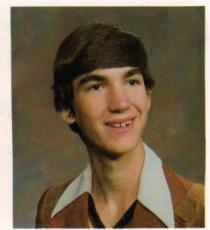
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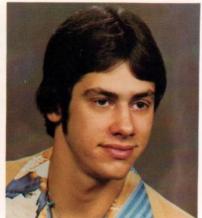
a mountain watching the sun rise; Viewing the
ending blue skies; The smell of a pine forest
histing of a soft cool breeze; Hours I've spent
North Star; Answering the question, "how
The sound of the crickets on a warm summer's

eve; Laying under a shade tree thinking of the things I believe; Watching a deer or a soft little fawn; Sitting on grass with fresh dew collected upon; Throwing rocks into a babbling stream; Laying in a rowboat dreaming my impossible dream.

by Janna Graves



Debbie Reitz



Brent Reutter



Francis Rickertt



Roberta Riordan



John Ripkey



Frank Risdal



Kathy Rodwell



Jim Rouse



Julie Runestad

I remember, I remember the great yellow school bus that swept me away; For this was it, my first school day; The people I had met, throughout the next thirteen years, all came to know my thoughts, all came to know my fears; For those are the memories that will not

part; They remain throughout your lifetime; They remain throughout your heart.

Barb Nell

rough the rain, hand in hand, With someone is Ben) Walching television, to some tunes, Twinkling little stars and big meet moons. Watching little babies taking their Running through lawn sprinklers without Little baby bunnies, quiet little mice,

Vacations in the winter are really very nice; Skipping out of school to go downtown and shop, Or just staying home to watch my favorite scap-op; Going to bed early, the flight of a dove, All of these very special things are things that I have loved.



Nyla Samson



Ronna Santage



Mike Scheuerman



Carol Schmidt



Anna Schroeder



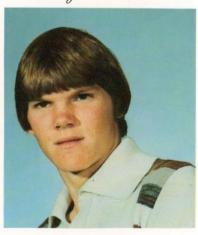
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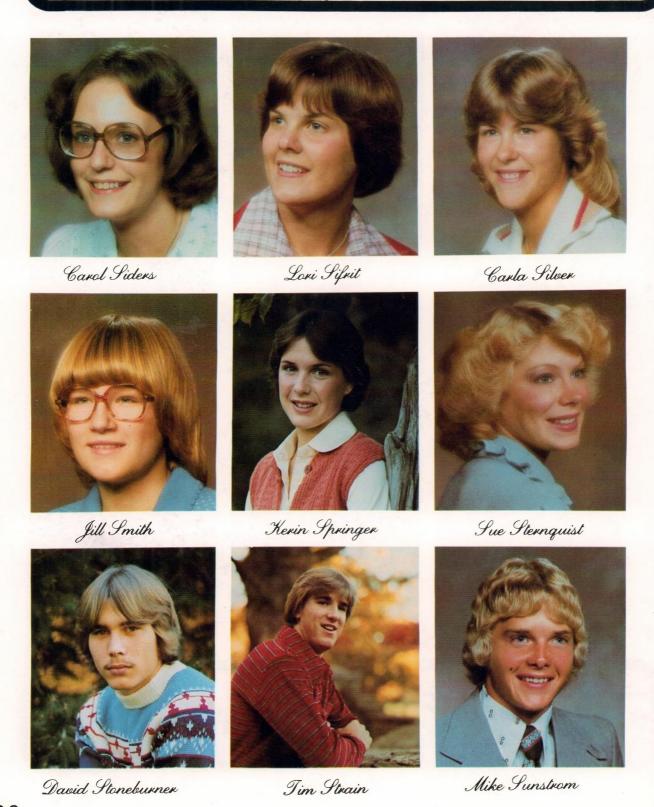


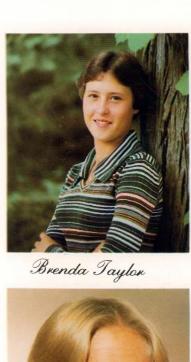
Steve Shuey

Turning Point

Well, it's over. Never again will I be a child. Never will adults awe me as they once did. Never will I have to look up to the world. But, wait a

moment. Do I want to be treated like a child forever, Following rules set down before me, Seen, heavd, but not listened to? Do I want that? No. Today, this minute, right now, I will make and end of childhood, and start fresh. Today, I will make a beginning.







Martin Teig



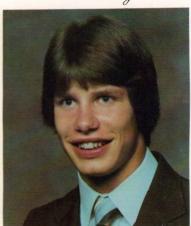
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Debi Todd



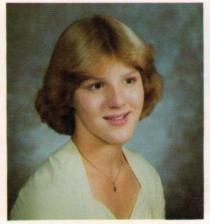
Julie Triska



Jeff Tucker



James Udelhoven



Marilyn Van Cannon



Michael Van Pelt

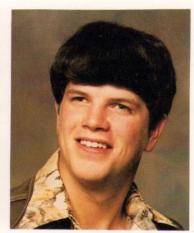
I remember, I remember my childhood days so free when all my problems could be solved by my best friend and me. I remember, I remember the years of summer camp and how I loved those canvas tents that were so dark and cramped. I remember, I remember so many happy things that, as I write, come rushing back like moths on silver wings.



Barbara Venema



Cheri Wallerich



Les Walters



Robin Walters



Jeff Warren



Monica Waterbury



Sheri Whyte



Gary Wilcox

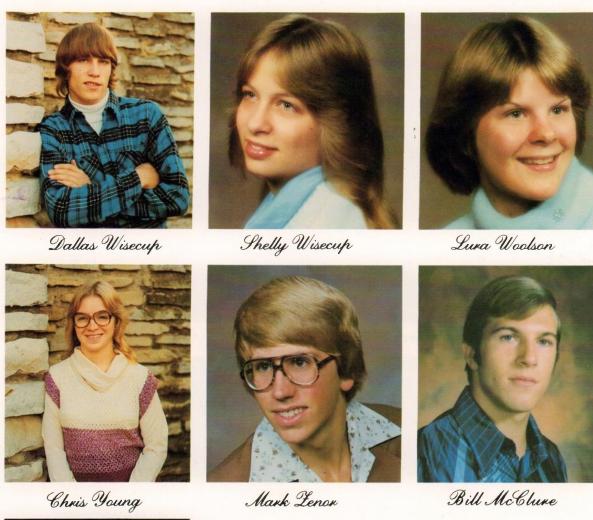


Karla Winebrenner

I used to try to impress my friends, But now I just don't care; I used to be very selfish, But now I always share. I used to be very active, But now I'm very lazy; I used to act quite normal, But now I act quite crazy. I used to try

to catch the wind, But now I walk beside him; I used to know what I wanted from life, But now my future's dim. I used to lie my way out of trouble, But now I tell the truth; I used to want to age quickly, But now I cherish

youth. I used to be afraid of death, but now I have a fear of living; I used to want things constantly, But now I'm content in giving. I used to hide from reality, But now I face it head-on; I used to stay at home a lot, But now I'm always gone. I used towanta lot of kids, But now I think two are enough; I used to resent my parents, But now I love them very much.



Jeff Thomas



Queen Candidates: Janna Graves, Ronette Adams, Sherry Lamb, Dee Eckley and the crowning of Debi Todd.



Queen Candidates: Sherry Lamb, Janna Graves, Queen Debi Todd, Ronette Adams and Dee Eckley. Escorts: Craig Howard, Jeff Tucker, Scott Meyers, Doug Elsberry and Bill Killion.



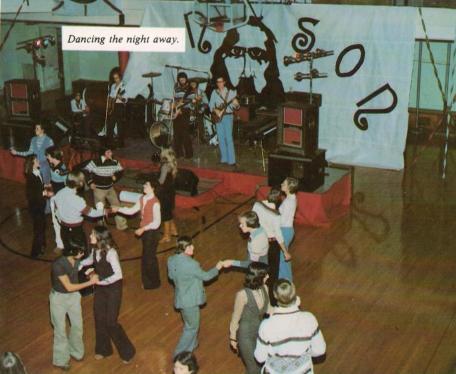




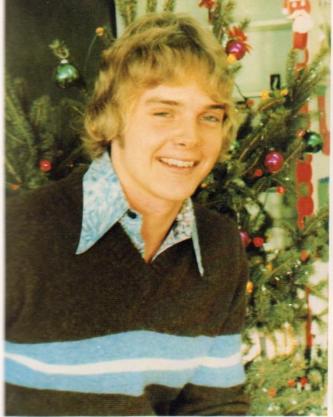
Management and Leona Phipps stop for a picture.

Queen Debi Todd











Sunstrom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sunstrom, is a of the Swing Choir, Chorus, Marching Band, the Church, and is a participant in the carpentry project of house on Montana Street.

Kerin Springer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Springer, is a member of the Boone High School band, the jazz band, pep band, the Health Careers Club, Speech Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Cross-country, Central Christian Church, and was the first runner-up in the Boone County Junior Miss competition.



and dates: Doug Elsberry, Tim Orr, Craig Howard, Randy Efkamp and Mike Sunstrom.

See Thorngren, Kathy King and Kerin

Mike Sunstrom and Kerin Springer were crowned as the reigning King and Queen of the Christmas dance.

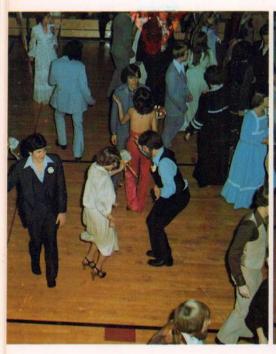
## December 10th Christmas dance touches off the Christmas spirit.



Couples enjoy a slow dance.



Janice Annan and Sue Gus sit on Santa's lap.



Dress style changes from year to year.



"Glider" was the band for Christmas dance.





The Queen and King dance the Royalty dance.

The music slowed down.



Mike and Chris show everyone how to dance.



Time for a break.

## X-mas Dance Royalty 1978



The King and Queen candidates impatiently await the crowning.



Christmas dance Queen candidates socialize with Santa.





Kerin Springer and Mike Sunstrom are royalty at the 1978 Christmas dance.