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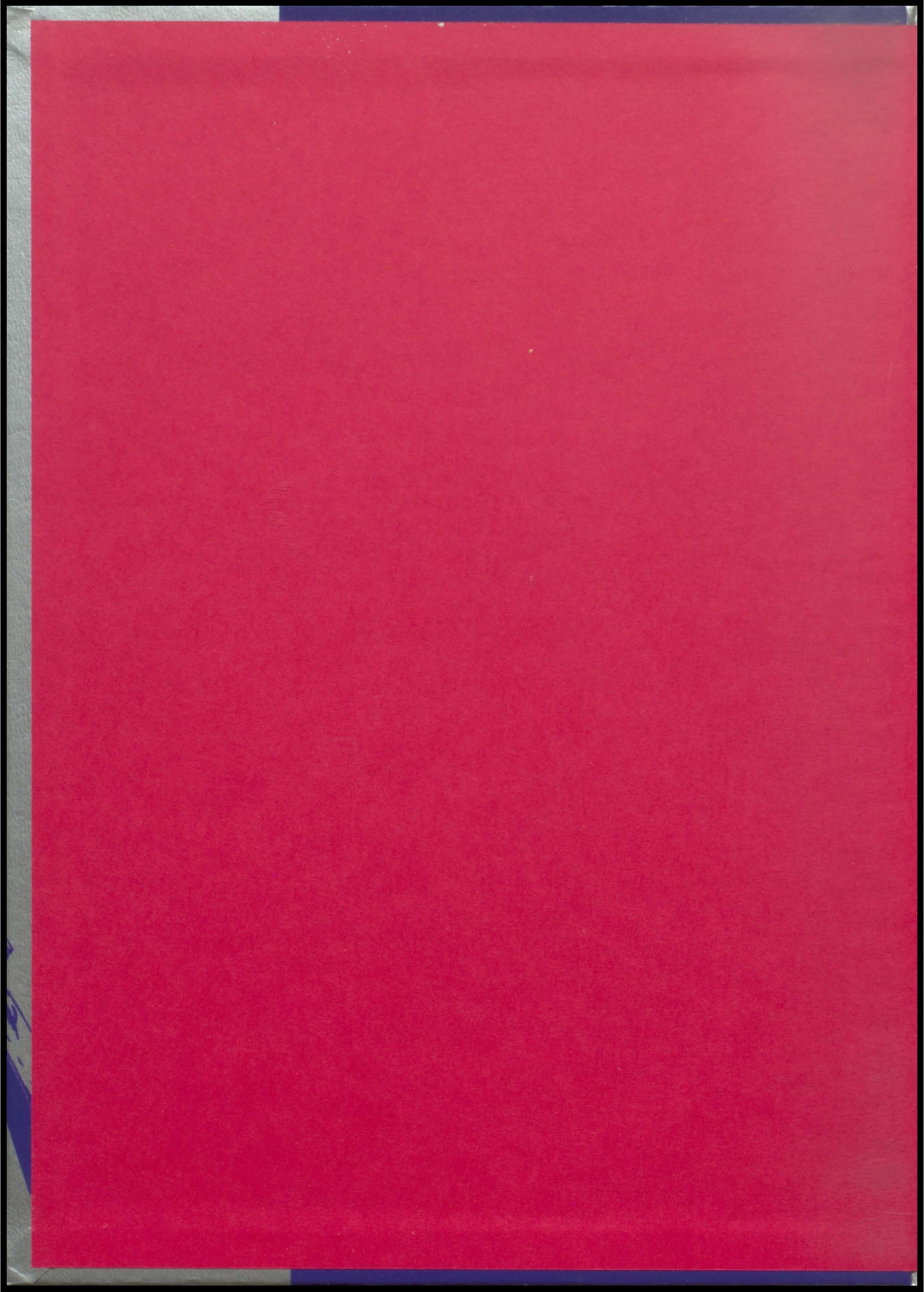
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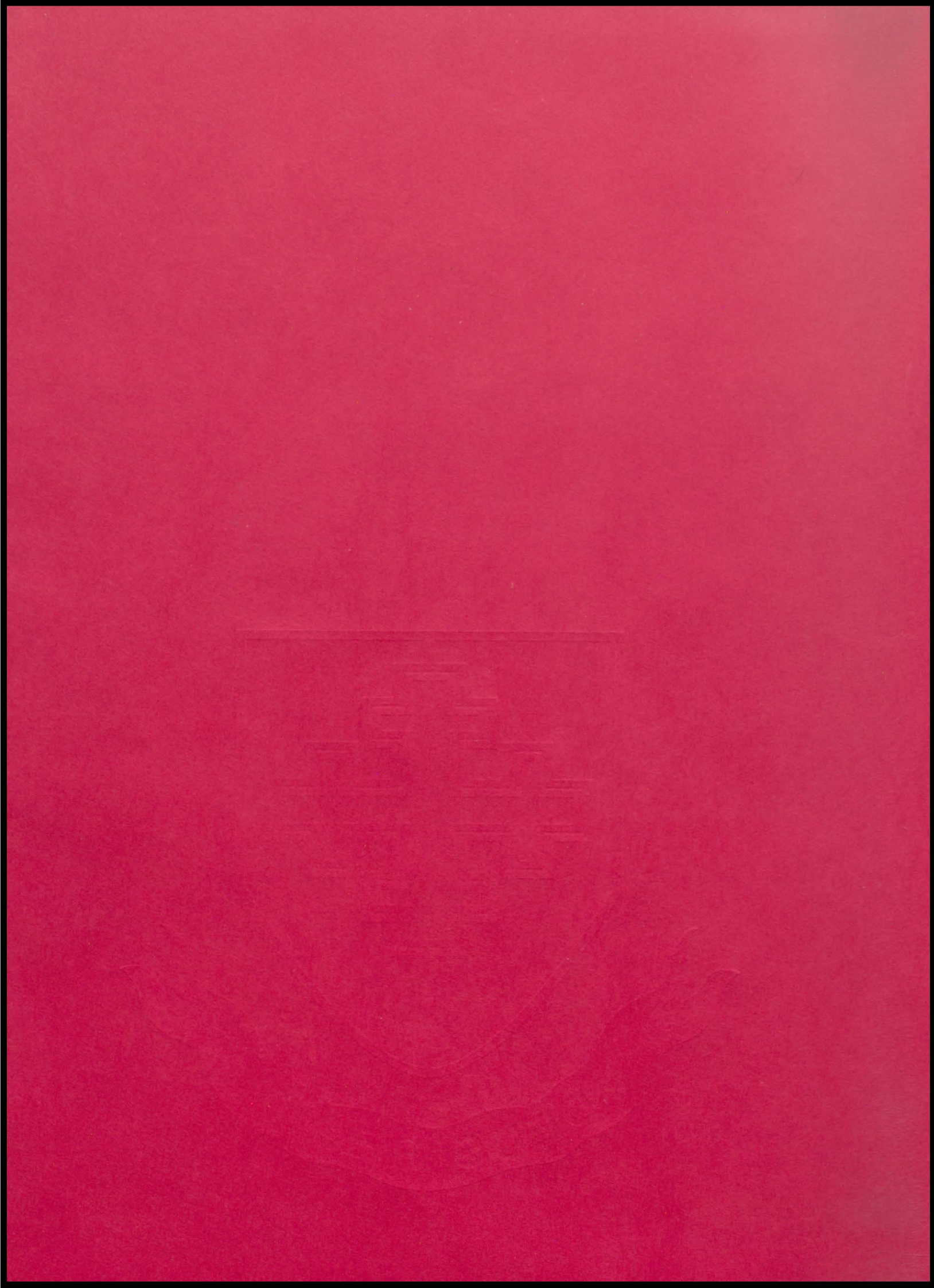
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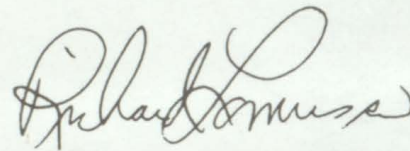
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# HEADMASTER'S GREETING

Congratulations to the Class of 2000!

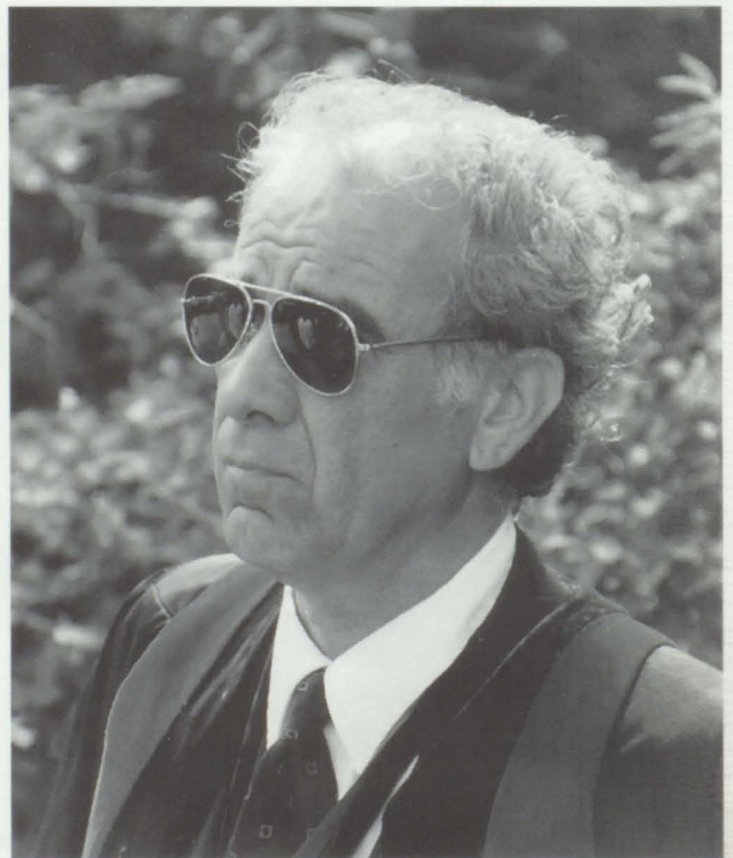
The faculty and staff join me in wishing you our very best. You have met the challenges of Hoosac and are ready for college. We will continue to be proud of you as you make your way through life. It has been a privilege to have shared in your education. Keep in touch with us here at Hoosac and become an active member of the alumni association.

Deus Regit,



Richard Lomuscio

Headmaster



# CLASS OF 2000

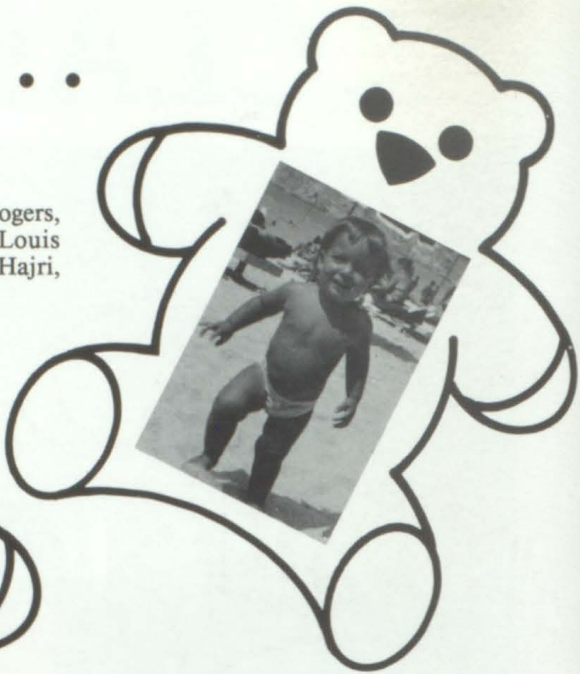


Front Row: Tara Sherry, Suzanne Bergesen, Christine Donovan, Erika Seitz, Naomi Raab. Second Row: Mr. Lomuscio, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Louis Rosenheim, Mathieu Thibault. Third Row: Sean Pearson, Jung-Pil Shin, Patrick Cole, Ron Rogers, Alex Laskovski, Darryl Adams, Joel Hinton. Fourth Row: Ji-Hong Kim, Mike Lee, Mariano De Mello, Hyoung Uk Kim. Back Row: Mansoor Al-Hajri, David Callahan, Josh Candee. Missing: Jamison Collins, Brendan McCarthy, Joel Fernandes.



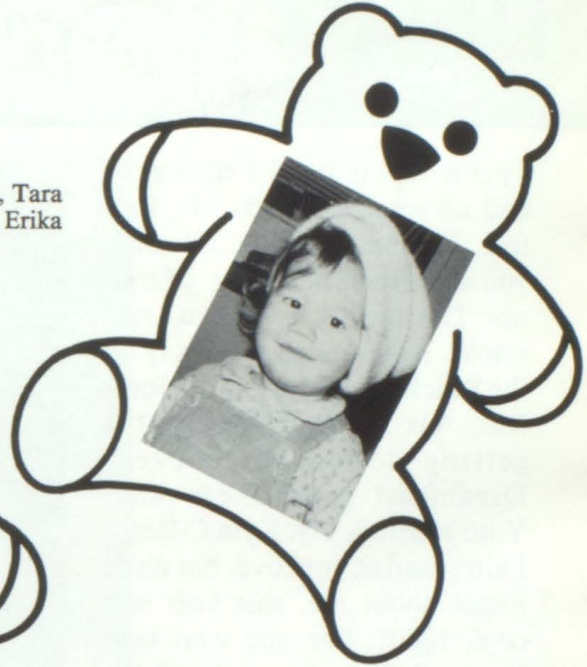
# Looking Back . . .

Top, left to right: David Callahan, Ron Rogers, Mariano De Mello, Suzanne Bergesen, Louis Rosenheim, Alex Laskovski, Mansoor Al-Hajri, Brendan McCarthy, Jamison Collins.





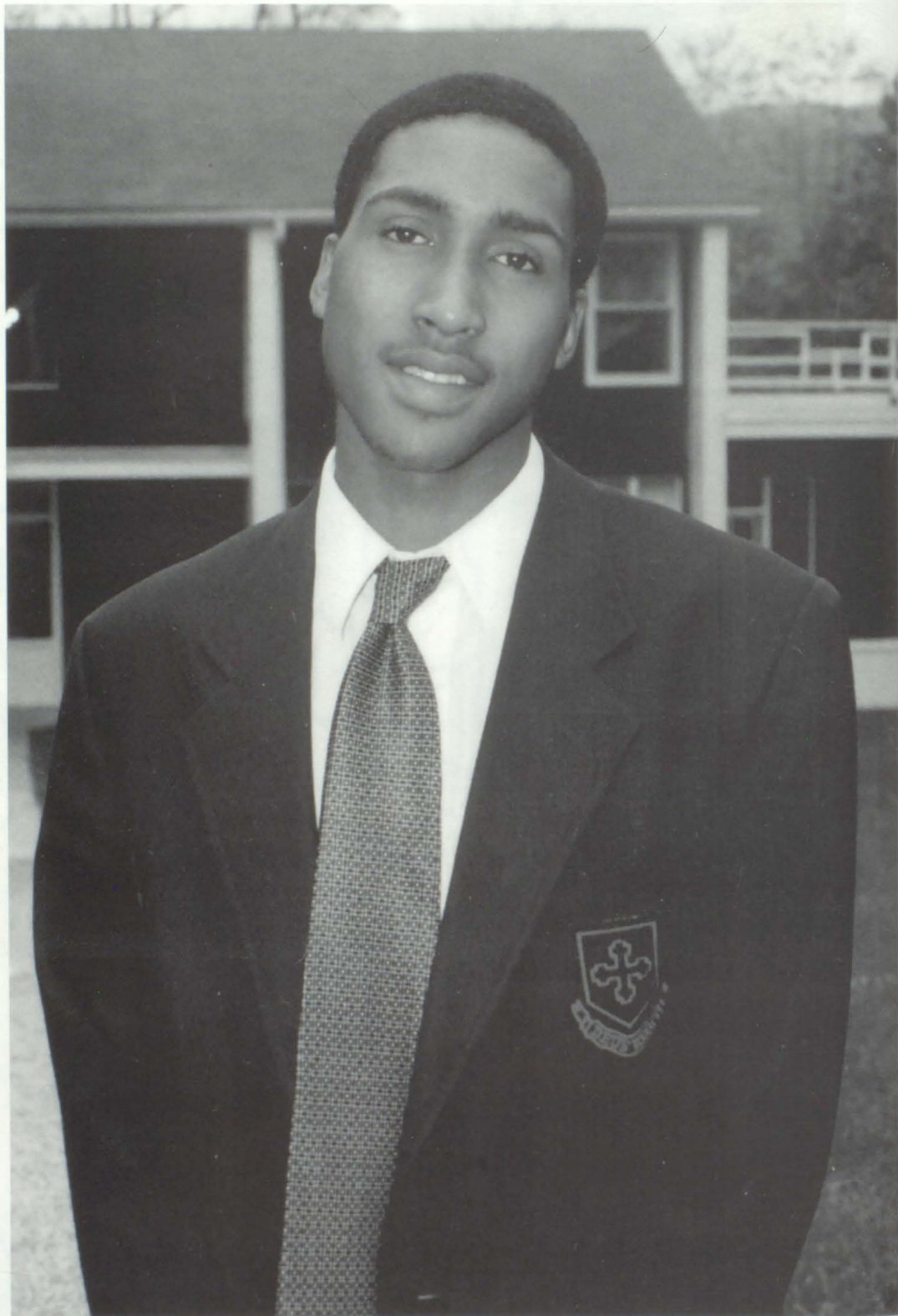
Top, left to right: Josh Candee, Joel Fernandes, Tara Sherry, Sean Pearson, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Erika Seitz, Matt Harp, Joel Hinton, Naomi Raab.



# Darryl Adams

I guess this is it. The session to end all sessions. Alex- Mr. Perfect, The untouchable, I'll catch you at Cornell next year. Mariano- The hustla, have fun, stay warm, stay young, and stay at the Beach; I'll see you there. Joel-Ras, "Ox", Wham? Remember getting destroyed in every Dreamcast game there was? Your record is 4-1. Kyra C-Bear- I ain't mad at you love, but don't forget about me, this year was cool, right? The one who kept me cool through much of the chaos. You could've been the one, that's real. -To my Mother, Grandmother and Aunt, you have stuck by me and allowed me to accomplish what I have. You are appreciated.

I leave you a lyrical poem- Now that I'm off/ Moving at the speed of light/ My destination/ Everything I want in my life/ No one showed me a sign/ It's all due to my state of mind/ No more guessing/ Savoring every second of time/ My words spread/ Hope they manifest like disease/ As words to grow on/ May you all grow like trees/ And come away with a better definition of me/ That's crystal clear/ I'm being real/ 'Cause reals the only way to be/ Under control/ Of when and where I reach my goal/ And to all the haters/ Equivalent to the fish in the sea/ Stare into the bright lights/ That's where you can find me.-One(Love)



# Mansoor Al-Hajri



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# Suzanne Elizabeth Bergesen

I wanted my senior page to be dedicated to all the people who helped me graduate and I had one made, I thanked each and every person in some individual way, but it would end up driving me nuts saying "thank you" three hundred times. It was actually by coincidence that I came to Hoosac, but it certainly was the best mistake I ever made. One thing though, I still think we should be allowed to go to Mobile when we want and should be allowed to smoke cigarettes, but I'm leaving so now I can do that.

Here's a small list of people that I owe my love and loyalty to:

Mom: Thanks for pushing and nagging, telling me to perk up. Thank you for your strength and support. I love you.

Dad: Thank you for guiding me and for always telling me to think twice. Thanks for listening. I love you.

James: Thanks for calling and telling me how things at home were.

Grandma and Momo: Thank you for all the wise advice.

Mara: I don't have room on this page to write what I really feel, but I know that you know. Whatever happens, no regrets.

Rosie: You know who you are. You know I love you. Call me. Thank you for listening. "Girlpower, um feminisime, yada, yada..."

Naomi: You know red is a provocative color!

McBride: Good Luck.

Max: Forgive me, a bend in the road isn't the end of the road, unless you fail to make a turn!

Erica: I love you.

Josh: How about that Chinese?

Christine: Keep cool, Go surf!

C.C.: Thank you, never stop writing, right?

Mr. L.: Now I go back to Sweden!

Mrs. LaPorte: Thank you for the mail!

Mrs. Towne: I know you're nice. Thanks.

Cristina: I didn't mean to burn you. You're cool!

Prophete: Hook it up, baby! Visit me in Norway!

Alexis: We weren't on the wrong road, just the wrong path!



# David Callahan



V: Ice Skating, Tennis / Pitt

VI: Rec. Soccer, Rec. B-Ball, Tennis / Cannon

Josh: serious dorm leadership, ROCK ON

M. Klub: tigers really cut

K. Krew: in a hole??

Bob: Hippies, punks, & freedom for all

Justin: last year, saga's, & sketchiness

Jonny C: OPC., Nigerian brodas, & NA WAAA DE

Erika: you rule as Kart- on Queen

Jontia: Sweet for the sweet, 2pC, benny crew

Sheppard: we had fun sometimes.....didn't we???

Suzanne: REBELS

Loui: Roommate hook ups

Sean: you're the chilliest punk I know

Lavino: chillin

Rest of Seniors: good luck, I know I'll need it.

Rest of the underclassmen: time flies when your havin' fun.

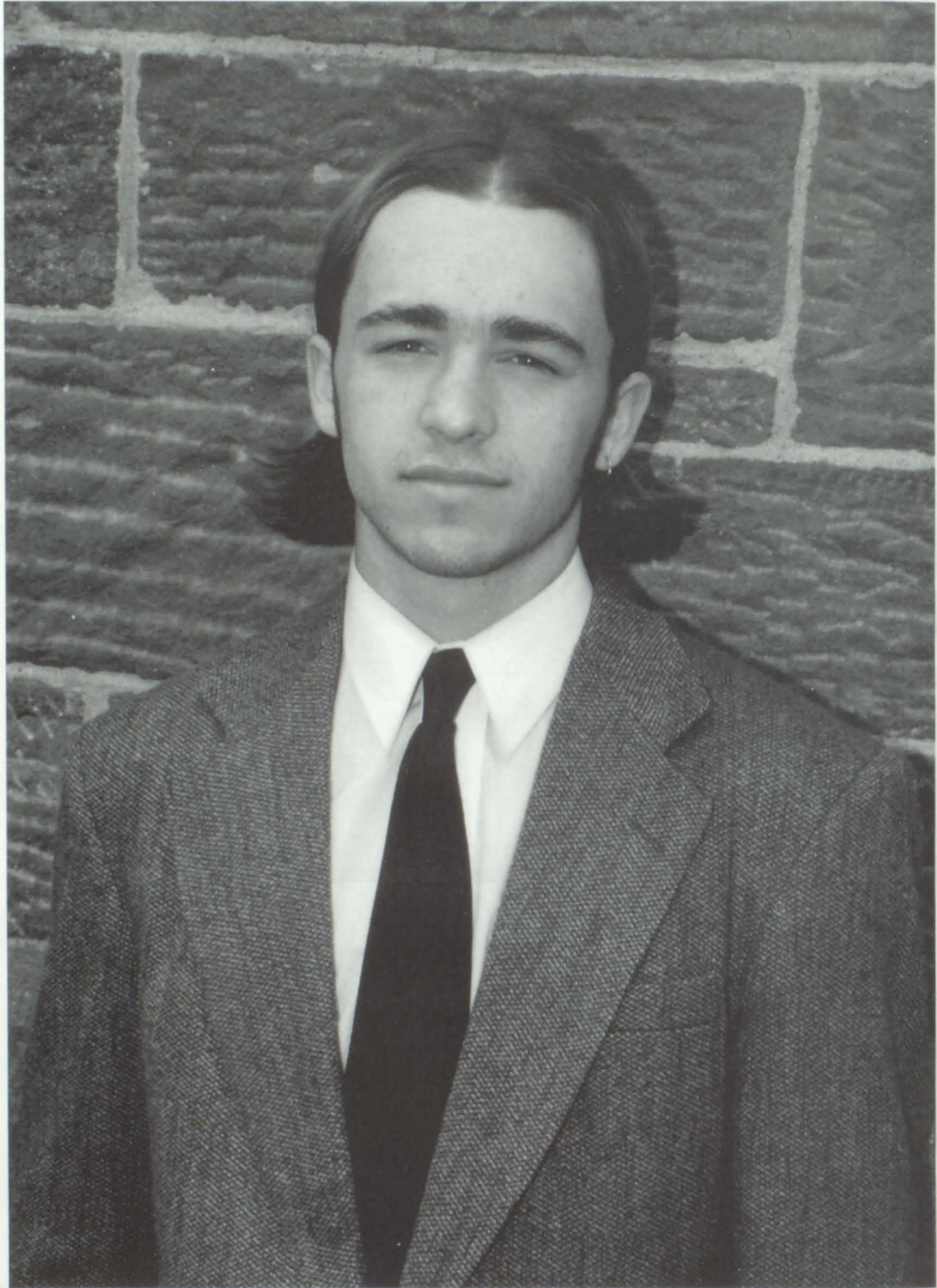
Megan Ann: where there's a will there's a way, thanx for all your love and support. 2010 remember? We had a lot of good times I won't forget.

Sorry-o for all the individuals I 4-got....

Peace to all.



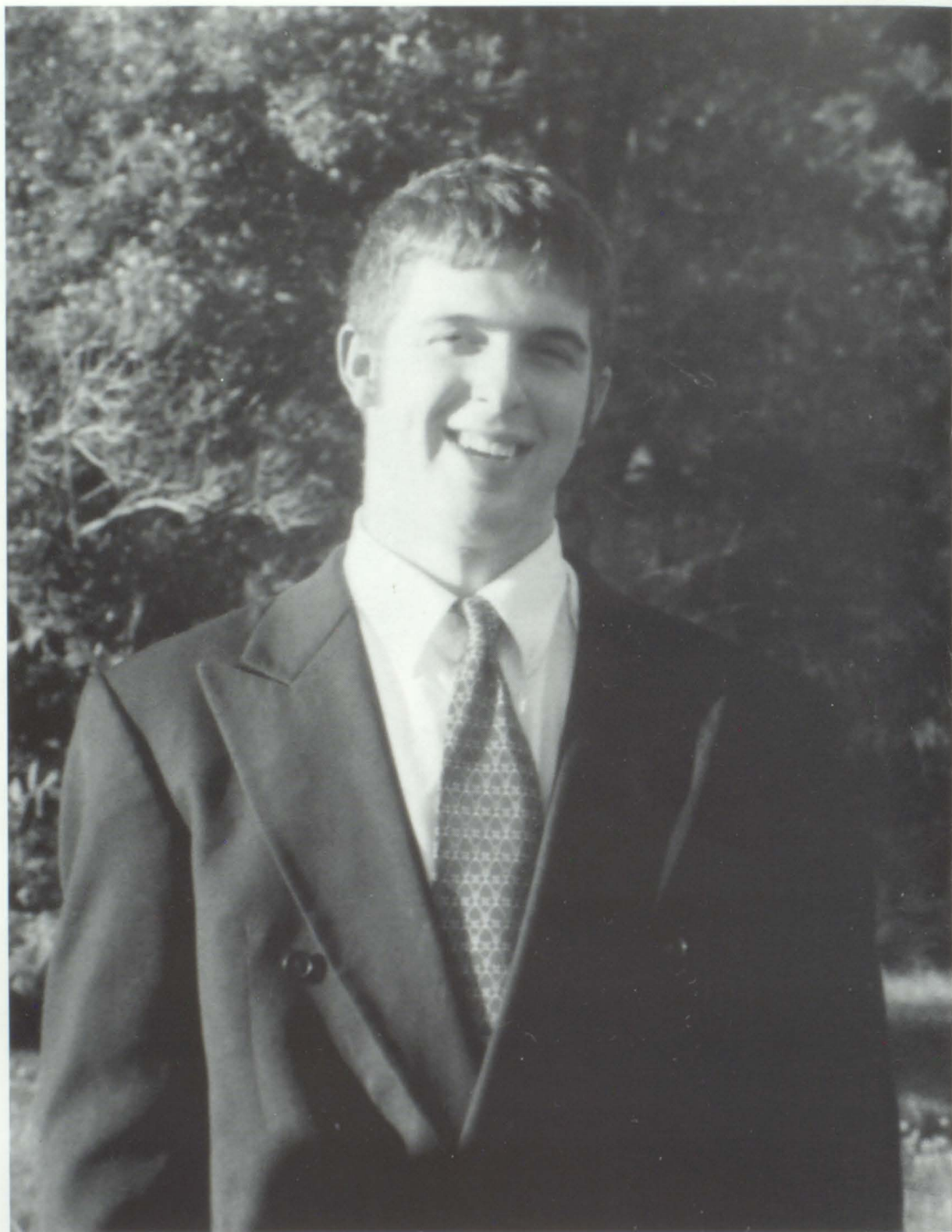
# Joshua Candee



# Patrick Cole



# Jamison Collins





# Mariano De Mello



To my father and my mother, the two most important people in my life, thanks for everything you have done for me. I love you both.

Rafa and Manuela: Well, I am finally done. Thanks for always being there. I love you two.

Alex: You were one of the first people I met here at Hoosac, and we tried to make the best of it. I will see you in the future.

Ron: Well, we graduated. We had fun all year.

Mike: We're finally done, good luck next year and make sure you give me a call. Peace

Naomi and Tara: Have fun next year and maybe we will meet in the future.

Cristina: What can I say, you are the most interesting girl I have ever met. You made things a lot more exciting. Give me a call sometime. Enjoy yourself and be safe.

To my boys from the past: I will never forget you guys. (Jon, Bubbles, Rob, Jared, Litos, Pat, Justin) I will see all of you soon, Peace.

Harp (Beef): Make sure you check me out next year. I'll see ya big man.

# Christine Donovan

Grandpa- You're my biggest fan and I'll never forget all the rides to the beach!

Mom- Thank you for all your support. I could never had made it this far without you. I Love You.

April- You'll never read this but I miss you so much. You're always in my heart.

Hollie- This was your year too. RIP

Jennifer- You're my best beach babe! Thanks for all your support.

Glen- You're the best cause you've always been there!

Crystal + Kristen- You're the best sisters I could ask for!!

Mara - Thanks for all the good times and advice. You were my best friend here and I will never lose touch.

Suzanne (Chica)- I love you girl and there will never be any replacements like you.

Tara- You're so beautiful and special. Even though you don't think so. You know it in your heart.

Naomi- Your mom will always be knock-in. And don't forget my wardrobe.

Jontia- You're my sexy goddess and I won't forget you when I'm famous :)

Erika- Howdy Doody!

Josh- You know what I'm gonna say!

Yuti- Like slurpees?

Cannon Boys- One of a kind.

Matty- I'll be there on June 3, 2002!

You'll always be the cutest :)

Geoff- I'll always be there even when you hate me. Look me up.

Hockey Boys- No explaining needed.

Mr. Burns- Luv ya too.

Ms. Aspiala+ Ms. Macri- What else could I ask for? (besides food)

Mrs. LaPorte- You're the greatest!

Mrs. Moss- Super Mom

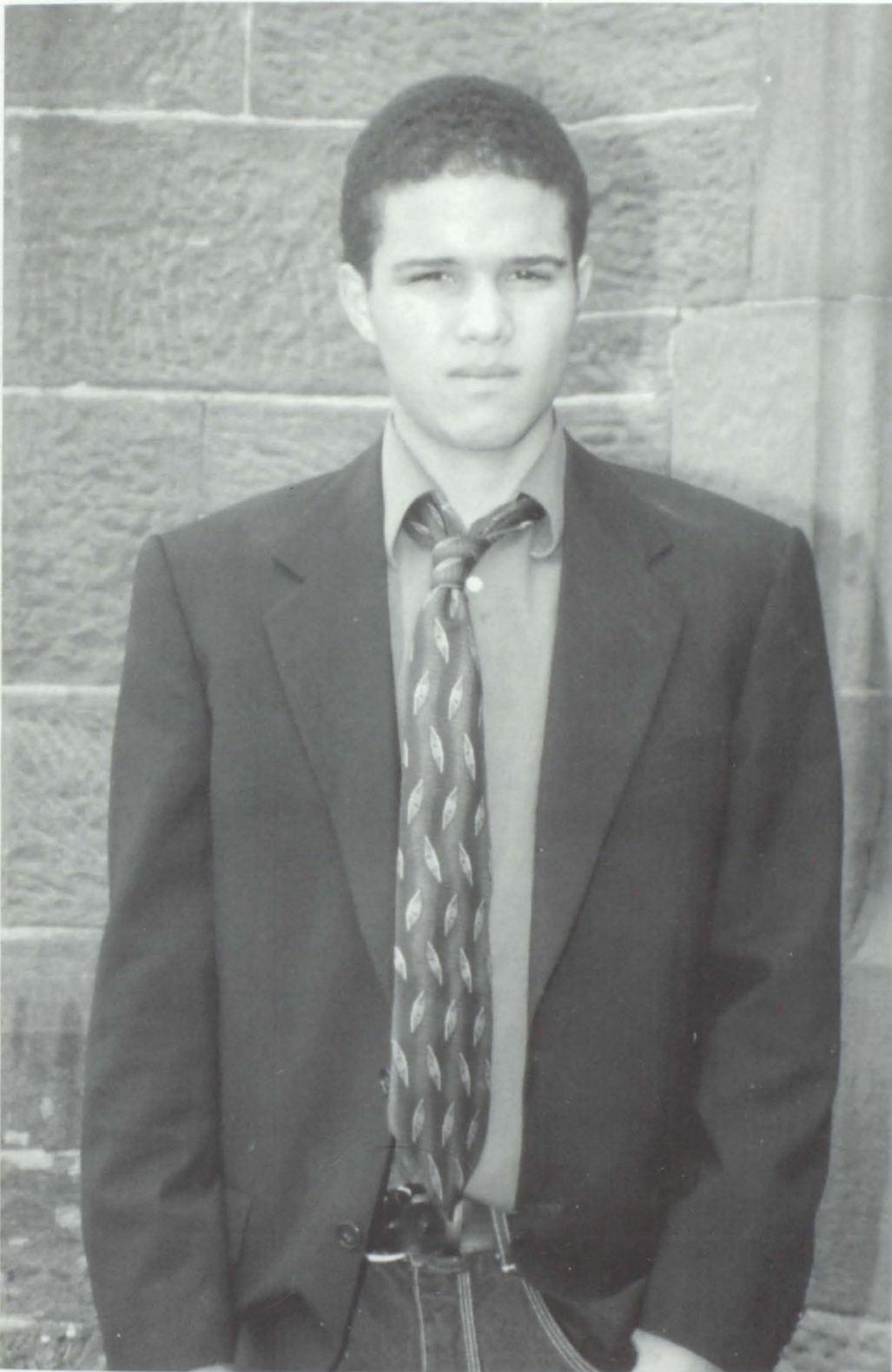
Dave+ Cocklin- It's been fun, enjoy the ride.

John H.- It was fun and I hope you'll look me up soon!

Ryosuke- No words could ever say the way I felt about you.



# Joel Fernandes



To my parents: I want to thank you for everything you did for me and for backing me up whenever I needed it. I love you.

To Lavino: What am I going to say? It was a long year of extreme fun. Ron, remember talking to Henry at Tibbits grave.

Geoff: What's up? You were my first friend at Hoosac and we had two years of summer school and a whole year of fun in Wood Hall. Remember the Gravitron and the blow rag and Mr. Kurland coming up. I will see you this summer Jiggle.

Darryl: D what is there to say?

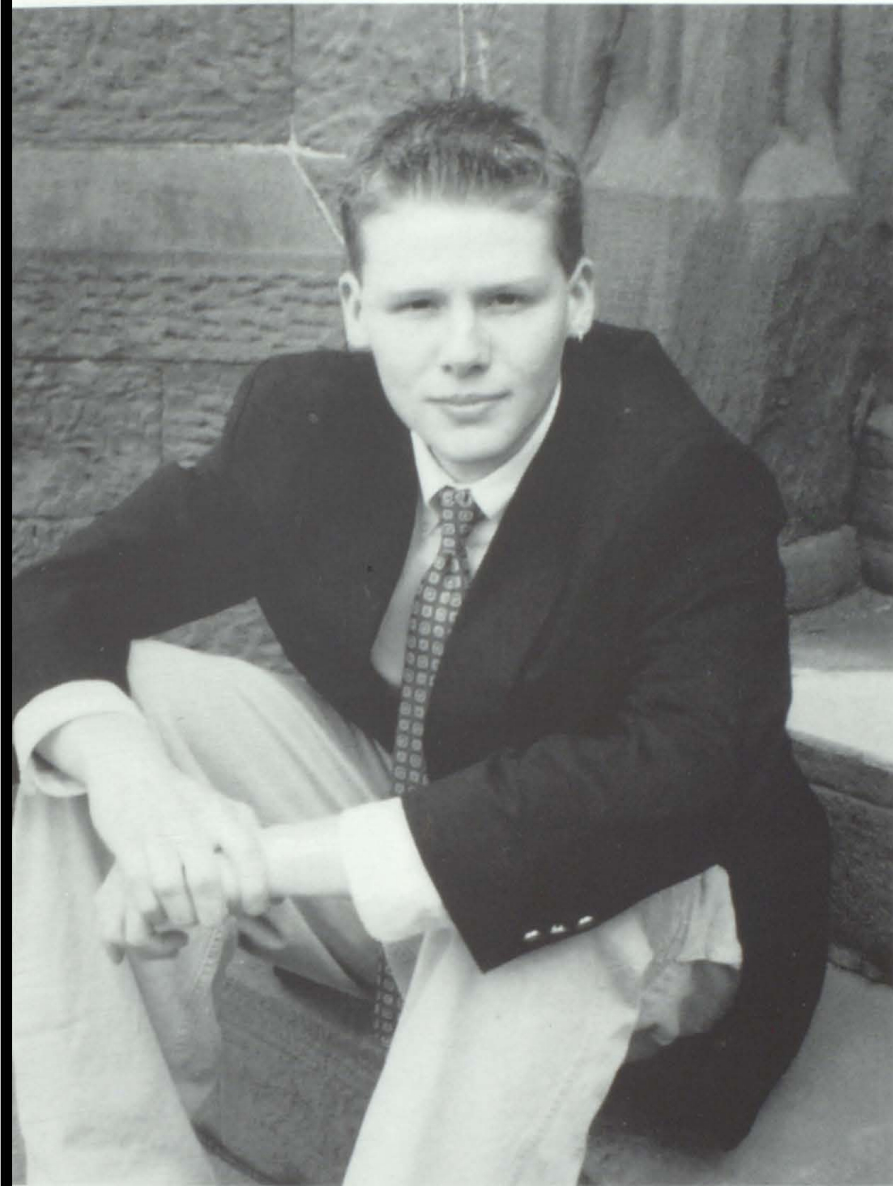
Mr. L.: Thanks for everything you did for me and keeping me in school when I wasn't supposed to be there.

Mr. Moss: Thanks for being a lenient dorm parent and backing me up throughout the year. By the way, Montreal was a Phat trip.

# Matt Harp

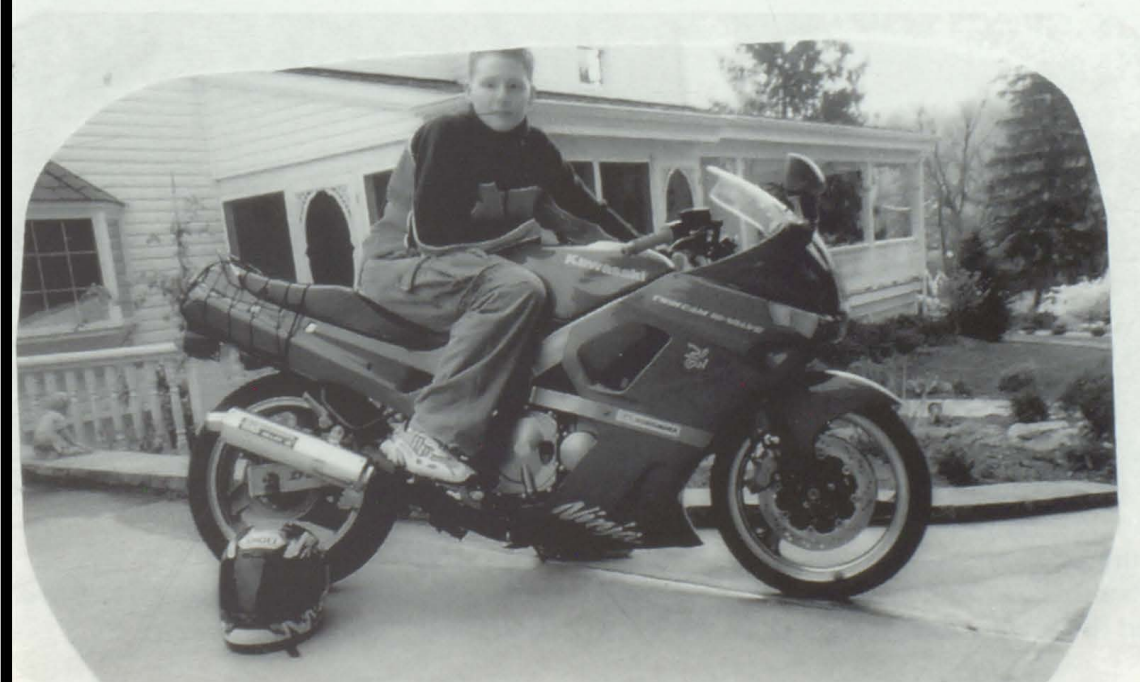


# Joel Hinton

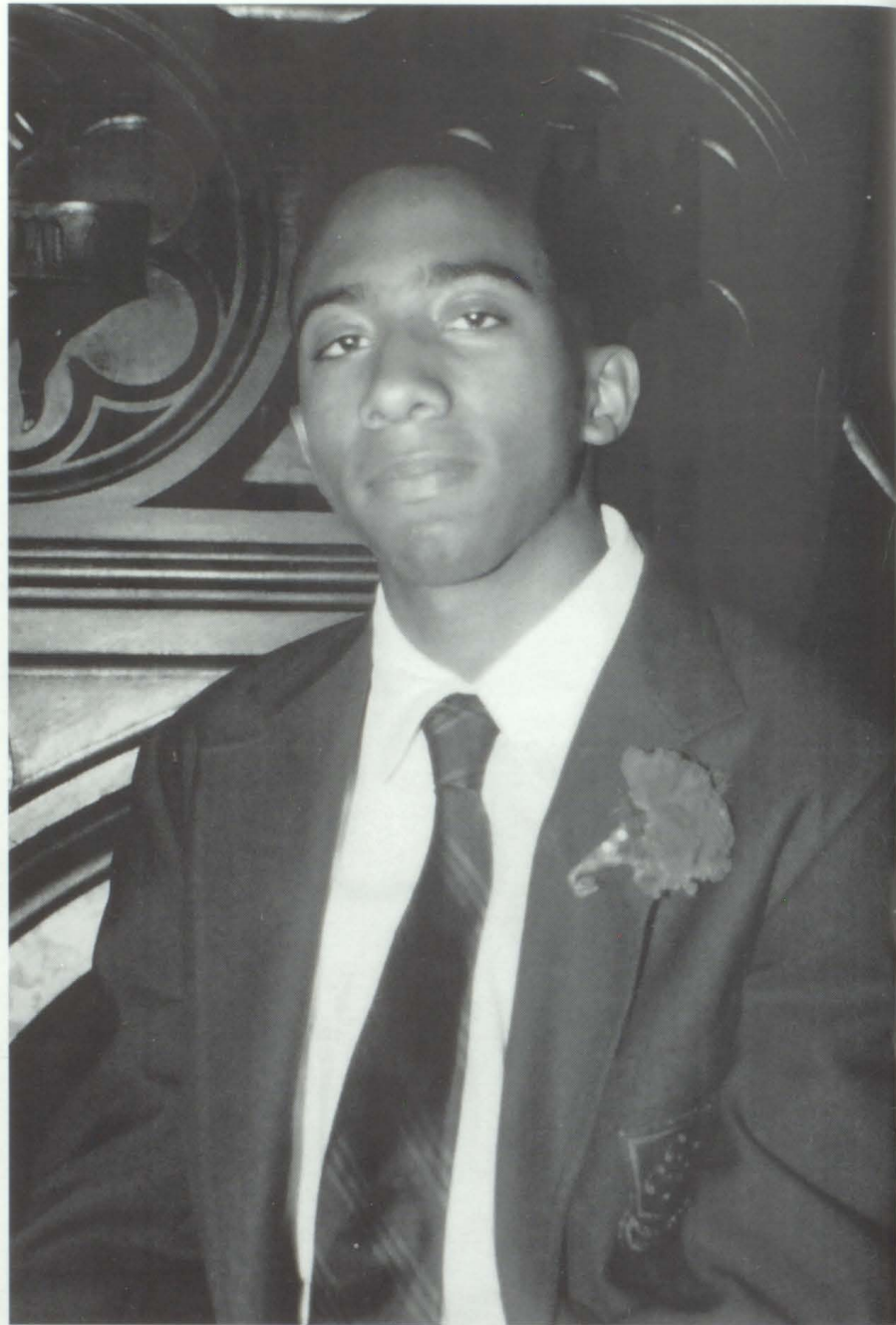


Thank you mom and Ray for all of the support you have given me. My dreams would have never come true without you. My life at Hoosac would never have been so easy especially without Mr. and Mrs. Spahn, Mr. Foster, Mr. Thompson, Ms. Macri, and all of the faculty that has been a part of my life in the community.

Thank you: Carlo, Brian, T-bo, Stavros, Jordan (Idaho), Yuti, and Jacques for the great times we've had over this year. Without you, it would have never been so much fun.



# Brian Jackson-Prophete



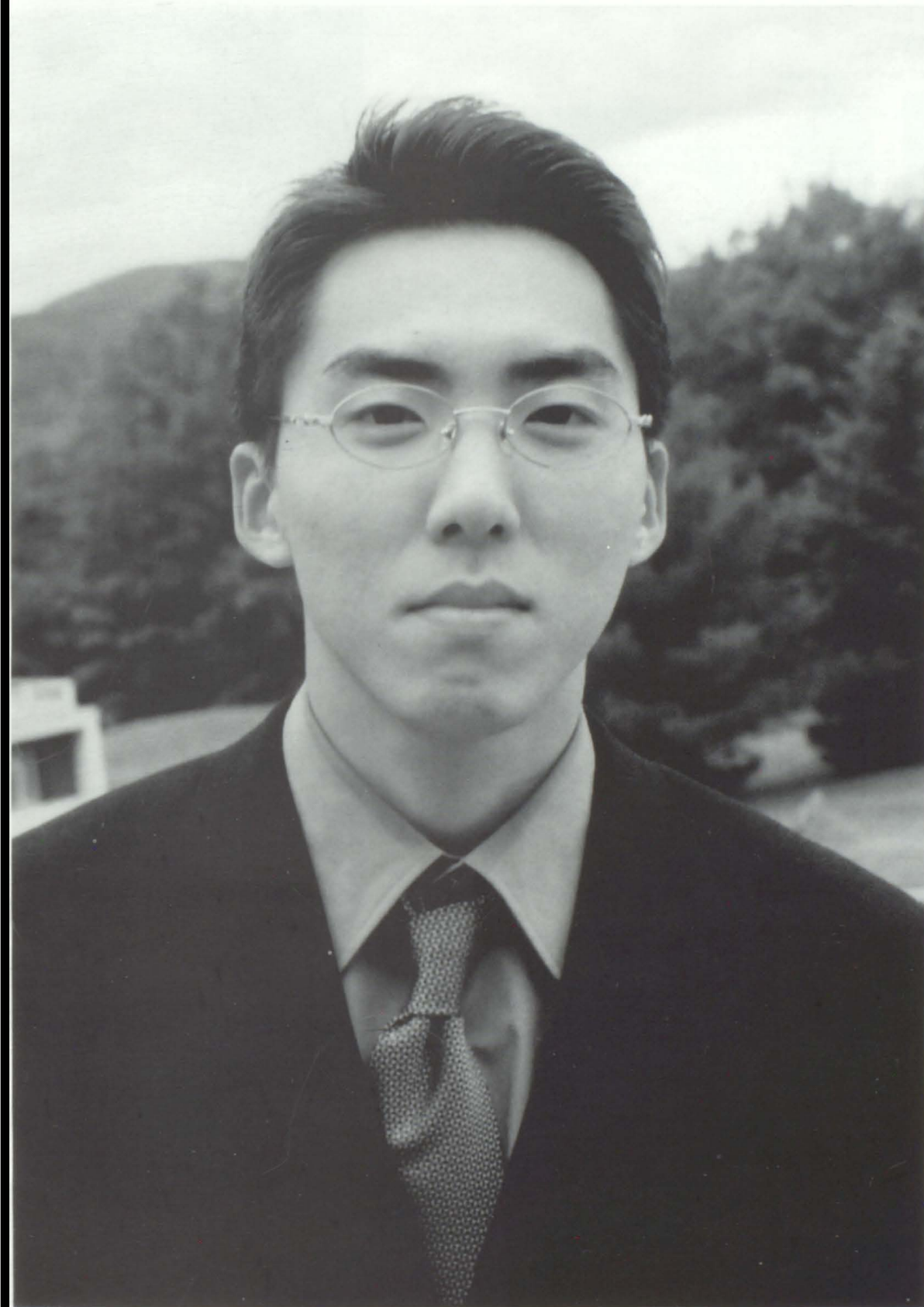
Well, Mom & Dad, I did it! All the blood, sweat, tears, and struggle. I came through it. Thank you! Everyone can say, yes we're done, but for me its the beginning of my life alone; just as settlers, they founded this country away from the British. Now its time for me to start my life, with the principles and rules that will help me get through the rest of my life.

My thanks to Ms. D.A. Sweeney for showing me new ways and means for situations. Ms. Macri for the knowledge I need to know and for being there for me. Mr. Spahn for showing me the fundamentals of math. To all my people that have been there for me; y'all know who you are. To Cindy R., my little sister, always keep your head high and remember that action speaks louder than words. For everyone I know at Hoosac, you can say a billion times, "I am going to do something," but it will never happen unless you make the effort. Your words do not mean anything to someone you don't know, only your actions. Also, to those who know me well, know I'm not a religious person but my Grandma read the Psalms to me and they made sense in a philosophical way. The Psalms are 3, 27, and 77.

To Cindy R.: Read these everytime when you are discouraged.

To everyone I know well, remember this: Never depend on anyone, always be independent because you will be better off. These are my words of wisdom to those who want to take it. Don't forget, action speaks louder than words!

# Hyoung Uk Kim



"The place that I come from is far, far away.....  
but you don't have to swim all the way over the ocean to  
think of me."

# Ji-Hong Kim

Form III: Pitt Mason

Form IV: Whitcomb, Soccer, Tennis, Snowboarding

Form V: Cannon House, Soccer, Ice Hockey, Tennis

Form VI: Wood Hall, Soccer, Basketball/Ice Hockey, Yeoman

God: Thank you for protecting me and sending me here at Hoosac to meet many nice people who I can share my joys and pains.

Mom and Dad: I don't know, what do I have to say. In any case, thank you for taking care of me until right now. I finally graduated high school like Chang-hong did. It means that I will approach one more step in my life. So I promise that I will try to do my best, whatever I do. Also, I will take care of me by myself. Anyway, thank you and I love you. "God bless our family."

My love, Yoon-hee (Chung): What's up, honey? Now we are having a hard time. And also, I made very difficult times for you. But I still want to believe in our destiny, because our meeting was very special for us. You know that made me an escape of other difficult times in my life. I gave one's word that I would stay beside you whenever you need me. As well, I promise that I will approach you one more step, when I can give you more gladness. Also, thank you for what you did for me and I love you. I hope that you have benedictions, whatever you want to do. I will pray for you and your family. And "Sa-rang-hae, young-won-hee"

My brother, Chang-hong: Thanks for taking care of me, our family, and my love; who is Yoon-hee. Also, I am sorry that I couldn't take care of you or our family. I know that you are always beside me, whenever I have hard times. I promise that I will be there for you whenever you have hard times. Now I finally graduated high school like you did. I know that means that I will be an adult. Also, it means that I have to prove my work by myself. I will be strong and I will work very hard for my life. Again, thank you and I love you; "Stay out of troubles."

Suk-ki: What's up? I finally graduated high school. I wanted to graduate with you in Seoul, but I couldn't do it. Anyway, I am sorry that sometimes I won't take care of you. I hope that you understand me. In any case, thank you, whatever you did for me. Also, you must recognize that I am one of your best friends. So that means I will stay by your side whatever you do. Again, thank you. Now it's time for enjoying a nice summer and our nice college life. "God bless you"

Il-kwon: What's up, ar-bong? I don't know, what do I have to say for you? I just want to say "Thank you." When I had hard times, you were always beside me, and I can rest on you. I know that you have a hard time too. I just want to say that I promise, whatever you do, I will be there for you like you did for me. You must recognize that you are one of the most important people in my life. Anyway, thank you. "God bless you"

Hee-sung (kyung-bi): What's up? Thank you, what you did for me. I still think what we did in shin-sa middle school. Sometimes I just want to go back to our school times because it was too good for our relationship. We made good and bad memories during our five years. I want to say that you just remember the good memories. Also, you better recognize that you are the best friend for me and Il-kwon. So, I want that you don't have scupies for us. Anyway, I hope that you succeed, whatever you do. "Sometimes, I will visit China, thank you."

Joon-young, Ok(ku)hyung: Thank you for taking care of me. Sometimes I think that you are still at Hoosac. I am sorry that I couldn't take care of our tree. I am leaving Hoosac like Hyung did. But, I will be your shadow, forever. Thank you. Also, I still remember what happened at the SS fashion. "Joon hyung (960) and Min-Jung Kang nu-na, forever."

Min-jung nu-na (Kang): Thank you for giving me nice advice, when I had hard time. I am sorry that I couldn't take care of Joon hyung. But I will stay beside him whenever he has hard times. I hope that nu-na have happy days in Japan. I will see nu-na in Seoul. Again, thank you. Also, I will tell you about bul-kkot, BBi-su-ni, nu-na.

Number 9, Jae-hoon (Mal hyung, jay-park): Thank you, what hyung did for me. (Kim-chi panbroiling rice) "kidding" I still remember our snowman with Joon. Someday we will make it again. I hope you do well in your college. (Rider-uppercut) I will see hyung in Seoul. "God bless you" (Sa-mo-nim, ka-jung-eul, bu-ri-ship-s i-o)

Young-Je hyung (jung-hak-gyu, 2 jjong e sang): I don't know, what do I have to say. I finally graduated like 960 hyung and hyung did. I always think we made great times with Joon. I hope that you do well in your college. "Thank you" (I still remember what you did at the kang-nam station)

Eun-ho, sul(Lee) gangster hyung: I finally graduated like hyung did. I still remember that we came first time to Hoosac. You always bit me up like Shin Rhee did for you. "Just kidding" I hope that you always keep hyung in mind. What kind message you sent to my mom? or my brother, Chang-hong. Anyway, thank you for taking care of me and my money? I hope that you have good times in your college.

Hyung-Uk (Shin-yang Park): What's up, Sang-du? We finally graduated high school. I can remember that we made very good memories in Hoosac. I know that sometimes you ignored me, but I can understand you "kidding." Anyway, I hope that you make a good college life. Also, I will visit Su-yu-ri (Country?) in Korea. It means that I can spend time in Keuk-dong Apt. 1 dong. I hope that sometimes you call me in Korea. "Keep in touch and buy a C.P."

Jae Yoon (Mike) Lee: Are you still looking for min-dul-kkot at the kum-su-kang-san? Wow, we spent almost 4 years together in Hoosac. We finally graduated like other hyungs. I hope that you have a good college life. Also, I hope that you find your friend speaker. "Keep in touch, yang-A-chi."

Jung-Pil Shin: What's up, kkgang pae? We finally graduated Hoosac. We spent almost 4 years together. During 4 years we had good and bad things. I hope that you just remember the good things. Also, I will remember your laugh. I hope you do well in your college. I will see you in Korea. I hope that bears family has peace all the time (Joon and you). Don't persecute other kind people and I still remember your hair during spring break. "God bless you" (No-rang-muri?)

Shin-hyung Shin (Rhee): What's up my roommate? who came from North Korea. "Just kidding." I finally graduated Hoosac like other hyungs and chin-kus. Anyway, you will be the big hyung for Korea next year. I know you can make it better than this year. (I will see) In any case, I hope that you accept good colleges and "have a good vacation." I will see you in Korea. "I still remember what you did at Hwa-Jang-Sil."



Mo-bum-sang

Ji-yong (Kim-park-sa): (Tae-kwon V, man-deul-ra) I am sorry that I was so mean. But you must recognize that I would like to be a friend. I will visit you. "study hard"

Sung-hoon (Yong-kal, hyung-nim): Be careful you girl conceptions. It is a very important key to open your mind to other people. "bu-tak-han-da, na-nu Hoosac, han-kok-sa-nam."

Sung-ju (Myung-Soo-Park) Don't copy mine. I like your smile (people can not spit on a smile face) "study hard"

Dong-jin (Mu-jo-gun, jun-jang-e-ya): You are so young. So I couldn't take care of you. But I hope that you do well next year. "study hard" (girl-a-d-ni-nun, myung-pum-kwan)

Han (Hi-chin): "study hard" (jin-shin-cha-ryu)

A-ram (da-gar gong-ju): It was nice to know you. I am sorry that I couldn't take care of you. Anyway "study hard." (mu-ri sar-bbe)

Ji-na (mu-da-ri): Stay out of trouble. "study hard" (Someday I will see da-sseun, hwa-jang-ji)

Jo: We finally graduated. You are a nice American that I ever meet. I will miss you. "Keep in touch." Tom: What's up? I will visit Hoosac next year. "Keep in touch." (little Korean)

Wood crew (Brandon, Geoff, Paul): What's up fellows? I finally graduated. I will miss you guys with my friend "Jack." Keep in touch.

My sister, young-nan: I am sorry I couldn't take care of you. O-bba finally graduated high school. Now it's time for taking care of my sister. I will see you in Korea.

Mr. Martin: You are the best ESL teacher and adviser. Thank you for supporting me.

Mr. Serrell: You helped me a lot. I always "thank you" for what you did for me. "Keep in touch." (da-ga-ri, bak-a)

Chung-ju crew: What's up? Thank you for what you guys did for me and yoon-hee. Anyway, promise that I will help you guys whenever you have difficult times. Because Yoon-hee's friends are my friends. Again "thank you" and "God bless you guys." (da-hak, jar-ga-ra)



# Alex K. Laskovski

4 year student  
Prefect of Lavino



"In the future everybody will  
be world famous for 15  
minutes"  
Andy Warhol



"The mass of men led lives of  
quiet desperation"



"Accidents will occur in the  
best regulated families."



"One soul inhabiting two  
bodies"



# Jae Yoon Lee

Form III: JV Soccer, Snowboarding, Softball  
Form IV: V Soccer, Snowboarding, Spring Soccer  
Form V: V Soccer manager, V Basketball, Golf  
Form VI: V Basketball, Golf

My loving parents: I have been working hard for Jae-Sung and me for 7 years now. I really do like to thank you both for everything! I'll do my best to build more character and be responsible for every action I make. I have so much to tell and talk to you, but please wait til we go back to our home; Seoul, Korea. I love both of you so much....

My loving brother: Hyoung, now its my turn to graduate! I know my result was not better than you even though I was so sure... I am a spoiled kid just as you said to me before...But...we could do a lot better if we just realize what we are missing, right? Also, I am so glad that we talked and finally met peace between us. I hope our brotherhood continues just as now. I care and love you, my only brother Jae-Sung e hyoung!!!

Mr. L.: 4 years! 4 years in Hoosac Mr. L.! Wow.. I still remember the first time I lived in Lavino. I know I couldn't survive at Hoosac without you. I can graduate because of you. I also learned how to forgive people from you. You always have been my dorm parent, Mr. L. Thanks for everything...

Hyoung-Uk: Ya! We are no more "go-ppi-ri!" Aren't you happy man? No need to worry about high school problems. When I was having trouble with people in our school, you were there for me and you showed me the truth. Congratulations on your college acceptances. Keep in touch and I will see you in Seoul...

Shin Rhee: Senior Prefect!!! Wow, I never thought... Shin you did it man!!! Now you have to think about how to be a respected Korean leader. I know you will do the best of everything. If there are any kinds of problems that need to be solved by me, call me anytime. I'll come visit you at Yule Log and take care of yourself.

Jung-Pil: Pooh! It's time for you to do what ever you desire to do. You don't need to really worry about other people; people who don't worry or care about you. I know you can become a much better person if you just focus on your future. I'm glad we became close friends. Let's wild out in Seoul!!!

Ji-Hong: You did it Ji-Hong...you got into a good college. I am proud of you. I hope you will become a famous fashion designer and you'll make my suit for free (you better). Stop drinking and say hello to your new life. You know my number to call, so call me anytime.

Ji-Yong: Dr. Kim!!! Be good next year and help Shin to lead the Koreans as a straight way. You better stop playing video games and get ready for college as soon as possible. I want you to get into a good college. We all are glad you came to Hoosac and became our friend. Have fun in the summer.

SH: "e-ssae-ki"...Fake Lavino boy who moved up to Pitt so you can sit on the bench during the hockey game. But, I had fun being with you when you lived in Lavino. Remember, you are going to be 81's right arm next year so don't let your mind set free. You have a heavy job next year. You know what I mean...

Sung-Joo: You are so nice! That's good, but don't let people use you. I know you will do well next year even though you are moving schools. Call me at Seoul, I'll take you around. Stay nice.

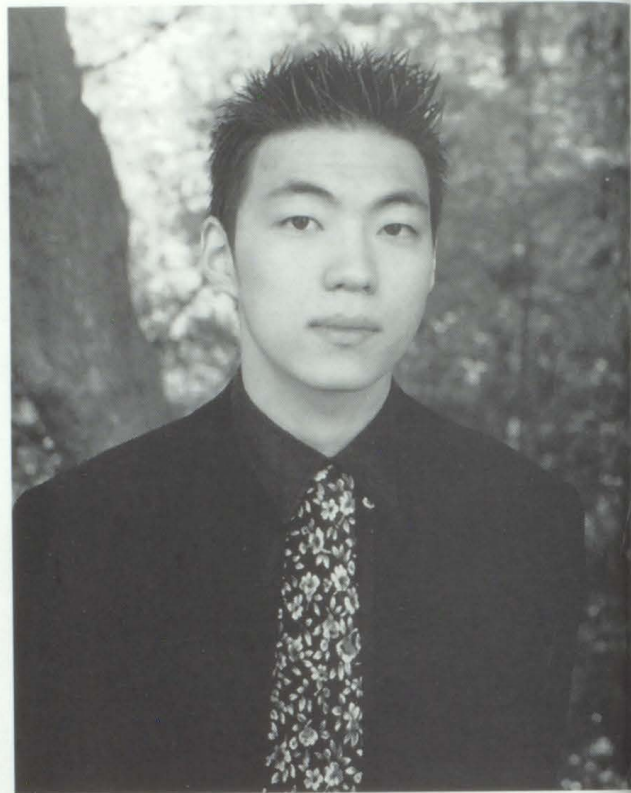
DJ Lim: Summer! It's summer time and you will get to see Miss. Summer...I wish you and summer's relationship work out fine. We had fun when you used to visit me and play Korean card game "go-stop." See me in Seoul.

Aram: Arama...You need to grow up more you little girl. I've never seen an innocent girl like you. If I go to Pusan, I'll make sure I call you, so when you come to Seoul, don't be shy to call me. Keep playing "gong-ki."

Jina: e-c! im-ma! I thought you wanted to talk to me about something before I graduated. Don't take too long I am losing interest about your talk. Next year, try to be calm and try not to love everyone (nong-dam!) I have known you for a couple of months but I feel compatable talking to you and I had fun being with you. Keep in touch girl...

Han: Han... be mature and start to learn how to have manship. You are like little girl now. I'm sure Shin and Ji-Yong will keep you out next year, so don't worry too much. Lavino...

Mariano: You little Brazilian! You, Alex, and I have been at Hoosac for a long 4 years. And finally time has come. We are out! How could I forget the trips we have made the last two years. Of course I won't forget you, you little crazy Brazilian. I'll visit you and Brazil, so get ready to meet.



Alex: I won't forget your attitude and the times we had fun. Too bad I didn't fly over to Mexico and see whats up down in Mexico. I can't wait to get out of here just like you. You better see me in Seoul too, Laskovski. Parties in Seoul will never let you down. Write emails to me, we'll keep in touch.

Eric: Yo Paco! Tiger met Bronx, so you need to meet Seoul. I know you never traveled out of the states and I want you to visit Seoul, Korea for your first travel. Stay safe next year and don't mess with Mr. L. That's my advice to you. I got all your numbers and so do you. Use it punk.

Darryl: You are awesome at basketball and I give you that. Hope you play as a starting point guard in college. I gave you my email and I've got yours. So we both know what we have to do with our email address. Hope I see you in NY and have phat time. Peace! yo-yoohi said so....

Ron: Ronny G! I can't believe you are going to Cali. You're gonna have so much fun, I can see you in a club and just wild out. Whatever you do, just be careful and keep in touch. You better visit me in Seoul too.

Mr. Moss: I can call your name Ben now, right? Ben, let me tell you something. You are a great computer art teacher. It's glad I have seen some of your computer art. You also tried to let seniors have fun in the dorm and I thank you for that. Thank you for taking Lavino to Montreal. I had so much fun. I'll see you next year.

All the people I missed: Don't hate me because I missed your name. My deadline for senior page is today and I'm out of time. I love all the people I missed and I hope to see you all. You guys are great.

Yioulie: I love you Yioulie. Rest in Peace.

# Brendan McCarthy



# Sean Pearson



# Naomi Raab



Form IV: Tibbits, Skiing, Yeoman  
Form V: Tibbits, Volleyball, Basketball  
Form VI: Tibbits, Volleyball, Softball

Mom and Dad: Thanks for putting up with me. It means a lot to me knowing that you'll always be there for me when you can.

Jay: We've made it through the hard part: the phone calls, the short visits. I couldn't have accomplished so many things without you. You have made me appreciate so much. Thank you for waiting. I love you.

To everyone else who counts:

Think about this: it could've been worse. By the time you read this we will have moved on with our lives and Hoosac will just be memories....Good luck, and remember that in life, nothing matters if you don't keep it real.



# Ron Rogers

Mom and Dad, I love you guys so much! Thanks for being there in the good and bad times! Putting up with me for 20 years and I know its not been easy. You are the reason that I have made it through this wild ride. I LOVE YOU! Cindy, there is so much to say, we had many good times. You are a blessing from God, that helped me get through. I will never forget the long weekends and the vacation we spent together. Remember when you kissed me on the basketball court after we played the last game. I Love you so so much. You showed me what love really is, and it's not just a word. Baby, I will always love you and will always be thinking about you until the day I die. Also, remember the 3rd weekend in March. Baby, I could give you 64 reasons why I love you, but I think I said them all, so I will just say, Te amo mucho Cindy Cruz! P.S. You know you will always be right. When you see the sun set, thats when I am thinking about you. I love you very much, baby.

Carla: Yo, I almost forgot. Carla, you have been with me all my life, you have stuck up for me and held me down in the toughest times! I love you sis. Remember, me coming to U.D. getting off the hook? Yo, we got the summer to chill.

Lavino: Yo what can I say? Anyway, we all had mad good times together. Remember winning the super bowl?

DVS: Yo my dog. Boston and Jersey N's as WOW you want the room at 9:00. We had some good times chillin in Jersey, or just chillin in the room playing video games, but you could never beat me! (NBA 2K) Yo, you know we got to get up with each other this year, so call a brother! I got the title.

Joel: Ras, I have already said some of the times we had, but, thanks. See you when I come to Trinidad.

Yo Eric, hold Lavino down. Thanks in so many ways. I got you on Wednesday, don't worry.

Alex: Yo, don't stop being who you are kid.

Mike: Yo, thanks for all the long talks we had. You kept me up when I had problems.

Prof: Thanks for the CD's.

Moss: You took me in and gave me a home. Thanks for sticking up for me when everyone else wanted to get rid of me. What time is it???

To my dog in Pitt: B.M., ninja, JC keep it real dogs!

Miss. Mac: You are the reason I made it in the end. You are a great teacher and friend. I love you!

CC: I will miss you. Thanks.

Mr. Ryan: I leave you a high school championship and six other things.

Mr. L.: Thanks for not giving up on me when it was easy to. You are a good person who has helped many people. I will miss all of you guys but I will never forget!

Jeff: Yo we did not chill that much but when I come back to see Cindy next year, I will bring that humble CD.

Cindy, once again I love you so so so much! Lets eat. You are the best person in the world. Remember don't get into all that stuff that the cool people do!!

Yo to all my dogs in Jersey, I love y'all, Buss, Stef, J-Thorppe, Re-Run, Millz, Bean, J-Bell, Jax, Evon, D-Bounce, yo Gotti the don Reppin Mtc to Les. "MONTCLAIR" WHAT?



# Louis Martin Rosenheim

Form VI: Varsity Soccer, Tennis, Skiing, Community Service... Cannon House.

Mom and Dad: Well, these past few years haven't been easy. But then, we made it! Or I did. Thanks for standing by me in all my very hard times. God Bless you  
Harris: Well, in four years, you'll be here too. Thanks for being there kid. Love ya.

Lise: You know I once heard that a someone never forgets his mother's voice, even if they are separated at birth. Well, I now know that this is true. I believe God has allowed us to reunite, and I'm sure we'll have many good times in years to come. Remember, keep going one day at a time.

Katie E, Matt A, Jon G, and Usanne Hirsh: Well we've all made it now! And to think four years ago we all thought we'd never make it! Look what all that hard work has gotten us. Thanks for being there for me and I'll see you all soon. Peace, and God Bless. Remember, keep it real, one day at a time.

Megan O'Neil: Hey, I finally did it! Thanks for being there kiddo. Keep in touch.  
Mr. Martin: Thanks for being my advisor and dorm parent. You made me see many things I never would have without you. Thanks.

Father Griffith: Thanks for being my personal mentor and someone to confide in. I'm glad to have shared this year with you. Good luck and God Bless.

Christopher Stein & Tom "Woody" Wood: Well, we weren't always seeing eye to eye, but in the end you always won! If you could just see me now... I made it! I've finally graduated! Thanks for never giving up on me.

Ellen Singer & Crew: Well, life wasn't always easy but we made it through OK. Even though we all parted last summer, I know we all are still "together". You all helped me discover a part of myself I never knew. Thanks for everything and shalom!

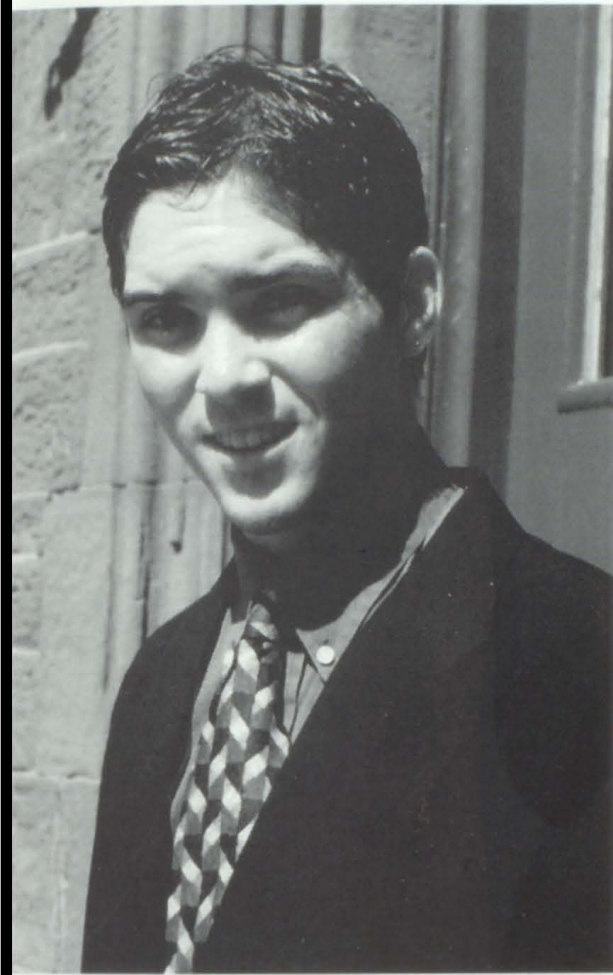
My Family: There are too many of you all to mention so this is for you all.. I Love You!

Lindsay: Hey sis, well another year has ended and its for change again. You know, you helped me find a part of myself I had locked up and hidden away for a long time. God bless you in the future and maybe I will see you at American U.

"You can't always get what you want" Rolling Stone

"A road to a world with no borders, no boundaries, no flags, no countries. Where the heart is the only passport you need" Carlos Santana

"I sought my soul, but my soul eluded me.  
I sought my God, but my God eluded me.  
I sought my brother, and I found all three." Anonymous



# Erika Seitz

Josh- You have given me something no other guy has ever given me. A boyfriend and a best friend. I believe in you, Josh, and if you try you will get what it is you are looking for. Don't forget: Chicago-Navy Pier, and YES I DID win the war. You have given me so much. I Love you. You will always be in my heart! I'll see you at KSC!

Megan- You are the only girl I ever trusted at Hoosac, and that meant so much to me. I will cherish our friendship forever. If it wasn't for SS.....NYC, the apple, "My boyfriends back", our rain day, T.G.I.F.'s, shower baths, grams, our picnic, thank you, for keeping me feminine. Jane- I really can't see you as anything else but my Mom. You have raised me into a young woman. I will cherish all that you have taught me and done for me. Without your support and guidance I don't know where I would be. I LOVE YOU.

Dad- You have been the best father in the world. You have shown me everything I needed to know and now I'm ready for the future. Thank you for everything I love you so much!

Chris- I'm glad we became friends. I have so much respect for you. You are probably one of the only ones who can motivate me to do better than the best for myself. I love you.

Tyler- You always looked out for me and protected me. You've been there when I needed advice. You've always had my back, and I've got yours too. I love you Tyler.

Heidi- Thanks for being there when I needed a girl to talk to. I have always looked up to you and Chris.

John O- I'm not going to write everything down here but, thanks. Our friendship has meant so much to me.

Adam- You have been there for me to talk to. Our friendship has been so crazy, but I've had fun. Remember that you ARE the hen, and you cannot have my cat. You can borrow him though!! Luv Ya!

Kyle- You protected me when I was in trouble. Thanks. My first night in Brooklyn? And my "my moments", the go-cart, my comforter, S.S. Oh yeah Keep it R.E.A.L!!!!!!

Cannon- I was a part of you. We had so much fun together! Don't forget the Rasta Hut, Structure, the nut, 6PC, Aladdin, and....Yellow Crusties???? I AM NOT A COW!!!

McCullough- I enjoyed living with you guys. College will never be the same. You guys made me laugh.

Kenan- The bunnies, "Feed us, to the wild cheetah's", the ritual, Mt. Hoosac, the park, the chick with a —, "Hey Kyle, — you!" Rodeo 7, If you ever take me down a closed trail again.....

TLP- I'm glad we stayed friends... I'm not as I dumb as I look.

Sean- All I have to say is...it could have happened.

Suzanne+Alexis-"us men", excuse me! Ms. Towne's car, you two were my first two friends at Hoosac.

Canadians- I enjoyed our arguments in the Spahns' apartment. Montreal= weak

Paul(aka Tim)- I enjoyed our walks in the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Spahn- You have been the best dorm parents a girl could ask for. Thanks for all the Styrofoam cups.

Ms. Cummings- You've been the best advisor....thanks.

Father Griffith- You've helped me understand myself, and most importantly you believed in me. Thank you.





# Tara Torres Sherry



Mami: Thank you for supporting and loving me. I love you.

Dad: Thank you for all your help. I know you had your doubts, but I made it. I hope I made you proud. I love you.

Naomi: Hey chica! We did it! We graduated! Three years of laughter, tears, dancing bears, and all the crazy adventures we've had (both here and at home.) I couldn't have done it without you. I LOVE YOU, MAN! Keep in touch.

Cristina: My amiga! You can't get scared at night because I won't be here to protect you. Thank you for all the talks and good times. Te amo. Keep in touch. See you in Miami.

Megan: Kevin Norman? Ryan's Pub? Bums singing to us on the train? Need I say more? Take care of you and Cristina next year. I'll see you this summer. Love ya.

Rubin: Hey baby. I think you have a good idea of how I feel. I know you listened. Thank you for all the good times. Take care of yourself and keep your promise to me. I'll see you on the cover of Rolling Stone.

Christine: You made the long days at Hoosac seem a little shorter. Sledding down Pitt covered in snow? Don't forget any of our good times. Love ya, babe!

Eric: Hey paco, turn that frown upside down. I'm gonna miss you. Take care and don't pick on Rubin too much.

Mariano: We graduated! Finally. Good luck with everything.

Alex: You're funny. Have fun.

Idaho: You're a funny boy. Thanks for all your help. (I know I'm not the easiest person to work with.) Take care and keep in touch.

Max: I've known you for quite some time. Take care and don't lock your knees, you might pass out. (j/k!) I'll see you in the city.

Ms. Aspiala and Ms. Mac: Thanks for all your help and insite.

Ms. Cummings: Thanks for everything. I know its been a long and weird road.

Mr. L.: I know you're gonna miss me at your table! You're a very funny man. Thanks for all your help.

Cindy R.: Good luck being Prefect. Just don't pass out!!

Suzanne: Be cool....yadda, yadda, yadda!!! Know what I'm saying? Love ya.

Mara: When you know the "weirdness," call me. Have fun next year.

To everyone else: Its been interesting.....

# Jung Pil Shin

To my parents: I guess this will be the time to wait for you more than you expected from me up to now. And also this will be the time for me standing alone in the real world again. Now I can realize how much you love me and all the hard times you had to overcome to support me. Now I can give you my word, I will be the most proud man in the real world and the most proud son in the family. I love you more than you love me. Thank you.

To Uncle and Aunt (my second parents): Finally I finished the first step of my life. You were just like my parents. Thank you for caring about me and all of your support. My accomplishments are all yours. And I will remember all the hard times as your pleasure for me. I really really love you both with all of my heart. I am sorry and Jin sim e lo kaw sa ham ni da.

Joon: I still don't know whether I can say I made it or not. Over three years in Hoosac was not enough to make me happy when I leave here. But you were always with me when I was alone and I couldn't do anything without you. As you told me a long time ago, I won't forget either that I was one of the Hoosac people and part of our memory of Hoosac. ge li gu, nu mi nu mu kam sa de lim ni da, Sa lang ham ni da hyung.

Ja-Hoon: Hi Mal Hyung. I know this word is just sick to you. But it's the only word I can say, isn't it? This was just too hard for me to wait this way. I really thank you for understanding me and trusting me more than I trust you. I will always be with you as you are always with me. Hoosac forever!!!

Eun Ho: Thank you for all the advice. You are the only my Sun bae, I can get close to with comfort.

Ji Hong: Four years, buddy. Not very short, but not very long. I won't forget the time we stick together. There are too many memories that we can't bring out of this school but I am sure that the rest of them will be in Hoosac forever for us, right? Just don't forget, wherever you go, we are friends. Friendship in Hoosac was so strong as we love each other.

Shin Rhee: Because we know too much about each other, it is just too hard for me to leave you behind. The time we spent together was the biggest precious gift to me in my life. You're now the leader of the Hoosac community. You have to be proud of yourself what you have now and what you have done. Try to stay in right track. Whenever you have a hard time next year, I hope that our memory in Hoosac will keep you in your own way where we always were together before.

Hyung Wook: Yul lak jam Ha ja. Bu tak i da!!! What a long trip we had together, and now this is time to finish it. I want to say thank you for being my great and trustful friend. I never regret my decision that we had talked about the other night, you know what I mean. And sorry I couldn't have much time with you. Passing by the hard times in the last four weeks of school, I really thank you for understanding me and trusting me. Let's keep it real all the time we spent together at Hoosac.

Jae Yoon (Mike): You have to find where you are supposed to be. You have to know what you have to do. As I told you before, you have to be a Jae Yoon who was my real friend, not a Mike the one who I taught before. You have to be aware and have to overcome all the hills which will be in front of you. And I will too. Let's try to be number one to make our dreams come true. Stay in touch and I will see you soon. Dae chi pa!!!!

Ji Yong: (kun Bak-sa) We share a lot of things and could have a short and deepest memory. You were the luckiest guy since you got into Hoosac because we met each other. Be good for yourself and good luck in college. Peace.

Sung Hoon: I hoped that you understood me what I have done to you these three weeks. You have to see where you are now. Make your own life, you know what I mean, right? All my world that I gave to you I want you to keep them in your heart and memory of me and you. Be real man for yourself and remember our beautiful memory which will remain forever.

Sung Ju: Our time in Hoosac was not bad, right? Remember last night what I told you under the tree? I trust that you will make it happen, everything you want, wherever you go. You were one of the Hoosac members and be proud of it. I am really sorry that I couldn't always be there where you want me to be. Be strong and be a real man like you learned from Hoosac. Good luck in the rest of your academic years.

Dong-Jin: You are my Big Dong sang, right? I really do appreciate that you always were with me like a real friend. The time you read this you will not be with me or any of Hoosac members. But wherever you go, show something to other people that you were a Hoosac member and what you got from us. Be successful and you got to know it always will take some time what you want to be. Remember that I really love you and take care of you even with my heart.

Aram Yoon: oppa da. Now you realize how much I loved you and I took care of you. You were the only one who trusted and listened to me. But I couldn't do anything for you. But I want you to remember that all of senior oppa really love you and you're our most sweet memory of Hoosac. I'll always be there for you whenever you need me. Good luck and don't forget that you promised with me and all of oppa who loves you. Keep your lovely smile and I promise that I'll visit you soon. Now I can say to you, "Good Bye." I si te ru

Jin Young (Jina): What a hard time we had, right? But everything I told you was just for you and yourself. This will be the time where you have to realize where you have to be and what you have to do. If you have a hard time next year, remember there was a guy who really loved you as I told you before. I really want to make your dreams come true which you told me last time. Even if I am writing to you, I am really worrying about you. Don't let your own emotion out of your mind too much. This is the only advice I can give you. Stay out of trouble. There is always something that you can not do even if you want to. Have fun next year and I will see you soon. I was always fair!! Trust me.



Han: CRAZY HAN. I am sorry about everything that I've done to you and couldn't take care of you. Act like a man and stop lying. Do not forget me and all of the Hoosac members. I'll see you in Korea.

Jeff: Wassup, buddy. We were much too creative!!! Right? You need to stay out of your best friend. That guy is just too dangerous. You were my best American friend and the only one I can talk with. Have fun and I really hope to see your newspaper someday!!

Curly: Wake up. Our life of Wood Hall was not bad. Too much fun. Let's keep in touch and I want to say thanks to you and Jeff for keeping me insane the last four weeks. Bye Mr. Martin: What am I going to do without you? Thank you for your help and I am sorry about breaking the promise all the time. I won't forget you. Thank you.

Mrs. Klein: My best teacher here at Hoosac I just regret that I couldn't be in your class. I'll see you soon next year.

Mr. Bee: I didn't give you a hard time, did I? Thank you for helping me with college stuff and your movie was the best. Bye

To few special people: I will never forget. My pain and love from you guys was too much for me. All the answers will be there for you guys as I was always with you. I love you with all my heart and will be forever. nu hi del el nu mu na sa lang Hagie, mo du ga him del ut dun si gan, hang sang jo eun chu uk e lo gan jik gil ba la myu! ha

To myself: During four years in Hoosac, I learned the way of loving people and the amount of love given to me which is just too much for me. All of my weaknesses, my anxiety, pain and wickedness from love make me more strong and make me a different person which is my hope as a remembrance of me to all of Hoosac members who I have met. Sorry to all of my lovely people who I gave a hard time and people who had a hard time because of me. Pray for myself and my soul which will be exist for memory of Hoosac and my people who I have loved and will love forever.

# Mathieu Thibault



To my family,  
Thank you for all the sacrifices that you made for me. It's been an honor to be your son. Merci pour tout mille at une fois. Je n'oublierai jamais tous se que vous avez fait pour moi.

Toi colette, la personne qui a ete la plus special de ma vie entiere. Thank you for the love that you give me. Those four years with you were the most amazing time of my life. Merci encore une fois...tu sauras toujours dans mon coeur, quoi qu'il arrive.

Stavros,  
I will miss you man. Remember the night we pinned down Uvira...shaving cream, shampoo. Good luck in hockey, I hope that you will get where you want to go. See you friend....keep in touch.

Brian,  
To my only defense man, I will miss you too. I'll never forget those times with you on the ice. Thank you for being a friend. Keep fighting....

Carlo,  
I'm going to miss you man. I could say that I had a good time playing brisk with you. Don't think you're big, I'm big! Keep beating Idaho.

Joel,  
Adopted Canadian, I will miss you too. Remember the Lavinno night! We took their Christmas tree out in the parking lot!!! Well, good luck in college. Watch out for hachet jack down in Pen.

Jacques,  
My brisk partner, I will miss you too. Thank you for joining the hockey team in the middle of the season. Good luck in your future.

Idaho,  
I will miss you too. Sorry for the FPI nights! Keep fighting in hockey, never give up. Take care of my boys next year.

Coaches,  
Thanks you for the great year, it was an honor to play for you.

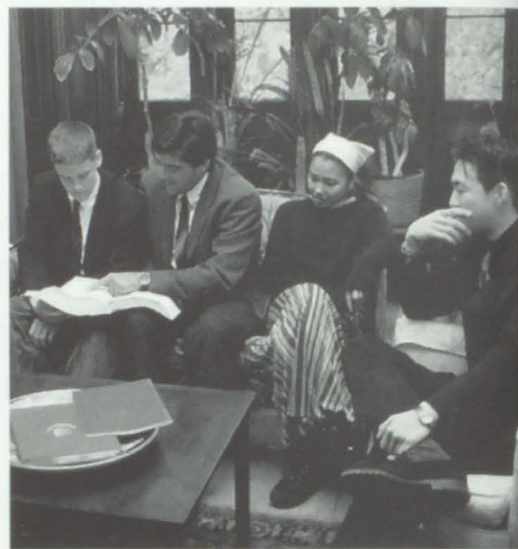
Mr. B,  
Thank you for the great year, it was a pleasure being one of your students.

remember  
\*FPI nights\*  
\*dice games\*  
\*Foster's phone\*  
\*flag\*  
"you show the world body"

To the Canadian cru  
We could say that we had a crazy time together. I will never forget one of you. Thank you for the great year I had. Will meet the six of us again one day.



# SENIORS



# Faculty and Staff



Robert Waller, Organist; Patrick Martin, Dean of Students; Ben Moss, Director of Technology; Richard Lomuscio, Headmaster; Carroll Cummings, English Chair; Chris Spahn, Mathematics; Lisa Macri, English/Algebra; Darcie Spahn, Algebra/Earth Science/History; Bob Burns, Director of Studies; Dean Foster, Director of Admission; Brian Serrell, Art; Marbie Tarburton, Associate Director of Admission; Sherri Klein, Nurse; Mike Ryan, Athletic Director; Richard Bутtenheim, English/History; Tom Cochran, History/Science; Tina Aspiala, English; Glenn Olf, Science. Missing: Debbie Andersson, Librarian; Anita Wilson, Assistant Librarian.



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Maintenance Staff: Dan Dickie, Brenda Brock, Bill Quidgeon.



Kitchen Staff: Claudia Lohnes, Paul Powers, Mary Smith (Head Chef), Alice Taber.

# Asado



Antonians

Christopher Albright, Lindsay Baldomar, Suzanne Bergesen, Dorian Blackshear, David Callahan, Joshua Candee, Alan Cheung, Kyra Climbingbear, Patrick Cole, Jamison Collins, Max Dalglish, Christine Donovan, Luciana DosSantos, Geoff Genet, Seung-Ho Han, Desiray Hicks, Joel Hinton, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Jontia Jones, Hyoung Uk Kim, Ji-Hong Kim, Sung Joo Kim, Matt LaPorte, Tom LaPorte, Alexander Laskovski, Jae Yoon(Mike) Lee, Bob Newell, Darryl Perez, Paul Ponomarenko, Cristina Rank, Shin Hyung Rhee, Louis Rosenheim, Matt Rubin, Brandon Rush, Justin Schuster, Erika Seitz, Jung-Pil Shin, Travis Smith, Mara Stangl, Morgan Timmons, Nicole White, Hsiang-Ying Wu, David Yarinsky, A-Ram Yoon.

# Asado



Graftonians

Darryl Adams, Mansoor Al-Hajri, Tristan Burns, Brian Cafua, Sung Hoon Chung, Asa Clark, John Cocklin, Konrad Crist, Cynthia Cruz, Yuti Dalal, Mariano De Mello, Christopher Dilk, Naomi Edwards, Joel Fernandes, Kyle Grant, Matthew Harp, John Harrington, Kenan Hassan, Eric Hernandez, Aaron Houran, Tiffany John, Ji-Yong Kim, David King, Kelvin Ko, Dong-Jin Lim, Megan McBride, Brendan McCarthy, Stavros Mitchell, Sujata Osborne, Yusuke Otsuka, Jacques Pare, Jin-Young Park, Sean Pearson, Giancarlo Pisanelli, Naomi Raab, Cindy Radcliffe, Pascal Roche, Ron Rogers, Megan Sheppard, Tara Sherry, Jordan Sofro, Ian Stokes, Lea Taubinger, Mathieu Thibault, John Uvira, Brian Walcott, Kiely Yonce.

# Boar's Head and Yule Log





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# BEST OF 2000...

## *Best Looking*



Naomi Raab  
Josh Candee

## *Cutest Smile*



Naomi Edwards  
Josh Candee

## *Best Dressed*



Naomi Raab  
Ji-Hong Kim

## *Most Outgoing*



Tara Sherry  
Ron Rogers

## *Best Sense of Humor*



Suzanne Bergesen  
Mathieu Thibault

## *Class Flirts*



Tom LaPorte - Erika  
Seitz - Jacques Pare

## *Most Athletic*



Cindy Radcliffe  
Darryl Adams

## *Most Likely to Succeed*



Yuti Dalal  
Joel Hinton

## *Most Unique*



Matt Harp  
Mara Stangl

## *Friendliest*



Brian Cafua  
Cindy Radcliffe

## *Odd Couple*



Matt Rubin  
Tara Sherry

## *Loudest*



Cindy Cruz  
Ron Rogers

## *Most Likely to Change the World*



Yuti Dalal  
Chris Albright



Lindsay Baldomar  
Chris Albright

## *Most Likely to Come Back to Hoosac to Teach*

# THE CLASSES...



## FORM II

*Kenan Hassan, Naomi Edwards, David King, David Yarinski. Missing: Seung-Ho Han, Christopher Albright, Jin-Young Park.*

## FORM III

*Kiely Yonce, Matt LaPorte, Kelvin Ko, Brian Cafua, Jordan Sofro, Alan Cheung, John Uvira, Travis Smith. Missing: A-Ram Yoon, Dong-Jin Lim.*



## FORM IV

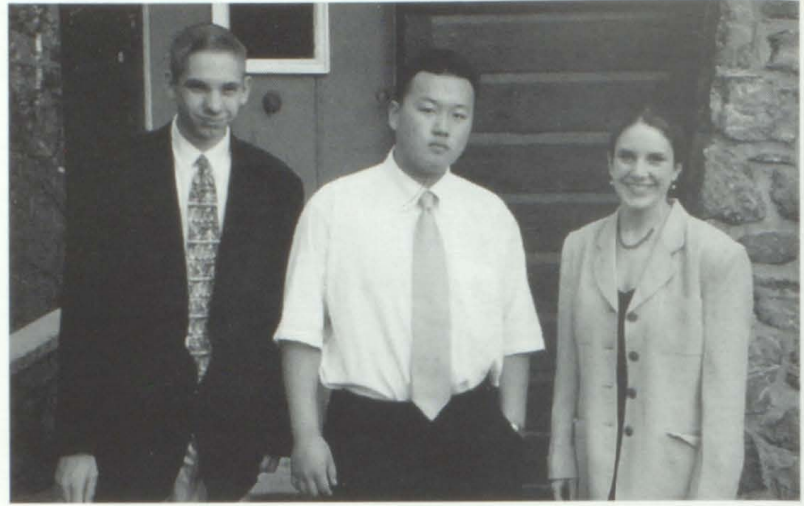
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## FORM V

*Bob Newell, Megan Sheppard, Max Dalglish, Mara Stangl, Asa Clark, Kyra Climbingbear, Tristan Burns, Matt Rubin, Kyle Grant, Shin Hyung Rhee, Geoffrey Genet, Eric Hernandez, K.C. Crist, Stavros Mitchell, Ji-Yong Kim, Carlo Pisanelli, Sung Hoon Chung, Tom LaPorte, Tiffany John, Yuti Dalal, Paul Ponomarenko, Sujata Osborne. Missing: John Harrington, Aaron Houran, Jacques Pare, Brandon Rush, Desiray Hicks, Jontia Jones, Megan McBride.*



# Dorms



Lewisohn: John Harrington, Dong-Jin Lim, Ms. Meadors.



Pitt Mason: Top: Christopher Dilk, Sean Pearson, Kyle Grant, Brendan McCarthy, Pascal Roche, Jamison Collins. Bottom: John Cocklin, Yusuke Otsuka, K.C. Crist, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Foster, Hyoung Uk Kim, Ji Yong Kim. 2nd row: Giancarlo Pisanelli, Stavros Mitchell, Ian Stokes, (far left) Max Dalglish. 3rd row: Jordan Sofro, Brian Cafua, Darryl Perez, Brian Walcott, Kenan Hassan. Missing: Jacques Pare, Mathieu Thibault, Sung Hoon Chung, Dorian Blackshear, John Uvira, David King, Joel Hinton.



Dudley Cottage: Lea Taubinger, Kyra Climbingbear, Cynthia Radcliffe, Ms. Cummings.



McCullough: Mr. Spahn, Mrs. Spahn and T.J., Erika Seitz, Megan McBride, Lindsay Baldomar, Yuti Dalal, Naomi Edwards. Missing: Jin Young Park, A-Ram Yoon.



Day Students: Tristan Burns, Sujata Osborne, Kiely Yonce, Matt LaPorte, Desiray Hicks, Tom LaPorte, Asa Clark, Aaron Houran.



Lavino: Evelyn Moss, Mrs. Moss, Mariano De Mello, Ron Rogers, Alexander Laskovski, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Rachael Moss, Jacob Moss, Mr. Moss, Eric Hernandez, Mike Lee, Patrick Cole, Darryl Adams, Joel Fernandes.



Whitcomb: Alan Cheung, Mr. Serrell, Matt Rubin, Sung Joo Kim, David Yarinsky.



Wood Hall: Paul Ponomarenko, Mark Wainer, Kelvin Ko, Chris Albright, Seung-Ho Han, Mr. Buttenheim, Geoff Genet, Brandon Rush. Missing: Ji-Hong Kim, Jung-Pil Shin, Shin Rhee.



Tibbits: First Row: Mara Stangl, Suzanne Bergesen, Ms. Macri. Second Row: Christine Donovan, Jontia Jones, Megan Sheppard, Cindy Cruz, Nicole White, Luciana DosSantos. Back Row: Ms. Aspiala, Tara Sherry, Cristina Rank, Naomi Raab, Tiffany John.



Cannon House: Mr. Martin, Josh Candee, Morgan Timmons, Bob Newell, Mansoor Al-Hajri. Missing: Louis Rosenheim and David Callahan.

# CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES



## PROCTORS

Standing: Josh Candee, Erika Seitz, Sean Pearson. Sitting: Justin Schuster, Nicole White, Tiffany John, Darryl Perez, Lea Taubinger.



## PREFECTS

Shin Hyung Rhee, Alex Laskovski, Jamison Collins, Jung-Pil Shin, Tara Sherry.



## BIG BROTHERS AND SISTERS

Jontia Jones, Lea Taubinger, Pascal Roche, Kyra Climbingbear, Tom LaPorte, Sean Pearson.

## NEWSPAPER

Ms. Aspiala, Lindsay Baldomar, Chris Albright, Jontia Jones, Jordan Sofro, Tai Nelson, Tara Sherry, Mara Stangl, Hsiang Ying Wu, Nicole White, Tiffany John.



## MOSAIC

Lindsay Baldomar, Max Dalglish, Naomi Raab, Alex Laskovski, Ron Rogers, Ying Wu, David Yarinski, Ms. Aspiala.



## YEARBOOK

Front: Tiffany John, Cindy Radcliffe, Yuti Dalal. Back: Mrs. Tarburton, Megan Sheppard, Christine Donovan, Tara Sherry, Lea Taubinger, Jontia Jones, Kyra Climbingbear, Jacques Pare, Tristan Burns.



## CHORUS

Mr. Marking, Ms. Aspiala, Ying Wu, Jontia Jones, Kyra Climbingbear, Matt Harp, Megan McBride. Missing: Lindsay Baldomar, Tom LaPorte.



## ASTRONOMY

Lea Taubinger, Christine Donovan, Kyra Climbingbear, Tara Sherry, Darryl Adams, Megan Sheppard, Mr. Moss, Mike Lee, David Yarinski, Eric Hernandez, Naomi Raab, Ying Wu.

## DRAMA

Tiffany John, Jontia Jones, Tara Sherry, Kyra Climbingbear, Jordan Sofro, Megan Sheppard, Ms. Meadors.



## MOCK TRIAL

Mara Stangl, Jontia Jones, Brian Walcott, Pascal Roche, Nicole White, Megan McBride, Dorian Blackshear, Yuti Dalal, Ron Rogers, Cindy Radcliffe, Luciana DosSantos, Megan Sheppard. Missing: Ms. Macri.

# FALL SPORTS



## BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER

Kneeling: Ji-Hong Kim, Benjamin Stevens, Mansoor Al-Hajri, Brian Cafua, Stavros Mitchell, Andrew Poag, Brian Walcott. Standing: Kyle Grant, Joel Hinton, Patrick Cole, Tom LaPorte, Darryl Perez, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Asa Clark, Aaron Houran, Mr. Spahn.



## BOYS FRESHMAN SOCCER

Kneeling: Seung-Ho Han, Charles Johnson, Jordan Sofro, Travis Smith, John Uvira, Matt LaPorte. Back: Mr. Moss, Kiely Yonce, Tristan Burns, Max Dalglish, Bob Newell, Tai Nelson, Kelvin Ko.



## BOYS VARSITY SOCCER

Kneeling: Rory Parnell, Dorian Blackshear, Mathieu Thibault, Shin Rhee, Ying Wu, Alex Manos. Standing: Mr. Ryan, Sung Hoon Chung, Asa Clark, Brendan McCarthy, Yoichi Ikegami, Pascal Roche, Mariano Demello, Darryl Adams, Ron Rogers, Alexander Laszkovski, Joel Fernandes, Joshua Candee, Hyoung Uk Kim, Mr. Thompson, Jung-Pil Shin.

## GIRLS SOCCER

Kneeling: Sujata Osborne, Lea Taubinger, Kyra Climbingbear, Lindsay Baldomar, Naomi Edwards. Cristina Rank, Tara Sherry, Cindy Radcliffe, Mara Stangl, Nicole White, Cynthia Cruz, Jontia Jones, Megan Sheppard, Desiray Hicks, Ms. Aspiala.



## GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Standing: Ms. Cummings, Megan McBride, Robin Therriault, Tiffany John, Luciana DosSantos, Jeanine Brown, Zipporah Shorts. Kneeling: Yuti Dalal, Erika Seitz, Suzanne Bergesen, Naomi Raab.

# Winter Sports



## VARSITY HOCKEY

Front Row: Joel Hinton, Mathieu Thibault, Brian Cafua, Stavros Mitchell. Back Row: Coach Dean Foster, Bob Newell, Jacques Pare, Carlo Pisanelli, Jordan Sofro, Coach Chris Spahn.



## J.V. BASKETBALL

Front Row: Seung-Ho Han, Brian Walcott, Charles Johnson, Kelvin Ko. Back Row: Alan Cheung, Dong-Jin Lim, Sung Joo Kim, Kiely Yonce, Darryl Perez, Pascal Roche, Tai Nelson, Coach Ross Thompson.



## LIFEGUARDS

Front Row: Alexander Laskovski, S.H. Chung, H.U. Kim, Megan McBride, Mariano De Mello, and Instructor.



## VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front Row: Matt Rubin, Ying Wu, Shin Rhee. Back Row: Dorian Blackshear, Ron Rogers, Max Dalglish, Coach Mike Ryan. Missing: Darryl Adams.



## GIRLS BASKETBALL

Front Row: Yuti Dalal, Lindsay Baldomar. Middle Row: Naomi Edwards, Jontia Jones, Cindy Radcliffe, Nicole White, Coach Ms. Macri. Back Row: Suzanne Bergeson, Cynthia Cruz, Tiffany John, Megan Sheppard, Lea Taubinger.



## SKIING & SNOWBOARDING

Front Row: Ms. Aspiala, K.C. Crist, Erika Seitz, Mark Monson, Kenan Hassan, Louis Rosenheim, Christopher Albright. Back Row: Joel Fernandes, Paul Ponomarenko, Asa Clark, Matt LaPorte, Aaron Houran, John Harrington, Mr. Serrell. Missing: Megan McBride, Tom LaPorte, Josh Candee, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Kyle Grant, Geoff Genet, Jamison Collins, Christine Donovan, Brendan McCarthy, Hyoung-Uk Kim, Tiffany John.



# Spring Sports



## LACROSSE

Kyra Climbingbear, Jamison Collins, Ian Stokes, Shin Rhee, Ying Wu, Brendan McCarthy, Mariano De Mello, Ron Rogers, Pascal Roche, Matt Harp, Jacques Pare', Brian Walcott, Josh Candee, Bob Newell, Matt Rubin, Mr. Ryan.



## SOFTBALL

Top to bottom: Megan Sheppard, Lea Taubinger, Tara Sherry, Mr. Moss, Lindsay Baldomar, Naomi Edwards, Yuti Dalal, Luciana DosSantos, Cindy Cruz, Cindy Radcliffe, and Jontia Jones.



## SOCCER

Top to bottom: Suji Osborne, Mr. Thompson, Paul Ponomarenko, Matt LaPorte, Dorian Blackshear, Charles Johnson, Stavros Mitchell, Ji-Yong Kim, Travis Smith, Kiely Yonce, Brian Cafua, Jordan Sofro, Mathieu Thibault, Carlo Pisanelli, Joel Fernandes, Patrick Cole.



## GOLF

Ms. Cummings, Mark Wainer, John Uvira, Kenan Hassan, John Harrington, John Cocklin, Tai Nelson, Brandon Rush, Morgan Timmons, Alex Laskovski, Eric Hernandez, Mike Lee.



## TENNIS

Front Row: Seung-Ho Han, Kelvin Ko, Mathieu Thibault, Louis Rosenheim, Christine Donovan. Back Row: Erika Seitz, Alan Cheung, Yusuke Otsuka, Sung Joo Kim, Hyoungh Uk Kim, David King, Chris Dilk, A-Ram Yoon, Jung-Pil Shin, K.C. Crist, Dong-Jin Lim, David Callahan, Mrs. Spahn.



## YEOMAN

Tom LaPorte, Mansoor Al-Hajri, Max Dalglish, Justin Schuster, Chris Albright, Kyle Grant, Mr. Cochran, Suji Osborne, Sean Pearson, Brian Jackson-Prophete, Geoff Genet. Missing: Suzanne Bergesen.

# Prize Day and Commencement



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ONE-HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH  
**PRIZE DAY EXERCISES**  
 JUNE 3, 2000



**BOOK AWARDS**

**ENGLISH**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... UPPER LEVEL - JOEL J. HINTON  
 ... LOWER LEVEL - CYNTHIA RADCLIFFE

**ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE**

Awarded to that Vth Form English as a Second Language student who has most improved his or her English while at Hoosac School  
 ... SHIN HYUNG RHEE

**HISTORY**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... UPPER LEVEL - TRISTAN ROGER BURNS  
 LOWER LEVEL - JORDAN SOFRO

**MATHEMATICS**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... UPPER LEVEL - PATRICK ARIC COLE  
 ... LOWER LEVEL - S. KIELY YONCE

**SCIENCE**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... EARTH SCIENCE - KELVIN KO  
 ... PHYSICS - PATRICK COLE  
 ... CHEMISTRY - TRISTAN ROGER BURNS  
 ... BIOLOGY - YUTI DALAL

**LANGUAGE**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 In French... LINDSAY BALDOMAR

**ETHICS**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... ERIKA MARY SEITZ

**ART**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... JI-HONG KIM

**MUSIC**

For individual achievement  
 ... HSIANG-YING WU

**COMPUTER**

For individual achievement  
 ... PATRICK ARIC COLE

**HEALTH**

For outstanding performance and sustained excellence  
 ... SUNG HOON CHUNG

**THE XEROX AWARD**

Awarded to that member of the Vth Form who has excelled in Humanities and Social Service.  
 ... YUTI DALAL

**THE WILLIAMS COLLEGE BOOK AWARD**

The Williams College Book Award is given to a member of the Vth Form in the top five percent of his or her class who has demonstrated intellectual leadership and has made a significant contribution to the extracurricular life of the school. This award will be presented by Williams College alumnus, Richard Buttenheim.  
 ... YUTI DALAL

**THE PRESIDENT'S EDUCATION AWARDS**

Awarded by the President of the United States in conjunction with the Department of Education in recognition of students who have maintained the highest academic honors for the entire year. The President's Educational Awards Program recipients for the year 2000 are:

S. KIELY YONCE    JORDAN SOFRO    JI-HONG KIM    JOEL J. HINTON  
 YUTI DALAL    PATRICK ARIC COLE    TRISTAN ROGER BURNS



# Prize Day and Commencement



## CUPS

THE ACCOMPLISHMENT CUP, presented by the parents of Gregory C. Banks of the Class of 1992 to a member of the Sixth Form, selected by the Headmaster, who has met challenges at Hoosac with grace and style.  
JOEL J. HINTON

THE FACULTY CUP, presented by the 1957-1958 Faculty. . . Awarded to the student who has shown the greatest scholastic improvement during the current academic year.  
THOMAS JESSE LAPORTE

WOTKYNS AWARDS Prizes to the top scholars in each Form were established by bequest in the will of the late Dana B. Wotkyns of the class of 1919. The Wotkyns scholars are:

FORM I: NAOMI EDWARDS V: YUTI DALAL  
FORM III: JORDAN SOFRO VI: PATRICK ARIC COLE FORM IV: NICOLE WHITE

THE DUDLEY CUP, Along with an Engraved Brick is awarded to the top scholar throughout the school.  
YUTI DALAL

THE HENRY H. DICKIE AWARD, presented by the 1968-1969 Faculty in honor of their senior colleague, to the Athletic Team with the highest scholastic average:  
J.V. SOCCER - Accepting the Award for the Team: (CAPTAIN) THOMAS JESSE LAPORTE

THE DEUS REGIT AWARD, awarded for a significant contribution to the life of the School Chapel and an appreciation of the beautiful and good:  
LOUIS MARTIN ROSENHEIM

THE ROBERTS CUP, presented by Col. and Mrs. Roberts, 1926 - Awarded to the student who throughout the year maintains the highest degree of neatness in personal appearance and dormitory room. . . by vote of the Dormitory Masters.  
JOEL J. HINTON

THE COMMUNITY SERVICE CUP, presented by the parents of John Puppolo III '88 to that member of the senior class, who in the opinion of the Headmaster, has shown the greatest growth and progress at Hoosac, both as a student and as an all-around constructive member of the School community, overcoming obstacles with spirit and heart as an example to all.  
TARA MARIE SHERRY-TORRES

WILLIAM REIFSNYDER AWARD - Vice Rector of the School 1963-1966. Awarded to the student who has maintained good qualities of standard written English in school work.  
PATRICK ERIC COLE

THE GUILFORD CUP (Antonian - Graftonian) Presented by the Rector (Dr. Tibbits) 1905. Awarded to the Club which wins academic and team competition for the year.  
GRAFTONIANS - (TEAM CAPTAIN) TARA MARIE SHERRY-TORRES

THE BARRY CUP, presented by the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenneth Barry in 1959. Awarded for outstanding contribution to dramatic production:  
For stage craft: TRISTAN ROGER BURNS  
For acting: MEGAN MCBRIDE

THE CANTERBURY CUP, presented by the late Frank Charles Butcher, long-time Director of the Boar's Head and Yule Log and member of the Faculty, in 1921. Awarded for faithful and contributing work to the music of the School.  
HSLANG-YING WU

THE TIBBITS CUP, presented by William B.J. Tibbits, Sr. in 1984. Awarded to that member of the IIIrd Form who throughout the year has displayed qualities of good citizenship to school and country.  
JORDAN SOFRO

THE GENERAL INFORMATION CUP, presented first in 1914. Awarded on the basis of an examination on general knowledge in both scholastic and world affairs.  
JONTIA JONES

THE OWL CUP, Given by the "OWL" Board of 1907-'08. Awarded to the individuals who have made the greatest contribution to School publications:  
JORDAN SOFRO

THE OPPORTUNITY CUP, presented by the late Mrs. Margaret Sibley, in 1929. Awarded to the student whom the faculty feels has made the greatest use of the intellectual and spiritual opportunities offered by Hoosac School for development both in academic work and personal growth.  
ERIKA MARY SEITZ

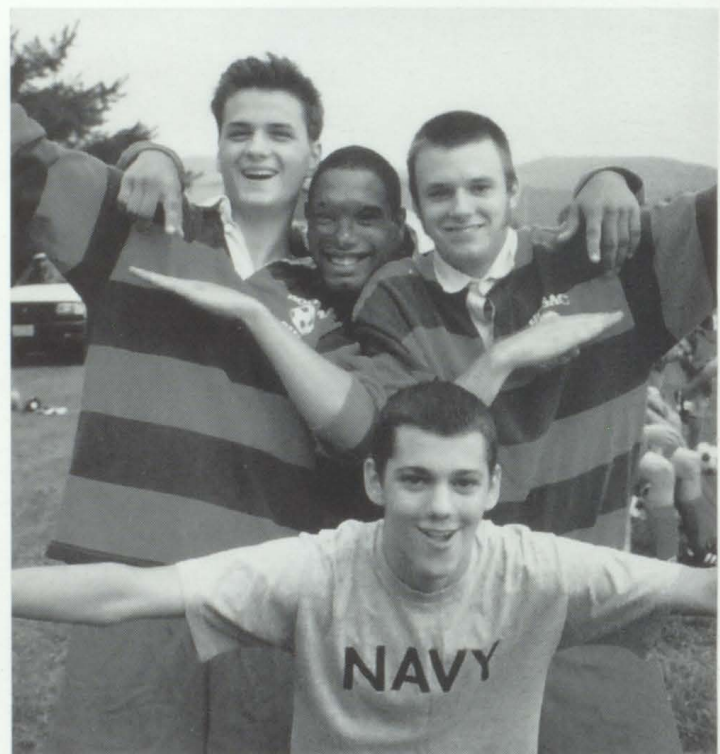
THE ARISTA CUP, presented by the Prefects of the year, 1922-1923, Messers. Bard, Bulkley, Howell, Laughlin and Sears. Awarded to that member of the student body who in daily life is felt to have exemplified the characteristics of a lady or gentleman in relations with the School community.  
LEA TAUBINGER

THE E. GEORGE LAVINO AWARD, presented by the Board of Trustees in 1968 in gratitude to Mr. Lavino for his leadership of the Board for eleven years. Awarded to the member of the Vth Form whom the Faculty feel has done the most for the School:  
SHIN HYUNG RHEE

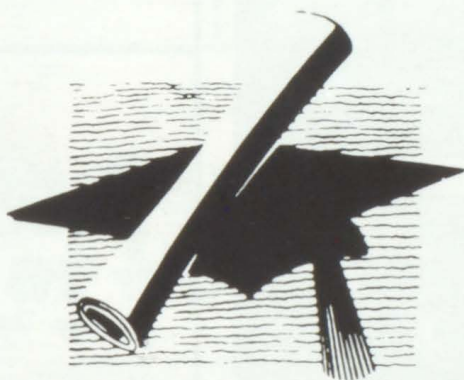
THE SAINT JAMES AWARD, instituted by the Reverend Clinton H. Blake in 1964. An award of \$100 given to that student who in the judgement of the Headmaster has demonstrated an unselfish capacity for hard work in the Work Program of the School and who by that work has added to the steadfastness and purpose of the School life.  
HYOUNG-UK KIM

THE RECTOR'S PITCHER, presented first in 1990 by Rector Donn Wright to the student who, in the opinion of the headmaster, has done the most for the School.  
TARA MARIE SHERRY-TORRES

THE HEADMASTER'S CUP, presented by the Headmaster (Roger G. Cooley) in 1958. Awarded to a member of the student body who, in the opinion of the Headmaster, has demonstrated an honest, conscientious and cheerful character in daily relationships and has ever been ready to serve the common good.  
JAMISON ROSS COLLINS

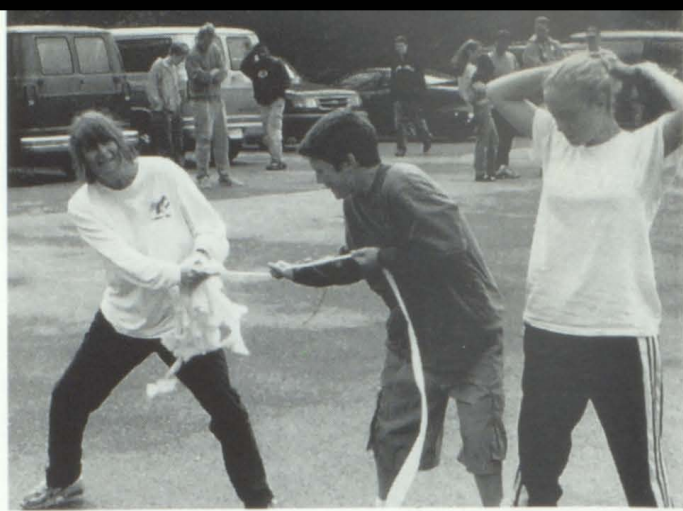


Congratulations  
to the Class of  
2000



The Sofro  
Family





Best Wishes to  
the class of  
2000!  
from the Rush  
Family

JOEL,

*Whose name means "God is willing" but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. (Isiah 40:31)*

*Joel, I am so grateful to the Lord for giving you to me to raise and to Love. The Lord knows you. The Lord is familiar with all your ways. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; too lofty for me to attain.*

*(Psalm 139: 1-6)*

*Joel, Take heart for you have been grounded in love and faith. For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)*

Dear Mariano,  
Congratulations! That  
calls for a celebration!  
From Helena, Ricardo,  
Manuela, Rafaela,  
Marcelo, Juliano, Barnie,  
and Nikita.

**You are my sweet and  
loving son, Joel.  
I Love You,  
MOM**



**CONGRATULATIONS TO  
THE CLASS OF 2000!**

**ALEX, YOU  
ARE OUR  
STAR. KEEP  
SHINING.**



*Love,  
Mom, Kevin, Matt, Kristina, Chris,  
Nick, Winnie, Chili, Duke, Dad,  
Blaine, Hadley, Norma, Vidal &  
Sasha.*

**Vivian and Bruno  
Lederer,  
Parents of Joel  
Fernandes,  
Extend their best  
wishes for a bright  
future to the  
awesome Millenium  
Class of 2000.**

***For Sean Pearson and his  
friends at Hoosac.....***

Times were tough, but the memories  
remain.

Situations rough but we overcame.  
Side by side, one for all, together we grew.  
Cause when it's said and done, I'll look  
back  
On friends like you.

(DKM)





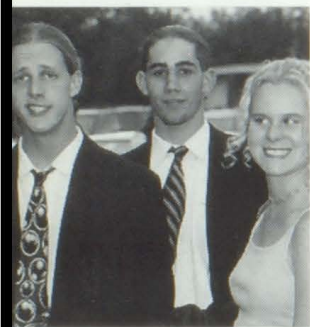
*Congratulations  
To All The Hoosac  
Students!*

*The LaPortes & The Ice  
Kreme Kafe*



Bob,  
Congratulations on a great year at  
Hoosac.

Love,  
Mom, Cristina, Nana Bert &  
Linus



**Congratulations  
To The Class of  
2000**

**John & Fran  
Rosenheim**

Congratulations to  
Students, Faculty, &  
Staff of Hoosac School

The Ainslies



**"KENAN"**

Great Job !!  
Proud to be  
your parents.

Mom & Dad



*Another day,  
another diploma!  
Congratulations,  
Josh*

Love, Mom, Dad,  
Adam & Liz



*Congratulations  
to the graduates  
of 2000!*

*Yealeane Perez*

*Congratulations  
Brian,*

*We always knew you  
could do it. We love  
you, we are very  
proud of you. Always  
"Shoot for the stars".  
May God bless you  
always.*

*Love, Mom, Dad,  
George, Dionne, and  
the whole family*

**CONGRATULATIONS!!  
To All the Students at  
Hoosac.**

**The Genets**





