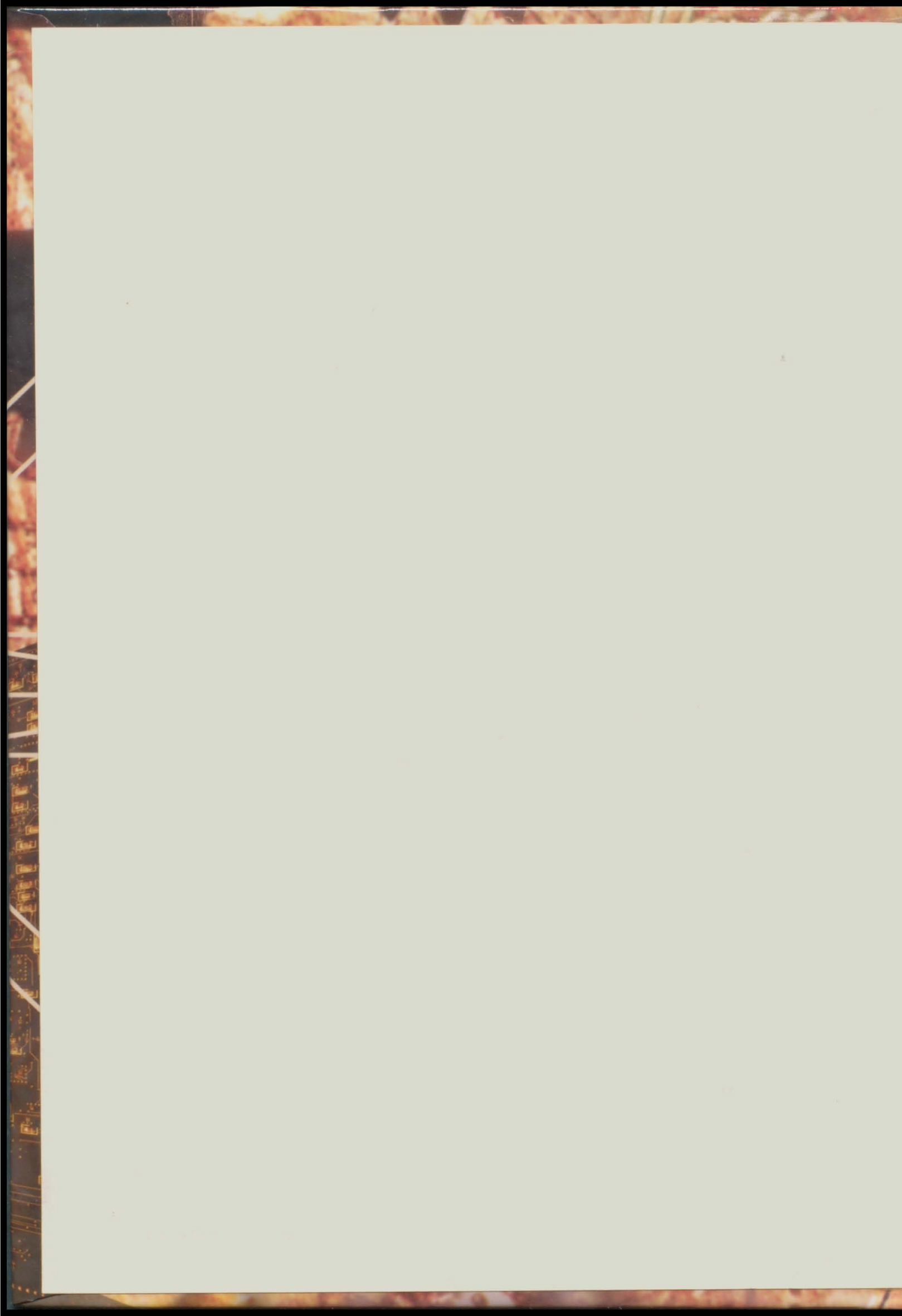
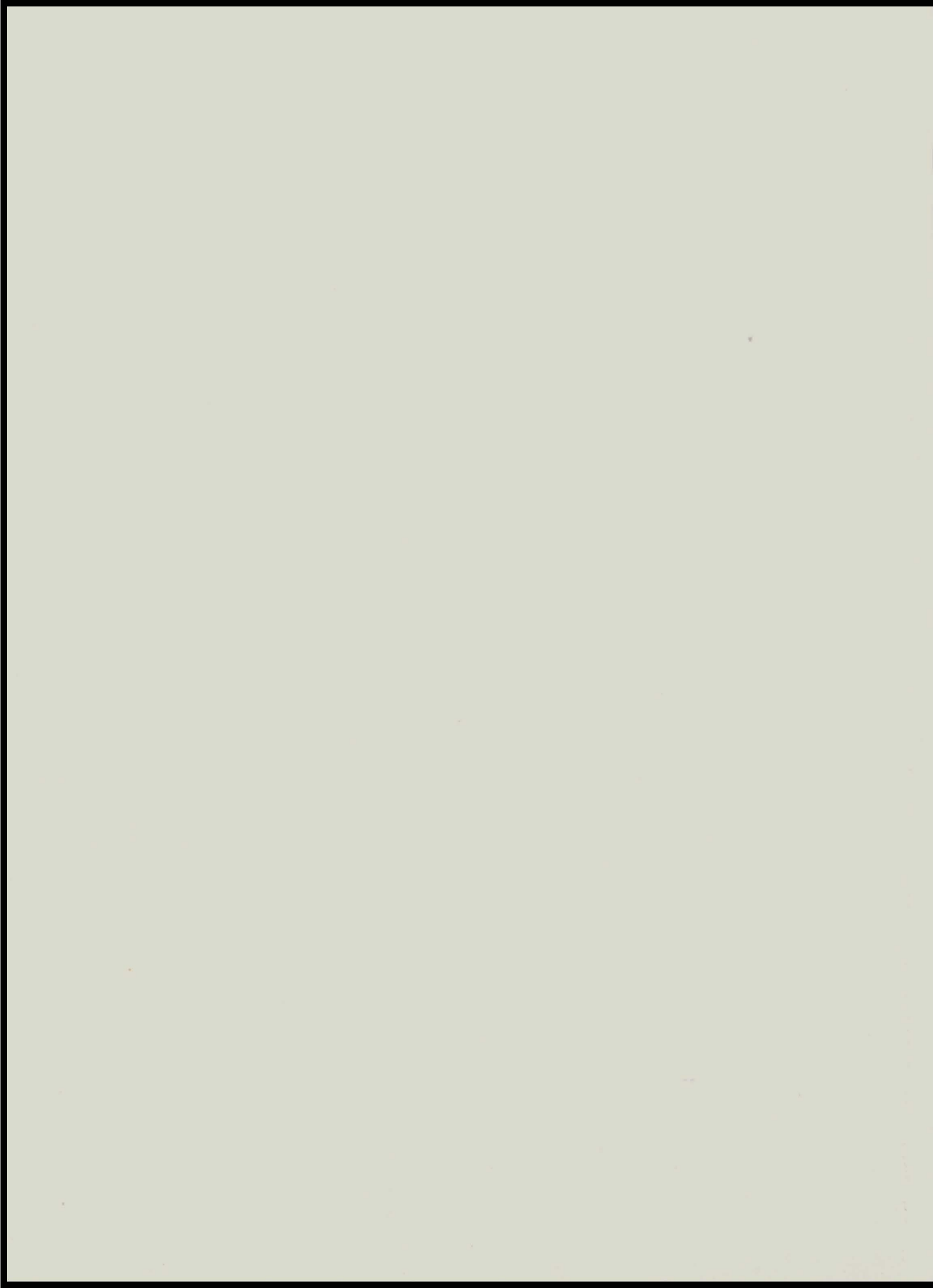


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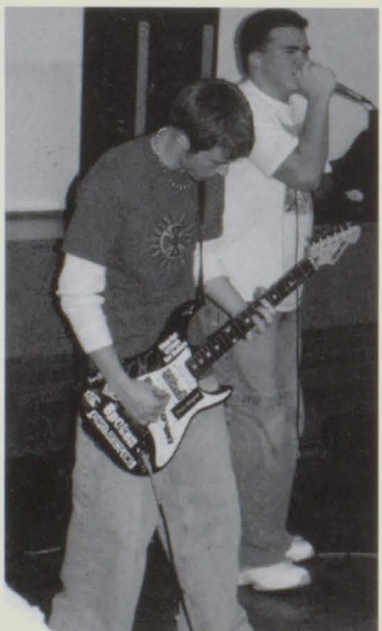
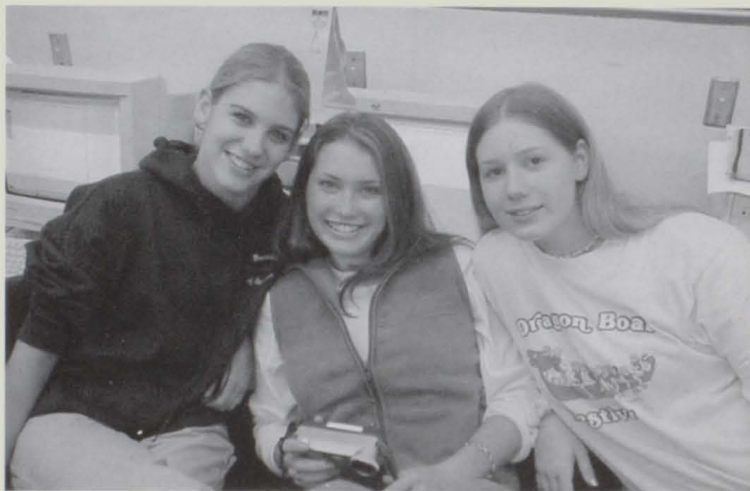
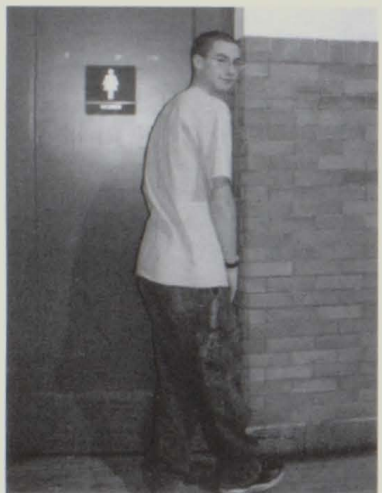
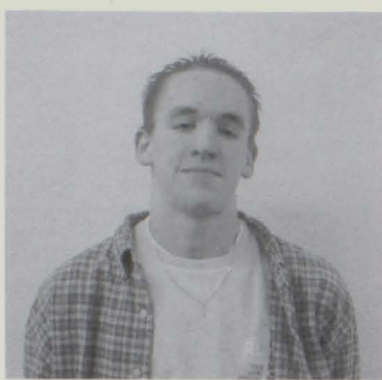
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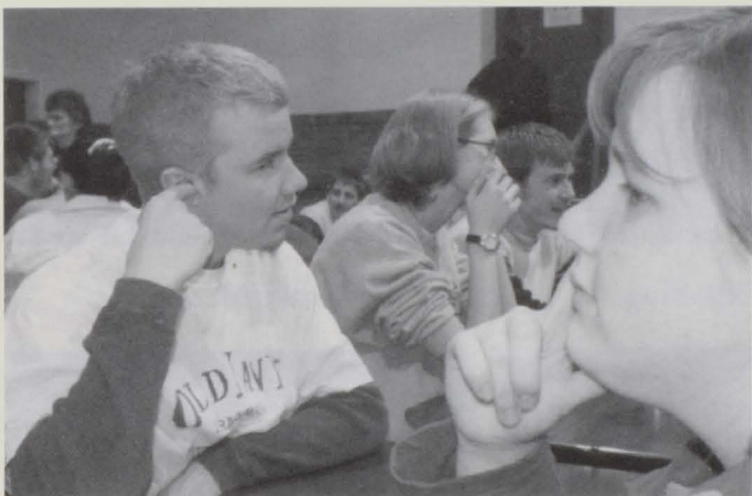
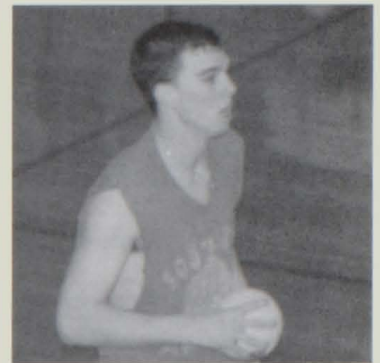
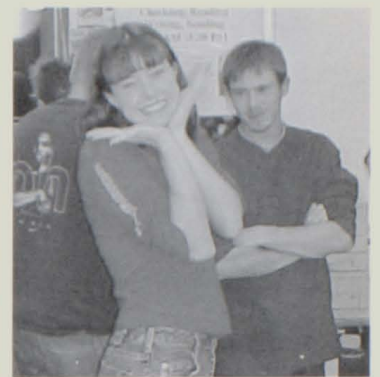


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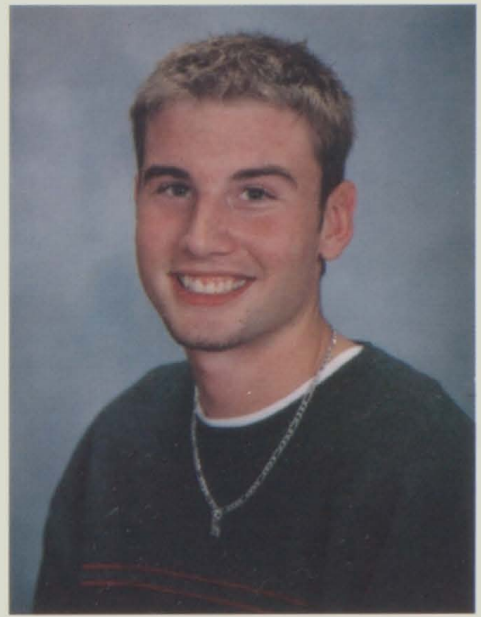
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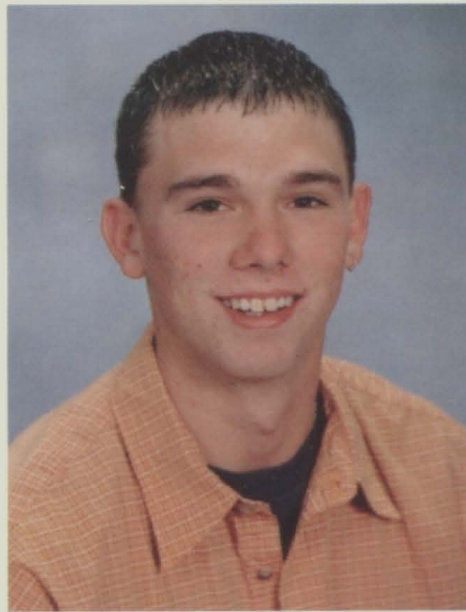
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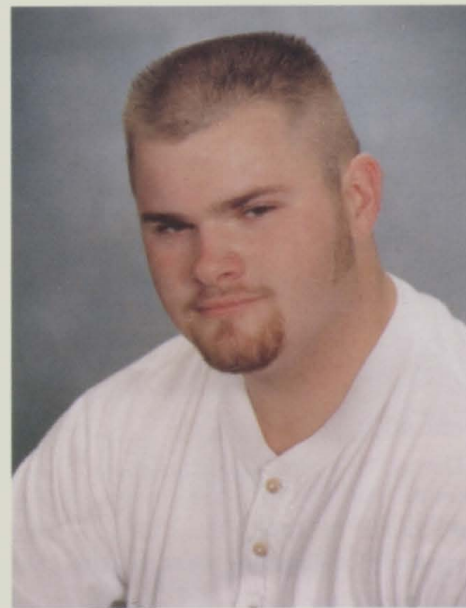
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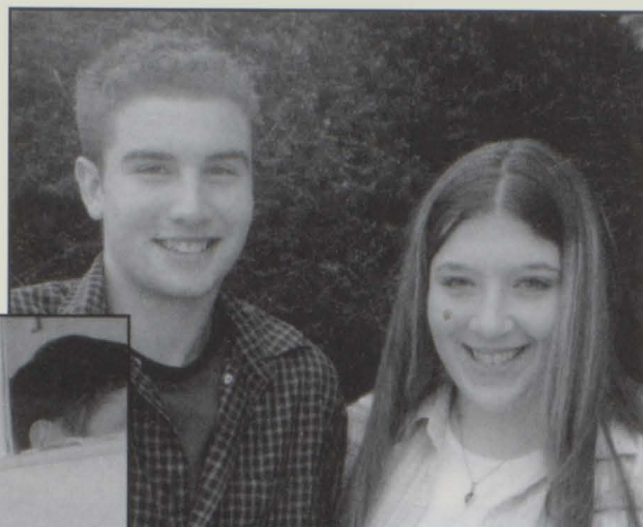
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senior *favorites*

Best Eyes

Travis Smith: "Everybody looks, but few see."

Jean Kane: "Don't blink too long, or you might miss something."



Best Toothpaste Smile

Adam Mayer: "My smile is worth two-thousand dollars."

Taryn Gullberg: "My smile is free!" :)



Most Likely to
Dunk without Jumping
Danny Norris: "Jump Shot Boogie!"



Best Dressed

Chris Doran: "It's hard lookin this good!"

Rachel Schrock: "I'd like to thank all the wonderful clothing stores for supplying me with all my clothes."



Class Clowns

Eric Scott: "If it wasn't for us smart-alecks, then you dumb people wouldn't know what to do."

Jessie Walter: "Be an individual, just like everybody else."

Most Athletic

Seth Stull: "Winners make sacrifices, losers make excuses."

Hallie Morrison: "Offense sells tickets. Defense wins games."

Most Likely to become Famous

Jeff Peterson: "If you get a nickle, lay your money down."

Jessie Pogue: "See you at the premier."



Most Accident-prone

Andrew Zurmuehlen: "Riding shotgun is not all it's cracked up to be"

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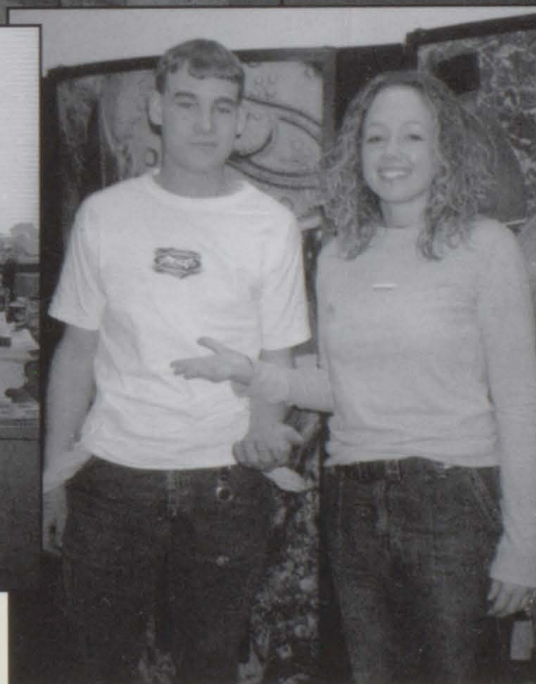
Jennifer Waterman: "Drive safely."



Most Likely to Succeed

Dan Stribling: "Work hard, make money, get famous."

Kerri Waddell: "No matter what happens in life, at least everyone in high school thought I would succeed!"



Biggest Mooch

Bethany Schrock: "I didn't even win this category-Taryn did. But I can believe you guys voted me second!"

Ben Hicks: "Anybody got a dollar?"



Andrew Zurmuehlen



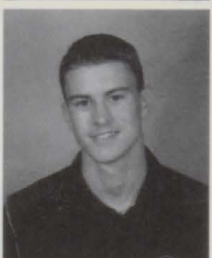
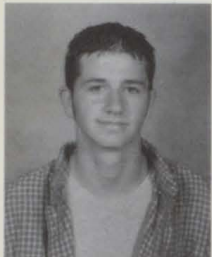
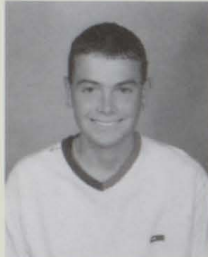


...It's Rebel Spirit!

Throughout the 2000-2001 school year, Southern's student section expanded to a more vibrant, colorful, and energetic group than we have seen in years past--- and it proves to make a difference! With all teams bringing in winning seasons, the support for our athletic program has done nothing but grow. Keep up the tradition and show some spirit! GO SHS!



Juniors



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Richard Annegers
Jess Bond
Sarah Brokaw

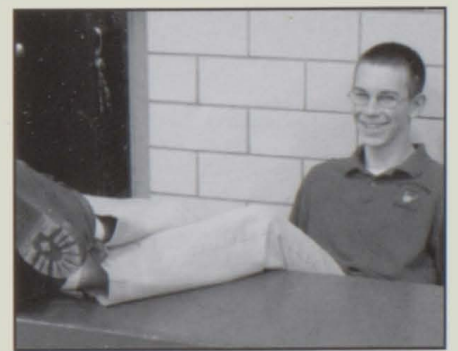
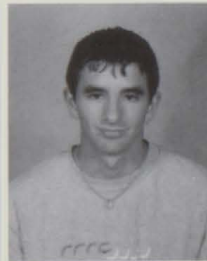
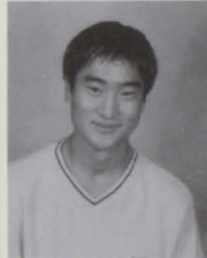
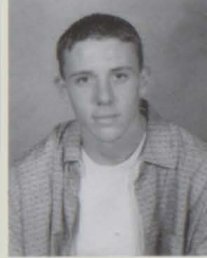
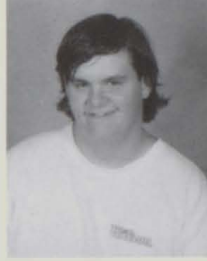
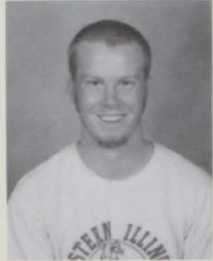
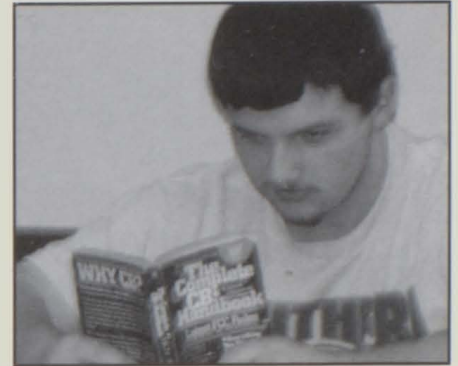
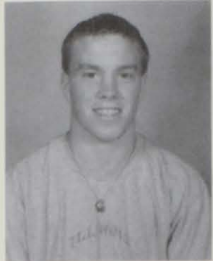
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Clayton Grafton
Tony Holon
Steve Isaacson
Jennifer Jarvis
Ryan Keever

Class of 2002



Chris Lenahan
Mike Lenahan
Aaron Magee
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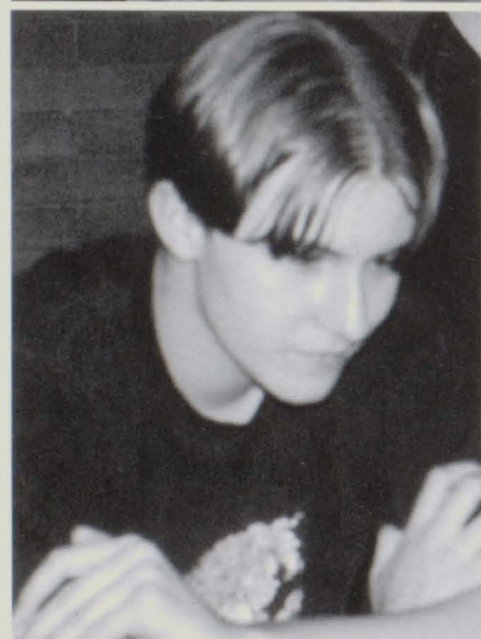
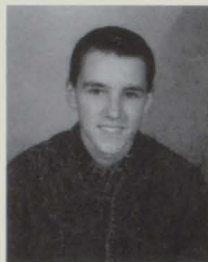
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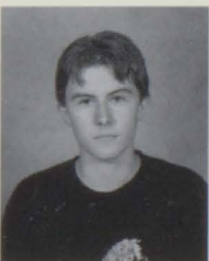
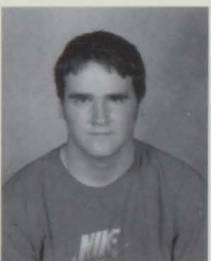
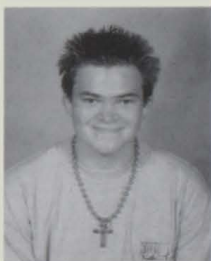
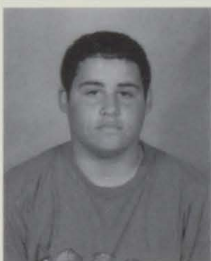
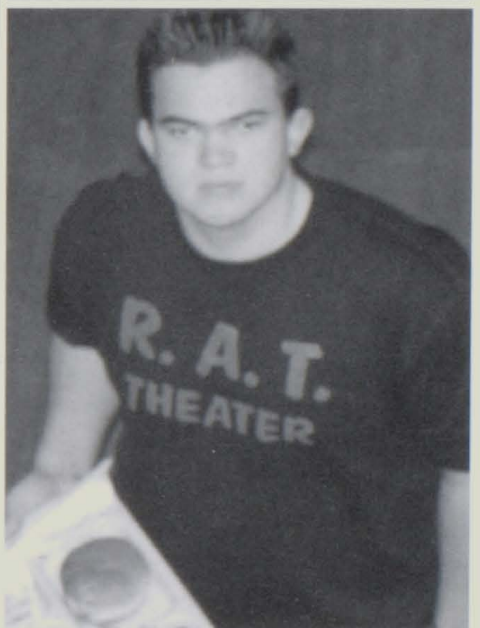
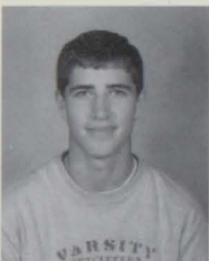
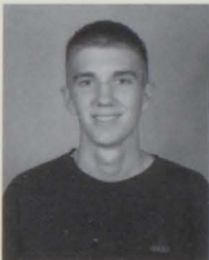
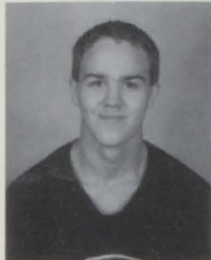
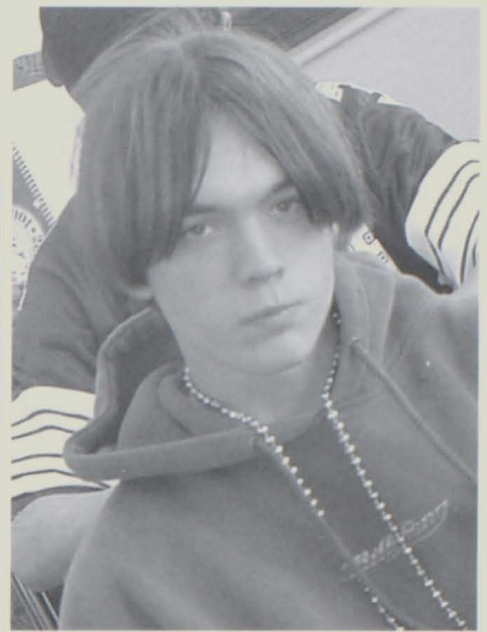
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James Dye
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Sarah Jacob
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Shannon Logan
Nicholas Morris
Daniel Morrison
Casey Nichols

Class of 2003



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Silas Pogue
Valerie Postle
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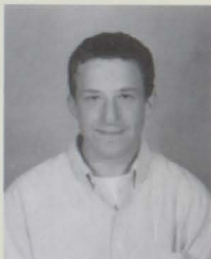
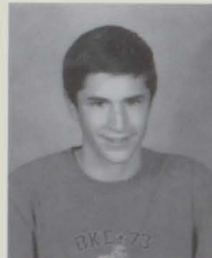
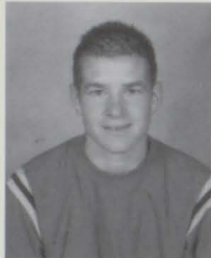
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Travis Zeh

Class of 2004



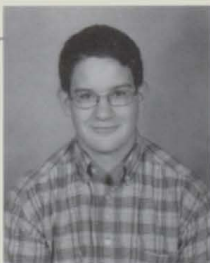
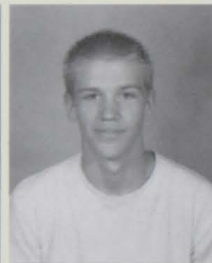
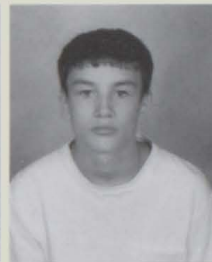
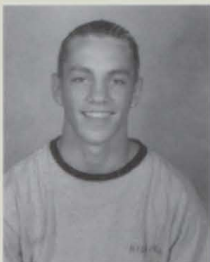
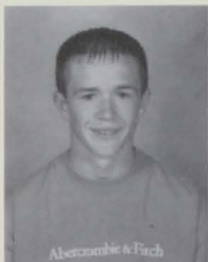
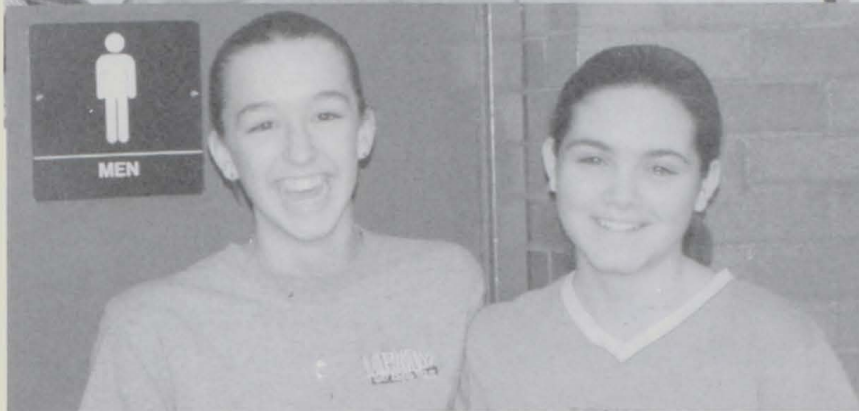
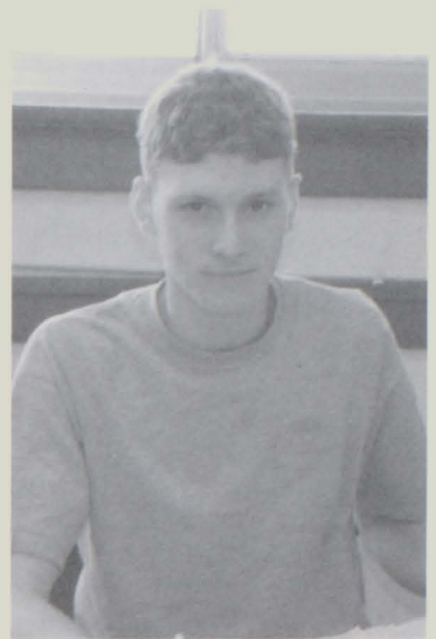
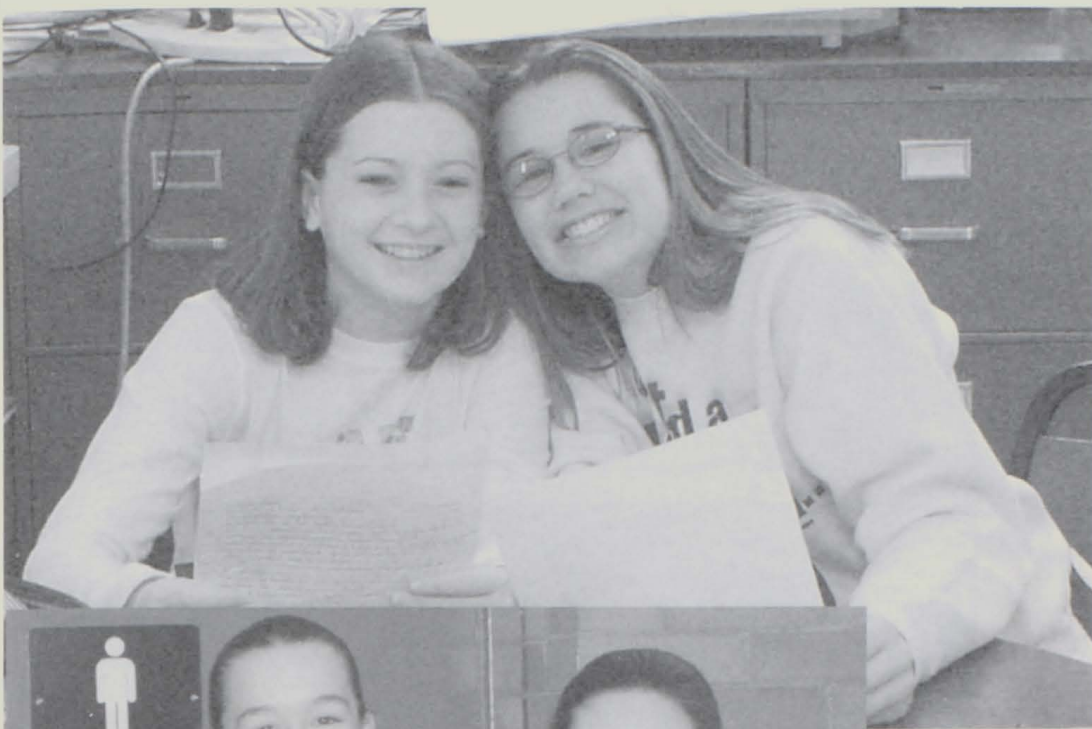
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Chancey Hicks
Krystle Hills



Matt Kane
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Meagan McCollum

Matthew McIntire
Rachel Manning
Bradley Mowen

Jason Mynatt
Starr Robinson
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Ryan Smith
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Thomas Timmerman
Kimberly Waddell
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Stephanie Wisslead

C L A S S O F F I C E R S

Freshmen

L to R

Elizabeth Gillen-
Treasurer,
Matt Kane-
Secretary,
Rachael Bundy-
President,
Kim Waddell-
Vice President



Sophomores

L to R

Casey Nichols-
Secretary,
Jacque Strange-
Treasurer,
James Dye-
President,
Amy Corzatt-
Vice President



Juniors

L to R

Emily McCann-
President,
Steve Isaacson-
Vice President,
Jamie Richard-
Secretary,
John Buss-
Treasurer



Seniors

L to R

Amy Caldwell-
Treasurer,
Kerri Waddell-
President,
Kari Keimig-
Secreatary,
Jennifer Waterman-
Vice President
(not pictured)





Mr. Buss
Principal



Mr. Barber
Superintendent



Sharri Richard
Secretary

ADMINISTRATION



Tanya Morrison
High School Secretary



Judy Duncan
Secretary

FACULTY



Joanne Hilligoss



Judith Weyer



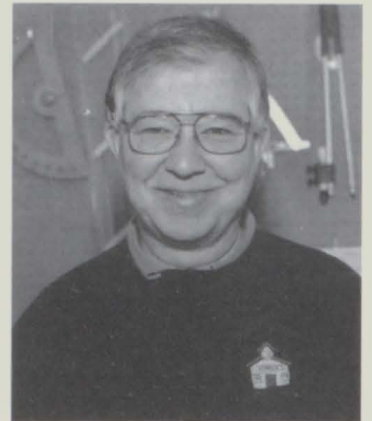
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Cindy Smith



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Jeffrey Nichols



Vicky Keever



Terri Copeland



Janet Shinkle



Ben Borries



Will Bavery



Robert Frank



Cheryl Fye



Natalie McGrew



Nadine Nice

Southern School Board



Back Row Left to Right: Barry Bigger, Mike Bundy, Ed Kane, John Corzatt Front Row Left to Right: Karen Jack, Stan Fisher, Monty Waddell

Cooks



Cooks Above: Karen Day, Diane Rankin, Vicky Wood, Danuta McIntyre.

Custodians at Right, Standing: Jon Wetterling, Nick Roark Sitting: Jerry Spiker

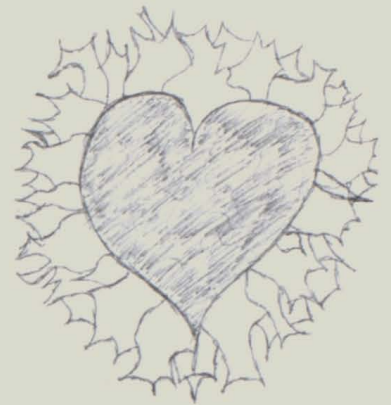
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STUDENT ARTWORK



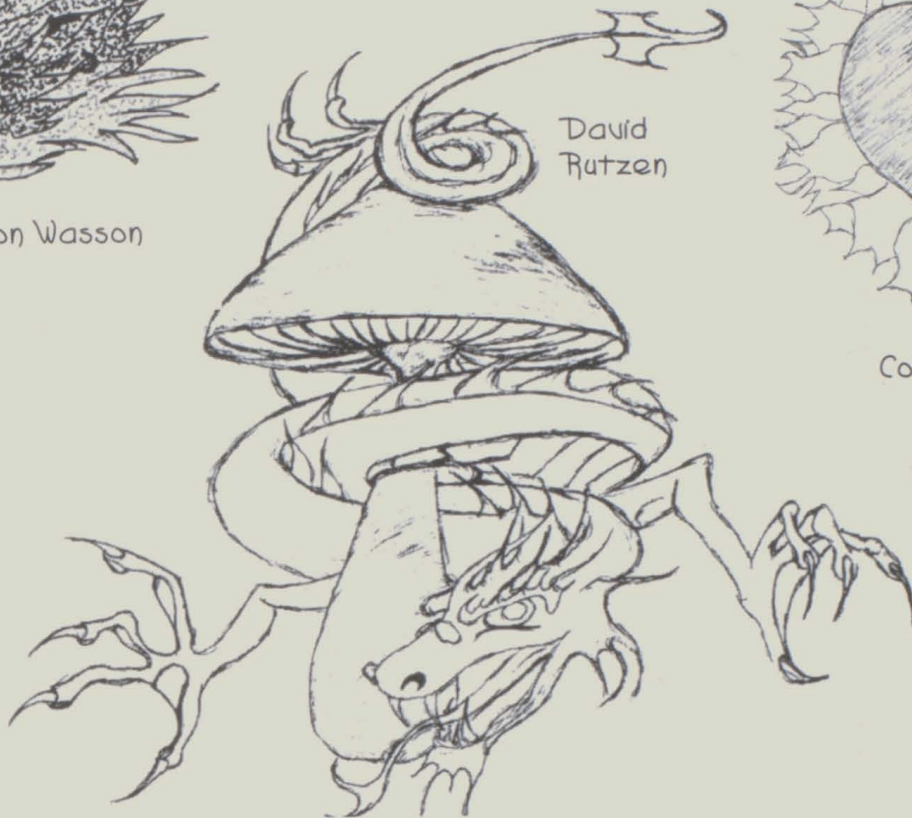
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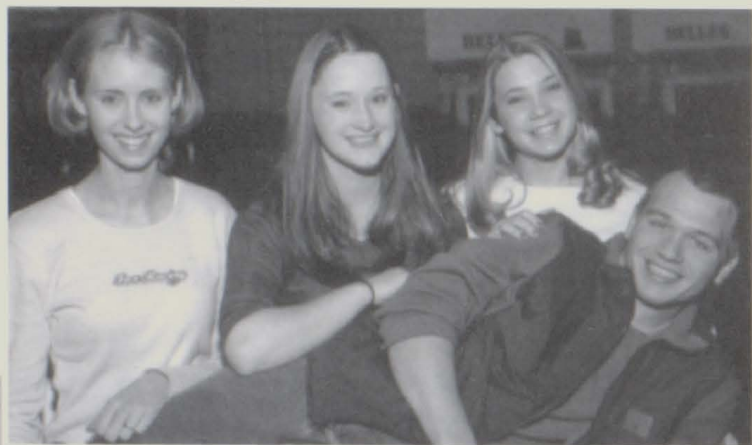
Holly Sazonov

2000-20001 STUDENT COUNCIL

This year was a good year for the student council with Jessica Pogue taking charge as president. A long list of tasks and responsibilities were undertaken and fun activities

provided. The student council was in charge of decorating the gym for homecoming and the organization of the whole week. Probably the most successful project the student council fulfilled was the addition of the vending machine at the beginning of the school year. As well as the vending machine, the student council purchased the

three picnic tables for outside dining. They were also in charge of planning the Christmas party. In addition, the student council provided roller skating and pizza parties, as well as money donations. The student council also sponsored the blood drive that is held every spring at Southern High School.



OFFICERS:

Jessica Mynatt-Secretary,
Jessica Pogue-President,
Amy Van Arsdale-Treasurer,
Chris Doran-Vice President

L to R: Jacqueline Fisher,
Mike Lenahan, Jill Pence,
Adam Mayer, Jessica Mynatt,
Jessica Pogue, Chris Doran,
Amy Van Arsdale, Jeanie
Kane, Ryan Smith, Quinn
Leath, Mindy Heller.

Sponsors: Karen Starbuck,
Janet Shinkle



Athletics



Junior Varsity Belles



Back Row (L-R): Kelsey Cargill, Coach Nadine Nice. **Front Row:** Amanda Harkness, Paige Taylor, Chancey Hicks, Kourtney Kane, Kim Waddell, Casey Nichols, Liz Gillen, Laura Symmonds, Vicki Tapscott, Crystal Corzatt, Jessica Bryant-Bey.

Junior Varsity Record

Monmouth W 15-12, 15-9
Sherrard W 15-10, 15-5
Abingdon W 15-10, 15-10
Roseville W 15-8, 15-4
ROWVA W 15-2, 15-7
Avon W 15-10, 15-17, 15-7

Northwestern W 15-4, 15-6
Valley W 15-1, 15-6

Colchester Tourney

Yorkwood W 15-8, 15-8
Colchester W 15-13, 8-15, 15-10
Rushville W 15-9, 15-8
Macomb W 15-6, 15-7
Southeastern W 8-15, 15-17, 15-11

Union W 15-5, 15-1
LaHarpe W 15-3, 15-7

Galesburg W 15-7, 15-9

Macomb Tourney

Bushnell W 17-15, 15-11
Camp Point L 7-15, 11-15
Roseville W 15-9, 13-15, 15-5

Colchester L 9-15, 11-15
Industry W 15-7, 15-9
Bushnell L 7-15, 15-10, 14-16
Yorkwood W 15-10, 15-8
Dallas City W 15-9, 15-10

Southern Tourney

Warren W 15-4, 15-10
Warsaw W 15-3, 15-3
Aledo W 15-4, 15-4

Final Record: 24-3

Varsity Belles



Back Row (L-R): Coach Kris Peterson, Amy Van Arsdale, Hallie Morrison, Amy Caldwell, Jessi Mynatt, Jean Kane, Kari Keimig, Kristin Vancil. **Front Row:** Emily Mowen, Sarah Brokaw, Ashlie Cargill, Amber Vancil, Callie Burgdorf, Tiffany Magner.

Varsity Record

Monmouth	W	15-11, 16-14
Sherrard	W	15-9, 15-11
Abingdon	W	15-8, 15-13
Roseville	L	15-10, 13-15, 11-15
R.O.W.V.A	W	15-5, 15-4
Avon	W	15-7, 15-8
<u>Aledo Tourney</u>		
Dunlap	Tie	15-9, 13-15
Galva	W	15-1, 15-1
Aledo JV	W	15-2, 15-0
Aledo	W	15-7, 15-5

Northwestern	W	15-1, 15-8
Valley	W	14-16, 15-7, 15-4

Knoxville Tourney

Kewanee	W	15-13, 15-12
Stark County	W	15-4, 15-10
Avon	W	15-7, 15-12
Knoxville	W	15-6, 15-9
Kewanee	W	51-5, 15-11

Union	L	15-7, 13-15, 15-5
LaHarpe	W	15-8, 15-7
Galesburg	W	15-8, 15-8
<u>Macomb Tourney</u>		
Bushnell	W	15-17, 15-6, 15-7
Sherrard	W	15-4, 15-8
Nauvoo	W	15-5, 20-18
Washington	L	8-15, 4-15
Bloomington	L	3-15, 10-15

Colchester	L	8-15, 2-15
Industry	W	15-7, 15-11
Bushnell	L	15-17, 13-15
Yorkwood	W	15-11, 15-10
Dallas City	W	15-3, 3-15, 15-8

Regionals

LaHarpe	W	15-5, 15-6
Colchester	L	5-15, 5-15

Final Record: 24-7-1

Belles In Action



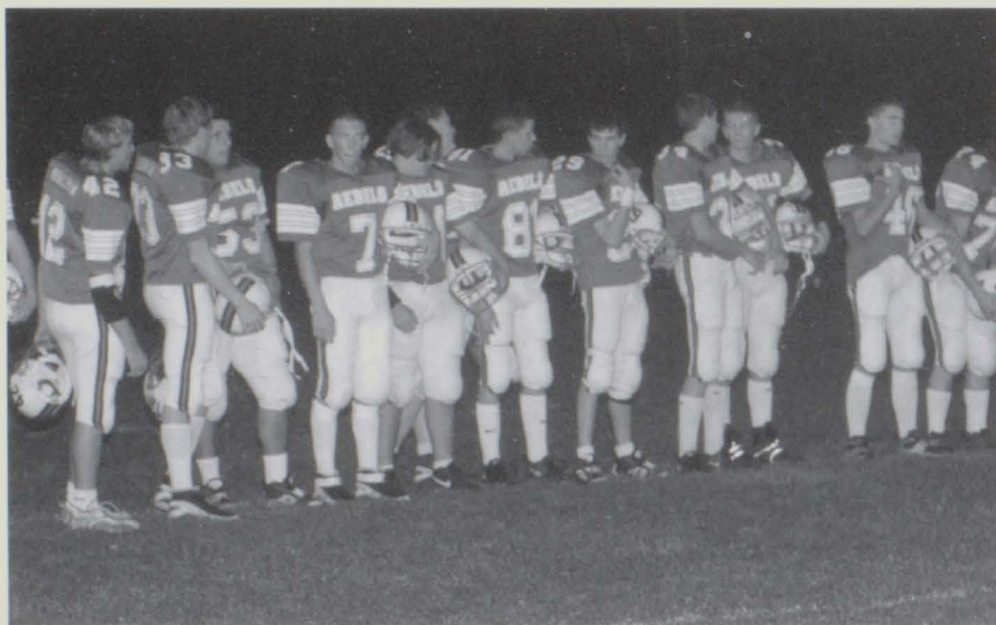
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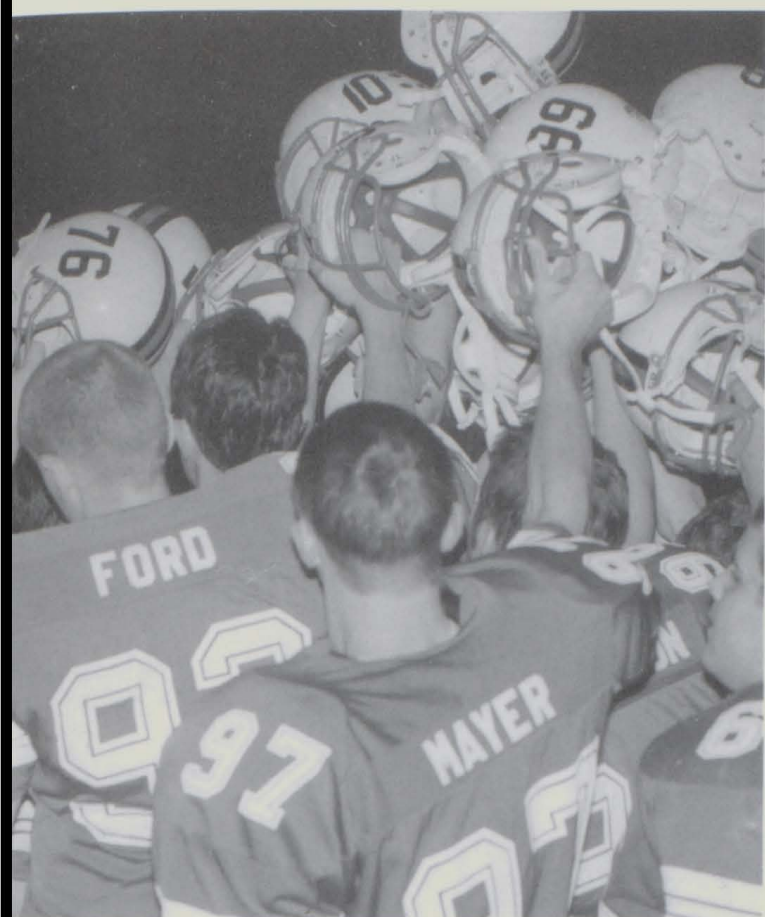


Jessi Mynatt, Amy Caldwell, Hallie Morrison, Kari Keimig,
Amy VanArsdale, Kristin Vancil, and Jean Kane



Southern- Dallas City Football 2000-2001





Front row, left to right: Jarrett Johnson, Shawn Watkins, Chris Doran, Andrew Zurmuehlen, Mitch Muhleman, Adam Mayer, Seth Stull, Tyler Klossing, Bobby Avery, Brad Willits, and Grace Luder. **Second row, left to right:** Cullen Goodman, Ryan Keever, Billy Ford, Steve Isaacson, Clayton Grafton, Josh Ragar, Adam Burrell, Chris Lenahan, Heath Andrews, Jess Bond, C.J. Stull, Jon Buss, Justin Reighard. **Third row, left to right:** Nick Morris, Cody Smith, Cody Ferrill, Brandon Beach, Brent Strawhacker, Billy Waller, Dan Piper, Brent Hartley, Darrell Stribling, David Donlan, Chris Wibbell, Gabe Wood. **Fourth row, left to right:** Jason Mynatt, Matt Kane, Matt McIntyre, Garrett Lenz, Brandon Rothzen, Caleb Covert, Brandon Dixon, Lee Brokaw, Alton Luder, Richard Annegars. **Back row, left to right:** Brad Mowen, Nathan Corzatt, Corey Fox, Dan Morrison, Christopher Wisslead, Quin Leath, Ryan Smith, Mike Lenahan, Silas Pogue, Josh Grant.

Scoreboard

We		Opp
24	Rockford Christian	2
8	Orion	40
20	Illioopolis	6
18	LaMoille	6
0	Rochester	24
6	New Glorus-Montecello	28
1	Hebron	0
30	Rockford Christian	20
34	LaMoille	0
12	Galena	24



Southern Rebels

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Galena Pirates



Most
Memorable
Moment



“When Bobby intercepted the ball and ran it back for a touchdown”

-Andrew Zurmuehlen



Playoffs were held on October 28, 2001. The Rebels played against the Galena Pirates in a competitive match. Although we did not win we put up a tough fight.

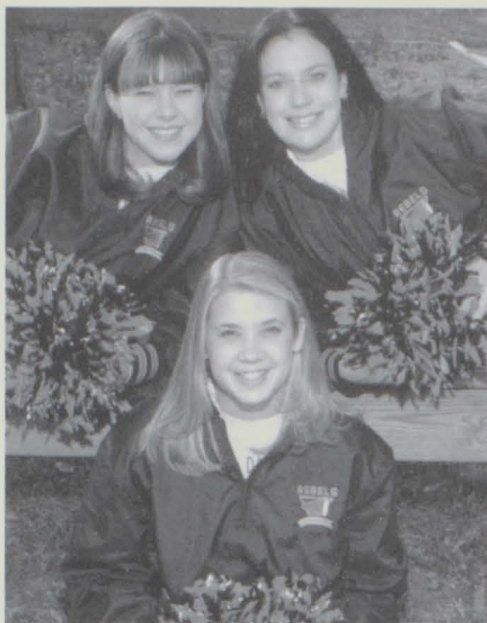
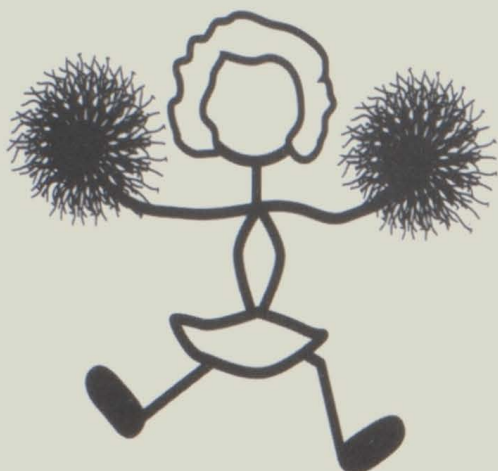
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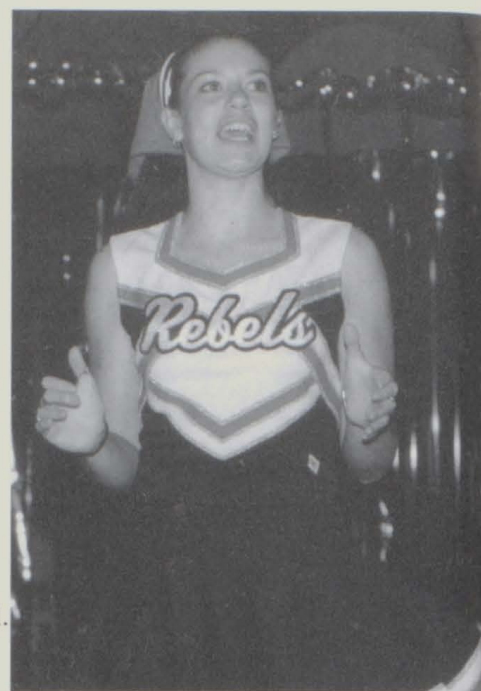
Back L-R Andrew Zurmuehlen, Adam Mayer, Bobby Avery, Seth Stull, Shawn Watkins, Jarrett Johnson, **Front L-R** Brad Willits, Chris Doran, Mitch Muhleman, Tyler Klossing.



Football Cheerleaders



Left to right: Kerri Waddell, Amy Caldwell.
Bottom: Amy Van Arsdale

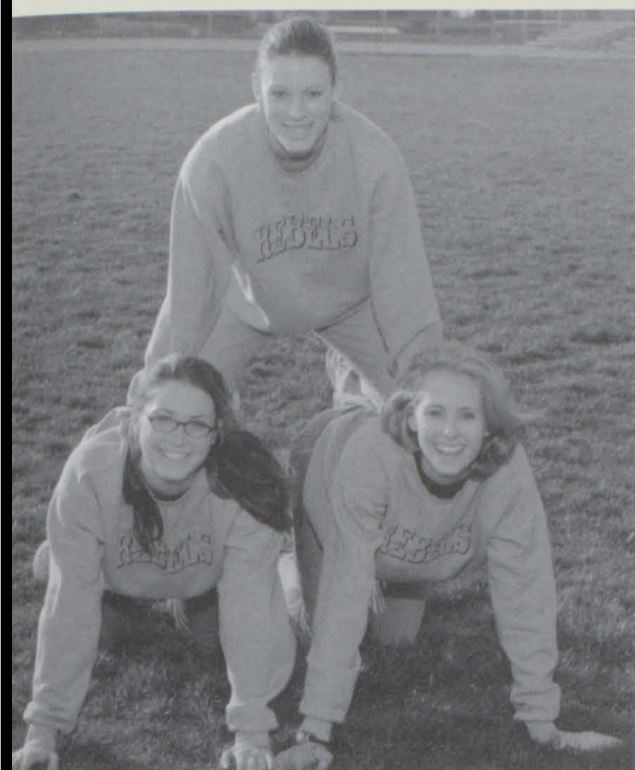


Top Left to right: Ashlie Cargill, Callie Burgdorf, Jamie Richard.
Bottom: Kerri Waddell, Amy Caldwell, Amy Van Arsdale



Top Left to right: Crystal Corzatt, Laura Symmonds. Middle: Kelsey Cargill, Sara Jacob. Bottom: Rachel Bundy.

Football Poms



First Row, Left to right: Mindy Heller, Casey Nichols, Amber Vancil, Amy Corzatt, Samantha Shaner, Second row, left to right: Starr Robinson, Sara Ford, Jessie Bryant-Bey, Megan McCollum, Stephanie Wisslead, Back row, left to right: Taryn Gullberg, Kristin Vancil, Jessi Mynatt

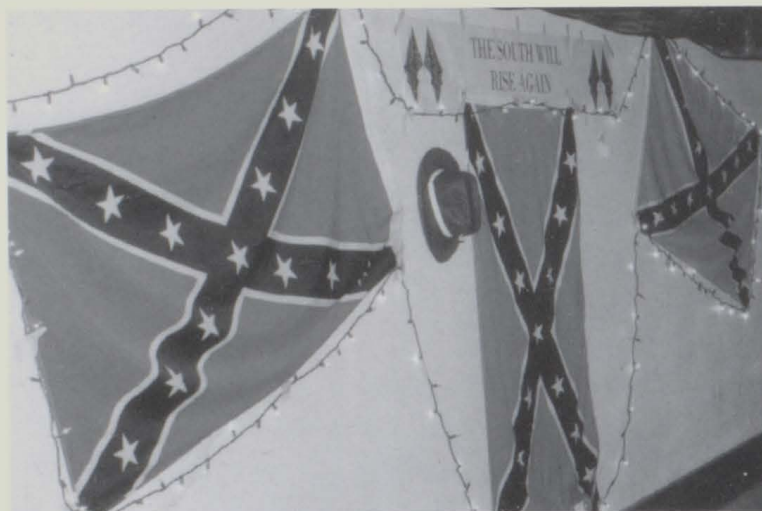
Seniors: Bottom left to right: Taryn Gullberg, Jessi Mynatt, Top: Kristin Vancil



Homecoming: Hallways 2000



1st Place Seniors: Through the decades



2nd Place Juniors: The South will rise again!



3rd Place Freshman: The 60's and Disco



4th Sophmores: Mardi Gras

Costume Winners 2000



Monday: P.J./Twin

Winners: Kerri and Kim Waddell and
Billy Ford and Ryan Smith



Wednesday:

Camo/Toga

Winners: Chris
Doran and Heath
Andrews



Thursday: Themeday

Winners:

(Charlies Angels)
Adam Mayer, Amy
VanArsdale, Kerri
Waddell, Amy
Caldwell



Tuesday: Nerd Day

Winners: Eric Scott and Kari Keimig



Friday: Spirit Day

Winners: Mike Lenahan and Kari Keimig

Homecoming

2000

Homecoming is a special time of year that is enjoyed by everyone at Southern High School. Homecoming is full of traditions: old and new. Every year, contests are held throughout the entire week of homecoming. Each class competes for the best decorated hallway. While individual students dress up to compete for best costumes. Pep rallies are given by the cheerleaders and the pom pon girls. Also, the Homecoming football game is played and the dance is held.





Freshmen Skits

This school year, the freshman class entertained the school and community by acting out two skits. These skits, and several others, were held before the annual homecoming bonfire.

The guys, who wore wigs, make-up, and women's clothing, acted out their rendition of what really goes on when girls have sleepovers. The female portion of the class read hot rod magazines and acted out their version of when guys have get togethers.

Sophomore Skit

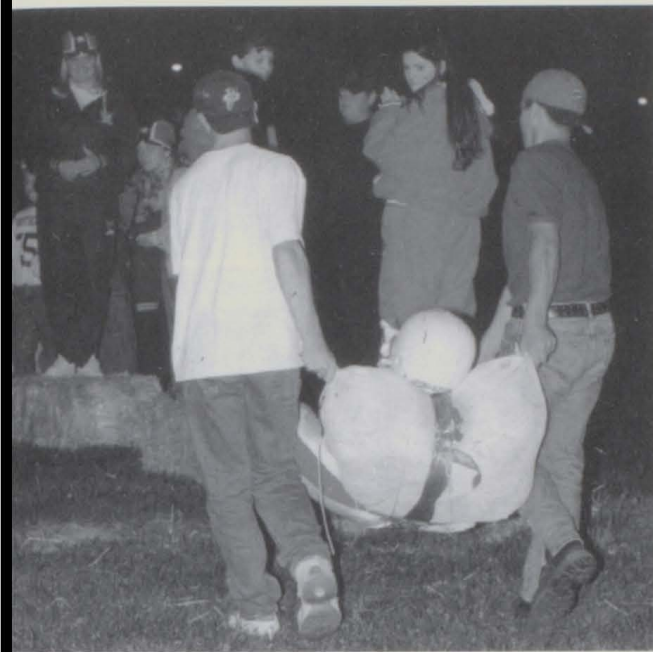
The sophomore class wanted to be a caterpillar or something. Nobody's quite sure what they were trying to accomplish, but unlike the junior class, they at least made an effort.

Senior Skit

Who wants to be a rebel fan? A spoof off TV's *Who wants to be a millionaire?* starred Eric Scott as Regis, and Jessica Walter as the show's contestant.



Bonfire and Pep Rally

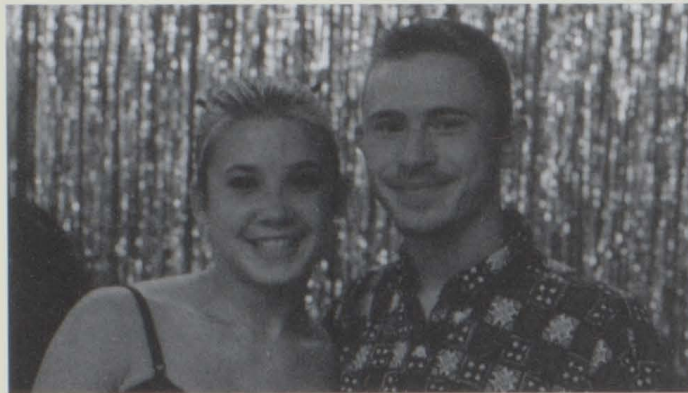


September 29th

Senior Candidates



Chris Doran and Amy Caldwell



Dan Stribling & Amy Van Arsdale

"Unchained" Homecoming



King Andrew Zurmuehlen & Queen Kerri Waddell



Homecoming Court



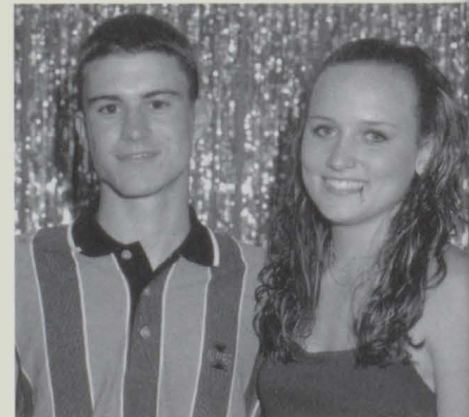
Crownbearers- Michael Keane
& Jennifer Livermore



Freshmen Attendants- Matt Kane
& Kelsey Cargill

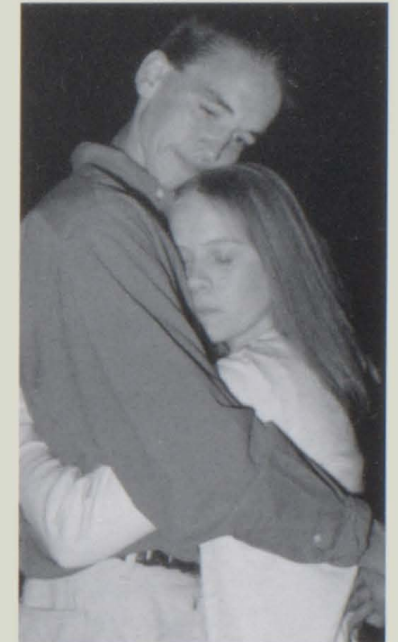


Sophomore Attendants- Silas
Pogue & Valerie Postle



Junior Attendants- Ryan Keever
& Ashlie Cargill

Melody" 2000



JV GIRLS BASKETBALL



Warsaw	47-19	W
Northwestern	forfeit	W
Union	35-9	W
Roseville	36-9	W
Yorkwood	38-21	W
Abingdon	44-23	W
LaHarpe	47-26	W
Dallas City	forfeit	W
Roseville	40-24	W
Yorkwood	36-18	W
Northwestern	forfeit	W
Valley	forfeit	W
Dallas City	forfeit	W
LaHarpe	38-22	W
Valley	forfeit	W
Southeastern	39-24	W

Total 16 wins-0 losses



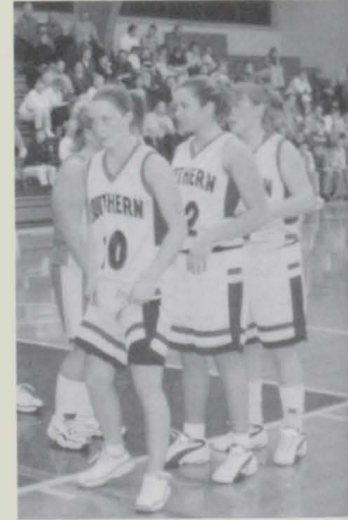
VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL



Warsaw	68-45	L	Valley	66-46	L
Monmouth	67-23	L	Dallas City	24-48	W
Alexis	61-31	L	LaHarpe	34-42	W
Westmer	13-40	W	Southeastern	64-30	L
Northwestern	31-36	W	Valley	61-55	L
Uniou	34-36	W			
Roseville	42-40	L	BI-COUNTY TOURNEY		
Yorkwood	40-55	W	Northwestern	22-69	W
Abingdon	62-46	L	LaHarpe	38-32	L
LaHarpe	37-54	W	Roseville	36-42	W
Weathersfield	30-36	W			
Dunlap	53-18	L			
Alexis	50-31	L	REGIONALS		
Knoxville	51-38	L	LaHarpe	45-46	W
Dallas City	34-44	W	Dallas City	36-37	L
Roseville	35-51	W			
Yorkwood	24-47	W	Total	15 wins-13 losses	
Northwestern	17-61	W			



VARSITY BELLES...

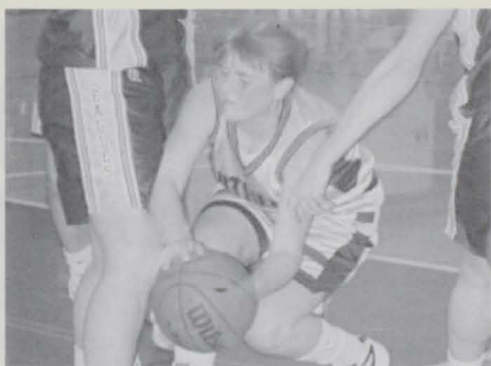


...JUST DOIN' IT.

SENIOR BELLES

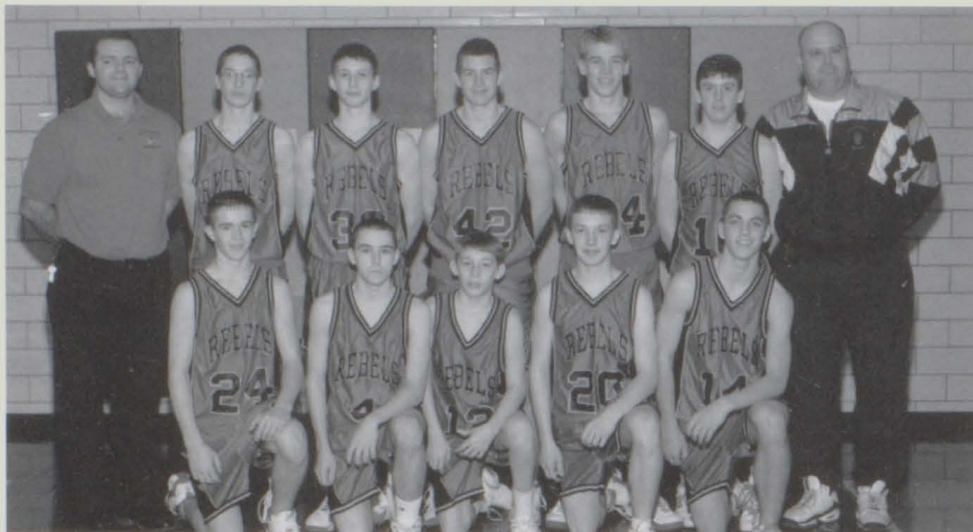


From L to R: Jessica Pogue, Kristin Vancil, Jeannie Kane, Hallie Morrison, Taryn Gullberg.



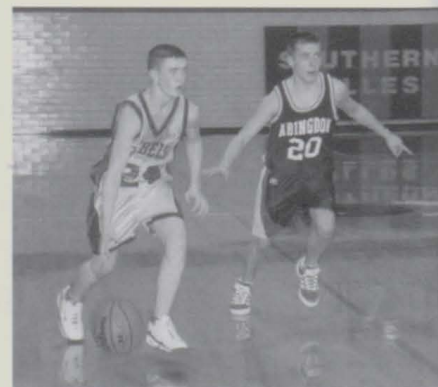
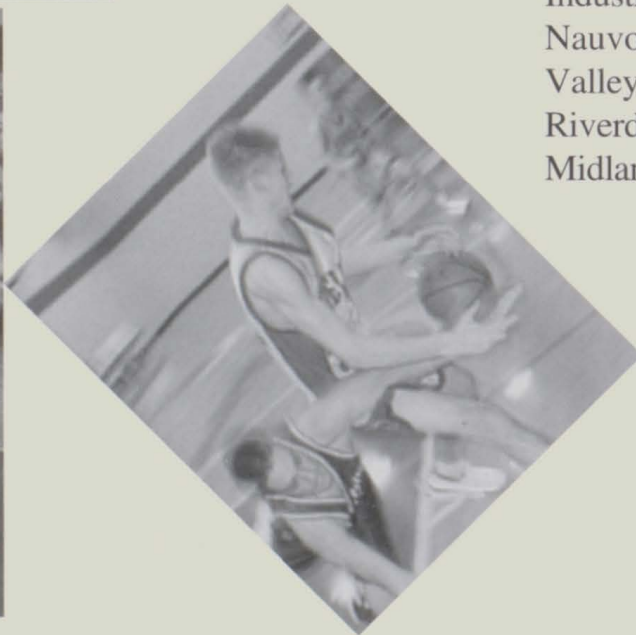
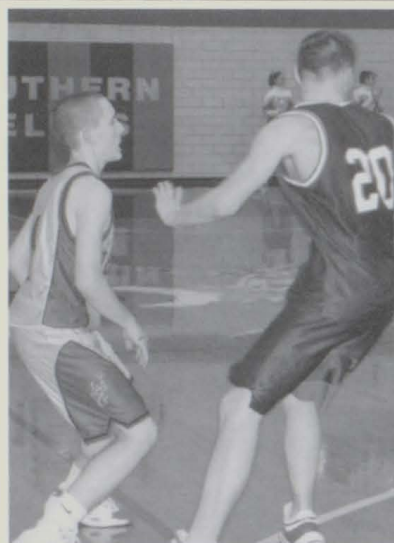
J.V. Basketball

2000-2001



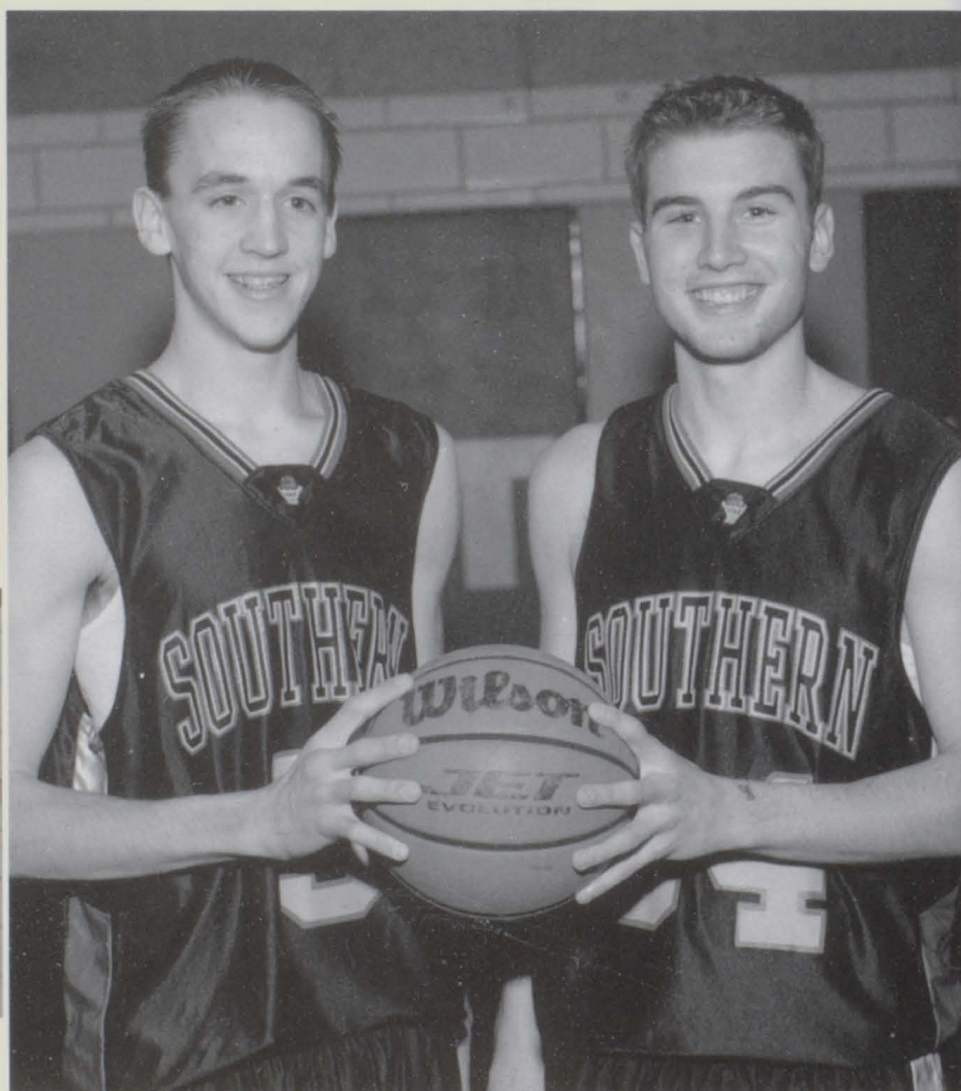
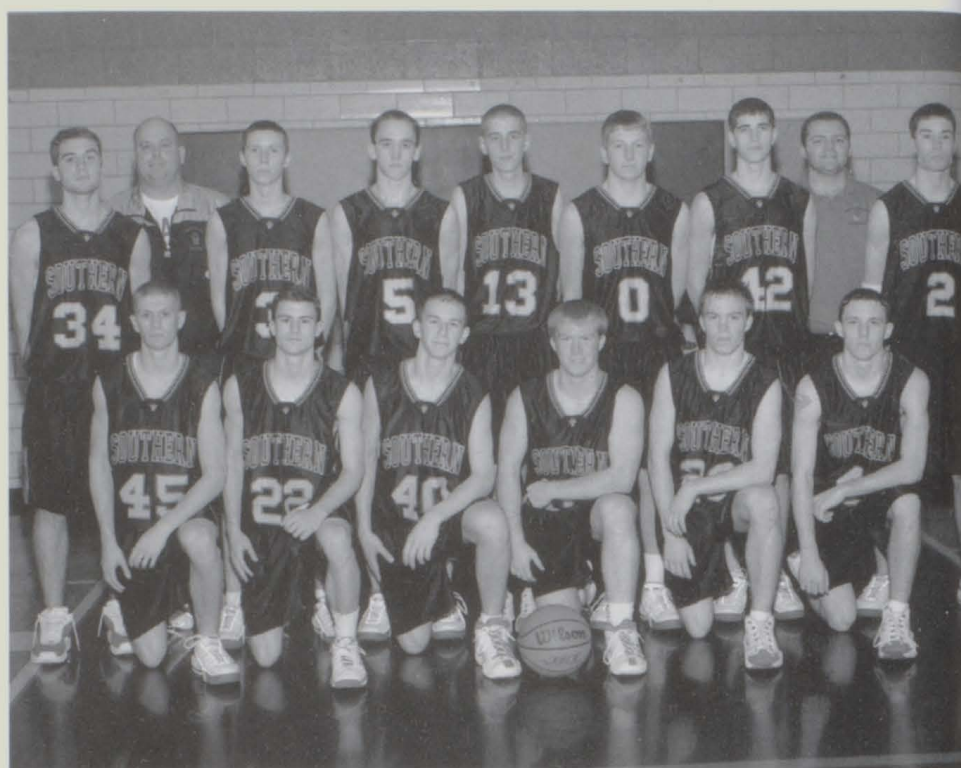
2000-2001 Season Record (15-9)

<u>Game</u>	<u>W/L</u>	<u>Score</u>
Westmer	W	48-22
Rowva	W	43-25
Colchester	W	63-58
Bushnell	L	38-62
Dallas City	W	54-38
Monmouth	W	48-45
Union	W	73-49
Dallas City	L	52-61
Knoxville	L	39-50
Warren	L	58-59
Abingdon	L	57-74
Abingdon	L	42-64
Roseville	L	40-44
Rushville	W	70-39
Cuba	W	76-66
Yorkwood	W	65-37
Northwester	W	58-42
Avon	W	Forfeit
LaHarpe	W	63-37
Industry	W	64-36
Nauvoo	L	52-61
Valley	W	70-43
Riverdale	W	49-37
Midland	L	54-56

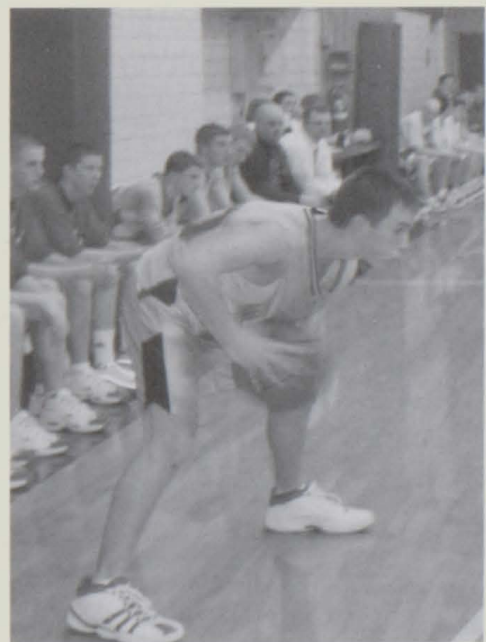




REBEL BASKETBALL



REBEL ACTION



Basketball Cheerleading



Seniors: Left to right: Amy Van Arsdale, Amy Caldwell, Kerri Waddell



Clockwise: Kelsey Cargill, Laura Symonds, Crystal Corzatt, Sarah Jacobs

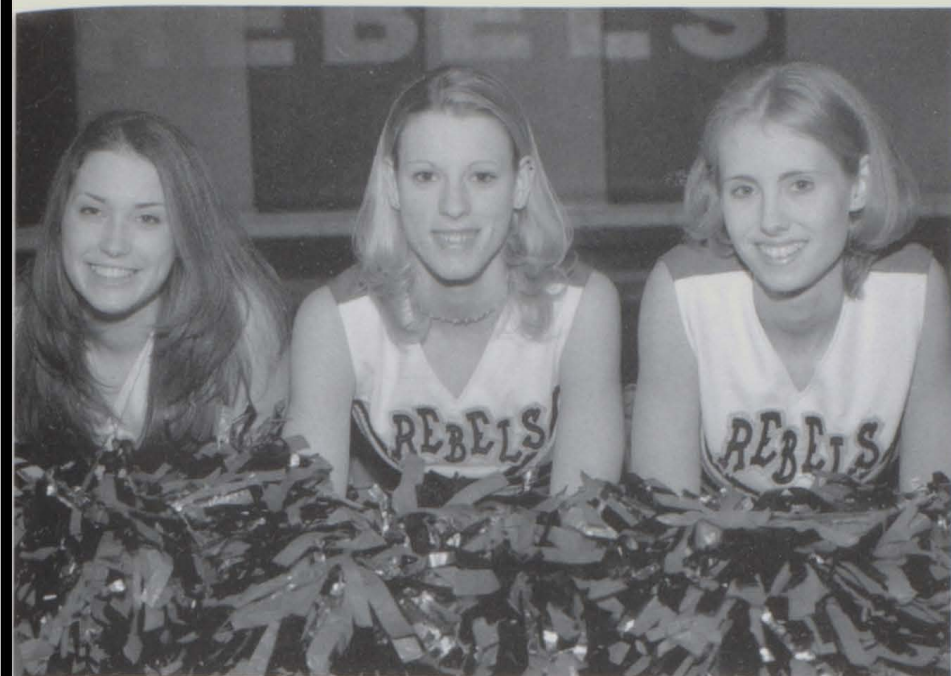


Clockwise: Callie Burgdorf, Kerri Waddell, Jamie Richard, Amy Caldwell, Amy Van Arsdale, Ashlie Cargill



Basketball

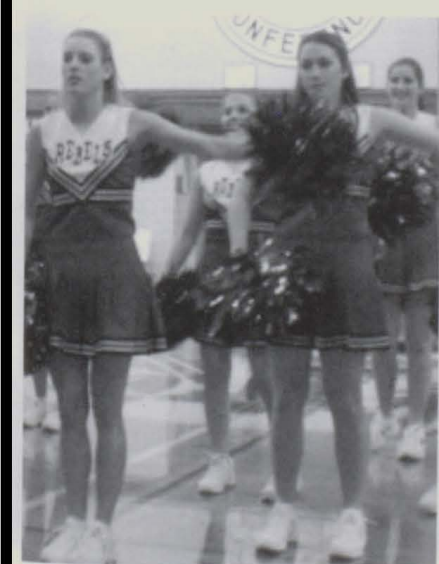
Poms



Seniors: Left to right: Taryn Gullberg, Kristin Vancil, Jessi Mynatt



Front Row: left to right: Amy Corzatt, Taryn Gullberg, Kristin Vancil, Jessi Mynatt, Casey Nichols, Second Row: left to right: Sara Ford, Jill Pence, Amber Vancil, Stephanie Wisslead, Back row: left to right: Mindy Heller, Starr Robinson, Samantha Shaner, Meghan McCollum, Jessica Bryant-Bey



Snowball Dance 2001

*Thank You For
Loving Me*



King & Queen



56 Organized Chaos





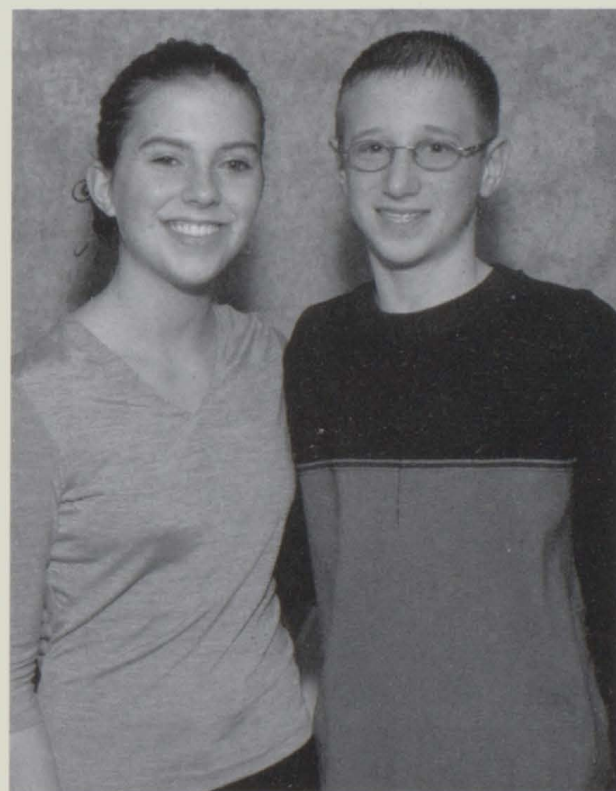
Seniors- Jessi Mynatt & Adam Mayer



Juniors- Amber Vancil, Chris & Mike Lenahan



Sophomores- Casey Nichols & Silas Pogue



Freshmen- Mindy Heller & Ryan Smith



Belle Softball



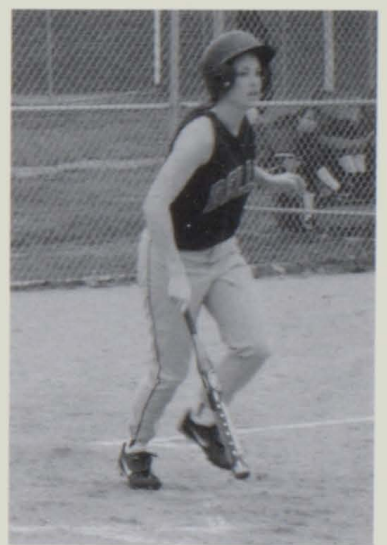
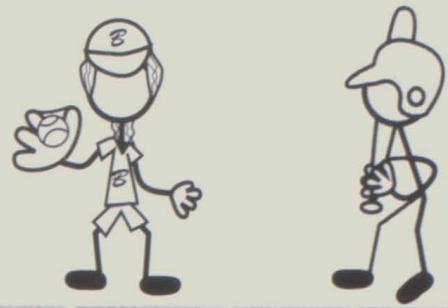
Scoreboard

We		Opp
14	Union	1
36	Westmer	0
1	Cuba	8
1	Williamsfield	9
4	Nauvoo/DC	6
1	Nauvoo/DC	0
11	Knoxville	1
4	LaHarpe/NW	0
1	LaHarpe/NW	2
0	Hamilton	1
5	Rushville	1
3	Porta	12
14	BPC	0
9	Williamsfield	1
4	Industry	3
7	Industry	2
1	Valley	0
15	Valley	12
15	LaHarpe/NW	0
9	Camp Point	0
19	Warsaw	3
14	Nauvoo/DC	7
3	Farmington	6
3	Waterloo	4
0	QND	1
3	Cuba	0
5	Aledo	3
10	Monmouth	1
27	Union	0
3	Hamilton	0
0	Macomb	3

Final Record 21-10



Front Row Left to Right: Jessica Pogue, Amy Caldwell, Hallie Morrison, Taryn Gullberg; Second Row: Amber Caldwell, Sarah Brokaw, Callie Burgdorf, Samantha Fisher, Ashlie Cargill, Anna Clifton; Back Row: Rachel Manning, Vicky Tapscott, Krystal Hills, Laura Symmonds, Paige Taylor, Liz Gillen, Kim Waddell. Coaches not pictured- Jim Fisher, Head Coach and Ray Mills, Assistant Coach.



Southern Boy's Baseball



Scoreboard

Rebels		Opp
0	Dallas City(DH)	1
22	" "	3
13	Westmer	3
6	Rockridge	9
4	Williamsfield	5
11	Valley(DH)	0
7	" "	0
16	Nauvoo	0
10	Knoxville(DH)	0
5	" "	10
4	Warsaw	2
5	Cuba	4
29	Union	6
4	Williamsfield	0
14	Warren	0
8	Industry(DH)	0
8	" "	0
4	Colchester	14
9	LaHarpe(DH)	1
2	" "	3
5	Bushnell	0
11	Dallas City	2
19	Southeastern	5
4	LaHarpe	2
7	Monmouth	5



Top Row, Left to Right: Nathan Corzatt, Matt McIntyre, Josh Ragar, Chris Doran, Seth Stull, Ryan Keever, Head Coach Jim Cole. Bottom Row Lto R: Brandon Rothzen, Brandon Dixon, Silas Pogue, Quinn Leath, Nick Morris, Chris Wisslead, Ryan Smith, Jason Mynatt.



Baseball and Softball



Seniors



Seth Stull and Chris Doran



Jessie Pogue, Amy Caldwell, Hallie Morrison, Taryn Gullberg



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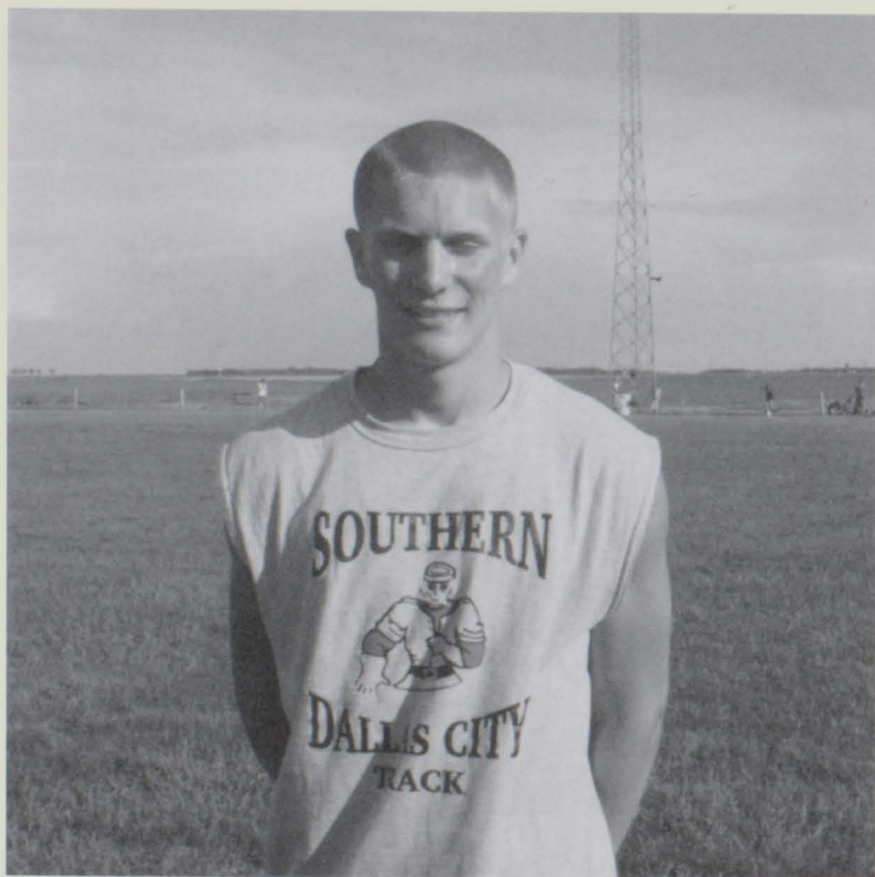


Samantha Shaner, Amy Van Arsdale, Kristin Vancil, and Rachel Bundy set a new school record in the 4x400 meter relay.



Kristin Vancil had an outstanding year by breaking the school records in the 100m dash, 200m dash, and the 4x400m relay. She also qualified for state in the 200m and the 400m dash and placed respectably.

Danny Morrison holds the school record in the 400 meter dash and qualified for state in the 800m run.



Rachel Bundy holds the current school record for the girls triple jump as well as the 4x400m relay.

CLUBS



Southern's Drama Club presents...

For the first time in Southern's drama club history the group was forced to do an unplanned fourth performance due to the sold out shows the weekend before. The classic musical *Grease*, written by Jim Jacobs and Warren Casey was a hit with every audience. The play was made possible by the amazing cast, listed below:

Danny.....Mike Lenahan
Sandy.....Sarah Jacob
Rizzo.....Kerri Waddell
Frenchy.....Jaqueline Fisher
Marty.....Amy VanArsdale
Jan.....Kari Keimig
Kenickie.....Mitch Muhleman
Doody.....Adam Mayer
Roger.....Seth Stull
Sonny.....Eric Scott
Patty.....Starr Robinson
Eugene.....Heath Andrews
Vince Fontaine.....Chris Doran
Johnny Casino.....Jess Bond
Miss Lynch...Stephanie Wisslead
Cha-Cha.....Amy Caldwell
Bubble Gum Girls.....Amy Caldwell, Anna Clifton, Paige Taylor, Laura Symmonds
Director.....Diana Taylor



Above: Jan (not eating for once!) enjoys dancing with her honey Roger at the Burger Palace.



At Right: Danny and Sandy have an argument as the group watches in amusement.



Above:

At right: Kenickie and the Burger Palace Boys sing Grease Lightning!!



Kenickie and Rizzo talk dirty at the Rydell High Prom.



Grease!

Below: Danny Zuko tells the Boys about his Summer Lovin' at the Beach.



Below: Sandy shares her romantic summer fling with Danny.



Above: The Pink Ladies "booze it up" at Marty's house.



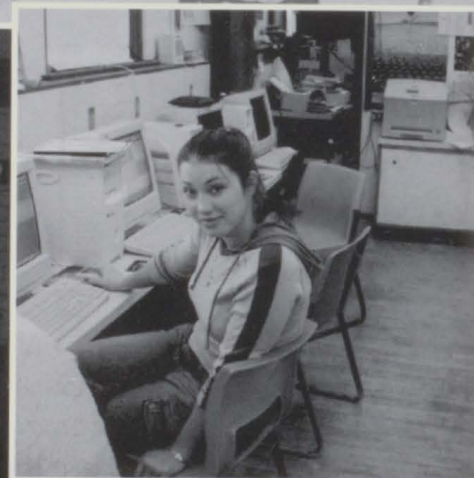
At Left: Doody and his date Frenchy applaud the dancers at the Prom.

At Left: Danny and dance partner Cha Cha DiGraragio take center stage at the Rydell High Prom.

Yearbook Staff

This school year, Southern's yearbook staff includes a total of eighteen seniors. They have shown each other how teamwork can accomplish anything. Besides the fact that the staff works well together, their creativity is what has made the 2000-2001 Southerner the exceptional book it is.

Being a member of the yearbook staff takes a lot of responsibility and focus. Each person was expected to do his or her fair share of the yearbook.



Hallie Morrison, Jessie Pogue, Kerri Waddell, Kari Keimig, Jean Kane, Jessica Walter, Amy VanArsdale, Taryn Gullberg, Tenley Wilson, Chris Doran, Mitch Muhleman, Dan Stribling, Andrew Zurmuehlen, Holly Sazonov, Jessi Mynatt, Rachel Schrock, Jeff Peterson, and Jenny Waterman.



Editors: Dan, Jessica, Jessie, Andrew



Speech

Emily McCann



Speech Coach Sara Ryan

Dan Stribling



Beginning in October and lasting until the end of February, the speech season could be best described as hours of boredom, followed by minutes of sheer terror and insanity. Working from a script pieced together from lines of the infamous movie "Bonnie and Clyde," Speech Team members Dan Stribling and Emily McCann, led by Speech Coach Sara Ryan, plowed their way through meet after meet, experimenting with the script, sometimes with raised voices in practices, sometimes with inappropriate gestures and language spoken behind each other's backs. In any case, the piece came together and many judges were impressed with the creativity, technique, and inventiveness used by the two performers in the skit. The duo won few tournament first places, and whenever they didn't get first place they were either cheated by a judge or were having a bad night (in the opinion of the contestants.)

The speech team began with more than just two members. Over the course of time, however, matters out of the control of the team caused those members to give up. In any case, those who remained strived and thrived...sort of.

Scholastic Bowl



Front Row Left to Right: Audrey Corey, Kerri Waddell, Amy Van Arsdale, Kari Keimig, Sarah Jacob; Second Row: Kim Waddell, John Buss, Jess Bond, Crystal Corzatt; Back Row: Starr Robinson, Emily Mowen, Emily McCann, Mr. John Ockert-Advisor.

S Club



Front Row Left to Right: Adam Mayer, Chris Doran, Hallie Morrison, Jessie Pogue, Amy Caldwell, Kari Keimig, Kerri Waddell; Second Row: Travis Smith, Christopher Wisslead, Tom Torrance, Taryn Gullberg, Mitch Muhleman, Andrew Zurmuehlen, Bethany Schrock, Tyler Klossing, Kristin Vancil, Amy Van Arsdale, Jessi Mynatt, Jean Kane, Brad Willits; Third Row: Cullen Goodman, Amber Vancil, Samantha Fisher, Sarah Brokaw, Amber Caldwell, Anna Clifton, Ashlie Cargill, Jess Bond, Emily McCann, Callie Burgdorf, Emily Mowen, John Buss, Adam Burrell, Mike Lenahan; Fourth Row: Samantha Shaner, Laura Symmonds, Silas Pogue, Nick Morris, Danny Morrison, Quinn Leath, Kourtney Kane, Casey Nichols, Nichol Johnson, Sarah Jacob, Crystal Corzatt, Josh Ragar, Heath Andrews; Fifth Row: Tiffany Magner, Jill Pence, Jamie Richard, Steve Isaacson, Chris Lenahan, Amy Corzatt, Bill Ford, Pat Rountree, Darrell Stribling; Sixth Row: Ryan Keever, Aaron Magee, Chris Root, Gabe Wood, Seth Stull, C.J. Stull, Justin Reighard, Clayton Grafton, David Donlan.

Ecology Club

In this picture The Ecology Club members are holding Pandas. The Pandas that were bound from China to The National Zoo in Washington D.C. took a detour to Southern High School to be in this picture



Front Row Left to Right: Starr Robinson, Tenley Wilson, Jessie Walter, Kari Keimig, Amy Caldwell, Taryn Gullberg, Jean Kane, Amy Van Arsdale, Jessi Mynatt; Second Row: Ms. Weyer-Advisor, Nichol Johnson, Anna Clifton, Kristin Vancil, Amber Caldwell, Sarah Brokaw, Bethany Schrock, Laura Symmonds, Rachel Schrock; Third Row: Valerie Postle, Kim Waddell, Ryan Smith, Callie Burgdorf, Emily McCann, Sarah Jacob, Casey Nichols, Crystal Corzatt; Fourth Row: Jess Bond, Steve Isaacson, John Buss, Emily Mown, Amber Vancil, Mindy Heller.

SAE

Southern's SAE does several jobs around the school to help teachers. Picture below is Danny Norris taking lunches to the Pre-K.



Front Row Left to Right: Adam Mayer, Chris Doran, Hallie Morrison, Jessie Pogue, Amy Caldwell, Kari Keimig, Kerri Waddell, Jessie Walter; Second Row: Mrs. Shinkle-Advisor, Christopher Wisslead, Amber Vancil, Tom Torrance, Taryn Gullberg, Mitch Muhleman, Andrew Zurmuehlen, Bethany Schrock, Tyler Klossing, Kristin Vancil, Rachel Schrock, Amy Van Arsdale, Jessi Mynatt, Jean Kane; Third Row: Cullen Goodman, Jacque Fisher, Samantha Fisher, Sarah Brokaw, Amber Caldwell, Anna Clifton, Ashlie Cargill, Jess Bond, Emily McCann, Callie Burgdorf, Emily Mowen, John Buss, Adam Burrell, Josh Ragar, Mike Lenahan; Fourth Row: Samantha Shaner, Laura Symmonds, Silas Pogue, Nick Morris, Dan Morrison, Quinn Leath, Kourtney Kane, Casey Nichols, Nichol Johnson, Sarah Jacob, Crystal Corzatt, Corie Grafton, Darrell Stribling, James Dye, Heath Andrews; Fifth Row: Chancey Hicks, Garrett Lenz, Valerie Postle, Jessie Bryant-Bey, Vicki Tapscott, Kim Waddell, Starr Robinson, Liz Gillen, Matt Kane, Nathan Corzatt, Krystle Hills, Bill Ford; Sixth Row: Kelsey Cargill, Sara Ford, Rachel Manning, Mindy Heller, Amy Corzatt, Amanda Harkness, Megan McCollum, Gabe Wood, Seth Stull, CJ Stull, Justin Reighard, Clayton Grafton, Bill Waller.



FFA Officers:

Left to right:

Matt Kane: Vice president
Taryn Gullberg: Secretary
Kari Keimig: Reporter
Jessi Mynatt: President
Jean Kane: Historian
Amy Caldwell: Treasurer
Ryan Kever: Farm
Manager



Left to right; front row: Kari Keimig, Jeanie Kane, Taryn Gullberg, Tyler Klossing, Jessi Mynatt, Kristin Vancil, Amy Caldwell, Jessica Walter. Second row: Ryan Kever, Billy Ford, Jess Bond, Gabe Wood, Leon Annegars. Third row: Sarah Garst, Paige Taylor, Joe Boyd. Back row: Brandon Rothzen, Lee Brokaw, Matt Kane, Nathan Corzatt.



FHA Officers

Left to Right:

Amy VanArsdale:
Secretary
Kim Waddell:
Vice President
Jean Kane: Treasurer
Rachel Schrock: President



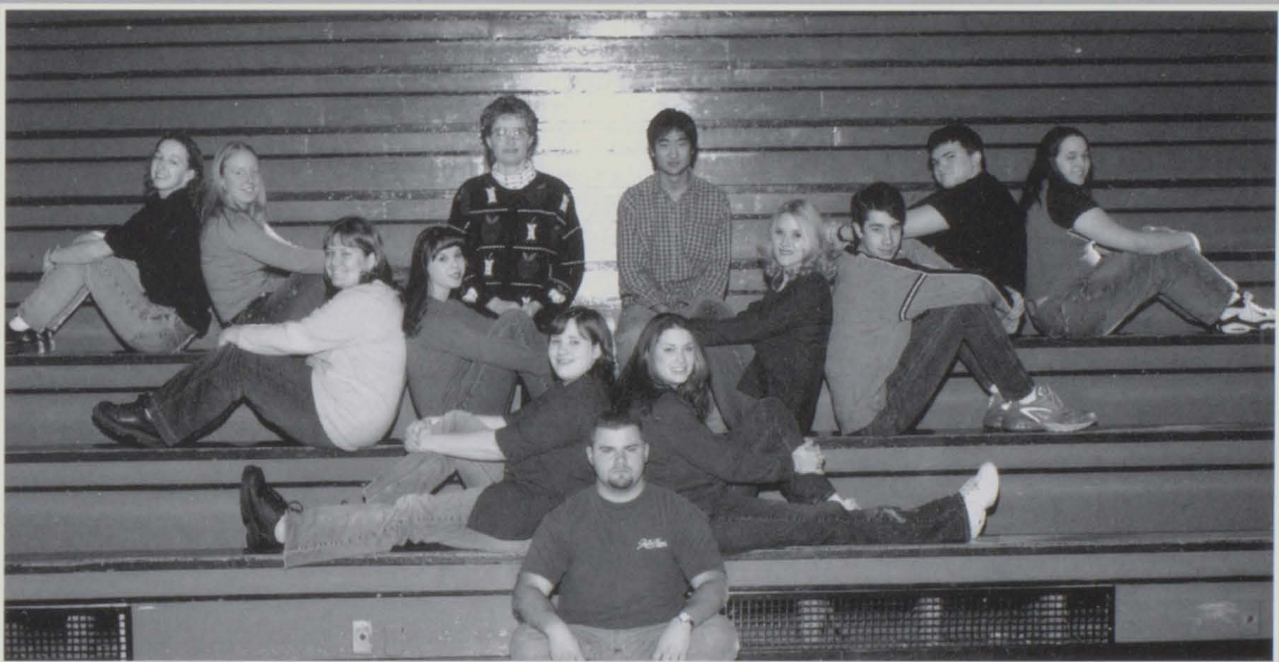
From left to right, Front row : Kim Waddell, Jessie Bryant-Bey, Mindy Heller, Chancey Hicks, Casey Nichols. Second row: Kristin Vancil, Amy Corzatt, Valerie Postal, Jaque Strange. Back row: Amy VanArsdale, Jean Kane, Bethany Schrock, Rachel Schrock, Mrs. Starbuck

CHORUS



Front: Dan Stribling and Brad Willits, From left to right, First row: Holly Sasonov, Tenley Wilson, Kristin Vancil, Kari Keimig, Amy Caldwell, Taryn Gullberg, Jean Kane, Amy VanArsdale, Jessi Mynatt, Kerri Waddell, Second row: Amber Vancil, Jess Bond, Emily Mowen, Callie Burgdorf, Emily McCann, Amber Caldwell, Sarah Brokaw, Jacque Fisher, Samantha Fisher, Tiffany Magner, Jennifer Jarvis Third row: Courtney Kane, Sara Jacob, Casey Nichols, Justin Penrod, Valerie Postal, David Donlan, Darrell Stribling, Amy Corzatt, Audrey Corey, Corey Grafton Back row: Mrs. Hilligoss, Sara Ford, Meghan McCollum, Starr Robinson, Chancey Hicks, Mindy Heller, Stephanie Wisslead, Nathan Corzatt, Krystal Hills

BAND



Front: Brad Willits, From left to right, First row: Kari Keimig, Taryn Gullberg, Second row: Sarah Brokaw, Jacque fisher, Samantha Fisher, Jess Bond, Third row: Starr Robinson, Casey Nichols, Mrs Hilligoss, Blake Stewart, Darrell Stribling, Audrey Corey

B.I-COUNTY ART SHOW



Art work counter-clockwise: Justin Reighard, Stephanie Wisslead, C.J. Stull,

First Place



Top Row Left to Right: Holly Sazonov, Mitch Muhleman, Eric Scott, David Rutzen, Kale Burgdorf. Bottom Left: Travis Smith, Stephanie Wisslead, Ryan Smith, C.J. Stull and Shannon Logan.

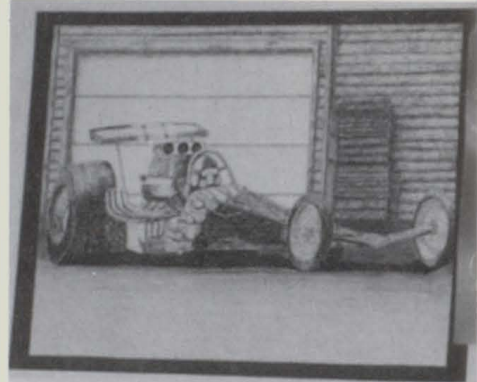
Second Place



Art work: Mitch Muhleman above and Eric Scott below.



Back Row:
Holly Sazonov,
Mitch Muhleman,
Jeff Peterson,
Eric Scott.
Front: Sara Rowe,
Stephanie Wisslead,
Seth Stull,
Heath Andrews.



Art Work: Kale Burgdorf left, and David Rutzen below.

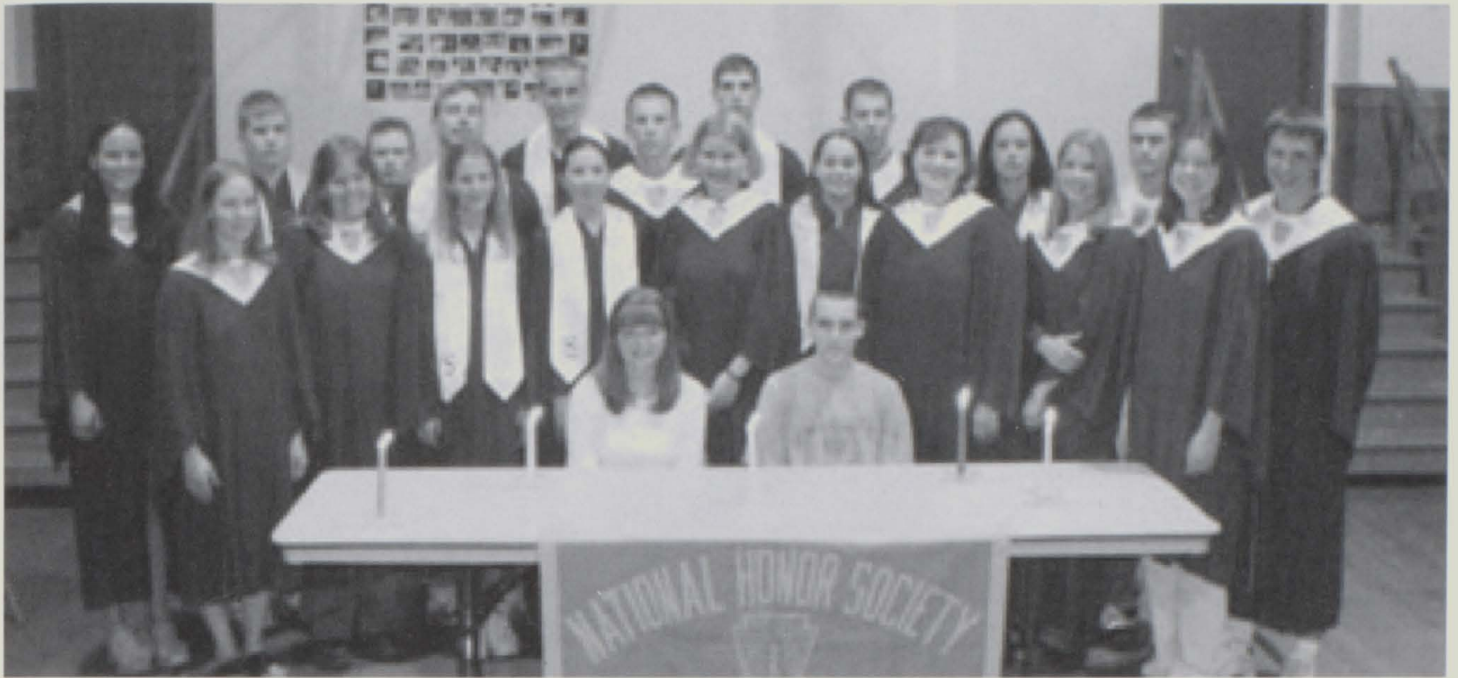


Third Place

Clockwise From top. Joe Boyd, Travis Zeh, John Wasson, Jake Staats.



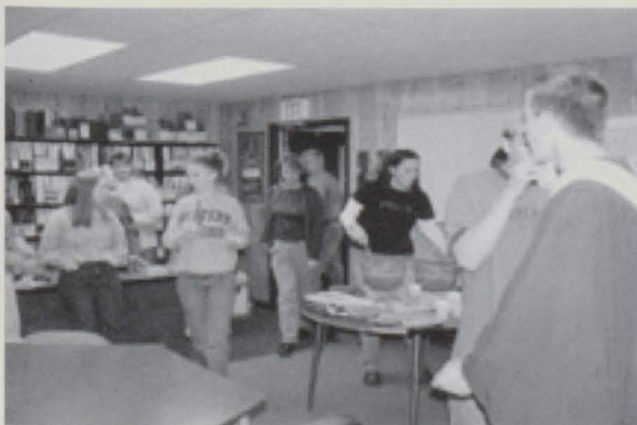
National Honor Society



Front row (L-R): Sarah Jacob, James Dye.
Second row: Emily McCann, Sarah Brokaw,
Laura Symmonds, Crystal Corzatt, Emily
Mowen, Audrey Corey, Kari Keimig, Amy
VanArsdale, Kerri Waddell.

Third row: Ashlie Cargill, Andrew Zurmuehlen,
Dan Stribling, Mitch Muhleman, William Ford,
Josh Ragar, Christopher Wisslead, John Buss,
Amy Caldwell, Ryan Keever, Adam Mayer.

The Confederate Chapter of the National Honor Society originated during the 1971-1972 school year. The NHS holds special lunches for students who excel in the classroom, and the organization also holds two induction ceremonies per year. In order to be nominated for membership in the National Honor Society, a student must have an accumulated GPA of 3.5 or higher. Once a student is nominated, the staff evaluate the nominee's character, leadership, and service to determine who is selected.





Closing: Jamie Richard and
Steve Isaacson



*The Junior Class of Southern High School
Presents for the Senior Class of 2001
At the Burlington Country Club*

Everything I do I do for you

Masters of Ceremony.....Steve Isaacson

Jamie Richard

Welcome.....Emily McCann

Response..... Kerri Waddell

Presentation.....John Buss

Closing..... Steve Isaacson

Jamie Richard

Prom King and Queen Candidates

Adam Burrell

Asblie Cargill

William Ford

Jacqueline Fisber

Steven Isaacson

Jamie Richard

Coronation



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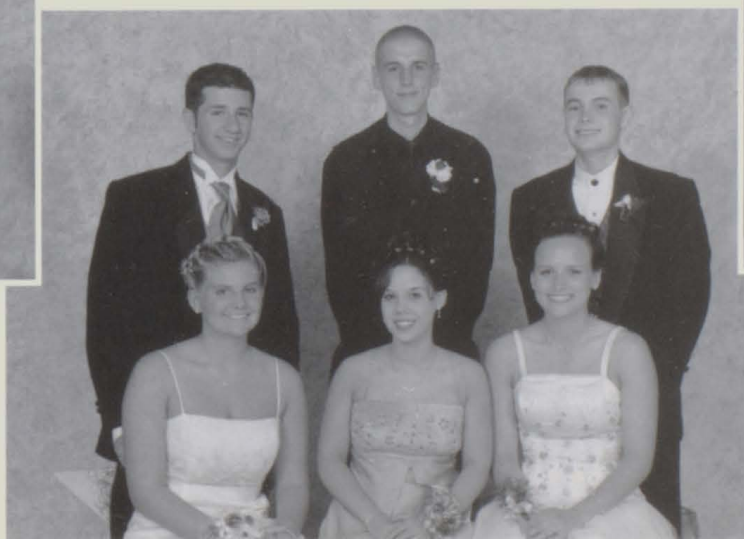
Queen Jamie Richard
and King Billy Ford



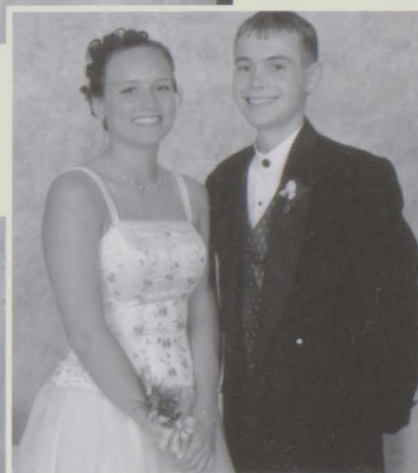
Front: King Billy Ford, Queen Jamie Richard
Back: Adam Burrell, Steve Isaacson, Seth Stull,
Jessie Pogue, Jacque Fisher, and Ashlie Cargill



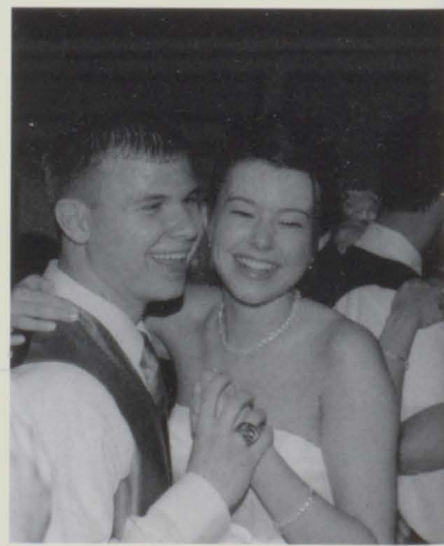
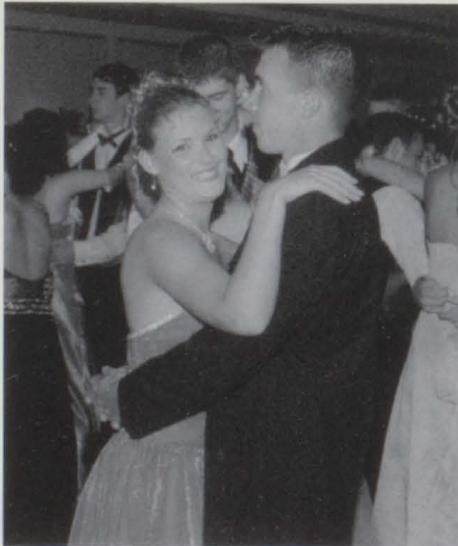
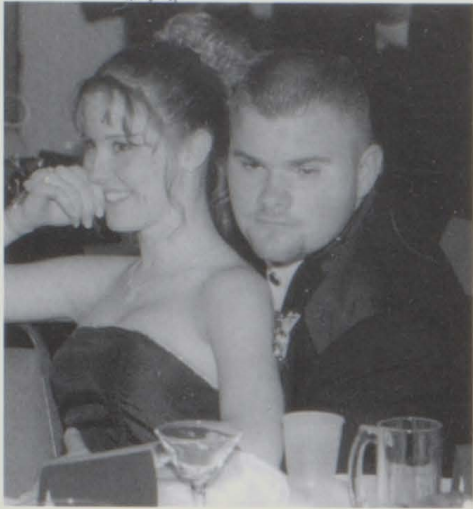
Candidates: Steve Isaacson
and Jacque Fisher



Candidates: Ashlie
Cargill and Adam Burrell



Star Light Star Bright.....





Senior Class



Junior Class



Promenade



After Prom



Senior Wills

I, **Kale Burgdorf**, will what's left of my truck to Mr. Nichols, so he can have a real truck. I will "Beef" the Slim Jims that are in the glovebox. I will all the pencils I took from Mr. Ricketts back to him; there are five in my old locker. I will my gym shoes to Coach Borries; he needs the up's. The rest is up for grabs! Once you take it, do not bring it back!

I, **Amy Caldwell**, of quick tongue and harsh words, will my ability to deal with stupid people to anyone who wants it. Sometimes people are just stupid.

I, **Nathan Cokel**, will my dancing abilities to any of the girls at any parties this summer.

I, **Chris Doran**, will my awesome driving skills to all the underclassmen; may they never get into an accident. I also will my ability to play great defense to Leon Annegers; may he actually tackle the guy with the ball. Last, I will my truck to Ryan Smith; may he have a fun time trying to get in it.

I, **Taryn Gullberg**, of groggy mind and always tired body, will my ability to be late for every early-morning practice to Jamie Richard and the rest of the underclassmen; may they always get a good night's sleep.

I, **Jean Kane**, of unintelligent mind and good friendships, will my ability to fix the volleyball team's hair before each game to Ashlie Cargill. I also will my ability to deal with Kari Keimig to Lee Brokaw; may you use this skill wisely.

I, **Kari Keimig**, of an oh-so-cheerful personality, will my ability to eat Twinkies non-stop to any of the "Jan's" out there. Finally, I would like to will "Rebel," my superhero sidekick, to all of the high spirited underclassmen. May you try to be as loud as I was!!!

I, **Tyler Klossing**, will my ability to get my butt chewed at every basketball practice to Silas Pogue. May you use this to your best ability.

I, **Adam Mayer**, will my ability to do nothing yet look like I am doing something to Michael G. Lenahan.

I, **Hallie Morrison**, of sporty mind and tomboy body, will my athletic ability to play any sport to all the underclassmen boys! Good Luck to all of you! I also will my ability to burp out loud in the middle of Coach Cole's speeches to Jamie Richard. I will my ability to put up with Kari Keimig to Mike Lenahan; may you always be able to keep your patience under control!

I, **Mitch Muhleman**, will my ability to tolerate a certain group of people with an obscure outlook on what is important in life to Ryan Smith; good luck bud. I also will my car to my cousin Cory Fox; just 'cause it says it can go that fast doesn't mean you need to. I also will my ability to be the chew toy for football to Mike Lenahan, hahaha!

I, **Jessi Mynatt**, will my ability to hit opposing volleyball players multiple times in a game to Kelsey Cargill.

I, **Jeff Peterson**, of decrepit mind and air-dried body, will 250 lbs. to the remaining Southern High School Students. May they be used chunky, funky, wise, and forever jealous of my African Bull elephant-like stature. I will my hair to any bare chested young lads and my driving skills to any impaired underclassmen; may you learn to park.

I, **Jessie Pogue**, of immature mind and shapeless body, will my ability to sneak through small windows to Ryan Smith; may it get you out of Mr. Ockert's classes at the right time. I will the infamous DiMarini to Callie Burgdorf; may it take you "yard" many times.

I, **Holly Sazonov**, will my stereo system to my brother Jon; he is always looking for a good one.

I, **Eric Scott**, of sound mind and scrawny body, will my winter driving skills to Brad "Ed" Mowen. Everything else is up for grabs as long as I get the profit.

I, **Bethany Schrock**, will my abilities to speak Spanish to the upcoming sophomore and junior classes. Buenas Sueurte!

I, **Rachel Schrock**, of a trend-centered mind, will my wardrobe to the underclassmen. I will all of my hair products to the freshmen girls, poor things!

I, **Travis Smith**, will my jumping ability to Danny Morrison. I will my ability to procrastinate to my brother Cody, and my ability to work hard in P.E. to Laura Symmonds.

I, **Dan Stribling**, of broad mind and short body, will my amazing musical abilities to my little brother Darrell. Also, I will my ability to show up three seconds before the bell every day to my little brother Devon. May punctuality mean nothing to you!

I, **Seth Stull**, will my baseball glove to Silas Pogue, my sense of humor to Emily McCann, my good looks to Christopher Wisslead, my ability to have fun to Laura Symmonds, and my acting ability to Heath Andrews. I also will my ability to do "dirty work" for Mr. Frank to Dan Morrison, my ability to put up with Silas Pogue to Mr. Frank, and my half of the Chico Chicken Coupe to Crystal Corzatt.

I, **Amy Van Arsdale**, will my bionic knees to Jill Pence. May they serve you well. I will my ability to get out of class time for every reason possible to Sarah Jacob, my Youth Coalition replacement.

I, **Kristin Vancil**, of quick feet, light body, and absent mind, who has driven the red Ford truck with a livestock rack on it, will this vehicle to "Scratch." It will forever be known as the Red Babe Cage. I will my speed of the 400 meter dash to Busser; may you run the 4 by 400 relay and not come in last.

I, **Kerri Waddell**, of sound mind and flabby body, will my ability to take control in any situation to Christopher Wisslead. I will my athletic ability to my sister Kim, and my ability to follow a schedule to Sarah Jacob. To Ashlie Cargill I will the privilege of ordering for the table at restaurants.

I, **Jessica Walter**, will my ability to get kicked out of Hardee's drive-thru to Jamie Richard. I also will my ability to fall asleep while waiting for my food at Steak-N-Shake to Sarah Garst.

I, **Andrew Zurmuehlen**, will my ability to procrastinate whenever possible to James Dye; may he learn the joy of putting things off until the last minute.

Class of 2001 Trophies

It is now the year 2011 and we take you to Kerri Waddell's basement for the Southern High School's Class of 2001's ten year reunion. Tonight's dinner is being catered by Tenley Wilson including her ever-popular seven-layer salad. We will be entertained by Dan Stribling and his band who have now sold over a million copies of their new album. What exactly has everyone been up to.....

Bobby Avery owns a chain of dance clubs known as "The Stud Shacks."

Kale Burgdorf has started his own line of stereo equipment. He has recently been inducted into the Guinness Book of World Records for owning the most Ford Broncos. You can still hear Kale coming from miles away.

Amy Caldwell is now one of the top attorneys in Chicago because she can talk her way out of anything. On the weekends, you can find her at the local Mexican restaurants salsa dancing.

Nathan Cokel is still cruisin' in his Z24 Cavalier convertible, still trying to pick up chicks. He is making quite a reputation for himself.

Taryn Gullberg landed a starring role playing the head ditz on Clueless 2. Her biggest struggle was overcoming the urge to say, "What?" every time they called roll.

Ben Hicks recently became Evil Knevil's understudy. As of today, he's broken a total of 74 bones in his body.

Jean Kane is now a hairstylist in New York who became a hit after styling hair for the Oscars.

Kari Keimig WAS a kindergarten teacher before she had a nervous breakdown. Now she spends her time as Martha Stewart's cohost.

Tyler Klossing assists Michael Jordan is coaching their sons' YMCA basketball team.

Even though **Adam Mayer** is now a millionaire, he is still driving his Fiero back and forth to his corporate office.

Hallie Morrison was on the cover of Sports Illustrated for athlete of the year. Her husband was unable to attend because he took their children to the toddler triathlon.

Mitch Muhleman now builds half-way houses. He also owns a foreign used car dealership out of his backyard.

Jessi Mynatt married a 4'8" racecar driver who enjoys driving just as fast and reckless as she does.

Danny Norris works with a construction company. He saves them money that they used to use to buy ladders.

Jeff Peterson owns his own tattoo parlor where his most popular tattoo has a picture of Sal the South American, Spanish talking, ninja-fighting, one-armed bandito.

Jessie Pogue is a famous journalist in Chicago after marrying Carson Daly. She has one child who is an Olympic gymnast.

Holly Sazonov is now fluent in 12 different languages and after experimenting with every color hair dye, she has now settled on her natural color.

Eric Scott is a Calvin Klein model where you can see him in his skivvies on billboards across the world. Grr baby grr!

Bethany Schrock, who is now an animator for the Cartoon Network, is also a recent model for the Power Puff Girls.

Rachel Schrock was forced to marry a millionaire to support her shopping habits. She is currently an announcer on "Shop till you Drop."

Travis Smith is now Hugh Hefner's apprentice at the Playboy mansion. He sometimes plays basketball with his friend Kobe Bryant.

Dan Stribling is now a minister/ boyband musician/history teacher/ Air Force pilot/ computer technician and last but not least- the proud father of seven girls: Abigail, Amanda, Alice, Alyssa, Ashley, Amy, AnDrea.

Amy Van Arsdale became famous for her spontaneous grandma noises. You can hear her "voice" on the new Polydent commercial. "Ugh, my dentures!"

Kristin Vancil is a swimsuit model on the cover of Runner's Magazine. She now runs the 400 m dash in 35 seconds. She currently holds the world record.

Kerri Waddell became the first female President of the United States. Sadly enough, she still had time to plan this reunion.

Jessica Walter has now gone through 12 different jobs in the past three years. She is currently her own boss and owns her own line of clothing. She saved up enough money to buy APAC.

Tenley Wilson is now a chemist who has invented the new miracle migraine medicine. Headache sufferers across America have her to thank for their relief.

Brad Willits got a job impersonating Elvis in Las Vegas. He owns a branch of Wal-Mart in Nevada.

Don't Panic! **Andrew** was riding shotgun on the way here tonight with **Jenny**. They were in a small wreck but they are both going to be okay. They will both have to undergo another leg surgery though. Watch out for those razors Andrew!

Our next reunion will be in another ten years. Like all of our parties, it will most likely be held here in Kerri's basement. Good Night!!!!!!!

Where do babies



Bobby



Kale



Amy C.



Nathan



Tyler



Adam



Hallie



Mitch



Holly



Eric



Bethany



Rachel



Kristin



Kerri



Jessica



Jenny

come from?



Chris



Taryn



Jean



Kari



Jessi



Danny



Jeff



Jessie



Travis



Seth



Dan



Amy V.



Brad



Tenley



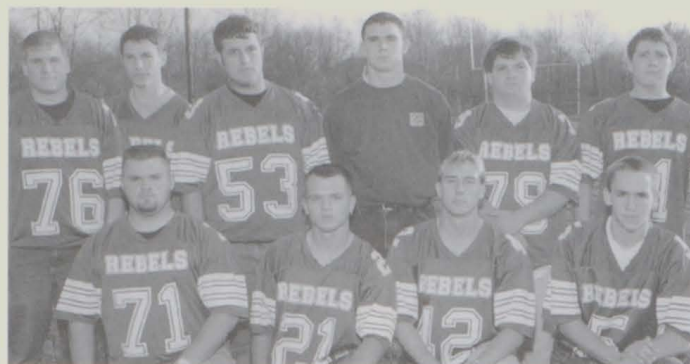
Andrew

Friends
stay friends,
Problems they
will mend.
Through all
that happens.
They'll still
be friends.

SENIOR



Scholarship Winners for their college- Kristin Vancil, Dan Stribling, Amy Caldwell, Kari Keimig, Andrew Zurmuehlen, Jessica Pogue, Jessi Mynatt, Amy Van Arsdale, Kerri Waddell.



Senior Football Players- First Row: Brad Willits, Chris Doran, Mitch Muhleman, Tyler Klossing. Second Row: Andrew Zurmuehlen, Adam Mayer, Bobby Avery, Seth Stull, Shawn Watkins, Jarrett Johnson.

Seniors

Robert Avery

S Club 9, 10, 12; Football 9, 10, 12; FFA 12.

Kale Burgdorf

S Club 11; Drama Club 9, 11; FFA 9.

Amy Caldwell

S Club 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer (Treasurer) 11, 12; Drama Club 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 9, 11, 12; Girls Basketball 9; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Softball 9, 10, 11, 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Spring Musical 10, 12; High Honor Student 12.

Nathan Cokel

Football 10; Boys State 12.

Chris Doran

S Club 10, 11, 12; SAE 12; Drama Club 12; Student Council (Vice President) 12; Yearbook Club 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12.

Taryn Gullberg

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pom-Pon Squad 10, 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, 10, 11; FHA 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Girls Track 9, 10; Softball 11, 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Spring Musical 10; FFA 12 (Secretary).

Ben Hicks

FFA 12.

Jean Kane

S Club 10, 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; FHA (Treasurer) 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Student Council 9, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Softball 9; Softball Stat 10; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12 (Officer); Spring Musical 10, 12; Scholastic Bowl 9, 10, 12; FFA (Officer) 12.

Kari Keimig

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer (Secretary) 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 10, 11, 12 (Secretary); Speech Club 10, 11; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Softball 9, 10; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club (Officer) 9, 10, 11, 12; Spring Musical 10, 12; FFA (Reporter) 12; Scholastic Bowl 9, 10, 11, 12; Outstanding Senior Music Student Award 12; High Honor Student 12; American Legion Post 765 Award.

Tyler Klossing

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Boys Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA 12.

Adam Mayer

S Club 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Student Council 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Boys Basketball 9, 10, 11; Homecoming Attendant 11; Illinois State Scholar 12; High Honor Student 12.

Hallie Morrison

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Softball 9, 10, 11, 12; Ron Waid Award 12; Gladys Bigger Memorial Award 12.

Mitch Muhleman

S Club 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10; Drama Club 12; National Honor Society 12; SAE 12; Yearbook Club 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Boys Basketball 9, 10, 11; Homecoming Attendant 9; Spring Musical 12. Boys State 12; High Honor Student 12.

Jessica Mynatt

S Club 10, 11, 12; Pom-Pon Squad 10, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, SAE 9, 10, 11, 12 (Secretary); Student Council (Secretary) 12; Yearbook Club 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Girls Track 11, 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Bank Contest Essay Winner 12; FFA (President) 12.

Danny Norris

SAE 11, 12.

Jeff Peterson

Student Council 9, 10, 12; FFA 12.

ACHIEVEMENTS



Senior SAE Members: First Row: Travis Smith, Taryn Gullberg, Chris Doran, Seth Stull, Kerri Waddell, Tyler Klossing, Jessica Pogue. Second Row: Amy Caldwell, Jean Kane, Amy Van Arsdale, Hallie Morrison, Rachel Schrock, Mitch Muhleman, Kristin Vancil. Third Row: Jessica Mynatt, Kari Keimig, Danny Norris.



Bank Essay Winners- Amy Van Arsdale, Jessi Mynatt, Jessica Pogue.

Jessica Pogue

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 (President); Cheerleader 9; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Softball 9, 10, 11, 12; Homecoming Attendant 10; Prom Queen 11; Graduation Marshals 11; Ecology Club 9, 11; Bank Contest Winner 12; Spring Musical 12; Scholastic Bowl 9.

Holly Sazonov

Chorus 12; Yearbook Club 12; Football 9, 10; Music Contest 12; FFA 12.

Eric Scott

Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; Spring Musical 10, 12. Boys State 12.

Bethany Schrock

S Club 10, 11; Pom-Pon Squad 10; Chorus 11; Class Officer (Treasurer) 9, 10; Drama Club 10; FHA 9, 10, 11 (President); SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 11; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11; Softball 9, 10, 11; Ecology Club 10, 11, 12.

Rachel Schrock

S Club 9, 10, 11; FHA 9, 10, 11 (Vice President), 12 (President); SAE 9, 10, 11; Yearbook Club 12; Girls Basketball Stat. 9; Softball 9, 10; Ecology Club 10, 11, 12.

Travis Smith

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 12; Football 9, 10; Boys Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12.

Dan Stribling

Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer (Vice President) 9; Drama Club 9, 10, 11; National Honor Society 10, 11, 12; Speech club 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Spring Musical 10; Scholastic Bowl 9; DAR Good Citizenship Award 12; Illinois State Scholar 12; High Honor Student 12; American Legion Post 765 Award; Valedictorian 12.

Seth Stull

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 12; SAE 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Boys Basketball 9, 10, 11; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Prom King 12; Spring Musical 12; Don Isaacson Award 12.

Amy Van Arsdale

S Club 10, 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; FHA 10, 11, 12 (Secretary); National Honor Society 10, 11, 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12 (President); Student Council 10, 11, 12 (Treasurer); Yearbook Club 12; Cheerleader 9, 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Girls Track 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Bank Essay Winner 12; Spring Musical 10, 12; High Honor Student 12.

Kristin Vancil

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Pom-Pon Squad 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; FHA 11, 12; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 9, 10, 11; Girls Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Girls Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA 12.

Kerri Waddell

S Club 10, 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer (President) 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 10, 12; National Honor Society 10, 11, 12 (President); SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Cheerleader 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball Mgr. (Laundry) 10, 11; Homecoming Queen 12; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9; Spring Musical 10, 12; Scholastic Bowl 9, 10, 11, 12; Illinois State Scholar 12; High Honor Student 12; Salutatorian 12.

Jessica Walter

S Club 9, 10, 11; FHA 9, 10, 11; SAE 9, 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Club 12; Girls Basketball Stat. 9; Softball 9, 10, 11; Ecology Club 11, 12; FFA 12.

Jennifer Waterman

S Club 11; Pom-Pon Squad 11; Class Officer (Vice President) 10, 11, 12; SAE 9; Yearbook Club 12; Softball 9, 10, 11; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA (Sentinal) 12.

Brad Willits

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA 12.

Tenley Wilson

S Club 9, 10; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; SAE 9; Yearbook Club 12; Softball 10; Softball Mgr. 9; Music Contest 9, 10, 11, 12; Ecology Club 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA 12.

Andrew Zurmuehlen

S Club 9, 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12; Football 9, 10, 12; Boys Basketball 9, 11; Homecoming King 12; High Honor Student 12.

BACCALAUREATE and COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Southern Community High School Gymnasium

Sunday, May 27, 2001 - 5:00 P.M.

* Processional	Sarah Brokaw
<i>"Pomp and Circumstance" - Greig</i>	
* Invocation	Kari Keimig
	Secretary, Senior Class
Music Selection	Senior Chorus
<i>"Time of Your Life"</i>	
Introduction of Honors Speaker	Amy VanArsdale
	Student Council Treasurer
Honors Address	Kerri Waddell
	President, Senior Class
Don Isaacson Award	Mr. Jay Blender
Ron Waid Award	Mr. Jim Cole
Gladys Bigger Memorial Scholarship	Mr. Barry Bigger
Pieter McVey Memorial Scholarship	Mr. Dale Buss
DAR Good Citizenship Award	Ms. Carol Webb
American Legion Post 765 Citizenship Award	Mr. Gene Heap
Presentation of Outstanding Senior Music Student(s)	Mrs. Joanne Hilligoss
Baccalaureate Address	Mr. Maurice Stribling
	Minister, Stronghurst Christian Church
Introduction of Senior Speakers	Jennifer Waterman
	Vice President, Senior Class
Senior Address	Jessica Pogue
	Adam Mayer
Music Selection	Senior Music Students
<i>"Friends"</i>	
Introduction of Guest Speaker	Jessica Mynatt
	Student Council Secretary
Guest Speaker	Mrs. Elaine Hull
Valedictorian and Salutatorian	Mr. Dale Buss
	Principal, Southern High School
Presentation of Class	Mr. Charles Barber
	Superintendent, Southern Unit #120
**Presentation of Diplomas	Mr. Monty Waddell
	Vice President, Board of Education
Benediction	Amy Caldwell
	Treasurer, Senior Class
* Recessional	Sarah Jacob
<i>"Pomp and Circumstance" - Greig</i>	

* Audience will please remain seated for the Processional and Recessional.

** Audience will please hold applause until all students have received diplomas.

SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL TOP SENIORS GRADUATING WITH SCHOLAR, HONORS, OR HIGH HONORS

SCHOLAR (3.00 - 3.32)

Chris Doran
Taryn Gullberg
Jean Kane
Jessica Mynatt
Dan Norris

HONORS (3.33 - 3.69)

Jessica Pogue
Holly Sazonov
Eric Scott
Seth Stull
Jessica Walter

HIGH HONORS (3.70 - 4.20)

*Amy Caldwell	*Dan Stribling
*Kari Keimig	*Amy VanArsdale
*Adam Mayer	*Kerri Waddell
*Mitch Muhleman	*Andrew Zurmuehlen

*Designates National Honor Society Members

TOP TEN SENIORS

Amy Caldwell	Dan Stribling
Christopher Doran	Amy VanArsdale
Kari Keimig	Kerri Waddell
Adam Mayer	Jessica Walter
Mitch Muhleman	Andrew Zurmuehlen

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Kerri Waddell
Vice President	Jennifer Waterman
Secretary	Kari Keimig
Treasurer	Amy Caldwell

CLASS FLOWER - Lilly

CLASS COLORS - Purple and Neon Green

CLASS MOTTO - *"Life isn't a matter of milestones, but moments."*

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Mr. Stan Fisher	

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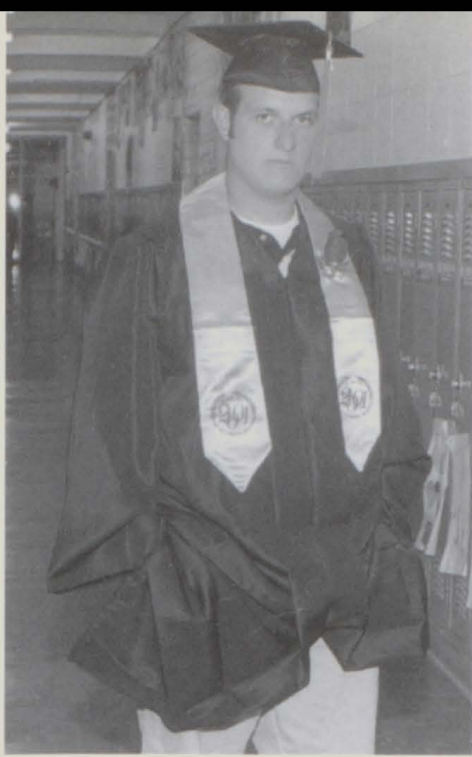
A Change Over Time



8th Grade Promotion



Senior Graduation



We're Ready to Go....



Graduation Class of 2001



"Greenday: Time of Your Life"



Reviewing for a test



Who you are inside



"Friends"



Honors Speaker



Gladys Bigger and Ron Waid Award



Senior Address



Pieter McVey Scholarship



Don Isaacson Award



Valedictorian and Salutatorian



American Legion Citizenship Award



DAR Good Citizenship Award



American Legion Citizenship Award



Outstanding Music Student

Through the years...



Top Five Cars at SHS



#1 Jessica Walter's Chevy Camaro



#2 Mitch Muhleman's Mazda MX-6



#3 Sarah Garst's Pontiac Grand Am



#4 Jamie Richard's Pontiac Grand Am



#5 Chris Lenahan's Ford Fairlane 500

The students of Southern High School were polled as to which cars they thought were the coolest.

The results showed that Jessica Walter's Chevy Camaro was the coolest, followed by Mitch Muhleman's Mazda MX-6, Sarah Garst's Pontiac Grand Am, Jamie Richard's Grand Am, and Chris Lenahan's Ford Fairlane 500.

Advice for the underclassmen

Open your arms to change, but don't let go of your values. ~ Rachel Schrock

Don't put off for tomorrow what you can do today, because if you enjoy it today, you can do it again tomorrow. ~ Jean Kane

Obstacles are things a person sees when he takes his eyes off his goal. ~ Chris Doran

Have fun and make memories every chance you get because your time here is limited. ~ Jessi Mynatt

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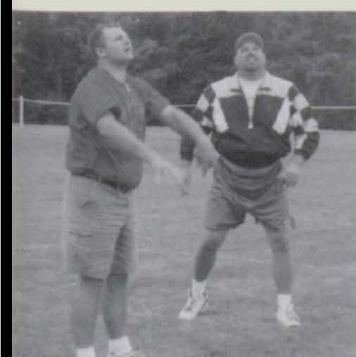
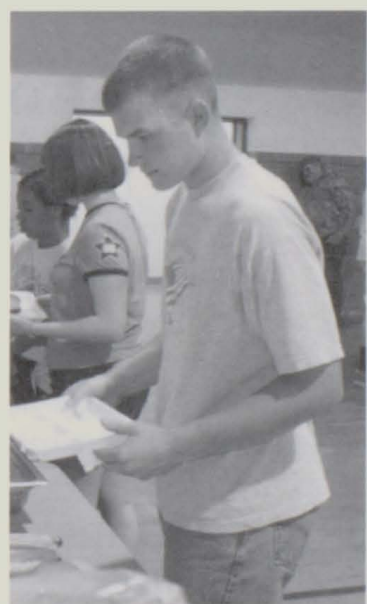
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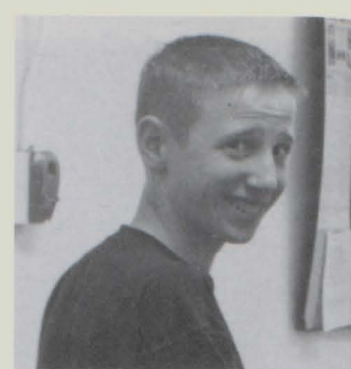
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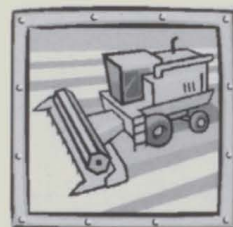


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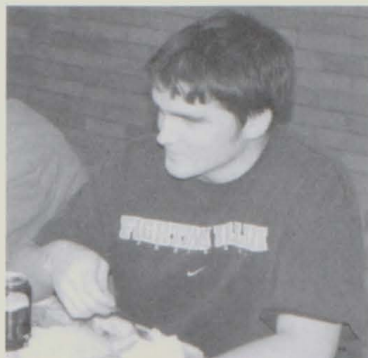
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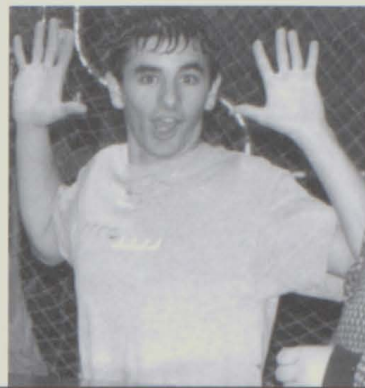
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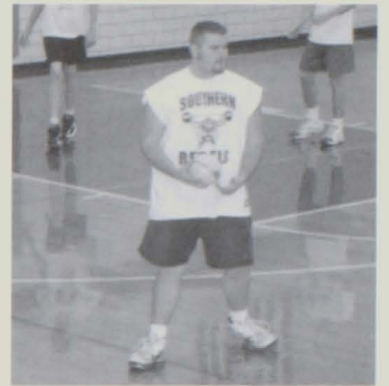
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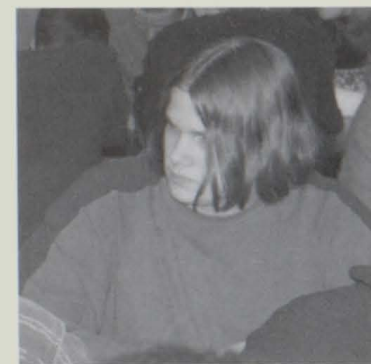
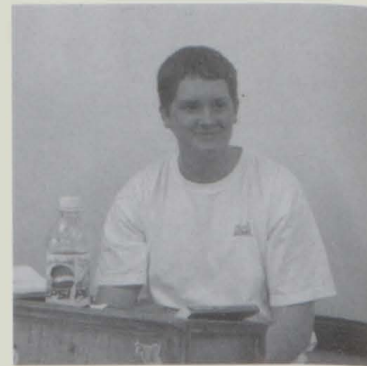
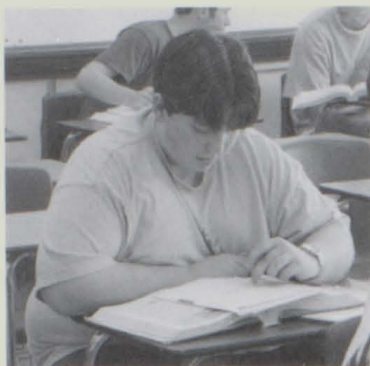
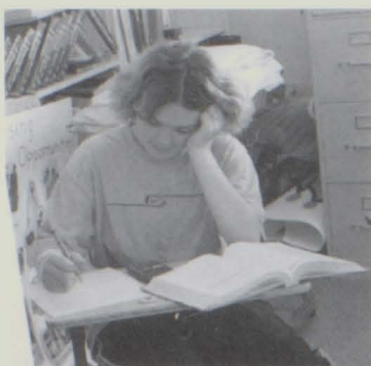
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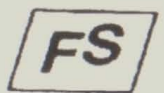
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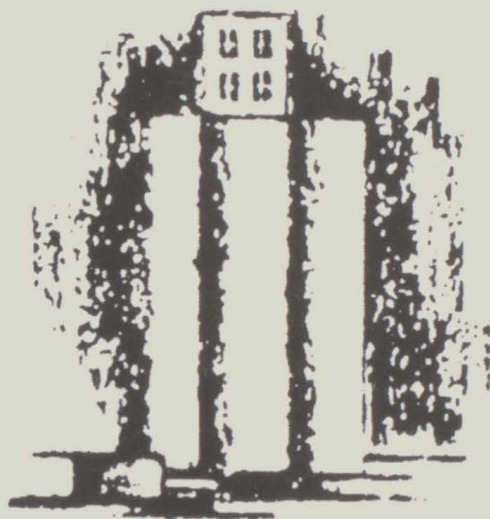
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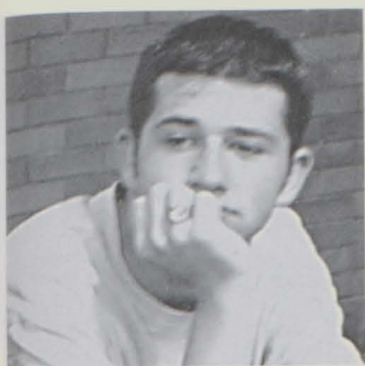
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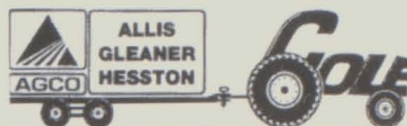


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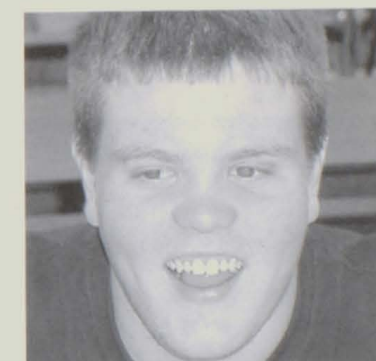
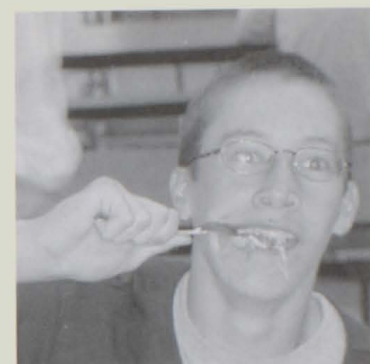
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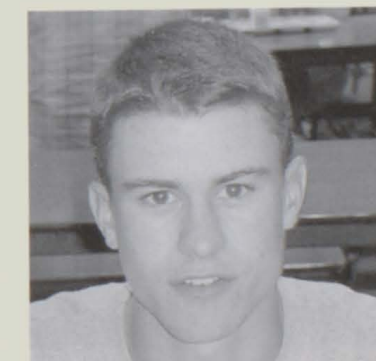
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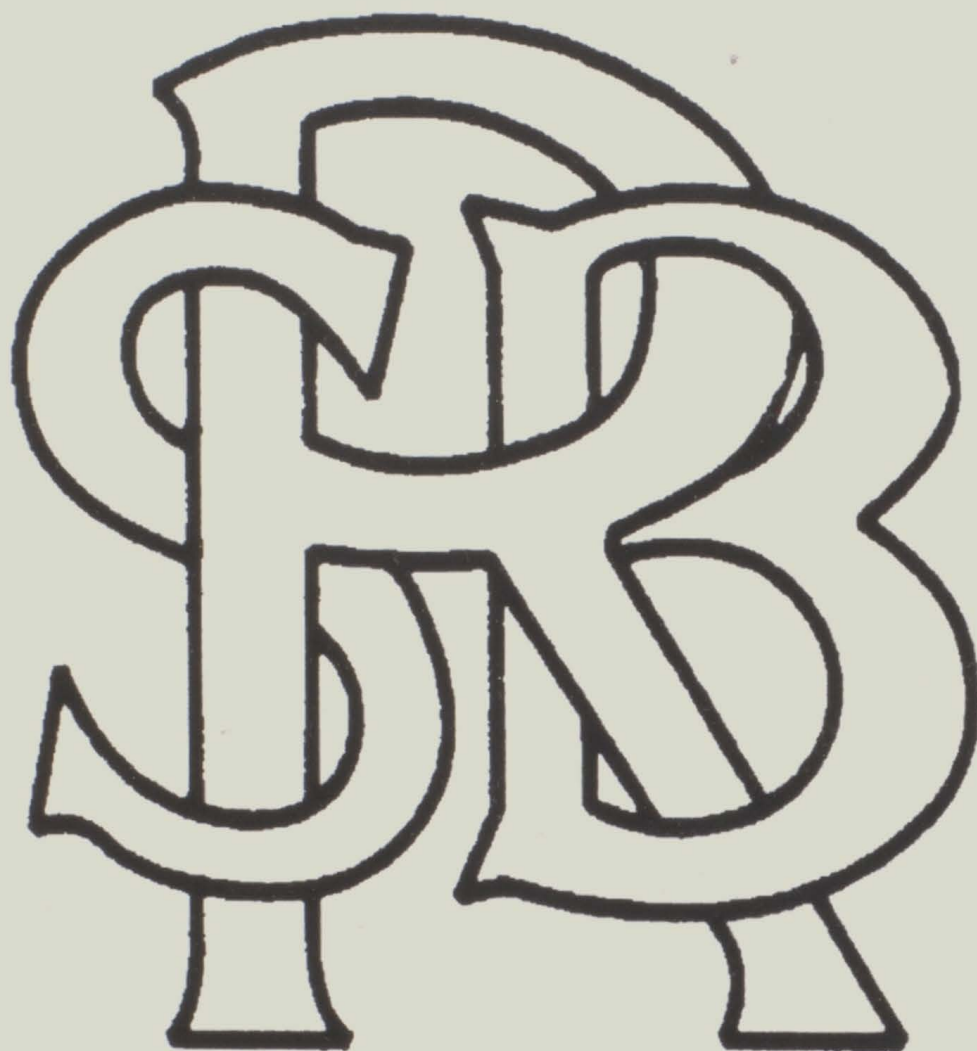
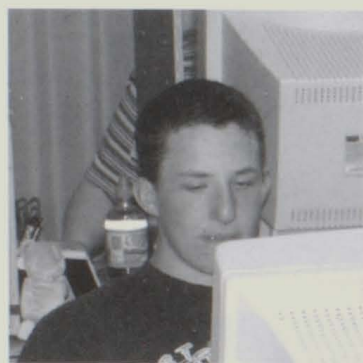
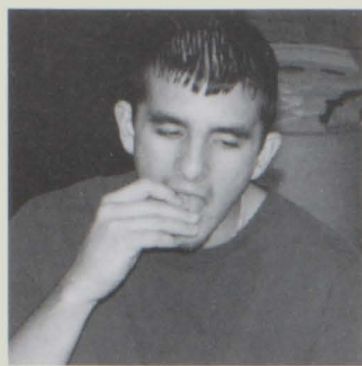


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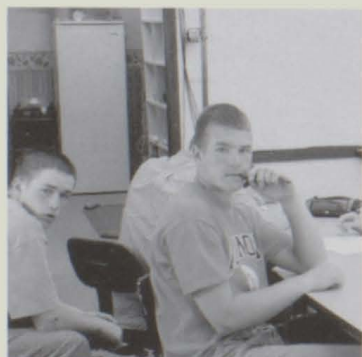
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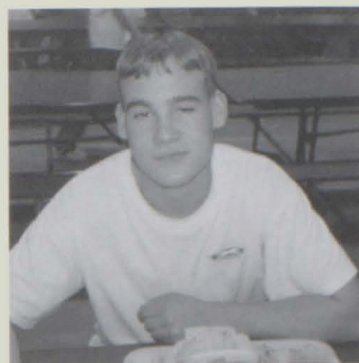


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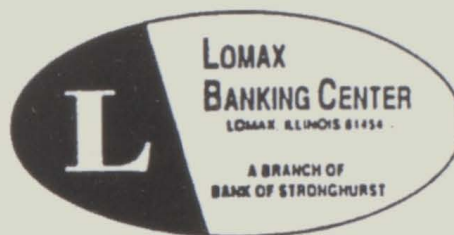
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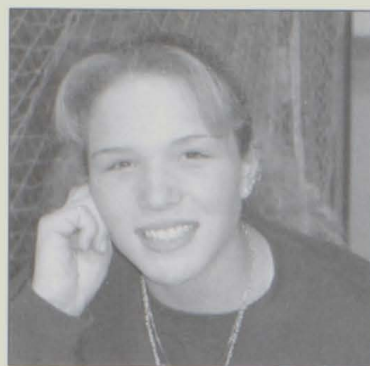
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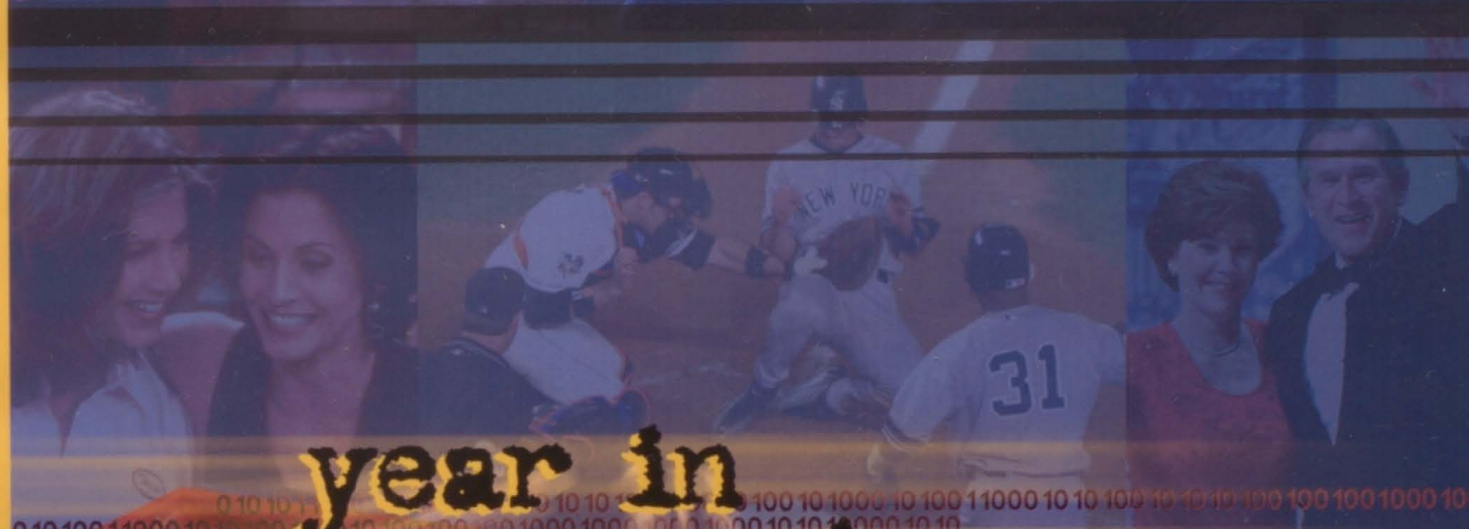
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year in review

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The Election 2000

After five weeks of hand recounts, court appeals, concessions and retractions, Vice President Al Gore's final concession of the presidency to Texas Governor George W. Bush and his vice-presidential running mate Dick Cheney brought an end to one of the longest and most eventful elections in American history.

What happened? The Election at a Glance:

November 7 (Election Day): Shortly before 8 p.m. EST, the major television networks estimate Al Gore and vice-presidential running mate Joe Lieberman the winners.

With a too-close-to-call election throughout much of the nation, Florida becomes the key state in deciding the winner, as the next

president will need Florida's 25 electoral votes to win.

November 8: At 2:15 a.m., results from Florida begin to suggest George Bush carries the battleground state. Gore concedes the election to Bush, thinking Bush has at least a 50,000 vote lead. Forty-five minutes later, Gore gets word Bush's lead has shrunk to only a few thousand votes, and retracts his concession.

Due to the closeness of the election, the focus turns to questionable ballots and fair voting practices.

In St. Louis, Mo., a controversy arises over a lower court's ruling to keep the polls open past the 7 p.m. deadline.

In Palm Beach County, Fla., an unexpectedly large number of votes for Reform Party candidate Pat Buchanan lead to questions about the legitimacy of the punch-card-style "butterfly ballot."

AP Photo/Victor Cavano

November 9: Gore's team requests a hand recount of ballots in four Florida counties, Palm Beach, Miami-Dade, Broward and Volusia.

November 16: Bush's lawyers submit written arguments to the U.S. Federal Appeals Court to end recounts.

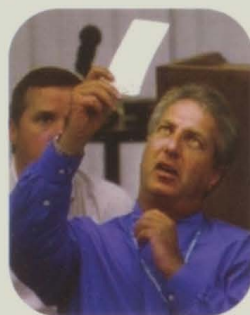
November 22-December 8: Hand recounts and legal battles continue, making the word "chad" (the small piece of paper punched out of the ballots) a household word.

December 9: The U.S. Supreme Court halts the manual recounts and sets a hearing for two days later.

December 13: In a public concession speech, Gore states he no longer wishes to prolong the election, and yields the presidency, making George W. Bush the nation's 43rd president, and the first chief executive since Benjamin Harrison in 1888 to claim the office with the majority of electoral votes but a minority of the popular vote nationwide.



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YOU SAID...

Was Al Gore's appeal for a vote recount in Miami-Dade and Palm Beach counties justified or unjustified?

Unjustified
Justified

54%
46%

Politics and World News

Elian Gonzalez, a six-year-old Cuban boy found off the coast of Florida, survived yet another ordeal: the brutal

custody battle between relatives in Miami and his father in Cuba. The long struggle culminated in a late-night raid on a Miami home where armed U.S. agents seized Elian by force, putting him in the custody of his father who returned with Elian to Cuba.



AP Photo/Wilfredo Lee

In a stunning surprise move, Israeli **Prime Minister Ehud Barak** announced his resignation. Barak's popularity had dropped during the ongoing conflict between Israelis and Palestinians. Barak stood for re-election, hoping for a vote of confidence from the Israeli People, but lost to Likud party leader Ariel Sharon.

Many thought peace between **North Korea and South Korea** would never happen, but the past year saw warming relations between the two countries,

which are still technically at war. Images of North Korean leader Kim Jong II entertaining South Korea's Kim Dae-jung at a June peace summit in Pyong-yang were considered some of the most surprising news pictures of the year.



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Tragedy struck when **Air France Flight 4590**, one of only 13

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Concorde jetliners in use, caught fire upon takeoff and crashed into a small hotel in the French town of Gonesse. The 109 people aboard were killed, as well as four people on the ground.

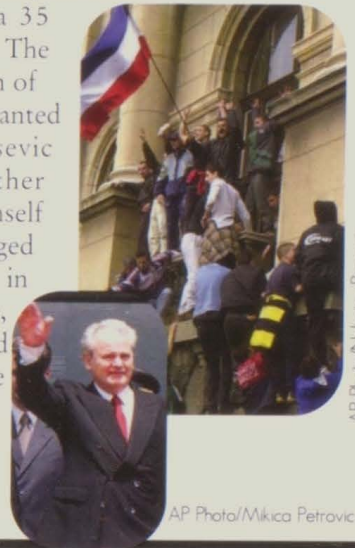


Hillary Rodham Clinton became the first active first lady of the United States to win an elective office when she defeated U.S. Republican representative Rick Lazio for one of New York's U.S. Senate seats.



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Elections in Yugoslavia turned angry when **Prime Minister Slobodan Milosevic** lost to the people's choice Vojislav Kostunica 35 percent to 55 percent. The election's close margin of error would have warranted a recount, but Milosevic refused to hold another election, declaring himself the winner. The outraged public rallied violently in the streets of Belgrade, and the riots combined with pressure from the U.N. and Russia finally forced Milosevic to concede the election to Kostunica.



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YOU SAID...

Who would you have voted for in the presidential election?

Bush	43%
Gore	38%
Nader	12%
Other	7%

Politics and World News

A nation mourned the lives lost on the Russian **nuclear submarine Kursk**, which sank to the bottom of the Barents Sea after being shattered by a huge explosion. Despite the prolonged rescue efforts of Russian and Norwegian divers, all 118 men aboard the Kursk died.

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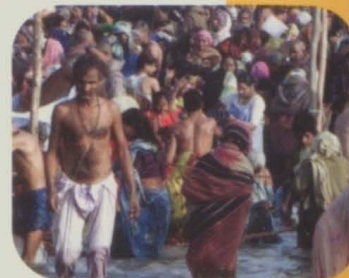
A **Christmas Day blaze in Central China** tore through a shopping and commercial center, killing 309 people. The fire trapped people celebrating at a Christmas dance party as well as construction workers inside the four-story supermarket, shops and disco building in the Henan province of Luoyang.

Violence and tension in the Middle East escalated once again when the **USS Cole United States Navy destroyer** was attacked while moored in Yemen for routine refueling. Suicidal terrorists on a small boat crept up and bombed the Cole, killing 17 United States sailors and Marines.



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Bitter cold and freezing water did not deter an estimated two and a half million people who bathed in **India's Ganges River** on the first day of a Hindu religious festival. The Maha Kumbh Mela, or Grand Pitcher Festival, takes place every 12 years and sees millions of devotees bathe in the Ganges to purify their sins.



AP Photo/John McConico

James Perkins, Jr., a former computer consultant, was chosen as the first-ever black mayor of Selma, Ala., with 57 percent of the vote in a runoff election. He defeated long-time Selma Mayor Joseph T. Smitherman, who was going for his 10th re-election.

A **7.6-magnitude earthquake** devastated the suburban neighborhood of **Las Colinas in El Salvador**. More than 600 were reported dead. In Washington state, Salvadoran Americans numbering about 135,000 rushed to organize relief efforts while individuals coped with losing relatives and friends in the Central American tragedy.

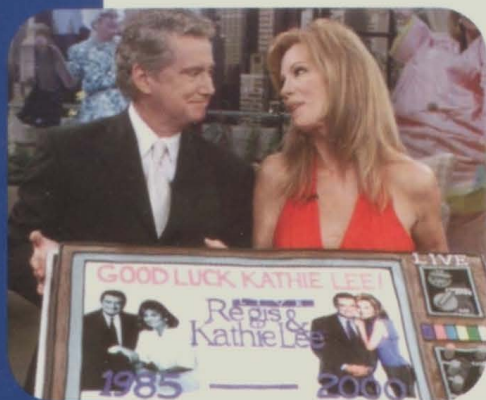
AP Photo/Victor Ruiz



As the **price of crude oil** reached a 10-year high of \$34 per barrel, angry truckers and farmers throughout Europe blockaded oil depots and put a chokehold on much of the nation's fuel supply. The high petrol prices led to an unprecedented show of public dissent in European countries, particularly Britain.

People and Entertainment

After 15 years of co-hosting with Regis Philbin on "Live with Regis and Kathie Lee," **Kathie Lee Gifford** bid farewell to the show. The 46-



AP Photo/Richard Drew

year-old entertainer, wife of former football star and Monday night sports announcer Frank Gifford, cited concerns about spending more time with her two young children, son Cody and daughter Cassidy, as reasons for leaving the show. ABC soap opera actress Kelly

Ripa was selected as Gifford's replacement.

The Food Network brought popular Japanese cooking show **The Iron Chef** to the United States, where it quickly became a cult hit. The theatrical Japanese



AP Photo/Shize Kambayashi

program featured an unusual combination of WWF Smackdown-type competition and gourmet cooking, pitting the world's best chefs against each other in a culinary battle using eclectic ingredients such as pork belly or giant eel.

Web superstar **Napster**, founded and created by 19-year-old Shawn Fanning, was pulled into court as the Recording Industry of America sued to stop the extremely successful



AP Photo/Louis Lanzano

Internet music file sharing company in aiding the distribution of copyrighted songs. The legal pressure led to a federal court ruling for Napster to stop its users from trading copyrighted material and also to an alliance with German media giant Bertelsmann.

George, the political monthly magazine founded by the late John F. Kennedy Jr., folded in March due to monetary problems. The final issue included a collection of interviews conducted by Kennedy while he was editor.

Two years after announcing he had Parkinson's disease, actor Michael J. Fox made his final appearance on the ABC sitcom "Spin City." Despite his degenerative disease, Fox saw the series through its 100th episode.

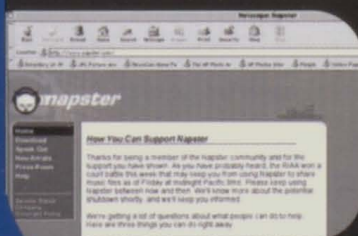
Movie actor **Charlie Sheen** took over for him, not as Fox's "Spin" character, but as a new deputy mayor on the show.



AP Photo/Chris Pizzello

YOU SAID...

How often do you use Napster?



AP Photo

Never
Frequently
Once in a while

36%
37%
27%

People and Entertainment

Reality-based television shows became a pop-culture phenomenon with the summer debut of CBS's

"Survivor" and "Big Brother." **Richard Hatch** was the first contestant to survive "Survivor," winning the \$1 million grand prize. The shows feature screened contestants placed in real-life situations with no scripts or predetermined outcomes. MTV's "The Real World" was the predecessor to the popular "real" shows, followed by "Who Wants to be a Millionaire," "Greed" and "Making the Band."



AP Photo/Kevork Djansezian

AP Photo/Jon Group



Despite pleas from the band for fans to move back because people were being pressed up against the stage, eight Pearl Jam fans suffocated in a mosh pit at **Denmark's Roskilde Festival**. A ninth victim died five days later in a hospital. Twenty-five were injured at the four-day festival, where approximately 50,000 people turned out to see 200 bands play.

The Beatles' 1966 record "Revolver" has been named the greatest rock album ever in a poll conducted by the cable music channel VH1. The Beatles capped a list of the 100 best rock albums taken from a VH1 poll of 500 rock journalists and musicians, including Britney Spears, Jackson Browne, Elvis Costello, Roberta Flack and Art Garfunkel. The Fab Four are still topping the charts with "1," a collection of all the Beatles' number one hits.

"The West Wing" set a record for the most Emmys earned by a show in its first season. The NBC political drama won nine Emmys, including outstanding drama, at the 52nd Annual **Prime Time Emmy Awards**. The show surpassed the record previously held by "ER" and "Hill Street Blues." The NBC comedy "Will & Grace" also turned 11 of its nominations into awards, including outstanding comedy.



AP Photo/Kevork Djansezian

New bride **Jennifer Aniston** may have taken his eligible bachelor status, but *People* magazine had no problem crowning actor **Brad Pitt** the Sexiest Man Alive in 2000. Also named Sexiest Man Alive in 1995, Pitt is the first two-time title-holder since the magazine began its "Sexiest" tradition in 1985.



AP Photo/Francesco Proietti

After being diagnosed with testicular cancer, MTV comedian **Tom Green** of the "The Tom Green Show" aired a TV special documenting his battle with cancer as well as the comedian's lymph node removal surgery. Green hoped televising his experience would help others gain awareness about cancer.

YOU SAID...

What is your favorite TV show?

1. Friends
2. The Simpsons
3. Jackass
4. Dawson's Creek
5. 7th Heaven

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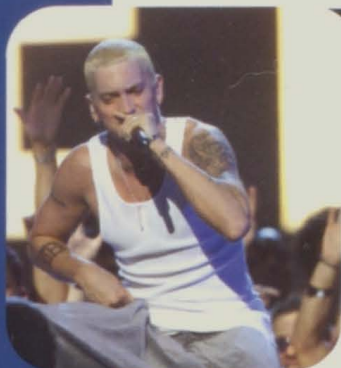


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What was your favorite movie of the year?

1. Scary Movie
2. Gladiator
3. Road Trip
4. Gone in 60 Seconds
5. The Patriot

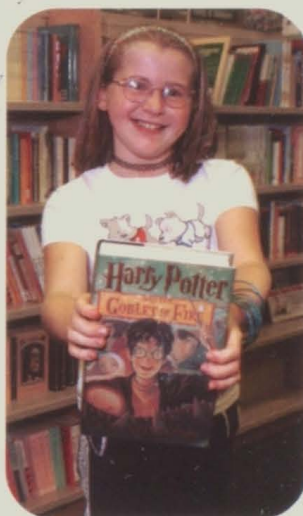
YOU SAID...



AP Photo/Suzanne Plunette

Controversial rapper **Eminem**, a.k.a. Marshall Mathers, got top honors at the ninth annual MTV Video Music Awards, winning the coveted Video of the Year award along with best male video for his signature song "The Real Slim Shady." Eminem's "The Marshall Mathers LP" sold 1.76 million copies during its first week.

Harry Potter mania infected readers around the world. Although Book One of the series, "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone," was first published in 1997, Y2K saw a mad surge in popularity for the boy wizard. The first four of the seven-book series, released by the end of 2000, sold 60 million copies in 200 countries. The voluminous 734-page "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire" (book four) packed book houses with a record first printing of 3.8 million copies.



AP Photo/Will Kirk

11-year-old British actor **Daniel Radcliffe** snagged the role of Harry Potter in the upcoming Warner Brothers movie, "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone."



AP Photo/Dave Coulkin

Versions of ABC's hit smash "**Who Wants to Be a Millionaire**" hit the airwaves in 31 countries, with more on the way. In India, a Hindi-language version became the country's most popular program ever.

After a high-profile bidding war with other filmmakers, Universal Studios finally own the prized rights to Dr. Seuss's popular children's story

"**How the Grinch Stole Christmas**," when director Ron Howard impressed Seuss's widow with his take on the tale. Comedy icon Jim Carrey stole the show as the nasty green villain. A blockbuster smash, the movie was the highest grossing film of the year.



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Film director **Steven Spielberg**, American creator of "E.T.," "Jurassic Park," "Schindler's List" and "Saving Private Ryan" was given an honorary knighthood in recognition of his contribution to the British film industry. He did not become "Sir Steven," as knighthood per se is only for British citizens, but he was able to put the letters "KBE" after his name, for Knight of the British Empire.

YOU SAID...

Which artist had the best album of the year?

AP Photo/WWP/ Eric Jamison



1. Eminem
2. Nelly
3. N'SYNC
4. Limp Bizkit
5. Creed

Science and Technology

Surgeons at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center performed the first **coronary bypass** in the United States on a conscious patient. An epidural block numbed the patient's chest so he could speak to doctors during the beating-heart procedure. The 51-year-old man who received the single bypass recovered successfully.



AP Photo/PPL Therapeutics

The first five cloned piglets were presented to the world in April. The pigs were cloned from fetal-pig skin cells and scientists believe that due to the similarities between porcine (pig) and human organs, the

techniques used to clone this litter may eventually create a supply of genetically modified pig livers and other organs that would be acceptable to the human immune system.



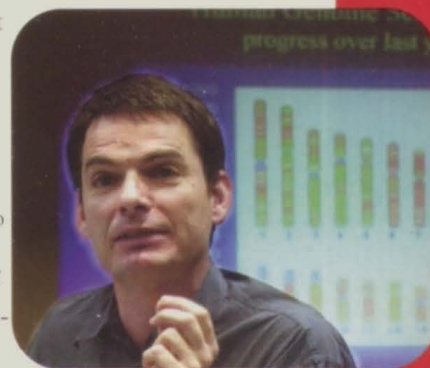
Researchers from Carnegie Mellon unveiled **Nomad**, the first robotic planetary rover with onboard intelligence. Previous planetary explorers, such as the Mars Pathfinder, needed human controllers to tell them what to do, but Nomad performs tasks such as snapping pictures, collecting samples and sending data back to earth by itself. Using a laser range finder and spectrometer, the robot analyzes every single rock in its path. Scientists hope to employ future generations of the rover to explore other planets.

It was a bittersweet victory for scientists when they successfully **cloned a dead Asian gaur**, an extinct species, and brought it into the world from the belly of a farm cow. The baby bull, called Noah, was born at Trans-Ova Genetics in Sioux City, Iowa, but died shortly after birth. Although Noah died, the project gives hope for ways to save endangered species and resurrect those already extinct.



AP Photo/Advanced Cell Technology

After years of dreaming, planning and arguing over who should get the credit, the **International Human Genome Project** and Celera Genomics put their differences aside and officially announced they have (both) deciphered the 3.1 billion biochemical "letters" of human DNA. The amazing breakthrough will allow scientists vast insight into human health and disease at the molecular level, knowledge that will lead to a revolution in diagnosing and treating everything from Alzheimer's to cancer. The discovery is seen as one of history's great scientific milestones, the biological equivalent of landing on the moon.



AP Photo/Sven Koestner

A lawsuit was filed when a Chicago man said he suffered adverse allergic reactions after eating Kraft Taco Bell taco shells contaminated with **StarLink**, a form of bioengineered corn not yet approved for human consumption. The corn was approved for pesticide-resistant animal feed only in 1998, but approval for human consumption was withheld due to the corn's shared characteristics with other foods that caused allergic reactions.



AP Photo/Toby Talbot

Numerous **dot.com** companies were pushed to the brink of failure due to poor business planning, intense competition and weak advertising revenue. The year saw nearly 42,000 dot.com company job cuts, billions of dollars in market capitalization lost, and plummeting share prices.

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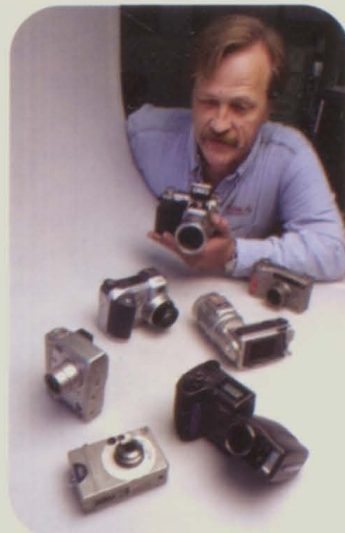
Astronaut William Shepherd and cosmonauts Sergei Krikalyov and Yuri Gidzenko made up the first team to inhabit the **International Space Station**, taking historic steps toward what NASA hopes will become a permanent living and working space.

Each team will work and live for four months aboard the Russian module Zvezda, conducting biological and technical experiments until another crew replaces them.

Israel-based **Given Imaging**, Ltd. introduced a 1.18-inch-long pill camera that, when swallowed, can travel through a human digestive tract, transmitting two still images per second to a Walkman-like receiver attached to the person's belt. Within 24 to 48 hours, doctors can download the data and assemble a more accurate and complete video of the intestines than can be taken through the more traditional endoscopy.

Y2K saw great improvements in the increasingly popular **digital camera**. Manufacturers shipped 5.1 million digital cameras throughout the U.S., and the improved photo quality, reduced cost, convenience of not buying film, and ability to review and erase unwanted shots have made the digital camera more popular than ever. *TIME* Magazine named the Nikon Coolpix 990 digital camera the Machine of the Year.

AP Photo/Paul Sakuma



A destructive computer virus was unleashed and self-propagated through the popular Microsoft Outlook e-mail program. With the phrase "**ILOVEYOU**" in the subject line, the virus wreaked havoc on computer networks from Hong Kong to New York, costing millions in software damage and lost commerce.

The 2000 Olympics

Olympic Medal Stats:

US	39 Gold	Russian	32 Gold	China	28 Gold
97 Overall		88 Overall		59 Overall	

More than 10,000 of the greatest athletes from around the world gathered in Sydney, Australia to participate in the 27th Olympiad. Despite being dubbed "the best ever" by leaders of the International Olympic Committee, a 15-hour time difference between the United States and Australia kept many Americans from watching live as the United States came away with an unprecedented 97 medals.



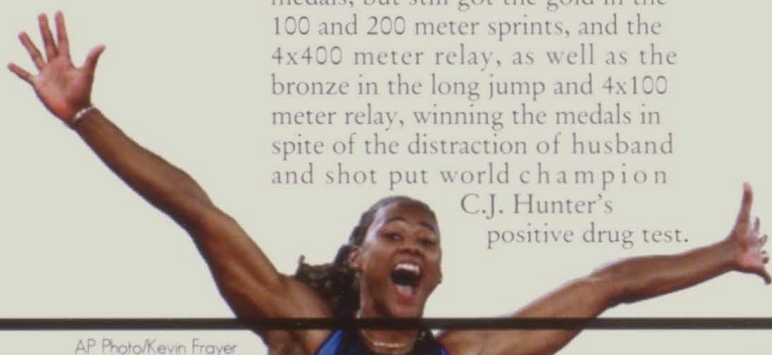
AP Photo/Ryan Ramirez

Spectators beheld a dazzling opening ceremony, including the lighting of the torch by Australian runner (and native Aborigine) Cathy Freeman, who was later overcome with emotion when she won the gold for the women's 400-meter race.

Although the games received the lowest television ratings since 1968, many athletes gave inspirational performances.

United States sprinter Marion Jones fell short of her goal to win five gold medals, but still got the gold in the 100 and 200 meter sprints, and the 4x400 meter relay, as well as the bronze in the long jump and 4x100 meter relay, winning the medals in spite of the distraction of husband and shot put world champion

C.J. Hunter's positive drug test.



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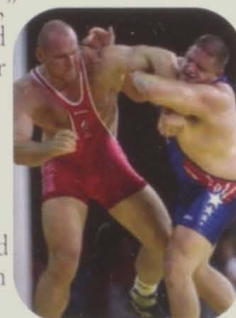
Maurice Green, U.S. sprinter, not only took home the gold, but he also retained the title of "World's Fastest Man" after finishing the 100-meter sprint in 9.8 seconds.

In the water, Laura Wilkinson had a surprise victory over a superb Chinese team to move from fifth place to first and win the first U.S. gold in the women's 10-meter platform in 36 years.



AP Photo/Eric Draper

Australian swimmer Ian Thorpe, nicknamed "Thorpedo," broke the world record in the men's 400-meter freestyle relay, finishing in 3:13.67.



AP Photo/Katsumi Kasahara

On the mat, U.S. heavyweight wrestler Rulon Gardner toppled the undefeated Russian wrestling icon Aleksandr Karelin.

Medal-rich swimmer Lenny Krayzelburg and the U.S. men's relay team won the 400-meter medley relay in 3:33:73, lowering the mark of 3:34.84 set by Americans at the 1996 Atlanta Games. It was Krayzelburg's third gold after victories in the 100- and 200-meter backstrokes.



AP Photo/David Longstreath

YOU SAID...

How much of the 2000 Summer Olympics did you watch?

Most	12%
Some	32%
Very Little	29%
None	27%

The Year In Sports



AP Photo/Ron Frehm

Having never played each other in the World Series before, the New York Yankees battled the New York Mets in what was dubbed the "Subway Series." Victorious at Shea Stadium, the Yanks defeated the Mets, 4-2, in Game 5 of the Series, becoming the first team in more than 25 years to win three straight titles.

The New Jersey Devils defeated the Dallas Stars, 2-1, in double overtime during Game 6 of the Stanley Cup finals, earning the team their second Championship. The Devils took the best-of-seven series, 4-2. Devils captain Scott Stevens won the Conn Smythe trophy as Stanley Cup playoff MVP.



AP Photo/L.M. Oterero

The Baltimore Ravens stomped the New York Giants, 34-7, in Super Bowl XXXV, giving the city of Baltimore their first NFL championship in 30 years.



AP Photo/Doug Mills

Defensive player of the year and game MVP Ray Lewis led a defense that intercepted four passes from the Giants and held New York to 152 total yards. The second and third touchdowns on three plays late in the third quarter were back-to-back kickoff returns by New York wide receiver Ron Dixon and Baltimore wide receiver Jermaine Lewis, creating a Super Bowl first.

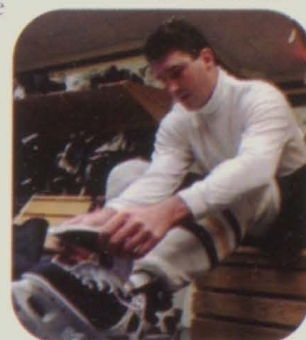
The Kansas City Wizards downed the Chicago Fire, 1-0, for the MLS Cup at RFK Stadium in Washington, D.C. The win was a surprise comeback for the Kansas City team who finished last in 1999, and had not been to the MLS post-season since 1997. With 10 saves in the Chicago game and a record 16 shutouts in 2000, Wizards goalie Tony Meola had one of the best seasons of any player in MLS history, earning MVP honors from MLS and Honda, as well as Aquafina Goalkeeper and Ace Comeback Player of the Year awards.



AP Photo/Stephen J. Baitano

The Texas Rangers made shortstop Alex Rodriguez the highest-paid player in baseball history when he agreed to a 10-year, \$252 million contract with the team. The 25-year-old All Star previously played for the Seattle Mariners.

After three and a half years off the ice, Hall of Fame hockey center and former team owner Mario Lemieux returned to play center with the Pittsburgh Penguins. Lemieux was responsible for leading the Penguins to consecutive Stanley Cup championships in 1991 and 1992. He also brought the financially strapped team out of bankruptcy last year, becoming the first former player from the four major North American sports leagues to own a team.



AP Photo/Keith Srakovic

YOU SAID...

What sports figure would you name MVP of the year?

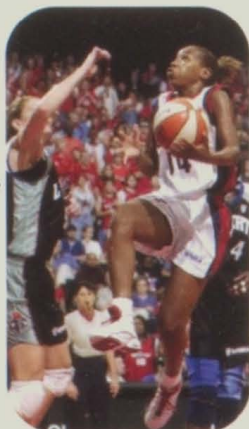
1. Tiger Woods
2. Kobe Bryant
3. Randy Moss
4. Marion Jones
5. Michael Jordan



AP Photo/Kevork Djansezian

The Year In Sports

The Houston Comets pulled ahead in overtime for their fourth straight WNBA Championship with a 79-73 victory over the New York Liberty, making Houston the first professional basketball team to win four straight titles since the Boston Celtics captured eight in a row in 1959. The Comets defeated New York 2-0 overall in the series with the help of four-year MVP Cynthia Cooper, who hit a 3-pointer with 21 seconds left, forcing the tied game into overtime.



AP Photo/Pat Sullivan

Sports Illustrated magazine's Sportswoman of the Year Venus Williams proved power ruled in 2000. The female tennis phenomenon captured the ladies singles title at Wimbledon, not only claiming her first Grand Slam victory, but also becoming the first female black

champion at Wimbledon since 1958. She and younger sister, Serena, teamed up to win the doubles crown at the All England Club. Williams later went on to win the U.S. Open,

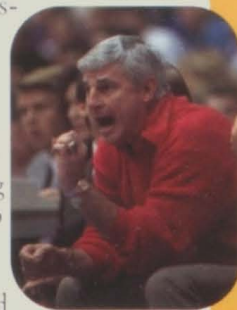
and take the gold in both singles and doubles (with Serena) at the Sydney Olympic Games.



AP Photo/Elise Amendola

Indiana University's volatile basketball coach Bobby Knight was dismissed after 29 years of leading the Hoosiers. Knight was fired for "a pattern of unacceptable behavior" and for allegedly grabbing and swearing at a student, violating the "zero tolerance" policy instituted by university president Myles Brand. Thousands of devastated students protested the decision.

AP Photo/John Swart



The Los Angeles Lakers beat the Indiana Pacers 4 to 2 to win the NBA Championship. The win marked the team's seventh championship, and coach Phil Jackson's first win without Michael Jordan. Jackson's New Age coaching style, which included meditation combined with his triangle offense and suffocating defense, led the Lakers to a league-high 67 wins.



AP Photo/Lenny Ignelzi

Named *Sports Illustrated* magazine's Sportsman of the Year, golfer Tiger Woods continued to set amazing records in 2000. Woods is the only athlete to earn the "Sportsman" title twice, the first golfer to win nine PGA titles in a year since 1950, the second ever to win three professional majors in a single season, and, at 24 years old, the youngest of five golfers to complete a career Grand Slam.



AP Photo/Scott Audette

News, News, News and More News

Demonstrating the convenience of e-commerce, former computer systems manager Mitch Maddox rented an empty apartment in Dallas, and, armed with only a laptop, lived exclusively online for a year without leaving his apartment. He ordered everything online, from food and furniture to a personal artist who decorated the apartment. The 26-year-old Maddox changed his name to



AP Photo/L.M. Otero

DotComGuy and hosted a 24-hour live feed of his experience.

After years of urging recruits to "Be all you can be," **The U.S. Army** decided it was time to update their image and change slogans. Targeting recruits between the ages of 18 and 24, the Army launched new promos focusing on technology, training, benefits and the individual with the new tagline "An army of one." The old slogan was ranked the second best advertising campaign of the 20th century.

Old Man Winter dealt the United States a heavy blow beginning in late November. Heavy snows covered the Midwest and Northeast throughout the holiday season, and southern states such as Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Georgia, and Florida suffered unusually cold temperatures and heavy ice storms, which damaged crops and caused lengthy power outages for many residents.



AP Photo/Jake Schoell Kopf

Sony's much-anticipated **PlayStation 2** game console was released, but much to the disappointment of waiting gamers, a production delay caused demand to far outstrip supply. The coveted console has DVD and CD playing capabilities, advanced graphics, and the capacity to connect to the Internet.



AP Photo/Frank Augstein

Liz Murray was granted a full scholarship from the *New York Times* to attend Harvard University. Homeless for several years after her drug-addicted parents lost their house, Murray finished high school in two years while camping out in New York City parks and subway stations. Her single dorm room at Harvard was her first steady lodging in four years.

Timothy McVeigh, the 32-year-old Gulf War veteran convicted of murder in the April 1995 truck bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah federal building, was sentenced to be executed by lethal injection. The bombing killed 168 people in what was considered the bloodiest terrorist attack ever on U.S. soil.

America Online, the world's largest Internet service provider, stunned the world with the news it planned to merge with **Time Warner, Inc.**, the world's largest media company. The \$118 billion deal is considered the largest corporate merger in U.S. history.

YOU SAID...

Would you spend above and beyond the retail price to get a PlayStation 2?



AP Photo/ Sony

No 91%
Yes 9%

News, News, News and More News

Maria Tirotta Andrews gained international notoriety when she brought her 300-lb. pig, Charlotte, on a Boeing 757 airplane flying nonstop from Philadelphia to Seattle. The pig joined her owner in first class, having been granted "service animal" classification usually reserved for seeing eye-dogs. Andrews, who suffers from a heart condition, brought the pig along on her doctor's recommendation, claiming Charlotte helped her feel more relaxed.

AP Photo/Mike Derer



AP Photo/J. Scott Applewhite

Nearly 100,000 mothers converged in Washington, D.C. and nearly one million rallied across the country in the Million Mom March. The demonstration was meant to put pressure on Congress to enact tougher gun control laws, while memorializing those senselessly killed by gun-related violence.

One of the hottest holiday items of the year, the mini-scooter, turned out to be more hazardous than fun. More than 100,000 scooters were recalled due to complaints the handles unexpectedly came out of the steering column, causing riders to fall. The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission reported nearly 10,000 people, mostly children, were treated in hospital emergency rooms for scooter-related injuries by the end of the year.

"Caring capitalism" yielded to creamy profits when Ben Cohen and Jerry Greenfield, otherwise known as the hippie co-founders of Ben & Jerry's ice cream, finally sold their company to multinational conglomerate Unilever, despite public protests of "don't sell out!" Childhood friends Cohen and Greenfield founded the company in 1978.



AP Photo/Kathy Willens

U.S. District Judge Thomas Penfield Jackson ruled for the breakup of Microsoft, the world's largest software company, stating it was a monopoly and had operated illegally using anticompetitive means and attempting to monopolize the Web browser market in violation of the Sherman Antitrust Law.

The commandant of the Marine Corps grounded all MV-22 Osprey aircraft activity following a crash in North Carolina that killed four Marines. The crash was the second fatal accident for the troubled \$40 billion program. In April, the Osprey crashed while attempting to land after a test mission, killing all 19 Marines aboard. At \$80 million apiece, the aircraft is part of a new generation scheduled to eventually replace all of the Marines' primary troop-transport helicopters.



AP Photo/Matt York

YOU SAID...

Which "retro" style would you like to see come back into fashion in the next few years?

The 60s	39%
The 80s	33%
The 20s	17%
The 50s	11%

AP Photo/Bridget Montgomery





AP Photo/Eric Gray

Both **Firestone** and Ford suffered major blows after Firestone, a unit of Japan's Bridgestone Corp., was forced to recall six and a half million 15-inch ATX, ATX II and Wilderness tires, most of which were mounted on Ford Explorers. The faulty tires separated from their treads, causing major accidents, personal injury and more than 100 deaths. The recall is one of the largest in U.S. history.

The Army tested the **Crusader**, a faster, bigger mobile howitzer intended to replace the Paladin. The \$23 million system can travel up to 29 miles per hour, with a shell distance of 25 miles. It can also fire a series of 100-lb. shells in rapid succession at different trajectories so that the shells all land in their target zone at the same time.

A statue of wheelchair-bound **President Franklin Delano Roosevelt** was dedicated as the centerpiece of the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial in Washington, D.C. Only two pictures exist showing the President in his wheelchair.



Stricken with polio at age 39, which caused him to lose the use of his legs, Roosevelt kept his handicap a secret for political reasons. The National Organization on Disability fought for six years to get a statue that showed the President as he lived.

AP Photo/Hillary Smith Garrison

Unusually cold temperatures and the lights of the holiday season put a crunch on the **California utility market**. Exorbitant electricity prices coupled with the threat of rolling blackouts angered consumers who were urged to conserve power, and even take down holiday lights. Despite a cap on the state's utility rates, the California Public Utilities Commission approved a 26 percent rate increase to help the two largest utility companies out of \$9 billion dollars of debt. Blackouts throughout the area caused local merchants to suffer and lose revenue.



AP Photo/Paul Sakuma

Six and a half million acres burned in **wildfires** that raged across 12 western states throughout the summer, including Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Arkansas, California, and Nevada. In Montana alone, firefighters were mobilized from 38 states, Canada, New Zealand, Australia, and numerous military units to help battle the blazes.



AP Photo/Douglas C. Pizac

The University of Surrey in Britain has appointed the world's first-ever **professor of airline food** and has added graduate-level courses in the study of in-flight catering. The professorship is being established through a grant from the International Flight Catering Association.

Lasting Impressions



AP Photo

Sir Alec Guinness, actor, 86

Later generations knew him primarily for his role as Ben (Obi-Wan) Kenobi in the 1977 film "Star Wars," but British actor Alec Guinness was also an Oscar-winning talent known to many as the "man of a thousand faces" for his ability to play and look like a vast variety of characters.

Dale Earnhardt, race car driver, 49

The death of Dale Earnhardt, dubbed the greatest driver ever, came as a shock to NASCAR fans nationwide. Also known as "The Intimidator" for his aggressive attitude on the track, Earnhardt died of head injuries in a 180-mph crash during the last lap of the 2001 Daytona 500.



AP Photo/Ric Feld

Tito Puente, Latin jazz musician, 77

Named the original "Mambo King" in the 1950s, Puente was a band-leader and percussionist who helped define Latin jazz. He recorded more than 100 albums and won five Grammy awards.

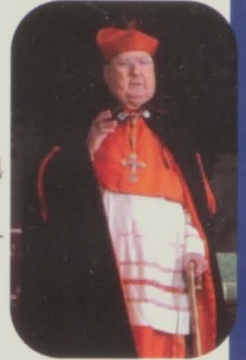


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Cardinal John O'Connor,

Archbishop, 80

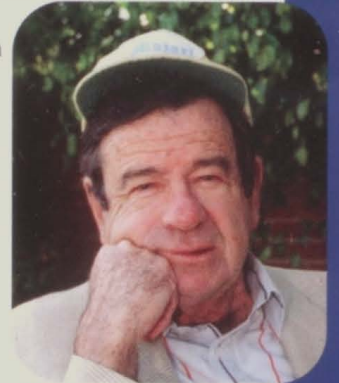
Known best for his work on behalf of the poor and his ministry at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City, Catholic Archbishop Cardinal O'Connor was a national figure, with influence and friendships among world leaders.



AP Photo/Kathy Williams

Walter Matthau, actor, 79

Probably known best for his role as Oscar Madison in "The Odd Couple," both on Broadway and in the movie, Matthau brought his dry humor to the stage, television and many movies, including "The Fortune Cookie," "Grumpy Old Men," "IQ" and "Dennis the Menace."



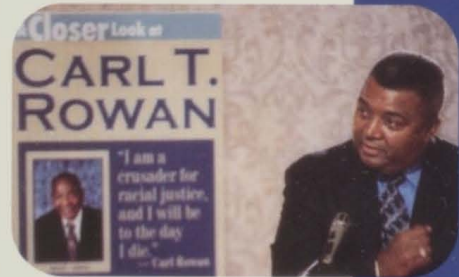
Carl T. Rowan, journalist, 75

A syndicated columnist and best-selling author once called America's "most visible black journalist," Rowan was known for his columns exploring race relations and was a champion of civil rights.

Rowan also served as director of the U.S. Information Agency under President Lyndon B. Johnson, and as the U.S. Ambassador to Finland from 1963-1964.

AP Photo/Julie Markes

AP Photo/Michael Dibari Jr.



Others To Remember

Steve Allen, comedian and composer, 78

Gwendolyn Brooks, writer, 83

Malik Sealy, basketball player, 30

Jim Varney, actor/comedian, 50

William Hewlett, engineer, 87

Ray Walston, actor, 87

Pierre Trudeau, Canadian Prime Minister, 80

Sirimavo Bandaranaike, Sri Lankan Prime Minister, 84

Don Martin, cartoonist (Mad Magazine), 69

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