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**Mrs. Estelle L. Kassebaum,  
principal**

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## Once upon a time . . .

Marian was roughly no more than two priests, two nuns, 65 freshmen and a few borrowed classrooms at St. Charles School in 1960. Marian first opened their doors during the Fall of 1960. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Egger and Reverend Joseph N. Stadler helped create the first co-educational Catholic high school in the San Diego Diocese. By 1996, approximately 3,000 students will have graduated from Marian Catholic High School.

In 1968 the young girls would wear uniforms everyday, while the boys only got dressed on mass days. Uniforms ended, and soon the dress code was free dress. In the mid-70's free dress was offered to both the boys and the girls. In the early 90's the optional uniform came back into effect. Girls wore the plaid skirts and still the boys dressed in free dress. The past 94-95 school year saw the return of mandatory uniforms.

In the past, "Rationable Obsequium" (with responsible obedience) was the official school motto. The unofficial motto was "The school that moves . . . with Christ." Today this motto still stands.

History repeated itself 100's of times over through such traditional events as Homecoming, Spirit Week, the teacher skit and the formal dance. Kings, Queens, and Chris Crusaders, Christmas Pageants, Red Ribbon Week and all school masses made the Marian Catholic Campus a family.

**35 years later,** Marian Catholic High School still proudly stands as the school that moves with Christ.



Ivanna Martin poses proudly with Mrs. Kassebaum.



One of many couples at Homecoming, Ariana and Omar smile for the camera.



Mrs. Lawhead and Leslie smile in relief, after the A.S.B. Olympics.

# Orientation

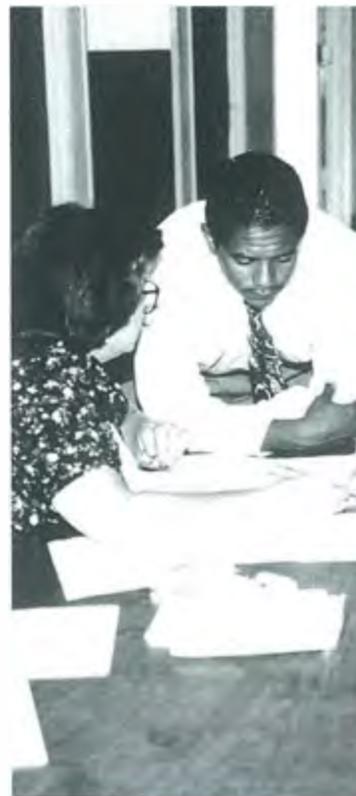


Seniors Rose, Chris, and Jay enjoy themselves at their last Orientation at Marian.

The first brush with reality for most high school students is Orientation. Seeing new and old faces of students and faculty is usually the anticipation everyone has. The incoming Freshmen look puzzled and the Seniors are anxious to graduate. In the gym, students were greeted by the A.S.B and faculty. Students were to report

to their advisory's to receive schedules. Freshmen often feel comfortable here at Marian. Seniors reminisce about their first orientation day now it's their last. As orientation concluded, students rushed away from reality, trying to remember what they could, of summer vacation, now long gone.

Scott Milke sits patiently while his picture is taken.



Sophomores check in to take their school pictures.



left: Elaine questions her schedule, while the rest of the Seniors wait for the A.S.B. rally.  
Top left: Jesse Twist listens while Mrs. McClain explains his schedule.  
Top right: Mrs. Kassebaum enthusiastically introduces herself during orientation.



# FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Over the years, Marian Catholic has had the opportunity to have foreign exchange students from all over the world come and experience life in America on her campus. Housed with families of students that attend Marian, the students are given the opportunity to learn English in a total immersion program. Director Jean

Panno has been thrilled with the success of the program and looks anxiously forward to more students in the future attending Marian's campus. This year students from Germany and Japan enrolled as Crusaders and all the students enjoyed the experience wholeheartedly.

Taki Kawabuchi  
Sakai-Shi, Japan



Jean Kubbler  
Bonn, Germany

Christina Plesser  
Ratingen, Germany

Ermione Gavrilli  
Braunschweig,  
Germany



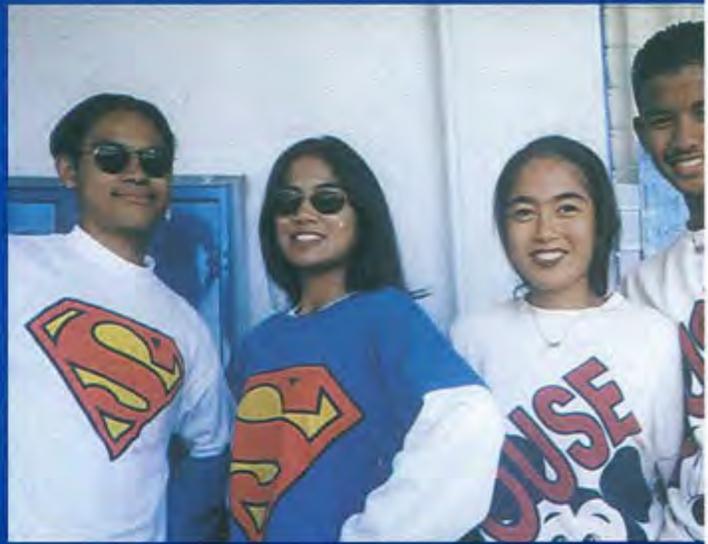
Jean kicks back during break with his American friends.

Kia is one of many friends that Ermione has acquired in Mr. Napoleon's Math class.

Learning US History in Mr. Comic's class, Taki shows he has truly become a member of the Marian family.



**Spirit Week** 1995 was a week to remember. Featuring Halloween as one of the dress up days, students took advantage of the opportunity to dress as they pleased to go with the holiday theme. Twins Day saw people seeing double and Blue and Gold day had students showing definite Crusader pride. A few student activities included a "Mummy Wrap" which consisted of classmates wrapping each other up in toilet paper and a blind-folded marble find in a jar full of pasta. The ASB capped off the week with a terrific rally. It was evident the entire week that MCHS has PRIDE!



1. Superman takes on Mighty Mickey Mouse on Twins Day. 2. Sophomores Sarah Megan and Sarah have definite pride and it shows all over their faces. 3. Campus Ghouls haunted Marian on Halloween amidst Homecoming activities. 4. Digging feverishly for the hidden marbles, Jaia, Jose and Marco are up to their elbows in pasta. 5. Supporting the cheer squad, "members" of the offensive line lift their spirits. 6. Senior girls all dressed up with no where to go. 7. Super fly and friends. 8. Alana, Office Nerd. 9. Senior Clowns at their best.





top: The Homecoming Court of 1995 awaits the announcement of BMOC.  
right: BMOC Oliver Smith is congratulated by fellow students.  
far right: The newly crowned BMOC accepts this honor with all smiles.



**H**omecoming Rally of 1995 was a great success. The gym was beautifully decorated around the theme Fairy Tale Fantasy. As everyone entered the gym, they were being welcomed into the land of Oz. The Associated Student Body worked long hours to put the final touches on the decorations, music preparation, and the Homecoming Court. The amazement that was seen in the students eyes was thanks enough for the Associated Student Body officers and moderator Mrs. Lawhead. The Seniors also put long hours in perfecting their skit that portrayed the teachers ten years in the future. As the Homecoming King (BMOC), Oliver Smith was announced, the entire gym stood and erupted in applause about his victory. As the class of 1996 looks back they will never forget O.J.'s memorable quote, "Hold on, hold on I'm not done".



Dancing along the yellow brick road, Mrs. McClain is all smiles as she portrays Sylvia Amavisca as being Snow White in the 1995-1996 teacher skit.



During the rally, Ms. Vivio comes in voicing her opinion about glamour in the ERA as she portrays Ariana Hidalgo.



Things haven't changed too much as Mr. Powers comes in portraying Jon Canada.



Ms. Kerry Wasson, portrayed by Leslie Root, was soon to be Mrs. Mike David.



top far left: This year we had a visit from Omar Bustos who portrayed Mr. Lusardi dressed in his Mexican Mafia apparel and famous pirana.  
 top right: This 1995 Homecoming Rally was filled with excitement as we took a look at Gerardo De La Riva, portrayed by Mr. Napoleon, doing what he knows best, playing football.  
 left: The Seniors were able to have a little fun with some underclassmen who stepped on the sacred lawn and were forced to sing the Alma Mater.



The Seniors had fun imitating the Village People being Coach Comick, Walker, Parks, Napoleon and Ziggy.

# Homecoming



Homecoming Queen: Monica Hatcher  
Homecoming Prince: Marco Barba



The 1995 Homecoming Queen and Court.



Homecoming Queen: Vanessa Bonilla  
Homecoming Prince: Octavio McFarland



Homecoming Queen:  
Clarissa Bash  
1995 BMOC:  
Oliver Smith

# Court 1995



The 1995 Homecoming BMOC Court.

This year's Homecoming Court all had one thing in common. They all knew what an honor it was to be chosen to represent their class and their school. Each of the members participate in various school activities. From athletics to A.S.B., each of their presence can be felt on the Marian Campus. This year's Homecoming Queen, Clarissa Bash and BMOC, Oliver Smith, both were privileged in receiving the honors. "I never expected to be Homecoming Queen. I was honored enough to be on the court. I never expected to do the box step to Disney songs." says Clarissa Bash. "I felt like it was a dream come true, that I was chosen for Homecoming King. Also I felt like I could not give enough thanks to everyone. It was a honor for me to dance with Homecoming Queen Clarissa Bash." quote Oliver Smith. For all the court members it was a very hectic, yet an enjoyable week.



Princess: Ariana Hidalgo  
Prince: Jon Canada



Princess: Sherri Pineda  
Prince: Gerardo De La Riva



The Freshmen show their Marian Pride with their Party Zone Float.



The winning Sophomore float was creatively decorated as a Chesire Cat.



Juniors Jasmine (Evita) and Aladdin (Justin) ride their carpet float.

This years Homecoming game and half-time brought back many great traditions. The people in the stands were filled with excitement. The Marian Crusader's played the Christian Patriots, with a victory of 30-21. Homecoming Half-time consists of various entertainment. The cheerleaders and drill team performed with much pride. This year, floats were made for the first time after a couple of years absence. The theme "Fairy Tale Fantasies" was portrayed on each class float. With the hard work each class put in to building their floats, they all turned out beautiful. it was then time for the Homecoming Queen to be announced. This years announcing of the queen was done differently. Each candidate was given a boxed rose and the box with the red rose was the Queen. As the anxiety grew, the red rose was revealed. Clarissa Bash was the new 1995 Homecoming Queen.



The ecstatic Court beams for the crowd after half time. L to R: Monica Hatcher, Sherri Pineda, Queen Clarissa Bash, Ariana Hidalgo, and Vanessa Bonilla.

The Varsity Cheerleaders perform magnificently in front of the half time crowd.



Chris Crusader assists Maid Marian out of the convertible during half time activities.

"Oh my God! I can't believe it!" says Clarissa Bash, as she discovers a single red rose in her box. Monica Hatcher happily congratulates her after her victory.



Jimmy Castillo waves to the fans as he shows off the Senior float with pride.



Marian captains await the result of the coin toss. Of course Marian comes out on top and elects to receive.



Maid Marian and Chris Crusader elegantly represent their freshmen class.

"Wow! Look at those tight ends go!" yell the Crusader fans from the stands.



Homecoming Queen Clarissa Bash waves, during her victory lap.



The Homecoming Princesses await for the signal to open their boxes.

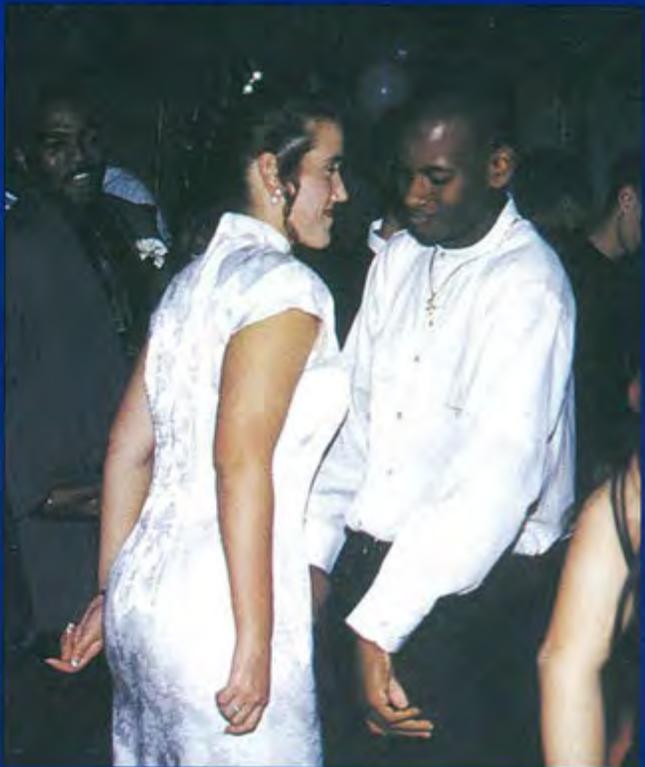


# Homecoming

Many new customs were brought in at this years Homecoming Dance. It was held on the Marian green as you walked in the receiving line the theme Fairy Tale Fantasies could be seen. The green was transformed into the setting of a magical evening and it was completed as the Queen and her court danced the night away.



# Dance 1995



# The New Chapel



The Bishop arrives at MCHS for the chapel blessing.

With Mrs. Kassebaum as the new principal many things have been revised, one of which is the new chapel. Basically the chapel was designed for the benefit of the students. If by chance it is necessary for a student to seek quiet time or just time to reflect with God then this is the place to go. On the day the chapel was blessed, the Marian community was pleased to have Bishop Brohm as the celebrant of the short mass. All in all, the chapel will serve as a vital addition to the Marian Catholic High School campus.



Mrs. Kassebaum addresses the A.S.B. as she introduces Bishop Brohm.



All the Fathers stand in excitement for the blessing of the chapel.



The Bishop gives a beautiful sermon for the blessing of the chapel.

Jimmy Castillo and Father Bruce take time out to take a beautiful picture.



An internal view of the new chapel.

# TOA

The position of Teacher and Office Aide is very important to many faculty and staff members at MCHS. Under the leadership of Mrs. Gabbard and Mrs. McClain, the students selected to be part of the TOA program are very elite. Individual teachers personally select students to be their classroom aides. TOA duties include the taking and collection of attendance, grading papers, running errands and tutoring students during class time. A good TOA is invaluable to every staff member. "Without the additional help in the front office", quotes Mrs. Castillo, "I would fall behind with important paper work." Overall, the TOA's are Marian's silent but important helpers.



Two of Mrs. Castillo's TOA's, Silda Montano and Ivanna Martin



1996 TOA's Bottom L/R: O. Smith, O. Bustos, C. Bash, D. Mendoza Middle Row L/R: G. Baez, K. Flores, E. Sandoval, S. Amavisca, M. Delgado ... Top Row L/R: V. Gonzalez, P. Araos, S. Montano, M. Zepeda, I. Martin, B. Morales, J. Petraglia, R. Ruiz, D. Martin, N. Gomez, J. DelRosario, R. Rabanal, L. Rodriguez, E. Doliente, I. Rodriguez, I. Root, H. Heredia B. Lu...



Viviana Gonzalez and Karla Turregano show their enthusiasm in being TOA's

Mrs. Gabbard shows Nadia how much fun it could be to help others



Oliver Smith enjoys picking up the attendance slips



Edna delivers a message to Seniors Pia's and Rose's amusement.



Dominic Cruz isn't sure about wearing the girls dress.



Cheyenne helps her partner get dressed for the class competition.



Sammy Mendoza hurries to make the Senior class win.

# Pep Rallies!

Pep Rallies are a sure way to fire up a crowd at MCHS. Planned to feature various sport teams, the ASB ensured every team was recognized and appreciated before game time. Skits were performed by various ASB members, games involved all four classes and the cheerleaders performed heart-stopping routines. Every rally ended with the class cheer competition and the Alma Mater. ASB moderator Mrs. Lawhead was pleased with the effort put forth by the entire student body. "The crowds attitude at a rally inspires performances by the teams that afternoon."



The Senior class rumbles with the help of Jorge Lamada.

Gera runs down the gym floor while the whole school cheers for the Crusaders.



Everyone participates to make pep-rally the best.

# Come and get it!

Perhaps the favorite block of the day, lunch was certainly a unique experience. Whether jockeying for position in the food line, kicking it in the courtyard listening to the latest tunes or escaping to some far off corner of the campus, students had plenty of varied activities to make their lunchtime bearable. A prime spot for people watching, the courtyard was the central meeting place for all four classes. It was also the site of many bakesales, class competitions and rallies.



Sophomores boys dress up their spaghetti.



Freshmen gather to have a nice healthy lunch.



Vanessa and Roberto socialize in the lunch circle.

Diana, Monique and company lean on each other.



Andy and Jon react to a joke on the Senior Lawn.



Mike hustles in line to be served before Ben.

# A.S.B.

Mrs. Lawhead quotes, "ASB is GREAT! We are cohesive about each class and can give input on each other." ASB helps one another make large events such as Homecoming and the School Olympics possible. Many participants enjoyed the Olympics. ASB learned a lot about organizing such an event. ASB plans special events such as school dances and serve as liaisons between classes and the administration. ASB planned the Sweethearts Dance at the Handlery, Prom at USD, Senior privileges, and teacher vs senior games. ASB has done much more this year than would have been possible without the unity of the ASB class.



ASB President Sherri Pineda leads the orientation rally.



Amanda, Angelica, and Jocelyn share a friendly hug.



ASB members Leslie, Andy, Elaine, and Sherri relax on their Senior lawn.



1995-1996 ASB members (left to right) N. Del Rosario, C. Dumlao, M. Martin Del Campo, E. Briz, L. Root, L. Diaz, J. Castillo, I. Gallardo, O. Garcia, S. Pineda (bottom row) M. Alvarez, J. Apostol, A. Richards

Sherri Pineda leads a discussion with Omar Garcia.



ASB members welcome Marian students to the beginning of a new year.

Monica intimidates the Juniors on Olympic Day.



Emily helps the Senior class beat the Junior class.



Freddy sneaks up behind Carina to help his partner.



Marcos Zurita proves to Octavio that he can score a point.

Ariana, Kia and Paloma smile at the camera after a hard day at school.



Isidro prepares to hit a homerun.



The entire school gather for the awards on Olympic Day.



Sylvia and Ernesto receive flowers after a spectacular performance of "A Christmas Carol."



The Christmas decorations bring out the chapel's true beauty.



Leslie stuffs Gingerbread Man into Michelle's mouth.

## Christmas on campus

Christmas Around the World was the theme of this year's holiday celebration at MCHS. Clubs and classes baked and sold items for the lunch crowd on the patio. Cheesecakes from STRIVE and lumpia from APIC were just a few of the delicious goodies offered to the anxious crowd. Santa Claus made an appearance and had his picture taken with students and faculty. As Christmas carols played across campus, visions of sugarplums danced in some students heads. All in all, the event made the holiday that more real and Christmas vacation seem that more appealing.



Mr. Parks struggles as he puts his beard on for a picture.



Arlette and her friends show their Christmas spirit.



Lolbe and her friends are overjoyed helping at the Christmas bake sale.

APIC was one of the many groups to participate in Christmas Around the World.



Omar and Sherri get in the Christmas spirit and hug Santa Claus.



Many students gather around the STRIVE table for cheesecake.



Seniors celebrate the unity of Christmas.

Natasha prepares to dive in the pie in quest of finding the jellybean.



Mrs. Gabbard and Mrs. McClain get caught eating Christmas goodies.



Clarissa raises her hands as the Seniors achieve another victory.



Ermioni recites the scriptures for the mass.



Fr. Keller blesses the student body at a school liturgy.



Jennie Manuel carries the cross at the end of mass as Isela and Fr. Bruce follow.

## Campus Ministry

Campus Ministry is now a one year course being offered as Christian Leadership. This is very important because this allows students to take a more active role in providing religious events and experiences at MCHS. The class is in the process of planning all School Liturgies, the retreats, recording the Christian Service Hours, and planning a special May Crowning. Family is very important to students. It provides them with support, encouragement, and gives them a sense of belonging.



The whole student body unites together to say the Our Father.

The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe is celebrated.



The Body of Christ is spiritually consecrated.

Octavio, Raquel, Nadia and Ernesto help Mrs. Patacsil distribute the Ashes.



John Oesterle serves next to Fr. Dennis.



Mrs. Kassa-  
baum leads  
the adminis-  
tration in the  
Our Father.



Cheyenne Contreras  
participates in read-  
ing for the liturgy.

Mrs.  
Woiwode  
leads the  
school choir  
in a  
liturgy.



Nadia Salas cele-  
brates Ash Wednes-  
day.



Fr. Bruce ea-  
gerly awaits  
the begin-  
ning of lit-  
urgy.



Mrs. Lehnert helps Mike to feel more secure in her class.



Mrs. Valles explains the meaning of the Rosary to the ASB



Taki tells us, "Catholic Schools Week is unique and fun, since we don't have it in Japan."

## Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week is an annual event celebrated throughout the Diocese of San Diego. Focus on the roles that the students play in both the church and school communities is spent in the classroom and all over campus. An all school mass, ASB Rosary, guest speakers and lunchtime events were a few of the highlights of the week. "It is a way to truly bring the Marian Catholic family together," beamed Mrs. Patascil, Campus Ministry Director.



Mrs. Mattix and her freshman class try to win the treasure hunt.

Seniors Christina, Clarissa, Silvia and Emma win the treasure hunt.



Annette and her pals are happy to spend quality time during Catholic Schools week.

Manny and his freshmen friends embark on the treasure hunt.



Cheyenne leads the charge during Catholic Schools Week.



The sophomores enjoy being in Mrs. Lehnerts religion class.



Chris Acosta can't believe the wonderful things he learns at school.

Alana and Armida lead the A.S.B. in the Rosary.



Ivan and the crew are watching the games during lunch.



Mrs. Lawhead explains her thoughts while Elaine listens attentively.

# Yearbook

The Gauntlet, Marian's yearbook, is the epitome of MCHS. A collection of class photos, commentaries and reminders of the past year, the Gauntlet provides for many years of memories after students have graduated. Under the guidance of Ms. Kerry Wasson, the extremely hard working staff planned, designed and produced a year long project of photos, copy, captions and headlines. This year's celebration of Marian's 35th anniversary was the theme of the yearbook. Assisted by Josten's representative, Kevin Basmadjian, The Gauntlet staff once again provided for the school a magnificent book.



Linda and Elaine show their enthusiasm for being in the yearbook staff.



Armida and Clarissa show that yearbook can make ya crazy.



Clarissa and Margarita are intently engrossed in their work.



Gauntlet Staff  
(L-R) Gaby Estrada, Nadia Gomez, Margarita McGovern, Armida Martin Del Campo, Clarissa Bash, and Christine Leibold.

Celebrating a deadline completion "at Corvette's."



Kevin informs Pia and Ms. Wasson about a yearbook deadline.

Gauntlet Gals take a break to hang with Kevin



Kevin shows off his finer side for the Corvette's waitress.

# Putting The Pieces TOGETHER

Ms. Wasson observes Nadia and Christine putting the yearbook pages in order.



Ms. Wasson shows the effect of deadlines.



Clarissa shows off the fine art of cropping.



Christine shows that yearbook can be fun!



Steve shows his dedication as a member of the Ambassador Corps.



Javier and Sherri bring up their offerings during an Ambassador mass.



Jimmy shows how fun it is to help his school.

## Ambassadors for Christ Corps

The Marian Catholic Ambassador for Christ Corps is a student service, public relations and recruiting program that represents Marian Catholic. This group consists of Sophomore, Junior and Senior students. The students must possess Christian values, leadership potential, school pride, citizenship, and have a good standing within the school. The individual must be involved, but not over extended. Student Ambassadors inform prospective students and other concerned individuals about Marian Catholic, serve as hosts and hostesses for school events and provide reinforcement to fellow students.



Erika, Eric, and Kia give up an eager smile as they recruit.

Eric and Kia listen to student's questions during a visit to St. Rita's.



The Ambassador Corps take part in the induction ceremony.

The  
1995-96  
Ambassa-  
dors for  
Christ  
Corps.



Roberto Leon and  
fellow Ambassadors  
take part in the Am-  
bassador initiation  
mass.



Octavio and  
his friends  
show their  
spirit during  
visitation  
day.



Steve and Armida  
express their delight  
of being an Ambassa-  
dor.

Edna and  
Nicole lead  
the induc-  
tion for the  
Ambassa-  
dors.



Junior Eric  
Hollenbeck,  
shows how  
much he  
loves this  
school while  
recruiting at  
St. Rita's.



Portland and Eric  
show off their culi-  
nary skills.

## Physics is Phun

Mrs. McGregor quotes, "Teaching physics is the ultimate in teaching fun. Where else can you play with toys and still call it work? The egg drop turned out great! We only had three eggs break. The egg was suspended in a container of some sort." When asked if she has fun with the students she quoted, "Absolutely! They amaze me with their creativity and their willingness to do almost anything I ask of them!"



Leslie celebrates that her egg didn't break.



Luz prepares to drop her egg from a parachute.



Luzna succeeds during the egg drop.



Senior Clarissa Bash smiles even if her egg did break.



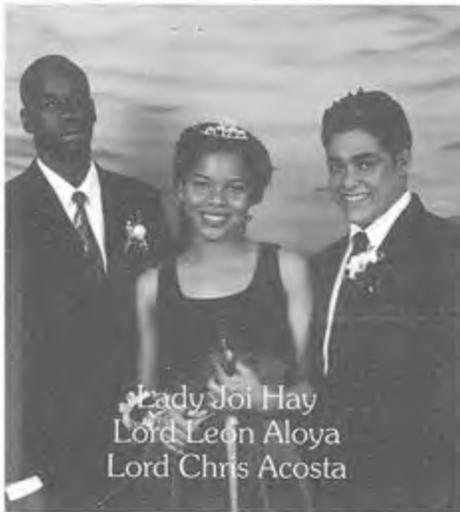
Luis is very careful about preparing Lolbe's egg.



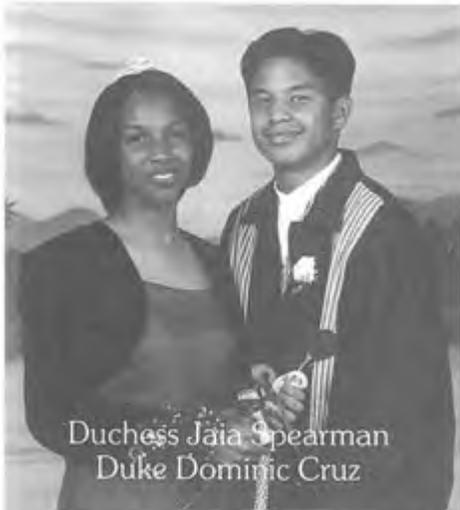
Mrs. McGregor's class waits egg-sitely for their grades.

# Sweetheart's Ball

"One Sweet Day" came to several couples at this year's Sweetheart's Ball. Held at the Handlery Hotel, the Ball was a huge success. Faculty and student alike enjoyed the beautiful decorations, the lively music and social atmosphere. "It was great as a Senior to attend my last Valentine's dance. It was a pleasure being escorted by the King, too!" quotes Margarita McGovern. By the end of the evening, it was obvious that romance was in the air for all those in attendance.



Lady Joi Hay  
Lord Leon Aloya  
Lord Chris Acosta



Duchess Jaia Spearman  
Duke Dominic Cruz



Michelle, Leslie,  
Marissa and Joce-  
lyn create a pretty  
picture.

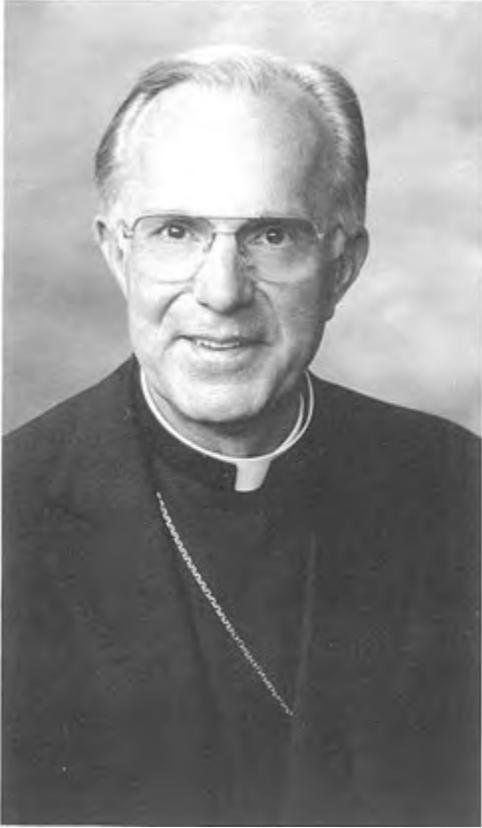


Queen Ariana Hidalgo  
King Oliver Smith



Marian Catholic Faculty  
chaperones the evening's  
romance.

# Administration



Bishop Brohm



Sister Claire Patrice  
Superintendent of Schools



Mrs. Kassabaum  
Principal



Ms. Panno  
Vice-Principal



Mrs. McClain  
School Counselor



Mr. Milke  
Dean of Students



Mrs. Kassabaum and Sister Claire Patrice show their MCHS pride.



Ms. Panno concentrates on her student's assignments.



Mr. Milke tends to a parent's phone call.



Mrs. McClain is ready to answer any student's questions regarding college.

## Advice for the Times.



Mrs. Azza Ayouty  
Biology, Anatomy



Mrs. Lucy Briz  
Snack Bar

"I learn something new from you everyday. As life will teach *you* something new everyday."



Mrs. Castillo  
Secretary

"I think everything is OK and so should you. Remember the Seniors of '96" especially St. Charles graduates."

# Fine Arts



Ms. Yockey instructs her beginning Ceramics class on how to spin a vase.



Rose Rabanal works carefully to finish her project before the deadline.



Mrs. Woiwode and the liturgical choir fill the church with beautiful music.



Katrina Duarte gets into her role as a cheerleader in Drama class.

# Science



Mrs. McGregor teaches the fine art of Chemistry to Edna Malaga.

Sylvia Amavisca and Linda Rodriguez learn by doing a Chemistry experiment.



Mrs. Ayouty introduces parents to the new Biology Lab on "Back to School Night"



Science students celebrate the annual Mole Day in grand style.

## Words of Wisdom



Ms. Chudy  
Alumni Coordinator



Mr. Chris Comick  
Speech, History  
"The great thing in this world is not so much where we stand as in what direction we are moving."



Mr. Mike David  
P.E. Department Chair, Athletic Director  
"Pick yourself up, dust yourself off, start all over again. That'll work."

## Advice for the Times.



Ms. Melissa Davis  
French

"Life is too short. Don't wait until to-  
morrow. Make today great!"



Mrs. Melanie Duron  
Computer Lab



Mr. Dennis Gorish  
Computers, Algebra

"If you want the will of God and close-  
ness with Him, then he will be your  
Teacher and show you how to have  
love, happiness and joy."

# Mathematics



Mr. Napoleon concentrates on a student's attempt at  
a Calculus problem on the board.



Mr. Valentino explains the relevancy  
of Geometry problem to his stu-  
dents.



Ermione shares her answer to a problem with her classmates.



Mr. Parks explains the Algebra course to parents at "Back to School Night."



Mr. Gorsich teaches Freshman about the basics of Algebra.



Mrs. Manuel is engrossed in her work as she copies information from the black board.



Mr. Napoleano reacts to a student's attempt at Calculus problem.



Always willing to lend extra help, Mr. Valentino explains a math problem to Victoria Morales.

## Words of Wisdom



Mrs. Mary Gabbard  
Nurse

"We are great, unique individuals made in the image of God. We are important in a Marvelous way."



Mrs. Christine Lawhead  
English, ASB

"Enjoy life and be good to yourself!"



Mrs. Anamaria Lehnert  
Religion Department Chair

"Make the most important promise to yourself and keep them."

## Advice for the Times.



Mr. Philip Lusardi  
Spanish Department Chair  
"¡ Por Dios !"



Mr. Gary Manuel  
Librarian  
"Have Fun, Memories are the fire that keep the heart alive. Believe in the Lord, let faith carry you through."



Mrs. Cecilia McElwain  
Snack Bar  
"The road to success is within you."

# Religion



Monica Escobedo plans readings for the next liturgy.



Hector Romero clears shrubbery while earning service hours.



Lectors read the petitions during mass.



Freshman use their study skills in order to complete their Religion project.



Raquel Smith is caught in the act of working hard (or hardly working?)



Emilio Alvarez cleans up Marian's campus by painting doors.

Below: Freshman girls; Maggie McCotter, Brenda Esinoza, Denisse Lopez, Melinda Chavez, and Cheyanne Contreras celebrate their first Red Ribbon Week at Marian.



Isela Ochoa listens as Rocio Ruiz leads a Religious discussion.



## Words of Wisdom



**Mrs. Patricia McGregor**  
Chemistry, Physics, Science  
Department Chair

"Education is one of the few things in life that you cannot lose after you have obtained it."



**Sister Nora Murphy**  
English, Reading Comp.

"Keep love alive! It can heal our planet."



**Mr. David Napoleon**  
Calculus, Algebra, Math Department  
Chair

"High School is one of the greatest times in your life. Enjoy it, cherish it, take advantage of every opportunity."

## Advice for the Times



Mrs. Mattix  
Business Manager  
"Open your mind and try new things."



Mrs. Petruzzelli  
Registrar  
"Set goals and reach for them. Don't ever believe it when someone says you can't achieve your dreams."



Mr. Power  
English, Spanish  
"Pay now and play later. The alternative will age you much faster."

# Social Science



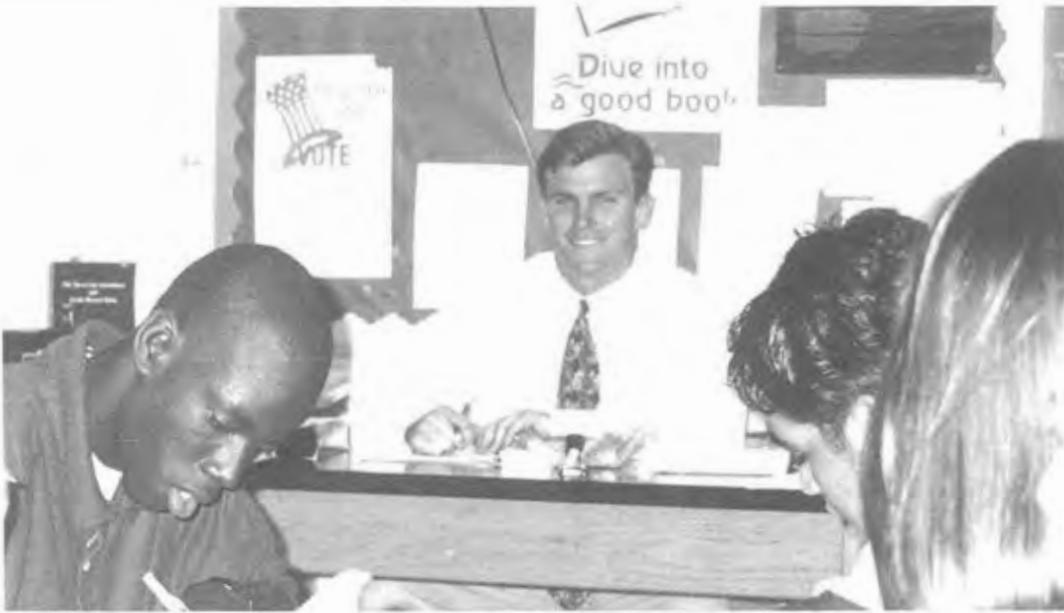
Ms. Vivio shows off her sparkling personality on Back to School Night.



Mr. Walker stresses a point to his freshmen World Cultures class.



Senior boys are eager to participate in their government course.



Mr. Walker is all smiles while his students finish their work.



Mr. Comick helps Ernesto Layon on some difficult class work.



Clarissa Bash and Mr. Parks listen to Pia McCotter deliver her speech on World Politics.



Freshmen work intently on their class assignments.

## Words of Wisdom



Mr. Valentino  
Math

"It is nice to be important but it is more important to be nice."



Mrs. Valles

Ambassador, Administration  
"Think of discipline as keeping your attention focused clearly on what you want."



Ms. Vivio  
History, Religion

"Enjoy high school to the fullest by getting involved and establishing solid friendships."

## Advice for the Times



Ms. Wasson  
English, Yearbook  
"Believe and follow your teachers and parents advice."



Mrs. Watson  
English  
"Dare to dream. Laugh a lot because it is impossible to live without a sense of humor."



Mrs. Woiwode  
Drama, English  
"If you're not actively involved in getting what you want, you don't really want it."

# Foreign Language



Mr. Powers keeps a close eye over his class.



Ms. Davis works with a bewildered student, Emily Glendering



Freshmen pay close attention and take notes in their Spanish class.



Marrisa Ramos is focused on her studies.



Mr. Lusardi stresses a valuable point to his Spanish students.



Freshmen work hard at completing English Spanish lesson.

## Words of Wisdom



Ms. Yockey  
Art

"Study hard, play hard, and travel a lot-these will teach you about yourself."

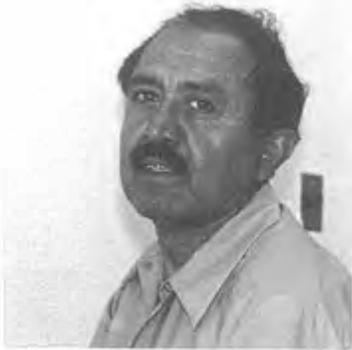


Mrs. Kirk  
Director of Development



Ms. Chavez  
Custodian  
"Concentrate on your educational life not your social life."

## Advice for the Times



Mr. Ruiz  
Custodian  
"Study, Study, Study, and work hard."



Mr. Rivera  
Custodian  
"Work hard at making something of yourself."



Mr. Hubbard  
Custodian  
"Trust in God and the talents that He gave."

# English



Morgan Musgrave and Kellen Thomas concentrate in studying new vocabulary terms.



Sister Nora explains her curriculum to parents on Back to School Night.



Ms. Wasson jokes with Sherri Pineda after class.



Mrs. Woiwode lectures to her freshmen English class on the finer points of lit language.



Andy Gilbert shows the true meaning of team work as he hugs his partner Emily Glenndening.



Kia Davis and Monica Hatcher try to help a confused Joe Ortiz.



Linda Rodriguez and Elaine Dollente work on their college essays.



Mrs. Watson smiles for the camera.

## Once Upon Our Time

Trying out for cheerleading, I fell on my rear on the stage in front of the whole ASB. I did get a standing ovation.

-Kerry Wasson

“Being a member of “Stardusters” the school Dance/jazz band (I played the saxophone and piano).

-Ms. Gabbard

On senior retreat at Rancho del Cielo the girls “moon” the boys!

-Mr. Lusardi

My principal had to rush me to the fire department to have my senior ring cut off.

-Mile Davis

Toilet-papering a friend’s house with friends after a football game and getting caught by his dad.

-Kathleen Patacsil

I blew up a portion of the chemistry lab doing some unauthorized experiment with sodium.

-Mrs. McGregor

I lost a bet with a cheerleader and I had to wear a cheerleading uniform to school and cheer during the pep rally.

-Chris Comick

## Memories

## Once Upon Our Time...

Junior year I was the captain of the girl's basketball team the year we took Champions in our divisions.

-Ms. Gabbard

I remember the warm and gracious welcome I received when I arrived.

-Mrs. Kassabaum

During a football game against St. Augustine I had 4 touchdowns and I went for 74 yards.

-Chris Comick

Riding bikes with my girlfriend when I was 15 years old, acting stupid, and accidentally knocking her off her bike. She broke her foot.

-Ron Power

Our choir teacher was directing with such enthusiasm that her wig flew off and sailed across the classroom (and it wasn't Ms. Woiwode).

-Debbie Petruzelli

My mother paid my date \$50 to take me to senior prom.

-Anamar Lehnert

Performing in various dance numbers in the annual dance program put on by the Dance Department at our school.

-Gina Vivio

## Memories

# Physical Education



Sammy Mendoza pushes his strength to the limit.



"Run Forest, Run!"



Inez Gallardo prepares to blast the basketball over to Carine Marquez.



Matt Parson shows that PE does the body good.

# Computers



Mr. Gorsich addresses a question from a Basic Computer student.



Adrian Sanchez tries to aid America with her challenging work.



Mr. Gorsich corrects Alfonso Ruiz first draft of his assignment.



Concentrating on weekly computer labs.

## Once Upon Our Time...

The only memory that I remember from high school were all the boyfriends that I had.

-Mrs. Castillo

Being asked by my Architectural Drawing teacher what would make me stop talking in class ... "Call your mother?" I said, "If you want some action ... call my dad!" He did call him at the City Hall and I thought I would be grounded for life!"

-Pat Yockey

Many of my memories can be found in the back of Marian's 1972 yearbook (page 167; on the far right) I was a bit of a trouble maker and I was forced into slavery for going against school regulations. I was forced to pay my dues by being forced to wash the chemistry windows.

-George Milke

My favorite memory from high school was our "Grad Night." It was 5:00am and all of the senior class was together. I then realized how lucky I was to have the opportunity to have gone to go to the school that I did and have the friends that I had.

-Sean Parks

## Once Upon Our Time...

## Once Upon Our Time...

A friend and I had gotten permission to work on a history research project in the school library. While working we each smoked a pipe-full of tobacco. We had just put everything away when our Senior English teacher walked through the library and asked us what we were doing. I don't know how we managed to remain calm in a smoke filled room with tobacco on our breath ... all the while thinking, "We're going to get expelled!"

-Dennis Gorsich

I received the honor to represent our school at the state musical festival all four years and then receiving the top mark in the competition on the classical piano. At the same festival I was a part of the girls Triple Trio which also received top marks for all four years.

-Ms. Gabbard

In High School I learned to set my goals high and to reach for the stars.

-Mrs. McClain

When I was chosen for Who's Who for three subjects and in the same year became President of Drama and Club Panel and also class princess.

-Mrs. Valles

## Once Upon Our Time...

# Staff



Mrs. Valles delivers a powerful speech to the parents.



Mr. Milke aids an eager parent.



Mrs. McClain happily works on another second semester schedule.



Ms. Castillo and Mrs. Mattix show how close the Marian staff really is.



Ms. Kirk and Mrs. Kassabaum transform Ben Lumanlan into a courageous Crusader.



Mrs. McClain gives out a schedule to a curious Marian parent.



Mr. Manuel works on one of his many duties, fixing a computer.



# A Tribute to Dedication



Ms. Chudy  
27 yrs  
Business Manager  
Alumni Coordinator



Ms. Gabbard  
26 yr  
Church History  
Sacraments  
STRIVE  
School Nurse



Mr. Gorsich  
31 yrs  
Basic Computers  
Computer Application  
Algebra 2



Mr. Lusardi  
10 yrs  
Spanish 2,3,4 A.P.  
Spanish Speakers 1,2,  
MECHA Club



Mrs. Mc Gregor  
14 yrs  
Chemistry  
Physics  
CSF/ NHS



Mr. Milke  
10 yrs  
Dean of Discipline  
Driver's Ed.  
P.E.



Zeke Rivera  
29 yrs  
Custodian



Jim Hubbard  
24 yrs  
Custodian

## Ten Years-Plus

# Organization Moderators

Unity could not be more apparent than in the work of the campus organizations. Crusaders united this year to form a wide variety of clubs, from the key club to the ethnic clubs Crusaders came together to share common interests and educate others. All clubs supported and helped one another in accordance with understanding their beliefs and goals. Crusaders once again sought unity and recognition in MCHS' various clubs and off campus organizations. For the majority of students school alone did not constitute the complete high school experience. They wanted to balance academics, sports and other extracurricular activities as well. It was an obvious fact that college sought well rounded students, basic knowledge is important but extracurricular activities were also influential. Through clubs and organizations, students had the opportunity to pursue their interests and spend their time in worthwhile activities but most importantly to learn and have fun at the same time. This year the moderators of these clubs spent their time and energy organizing various club events. The moderators deserve recognition for their help and guidance in this years clubs. On behalf of the MCHS campus we thank them.



Mr. Lusardi  
Hispanic Student Alliance



Ms. Davis  
French and Key Club



Mrs. Lawhead  
ASB



Mrs. Patacsil  
Campus Ministry



Mrs. Gabbard  
Strive



Mr. Comick  
Black Student Union



Mr. Parks  
Asian Pacific Islander



Mr. Valentino  
Bowling Club



Mrs. Valles  
Ambassadors



Ms. Wasson  
Yearbook



Mrs. Mc Gregor  
National Honor Society and  
California Scholarship Federation



Mr. Powers  
Asian Pacific Islander

# Key Club

The Key Club is a service organization that provides students with the opportunity to be responsible and giving citizens by doing fun and rewarding community service. Their goals for the year are to have fun as they learn more about the different needs of the community and help to meet those needs. Moderated by Ms. Davis the Key Club has planned many activities this year such as Christmas caroling at retirement homes, conducting a toy drive and serving dinner to the homeless at St. Pauls.



President and vice-president  
Leslie Root and Rose Rabanal.



Secretary and Treasurer  
Linda Rodriguez and Elaine  
Dollente



Chairman  
Pia Mc Cotter



Coordinator  
Ms. Davis



Patrick and Michelle race to a key club meeting



Rose, Leslie and Elaine eat as they prepare their charity events



Bottom L/R: C. Dumlao, E. Layon, R. Rabanal. Top L/R: J. Llorente, R. Pita, M. Alvarez, D. Sterling, N. Guizar, D. Mendoza, L. Smith, L. Root, J. Alayon, E. Dollente, P. Banayo, P. McCotter, A. Valle, Miss Davis.

# H ispanic



Raquel Ruiz  
President



Nadia Salas  
Vice President

The Hispanic Student Alliance is an organization dedicated to educate the students about the Hispanic culture. The club has started off into a great year of accomplishment. Moderated by Mr. Lusardi, the Hispanic Student Alliance has sponsored several bake sales with great success, and they also coordinated the mass of the Virgen Mary. The club is now planning events such as the huge Cinco De Mayo celebration. They are looking forward to their continuing success.



Linda Rodriguez  
Secretary



Armida Del Rosario  
Treasurer



Gerardo De La Riva and Marcos Zurita bring the statue of La Virgen Del Guadalupe into church.



Danielle Mendoza carries the offerings to give to the priest.

Everyone takes a break from their



# Student Alliance



meeting to pose  
for the camera.



Bottom row: Raquel Ruiz, Martha Marti, Paloma Araos, Omar Bustos, Kena Chavez. Top row: Armida Del Rosario, Raquel Smith, Nicole Gamboa, Gaby Estrada, Monica Escobedo, Fatima Mota, Nicole Guizar, Bernize Gutierrez, Kattia Flores, Veronica Gonzalez, Lolbe Heredia, Silda Montano, Karla Olivos, Paloma Johnson, Danielle Mendoza, Ariana Hidalgo, Mr. Lusardi.



Everyone shows their Hispanic pride by dressing up for the big mass.



Some of the HSA members listen attentively to the priest as he talks about Our Lady of Guadalupe.

# Black



Portland Bates  
President



Vernika Heinrich  
Secretary



Leon Oloya-Secretary  
Jaia Spearman-Treasurer



Javier Matlock Brown  
Vice President

Mr. Comic confers with a parent regarding BSU events.

Involvement in clubs has reached an all time high this year at Marian. Students seemed to be very excited about participating in clubs. One club in particular that was on its way up was the Black Student Union. The Black Student Union encourages and supports their African-American culture. They are truly a remarkable club that works as a team to fulfill all their work and activities.

The Black Student Union of the 95-96 school year sought to expand the horizons of its 18 members. Once this was accomplished, they formed a united front to enlighten and educate the MCHS campus. The club participated in activities expressing their cultural heritage. Through the activities and inter-club cooperation, the BSU furthered MCHS's goal of cultural tolerance, understanding and acceptance.



The Black Student Union members gather together to discuss important upcoming events.



BSU member, Lee Smith and fellow ambassadors celebrate mass.

# Student Union



Bottom row = O. Smith, J. Hays, T. Hanton. Top row = J. Twist, K. Thomas, L. Lynch, D. Davis, P. Bates, V. Heinrich, M. King, L. Smith, J. Loper, T. Dougherty, Mr. Comick, L. Oloya. Not pictured: M. Hatcher, J. Matlock.



Mr. Comick & Jaia plan for the BSU liturgy.



BSU ambassadors attend an orientation meeting.



# Strive



Sylvia Amavisca and Mara Delgado Corp Leaders



Emily Glendenning and Nicole Guizar Corp Members



Cristina Bahena and Lynette Ny Corp. Members



Erika Sandoval Corp. Member

STRIVE members paint their faces in order to remind us how many people die from drug abuse.

STRIVE is an organization that promotes self-awareness and self-development. Striving to realize the individuality and value in everyone. This is what STRIVE stands for. Mrs. Gabbard, STRIVE moderator, has dedicated her never ending guidance and patience to keep this club alive. Over the past years, STRIVE has brought many activities that involved most of the student body. This is why STRIVE is most likely the hardest and biggest working club on the Marian campus.



STRIVE teaches us a lesson: The choice for me is drug-free.



Mrs. Gabbard talks to us about our choices in life.



Bottom row: A. Alcantara, Michelle Alvarez, M. McGovern, S. Amavisca, E. Giendenning, E. Sandoval, M. Delgado, C. Corpuz, A. Mancilla. Middle row: D. Banayo, A. Flores, J. Llorente, S. Marquez, E. Geniza, L. Root, L. Mateo, P. Fabian, E. Dollente, P. Banayo. Top Row: N. Del Rosario, C. Cisneros, M. Swingle, R. Pita, Mrs. Gabbard, N. Torres, M. Musgrave, S. Salazar, M. McCotter, P. McCotter, L. Rodriguez, C. Tapia, E. Layon, R. Rabanal, K. Chavez, A. Alcantara, Michael Alvarez.



Gerardo gets his face full of whipped cream while diving into a pie pan for jelly beans.



Erika Sandoval dresses up for Red Ribbon Week.



The Seniors show their stuff in a volleyball game against the juniors.



Linda Rodriguez shows what can happen with the abuse of drugs.

# Asian Pacific



Rose Rabanal  
President



Ernesto Layon  
Vice President



Jay Del Rosario  
Treasurer



Patrick Banayo  
Secretary

Jay Del Rosario shows his enthusiasm for being in the club.

The Asian Pacific Islander Club for the 95-96 school year, moderated by Mr. Powers and Mr. Parks, is a cultural club whose purpose is to make the MCHS student body aware of their Asian Pacific cultures and traditions. Their goals for the year are to let the members inter-act with various other Asian Pacific Islander Club members throughout the county and to learn more about their heritage as well, also the APIC assembly which entertains the staff and student body with presentations and dances of the Asian Pacific Islander heritage.



The APIC performs a dance during an international dinner.



APIC members Chris, Ernesto, and Phil enjoy the homecoming dance.

# Islanders



Bottom from left to right: R. Octaviana, R. Moreno, N. Del Rosario, M. Quinto, C. Bash, A. Parks, L. Mateo, C. Corpuz, L. Root, E. Geniza, R. Robanal, M. Alvarez, M. Ramos, M. Geniza, L. Usi, Top from left to right: Mr. Powers, A. Del Rosario, J. Llorente, L. Rago, P. Banayo, J. Alayon, Assan Alacantha, D. Banayo, B. Lumanlan, S. Mendoza, J. Gordo, L. Rodriguez, J. Del Rosario, E. Leon, P. Fabian, C. Castro, C. Dumlao, T. Reed, D. Sterling, M. Alvarez, R. Pita, A. Alcantara, Mr. Parks.



Mr. Parks and Mr. Powers, club moderators, keep the group in line.



Patrick Banayo and Nina Del Rosario show off their new dance moves.



Emma anxiously on her way to an APIC meeting.



Rose Rabanal discusses important issues at a club meeting.

# French Club



Luz Maria Diaz  
President



Silda Montano  
Vice President



Mario Diaz  
Treasurer



Cristina Bahena  
Secretary

The French Club is an organization which strives to give the students the opportunity to learn more about the French culture and language. The French Club moderated by Ms. Davis plans interesting activities such as viewing French films, baking French desserts, attending French plays, and visiting art exhibitions.



Ms. Davis and Ivanna Martin discuss upcoming events to the French Club members.



Ms. Davis gives a thumbs up to everyone for their efforts.



from left to right: Ms. Davis, Gabriel Morrett, Claudia Lugo, Liza Amadora, Mario Diaz, Luz Maria Diaz, Tashara Hanton, Ivanna Martin, Lolbe Heredia, Silda Montano, Veronica Lara-Clark, and Alejandrina Magana.

# Bowling Club



Phil Fabian  
130 avg.



Ray Pita  
70 avg.



Justin Egger  
70 avg.



Ernesto Layon  
190 avg.

The Bowling Club is an organization which helps its members develop a skilled performance in knowing the rules and strategies of bowling. It serves its members in developing social and psychological self worth and self discipline but most of all it is a club for enjoyment and recreation. According to moderator Mr. Valentino the club stands for "love for one another, fair play and camaraderie." The club members meet after school at the bowling alley and practice their strikes or participate in a league game.



The Bowling Club includes:  
Bottom: J. Egger, Top L/R: J. Lorente, P. Fabian, C. Castro, D. Sterling, E. Layon, I. Gallardo, Mr. Valentino, M. Martin del Campo, J. Alayon and A. Alcantara

## National Honor Society

The National Honor Society was organized in 1921 to honor those students across the nation who possess what the founders call “the exemplary qualities of scholarship, leadership, service and character.” Mrs. Pat McGregor, moderator for the club, is strict regarding application and maintaining a members good standing. Honored members receive an emblem and wear gold chords at graduation.



Bottom L/R: J. Apostol, M. Alvarez, M. Musgrave, S. Salazar, K. Duarte, E. Geniza, C. Corpuz, L. Mateo, S. Amavisca, S. Pineda, E. Briz, L. Amadora ... Middle L/R: R. Octaviano, E. Malaga, O. Bustos, A. Martin Del Campo, R. Pita, A. Gilbert, C. Bahena, R. Garcia, E. Morales, J. Del Rosario, J. Castillo, J. Savageau, N. McColley, L. Rodriguez, J. Downey, J. Matlock-Brown, C. Loffredo, L. Heredia, L. Bartell, L. Root, N. Del Rosario, C. Bash, A. Duplesis

## California Scholastic Federation

The California Scholarship Federation is an academic organization which recognizes scholarships, leadership and service among its members. It is established to honor and reward outstanding students at MCHS. All students saw their membership in CSF as a great honor. Not only did their membership enhance their resumes, but their membership also gave them the satisfaction that they were a part of an elite group of scholars. Their membership signified determination, hard work, and responsibility.



The CSF consists of: Bottom L/R: L. Ny, J. Apostol, M. Alvarez, M. Musgrave, S. Salazar, V. Gonzalez, E. Geniza, C. Corpuz, L. Mateo, S. Amavisca, S. Pineda, E. Briz ... Middle L/R: M. Alvarez, P. Fabian, N. Torres, E. Malaga, A. Martin del Campo, E. Moreno, L. Diaz, J. Savageau, E. Dollente, C. Loffredo, J. Matlock Brown, L. Bartel, L. Heredia, L. Root, N. Del Roario, C. Bash, M. Mendoza, D. Garcia, M. Diaz Top L/R: P. Benayo, E. Layon, M. Ramos, D. Martin, A. Gilbert, C. Bahena, R. Garcia, J. Del Rosario, J. Castillo, C. Dumlao, N. McColly, J. Spearman, R. Rabanal, R. Pita, L. Rodriguez, B. Lumanlan.

# Past Clubs

Since Marian Catholic High first opened its doors to scholars the student body has been actively involved in various clubs and organizations. Over the years students have joined the longstanding and new clubs Marian has had to offer. MCHS has had many interesting clubs in the past and has encouraged students to create new and interesting clubs for the future.



Cycling Club 1989

The 1989 Cycling club consisted of Marian bicyclists who rode together down the strand every Sunday morning. Although they do not compete against other schools, they did participate in the annual Tecate-Ensenada bike ride.



Ecology Club 1971

The Ecology Club of 1971 was actively involved in cleaning and beautifying the MCHS campus. The club members cleaned up the campus and planted trees and flowers to make the MCHS campus as beautiful as it could be.

Academic League 1987



The 1987 Academic League was a jeopardy type of scholastic game with two teams consisting of 5 players each. Marian competed against other schools to determine the county championship.

Chess Club 1968



The 1968 Chess club consisted of Chess Club competitions against other schools in the district. The club members indulged in the ancient game of chess and improved their logical and strategic skills.



Band 1976

The 1976 Band was a selected group of band members who dedicated their time and effort into encouraging spirited atmospheres during seasonal games and assemblies.



Weight Lifting Club 1990

The Weight Lifting club consisted of a group of physically fit members who competed against each other and spent time together lifting weight and keeping fit.



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# FALL

*A Time of Glory*



Junior Alejandra Appel shows her power as she goes up strong to stuff the ball against the Crawford Colts.

Senior Jesse Twist and Sophomore Domonic Cruz show their Crusader pride as they run off the field.



Monica Escobedo, Irma Trejo and Verneka Heinrich take time out after a tough race to pose for a picture.

## Cheerleading

# Jumping to Success

This years Varsity cheerleading squad showed great improvement. Last years squad consisted of only eight girls, but this years squad grew to eighteen. Led by captains, Senior Gaby Estrada, Junior Nicole McColley, and Sophomore Raquel Smith and new head coach Erica Martinez, the girls worked very hard to improve cheers and dance routines. They took great pride in their homecoming dance. They attended such functions as cheerleading camp in Santa Barbara and picked up many vital skills there that improved the squad greatly. Another first in a few years was the addition of a JV cheerleading squad. Their enthusiasm shined through their practices and they look forward to cheering for varsity next year. With this kind of success, the girls are only bound to get better in the years to come.



Juniors Michelle Padilla and Natasha De La Torre and Sophomore Charmae Goebel show their spirit as they lead the crowd in a cheer.



"Of all my four years, this is the best so far! We've accomplished a lot by cooperation and I had a lot of fun."

Gaby Estrada, '96



The Cheerleaders show off their stunts as the Crusaders make yet another touchdown.



Varsity cheer made much progress this year. Jocelyn Apostol reaches for the stars as she and her teammates show off a perfect basket-toss, while Michelle Alvarez and Gaby Estrada stand with pride.



Mascot Ben Lumanlan waves the Crusader colors with pride as he salutes the home crowd.



Gaby Estrada takes a break with the help of Veronica Araiza.



Bottom L/R: J. Apostol, G. Estrada, R. Smith, R. Octaviano, M. Quinto. Middle: N. De La Torre, E. Cooper, L. Cardona, M. Leon, J. Savageau, C. Goebel. Back: M. Padilla, K. Flores, J. Spearman, V. Araiza, N. McColley, C. Armstrong, C. Bahena.

As Portland Bates and team look on, Javier Matlock shows how flexible he is as he goes up to block the Clairemont punt.



Junior Linebacker Eric Hollenbeck prepares to take down the Crawford Quarterback for another sack.



Sophomore Mike Davies runs in for extra yardage.



Above: Coach Napoleon gives his players a pep talk.



The team celebrates on the way home after yet another victory.



Bottom Row L/R: N. Gallegos, C. Dumlao, S. Mendoza, D. Cruz, A. Carazolez, R. De La Riva, J. Ramirez, E. Figueroa, M. Davies. Second Row: J. Foti, T. Hyde, J. Matlock, O. MacFarland, J. Twist, A. Asaro, J. Del Rosario, E. Hollenbeck, J. Combs, B. Cordova, Coach Ziegfried. Third Row: K. Chavez, J. Rivera, J. Zurita, M. Barba, L. Lynch, J. Ortiz, P. Bates, J. Chavez, L. Lynch, J. Maldonado, G. De La Riva, N. Gamboa. Top Row L/R: Coach Napoleon, Coach Parks, Coach Mattix, Coach David, Coach Walker, Coach Comick, Coach Rhodes.





## Varsity Football

### Harbor League Champs

With both an explosive offense and excellent defense, the varsity football team was ready to capture a CIF banner this year. With a 60-0 victory in Laughlin, they began the season with an awesome 4-0 record. They defeated tough Harbor League opponents such as Clairemont, Coronado and Christian. Led by quarterback Ben Cordova, running backs Jesse Twist and Mike Davies, and Receiver/Kicker Jose Maldonado, Marian's offense was one of the best in the county, scoring an average of 40 points a game. The offensive line included Marco Barba, Octavio MacFarland, Jorge Zurita, Jovany Rivera and Jesse Combs. The Defense was also one of the best in the county. Led by LaVon and LaJuan Lynch, Ivan Lozano, Eric Hollenbeck, Javier Matlock, Portland Bates, Sammy Mendoza, Gerardo DeLaRiva, Jon Ramirez, Alex Asaro and Domonic Cruz, this strong combination, of Crusaders achieved a successful season.



Senior Gerardo De La Riva and Junior Eric Hollenbeck lead the team to the field.

Senior Jesse Twist gets ready to blow by a Mar Vista defender.

At Laughlin	9/1
SW El Centro	9/15
At Southwest	9/22
At Clairemont	9/30
Mar Vista	10/6
Hoover	10/13
At Crawford	10/20
At Coronado	10/27
Christian	11/3
At Madison	11/9

"I will always remember the Homecoming game against Christian. Everyone gave it their all. I was in so much disbelief that a tear came out of my eye."

Marco Barba, '96

# Class Of '96



Marco Barba



Portland Bates



Gerardo De La Riva



Jay Del Rosario



Chris Dumlao



LaJuan Lynch



LaVon Lynch



Octavio MacFarland



Sammy Mendoza



Joe Ortiz



Jesse Twist

# Marian Football

The Senior Class of '96 was a great part of this year's varsity football team. Numbering eleven, they made their presence known on the field both offensively and defensively. Quoting Head Coach Mike David, "They were a very dedicated and hard-working group." As freshmen, these young men were the beginning of a new era, the future of Marian football. They were a part of two JV Harbor League championship teams, one Varsity Harbor League championship team and clinched three straight CIF playoff berths. This group of talented young athletes served as great leaders for all the underclassmen. Their hard work, determination and their hunger to win will serve as an inspiration for many seasons to come.



LaJuan and Portland show off at Jack Murphy Stadium.

Marco Barba, ready to show what he can do on the line.



The senior captains lead the team in a pre-game prayer.



Gerardo and LaVon lead the Crusader charge.



LaJuan, Portland and LaVon start recruiting at an early age.

JV Football

3-Peat!

The JV football team had a good start in the season and ended up even better with first place in the Harbor League! With head coach George Milke, the team is led by Alex Almarez, who averaged two touchdowns a game and Raul Barajas, who rushed an average of 15 yards per carry. There was a great effort from the rest of the team, especially in defense. Congratulations on a wonderful season.

9/1	at Laughlin
9/15	Southwest of El Centro
9/22	at Southwest
9/30	at Clairemont
10/6	Mar Vista
10/12	at Hoover
10/19	Crawford
10/27	at Coronado
11/3	Christian
11/9	at Madison



"We stayed together as a team and that led us to our third straight Harbor League title."

---Kellen Thomas, '98



Left: PJ Cavanaugh listens to a word of advice from Coach Milke. Above: The JV shows off their offensive skills, both on the ground and in the air.



Top L/R: J. Bandala, R. Pagan, M. Bullard, C. Lora, J. Kuebbler, L. Oloya, K. Thomas, E Alvarez, S. McElwain. Middle L/R: Coach Milke, J. Matlock, M. Olvera, N. Labertew, G Herrera, O. Garcia, A. Mar, G. Alcalá, Coach S. Walker, Coach B. Walker, Bottom L/R: D Cordoba, F. Cruz, R. Leon, A. Almaraz, L. Hernandez, Z. Colin, R. Dimal, M. Rodriguez C. Acosta. Not Pictured: J. Loper, N. Reznik, R. Barajas, PJ Cavanaugh, A. Alcantara, I. Al drete



Freshman Quarterback Omar Garcia prepares the Crusaders for battle as he relays the play from Mr. Milke to the offense in a game against Crawford.



The JV utilizes their running game as they gain extra yardage.

Freshman Football

The Next Generation

The freshmen football team shows the much needed skills and maneuvers to succeed in the future years ahead. The team is led by the captains Omar Garcia, Robert Pagan, Mario Olvera, Chris Acosta, and Steve McElwain. They were defensive specialists, for instance, Mario Olvera in interceptions and Steve McElwain as a strong middle linebacker. They've got the potential, they give it their all, and they're building up a step higher for next season.

9/7	at Escondido
9/14	Eastlake
9/21	Ramona
9/28	University
10/5	St. Augustine
10/12	at University
10/21	at Aliso Niguel
10/28	at St. Augustine
11/2	Parker



"There is nothing better than walking off the field with a victory after giving 100% effort."

---Omar Garcia, '99

Varsity Volleyball

# Setting Standards

The Lady Crusader varsity volleyball team was full of potential. With new coach, Becee Gfell, they were set on making it to the playoffs once again. With a total of nine seniors, they definitely had experience on their side. They finished the regular season with a 7-11 record, but this doesn't reflect all the improvement the girls made through the course of the season, beating cross-town rivals Mar Vista as well as Lincoln and Crawford. They faced Clairemont in CIF quarterfinals and unfortunately fell to defeat. Clarissa Bash, Marrisa Manere and Leslie Root passed well to Christina Loffredo, who, in turn, gave the perfect set to power hitters Monica Hatcher, Alejandra Appel and Morgan Musgrave. Also contributing were Danielle Mendoza, Emily Glendenning, Rose Rabanal, Emma Geniza, Mara Delgado and Jessica Downey. The girls showed the teamwork and determination of true Crusaders.



Harbor League vs.  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Lincoln  
Mar Vista

"We started off the season a bit shaky, but in the end there was a stronger bond between the girls that had not been there before."

---Clarissa Bash, '96



Top L/R: Coach Gfell, K. Barron, C. Loffredo, M. Musgrave, R Rabanal, M. Hatcher, J. Downey, K. Davis. Bottom L/R: E. Glendenning, D. Mendoza, L. Root, M. Manere, E. Geniza, C. Bash.



Senior Middle Blocker Monica Hatcher goes up for the monster stuff on her Mar Vista opponent.

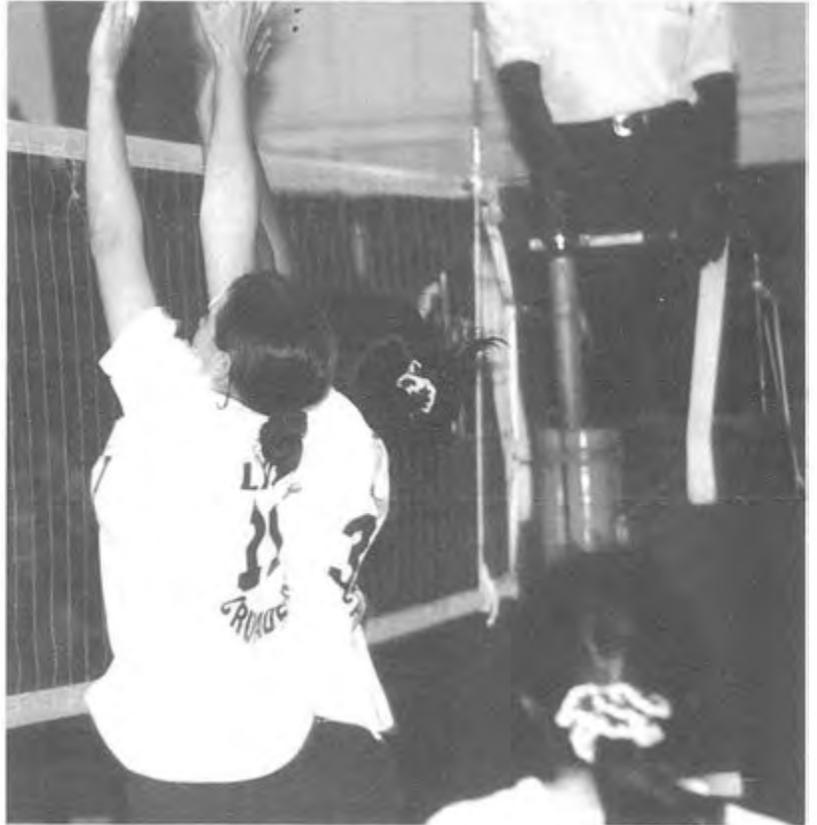


Senior Clarissa Bash serves for the ace.



Sophomore Morgan Musgrave shows her flexibility as she makes the perfect pass.

Senior Marris Manere and Junior Alejandra Appel reach for new heights as they go up to roof a Lincoln opponent.



The Lady Crusaders show their unity as they go back onto the court with a team cheer.

JV Volleyball

A Fresh Start

This year the JV Volleyball team had a tough task ahead of them. With the help of Coach Becee Gfell, they needed to form a strong team from a group of girls who hadn't worked with each other before. They accomplished this smoothly. Led by Nina Del Rosario, Rocio Ruiz, and Cheyenne Contreras, the girls earned a 10-2 record and second place in Harbor League. The girls showed great improvement to make the season a successful one.

Harbor League -vs-  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Mar Vista



"Gee, it was a challenge and a chance for us to do our best."

---Nina Del Rosario, '97



The JV Volleyball team makes their entrance at the first rally of the season.



Top L/R: Denise Lopez, Alejandrina Magana, Veronica Gonzalez, Cheyenne Contrera, Jeanette Duenas. Bottom L/R: Rocio Ruiz, Bianca Padilla, Melinda Geniza, Nina Del Rosario



Above: Joe Mayo gives it his all in the final stretch. Left Bottom: Verneka Heinrich pushes her hardest to finish strong. Right Bottom: Jesse Gordo warms up before his next race.



The Lady Crusader runners jump out to a head start.

Cross-Country

Racing Against Time

Cross-country was off and running towards a successful season. Verneka Heinrich and Monica Escobedo consistently placed in the top ten, while Jesse Gordo, Joseph Mayo, Patrick Banyo, and Assan Alcantara often placed in the top fifteen. Though the cross-country team was not large, led by coach Mason, they gave their all in every race.

Harbor League -vs-  
 Clairemont  
 Coronado  
 Crawford  
 Hoover  
 Lincoln  
 Madison  
 Mar Vista



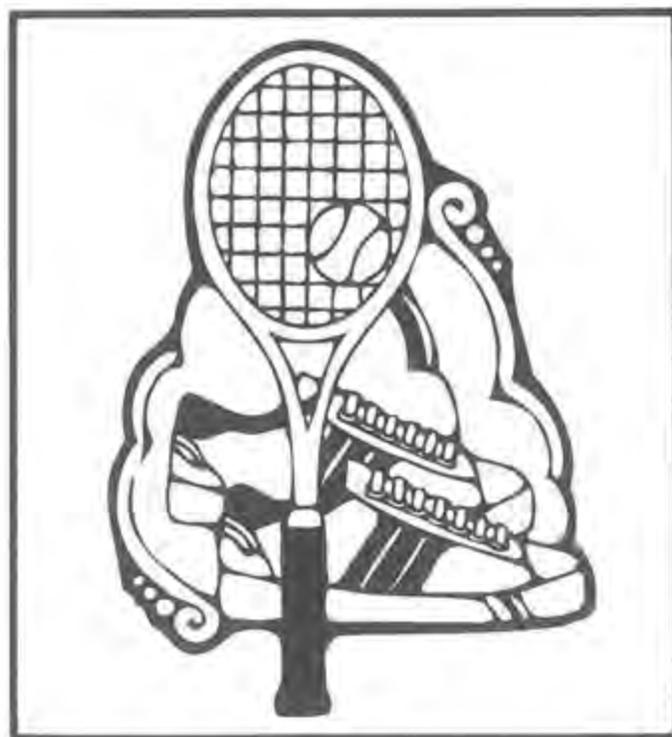
"Accomplishing something not many people can do, this is what Cross-country is all about."

--Verneka Heinrich, '97

## Girls Tennis

# Queens of the Court

The future looks bright for the Lady Crusader Tennis team. This year the majority of the team were basically beginners who all had different skill levels. Leading the team was Christina Plesser, who never lost a match during the season. Other returning players include doubles partners Jennifer Alayon and Dahlia Torres and Lizette Bartell. The girls gave it their all and beat Harbor League opponents such as Madison. Rounding off the team are Erika Briz, Amanda Richards, Andra Dupissis, Desiree Garcia, Lilia Ramirez, Carolina, Angela Shankles, Karina Lopez and Giselle Meza. The girls are eager to do well in the seasons to come.



Harbor League-vs-

Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Madison  
Mar Vista

“This year most of us were new to the sport. We had a tremendous season and next years will be better!”

Erika Briz, '98



Top L/R: Lynette Ny, Gisselle Meza, Karina Lopez, Desiree Garcia, Angela Shankles. Bottom L/R: Jennifer Alayon, Lizette Bartell, Erika Briz, Christina Plesser.



"Tennis was enjoyably fun. I met new friends and had fun doing it, especially getting hit by tennis balls." Amanda Richards, '98



"I had a lot of fun playing with the girls on the team." Lynette Ny, '97

Christina Plesser

Takes Harbor League

"It was very nice to win the Harbor League Title for Marian and to go to the CIF tournament," says German Exchange Student Christina Plesser. Playing on an American tennis team was a great experience for her. She notes that the main difference between play here and in Germany is that to play in tournaments in Germany you must be a member of a club, when here you can have your classmates on your tennis team. Congratulations for the great work, Christina!



"I think the best part about tennis is the cute little skirts that we get to wear." Giselle Meza, '97

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# *Winter*

## *Victorious Times*



Junior Alex Almaraz drives the ball past his defender, ready to take it in for a Crusader goal.

Senior Joseph Mayo shows off his hops as he takes it to the hole against the Mar Vista Mariners.



Senior Monica Hatcher blows past her Madison defender as she puts the ball in for an easy two points.

## Varsity Boys Basketball

### Taking it to the hole

With lots of raw talent and a new head coach, Terry Mason, the boys varsity basketball team was bound for a great season. Led by Marcus King and LaJuan Lynch, who consistently scored in double figures, the team started off the season with a bang. They blew away Army-Navy and succeeded in beating league rivals Clairemont and Coronado. With key rebounding from LaVon Lynch, Jesse Twist, and Jorge Chavez and experience at the guard position in Gerardo DeLaRiva, Marcos Zurita and Joseph Mayo, the Crusaders had the right combination to make this season a successful one. It could be seen through their effort that the Crusaders gave it their all everytime they stepped on the court and with the great underclassmen effort, the team will be ready to tackle any opponents that may come their way in the future.

Coach Mason and Coach Chauncey motivate the team during CIF playoffs.



#### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Madison  
Mar Vista

"I'm proud of the way we played this year. We went through alot of changes, but we made a good effort and ended up playing some tough games."

LaVon Lynch, '96



Jorge Chavez takes it strong to the hole and draws the foul.



Top L/R: M. Zurita, J. Kuebbler, Coach Mason, P. Cota, G. DeLaRiva. Bottom L/R: LaV. Lynch, E. Figueroa, J. Gordo, LaJ. Lynch. Not pictured: J. Mayo, A. Melendrez.



Jean Kuebbler grabs the ball and looks for the outlet to start the fastbreak.

The team brings it up for a team huddle as Coach Mason gives some last minute advice.



LaJuan Lynch grabs another board and is ready to put the ball in for an easy two.



LaVon Lynch uses the glass to put in two for the Crusaders.

## JV Boys Basketball

### Sharpshooters

Under new coach, Terry Mason, the JV team grew closer together through the duration of the season. Led by Alex Asaro and Jason Dohman, the guys lighted it up from the outside and went up strong at the post. Other contributions were made by Roberto DeLaRiva, Jesse Combs, Mike Davies and Leon Oloya. They defeated cross-town rival, Mar Vista, with a stunning half court buzzer beater. The future looks good for this bunch of sharpshooters.

### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
 Clairemont  
 Coronado  
 Crawford  
 Hoover  
 Madison  
 Mar Vista



"This year on the JV boys basketball team the theme of "team" was stressed. We had a very successful season." Alex Asaro, '97



Jorge Zurita stretches a little further to put back his offensive board.



Above L/R: N. Moore, J. Dohman, J. Combs, A. Asaro. Not Pictured: M. Davies, A. Moreno, L. Oloya, R. DeLaRiva, J. Zurita, A. Carazolez. Right: Anthony takes his defender to school.





Above: Top L/R: O. Garcia, I. Aldrete, Coach Mason, M. Bullard, L. Oloya. Bottom L/R: J. Banuelos, M. Olvera, F. Delgado.  
Left: Roberto DeLaRiva spots up for an easy three point field goal.

## Freshmen Basketball

The perfect season

Great teamwork led to the freshmen boys basketball team's undefeated regular season. With league play at Eastlake high, the freshmen defeated any opponents that were given to them. Led by Michael Bullard, Isaac Aldrete, and Leon Oloya, the freshmen defeated their opponents by an average 60 point margin of victory. They went to the finals and lost a heartbreaker in triple overtime. We look forward to their presence on the Varsity and JV squads next year.



Sophomore Mike Davis takes it past his Clairemont defender for the easy finger roll.

League play-vs-

Bonita Vista  
Castle Park  
Chula Vista  
Eastlake  
Hilltop  
Montgomery  
Sweetwater  
Southwest



"We had a real good time this season and I'm glad we did so well."

Leon Oloya, '99



Claudia Tapia goes up strong for the rebound.



Top L/R: Coach David, C. Tapia, K. Chavez, L. Rodriguez, M. Musgrave, C. Loffredo. Bottom L/R: E. Dollente, A. Appel, M. Manere, C. Bash, L. Root. Not Pictured: M. Hatcher.



Monica Hatcher shows her authority at the post as she taps it in for two.



Morgan Musgrave gets aggressive as she pulls down an offensive board.

Clarissa Bash gets the easy lay-up while her Madison defender can only watch.



Alejandra Appel leaves her Madison defender in the dust as she drives in for an easy two points.



## Girls Varsity Basketball

### Sweet shots

The girls Varsity basketball team always had two things: determination and heart. Led by new head coach Mike David, the girls had several goals for the season, but the most important was to gain a CIF playoff berth. The girls started off with a bang, defeating Warner Springs 60-19. They then took a trip to Santa Barbara and played Bishop Diego High School, a division five powerhouse. Down 16-0 at the first quarter, the girls came within one point in the fourth, but lost by three. The team was led by strong post play from Monica Hatcher and Morgan Musgrave and sharpshooting from Clarissa Bash and Alejandra Appel. They defeated league opponents Mar Vista. With this dedication the girls will always be true winners.



Head Coach, Mike David.



Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Madison  
Mar Vista

"We worked really hard this season and had to face a lot of tough teams, but we hung in there and played tough."

Monica Hatcher, '96

## Girls JV Basketball

### Back to basics

A new coach and a new attitude made up the JV girls basketball team this year. Led by new coach Jose Cruz, the team learned the basic skills that will be necessary to play on the varsity level in the future. Chyenne Contreras and Kandy Barron swapped off at the point, while Sarah Salazar and Maggie McCotter crashed the boards and put up much needed second shot attempts. The girls are surely getting the experience that they need for the years to come.



Top L/R: M. McCotter, M. Martin Del Campo, I. Gallardo, C. Araiza, A. Martin De Campo. Bottom L/R: M. Escobedo, S. Salazar, L. Ny, K. Lopez.

### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Madison  
Mar Vista



"The JV team works well together and gets along pretty good. We aren't the best, but we have a lot of fun."

Sarah Salazar, '98



Left: Kandy Barron shows determination as she drives to the hoop. Right: Maggie McCotter gives the ball a soft touch for two points.

Margarita Martin Del Campo puts it up for the easy shot.



Above: Sarah Salazar goes to the hole unguarded and she knows she's got another two for the team. Below: Sarah and Cheyenne give each other a hug after their win.



Lynette Ny shows her quickness as she goes for the steal.



Boys Soccer

Kicking into high gear

One word to describe this years Varsity boys soccer team is dedicated. Captains Jose Maldonado's goal scoring and Eric Hollenbeck's defensive skills spurred the Crusaders 110 percent effort out on the field every game. Goalie Jimmy Castillo made saves, while Hector Romero showed skill at the midfielder position. All in all, the Crusaders have the potential to come up strong in the future of the Harbor League.

Harbor League-vs-

- Christian
- Clairemont
- Coronado
- Crawford
- Hoover
- Lincoln
- Madison
- Mar Vista



"Our record may not have shown it, but we always tried our best."

Jose Maldonado, '97



Walter Davis is set to beating his opponent to the ball.



Daniel Alvarez shows his hustle as he catches up to stop his opponent.



Edgar Gomez handles the ball and show the opposing team just what he can do



Jose Maldonado concentrates on the ball as he prepares to shoot for another goal



Rocio Ruiz drives the ball past her Hoover defender.



Isela Ochoa shows her authority as she elbows her way to the ball



Edna Malaga aggressively steals the ball from a Hoover player.



Top I/R: Coach Comick, V. Ramsey, I. Ochoa, C. Hernandez, P. Peralta, I. Martin, L. Navarro, E. Malaga, Coach Malaga. Bottom I/R: A. Valle, S. Wilhelm, K. Barron, J. Duenas, Ra. Ruiz, E. Rodriguez, B. Padilla, Ro. Ruiz.

## Girls Soccer

### Goals for the future

The girls varsity soccer team was in a rebuilding phase this year. The girls came to practice and always gave it their all. The girls showed potential by tying league rival Hoover High School, 2-2. Led by captain Edna Malaga's athletic ability at sweeper and Jeanette Duenas' speed at forward, the girls were always on the move. Rocio Ruiz also added smart and aggressive play to the midfield position. The lady Crusaders are surely on their way up to the top.

### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Mar Vista



"We're on the verge of being a really good team, even if our record didn't always show it."

Edna Malaga, '97

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# *Spring*

*A Time for Success*



Senior Marcos Zurita shows his form as he hurls a strike to a waiting batter.

Senior Clarissa Bash takes a quick glance at the pitcher as she gets ready to bolt for third.



The varsity golf team takes time out to pose for a goofy picture.

## Varsity Baseball

# Power Personified

The Varsity baseball team was set to have another successful season this year. They started off by taking second at the Mar Vista/Chicks tournament. Then, they took first at the Lions tournament for the second year in a row. Led by head coach Randy Abshier, the Crusaders were strong on the field and at the plate. Strong pitching from senior Octavio MacFarland, and Juniors Amad Stephens and Jonathan Ramirez held up the defense, while seniors Manny Zepeda and Joe Ortiz and sophomore Jorge Zurita made great plays. Heavy hitting from senior Marcos Zurita and sophomore Ben Cordova put runs on the board. Rounding up the lineup are senior Jesse Twist, Junior Thomas Hyde, sophomore Mike Davies and Freshman Omar Garcia. With the talent and experience that this team possesses, we will be sure to see great things from them in the future.



### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Hoover  
Lincoln  
Mar Vista  
Madison

"I think our team is very close and we play well together because we have good teamwork."

Marcos Zurita, '96



Junior Amad Stephens stares down the Point Loma pitcher as he prepares to send the ball down to deep centerfield.



Senior Manny Zepeda takes a good lead as he gets ready to steal third.

Sophomore Mike Davies pulls back to avoid the low pitch.



Senior Octavio MacFarland shows his determination and patience at the plate as he waits for the pitcher to deliver a flawless pitch.



Senior Marcos Zurita shows them the heat as he throws another strike.



Junior Jonathon Ramirez slides into second with ease as he steals yet another base.



Top L/R: Coach Abshier, J. Zurita, J. Twist, A. Stephens, E. Zepeda, J. Ramirez, O. Rivera. Bottom L/R: J. Ortiz, O. MacFarland, M. Davies, M. Zurita, T. Hyde, B. Cordova.



Junior catcher Aura Mancilla makes the force at home and looks to gun down the runner at second.



Cheyenne Contreras, ready to send the ball to the out-field.



Monica Hatcher puts down the bunt to fool the Montgomery defense.



Clarissa Bash shows her down and ready position as she gets ready to field an easy grounder.



Morgan Musgrave scoops up the ball and makes the throw for the easy out at first.



Top L/R: C. Contreras, M. Musgrave, M. Hatcher, N. Gamboa. Bottom L/R: A. Martinez, C. Bash, N. Del Rosario, K. Barron. Not pictured: A. Mancilla, R. Ruiz, K. Chavez, P. McCotter.





sophomore Rocio Ruiz strides to the plate and shows the mechanics of a perfect strike.

## Varsity Softball

# Golden Gloves

The girls varsity softball team had their minds set on victory. "This is the best defensive team that I have seen since I've been here," says Head Coach Dave Napoleon. Led by senior captain Clarissa Bash, the girls worked hard all season, determined to fulfill a common goal, a CIF or Harbor League banner. With Seniors Monica Hatcher and Amanda Martinez, Junior Kenna Chavez, and Sophomore Rocio Ruiz in the outfield and the defensive ability of Senior Pia McCotter, Juniors Nina Del Rosario and Aura Mancilla, Sophomores Nicole Gamboa, Kandy Barron, and Morgan Musgrave, and Freshman newcomer Cheyenne Contreras, their defensive strength was obvious as they held their opponents to very few runs a game. The girls began the season strong, defeating Lutheran 21-0 and Harbor League opponents such as Lincoln 15-6.



Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
 Clairemont  
 Coronado  
 Crawford  
 Hoover  
 Lincoln  
 Mar Vista

"I'm really proud of how far we've come as a team. We worked together and got along and that was a big part of our success."

Clarissa Bash, '96

JV Baseball

Down and ready

The 1996 Junior Varsity Baseball team proved to be capable of a winning season. The team consisted of four freshmen, four sophomores, and two juniors. Domonic Cruz, John Pokkula, and Michael Bullard, led the team as captains. Pitchers Alfonso Ruiz, Mike Bullard, and Domonic Cruz all contributed with strong arms. The team excelled defensively. They played hard and deserved to be recognized for the skills that they have developed during the season.

Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Coronado  
Hoover  
Lincoln  
Madison  
Mar Vista



At the beginning of the season things looked shakey, but as the season progressed, so did we."  
Domonic Cruz, '98



On the pitching mound, freshman Mike Bullard winds up and throws one of his many strikes.



Domonic Cruz at bat glances at his powerful hit to right field.



Top L/R: N. Labertew, R. DeLaTorre, O. Garcia, G. Herrera, Coach Mueller. Bottom L/R: G. Alcalá, A. Ruiz, D. Sterling, J. Pokkula, J. Ramos.



Standing L/R: Sarah Salazar, Maggie McCotter. Kneeling L/R: Andra Duplessis, Annette Valle, Gisselle Meza, Verneka Heinrich. Sitting L/R: Jeanette Duenas, Teresa Marquez, Mindy Geniza, Inez Gallardo, Lynette Ny.



Sophomore Mindy Geniza steps and throws to her partner as she warms up during practice.



The girls listen in on a last minute pep talk from Coach Parks after practice.

## JV Softball

### Batter up

With new coach Sean Parks, the JV softball team seemed uncontrollable at first. But as time took its course, skills were taught and learned in practice and persistence. The team was led by sophomore captain Sarah Salazar, freshman pitcher Inez Gallardo, and offensive hitter Jeannette Duenas. Their season record does not quite reveal all the enthusiasm and spirit they have for the game. Since the majority of the team consists of freshmen, there is a great amount of potential that can be seen in the future of Marian softball.

Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
 Clairemont  
 Coronado  
 Crawford  
 Hoover  
 Lincoln  
 Mar Vista



"We learned how to stick together and developed teamwork as the season got further along."

Sarah Salazar, '98

## Boys Tennis

### A Team of Aces

The boys tennis team was determined to have a repeat of their successful season last year. Led by captains and varsity returners Hector Romero and Jason Dohman, the team consisted of many newcomers. Single players include Hector Cortes and Roberto Leon. Doubles include Justin Llorente, Alex Asaro, and Jean Kuebler. They defeated league rivals Madison, Hoover, and Christian and are definitely playoff bound.

### Harbor League-vs-

Christian  
Clairemont  
Crawford  
Hoover  
Lincoln  
Madison  
Mar Vista



"We're doing very well. I'm the only senior so the following years should be as good as these are."

Hector Romero, '96



Top L/R: Daniel Behrens, Roberto Leon, Hector Romero, Jason Dohman, Alex Asaro.  
Bottom L/R: Jonathon Bandala, Faustino Cruz, Manny Rodriguez, Justin Llorente.



Left: Jason Dohman prepares to return the ball. Below: Jonathon Bandala gets ready to serve the ace.



Junior Alex Asaro reaches to put the ball down.



Right: Andy Gilbert shows the mechanics of his swing. Bottom: Eric Hollenbeck shows how he drives the golf ball so far.



● one of the coaches, Mr. Milke.



Top L/R: Coach Milke, Ronnie McGurk, Andy Gilbert, Phil Cota, Eric Hollenbeck, Justin Egger, Coach Valentino. Bottom L/R: Dennis Garcia, Jon Canada, Jesse Combs, Matt Parsons.

Golf

Kings of Swing

The Varsity golf team had a great turn-out to start the season. This year, the Crusaders were led by Seniors Jon Canada and Andy Gilbert and Juniors Phil Cota and Jesse Combs who each have 2 years of varsity experience. Rounding out the team are newcomers Ronnie McGurk, Eric Hollenbeck, Justin Egger, Javier Matlock-Brown, Matt Parsons and Dennis Garcia. They came in at 252 against Eastlake and improved to a 216 against San Diego. The future looks bright for these dedicated young men.



"Golf is for the real man. You learn how to keep your clubs and your balls straight."

Jon Canada, '96

# First time for everything...

The first year of high school is full of firsts: lockers, formal dances, rotating schedules, competitive sports and the wrath of upperclassmen. **Freshman** learn about responsibility and accountability while studying for final exams and working on research papers. Usually compared to a whirlwind by the end of their first year, most **Freshman** agree it's a year they'll never forget...



Christopher Acosta



Adam Alcantara



Isaac Aldrete



Daniel Alvarez



Liza Amadora



Carmen Araiza



CeShaun Armstrong



Alicia Asaro



Donald Banayo



Juan Banuelos



Sandy Bojorquez



Michael Bullard



Brian Campos



Patrick Cavanaugh



Kristina Chavez



Martha Chavez



Melinda Chavez



Zirael Colin

# Freshman Officers



"It's hard work. The work I do is much more than I expected"

-Omar Garcia, President

"This is a good experience for me and school. I think I will do a good job."

-Mario Garcia, vice president



"It's hard work because you deal with a lot of money. I learned how to be responsible".

-Inez Gallardo, Treasurer



"This helped me how to be reliable. It's hard work but I had fun."

-Margarita Del Campo, Secretary



## Thoughts on Freshmen Friends

“They like to do the same things I do”. Inez Gallardo

“They all have different personalities that makes each one unique”. Margarita Del Campo

“They are cool”. Jenny Manuel

“I have fun with them”. Kristina Chavez

“I can trust them”. Cshaun Armstrong

“They trust me”. Patricia Martinez

“I like to hang around with them”. Bertha Gomez

“I think that every one is different and that most people are nice”. Judith Michel



Cheyenne Contreras



Luis Corrales



Rudy De La Torre



Franco Delgado



Richard Dimal



Jeanette Duenas-Fimbres



Andra Duplessis



Monica Escobedo



Brenda Espinoza



Alfredo Flores



Marissa Franche



Inez Gallardo



Omar Garcia



Edgar Gomez



Bertha Gomez-Medina

# Maid Marian & Chris Crusader



Maid Marian and Chris Crusader are time honored characters that have represented Marian Catholic High School for many years. Always an honor bestowed on a member of the freshman class, each boy and girl eagerly awaits the announcement of the winner during Homecoming Week activities.

“Marian” and “Chris” are witnesses to the announcement of BMOC during the Homecoming Rally. The lucky couple also accompanies the Homecoming Court during the half-time show and watches with the rest of the court as the announcement of the queen is made.

At various times in Marian’s History, the twosome has arrived on foot, in convertibles and even on horseback, circa 1968. This year’s winners, Margarita del Campo and Chris Acosta, were both excited and surprised to have been elected by their peers. “I was honored when I heard my name announced. My class started applauding!” says Margarita. Chris, too was pleased with his nomination. “Riding in the convertible at half-time was totally cool.”







Alvaro Gonzalez



Jean-Claude  
Gonzalez-Aragon



Tashara Hanton



Joy Hay



Takafumi Kawabuchi



Kristine Kennedy



Lindsay Kennedy



Veronica Lara-Clark



Isaiah Leggett



Ronnie Limon



Rebecca Loera



Amber Lofton



Denisse Lopez



Claudia Lugo



Alejandrina Magana



Jennie Manuel



Carine Marquez



TeaRessa Marquez



Margarita Martin Del  
Campo



Patricia Martin

## What's the biggest change between Jr. High and High School?

"The responsibility and sched-  
ules". Claudia Lugo

"The block schedule". Andra  
Duplessis

"More friends, family environ-  
ment". Liza Amadora

"The uniforms". Breanna Oc-  
taviano

"That you go into High  
School and you meet more  
people". Denesse Lopez

"I get more homework". Ther-  
essa Marquez

"Too many girls for me". Al-  
fred Flores

"The work and timing"  
Tashara Hanton



America Martinez



Patricia Martinez



Margaret Mc Cotter



Steven Mc Elwain



Judith Michel



Maria Morales



Victoria Morales



Rienne Moreno



Mariano Munoz-Manning



Reanna Octaviano



Leon Oloya



Mario Olvera-Cota



Bianca Padilla



Roberto Pagan



Michael Petraglia



Tana Petruzzelli



Monique Quinto



Lee Rabago



Abri! Ramirez



Jose Ramos

## Describe your most embarrassing moment

“I fell off a horse into a mud puddle”. Edgar Gomez

“When I was suppose to say a speech and went totally blank”. Alejandrina Magalla

“Changing for the first time in the girls locker room”. Kristine Kennedy

“It was raining and all my books fell into a pile of water”. Richard Dimal

“I fell off a fence and my shirt showed everything”. Alicia Asavo

“I was day dreaming in class and when I woke up I left my desk all wet”. Sandy Bojorquez

“I tucked my shirt into my under pants”. Veromica Laura

“When I was working and I got cake all over myself”. Martha Chavez



## Describe your hardest subject

“My hardest subject is English, because I can’t write that good papers and essays.”-Donald Baraja

“I think that the hardest subject is English because I don’t understand.”  
-Juan C. Bañuelos

“The hardest one is French because its a new language.”-Adrian S.

“My hardest subject is English because I don’t like reading books.”  
-Aden Alcantara

“My hardest subject is English because I get low test scores.”-Kristin Kennedy

“Algebra, because I changed to Algebra I honors.”-Wendy

“Math because its an honors class.”  
-Rudy De la

“I think all the subjects I have are really easy.”-Mario Olvera



Felipe Reynoso



Emmanuel Rodriguez



Alfonso Ruiz



Adrian Sanchez



Deirdre Sprague



John Strait



Christopher Toledo



Gema Vidrio



Sadie Wilhelm







Now &





Then



# Time will tell...

Entering the second year of their high school career, **Sophomores** had a firm grip on reality. Faced with Drivers Ed. and Speech classes, as well as more advanced math, English and language classes, this class was attempting to be respected by the upperclassmen while dominating the underclassmen. No longer at the bottom, the **Sophomores** were determined to succeed...



Guillermo Alcalá



Martín Alonzo



Emilio Álvarez



Michael Álvarez



Michelle Álvarez



Jocelyn Apostol



Verónica Araiza



Jonathan Bandala



Raúl Barajas



Kandy Barrón



Christian Berumen



Erika Briz



Albert Carazolez



Lucía Cardona



Cheryl Castro



Jorge Chávez



María Chávez



Luis Concepción



## Class Officers



“Everything is great. We’ve had a lot of improvement. We have a lot of spirit. We are proud of everyone.”

-Erica Briz,  
President

“It’s been fun. It’s a wonderful learning experience. I learned how to work with my peers.”

-Michelle Alvarez,  
Vice President



“For me it’s extra work to do but it is worth it. I have had good and bad times.”

-Amanda Richards,  
Treasurer



“I think that this year has been successful. This year the ASB is more coordinated.”

-Jocelyn Apostol,  
Secretary



What do you see yourself doing in the next ten years?

“Leading a successful life after graduating from Marian” Sarah Salazar.

“Being an Architect.” Tony Chavez

“Working for a major company.”  
Donn Sterling

“Getting married and having 10 kids”  
Michelle Alvarez

“Nothing much” Hitchiker Joe.

“Being Jack, from Jack in the Box”  
Donn Sterling

“Getting married.” Mike Davis.

“Living with my parents.” Karina Santos.



Daniel Cordoba



Benjamin Cordova III



Domic Cruz



Faustino Cruz



Michael Davies



Roberto De La Riva



Gary Denison



Mario Diaz



Erik Figueroa



Ivette Flores



Nicole Gamboa  
(Davidson)



Dennis Garcia



Desiree Garcia-Sermeno



Juan Garza



Melinda Geniza

# Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

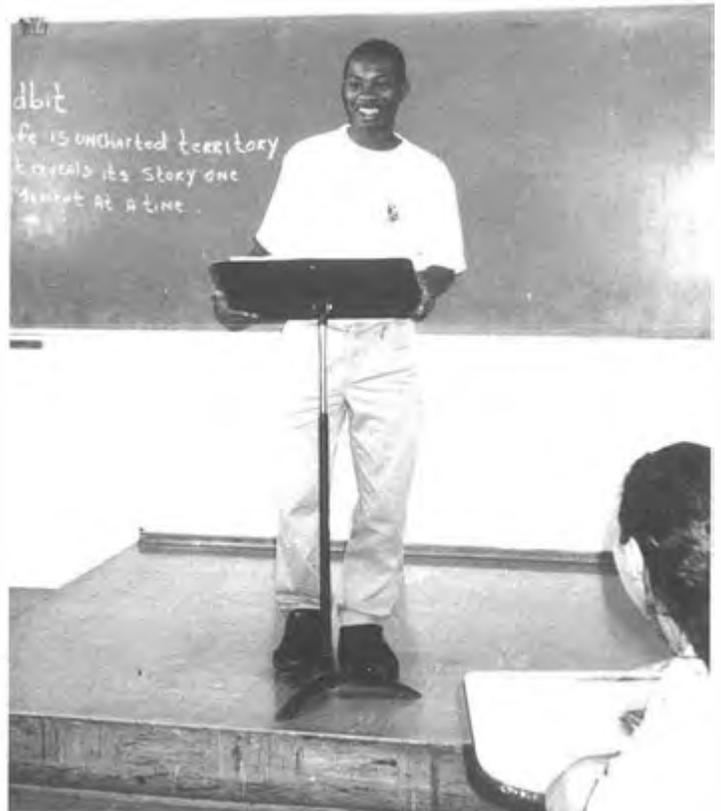


Another Marian Catholic tradition is that students Sophomore year must take Speech. A semester long course, every Sophomore must sign up to learn the proper techniques of public speaking. From research to actual presentation, the students are taught the proper forms of writing and presenting their opinions of various topics.

A student involved in the Speech program learns various types of speech presentation. Persuasive, Opinion and Expository are all types of speeches that every Sophomore performs in class.

The next stage after the speech learning process is debate. A very effective way to practice speaking techniques, debates allow students to challenge each other's knowledge of a topic. The students are in turn then allowed to defend their views and attempt to persuade the audience to agree with their view point.

Speech teacher Chris Comick thinks that "learning proper speech techniques will help the students in their high school and professional career."







John Glendenning



Charmae Goebel



Diana Gonzalez



Veronica Gonzalez



Charles Gonzalez-Aragon



Lionel Hernandez



Gustavo Herrera



Arlett Jimenez



Paloma Johnston



Nicholas Labertew



Monique Leon



Roberto Leon



Yvette Lopez



Ivan Lozano



Armando Mar



Isidro Martinez



Jahrod Matlock-Brown



Scott Milke



Ana-Karina Montano



Anthony Moreno

## What Fashion do you like?

“Anything comfortable.” Jaia Spearman.

“Everything that looks good.” Erika Briz.

“Alternative/Grunge.” Mary Curry.

“Clothes that you’ve had since you were 5 years old and can still wear.” Amanda Richards.

“Down fashions.” Jarod Matlock.

“As long as something fits me.” Jethro Ramos.

“Anything that is baggy” Juan Garza.

“Simple, casual, and cute.” Jessica Savageau.



Gabriel Morett



Morgan Musgrave



Mark Noriega



Isela Ochoa



Marshal Ortiz



Mariana Padilla



Pilar Peralta



Arturo Pietsch



Justin Pires



Nathaniel Ramm



Marissa Ramos



Vanessa Ramsey



Travis Reed



Sonialina Reyes



Nicholas Reznik



Amanda Richards (Parisi)



Jouany Rivera



Ester Rodriguez



Javier Rodriguez



Rocío Ruiz

## What was your best excuse for not coming to school?

“Aliens abducted me or I got kidnapped.” Amanda Richards

“I hate school.” Alex Del Rosario

“I don’t need an excuse, I just don’t come.” Marissa Ramos

“That I had to take care of my brother.” Nicole Gamboa

“I never missed school.” Emilio Alvarez

“I have always been to school.” Morgan Musgrave

“Calling in and saying that I’m sick.” Raquel Smith

“I didn’t feel like going to school.” John Glending



## Describe your best birthday memory

“On my seventh birthday, at Chuck E. Cheeses is something I will never forget.”-Dominic Cruz

“I got \$250 to spend on anything I wanted.”-Travis Reed

“My 16th birthday because it’s the most tubelur fun I’ve had.”-Javier Rodriguez

“My best birthday memory is when I turned 9 years old and my friends spent the night at my house.”-Veronica Araiza

“When I showed my parents my straight “A” report card and I got an “All Night” birthday bash.”-Kellen Thomas

“My best birthday memory would be when all my friends and family got together.”-Angela Shankels

“The best birthday I had was when my dad was still alive and he took me to Toys “R” Us.”-Karina Senits

“It was at the skating place and my uncles from Texas came to see me.”-Monique Leon



Sarah Salazar



Anabell Santellanes



Karina Santos



Jessica Savageau



Angela Shankles



Alberto Silva



Raquel Smith-Ledesma



Wendy Solano



Jaia Spearman



Donn Sterling



John Tamayo



Kellen Thomas



Leslie Usi



Jorge Zurita





Now &





Then



# A time for change...

Facing the most pivotal year of their lives, the **Juniors** were geared for challenges. SAT tests, AP classes and Varsity sports were imperative points of progress on the road to completing their third year. Planning Prom, the most important formal of the year, was both an exciting and challenging task they perfected. All experiences this year would serve to inspire the **Juniors** on to greatness...



Alberto Aispuro



Jennifer Alayon



Assan Alcantara



Alexander Almaraz



Angelica Alvarez



Karla Anaya



Alana Appel



Alejandra Appel



Alexander Asaro



Patrick Banayo



Lizette Bartell



David Bell



Jackline Camargo



Kenna Chavez



Carolina Cisneros



Jess Combs



Eboni Cooper



Phillip Cota

REFERENCE - NOT TO BE  
TAKEN FROM THIS ROOM



## Class Officers



"In my perspective the ASB has grown positively with successful projects."

-Angelica Alvarez,  
President

"This year ASB has become very successful because of the store and all the extra activities."

-Lizzette Torres, Vice President.



"I think that the ASB has been involved in a lot of stuff. It is good that we made ASB a class."

-Nina Del Rosario,  
Treasurer



"I like being ASB officer because I like to be involved in helping others."

-Karla Olivos,  
Secretary



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# What are you looking forward to next year?

“One more year of acting crazy and childish with my friends.” Christina Loffredo.

“Getting out of Marian.” Conception Hernandez.

“Being a Senior.” David Bell

“Freshmen.” Kena Chavez.

“Being in control of the school.” Vernika Heinrich.

“Being a senior next year and graduating.” Carina Lopez

“Graduating” Edna Melaga.

“Having senior privileges.” Armida Martin Del Calmpo.



Walter Davis



Imelda De La Torre



Natasha De La Torre



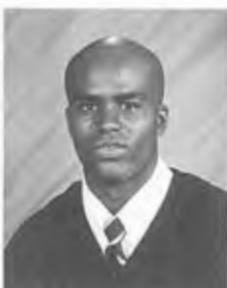
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Nina Del Rosario



Paola Delmar



Timmy  
Dougherty-Sanders



Jessica Downey



Justin Egger



Nicholas Gallegos



Manuel Gamboa



Vemeka Heinrich



Robert Hilliard

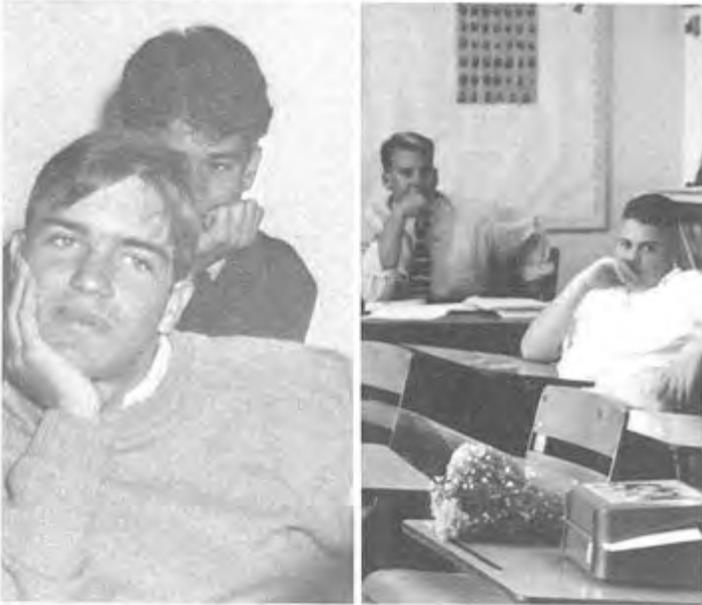


Eric Hollenbeck



Thomas Hyde

# Studying & Socializing



The terms SAT, AP, Advanced and Varsity are all too familiar to Juniors during their third year in high school. The added responsibility of higher level classes and participation in Varsity sports can often lead to stress and anxiety for many Juniors. SAT Prep classes, late night practices and weekend study sessions all helped relieve the pressure of performance. Throughout Marian Catholic's History, Juniors have had to be alert and 100% both in the classroom and on the field.

One of the many ways Juniors relieved the stress of studies and sports was socializing with their friends and loved ones. One of the privileges of being a Junior allowed them to attend both formal dances of the year: Homecoming and the Prom. Over several years, Marian's formals have become classier and more popular. However, the student's desire to enjoy themselves will go down in history.







Jean Kubbeler



Ernesto Layon



Maria Lee



Justin Llorente



Christina Loffredo



Carina Lopez



Edna Malaga



Jose Maldonado



Aura Mancilla



Soralla Marquez



Martha Marti



Armida  
Martin Del Campo



Javier Matlock-Brown



Nicole Mc Colley



Adrian Melendrez



Cecilia Mercado



Gissell Meza



Norman Moore



Eevalena Moreno



Fatima Mota

## What was your craziest dare?

“To walk through a Flower convention in downtown S.D.” Patrick Banayo.

“This one guy I was dating came down to see me every-day, from up North.” Aura Mancilla.

“Stepping on grass.” Jessica Downey.

“Growing hair.” Matt Parsons.

“To dance on the street.” Lynnette Ivy.

“They sang Happy B-day to me over the phone.” Paola Delmar.

“A girl let me do her make-up.” Anonymous.

“Eating Marian’s food.” Chris Crusader.



Lillyan Navarro



Luis Nieves



Lynette Ny



Angela Oesterle



Herman Ojeda



Karla Olivos



Carla Orozco



Michelle Padilla



Rosa Palomino



Maria Parra



Matthew Parsons



Raymond Pita



Christina Plesser



John Poukkula



Jonathan Ramirez



Lilia Ramirez



Jose Robles



Martin Ruiz-Gomez



Irene Sanchez



Juan Sarabia

## What's the Coolest Thing Anyone has Ever Done for You?

"They took me on a 3 day boat cruise." Nick Gallegos

"Passing out." Ernesto Layon

"Well, they bought me a birthday lunch!" Nancy Torres

"Locked me in a freezer." Justin Egger

"Left flowers on the front porch for me." Claudia Tapia

"Buy me an .89 BigMac." Anonymous

"Someone sang to me on my B-day." some girl

"The girl I liked invited me to Homecoming." anonymous



Describe the best or worst job you have ever had.

“The best job I have had so far is working at the zoo.” -Aura Mancilla

“Working at Camp Oliver as a Jr. counselor.” -Soralla Marques

“Best job was working at a Bakery.” -Javier Matlock

“Me and a friend had a job cleaning horse manure at a ranch.” -Justin Egger

“When I worked at my dad’s work moving the fork-lift around all day. I was paid well.” -Anonymous

“T.A. for Ms. Vivio” -Annette Valle

“The best job I have ever had was fixing lawns, I made \$100 for each lawn.” -Matt Parsons

“I was a janitor at St. Michaels.” -Alex Asaro



Ken She



Santiago Slayton



John Starks



Amad Stephens



Michael Swingle



Claudia Tapia



Dahlia Torres



Lizzette Torres



Nancy Torres



Irma Trejo







Now &





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# Seniors



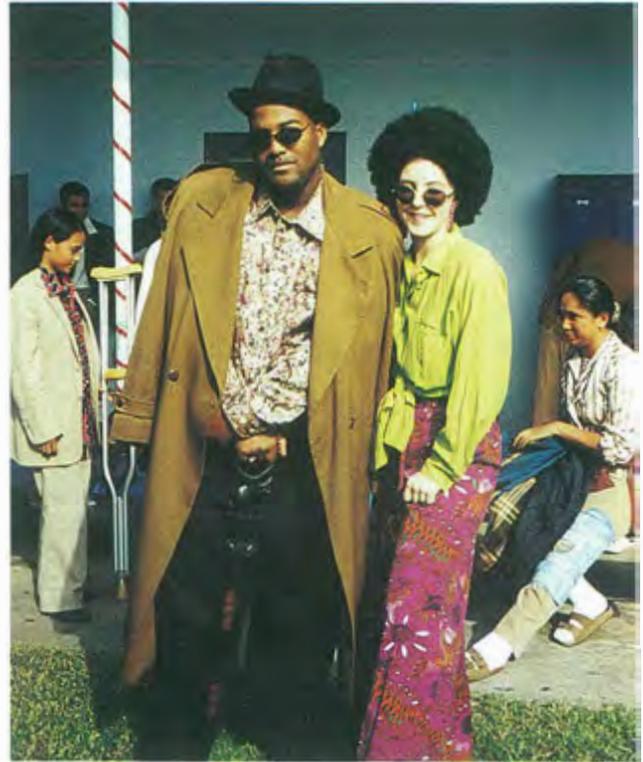
# Now & Then

# of ... 96



# A time for change...

At long last, the **Senior** class had made it to the top. College applications, Varsity sports, and graduation were the only events holding the **Seniors** back from tackling the world. Four years of hard work had finally paid off...





Rene Rodney  
ALARCON



Sylvia  
AMAVISCA



Paloma  
ARAOS



Glenda  
BAEZ



Cristina  
BAHENA



Marco  
BARBA



# Class Officers

President



“With effort  
you can do just  
about any-  
thing”  
-Jimmy Castillo

Vice President

“Time-there is  
never enough,  
Time-there is  
never enough”  
-Chris Dumlaio



Secretary



“Work hard for  
what you be-  
lieve in’-Nadia  
Salas

Treasurer

“Everything is  
possible, Smile  
to life”-Luz  
Maria Diaz



# What is Senioritis to you?

“Worrying more about what’s happening during the weekend than at school because we don’t have any privileges” --Clarissa

“Having your camera where ever you go and having ten pictures of the same thing” --Sylvia Amavisca

“Not doing so much work in school anymore, having easy classes and more parties”-anonymous

“Pride” --Bernize Gutierrez

“Losing ALL of your privileges” --anonymous

“Being a SENIOR” --Phil Fabian

“Waking up in the middle of class after daydreaming about the privileges you wish you had” --Marissa Manere

“Watching Forest Gump and realizing how much you have in common with him, because you have no Privileges” --Pia McCotter

“Top Ten Senior Privileges #1-#10 We Get to wear college sweat shirts” --Sylvia Amarisca

“Someone who is #1, smart, nice, higher than anyone in the school KING.” --Katya Flores

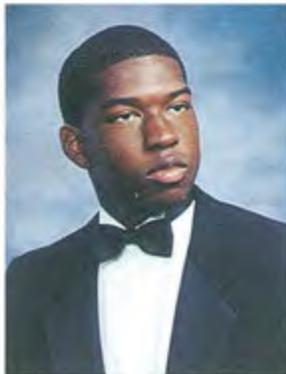
“Having off campus lunch” --Anonymous



Robert  
BARNES



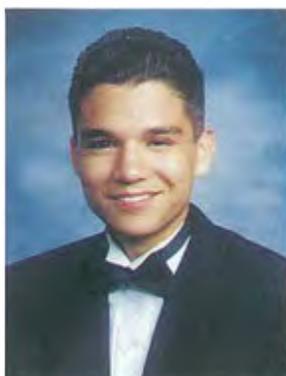
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BASH



Portland  
BATES



Vanessa  
BONILLA



Omar  
BUSTOS



Jonathon  
CANADA-MAZON



Jimmy  
CASTILLO



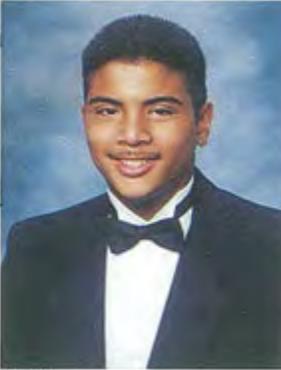
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Hector  
CORTES



Dwikia  
DAVIS



Jay  
DEL ROSARIO



Mara  
DELGADO



Luz Maria  
DIAZ



Elaine Joy  
DOLLENTE



Katrina  
DUARTE



# Words of Advice...

“Get more privileges”--Anonymous

“Don't STRESS, except for in Viv's class”--Ben Lumanlan

“Better recognize the Class of 96”--Chris Dumlao

“See Ya”--Anonymous

“Once you leave DON'T come back!”--Sylvia Amavisca

“Try not to goof off too much and try to concentrate on school work”--Steve McCurdy

“Don't forget about the Dawg Pound”--LaJuan Lynch

“Get out while you still can, Dogg Pound for life!”--Portland Bates

“Stay a JUNIOR once you become a SENIOR you lose all of your privileges!”--Elaine Dollente

“Deal with yourself and your problems, not everyone else's!”--Pia McCotter

“Remember the Class of '96”--Jay Del Rosario



Christopher  
DUMLAO



Ana  
ESCOBEDO



Gabriella  
ESTRADA



Arnel Phil  
FABIAN



Katya  
FLORES



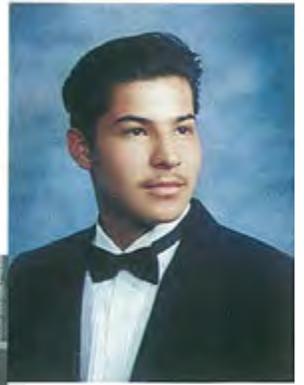
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Raul  
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Nadia  
GOMEZ



Veronica  
GONZALEZ



Viviana  
GONZALEZ



Jesseray  
GORDO

# You know you are Seniors when...

"You have all the "GREAT" privileges!"--Vanessa Bonilla

"You feel mentally superior to those childish freshman ways!"  
--Nora Fernandez

"You tell underclassmen to get off the SENIOR LAWN"--Phil Fabian

"You worry every day now you can say goodbye to friends that you have had for 13 years"--Sylvia Amavisca

"You start calling your teachers by their first names"--Portland Bates

"You have no privileges"--Jorge Lameda

"I get to wear a COLLEGE sweatshirt"--Anonymous

"When I watch Married with Children and Bud is my idol."--Linda Rodriguez

"When people younger than you don't even know how to say "Hi" to you"--Ariana Hidalgo

"We make underclassmen sing when they step on the lawn"  
--Christine Leibold

"You wonder where everything we had went!"--Anonymous



Nicole  
GUIZAR



Bernize  
GUTIERREZ



Monica  
HATCHER



Ariana  
HIDALGO



Jorge  
LAMEDA



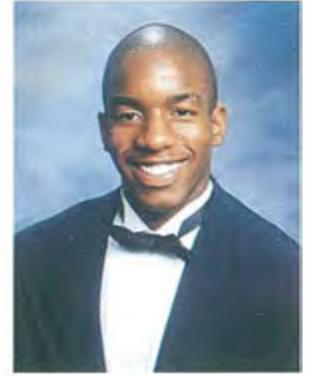
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Lavon  
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Octavio  
MAC FARLAND



Marrisa  
MANERE



Ivanna  
MARTIN



Dusan  
MARTIN, JR.



Amanda  
MARTINEZ



Norma Angelica  
MARTINEZ

# Sibling Rivalry...

"I don't care ... cause that's all they'll ever be ... little!"--Jay Del Rosario

"It's pretty cool 'cause they are always having money when you need it"--John Oesterle

"It feels weird because you cannot be yourself and do the things you normally would do"--Ivanna Martin

"It really stinks"--Marcos Zurita

"Good"--Anonymous

"It sucks cause now all the guys like my 10th grade sister"--Chris Dumlao

"It's weird because you already have to live with them at home and now you have to live with them at school too"--Anonymous

"It's alright but there is times when they need to learn how to mind their own business!"--Pia McCotter

"I am the youngest"--Marco Barba

"It can get annoying"--Anonymous

"I don't have any"--Anonymous



Learnna  
MATEO



Joseph  
MAYO



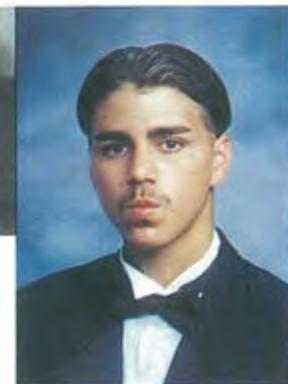
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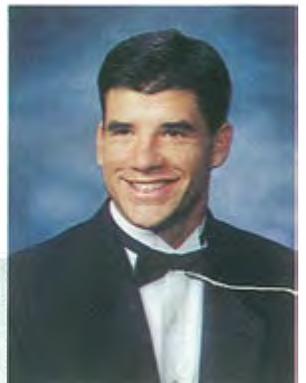
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Bianca  
MORALES



John  
OESTERLE



Joseph  
ORTIZ



Ji  
PARK



John  
PETRAGLIA



Sherri  
PINEDA

# Flash to the Future...

“In front of the mirror”--Chris Dumlao

“Not anywhere near here”--Ariana Hidalgo

“Very successful and happy”--Vanessa Bonilla

“In med-school”--Anonymous

“Athletic trainer for the Orlando Magic!”--Clarissa Bash

“Enjoying Life with a prosperous Career”--Pia McCotter

“Having my career and living independently”--Bernize Gutierrez

“In a fire department”--Steve McCurdy

“As a nurse”--Katya Flores

“Married and children”--Marco Barba

“At home”--LaJuan Lynch



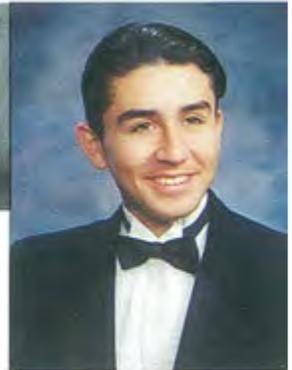
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Luis  
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Hector F.  
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Leslie  
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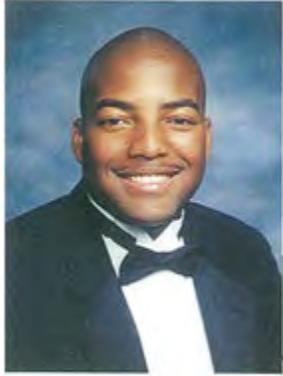
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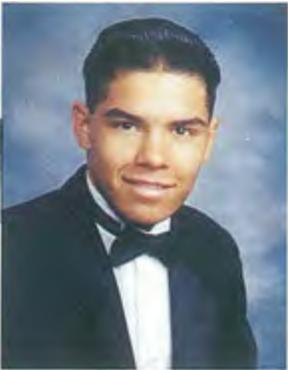
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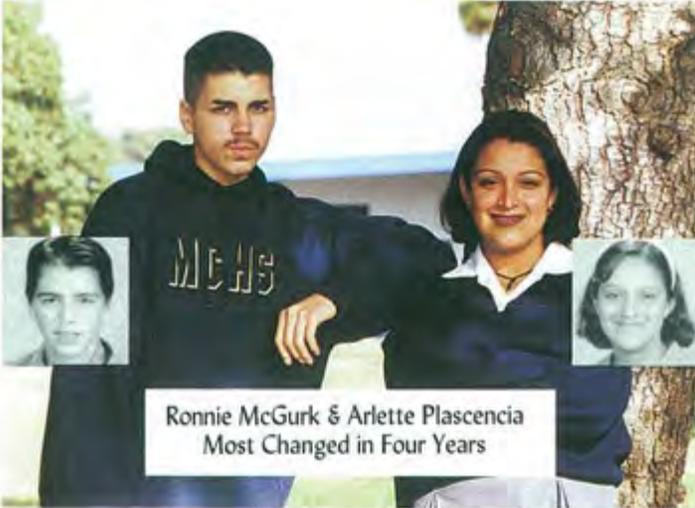
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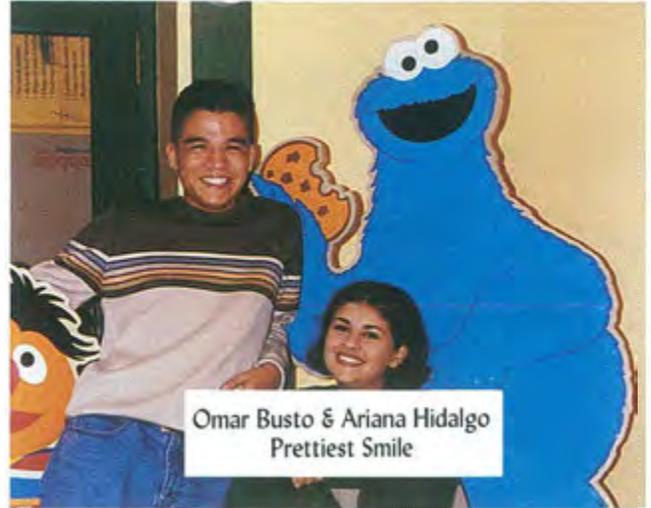
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- Eddie Anguizola
- Gerardo de la Riva
- Adlemy Fernandez
- Ermione Gavrili
- Gerardo Gonzalez-Aragon
- Lolbe Heredia
- Marcus King
- Arllette Plascencia
- Manny Zapeda

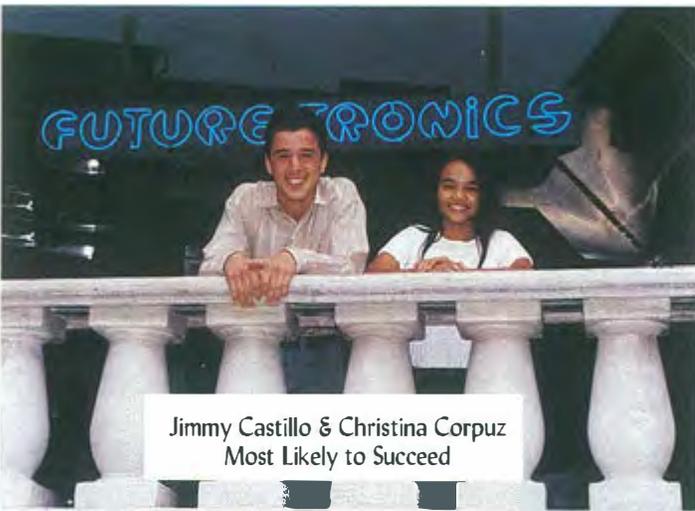
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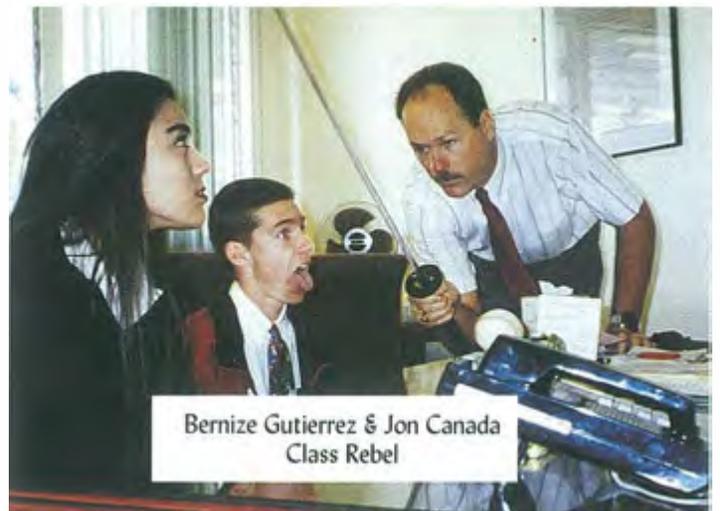
Ronnie McGurk & Arlette Plascencia  
Most Changed in Four Years



Omar Busto & Ariana Hidalgo  
Prettiest Smile



Jimmy Castillo & Christina Corpuz  
Most Likely to Succeed



Bernize Gutierrez & Jon Canada  
Class Rebel



Leslie Root & Jimmy Castillo  
Teacher's Pet (with Favorite Teachers Lusardi & McGregor)



Linda Rodrigues & Ben Lumanlan  
Most Unique



Jon Oesterle & Elaine Dollente  
Most Spirited



Jon Canada & Kia Davis  
Class Clowns



Gerardo del la Riva, Clarissa Bash & Marcos Zurita  
Most Athletic



Christina Corpuz and Portland Bates (not pictured)  
Bic Mac & Small Fry



Marissa Manere & Jay Del Rosario  
Cutest Should Be Couple

# Standouts

# Senior



To be selected "Best All Around" by your peers is an honor that does not come lightly. "Best All Around" means that your personality and leadership are respected and admired. It means that you are the type of person that others want to be around. These descriptions match JAY DEL ROSARIO and SHERRI PINEDA perfectly.

Often seen around campus with his face filled smile, Jay can be found hanging out with his fellow Seniors on the "lawn". Jay has been a Varsity football player for the past two years and enjoys the camaraderie of his all fellow players. Jay commands the respect deserved of a character of his quality both on and off the field.

"Ms. ASB", Sherri Pineda, can most often times be found in the student store, leading an ASB meeting or conferring with Mrs. Lawhead. Being ASB President, Sherri goes above and beyond the call of duty many times to provide the Marian Campus with fun activities at lunch and after school. Respected by the faculty as well as students, Sherri is a true "Crusader" at Marian.

A student must work long hours, attend several meetings, lead various groups and take charge in order to be mentioned above others. Those considered to have "Contributed Most to the Class of '96" really had to earn their title. SHERRI PINEDA, PIA MCCOTTER, and JIMMY CASTILLO certainly did their share of work to be so named. Leadership through ASB appointed positions and Class Officer-ships all involve dedication and perseverance.

Sherri leads campus as ASB president. She has been a class officer for the past three years as well.

As Senior Class President, Jimmy handles the crisis and successes that come with a student's last year.

Pia has been active as a class officer and a leader in the Ambassador for Christ Corps.

All three students are worthy recipients of this nomination and are saluted by both faculty and staff.



# Standouts

## **Valedictorian-Jimmy Castillo**

My four years here at Marian have been great, memorable and at the same time, difficult. The end is finally here and we will all go our separate ways. I would like to thank the teachers and administration here at Marian for all their help and dedication in preparing me for future years in college. I would like to thank my parents because if it was not for them I would not be the person I am and I would not be where I am today. In closing, I would like to say peace and good luck to the class of '96.

## **Salutatorian-Chris Dumlao**

*I'm glad that my four year stay here at Marian Catholic is landmarked by such a highly honorable recognition. I feel fortunate that I wisely invested an unsurmountable amount of my time in contemplation, calculation and dedication during my prodigious and distinguished scholastic career at Marian. Even man's powerful tool, the written word, cannot convey the joy that a child's intangible ambitions have become an inconceivable reality. I give my shouts out to those who always had their thumbs up for me when I really needed it: my family, teachers and the class of '96.*

# Outstanding Senior Achievers

<b>Sylvia Amavisca</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>Cristina Bahena</b>	<b>3.2</b>
<b>Marco Barba</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>Clarissa Bash</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>Jimmy Castillo</b>	<b>4.3</b>
<b>Christina Corpuz</b>	<b>4.1</b>
<b>Jay Del Rosario</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>Chris Dumlao</b>	<b>4.2</b>
<b>Ana Escobedo</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<b>Raul Garcia</b>	<b>3.2</b>

<b>Emma Geniza</b>	<b>4.0</b>
<b>Andy Gilbert</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Learna Mateo</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Abigail Park</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<b>Sherri Pineda</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Luis Rodriguez</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Leslie Root</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>Rose Rabanal</b>	<b>3.5</b>
<b>Raquel Ruiz</b>	<b>3.3</b>
<b>Manny Zapeda</b>	<b>3.2</b>

# What is a Crusader?

MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL has chosen all of you to represent the Christian ideals and goals on which it was founded. MARIAN is your school and you should take great pride in the fact that you are a MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL CRUSADER! When you wear your school uniform, when you walk out onto the football field donning the MARIAN blue and gold, when you step onto your campus or when you go anywhere remember that you are a MARIAN CRUSADER and you represent your school.

Crusading is a valiant activity exemplified by spiritual zealousness, belief and most especially faith. A mention of crusading almost immediately conjures up images of stalwart and courageous individuals engaged in heroic struggles, battling in the name of the faith. This image, is now invariably associated with you because you are indeed CRUSADERS. You are valiant and unique men and women who are bonded by your love and faith for MARIAN and your faith.

About 800 years ago, thousands of men gave up their livelihoods to fight for Christ and the Holy Lands. They endured a multitude of hardships, but never let their goal leave their sights. They had faith in God and belief in themselves. Successful in their mission they set a precedent that would continue to be followed for centuries to come. Their desire and spirit would outlive the men themselves, but their memory would never be forgotten. It would burn in the hearts of faithful individuals who were desirous of pursuing their faith and living in the image of these exemplary men under the guidance of Christ. You have been chosen to be CRUSADERS whose role is to live as a role-model for others and to distinguish you, your values and principles from your peers. Your mission is to be a CRUSADER-to believe in yourself and to put your goals, aspirations and faith to the rest each and every day.

Being an exemplary CRUSADER will involve a great deal of commitment, devotion and sacrifice. The commitment will not only be to yourselves, but a commitment to the excellent standard of MARIAN's values and to Catholic education. You must devote your time and effort in your pursuit for this standard and it often involves sacrifice. The sacrifice may take many forms such as the time commitment, hard-work and pushing yourselves to the limit. At the end of your four years at MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL you will be proud of your accomplishments and the school that you helped shape. You and your unique personality will contribute to the character of MARIAN, like no other person can. Your love for God and school and most of all your desire to role model after Jesus Christ will contribute to the character of Marian-you make the difference! You will be amazed by the awesome possibilities you are capable of creating and executing.

You are an incredible group of students and your talents and possibilities are endless. The work you do in these short years will benefit you for a lifetime-not only will you make special memories, but you will also develop in yourself a sense of accomplishment and a multitude of skills. Don't ever forget that you are a MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL CRUSADER and above all a Christian individual whose life and character will shape the way you live, others live and most importantly an awesome and dynamic school!



Cristina,

We are so proud of you!  
You are a great daughter and most of all a great human being-  
We will always love you and support you in any decision you make!

Love, Mom and Dad



CONGRATULATIONS  
CHRISTINE!

Always strive to be the best you can be.  
May your future be bright and

rewarding.  
We love you and are proud of you!!  
Mom, Dad and Steven  
-Always follow your heart-

Congratulations Sylvia!

We are proud of you, Snow White!



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Robb, Nana, Tata,  
Ny's & Veduzco's.

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John Oesterle: A.K.A. Russ, Osterb(U-NO): THANK,  
2 mom 'n dad; 2 sisters; all my true freinds;  
teachers; + all the principals I've had the pleasure  
of having: FROSH: all new faces and places; only  
knew 3 people S.S., A.H., O.J.S.: football-2 n 8;  
cruz 2 marian in the cool buss w/ Mr W.: I miss U  
D.G. :SOPH: Helo oish crew! (C.C., N.D., E.G,  
R.R.) hello top lockers!: goodbye buss!: JV ftbl  
8n2!!: thanx for the nickname guys "oirjas":JR.:  
Ambassador 4 JC :drivers ed w/ B.L. n Mr.C: long  
bike rides fr: home (12mi) evry day: B.L. gos to  
Wash.: B.L. meets R.O.: Conf. 5/5/95 luv ya mis  
A.!!! ;JV Ftbl 9n1!!! SR.: first home comming  
(stag)!: still no license: I luv U Dawn n im sorry!  
:life is good: got Xcepted to ERAU!: meet mercy,  
sophi, jet, christian, and I'll never forget U Amy:  
unforgettable weekend @ ERAU : hope 2 C U there  
Kelly(luv ya): first sweethearts luv your shoes  
carien!! Amy's n Jet's B-Day (honored to be 1 of da  
18): commissioned as an ambassador 4 christ (2nd  
ch.): C-ya MCHS I'll Miss ya!\*\*\*\*\*  
Love Always and God Bless  
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Danielle



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DANIELLE MENDOZA-Danni, Nellie, Daniela, Chanelle, Polta, Pelos. I want to thank my parents who have sacrificed a lot for me. I look up to them, depend on them, and appreciate their influence in my life. Only God knows how much I love you two. KIA where do I start? U are one of my closest fr ends, together we've been through a lot! Remember all the times we laughed & cried: when Jimmy tried to kill us at MVHS. You & Linda leaving me by myself in TJ(thanx) Yelling out the window at that gir at Horton Plaza. New Year's w/ Joe and Tim. Let's never lose touch, see you in SPAIN! MARRISA we've through a lot too. Remember the pervert in the alley at I.B., camping w/ you and your stupid rock, Las Vegas, almost dying in Ali's car, and all our other memories. CLARISSA we've known eachother forever. I'll never forget all those times you fell in love. Remember that guy w/ the red hat in L.A. You practically know my whole life story so all I say is that I love you like a sister so don't lose touch! MONI falling asleep in Amanda's closet. Me snoring in your face. The horse cheezing it in your picture at Washington. KIT. LINDA. I'm going to miss you girl! Remember the Burger king guy that you hung out the window for, or the cop that we asked to buy Boone's. I'm going miss BERNIZE yelling at all the guys. It was fun kicking it w/ you and NICOLE at the retreat. I love you guys. ARI & AMANDA we've been through a lot, let's try to leave what's in the past behind. KIT. GERARDO I'm sorry for being a pain sometimes, you know I love you more than you think. Thank for always taking me to Tj. Guardo tu amistad en mi oorazon siempre! Washington was the bomb w/ MH, KD, NM, JC, AG, MH, AO, DL, & Jay. Guardo en mi corazon siempre a mi abuelita GUADALUPE que se nos adelanto en el camino y al gran amor y carino que siempre me dio en mis momentos de alegria y de tristeza. To the CLASS OF 96 - BE SOMEBODY!

to all my girlfriends thanks for always being there when I needed you monica girl the best summer i have experienced was the summer of going to 9th grade ha ha especially after summer school Danny girl the night we almost got killed because of jimmy then our new year's eve with joe.o and tim ha boy that was funny night to norma remeber richard girl stories we use to tell him to avoid him ha to lee my homey ha junior year homecoming night ha that's when I was still friends with your homey but life goes on. Jon oh my god boy did you bring some seious tear to my eyes and I thought you were the cuties you still are you'll always be in my heart for all the joy you brought to my life. Linda girl the night we went out dancing and you and Danny lift me and some man kissed me god was i scared. Bemize being in Nadia's 15 year lod which was so fun Carlos ha and we can't forget Danny your man. Nicole G. taking you with us to go dancing and the way Marcus was acting gir. we've had some fun times oh I will never get over Kenna having me in lane at thifty's for about 30 mins for some ice cream. Lee and Norma my other two hearts Norma what you need to do is to be good because god know's you've been bad james ha ha I will never forget that night at Dom's house. Elaine you are just to goofy for me like the first time we met in Mr.Mendez. Joe O. you are one homy little fart especially farting on danielle and I Thanks for the memory on New years eve ha that was the longest night that I have ever experienced you know i will always love ya. Jesse, Lynch twins love you guys very much don't change for anybody.





Sylvia Amavisca Aka-Snow White, Tibia, Black Sheep, White Wash, Princess, BS, Baby, Silv, Cris tin, P'Sniff, Snow, Sylviarella, Per v. 9 12 Making New Friends, RCrushes= KC, EH, D, OB, JP, Lab: Nap, RM, PB: LW, Dan: JG: SM: HIGH PROTEIN, kite, mexicans, sayings, beach, good/bad girls, H ad 2 BLR!, Kissing Cuz? Joy! Padre Game, byes 2L/EH, AS, RA, LR, Fam. Cowgirls, AI/BL Drawings ,Gross Jokes, NO more Jokes (AG), AR,



Dtown Fun, PHwood, RR Fainting, Stamps, Hair Colors, No iContact, OSL, Lock keys In Car, Pictures, Laz At Bucks, FT /Plays, Pinching, Dates, Fam. Stuff, Mall/Outlets, Aztec Man, jPSorry, Slumber Parties, Makeup!?, Dances, Bad V day, S kit, Cuz & Lovers,



Movies, Trick/Treat, Mooned In Limo, Co+ (All Colors), I Must Of Past Out, Heartbreak. We C heated At Pool. St. Chuck Fam-13yrs. Love Ya & Thanks. My B-Friends: LNCuz/Bud/Onik. E G-Marine, G-Luck. MD-Superwoman. ES-Stay Sweet. NG-Eat It. LR-CM, Made Me Strong. I O we U All I Thank God 4U. Family-Mom/Dad, Bill (Father E), Marty, Robb. Thanks 4 Ed, Faith, Lo ve, And It All, Ny, Ver, Ama, Ruiz, Ram, Love U. MCHS Class Of 96-Thanks 4 Mems, Love, Fun, & G OOD Times. SOURHEARTS 4 EVER. God Bless. Snow White Rules!





# St. Charles Class of 1992



S. Amavisca, P. McCotter, D. Menodza, K. Davis, M. Manere, C. Bash, P. Fabian, V. Gonzalez, B. Lumanlan, S. Mendoza, M. Hatcher, J. Del Rosario, R. Ruiz, V. Bonilla, N. Salas, G. Baez, J. Canada, J. Castillo, S. Pineda, L. Rodriguez, (NP) O. MacFarland.



My Dearest Daughter,

Growing with you has been a great adventure. It seems like only yesterday you danced the Sugar Plum, took your First Communion and made your debut into society-

You are the hope and dream of all your African Ancestors-

Keep Rising!

Love, Mom, DJ, Rick, Monique and always, Dad





**LESLIE JOY ROOT:** AKA Root, Casper, Ghost, Guerra, Les. Ain't no party like a Leslie party, root, root. Much love and respect to *my grandparents* - thanx for takin' care of me! I couldn't have made it without your love and support. Love forever to *my mother* - you mean the world to me and you are my strength, may she rest in peace forever, one day I will see her again. *Miguel* - thanx for comin' into my life - I hope that the relationship we have will grow over time. I'll love you forever. *Jerami* - forever frenz, through good timz and bad, you've always been true, much love always. *Sheryl* - 4 always bein' a friend and kickin' it with me as a freshman, I'll never 4 - get you. *Elaine* (pimpstris) - for all the men and pain we've been through much love for a true homie. *Rose* - For all the laughs and tears, how could I 4 - get all the late nights studyin' (Ha, Ha) - 4 always bein' a true friend, love always. **KIT.** *Pia* - good timz in softball Junior year and for bein' there for me. *Lee* - all the kickin' it car rides to skool even through my bad moods early in the morning and 4 bein' there always. *Anna* - 4 bein' a true sis' and best friend to me, may you have good luck in love 'cause God knows you deserve it, true frenz for life. *Nathaniel* - 4 always bein' there for me and kool to kick it with through ups and downs. Much love and thanxs to the other people that have helped me along my way, I'll never 4 - get any of you. I'm finally graduating. Thanx to all of *my teachers* that helped make this dream become a reality. Much love for all of the memories from *the class of 1996*.



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**ROSELISA-RHEA CABAL RABANAL** (A.K.A. : Rosy, Rosel, petunia, Daisy, Lady"D", Cutie, Swee-T, Razel, Jasmine) S.T.R.I.V.E-3yrs./A.P.I.C.-3 yis.(Pres.-4)/Ambass.-2yrs/A.S.B-2yrs/Keyclub-1yr/Pepclub-1yr/F.B.L.A.-1yr/Volleyball 4yrs(Var-3,J,V-1). I wanna opn up & giv props wer they r due. 1st-to *my bgrdts*: Thank u 4 everythng, ur luv &supp. has made me what I am 2-day. 2 *my sisters: Rachelle* - gal thanx 4-always-bein-kvln and understanding. *Baby Dee* - u r a smart lil miss thang. Luv ya both. 2 *my grandparents & relatives* - thanx & i 43.. Now 2 *Katrina* - Trini dang gal 12yrs, beln best-frenz. Keep strong. Sor-e 4 beln a pain at x 's but gotta luv me. Toe Jam, Girl Scouts, & Powderpuff. *Laurie* - woman wrds can't x-press how much u mean 2 me. Member boy-crew daze U & Trini are da 2 best-frenz a gal can have. *Elaine* - woman u can drive me cra-z at x 's, member sisters. SWELL! *Denise* - O.L.P Freakhunter, caught 1 yet. *Ema* - don't let Phil bug ya. *Kelna* - don't let Chris bug ya or vice versa. *Leanna* - Keep Cris in check. Hey had ups & downs but frenz st#l. *Phil Jesse Jay Chris* - thanx 4 dem lunch talks and laifs. Dang u guys r freaks. *Leslie* - thanx 4 beln a tru fren & 4 carin, underts., & ur luv. 24-7! *Pia, Norma Sylvia, Nikki, Erika, Z, Danielle* - PERVERTS Anonymous. A.P.I.C *crew: Ernesto, Nina, Adam, Justin, Assan, & Jen* - 143 & KIT. *Ate Nes & Tess E* dang lev me behind. C/o 95 Devils- *Kris, Randy, Caroline, Todd & co.* - gosh go wit out me. C/o 95 Barrons- *Anna & Sam* - wel I neva.. C/o 96 Dons- *Sheryll & Brian* - hellol C/o 96 Tigers- *Cris* - hey wuz up! C/o 96 Helix- *Mark* - r u tiger. shod v ben honest. C/o 96 Titans- *Laurie & Carl* - hi sweetarts! College peeps: Clarence-culd'v ben. Alvin-thanz 4 da mem. Stay sweet.&who eva I didn't mention. But now I ned 2 giv props 2 a splc crew *PIM* - Cheryllyn, Ab-b, Tess, Elnor, Lyn-Lyn, Sharon, Jen, Jarel, Don, Steve, Lorenze, J.J, & co. Cheryl-ate 143, 6443. 24-7. Now 2 Ryan Delosantos (l.r.d."D", Alladin, Ryn, & etc) [4-4-76 to 1-29-95] u've chng *my* life & I wanna thank u. u've becum *my* wild, but u wer tkn away. 143 6471 U'll alwys b apart of me-c u r *my* love, life, hopes, dreams, best-fren, ny "body-guard", & *my* gardan angel. Thanx! 2 da C/o 96-It's ben real, stay tru and keep reachin 4 da stars. Thanx 2 teachers 4 all da help.. 2 God-thanz 4 da success. C-ya later.. I'M OUTTA HERE.....



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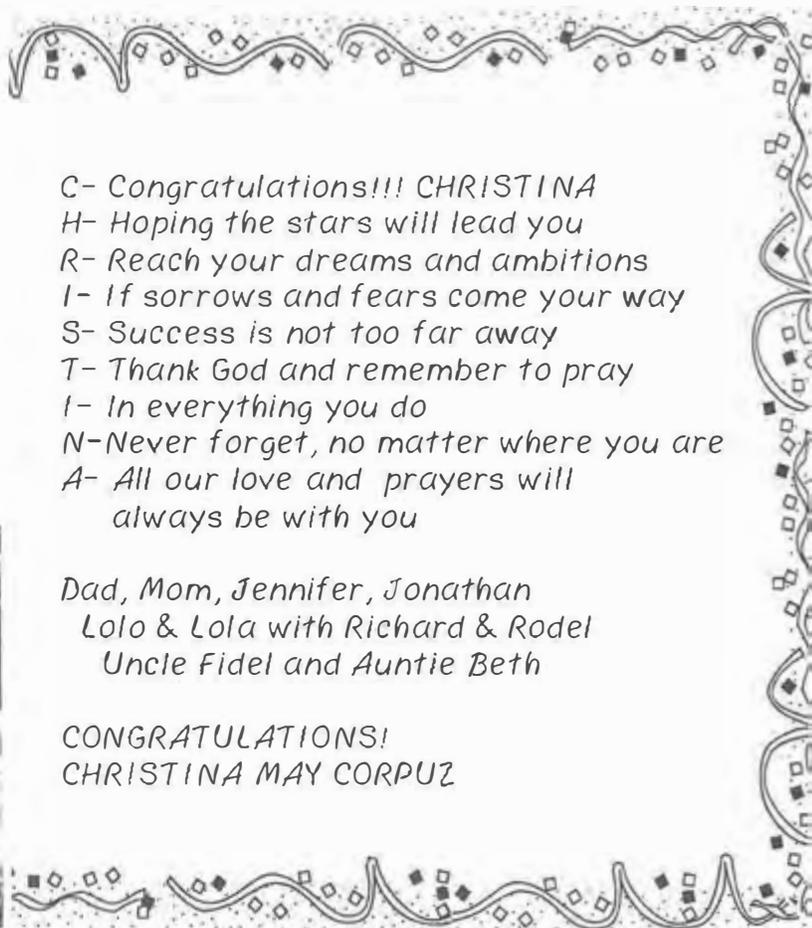


Pietra McCotter: a.k.a. Pia, "P-Nuts", Grumpy, & Sweet Pea: First I would like to thank my Family & Friends for all of their support through good times and bad. **FROSH:** mtng new friemds, J.V. sftbl, class pres., b-day shower, bottom lckrs (yuk!), joining clubs. **SOPH:** watchng football games, going out w/frenz, (E.D., L.R., L.S., R.R.) J.V. sftbl, homeroom rep., soph retreat. **JUNIOR:** hmcmmg dnc., intro 2 unifrnns, pep club, V.sftbl tkng league, class sec., Elaine & I stay bst frenz, Leslie, Lee, & I bcm closer frenz., SAT I & II, college apps., successful Prom plans w/ Leslie & Rose, Prom nite. **SENIOR:** SENIORITIS, Hmcmmg dnc. w/ Jon C., mtng Travis (Baby, thanks for all you have done for me), mtng new fren, Josh & Jason (thanz guys), dling w/ brk-ups & hrd times, Swhrts w/ Travis & hvng the best time, scarmg the @#\$! out of E.D., sprng brk., tlkng & slvng probs (E.D., T.B., N.M., C..P.), Snr. stndots, exec Amb., Sen rtrt, my sis the FROSH-Good Luck, Senior Prom. Elaine, UR the bst frmd I have ever had thnx 4 evrythng, frenz 4 ever. Thanx again (evryone)! I'LL MISS YOU ALL, 96' 4ever ...!



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C- Congratulations!!! CHRISTINA  
 H- Hoping the stars will lead you  
 R- Reach your dreams and ambitions  
 I- If sorrows and fears come your way  
 S- Success is not too far away  
 T- Thank God and remember to pray  
 I- In everything you do  
 N- Never forget, no matter where you are  
 A- All our love and prayers will  
 always be with you

Dad, Mom, Jennifer, Jonathan  
 Lolo & Lola with Richard & Rodel  
 Uncle Fidel and Auntie Beth

CONGRATULATIONS!  
 CHRISTINA MAY CORPUZ

Mara,

Where has the time gone? It seemed like yesterday that you were in kindergarten, so excited but a little scared. Now you are a young lady graduating and experiencing the same feelings. We know you are intelligent, strong, and ready to take on life. You can achieve anything you strive for. We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments. Have fun in college but keep focused.

We love you,  
 Mom, Damian, Papa, Mimi, and  
 Aunt Betty



RAQUEL RUIZ  
 Querida Hija,

Raquelito:  
 Felicidades te deseamos tus abuelitos hermanos y  
 tus papas.  
 Estamos muy orgullosos de ti y de este gran dia.  
 Que dios te vendiga y te llene de bendiciones toda tu  
 vida.  
 Sigue adelante con tus estudios porque es el futuro  
 de tu vida.

Cinceramente te queremos mucho  
 Angela Ruiz

Hey Racall  
 Well, you're all grown up and ready for college! I  
 wish you the very best and that you enjoy college.  
 I'll miss you hermana-  
 Your little sister,  
 Rocio

Amanda: thanxs, ur such a good friend! Member all the good timz!  
 Jose: I luv u! Octavio: Bud I couldnt hav dun it w/out u, luv u bro!  
 Beetle: wish you the best cuz u deserve the best. John P.:  
 thanx for ur locker, Homecoming, and being so funny. Luis: ill  
 never forget u. Vani: uve always been there, thanx & good luck.  
 Omar G.: Hey frosh, ur real mature for ur age, ur going far Ill miss  
 u, I luv u bud! Andy: its been real fun hangin w/u, good luck w/ev-  
 erything! thanx 4 all ur help! Phil: thanx for all the rides & all the  
 fun& help. Erika: hang in there (RELAX)! Thanx to all my teachers  
 for being so understanding & patient. To the entire class of '96 Ill  
 miss u guys, good luck in the future, & see u in 10 yrs .. Luv al-  
 ways SHERRI.





**CLARISSA AILEEN VILLEGAS BASH** aka Lil' Bash, Bubba, Clari, Pass, Riza, Risse, Roadhog, Shortstuff, Shorty, Sweet. MOM N DAD 4 puttin up w/me n spoilin me ike u did. Luv u more than u guys know. Maraming salamat. 2 God 4 all of his many blessings. **Nancy:** White tercels n black rangers. ghetto school. LV crew 4 life. **Brian:** R u still on d phone? **Daniella:** goin 2 prkway. All d Disneyland trips. Mi amiga por vida. Good luck at UOP



**Christina May Abalos Corpuz Keebler Elf, Sponge; Tharx 2 God 4 atwAz helping me Mom & Dad Thanks 4 all you've done 4 me I hope you are proud of me Manang & Jon tharx 4 evryting U've helped me more dan u know Lola & Sacman family Thank you for all your help and support**



1st and foremost, I thank GOD 4 givin me da knowledge dat has led me 2 my success. Mom&Dad: thank you 4 the sacrifice & hard work u hav dun 4 me. U hav givin me da support & guidance thruout my life. I Love you, Mom&Dad. Adel: lil sis I'm here 4 u, hope I've bin a good role model. I Love you, little sis.

**Kia:** makin up ur own stop signs on d way 2 Aris. **Moni:** Mousel Where? Instant cleavage. I'll keep my hair short. **Marrisa:** 2 s' r better than 2 r's. best buddy ole pal. **Norma:** Hey alkee. **Nicole Berniza Linda Ari Mandv Sherr:** thnx 4 bein frenz! **Disney Crew:** **Emma:** barbie doll. I'll get it. Whoops. writin letters in alg. II & beyond. Honey suck what? Scandalous. **Christina:** Swear 2 gosh. My brdwy. bud. ...ur such a bad apple. Hey, lets take d scenic route. **Leama:** Ur addicted 2 mocha now! **Cris T:** Stuck in d middle of 54... **Katrina:** Home dear fan! I luv u. Dr. Juan! Hi 2 d rest of d sour hearts. **The pass set kill sweet n sour combo:** **Morgan:** A mover la colita. Youngen. stupid airbags. boingee, boingee. U fulfilled d dream. **Cristy:** Sorry bout d zipper. Eh heh, Eh heh. Good luck next yr u know what I mean. **Nina:** My long lost sis. it really is scary how much we have n common. freak magnet. look at dat apolstely. **Sweetinsour:** Xmas circle, don't encourage dem. **Jay:** No, not pool again. put it in ur...uh, yeah. I thought it was a lizard. Ambr 2 use d outside lane. **Sammy:** Sammita. I'm r din stick. Wheelbarrow n cross-dress champ! I can say it w/o smilin. really I can. **Jesse:** cuz. walk taster, ur worse than me now. pimples. Made u twitch! **Erik:** When's da rematch? U take golf 2 seriously. Dat was a strokel God u can't drive! **Phil:** can I have paper? **Chris:** Don't drop ur books. stop flirtin. **Jon Jimmy Andy Bonnie Ching:** don't hit me w/dat yogur. ball. **Ben L:** Watch all my children and eat pizza. **Elaine:** family fun cntr. watch out 4 d gate. How did pocohontas do cartwheels? **Leske:** Shootin 2 annoy Christina. U know u liked 2 fall! **Pia:** Wheeeeeee! Twinkiel **Rose:** Hopa long. No, not tinkling again. Ew, she's 12! **Lee:** sac deez! **Kellan:** put some are n it. **Laluan:** Goodness gracious. **LaVon:** don't let moni take u in d locker rm. **Mario:** Hey baby! nice stickers! **Portland:** U want some bage!? **Gerardo:** GeraGera. Hey partner. 2 **Dominic Mike Albert:** Hi. **Ben C.:** r d seats hard? **Eddie:** Watch out 4 d sign. Can u kick it? I guess u can. 2 all t didn't put there's 2 li' space 2 say so much. U know who u r & that's more important than an ad. Hi 2 St. Chuck's C/O '92. wherever y'all r. Finally, 2 d **CLASS OF NINE SIX:** We've come so far so fast & it's only d beginning. Best of luck see ya n 10! Okay, I luv ya, bu-bye!!!!!!

**Emma Leama Cris Clarissa Katrina Rose** Lets get da mushy stuf ovr w/ I cant thank U enuf 4 Bing such good frends tharx 4 Xcepting + putting up w/ me (all my quirks etc) fm lucky 2 have frends like U **Emma** bowling I got til da gates, open Y'd we jump ovr d fence? Magic Min U coulda had a **Wakko Leama** dont get stuck on 54 again! I'll miss D marshmello car, I'll deliver Ur pictures (Cris has mailbox phobia) **Katrina** pres of d smarta.. club Home dear **Fant Carter's Keds** **Rose** Rmbr d good times **Abby** we've corrupted U **Jenny** Been nice knowing U **Clarissa** Prurient roadhog! Lets sing! Keep Cris awake. who's Ur fav disney caracit? **AntiSweethearts club** I'm w/ U In spirit!! (**SyMe** tharx 4 d 'lollipop' hope u likd Ur bday gift) **Ang Arlette partns n crime- stay cool Adam A.** 20 cents? **Lunch Bunch** I'll miss u, quit throwin those yogurt things **Lee** tharx 4 atwAz making me laff **Pokie** UR a good friend how did dis 'pokie' thing start **NEway?** **Jay** dont call me stupid my mom sez I'm smart she lvs me **Jesse** dont put Ur trash n da bench! **Chrls** MAASgadommit **Leslie** Noodles **Ben** U still mad abt d pom pom thing cuz I am! It's not easy 2 no me, hope UR strong enuf 2 keep trying **Bcuz** Ur a tru friend **Cris T** tharx 4 drivn me home **RU** sleepy? U cant hang up til we say bye **Denise** tharx 4 Ur friendship all d yrs neva 4get sleepless slumbr partys **Sher** Uve put up w/ me 4 13 yrs, dont no what I'd do w/o u, Im lucky 2 have friend like u; **Class of '96** Good luck; neva 4get football games, SAT racing, powdrpuf, Spoons in AP history, Valley Forge, surprise partys, Disney Krew, Qzar... "n a string of days d year is gone...Bcuz we cant make up 4 da time dat we've lost, I must let deez memtles provide" Luv u all, Goodbye!

**Christina:** keeblr elf, thanx 4 evrything u've dun 4 me&cris, yer a trustin fren. Can u say PickeBicke? **Emma:** sorry bout da incident at bwling, r u ok? thanx 4 bein a gr8 fren. **Clarissa:** mocha buddy, u got me addicted 2 mocha drnks. duck girl (quack). **Katrina:** "Home dear Fan ?!?" I'm glad 2 hav met u. thanx 4 da laffs. **Rose:** hey nuttr buttr, g-luck in da futr. **Abby:** Hope we've made skool fun&excitin. Take Care. **Jenny:** good luck in da futr, hope it was fun. **Jesse, Chris, Jay:** don't chnge yer perverted selvs. **Phil:** u hav my permission. thanx 4 alwy makin me laff. Don't forget: Disney Crew: L.K., Poc, Toy, gkarls, q-zar, SAT racin, "xmas carol", homecomn 95, sea poort, sea world, etc. 2 my lifelong fren & tru luv **Crispin E. Torres:** We hav bin 2gether all thru hi skool & our luv has grwn deeper as each day goes on. who wud hav knwn dat our frenshp wud turn N2 n evrlastn luv. U hold a special place n my heart, dat can nevr B takn by n/e1 but u. we hav an unconditional frenshp. U hav bin patient & undrstandn dat has kept our luv growin. U keep me smilin 24/7. If I could go back N time&reliv our: treasured mems, I wud not chnge 1 thng. I cherish evry minute of evry day dat has passed thruout da yrs. I will nevr 4get da memories dat we've shared. we've bin thru good/bad times, but da bad times hav made us strong. u hav givin me real happiness. i don't kno wat i wud do w/o u. I'm so lucky 2 hav u in my life. We hav made it thru hi skool & I hope we make it thru college. No mattr wat I'm here 4 u. I will nevr 4get da day u walkd N2 my life, August 14, 1992 10:40 p.m. dat is da day wen my whole life changed. U R my "Endless Luv". 4ever & alwyz is how long i will luv u. I Love You **Crispin E. Torres.** 143637 24/7. 2 da c/o 1996 Congrats & cya in 2006. Good luck and God Bless. Farewell MCHS... w/love, **LEARNA MATEO**

*Clarissa A. Bash*

*Christina Corpuz*

*Learn Mateo*







Jay Tesoro Del Rosario a.k.a. bluejay, jay bird, kuya, blue bird, gay, hoto, hota, k, l, m, n, o, p, Q-ball jay jay, dr, j, d, j, r, t. jay man, u gang banga, knipper, crisp, dice, girlz pp when dey c-me. First & foremost I would like to thank Almighty God for all his blessings, and helping me get past the hard times in life. I'd like to thank my parents for all their love and support, w/o u there would b no me. Thnx 4 puttin me throo skool and helpin me realizin dat therz a betta world out there. To papang and mamang thanks for your guidance and trying to direct my life in the right direction, I appreciate it. I'd also like to thank my aunt C. thanks for being a second mother 2 me, 2 edmund t. thanks for being there for me when I needed someone, thanks for all your wisdom and understanding, u like a big brother 2 me, you got my luv. 2 my uncle B. thanks 4 ur love and wisdom, I can't explain how much u meant to me, you were my inspiration and dreams. I've reserved a place in my heart 4 u...thanks 4 the memories...R.I.P. 2 my oha familez thnx 4 ur love, support, n undastndin. J-me rmb d trik bout d laid pline? howd u lik k. c z cuzzin? by d way put it in yr...u knO d rez! luv ya 7313! sermy we could have diuceed man! nomore rydin in the truck wid u membr the b-ball game, lez shoot N.A. w/ da gun "leme seatch yo car", rmb rgr nte n doze people fr. marian and

man wit hiz dog, U MISSED! membr in L.V. the midjt vido an breafin da tv. tryn 2 huk up da supa nihy u wama dubl team eddie g; nah u can have im. hey igot a tric fr. sunset cliffs wanna cum ova, rmb eslke n d flagz ng balz keep it real dogg. clarissa..(the rizza) well we finly madeit past h s n'uz iz it. i've knowna 4 how lngagin? dam t3 funkin years! datzpractly my hole life; geez! oh by da way THAT WAZ A STROKE! ef. and i kicked yo azin m.golf, westil gona play n diz time itz hometwn no mo tacobell zhit. rmb U ALWAYZ MY LIL SIS!! n oh yeah...i got ur...uh, nevniid! good luk w/ur life n if u eva need anythin juz look me up! thnx 4 ur love n support theez past yz. jesse: FM f0 life! what hap. 2 ronnie zunfa? howz d popcorn? pa. haz aiz & da pldg o laeince. "G BLS. AMERKA!" don't dey rglit skat lgh? rmb r c. marchez dunn fresh yr. all d flpsatz d bench itz cuz we flip izit it! "hey jessica hurry da fink up, u slo bash-ird" ppez out jez, gud luck w/ life phil & chris: waz up blud! rmb da fyziks memuz about 'it'. u know who. hey chris rice fall u G anythin? fi wen we guna go jacin 4 da zhit? griz, sat claz n all doz triangoz and circoz! what evr hap 2 mium? aiz? n whoz got crabz? and C g d lck w/yo bitzez! andy & jimmy: wash. list 2 fall sleep gona get it. rmb da kidz "leme tell u bout life!" a. sin on jimz face. CRACK KILLZ!! d funkin smoke got me hiph! d mirOR a n d mikro chip bugeez, fffooooomreeeeeee! jim rmb d grad claz of '95 n d fite. sin sip da n g stp pkin on nomo or i'll hav 2 lu t u ronnie: thnx 4 da snax @ brk. rmb d razin warz, "oh no dey setin dem selvz up!" rmb amny willie dam dat wuz fekin skai! thnx 4 ur frindshp n food. ja woz laj gud luk w/ur life n long liv d KUDA n lav rmb jpn n d whitekid "no u cant tk dat bak 2 US itz a deadly weapon!" (what a spid az) ronnie: rmb hlvEn n d haunted h. n pEin on d wallz by 2 run fr. k.c. nj.f. how mny pEpl pEd in thirpantz? christina emma kavya rose learna c.c u say: i'm spid or sumin? my mom lovez me! thnx 4 ur help n frndshp. e.g stop pkin on pf. alrhtk! hello, r.r. how u doin, l.m. ok by! marisa: so wen we gona friz watchin 'highr lernin'? u warria eat at deniez? thnx 4 all d memuz if ya evr need anythin u know wer i'm at, kid daniele hey i know dizuz nevniid! monica: wazup, stay ur self n k! elaine: dam dont u evr shut up! luis m arco raul omar: thnx 4 d laffin eng. klaz lr. "u lil baz-ird!", m.b. ur twak! el gema: u finly grad! Bed! time! jon lived ur prt in highr lmin, white pow... 4get it benjize so wen s.m. n me gona go out wid jew, dam ur finelkt sin amandastay friz, kit. a.m. "do i knO iz?" thnx 4 d memuz. lele: mnd ibi tell blind jokez? nutz: may d force b. wid u reprnt d famle well vince: doe i moved n we dont C. e. otha az much U STILL MY BOY? luka normo: wasup jap boy jukout 4 sip! kellen: wazup son! alex d billz stil #1. 2 d flip clique i left behind u knO who u r, k! ep d dreamz alive! a!l doze i didnt mention or juz 4get ur memiez wll live on! n 2 doz who got a problm w/ me ur time will come 2 D CLAZ of '96 GOD BLEZ, I'LL MIZ YALL! THNX 4 D MEMRIEZ!



ARNEL PHIL FABIAN- AKA KUYA, PHILIP, PHILLY WILLY, CANDYMAN, MENTOS BOY DOPPIE. 1ST OF ALL I JUZ WANTED 2 THNK GOD & GIVE OUT EXTRA SPECIAL "THANK U'S" 2 MY MOM, DAD & PING. I KNOW I'VE BEEN A PAIN BUT THNX 4 D LOVE, SUPPORT & PATIENCE UV GIVIN ME (MY CAR) & PING THNX 4 HELPIN ME FIX MY CAR UP. "I LUV U" I JUS WANNA SAY THNX 2 ALL D PEOPLE DAT MADE MY YRS A TRIP. DA C/O 92 ST. CHUCK HOMIES. ...WUSSUP! (U KNOW WHO UR) CHRIS D.; GEEZ UP HOMIE THNX 4 D MEMS. ROLLIN' ON FRIDAYS, KICKIN IT @ PLAZA, TIGER LAND, BELL-LAND, MICHELLE'S PAD OR WHEREVA WE WENT. HEY LET ME SEE UR KUFFS NO DA OTHER ONES. OR DA AG ON MAX. GETTIN HOOKED W/BK OR COOKIES. KICKIN' IT AT DA PAD EATIN PIZZA! SO WHEN R WE GOIN 2 MANILA OR IS IT WYOMING? NENAYS JUS STAY TRU 2 DA DPC & NEVA 4GET "THUMBS UP 4 LIFE HOMIE" & DON'T 4 GET DEM PILLS. JAY D: WHAT CAN I SAY.. U GOT US KICKED OUT OF PLAZA...

JESSE G: U LIL TAGGER RMBR D "SKY" OR "IT". CERAMICS.. MOVEDA CHAIR. LEARNA M.: RMBR GETTIN STUCK WID CHRIS' CAR & HAD 2 GET PICKED UP. ABL THOSE TIMES IN MATH CLASS JUZ BUSTIN UP... THNX 4 D HELP WHEN I NEEDED IT. HEY DO I STILL HAVE UR PERMISSION? CHRIS T.: RMBR DOSE DATE NITE CALLS... WHAT WE ORDER? CHRISTINA C.: HEY DER POKIE! EMMA G.: A OTHER POKIE. RMBR U GETTIN KILLED AT Q-ZAR. CLARISSA B.: MY 13 YR. BUD (BATS A LONG TIME). RMBR WAVIN PEOPLE DOWN AT UR BONFIRE & GOIN 2 OZARS W/EVERY. ROSE R: WHEN R WE GONNA GO FAGIN. MICHELLE A.: THNX 4 DA MEMS KICKIN IT UR PAD TILL IT WUZ 2 LATE. RMBR ALL DOSE TIMES WE WENT 2 MORSE OR BELL JUS KICKIN' IT AT YOUR FRENZ HOUSE OR AT PLAZA... MEETIN ALL UR FRENZ... HOWZ UR FOOT (IT WASN'T MY FAULT) HEY WHERE'S C-21 PHIL? RMBR WHEN I TOOK U HOME LATE & U GOT YELLED AT... SORRY GOIN 2 PARTIES N GETTIN SEARCHED! LET ME SEE UR KUFFS! ALL THOSE TIMES U WAS ON D GROUND... U ALWAYS B TRIPPIN... MICHAEL A.: RMBR D PIZZA "YEA DEY SELL IT AT DA SNACK BAR. UR CHAIR AT DA APC MTNG. SORRY HOMIE. U WERE JUS DER... GOIN 2 BA DANCE W/LYNN & UR GIRL. SHERRI P.: MY CAR POOL BUD & NEIGHBOR. THNX 4 D ADVICE. DOSE TALKS DAT WE HAD N D HELP. THNX 4 BEIN BY MY SEDE. LYNN N.: LIKE UR CAR. RMBR DOSE X'S AT ST. CHUCKS. MTNG. UR FRENZ 4D HOOKUPS. U DANCE W/MIKE & HIS GIRL. OLIVIA Q.: HEY DER BUD. SANNY M.: RMBR PE. RIZA: HOW YA LIVIN? ESTACEY: THNX 4 DA HOOKUP W/CHERYL. JOANNEE HI. SHIRLEY: HEY DER. DA 1 PERSON I COULD NEVA 4GET MY BABY CHERYL WHERE DO I START? I'VE HAD SO MUCH FUN W/U. WHEN I THINK OF ALL DA GOOD X'S WE HAD 2GETHER IT BRINGS A HAPPINESS IN ME. WE WERE MEANT 2 B TOGETHER THRU D GOOD & BAD X'S. WE'VE MANAGED 2 STAY 2GETHER THNX 2 D BIG GUY UP DER BRINGIN US 2GETHER. RMBR 2/14/95 CUZ I COULD NEVA 4GET DAT DAY. DEM WHITE ROSES & UR RED PAGE. EVERYDAY THAT I'M W/U WHETHER ITS AT SKOOL, UR PAD, OR WHEREVA IS A MEM 2 ME. DAT WKND. TALKIN 24/7 & WHEN DAT DAY CAME U COULDN'T TALK 2 ME. ALL DEM LUNCH BREAKS WHERE WE JUS KICK IT, U & ME. OR WHEN WE'RE DOWN STUPID THINGS JUS 2 GET A LAUGH. WE'RE A GOOD TEAM. RMBR TRYING PEOPLES BAGS. TALKIN' 2 U UR IM AT D HOSP. "YES HOW CAN I HELP U?" MY BDAY PARTY. WHAT HAPPENED 2 MY CD'S? DA 1ST TIME I WENT 2 UR HOUSE. (SOMETHIN' NEW) DA SUMMER OF '95 I'LL NEVA 4GET. GOIN 2 UR HOUSE EVERYDAY AFTER WORK 2 JUS KICK IT. DEM TALKS WE HAD AS FRENZ & MORE DEN FRENZ. 4 BEIN BY MY SIDE THRU THICK N THIN. UV BEEN D GREATEST FREN & G'FRIEND. U MEAN A LOT 2 ME. 143637823... "I LUV U" FINALLY SHOUTS OUT 2 D CLASSES OF '97 & '98 PEOPLES BUT WE ALL KNOW DA CLASS OF NINETY-SIX ROX DA FUNKY HOUSE. ITS BEEN SICK KICKIN' IT W/DA HOMIES & FRENZ SO TAKE CARE & GOOD LUCK IN D FUTURE. 2 ALL D PEOPLE I 4GOT... SORRY. SO JUS KICK IT 4 DA BEST CUZ PHIL'S OUTTIE....





Jesse Ray Legaspi, Gordo

aka: mustard, phat, fiaco, gordo  
jessica, furilo, dmn it get out de way.

dnl u know how 2 walk, hurry de hill up, walk lester dmn it, god ur worse than me now & king Instigalor. i wud lko 2 think God & my parnts. 4 givin me de love, dirve, direction, da motivation? keep gon thru school. Most of all thnx 4 d undersinadin & d lee-way dat u gave mo. **Chico**: thnx 4 all d hill dat u gave mo and FM 4 life. **Colin**: thnx 4 all d rll & love dats bann der. pls. don't get sick nomore. I'm just 2 gross, aren't I: she look'd 18, u know pimples? fomatd & clothing stores & cup holderz da bopz no maiter what. It's ur fault dose nachos fell. **La la not dog**: bomb az buzzy is da bomb & FMruiz: **hax**: rmb r1 & da sky pls. get off Jaime ur makin me sick. **puther**: down. looks lko poalic justico upskid down. **PLIGE ALENGE**: graduation '95 & FM 4 life. **Samuaj**: nmb: d sky & all d nips in Eng. how bout rai freak fr. **Sunset Cliffs**: siko. thnx 4 d galoredo. **Phil E**: ceramica is d bomb, stop hittin up d walls u laggar d'ho dream is still on 2 kiss d sky. **Chris**: kepp makin evoryt laugh, da fiop lo see **Ita** but was da bomb. Who's got crabs? Da sr. **pinoy crew**: **leanna emma christina katrina**: my trosh wll always be der no matter what u say! **tonia andy on saki**: **Jimmy**: thnx 4 all d laughs et lunch & at class. dose who wore in FMruiz & so do **yeagun**: **beat**: **lance**: **seruio**: **hector**: **lo**: **Da marco**: **luis**: **claydo**: thnx 4 all d laughs @ mums. keep throwin clay & don't stop chasin da frost-boys. **ari**: rmb. all d talks in d fox. **marisa maopisa norma**: **lita**: **daphnie**: **amanda**: **shori**: **beniza**: **nicola**: **linda**: u guys were d best kit and thnx 4 da mems. **maria**: **anika**: **andrea**: **hi**: **don't**: **love**: **change**: **kit**: **stina**: hi wife. **rosa**: god 2 da cloth store. kookin et cupholders & she look'd 18 not 12. pls stop stroseln & I know. **lozila**: **nadia**: **haydee**: **bianca**: **ching**: wsp St. Mike's crew of '92. most of u Ivo known since 5th grade. it's been great growin & knowin all of u. thnx 4 d mama. **Versity**: **bball**: **SB**: thnx 4 givin it all u had & goin 2 7/11. 2 de FM, y'all know dat means Frosh malia. & dats d info. **messin** w/mala of dose timos. givin Kevin c a wag in front of Rhaeal. **jevin**: **marcos** and **ronnie** out dor & ronnie comin back w/ no draws. **ronnie's** house: d food, amityville, & ronnie's bro w/ a knifo. Id lke 2 givo a shout out 2 just in ogger while fal houso an evryt havin fun gettin towered. **thnx** 4 da food & erbs. 4 oh dose who I figet or don't lka funk y'all. dis is all d room I could afford & u couldn't fade me in anythin. 1 more thing: OOOOOHH! He said ur mom was a lat u....nevermind.

CHRIS DUMLAO, aka D'omer, Pack'ood  
Mr. Landocho. -2my family thnx d all!

**jacelyn**: dat inje. **Andy Galé Gilbert**: u tweekinda spin out, dat 7th grader. **Ronnie**: straight up, NBA jams. ur mom vis fantastic. **Jimmy**: drinkin' **5:40E** in '71, 4 sunghit all nighters losin' 3 mil in Vegas. u pickin up guys. gettin locked up in juvee. **Theresa**: hi consuela **emma mildred**: my friend **sponzo**: do u have frisks? is she 2 young. **elaine leama rose**: cis: is ur poky home? **Nina Michelle**: Where's da party? **APLE**: sup! **Ms. Barb**: da rose. wanna race? Why didn't u go 4 me in 9th Hi Nancy. **Sherril**: and gov't class. **leese**: da view in ceramics. **LAV**: latz in the 1th grade. What ru again? Ur pretty down SA. **Cherry**: put him in check. is estacey home? thnx 4 d bookups. **Die-nill**: thnx 4 makin dis possible. go 2 Manila 4 ur b'day. dose 2 girls. **AJC**: on high. ur 20 ex's. **duckgirl**: feedin' me. crank calls. draggin me 2 morse. **bell**: all dose ducks & cats. racing da bug. "Off da phone, now" going 2 Plaza 4 Hookups/respect yo elders, wani fries w/ dat? More Plaza. Da Thumbs Up! DPC First. 4 reals-serious-put dat on! **Moniava**: NE ways pretty boy, finally 14. cheater, our novel, forcing each other 2 eat, take da test! da bug at J St. cricker licit, Black Angus, 2 hrs late 4 da concert, Merry X-mas! UR in om dressin U, goin 2 da zoo, all dose toys, double date at movies/fun4all, Guess What?! Tanx 4 putting up w/ me. U know how much I lub U! Ribbit ribbit! PS:Oxycute em! Hi **Moiques frenz**: **luis**: **twins**: **Portland**: **Sam**: **Joe**: **Eric**: **Ronnie**: **Andy**: **Jimmy**: **Jon**: I owe da world 2 Ur moms. I thank them for their hospitality, gentleness, and generosity. I can never repay UR moms 4 what they've done & given up to me. Please tell them thanks! **Morse**: **people**: Hi tigers.

To everyone I forgot, sorry I promise  
I'll get U next time! Thumbs up 2 C/O 96!  
Later losers. I love dueE!



## Ivanna y Dusan

Mis queridos ninos, estamos muy orgullosos de sus logros, han llegado al final de lo que los lleva al principio de su vida profesional; Que Dios los bendiga y los guie al Exito con carino y adminacion

Su Mama

Dear Ivanna and Dusan

It was like yesterday that you were little kids and now you're graduates and on the way for your particular goals in life. As you set them, go for it no matter what obstacles are in front of you. Your achievements will come true and happiness will be in abundance-We'll be with you all the way with support and encouragement.

With all our love,  
Mom & Dad & Arturo

Class of '96  
Congratulations

## Katya Flores

La formula del exito estriba en escuchar la voz constructiva, esa que impulsa y anima a seguir adelante. Tu podras lograr tus anhelos, si sobre todo luchas por amor. Amor a Dios, a la vida y a ti misma.

Te amo infinitamente  
Tu Mami

Joe Mayo  
Congratulations!

We are proud of your academic  
achievement-

We hope that you continue your hard work  
and attain your career and goals with God's  
help-

Dad & Mom

Benjamin Pablo Lumanlan July 15, 1978 cancer aka> Benny Boy "you are so weird"; psychoboy (thought I didnt know huh?) the guy who painted his tongue blue in 3rd grade, jamie, poor boy the dictionary guy FROSH > HIGH SCHOOL! what in the world am I doing here?! New Friends> MaraD & ElaineD & JohnO & Keri-n-KimC & DebbieG & AnaE & LeanneM. & MargaritaM. & AlejandraQ & MaryaV & LisaB & JessicaC. What a year!! Change of principal (1st of many), joined A.P.I.C., being in school w/ a heroine, and having to say goodbye 2 some old friends at the end> 2 Kelly, my I.B. pal, one of few that understands me, 2 Karla my Best Bud, I miss you greatly, 2 Mrs Danaher, thanks for all the advice, 2 Marya, inspiring me to continue 2 B true to myself, and finally 2 Keri, 4 being such a good friend to my in such a STRANGE place. SOPH!> hey I made it through the 1st year, who would have known? MORE NEW FRIENDS!! >ChristinaC(i know you...but) & RosalindaR(what IS this stain on my shirt, you realize how hard it is 2 remove BLUEBERRY!!) & EmmaG(what happened 2 my PICTURES?) & WalterD & JimG & AngeloO & TeresaE. Cool New teacher, Mrs. Lambert who took us 2 C JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR very cool indeed, refined arts skill 2 B awarded for art dept. honors bio was a major trip, 1st homecoming, 1st Sweethearts (my only), running 4 Junior Class prez. FBLA 1st CSF & NHS Mr. Heet going wacko!!! And thats all i can remember JUNIOR YEAR!!!! run away and never return!! NEW FRIENDS!!!!> ErikaB & KatrinaD & DesireeG-S & CharneG & DianaG & ChristianM & LisaF & ok everybody now just BACK OFF, ReannaOctaviano!!{112994/122094/011495/012895/032595/050795/070495/091395/092995/102795/112995} my 1st love, still love yall NEAT STUFF THAT HAPPENED> AP History, my advice do not go in there! A POM-POM incident, Christina ain't it funny how we can laugh now? Like you said "...I'm surprised we haven't killed each other yet." and yes that is a good thing. NYLCI went to Washington, DC 4 the 1st time w/ my long time closest friend ClarissaB. Homecoming w/ Sally my Coomic friend(almost paking on the carousel), becoming an Ambassador, running 4 ASB Prez, Pop CieB, 2nd CSF & NHS, PROM! and no i didn't use my credit card....classroom arguments in Ms.A's w/ LeslieR., learning the value of friendship, thena C.C. & S.A., Magic Mountain w/ A.E. A.P. J.P. R.G. M.M. never being in homeroom, being teased from St.Checks, 3rd CSF & NHS, SRESSING OUT BIG TIME!!! SENIOR YEAR> me a senior? no way! ok time again 4.....NEW FRIENDS! MarissaF. & RobertB. (my best wishes 2ya both) MoniqueL.(stay cool!) PatrioiaM (tall J.Jr 2stop giving me those dirty looks!) & TanaP & KatiaP (aka.SAILOR MERCURY AND SAILOR JUPITER) JenniaM. & DairdraS. & LisaA. & DianaG. & VeronicaL. & AnnaE. & MaryC. & MoniqueQ. & CeShanA.I. you Cancer you! Stuffed So Far> The Christmas Play, it was great working with U all. Going to see "Phantom" w/ J.B.A.O. hangin w/ M.F. & R.B. it was fun while it lasted, sorry 4 everything bad that happened. Joneth's 18. being MASCOTI the coronado game....Homecoming w/ Best friend Joneth, had a major blast!! thena 4 going w/ me. sept 29th...asyn bye 2 me.V., joining Taekwondo again, and just hating everything!! if there's ANYTHING i've forgotten, tell me later..... ok finally, some final goodbyes> 2 my graduating class of '92, it has been a privilege growing up with U all, everyone, I'll miss U all. 2 Clarissa, thena 4 the best 12 years of my life, it will be hard 2 imagine being anywhere w/o your presence, 2 christine i will always regard U as one of my best friends, I'll remember U always, thanx 4 being there 4 me, 2 Mara go where ever your heart takes you, I want U 2 know that it would have been hell if U weren't in my classes, who else could I count on 4 a great conversation @ everything? 2 syvia, well we finally made it, after all these years, now what will we do? and stop being such a control freak! anyway thena 4 being such a friend 2 me, i couldn't have survived w/o a friend like U. 2 John, well my contrasted friend...the whole high school thing is over, it has been quite a long journey but we made it!! U've been a great friend NEVER change your passiveness, it works for U. 2 Pia, thena 4 putting up w/ my \$\*!T! HARDLY ANYONE ELSE CAN! 2 MrsD, my love goes to U, U've always been like a mother 4 me, thanx a. 2 MrsLs, always my friend when i needed to talk, 2 Mrs.Dannaher, thanx 4 making Frosh year respectable 4 me, 2 MrsP thanx 4 being a friend, MrsBriz 4 your kindness towards me, 2 MrsValles 4 giving me a chance in ambassadors, 2 MrH for all your inspiration, 2 MsA for believing in me. thanks DAD for 4 standing by my side always there 120% and reminding my that anything can be accomplished if I pay MY mind to it. 2 my Mom thanks for loving me the very best way, by giving me my education and life. 2 my loving family, thanks 4 supporting me in everything, I love you all. 2 all that i've forgotten....chew me out AFTER graduation!! it's been fun M.C.H.S. AND I'LL MISS YOU ALWAYS, one can take me away from Marian, but they can never take the Marian in me. P.S. hi bob! \*ENDGAME\*  
 (A row of 12 smiley faces and a small symbol)

Our dearest son,

Success is the fruit of one's labor, perseverance and determination. Life's challenges are never easy. If they are it loses its value. The harder the obstacle to the summit, the more its worth in gold. You have faced earlier challenges fiercely and head on. From the day you were born, your first word "Da Da" when first tried to talk, your first step and with each fall you got up and tried again & again, to the trauma and excitement of day one in Pre-school. Remember the exhilaration of receiving your diploma from St. Charles School at the same time the sadness of saying good-bye. Think back in the beginning at Marian, how sometimes you long for the secure and familiar environment of St. Charles. However you slowly adapted and welcome Marian Catholic High School into your life, now you are heading to college or higher endeavor. Son look back be proud, your accomplishments are too numerous to mention and to top it you did them without losing your great sense of humor.

Jaime, you and I have been through a lot and each time it made our relationship ever stronger. I hope being your father and friend will last forever. you have brought pride, excitement, honor, glory, joy, color and laughter to our family. We are all unconditionally behind you. Face the future with great confidence. You deserve a heartfelt CONGRATULATIONS FOR A JOB WELL DONE.

Love,  
 Dad, Mila & Mom

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*Dearest RIZ,*

*Congratulations and best wishes little one!  
You'll always be our little tiger.*

*We're so proud of you and remember we'll  
always be there for you.*

*Keep up the good work!!*

*With much love,  
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future-

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Jimmy

No encontramos palabras para expresar el orgullo que sentimos. Quien se iba a imaginar que cuando te vimos nacer, nos ibas a llenar de tantas satisfacciones., este acontecimiento es solo el principio de lo que se te depara en el futuro , ese futuro que va a ser difícil y complicado por la meta que te has fijado , pero que estamos seguros vas a salir triunfante . Hijo , te deceamos la mejor de las suertes y que jamas cambies en tu manera de ser, continua siendo el hijo y hombre ejemplar , para que en el mañana camines con la frente muy alta por haber logrado todo lo que hoy te has propuesto. Buena suerte. Tus padres que te quieren y admiran.

Pedro y Sylvia



A mi bisnieto Jimmy C.B.  
Soy la bisabuela mas orgullosa de la vida sabiendo que te graduas. Te felicito y quiero que sepas que eres lo mas hermoso y grande con que Dios me ha premiado, eres tu mi mejor regalo que la vida me dio. Eres tu simplemente el ---- bisnieto que tanto amo. C.M. Barrett

Congratulations Jimmy

I am very proud of you keep up the good work . Love you,  
Your sister Claudia

Uncle Jimmy

Congratulations we love you, your nieces,  
Yasamin and Jessica.

A nuestro nieto querido.

Estamos muy orgullos de ti sigue adelante como hasta ahora y triunfaras en la vida, tus abuelitos que te quieren mucho,

Jimmy y Leonor

A mi nieto,

Con empeño y responsabilidad a su vida, un escalon mas; siguc adclante como siempre y lograras un futuro lleno de triunfos y satisfacciones. Las personas con corazon logran siempre lo que se proponen. Con mucho orgullo y amor tu abuelita Alicia

Jimmy , Congratulations we are very proud of you your uncles, aunts and cousins



Mi muchachito:

Que pronto paso el tiempo parece que fue aller que te pusieron el yeso y mira ya eres un hombrecito sano y fuerte y muy estudioso me siento muy orgullosa de ti tu abuelita Leonor

Dear Nephew,

I am very proud of you as a student, young man and son. You have proved yourself to be very responsible and studious. People like you succeed in life and have all the doors open in the world. Son I love you,  
your aunt Oralia

Congratulations Jimmy!  
from the Canada Family





## GABY ESTRADA CONGRATULATIONS!

Love, Mom & Dad



We are proud of the way you have reached this major milestone in your life-

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We are looking forward to watching you blossom-

and to celebrate many more of your achievements!



To Our Dearest Jay,

### CONGRATULATIONS!

You have always tried to be the best person that you can be.

You have grown to be a gentle, loving, warm, sensitive, fun-loving person.

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Thank you for making our world more beautiful!

We love you always, Mom, Dad, Nina, Papang & Mamang

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WE CANNOT BELIEVE HOW FAST YOU HAVE GROWN. WE STILL REMEMBER WHEN YOU WERE JUST OUR "LITTLE GIRL". YOU HAVE GROWN UP A FINE LADY. WERE SO PROUD OF YOU. LEARNA, YOU HAVE ALWAYS BEEN A LOVING, CARING, UNDERSTANDING DAUGHTER TO US. WE THANK GOD FOR GIVING YOU TO US. YOU SET UP A GOOD EXAMPLE TO YOUR LITTLE SISTER, ADELAIDE. YOU HAVE ALWAYS WORK HARD TO REACH YOUR GOAL. YOU ARE HALFWAY THROUGH IN REACHING YOUR DREAMS. GO FOR IT! WE KNOW YOU CAN DO IT, BECAUSE WE HAVE ALWAYS BELIEVED & HAVE FAITH IN YOU. AS LONG AS YOU BELIEVED, LOVE & HAVE FAITH IN YOURSELF & IN GOD, YOU WILL ACHIEVE ANYTHING IN YOUR LIFE. "GOD, GIVE PEACE TO HER HEART, GUIDE HER, & GOD PLEASE WALK BESIDE HER."

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Congratulations on your graduation. We are very proud of your accomplishment in school as well as in life. Not only are you special, you are loving and beautiful niece and cousin. Congratulations to the future. Good Luck and GOD BLESS you in all you do. May you always receive what you want because you deserve it.

We love you & Aloha from  
Uncle Peping & Auntie Lilian, Cousin  
Dawn & Jake

Rhea, you left Hawaii when you were 3 years old. You were not even in school, 14 years later here you are ready to start college. Wow! time flies. We just want to say that remember to set goals that challenge you to grow. You may be surprised at, how much you can do if you really try. Good Luck and GOD BLESS YOU ALWAYS. We are very proud of you.

Aloha from  
Uncle Ben, Auntie Dee, Cousin Mathew

### TO OUR DAUGHTER RHEA,

REMEMBER AT 3 YEARS OLD WHEN WE WERE TAPING FOR DAD WHO WAS ON OVERSEAS TOUR OF DUTY, I ASKED YOU THIS QUESTION, "RHEA, WHAT IS YOUR NAME? AND YOU IMMEDIATELY GIVE ME AN ANSWER WITHOUT ANY HESITATION, MOM, YOU JUST SAID IT." I KNEW RIGHT THEN AND THEN THAT YOU WILL BE A VERY SMART, ALERT, AND DETERMINE YOUNG LADY. ROSELISA, I NOW PASS UNTO YOU WHAT I HAD PASSED UNTO YOUR OLDER SISTER RACHELLE. REMEMBER TO ALWAYS LIVE FOR YOUR LIFE WITH RESPECTFULNESS, UNDERSTANDING PATIENCE, HELPFULNESS, KINDNESS, LOVING, CARING & MODESTY. RHEA, KEEP IN MIND THAT ONE SMALL, HARD WON, SUCCESS IS OFTEN SUFFICIENT TO SET YOU ON THE RIGHT TRACK. IT GIVES YOU A SENSE OF PERSONAL VALUE AND IS A SPUR TO GREATER EFFORT. DECIDE JUST WHAT YOU WANT. DISCOVER YOUR OWN PARTICULAR BENT. WHETHER YOUR SPHERE IS LARGE OR SMALL IS IMMATERIAL. THE IMPORTANT THING IS TO BE INTERESTED IN WHAT YOU ARE DOING. WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU IN EVERYTHING YOU DO. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALWAYS AND GOOD LUCK TO ALL UNDERTAKINGS.

WISHES, KISSES & PRAYERS FROM:  
MOM & DAD

### To our Goddaughter Rhea,

Congratulations on your graduation. Time goes so fast and we will have another niece in college. God is so nice to our family. We just hope and pray for your success in your chosen field. Never make the mistake of thinking that life would be marvelous if you were doing something different. This leads to the square-peg-in-a-round hole mentality, and to useless resentment because things are not going your way.  
GOOD LUCK AND GOD BLESS YOU.

Aloha & Cheers from  
Uncle Oscar & Auntie Irene, cousins Dex, Jeff,  
Jessica & Damon



Rhea,

\*\*\*Thanks for listening  
Thanks for caring  
Thanks for always helping in times of need  
Thanks for sharing  
Thanks, Sister ... for always being there.\*\*\*  
We've come a long way, and nothing has stopped us yet. We're proud of all the accomplishments you have achieved. May God Bless You and Keep You Safe. Good Luck in all that you do.  
WE LOVE YOU!!!

Sisters-4-Eve  
Rachelle and De

### To Our Granddaughter Rhea (Tyang)

Life is a gift that only God can give. How wonder of him and how lucky we are to have you as granddaughter. Remember that prayer and belief in our ALMIGHTY GOD is the greatest tool to success. We are so proud of you and we love you so much.

With love & prayer from  
Grandpa Sixto & Grandma Ros





**JIMMY A. CASTILLO & ANDRES E. GILBERT:** 2 all da homys & eses-R.M., C.D., J.D.R., tip, J.G., Saki, Jon, S.M.: thrwn stuf @ Inch, "set hmslf up," pkn on Saki, "J. Carny," chk ur eat, crumplin each others paprs, sayn "R U OK," O.J., Ken's Bday, "ur mom," "Bakrs in," Shtup tht was last yr.," "I cald, no 1 answrd, they sed u wrnt home." **FROSH:** all da atfites, frsh. mafia, R.M. rmbmr Marches (Dnt man) **BANGO!** Shtup we tired of u, sit on Bball rt., hey ref get real job-lokr rm. **SOPH:** rumr bout R.M. n bushes, H.BIO-Ms.T is mornin 'rsn, **JON R** thos ur clubs, **JON** wtch ur hed. **JUNR:** Inch under lil' house, **NEILDO** (hoodlum), **VP HIST** w/ Ms.V: did any1 lrn anythng, D.C. trip w/ Ms.V, J.D.R.- it was fun, **JAY** rmbmr hotl ms, makn noys tht sec. came, all da trsh, piza @ nite, stiky flr, **UR** blnkman, brakn da TV & ix fram, da all nitr, "we R frm 90210," "age dosnt mater," A.G.'s bugr, Hare Krishna guys, let me tell u bout life." **FR.** 3 w/ L.R., J.P., H.R.- props 2 u guys , piza prty, red srprise Anne), F. Club wht did we do, Alu-ete, pull a Fred. **SOGR:** Tucan, R.M. u pirate, truk brakn own on I15, da van, Saki ("Dsnlyland"), was fun evntho we sukd. **V. Forg** (Jr. yr.)-htl. rm. ec. alrm @ 230 AM, Boy State: girl bk store, pool, frenz. **RMBR:** "not da hair," "my shus ost more...," "u wan us 2 take care of them," "Dont b a hero," leader, Caliente, storys, boys & 49ers, bein obnox, blind date @ Swhrts, me(JC) & la Guerita, my tie(shtup), flirtn, moated," "air props," "tht was loud," lil' cloud," our bet, call if u win, "UR in," "she's rine," D.M. prty(cops), A.H. prty-R.M. ur a pus, Dsnlyland w/D.M., B.G., N.G., R.M.-ware's I.M., Knots: seat in van, grl "slap her." R.M.: Srgnt. Gaylord, Str8 up, Philly. C.D.: Chapuys, tanx for alwys makn us laf, spin out w/A.G. J.D.R.: D.C. trip, trip w/Ms. Wat, no hrd felns out fite(JC). Sip: thrwn G-ade on R.M. J.G.: pull up ur pnts. Saki: shaburu, omeko, cheche. **ON:** hey whos da new guy. Props 2 evry1 in golf, socr, & ASB. Spcial thanx 2 all thos tht were part of our B.S. Class o 96-nvr forget u guys, will miss u, God bless u all & peace out. **ANDY & JIMMY.**

**A. GILBERT:** Thanx 2 my parents (luv u) w/o u I wldnt b ware I am. Thanx 4 motivation, dedication, & inspiration. B-leve in me I will prospr 4 evr. Bro. & sis may u prospr in futr as well.All da girlys tht kik it w/moi, luv u & thanx for da advice & lafs, stay sweet. Thanx evry1 4 all da memrys. Nvr forget u Amanda, luv u lots, hope u find hapynes. Thanx 2 all da teachrs & admin. @ MCHS-4 ur support. Sherri thanx 4 evrythng. Melissa luv u lots, stay sweets, & rmbmr me forevr. Nvr forget **CLASS O F 96. PEACE.**

**J.CASTILLO:** Mom & Dad: thanx 4 evrythng, I cidnt hav don it w/o u, I luv u a lot. Claudia, luv u a lot 2, I wish da best 4 u, cuz u deserv da best. 2 all da girls I alwys flirtd w/ stay beautiful, fine, & sweet. Thanx 2 ASB-it was a great yr. Thanx 2 all da teachers & admin. @ MCHS. Thanx evry1 4 all da memrys. Good luck **CLASS OF 96,** nvr forget u guys. Nvr forget any1 tht I know. 96 rules. God bless & **PEACE.**



**Jon:** aka Mr. Twinkle, baby, promac. Are we yer yet? A special hl and good-bye 2 all. thanks mom and dad(rick). Eric one more year. 4 yollas! Katya words can't explain our memories. Ken and friends could explain it better than me!

**Katya:** 2 Jon- Baby! I luv U! thinks 4 bein so sweet 2 me. don't ever fget our day-dec. 3rd, '95, spr bowl sun.,Jan 26, u levn 2 Texas, planet tolywd, poohl poop! piggy! T.J., z-90 conzt, movies, barbie n frenz! ren n frenz! Julian-"so wherez d snow?",coronado, M.P.'s house, weethrts,snset cills, I. B., "F. U",dinnr @ my house. "U bmg d Inch", jabystin,"jerk","why you tell M.P?" i'm sorry, eng. class, "like that?" "U're stubbrn", Don't ever forget that Katya loved you!!  
? my mom & dad: I luv u even though I don't always show it! Camarero am. I really appreciate what you did for me all these yrs. I luv U all!

**Gaby Estrada & Katya Flores;** aka Mary Jane & Daisy. d good timez-swmin, dtchn, smr of '94' CPH, tweety, L.A., gum , choc. mlk, BH's, tony Bprty@ C E's, rtnn mlk, beer rn, blu cady, sht mn,jr yr: nmrs, cndyln, chichi mtn., prk w/A.C., Mnkey ass-dial ton, corvts, denys,du-douche,"u're dumb", chorizo & queso. andy-"flagellum".2 d 4 pollas- M.P., N.D.T., K.F., G.E.-"it feels so good",bumpin 2 d gamz, 'otro pollo",duhd, nevermnd! T.J., sothwstrn, taco bel, "mensa". K.F.'s "baby!" "pho life", julian w/M.P. cherry "u're cheap"sky-"U're grouchy", d nite of Joy's prty, "oh god" G.E.,"I don't wanto b gab" E.H. d boyw/d big mouth.gingerbread house. C.M. smr of '95", G.B good lck w/O.T. 2 nova & ermie, morning "hi" S.U.F.-"skinheads", padre gme, hmcmin of '94. good lck 2 all! we're outta here! **STNR CHICKS RULE!!**

**Gaby:** 1st of all, I would like 2 thank my parents & Jeannette. 4 all their supprt & luv. "your mom ls your only true best friend" thnks 4 helping me realize that Claudia! I love you mom & dad!  
**TONY.** you were always there 4 me in my times of need.thanks 4 loving & understanding me. special day-july 1st, 1994 & sepl. 16th,1994-i'll never forgett! unforgettable memories: 4th of July, dtchn, disneyland, mammoth, L.A., Julian, T.J., d beach, J st., coronado, mt. helix, E st., sunset cliffs, zoo, sea world, mission beach, colte shop in coronado, u're uncles truck, going fast, you & you reggae "black roses", flying, mlsion 2 jamul, sunshine, E-Z, nevermind-d-d, and Oct. 16th,1995.I Lova You, Papas!!



*Hector F. Romero*

*Tus papas y toda familia se sienten muy orgullosos de ti y te deseamos de corazon un brillante futuro en tu vida*

*Felicidades,  
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Sammy,

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We thank you, Sammy, for allowing us to be part of your school life and for sharing some of those memories. We are very proud of you and know that you will continue to meet whatever challenges you may face in your continuing education and in everyday life.



WE LOVE YOU AND CONGRATULATE YOU ON YOUR GRADUATION!

Dad, Mom, and Anissa



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Way to go G.B.!!

Luis Rodriguez  
Felicidades por tu graduacion.  
Admiramos y nos sentimos muy orgullosos  
por tu gran espiritu de superacion.  
Con carino tus papas,  
Alfonso y Xochit  
y hermanas  
Mely y Gaby

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## Haydee and Nadia

Su padre y yo nos sentimos orgullosos de ustedes hijitas, que Dios Las bendiga y guie sus pasos.

Estamos tan felices que hallan terminado sus estudios de preparatoria: damos gracias a Dios y lo que mas deceamos sus padres es que sigan estudiando hasta terminar una carrera professional lo que ustedes mas les guste.

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Crusaders, know that what we do now will have an effect tomorrow, so that we will then do our best at all times; and the best will make a positive and glowing contribution to ourselves and the people around us.

Treasure the memories of your years at Marian Catholic; return to your book often to relive the many traditions of which you played a major part. Remember the friends, the fun and the family.

On behalf of the entire yearbook staff of the Gauntlet, we all hope that every Marian Catholic Alumni will **live happily ever after...**

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