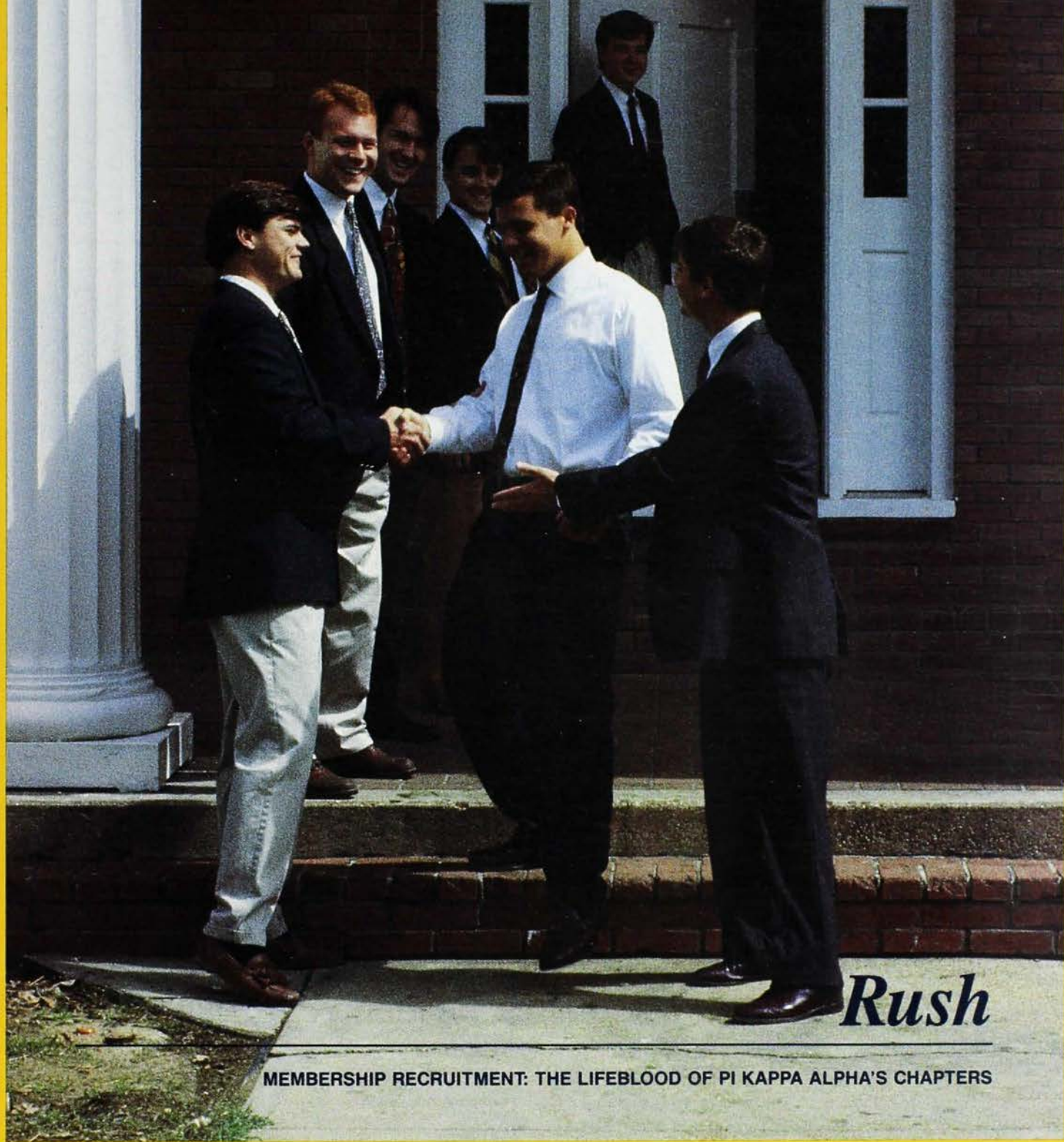


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# *An Invitation to the 1993 Officers Leadership Academy*

Dear Brothers,

The 1993 Officers Leadership Academy is scheduled for Friday, July 23 through Tuesday, July 27 at Memphis State University.

The Academy is Pi Kappa Alpha's most comprehensive leadership and education program, specifically designed to assist the top officers and advisors of our undergraduate chapters. The Academy will feature seminars and workshops from the best presenters in the Fraternity world. The faculty includes Pi Kappa Alpha national officers and staff along with nationally renowned speakers. The focus of this year's Academy will be on leadership training, chapter programs and a variety of social issues, including risk management and cultural diversity. In addition to leadership training, there will be workshops for chapter officers and advisors and personal development seminars to help our members prepare for life after college.

However, the Officers Leadership Academy is more than just educational sessions. The Academy provides undergraduates and advisors a chance to meet hundreds of brothers and national officers from all over the country. Two of the most important parts of the Academy are the open exchange of ideas between men from different chapters and the chance to talk about special situations one-on-one with national officers. This will be facilitated by social activities including a reception at the Memorial Headquarters and the National Awards Banquet.

This year's Academy will be the sixth since the program was restarted in 1983 after a brief hiatus. Every Academy has improved upon the previous ones, and this year should prove no exception. Please plan to attend the Officers Leadership Academy, for if you do, you'll gain the knowledge to make your chapter excellent. This, in turn, will give your members the best Fraternity experience possible.

Fraternally,

*Kevin E. Virta*  
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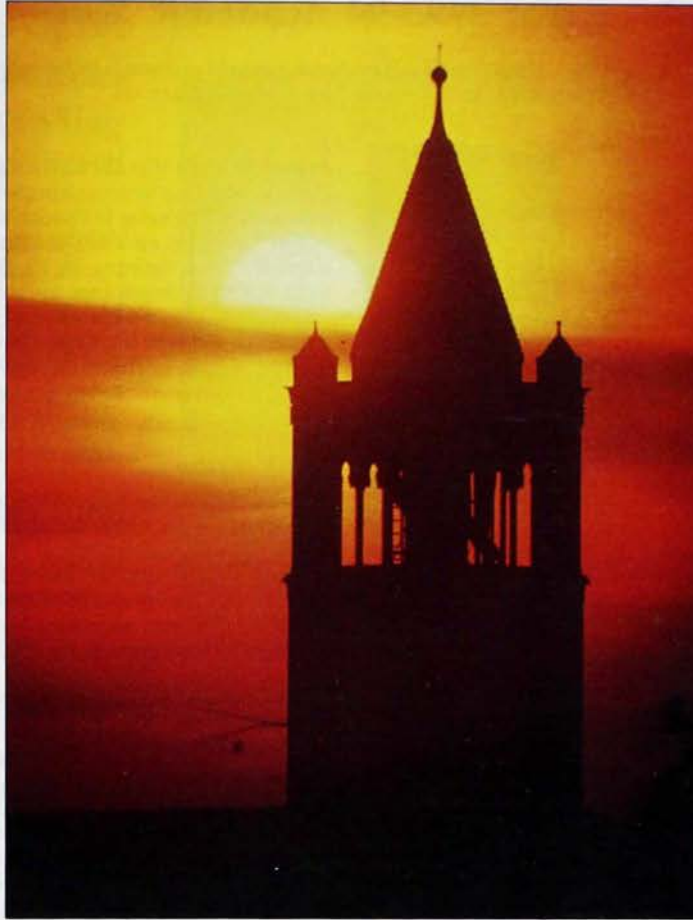
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*Rush is a top priority for Gamma Iota Chapter at the University of Mississippi. Alumni and undergraduates alike participate in the ongoing process of membership recruitment. Stories on pages 12 & 14. Photo by Sandra H. Newsom.*

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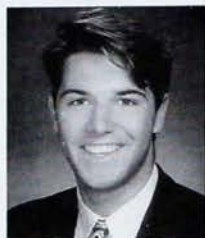
## Chapter Consultant Corps Announced For 1993-94 Academic Year

Executive Vice President Raymond L. Orians is proud to announce the hiring of six new chapter consultants for the 1993-94 academic year:



**Joseph P. Egan** (*Eta Phi '89*) is a graduate of the University of Central Florida, where he received a bachelor of science degree in business administration, majoring in finance. Egan served his chapter as president and vice president, each for two terms. He also served as scholarship chairman and athletic chairman. At the 1992 National Convention in Phoenix, Egan was an undergraduate member of the nominating committee.

On campus, Egan was a university ambassador and IFC secretary. He is a member of Order of Omega, Omicron Delta Kappa Leadership Society and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society.



**Hap H. Deneen** (*Iota Kappa '90*) graduated from the University of California, Santa Barbara with a bachelor of arts degree in both communication studies and political science.

Deneen was active in his chapter, having served as president, vice president and rush chairman. He was twice honored by Iota Kappa as Officer of the Year. Deneen served the National Fraternity as chairman of the membership committee at the 1992 National Convention.



**Kevin T. Wampler** (*Theta Upsilon '89*) received a bachelor of science degree in political science from Tennessee Tech University and is halfway toward receiving his MBA from the same institution.

While an undergraduate, Wampler was president and vice president of his chapter. He was also involved on campus, having served as a student government association senator for two years and as a supreme court justice. Wampler is a member of Mortar Board, Omicron Delta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. He was on the dean's list every term as an undergraduate.



**E. Michael Hoadley** (*Beta Eta '88*) received a bachelor's degree in business administration, majoring in finance, from the University of Illinois.

Hoadley served his chapter as executive vice president and public relations chairman. He also served the Midwest Region as regional vice president.

On campus, Hoadley was active in Rho Epsilon, a real estate and investment honorary society. He was both president and vice president of Rho Epsilon.



**Bradley S. McLaughlin** (*Gamma Omicron '89*) is a graduate of Ohio University where he received a bachelor's degree in business administration, majoring in accounting and business pre-law.

McLaughlin served his chapter as president, vice president and pledge educator. He served the National Fraternity as an undergraduate member of the nominating committee at the 1992 National Convention. On campus, McLaughlin was active in IFC and was a member of the student alumni board. He is a member of Order of Omega, Omicron Delta Kappa and Mortar Board.



**Todd W. Ross** (*Epsilon Gamma '89*) is a graduate of Texas Tech University where he received a bachelor of science degree majoring in political science.

Ross served his chapter as SMC, pledge educator and Pikefest chairman. Ross was his chapter's delegate to the 1992 National Convention where he served as chairman of the credentials committee. Ross was active in his community with youth athletics officiating youth football and baseball.

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## Chapter Notes

### Chapters Wrap Up 1992-93 Academic Year With Strong Finish

*In order to have news published in Chapter Notes, chapters must be current in their payments to the General Fund and the Risk Management Fund.*

#### **I** IOTA CHAPTER *Hampden-Sydney*

Iota was a visible presence on the Hampden-Sydney campus. Porter Banister was student body president and five members of the chapter served on the student body honor court. J. Ellsworth Summers was chairman of the Good Men Good Citizens community service organization. Yates Clagett was vice chairman of the GMGC and Matt Malone was secretary/treasurer of GMGC. The chapter also had a number of brothers playing on the rugby team and the lacrosse team. Jason Schwandt, Jamie White and Morgan Wilson were members of various honor societies due to their outstanding scholastic record.

In March, the chapter sent out a listing of its Greek Week activities. An update form was attached for alumni to return to the chapter and the response was excellent.

#### **AZ** ALPHA ZETA CHAPTER *Arkansas*

Alpha Zeta began the spring semester in strong fashion. Pikes had a number of the high grades in the Greek system and had several brothers in prominent leadership positions. John Gimenez was elected chairman of Celebrity Showcase. Chapter members Chris Dumont and Linc Darrow worked the security and staging respectively for the Celebrity Showcase. Pat Newberry was vice president of Order of Omega and Rich Waddell was treasurer of the Order of Omega. John Inthavongsa won Outstanding New Greek Council Chairman. Newberry was also recipient of the chapter's Blake Schultz Award which is presented to the outstanding graduating senior.

A fundraising drive was organized to renovate parts of the chapter house. Any alumni interested in helping (manpower or otherwise) may contact the chapter at (501) 521-0382.

In community service, the chapter continued the PiKA/Alpha Delta Pi Whiffle Ball World Series for the Arkansas Children's Hospital and the PiKA/Kappa Kappa Gamma Easter Egg Hunt which was at a child day care center.

#### **AΘ** ALPHA THETA CHAPTER *West Virginia*

During Greek Week in April, Alpha Theta



Iota Chapter brothers in Room 50 of Cushing Hall at Hampden-Sydney, the site of Pi Kappa Alpha's refounding. A plaque commemorating the event can be seen in the rear.

was awarded the Joe Gluck Award as the most outstanding chapter on the WVU campus for 1992. The chapter also received the award for Best Leadership Development and placed third in the overall Greek Week standings. The chapter also had the fourth best GPA at WVU for the fall semester.

#### **AK** ALPHA KAPPA CHAPTER *Missouri-Rolla*

Alumni relations was an area that the men of Alpha Kappa focused on during the spring semester. In February the chapter held a dinner for local alumni. In March the chapter held Founders Day and May 1-2 the chapter held an alumni golf tournament.

The chapter used the annual St. Patrick's Day and Greek Week festivities to aid the rush program. Alpha Kappa also sent rush brochures with reply cards to recruits and made phone calls and visits to prospects.

Community service has also been a major objective of the chapter. Alpha Kappa raised money to help the American Diabetes Association and collected clothes to donate to the LOVE program in Rolla. Highway clean-ups and Rolla clean-ups have also been done by the chapter to preserve the environment.

Terry Chevalier was selected as March's Pike of the Month for Scholastic Success.

#### **AN** ALPHA NU CHAPTER *Missouri-Columbia*

The men of Alpha Nu Chapter have already set the schedule for next fall's Homecoming

festivities. The Homecoming/Alumni Weekend will be October 15-17, 1993. Members of the housing corporation have issued a pledge class challenge in hopes of setting a Homecoming attendance record.

For more information on the challenge, contact Greg Rebman at 314/961-4238. For information on the weekend's activities, contact SMC Jason Alexander at 714/362-0696 (summer) or Alumni Chairman Adam Clark at 314/443-4719 (fall).

#### **AE** ALPHA XI CHAPTER *Cincinnati*

This past February, the Special Olympics Ohio State Basketball Championships were held at the Shoemaker Center on the Cincinnati campus. Twenty members from Alpha Xi earned community service hours by volunteering their time for the event. Pikes helped to keep score, worked concession stands, and ran the skills competitions.

#### **ΑΠ** ALPHA PI CHAPTER *Samford*

Alpha Pi had a spring filled with a variety of activities. The chapter had a very successful Founders Day which was attended by a number of prominent Alpha Pi alumni, including Past National President Andrew H. Knight (1948-50). The chapter also hosted the Dixie Regional Leadership Conference in Birmingham.

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Gamma Sigma Pikes enjoy the thrill of victory with their 22 awards collected at the University of Pittsburgh IFC awards banquet.

## **BD** BETA DELTA CHAPTER *New Mexico*

Beta Delta was the only chapter on the New Mexico campus to improve their scholastic ranking as they moved from ninth place to fifth place. The chapter was represented by two members on IFC. Joel Chenoweth was vice president and Mike Santistevan was treasurer. Steven Hubbs, Terry Verble, Shawn Tanner, and Robert White were varsity cheerleaders for the Lobos.

## **BO** BETA THETA CHAPTER *Cornell*

The Pikes of Beta Theta spent the entire year involved with the community service project known as the Disabled Access Van. The van transported disabled students to and from class, and was provided by disability services at the university, but was totally run and operated by the chapter. Without the van, many disabled students would not have been able to attend class. By the end of the school year, rides were provided to over 60 students and faculty members and 1,000 community service hours were accumulated.

## **BK** BETA KAPPA CHAPTER *Emory*

Beta Kappa's Founders Day was rescheduled for next September. However, the chapter held their annual alumni dinner in April and presented the first David Chaiken Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship, which allows the recipient to live in the house at no expense, is awarded to a brother based on dedication to Pi Kappa Alpha and need. The scholarship fund exceeds \$17,000.

At the Dixie Regional Leadership Conference this past spring, the chapter won awards for its rush and scholarship programs.

Once again Beta Kappa accumulated over 1,000 community service hours through their tutoring program at the Boys and Girls Club of Atlanta. The chapter also raised over \$5,000 for the Leukemia Society.

## **BO** BETA OMICRON CHAPTER *Oklahoma*

Robert Murphy was presented the Carl Albert Award which is the most prestigious award the College of Arts and Sciences offers at Oklahoma. Trey Bregnard was initiated into Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honor Society. Joseph Price and Danny Minton were inducted into the Order of Omega. Minton was also accepted in Disneyland's marching bands, one of the most prominent marching bands in the country.

Jeremy Nikel, a graduating senior, was accepted into flight training upon being commissioned an ensign in the U.S. Navy. He also received an award worth up to \$2,000 from the Daedalian Foundation, a society of professional military aviators.

Beta Omicron once again participated in Sooner Scandals, a song and dance show, with Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority and won third place and the Most Professional Award. The chapter also worked with Pi Beta Phi Sorority during the 5K run for children's medical research.

## **BT** BETA TAU CHAPTER *Michigan*

The newly refounded Beta Tau Chapter sent out its first newsletter in hopes of renewing contacts with alumni.

Community service was also an active part of chapter life at Beta Tau. Projects such as Habitat for Humanity and weekly nursing home visits allowed the chapter to reach its goal of sixty community service hours per man.

Along with Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and

Sigma Nu Fraternity, the chapter placed first in Greek Week. Each member also had the responsibility of being involved in extracurricular activities on campus to keep the PiKA name known in the Michigan community.

Beta Tau gained 19 new members through their open rush program. This was a new concept on campus and other fraternities were seeking Beta Tau's advice on open rush. This served as an excellent form of Greek relations.

## **GO** GAMMA OMICRON CHAPTER *Ohio*

Gamma Omicron earned the Academic Achievement Award for the fourth year in a row by maintaining a 2.98 cumulative GPA. This was the highest among Ohio's 17 fraternities.

A total of 180 alumni participated in the four alumni events Gamma Omicron sponsored this school year. Former National President Gary E. Menchhofer and sixty alumni returned in the fall to celebrate the chapter's fifth anniversary since its refounding. Homecoming and the annual housing corporation phone-a-thon were also well attended by alumni and active members. At the March Founders Day meeting, the active chapter donated \$500 to the continuing house fund drive.

The chapter tallied 1,800 community service hours. Big Brothers/Big Sisters was the benefactor of much of the chapter's community service efforts.

Six Pikes were inducted into Omicron Delta Kappa and three were initiated into Order of Omega. The seven Pikes in Order of Omega gave PiKA the largest representation on campus.

Gamma Omicron won the IFC's sports trophy for the third time in five years.

## **GS** GAMMA SIGMA CHAPTER *Pittsburgh*

The Pikes of Gamma Sigma Chapter enjoyed an extraordinary evening at the University of Pittsburgh Interfraternity Council Awards Banquet. For the first time, a fraternity at Pitt placed in each of the three major categories: All Sports, the Cathedral Award for the best overall fraternity and Greek Week. Gamma Sigma placed first, second, and fourth respectively in the above categories.

Other chapter highlights during the evening included Steve Donofoe being named Greek Man of the Year, Robert Rae being selected as Greek Advisor of the Year, and Greg Wilson being named Greek Alumnus of the Year.

## **GY** GAMMA UPSILON CHAPTER *Tulsa*

In February, Gamma Upsilon was the host chapter for the Arkoma Regional Leadership Conference. Mark Luitwieler was elected regional vice president for next year's conference.

Also in February, the chapter held its annual Founders Day celebration. The banquet featured ABC Television Producer Jimmie Baker and former football great Glenn Dobbs

as keynote speakers. Over 65 alumni gathered to celebrate 125 years of Pi Kappa Alpha.

In March, the chapter held their annual Pikefest. This week-long event included a mixer with Delta Delta Delta Sorority, the World Series of Kickball Tournament, and a Red Cross blood drive. All proceeds from the kickball tournament were donated to Big Brothers and Sisters of Tulsa.

## **ΓΧ GAMMA CHI CHAPTER** **Oklahoma State**

The men of Gamma Chi reached a new level of campus involvement with John Trebilcock's election as Student Government Association President for 1993-94. Also, a chapter house tradition was continued as Chris Carroll became the third OSU Pike to be selected as the school mascot, "Pistol Pete".

The Pikes won the all-Greek and all-university wrestling competition and placed second in intramural softball.

## **ΔΑ DELTA ALPHA CHAPTER** **George Washington**

For the past two years, the men of Delta Alpha consistently had the largest pledge class on campus and the highest GPA of all GWU fraternities. During this same period of time, the chapter also won the fraternity sports cup.

## **ΔΓ DELTA GAMMA CHAPTER** **Miami-Ohio**

March 27th was the chapter's first Dad's Day in three years. Close to 40 dads showed up for the event and solidified the day as a new chapter tradition.

Delta Gamma's spring formal was in April at Keeneland Park Race Track in Lexington, Kentucky. At the formal, Jen Harrison was selected Dream Girl.

The Pike's basketball team finished second. Pike athletics finished in the top ten on the Miami campus. The chapter also used its athletic ability to aid its philanthropy as the chapter golf tournament raised money for the Ryan Finley Memorial Fund.

The end of the school year marked the end of Delta Gamma Housemother Donna Churchman's 23 year career. She retired to spend more time with her family. The chapter created the Donna Churchman Fund as a show of appreciation upon her retirement.

## **ΔΔ DELTA DELTA CHAPTER** **Florida Southern**

The men of Delta Delta appeared well on their way to a second consecutive all sports championship. They won the flag football championship, the volleyball championship, and the softball championship.

This past semester the men of Delta Delta pledged thirteen more men than the previous year and earned the Gold Rush 2000 Award.

The chapter maintained its commitment to alumni. During the semester, the chapter



Doug Purdy (right), IMC of Theta Xi Chapter at East Texas State University, receives a certificate of appreciation from Lt. Roger Huffman of the Commerce Department of Public Safety. Lt. Huffman also serves as chapter advisor for Theta Xi.

ushered a benefit dinner organized by Larry E. Stahl (Delta Delta '67).

SMC Ron Difava won the Mr. Greek contest for the second year in a row and was Alpha Chi Omega Sorority's chapter sweetheart. Todd Michaud was Alpha Delta Pi Sorority's chapter sweetheart. Delta Delta Chapter won the Order of Omega Philanthropic Award as a result of its community service efforts, including the annual bounce-a-thon, which involved chapter members dribbling a basketball from Lakeland to Clearwater for the benefit of the Leukemia Foundation.

## **ΔΕ DELTA XI CHAPTER** **Indiana**

Delta Xi has already made plans for next year's homecoming activities. The festivities will be October 8-10. Plans for the weekend include a tailgate party before the Indiana/Iowa football game, a pig roast, and a banquet. For additional information contact Brian Fuertges at 219/267-8566.

## **ΔΧ DELTA CHI CHAPTER** **Nebraska-Omaha**

Delta Chi did it again. For the second consecutive year, the chapter received an "Excellent" rating from the National Fraternity.

It was a busy semester for the Pikes of UNO. Things were kicked off with Founders Day and the 41st Anniversary Formal. Next up for Delta Chi was the First Annual Great Plains Regional Olympics. Schools participating in the event were UNO, the University of Nebraska-Kearney, and the University of Northern Iowa. Delta Chi was victorious in football and softball, as well as taking the overall Olympic trophy. UNO thanks UNI and Kearney for taking part in the Olympics.

In community service, the chapter co-hosted an Easter egg hunt with a local radio station. 70 children from the community were able to hunt for eggs and get their finger prints done by Child Watch, an identification organization for missing children. The Pikes also participated in the UNO Athletic Blood Drive.

To better its campus relations, Delta Chi organized its First Annual Faculty Administration Breakfast.

## **ΔΟ DELTA OMICRON CHAPTER** **Drake**

The brothers of Delta Omicron were leading the race for the Voltmer intramural trophy as the school year drew to a close. The chapter also hosted its third annual "sPIKEfest," a charity 3-on-3 volleyball tournament, to raise money for the Iowa Arthritis Foundation.

Sean McCaffrey and Brian Erling served on IFC as secretary and scholarship chair, respectively.

The chapter's alumni association, spearheaded by graduate brother Jeff Glasheen, found early success. Two events were held during the Drake Relays, and plans were underway for a summer golf tournament in Chicago.

## **ΕΓ EPSILON GAMMA CHAPTER** **Texas Tech**

Epsilon Gamma started the spring semester by initiating 28 men and pledging 27 more men for the spring. The chapter had the largest spring pledge class due to an outstanding rush program led by Spring Rush Captain Omar Munir.

Several members of Epsilon Gamma received awards from IFC for their contributions and achievements. Fall 1993 Rush Director Benji

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The Brothers of Theta Upsilon Chapter at Tennessee Tech University chose Adopt-A-Highway as their community service project.

Nickens received the recruitment and retention award from the Southern Area Conference and the Mid-American IFC Conference. Lance Roussarie received an appreciation award for developing an alcohol policy that is used by the entire Texas Tech Greek system.

The chapter was also an active member of the community. Epsilon Gamma devoted much of its efforts toward the Lubbock Boys Club. The 20th annual Pikefest raised money for the Chatman Memorial Center, a medical center for low income families, and the Lubbock Summer Youth Camperships, a day camp for underprivileged children. Joe Gibson and Todd Ross, along with minority organizations on campus, organized multi-cultural projects to help break down any racial barriers that may exist on campus.

## EA EPSILON LAMBDA CHAPTER *Murray State*

During Spring 1993, community service, athletics, and campus involvement were at the heart of Epsilon Lambda's list of activities. Events this past semester included a collection drive for the American Heart Association. An Easter egg hunt was sponsored by the chapter

to benefit a local elementary school, and Epsilon Lambda also allotted two weekends to help a local preschool rebuild its playground and renovate its interior.

Campus involvement was strong for the chapter this semester. Three members were initiated into the Order of Omega. The chapter also helped the Racer Club distribute refreshments at the halftime of a Racer basketball game.

The volleyball team was 6-0 as it won the regular season championship.

## EO EPSILON OMEGA CHAPTER *East Central*

The spring semester began in award winning style for Epsilon Omega. The chapter received Greek awards for community service and campus involvement. The All-Greek Male Award was presented to Past SMC Russell Money-penny for excellence in school related activities. At the Arkoma Regional Leadership Conference, the chapter took home awards in the areas of scholarship and rush.

86 guests attended Epsilon Omega's Founders Day which consisted of a scramble golf tournament with a reception and banquet.

Three Pikes were elected to BACCUS, an organization that stresses that college students make responsible choices. Rob Hance was elected president, while Rich Hawk and Drew Smith were elected vice president and treasurer respectively. Community Service Chairman Kevin Walls led the "Coats for Kids" benefit in conjunction with the Salvation Army.

## ZB ZETA BETA CHAPTER *Delta State*

Brian Henry, a senior pre-med student, won the regional "Tough Man" competition held in Greenville, Mississippi. He will compete in the world competition in Atlantic City at the Trump Plaza.

Zeta Beta collected over \$800.00 for the American Heart Association and over \$600.00 for the United Way.

## ZT ZETA GAMMA CHAPTER *Eastern Illinois*

The Pikes of Zeta Gamma at Eastern Illinois University were in first place in intramurals with only track remaining on the athletic schedule.

The chapter was contending for the university's risk management award after the chapter implemented a series of dry functions.

Alumni relations prospered as the chapter held another successful Founders Day brunch and awards ceremony. Another edition of the chapter's alumni newsletter, *The Link*, was also published.

## ZM ZETA MU CHAPTER *Idaho*

The chapter participated in the Adopt-A-Stream program and the U of I crosswalk program for school children.

Scholastically, the Pikes of Zeta Mu ranked fifth out of 20 fraternities.

## ZΠ ZETA PI CHAPTER *South Florida*

Zeta Pi pledged 15 men during the spring. This was the largest number of pledges amongst the 16 fraternities at USF.

The chapter's new group of initiated brothers included baseball players Andy Neff and Jody Brown. Pikes were represented in student government by Chris Schlefstein and Ryan Kelly. Jim Gaffney was an IFC representative and Bill Reid was a member of the USF cheerleading team. Dimitri Zaronias led the academic achievements of the new brothers with a 4.0 GPA.

## ZP ZETA RHO CHAPTER *North Dakota*

The 25th anniversary of Zeta Rho was held in February. Great Plains Regional President Felix Schumburg and Supreme Council Vice President Dan McGehee were in attendance at the celebration.

Community service continued to be important to the chapter with the implementation of new programs, including Adopt-A-Highway and weekly visits to the humane society. The chapter also volunteered their time to the Park Place Retirement Home and the YMCA Little Brothers and Little Sisters Program.

Renovations were done to the dining room thanks to the support of generous alumni. Those contributing to the renovations will have their name etched on a plaque.

## ΘΔ THETA DELTA CHAPTER *Francis Marion*

Theta Delta held the first annual Stephen Cooper Two-on-Two Basketball Tournament. The chapter was able to put \$200.00 in the scholarship honoring Stephen Cooper, who passed away last year.

Theta Delta Chapter Advisor Alan Deaver stepped down as advisor after 12 years of leadership. The chapter extends its thanks to Brother Deaver for his dedication and service to Pi Kappa Alpha. Donald Baucom is the new chapter advisor.

## ΘΝ THETA NU CHAPTER *Baylor*

Monthly highway clean-ups and an all-university blood drive with Delta Tau Delta Fraternity occupied much of Theta Nu's community service schedule during the spring.

Baylor Pikes were very active on campus. Theta Nu had five brothers in national business fraternities and two brothers in student government. On the varsity playing field, six Pikes were on the football team and Pikes were represented on the baseball, basketball, and golf teams.

This year Theta Nu reorganized its Judicial Review Council. This council focused on solving internal and external problems in the chapter. This board has received chapter-wide support and has been a strong public relations tool for dealing with other campus organizations.

## ΘΞ THETA XI CHAPTER *East Texas State*

Theta Xi was honored by the Crime Prevention Coalition and the Commerce Police Department for their service to the community on behalf of McGruff the Crime Dog. Members of Theta Xi portrayed McGruff at schools, parades, and various other events that help children realize their part in "taking a bite out of crime." The brothers not only developed an excellent rapport with the Commerce Police Department, it also provided them the opportunity to show Pi Kappa Alpha's commitment to the local community. Deshon Allen, Derek Funderburk and Cody Stewart were instrumental in the portrayal of McGruff.

## ΘΦ THETA PHI CHAPTER *Wichita State*

The Pikes of Wichita State began the semester



Theta Phi Chapter's new chapter house at Wichita State University.

by acquiring a new housing facility. Renovations to the new structure were expected to be completed by June. This new facility was the result of much hard work from the active chapter and the alumni association. The alumni association helped raise \$30,000.00 for the down payment and helped organize both the housing corporation and the alumni advisory board.

Aside from their housing activities, the chapter remained committed to serving the community. Big Brothers & Big Sisters matched 20% of the chapter with little brothers. Theta Phi raised money for the program through the annual bowling classic and pumpkin toss. The chapter also continued its support of the Adopt-A-Highway Program.

Parents became more involved with Theta Phi during the past year. Money was raised for a trophy case and landscaping as a result of better communication with the parents of chapter members.

## ΙΑ IOTA ALPHA CHAPTER *Wyoming*

The Pikes put on the Third Annual Pi Kappa Alpha Fight Night in April. The event benefited the fight against Multiple Sclerosis.

## ΙΗ IOTA ETA CHAPTER *Nevada-Reno*

Ever since Iota Eta was founded in 1988, the chapter has worked to carve a considerable niche on the UNR campus. In academics the chapter was ranked third on campus. Iota Eta was the largest chapter on campus. Pat Ronan was elected vice president of the Associated Students of the University of Nevada, while Derek Gould and Larry Hill were elected senators for their particular major.

Iota Eta was also a very community-oriented chapter. Some of the chapter's regular duties included campus neighborhood clean-ups,

volunteering for the Ronald McDonald House, and the Adopt-A-Highway program.

In February the chapter hosted their first regional leadership conference. Iota Eta's Chapter Advisor Michael Herschbach was named regional advisor of the year.

## ΙΘ IOTA THETA CHAPTER *California Polytechnic*

Once again, the men of Iota Theta were actively involved in campus leadership. Serving on the board of directors for their respective schools were Hunt Coleman Turner, George Ehara, and John Lew. Shawn Reeves served his third term as vice president of finance for Associated Students Incorporated. Bassel Anber was ASI vice president of operations. Joel DeYoung was Cal Poly's Greek relations coordinator.

Iota Theta continued to be highly visible on campus. Not only did brothers compete at the intercollegiate level, they also garnered numerous awards. Chris Corona, Todd Henry, and Joe Korngieble were selected to the all-California Collegiate Athletic Association Soccer Team. Mark Nielsen and Steve Arnott played at the number one and number three positions respectively, on the tennis team. Matt Clawson was selected to the all-CCAA basketball team. Jim Varellos competed at the Division II National Swimming Championships.

In rush, the chapter pledged 18 men after extending 19 bids, the top number on campus.

## ΙΙ IOTA IOTA CHAPTER *Michigan State*

Iota Iota initiated six brothers on April 22, 1993.

The Alumni/Parents Day banquet held in early March was a tremendous success, with over 130 people attending this event.

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# Coast to Coast with Pi Kappa Alpha

*USC and Johns Hopkins Are Home To PiKA's Latest Charterings*

In April, Pi Kappa Alpha welcomed two new chapters into the fold and proved that Pi Kappa Alpha's expansion program is committed to chartering chapters at quality institutions across the country. One of these chapters reclaimed Pi Kappa Alpha's place on campus after a 21 year absence. The other chapter put Pi Kappa Alpha on the campus map only a year after its colonization.

## **Gamma Eta Chapter University of Southern California**

On Friday evening April 16, ceremonies were underway for the rechartering of Gamma Eta Chapter at the University of Southern California. The initiations lasted well into early Saturday morning as 80 men were initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha. National President Tommy Turner, Director of Expansion Steve Vincent, Golden West Regional President Tony Leoni, and former Chapter Advisor Colonel Kermit J. Silverwood presided over the ceremonies. Also in attendance were representatives from Iota Pi Chapter at the University of California-Los Angeles, Iota Kappa Chapter at the University of California-Santa Barbara, Iota Epsilon Chapter at California State University-Long Beach, Zeta Omicron Chapter at California State University-Northridge, and Theta Eta Chapter at Loyola Marymount University.

The new initiates and national officers gathered with numerous other guests on Saturday evening for the charter celebration banquet at the Double Tree Hotel in Marina Del Rey. Over 250 people

were in attendance as Chapter Advisor John Arabia received a standing ovation for his hard work with the new chapter and National President Turner delivered a moving speech on heroism. Following his speech, National President Turner was presented with a statue of the school mascot, Tommy Trojan, by former Colony President Curtis Kin.

Upon presenting the statue, Kin said the statue "symbolizes the impossible accomplishments that the brothers of Gamma Eta have achieved."

## **Gamma Eta's History**

Gamma Eta originally arrived on the USC campus in 1926. The chapter fell silent in 1972 and remained dormant until October 1991 when colonization efforts began. By November 1991 Expansion Associate Chris Vining and Services Associate Jonathan Homeyer had recruited 65 men. The colony eventually became the second largest fraternity on campus. The colony maintained its outstanding membership numbers by having one of the largest pledge classes each semester since Gamma Eta's return to campus. The Pikes of USC have maintained impressive numbers while rushing only those individuals that reflect the qualities of Pi Kappa Alpha.

As for Gamma Eta's status in the classroom, the Pikes have achieved the second highest grade point average amongst all fraternities for the last three semesters. Most recently, the chapter accumulated a semester GPA of 3.12.

In their short time on the USC campus, the Pikes have also established themselves as campus leaders. Members of Gamma Eta have served as resident advisors, campus tour guides, student senators, members of the varsity football and baseball teams, members of Phi Beta Kappa and Mortar Board societies, IFC representatives, and as participants on the Homecoming Court.

On the playing field the Pikes placed sixth out of twenty-four fraternities in the year-long Ironman Competition, with impressive wins in football and swimming. Gamma Eta also placed second in the Delta Gamma Anchor Splash swimming competition.

Continuing Pi Kappa Alpha's tradition as gentlemen, the Pikes were awarded the Interfraternal Spirit Award. The award is given annually to the fraternity or sorority which best demonstrates excellent relations within the Greek system. The award is voted on by all USC fraternities and sororities. Gamma Eta also took third place in the Annual Greek Week competition.

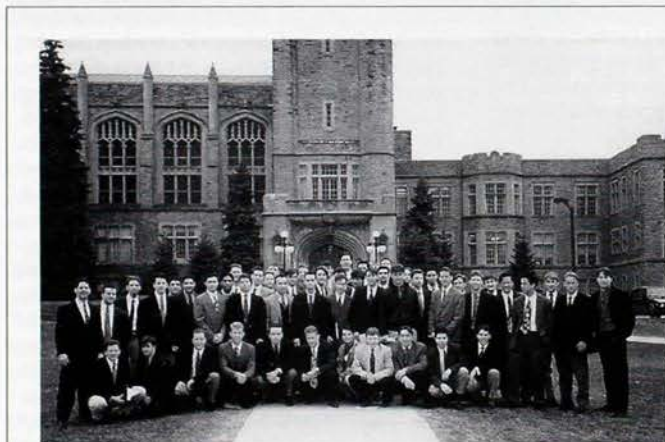
Realizing the need to extend their efforts beyond the campus environment, Gamma Eta accumulated over 1200 community service hours during the last year and a half.

## **USC's History**

The University of Southern California was founded in 1880 in Los Angeles as a private institution for higher learning by Robert Widney. At the time of its founding, USC had an enrollment of 50 students. Today, the university has an enrollment of 27,000 students, of which 13,500 are undergraduates.

USC boasts a rich academic heritage and strong alumni support, known as the "Trojan Family." Many of USC's academic programs rank within the top ten in the nation. The university consists of 18 professional schools, more than any other school in the nation.

USC has also gained national prominence for its excellence in sports. USC athletics have won more NCAA titles than any university in the nation.



Members of Pi Kappa Alpha's colony at the University of Western Ontario.

## **PiKA Goes International**

After 21 years, Pi Kappa Alpha returned north of the border into Canada in March for a colonization at the University of Western Ontario.

Expansion Consultant Steve Heck and Chapter Consultant Jeff Brown successfully recruited UWO's most outstanding men, including a number of campus leaders and fifteen varsity athletes. Only in its second month of existence, the colony ranks fifth in size in a Greek system with 20 fraternities.

The colony is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha's Great Lakes Region.

## Iota Tau Chapter The Johns Hopkins University

On Friday evening, April 9, 66 members of the Johns Hopkins' colony were initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha. This was the start of the weekend's events which led the 66 men from their last day as a colony to their first day as Iota Tau Chapter. The initiations were done by Supreme Council Vice President Andy Morse, Founders Regional President Russell Alexander, Director of Expansion Steve Vincent, members from Delta Alpha Chapter at George Washington University and Iota Rho Chapter at St. Joseph's University, as well as a group of area alumni led by Chapter Advisor Jim Van Horn.

Despite the late night and early morning as a result of eight hours of initiations and a Saturday morning session on the Ritual, there was no sign of fatigue at Saturday night's installation banquet at the Marriott Hotel at Baltimore's Inner Harbor. Morse delivered the keynote address at the banquet and Iota Tau was officially chartered as the newest chapter of the Fraternity. Iota Tau presented the Fraternity with a Baltimore Orioles' replica jersey signifying Pi Kappa Alpha's first chapter in the city of Baltimore.

## Iota Tau's History

Late in the fall of 1991 Evan Crook was visiting friends at the University of Central Florida. During this visit, Crook became acquainted with some members of Eta Phi Chapter at UCF, including

### Alumni Park on the USC campus.

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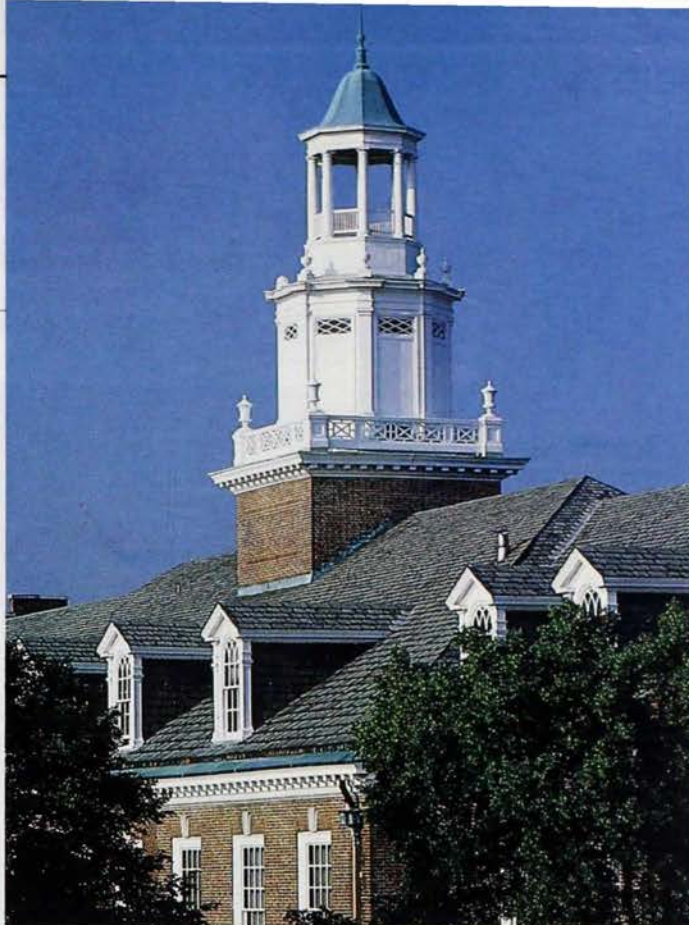
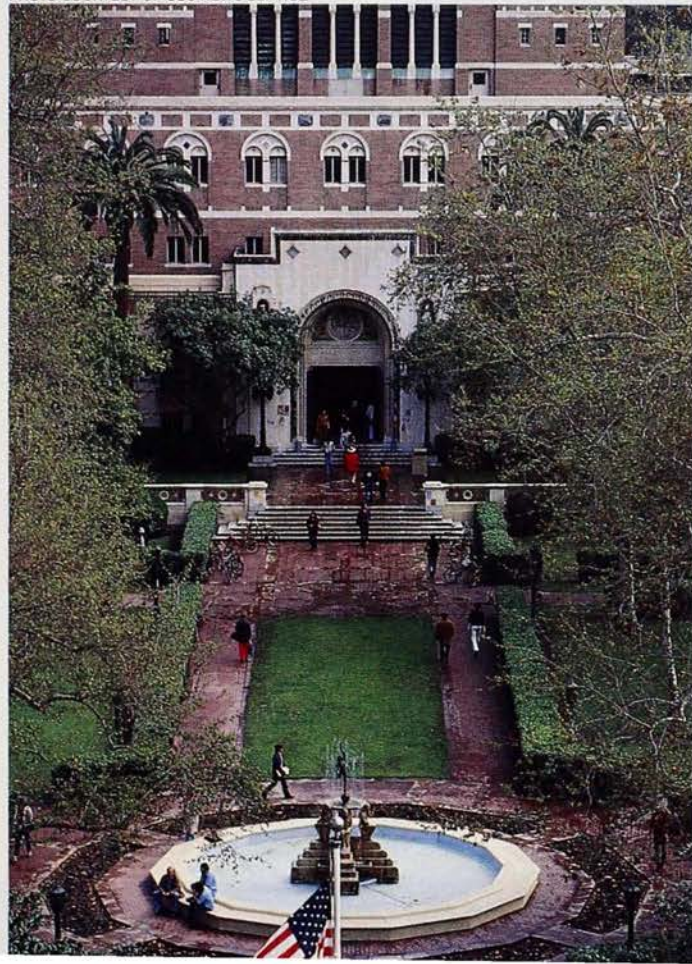


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Gilman Hall at Johns Hopkins University

Penn Wholesapple, who gave Crook the phone number of Director of Expansion Rick Stonerook to talk about possible expansion at JHU. Crook contacted Stonerook and found out that the university had already been investigated for a potential colonization. Crook and Stonerook talked again in February, where Stonerook informed Crook that the colonization would begin in March.

Expansion Associate Chris Davies and Chapter Consultant Paul Snider began the colonization. They offered Crook a bid and proceeded to extend bids to 40 other men. The rush period ended with a retreat organized by members of the Memorial Headquarters Staff.

Since the colonization, the men of Hopkins have operated much like an established chapter. By improving the programs and goals established during the colonization, they made progress towards becoming a chapter. One of the last efforts of the group as a colony was rushing 21 men into the ranks.

Now as Iota Tau Chapter, the Pikes are one of the most recognized groups on campus. Pikes are represented on six of the varsity sports teams and have one of the highest GPAs of fraternities. Iota Tau claims memberships in various academic honor societies as well as holding a number of campus leadership positions.

## Johns Hopkins' History

The Johns Hopkins University was founded in 1875 as a result of funds released from the Will of Johns Hopkins who owned waterfront properties and railroad stock in Baltimore. JHU was a unique institution at the time of its founding. A hospital and university were linked through a school of medicine for the first time. The university's conception also represented a break from American institutions' usual emphasis on undergraduate education.

Realizing that many college students traveled to Europe to pursue graduate degrees, the trustees of Johns Hopkins assembled a graduate program emphasizing research, with a faculty influenced by European graduate programs. Today, Hopkins is the smallest of the first-ranked universities. It has an enrollment of 6,800 graduate and undergraduate students. □

# Securing Pi Kappa Alpha's Place at the Top

## Alumni and Undergraduates Must Answer the Rush Challenge

By Thomas J. Handler (Beta Eta '74)

After 20 years of the *Rushing to Win* program, Pi Kappa Alpha has emerged as the leader among fraternities in chapter membership. The trends of the early '90s, however, indicate that additional measures are warranted if we are to maintain our position and further our objectives.

*Rush 2000* is the two-year membership program adopted by the delegates, at the 1992 Pi Kappa Alpha National Convention. Simply stated, the goal of our Fraternity is to increase undergraduate membership by 2000 men by the time of the 1994 National Convention in order to position Pi Kappa Alpha as the pre-eminent college fraternity. The charge to each of our chapters is to pledge and initiate five additional men over the previous year total for both 1992-1993 and 1993-1994.

As a leader in the Greek system, we have long been known for the success of our undergraduate chapters and quality of our fraternity experience. This success has stemmed in part from our ability to attract and retain the highest number of qualified individuals on a chapter by chapter basis. As the Greek system entered the '90s, however, membership numbers began to decline from the record-setting levels of the 80s. This decline can be attributed to many factors including a difficult economy and institution of deferred rush and rush restrictions by colleges and universities.

In response, our members elected to adopt *Rush 2000* and reverse the trend. This objective can only be accomplished through the focused efforts of our undergraduates with the support and assistance of our alumni members.

### WHAT YOU CAN DO

As an alumnus, you are uniquely situated to assist the rush efforts of our chapters. Your involvement in your business, profession, community, church, or philanthropy will bring you into contact with men worthy of membership in the Fraternity.

Your assistance in keeping your ear to the ground and spotting opportunities can greatly benefit our chapters. When you come across a candidate, telephone or write a rush recommendation to the chapter located at the college he plans to attend. Include as much information on the prospective rushee as possible, including address, telephone number,

qualifications, and interests. The chapter will truly appreciate your help.

Here are some specific ways in which you can make a significant contribution to our rush effort:

#### ★ Learn of prospective rushees:

- Watch the newspapers for honor students, scholarship athletes and leaders.
- Talk to friends, neighbors, and other relatives about their college-age children.
- Contact high school teachers, advisors, and counselors.

#### ★ Encourage candidates to look at the Greek system:

- Explain the importance of the social and leadership educational experience.
- Discuss alumni contacts and their value in getting a job and succeeding in a business venture.
- Share with them your experiences and lifelong friendships.

#### ★ Write rush recommendations (Be sure to identify Pike legacies.

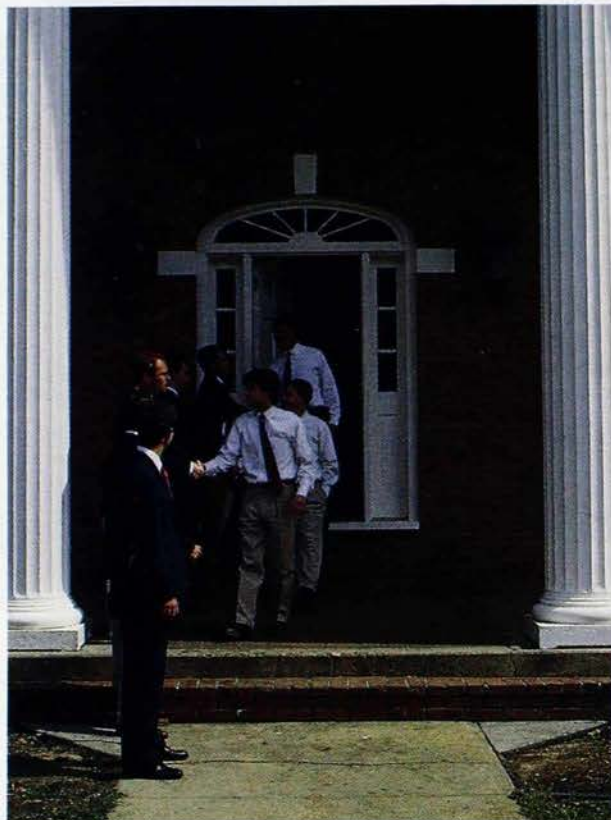


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★ Host a summer rush function for underclassmen and high school seniors (and their parents).

★ Support the undergraduate chapters nearest you.

★ Write letters and voice your opposition to rush restrictions and over-regulation of fraternities by colleges and universities.

★ When you financially support your alma mater or its athletic programs, let them know you are a Pike.

★ Attend a chapter rush function.

Your efforts in any of these ways need only take a few minutes of your time, but can result in lasting benefits for our Fraternity and for those recommended who become Pikes or members of other fraternities.

### THE ROLE OF UNDERGRADUATES

In view of the negative or ambivalent attitudes of some university administrations and the lack of efficacy at rush of most interfraternity councils, our chapters must get aggressive. We can no longer rely on

formal rush and university lists. Open rush or informal rush is now the name of the game. The following steps, if implemented, will make our chapters more competitive and successful in rush.

1. Identify your market, then go and seek out individuals in that market.
2. Contact high school students and encourage them to look at fraternities. Host a high school senior weekend.
3. Consider doing a promotional rush publication.
4. Host your own formal rush.
5. Follow-up with prospective members until they either join Pike or graduate.
6. Rush upperclassmen.
7. Make overall chapter membership numbers and rush goals known to all chapter members. Chart progress and display the results. (e.g., United Way Thermometer).
8. Always be on the alert — rush never sleeps.
9. Solicit your chapter's alumni for rush recommendations.

**Rush 2000** is the National Rush Program aimed at increasing Pi Kappa Alpha's membership across the country. Rush is the lifeblood of all Pi Kappa Alpha chapters. If you know a young man who can both contribute to a chapter and develop himself through the Pi Kappa Alpha experience, we encourage you to fill out this recommendation form and send it to the Director of Services at the Memorial Headquarters, who will see that it is immediately forwarded to the appropriate chapter. We strongly encourage you to recommend legacies, as the consideration of sons, brothers, nephews and grandsons is an important aspect of the Pi Kappa Alpha recruitment process.

# RUSH 2000

## Rush Recommendation:

Attach additional sheet if necessary

☐ This is a legacy recommendation!

RUSHEE'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS: ☐ SOPHOMORE ☐ FRESHMAN

FATHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FRATERNITY AFFILIATION? \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ SORORITY AFFILIATION? \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIVES IN PI KAPPA ALPHA \_\_\_\_\_

RUSHEE'S HIGH SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

ACADEMIC RECORD, HONORS & ACHIEVEMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING SPORTS \_\_\_\_\_

HOBBIES \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that this is only a recommendation, and membership selection into Pi Kappa Alpha is a decision which rests entirely with the individual chapter.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ YOUR CHAPTER & YEAR OF INITIATION \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Director of Services, Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters, 8347 West Range Cove, Memphis, TN 38125

10. Rush during the summer one on one and consider a summer rush event.

General rush awareness will benefit the entire chapter. Educate pledges and initiates on rush techniques and philosophy. Utilize materials from the Headquarters such as rush brochures, manuals and videos. Emphasize the end results of successful rush and get aggressive. Aggressively recruit the best men; aggressively bid and pledge those men; and, aggressively rush to retain and educate the men pledged.

### THE BENEFITS OF FRATERNITY

As we pursue our rush objectives, it is critical that we keep in mind the benefits of membership to undergraduates and alumni. If rushees begin to understand the importance of lifelong friendships and alumni contacts, they will easily be motivated to get involved in the Greek system.

The more immediate benefits, though, are more tangible and perhaps more persuasive. Consequently, focus on these objective of membership as well:

1. Academic support
2. Financial scholarships and assistance

3. Personal development and leadership training opportunities
4. Philanthropic and community involvement
5. Athletic competition
6. Social interaction

If prospective rushees and members understand the short-term and long-term benefits, they are much more likely to seriously consider membership and ultimately join our ranks. Subsequently, they are more likely to be contributing members who can fully benefit from the fraternity experience.

Since its inception, the Greek system has played an important role in helping to educate and train the leaders of our country. Importantly, this educational component, derived in part from social interaction and self-governance, is noticeably lacking from academic education. In this regard, the fraternity experience serves as an adjunct to academic education. Our members have represented us well as political leaders, business leaders, professional athletes, artists and philanthropists in numbers greatly disproportionate to our membership. The viability and continued growth and success of our Fraternity and of the Greek system rests squarely in our hands. It is up to us whether

we will allow others to determine our future or we will dictate our own course. With our alumni and undergraduate members working hand in hand, our future will be certain. With your help, we can be assured that Pi Kappa Alpha will remain a leader among all fraternities in the next century en route to our second 125 years. ☐

**Alumni! Fill out and return the Rush Recommendation Form TODAY!**



Thomas J. Handler serves the Fraternity as National Rush Director, a post he has held since 1982. He is also the principal tax attorney with Handler & Associates in Chicago, Illinois.

# An Open Letter to Alumni and Rush Chairmen

The following letter was written to the Memorial Headquarters by Cary F. Owen, a 1960 initiate of Alpha Gamma Chapter at Louisiana State University.

May 5, 1993

To: Editor, the *Shield & Diamond*

Of the many rush recommendations I have sent in recent years, only one chapter, Iota, stands out in my mind as having replied. When I have raised this issue with undergraduates at regional and national meetings, the discussion inevitably has turned to alumni trying to coerce undergraduates into pledging those they recommend. I wish that during the years when I was chapter advisor at Alpha Gamma, my major problem had been being swamped by rush recommendations.

For these reasons I have written the attached which I hope you can use in an upcoming issue of the *Shield & Diamond*. I believe it is something which needs to be said.

In my 33 years as a member of Pi Kappa Alpha, I have frequently recommended selected young men for rush at various chapters of our Fraternity throughout the United States. It has pleased me to learn that, through my recommendations, and the efforts of individual chapters, several initiations resulted.

In recent years, something has changed. For all I know, the rush recommendations I have sent have fallen down a rabbit hole never again to see the light of day. I could count on the fingers of one hand, with room to spare, the chapters who have acknowledged that they ever reached the rush chairman, let alone that the rushee was contacted. Am I wasting my time? Is a rush recommendation worth the effort? Here are my views on the responsibilities of both the alumni and the active chapter in the rush recommendation process.



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## ALUMNI

By all means send rush recommendations, not only to your own chapter but to others around the nation. If you don't have the chapter address, send them to our Memorial Headquarters. Recommendations are an inexpensive way to help your Fraternity and offer an opportunity to share the benefits of Pi Kappa Alpha with your own sons and those of friends and neighbors. Talk to the young men whom you recommended about your own experiences in Pi Kappa Alpha. Obviously, if the young man arrives on campus with a favorable impression of Pi Kappa Alpha, the local chapter is a step ahead of the competition. You should not, however,

expect the recommendation to result in a pledging. Chapters vary in personality and interest from institution to institution. However outstanding the young man may be, he may simply not fit with the Pike chapter where he is attending school. Once you have made the recommendation, let it be.

## RUSH CHAIRMEN

As soon as you receive a recommendation, acknowledge it. Thank you notes are still considered a common courtesy. The fact that you know enough to send a note says a lot about you and your chapter. Take the time to have someone meet the rushee and give him a favorable impression of Pi Kappa Alpha. Remember that he has a personal stamp of approval of at least one initiated member of the Fraternity and will probably convey his impressions of the Fraternity to that person later. Early rush recommendations give you a head start on the competition. You are under no obligation to pledge the young man, but wouldn't you prefer to have all of your rushees praying to receive a bid from the Pikes? You then have the pick of the best.

The rush recommendation process is an old and valuable tradition. At the very least, the active chapter will learn more about the background and interest of a rushee than would be possible at an early rush function. Through positive reinforcement, recommendations can be a real asset for the active chapter. We have nothing to lose and a lot to gain. Here's wishing each active chapter a pile of recommendations and a rush so successful that it will be the envy of every other fraternity on campus!

Sincerely,

Cary F. Owen  
(Alpha Gamma '60)

## Rush: The Lifeblood of Pi Kappa Alpha's Chapters

Please take some time today and think about the young men you know: young relatives or friends' sons. Perhaps they're graduating from high school this June; maybe they have a year or two left before they leave high school; or maybe they're already in college. Would they be good prospects for Pi Kappa Alpha? Would they benefit from the extra edge and advantages Pi Kappa Alpha can offer? Let us pass your recommendations on to their college or university chapter. Fill in the Rush Recommendation Form on page 13 of this issue, or write a letter of recommendation, and return it to the Director of Services, Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters, 8347 West Range Cove, Memphis, TN 38125. Thank you for your time and support!

## Community Service Accolades

The 1992-93 school year saw Pi Kappa Alpha chapters across the country remain committed to being a positive force in their respective communities. As a result of such dedication, Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters continued to receive letters of commendation from groups and individuals that benefited from the community service of Pi Kappa Alpha.

### EPSILON MU CHAPTER (EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY)

March 18, 1993

To: Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters

I am writing to express this agency's sincere appreciation of the work that the Greenville Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha has done for us over the last year. New Directions is a non-profit organization that shelters and delivers a variety of services to abused women and their children from Pitt County and the surrounding area. The gentlemen from Pi Kappa Alpha have gone beyond our expectations in making our shelter a safe, attractive and comfortable environment for our clients when they are in desperate and often critical need of a home.

I cannot begin to list all of the services that these gentlemen have provided to our agency. A few specific tasks include yard work, organizing and cleaning out several storage sheds, and many hours of caulking, scraping and painting. In fact, I am expecting a group to come to the shelter today to paint a room and put up decorative borders.

I have never witnessed any behavior towards our staff or clients but of understanding and respect. These gentlemen deserve commending on their attitude as well as their investment in the community. The staff and clients express their sincere thanks and applaud the commitment of these young men.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth B. McGlaughlin

Coordinator of Community Education  
Pitt County Family Violence Programs, Inc.

### DELTA OMEGA CHAPTER (HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY)

March 26, 1993

To: Raymond L. Orians  
Executive Vice President  
Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity

Last semester High Point University suffered the loss of a student to an illness. Laury Lynch, a sister of the Gamma Gamma Chapter of the Kappa Delta sorority, died due to complications suffered during an acute asthma attack. The sorority, and the entire campus, went through a great deal of suffering and anger due to the frustration and confusion surrounding Laury's death.

Bike For Breath was an event designed to raise money to be donated both to the Asthma & Allergy Foundation of America and to help create a scholarship fund in our education

department in the name of Laury Lynch. To date, the students involved with Bike For Breath have raised approximately \$8,000, and the donations are still coming in.

There were two main organizations behind the success of Bike For Breath, the Gamma Gamma Chapter of the Kappa Delta Sorority and the Delta Omega Chapter of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Please know that we are very proud of all the brothers of Delta Omega chapter, and that Laury's memory as a sister of Kappa Delta, a Greek and as a student at High Point University has been well honored and remembered. We will continue to keep you informed on our students progress as they work toward their goal of reaching \$10,000.00 in donations.

Respectfully,  
Dave Edwards

Director of Student Activities/IFC Advisor  
High Point University

Amy Morris  
Asst. Dean of Student Life/PHC Advisor  
High Point University

### ETA OMICRON CHAPTER (NORTHEAST LOUISIANA UNIVERSITY)

May 7, 1993

To: Kevin Virta, Executive Director  
Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity

On behalf of the Department of Student Development and the Office of Campus Programs, it is with deep appreciation that I write this letter. Notable heroism and unconditional regard were shown on Northeast Louisiana University's campus by the men of Eta Omicron Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. Two exceptional individuals demonstrated their unselfish regard during a recent incident on our campus. A misfortune befell a six-year old girl when the door of the vehicle in which she was riding opened and she was thrown out onto the pavement. The girl received head and leg injuries. The mother stopped the vehicle and, along with her young son, exited the vehicle. Ben Daily and Chuck Johnson, two outstanding PiKA members, responded promptly. Ben, formerly a trained Emergency Medical Team member and now the athletic trainer for the NLU Indians, reacted to the head injuries immediately. Chuck, an extraordinary student leader on our campus, noticed the emotional young brother. Chuck and fellow-Greek Kent Hughes, a Kappa Alpha Order member, turned their concerns toward the young brother's distress. Another fellow-greek member, Travis War, a Kappa Alpha Order associate, assisted Ben in stopping the blood flow from the small girl's leg. All men remained calm and collected as they awaited the arrival of the paramedics. Even after the medical team's departure with the patient and her mother, the fraternity men assumed responsibility for the young brother until family members could be contacted.

It was an experience for those involved that will not be soon forgotten. We are pleased to say that the young girl is doing fine and has returned home with her family. The mother maintains frequent communication with my office as well as with the fraternities involved. She has expressed her appreciation numerous times, often with great feeling in her voice, toward those heroic men. Ben and Chuck exemplify what Pi Kappa Alpha represents and their efforts should be justly noted.

Sincerely,  
Chris William

Coordinator of Campus Programs  
Northeast Louisiana University

### EPSILON THETA CHAPTER (COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY)

March 6, 1993

To: Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity

I want to commend the "TurnPike" singing group from your chapter at Colorado State University. This group generously sang to our Delta Zeta Sorority alumnae mother-daughter Christmas tea. Not only did they charm the ladies with their songs, but they graciously escorted the ladies to their cars through deep snow! What a fine group of young men.

In turn, as a thank you, we donated money to the school district's hearing impaired children enabling them to go to a winter camp — in the Pike's name.

As a mother of a Pike, I do want to tell you that I am most impressed with the quality of your fraternity.

Sincerely,  
Eva B. Alden  
Fort Collins, Colorado

### ZETA TAU CHAPTER (EASTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY)

April 2, 1993

To: Tommy Turner, National President  
Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity

The Eastern Kentucky University National Alumni Association's Phonathon '93 was a tremendous success!

Members of the local chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha joined more than 400 student volunteers from 24 student organizations who called 30,000 alumni during the five-week telephone campaign to seek support for EKU's Alumni Annual Fund.

Thanks to the superb effort of these volunteers, Phonathon '93 received pledges totaling more than \$137,000. Their effort helped obtain funds for the University at a time of reduced state assistance to higher education.

Thank you for supporting this annual project.

Sincerely,  
Hanly Funderburk  
President  
Eastern Kentucky University  
Alumni Association

# Pi Kappa Alpha's Famous Authors

by Timothy J. McNary

Over the past few years, various members of Pi Kappa Alpha have published books and received recognition for their skills as writers. The following men are just a sample of these Pikes in the literary realm. Copies of their works can be found in the Harvey T. Newell Memorial Library at the Memorial Headquarters.

## Dan Quayle and Company

Vice President Aaron Burr killed Alexander Hamilton in a duel and was indicted for murder while he was still in office. . . Vice President John Breckenridge was charged with treason and forced to leave the United States.

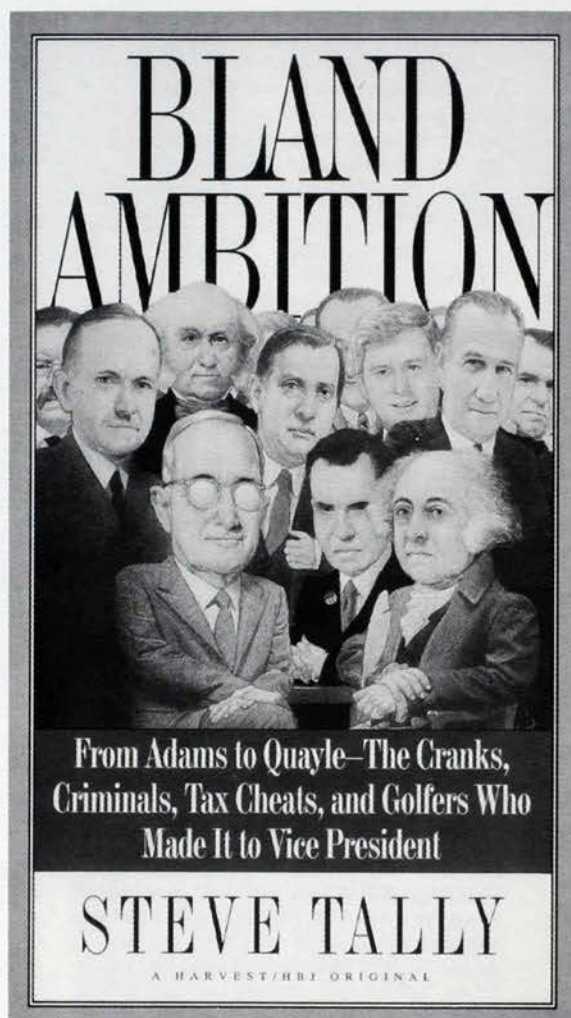
These are just two of the unique, and factual, tales featured in *Bland Ambition*, a historical and humorous look at the men who have served in the office of the vice president.

*Bland Ambition* was released in September 1992, when the last Presidential campaign was in full swing. This book was the first effort of Steve Tally, a 1980 initiate of Theta Omicron Chapter at Indiana State University.

His book was completed prior to the 1988 campaign, but according to Tally, it was not accepted by a publisher until Dan Quayle became vice president and the media began to focus more attention on the nation's second highest office. By now, the book has gone through five printings.

*Bland Ambition* took a year to write as Tally juggled the effort with his full time duties as a science writer at Purdue University. A year of writing is a major commitment, but it doesn't even come close to matching his time spent researching the book. For approximately eight years he visited various libraries, searching for stories of the vice presidents.

Tally earned degrees in chemistry and biology, which seem like remote choices of study for an individual who wishes to become an author. His desire to become a writer was not fueled in the classrooms of Indiana State, however, but rather in the



chapter activities of Theta Omicron. As an undergraduate, Tally was in charge of the active and alumni newsletters for the chapter. He said the experience "was just a blast" and looks back on the newsletters as his most memorable college activity. Tally fulfilled his requirements in chemistry and biology and completed his undergraduate degree, but he made a career decision to forego the laboratory and choose the life of a writer.

Currently, Tally is building on the success of his first book. He is working on a variety of projects including two novels and a screen play, and is considering writing other books on lesser known stories of American history.

But don't count out a future reprise of *Bland Ambition*; Tally said that Vice President Al Gore could be a new chapter for the 1996 edition. In the meantime readers should consider the "warning" that is provided in the preface of the book:

"In America, each girl and boy can grow up to become vice president, and that is just the chance they have to take."

## Where Are They Now?

Like Steve Tally, Larry Colton entered college with other aspirations than writing. Colton, a 1962 initiate of Alpha Sigma Chapter at the University of California-Berkeley, went to Berkeley on a baseball scholarship. Following college he was drafted by the Philadelphia Phillies baseball team. His career was hampered by a shoulder injury and he left professional baseball after the 1970 season.

Following his ball playing days, Colton spent time teaching high school English and pursuing a career as a free lance writer. In 1979, he read *Loose Change*, the story of three California sorority sisters. He was prompted by Steve Radich, a fellow member of Alpha Sigma, to write a book and "tell our side". In 1987, he set out to tell their story and the result was *Goat Brothers*.

The book is the story of five Pikes from Alpha Sigma who attended



Steve Tally  
(Theta Omicron '80)



Larry Colton  
(Alpha Sigma '62)



Phil Gottschalk  
(Alpha Nu '40)



Dan Parkinson  
(Beta Gamma '53)

Berkeley in the early 1960s. In the prologue of *Goat Brothers*, Colton explains what he hoped to accomplish in writing the book.

"I didn't set out to write a social history, or an attack on the women's movement, or an essay on the territory of masculinity. I just needed to tell the stories of five fraternity brothers. I was compelled."

In his research, he had to contact Fraternity brothers with whom he hadn't spoken in 25 years. According to Colton, one of his strengths as writer is "to put people at ease." This was essential in a book that would detail the most intimate lives of the characters depicted. *Goat Brothers* begins with the undergraduate years and proceeds to outline the events surrounding the men's lives for the next 25 years. Two individuals went to Vietnam, another wound up in prison after failing to file tax returns. One Vietnam veteran became an accomplished Navy pilot and later an astronaut on the Challenger space shuttle.

*Goat Brothers* was well publicized when it arrived in bookstores in February, and was reviewed in publications such as *The New York Times* and *The San Francisco Chronicle/Examiner*. An excerpt appeared in *Esquire* magazine.

Colton's latest project has him living in Montana as he writes his second book for Doubleday publishing, *Counting Coup*, which will focus on the impact of high school basketball among the Crow Indians.

## Southern Heritage

Phil Gottschalk's book, *In Deadly Earnest — The Missouri Brigade*, also examines historical events of the 60s: the 1860s. Gottschalk, a 1940 initiate of Alpha Nu Chapter at the University of Missouri-Columbia, describes the actions of the Missouri Brigade of the Confederate States of America from the first days of the Civil War to the surrender of General Lee's troops at Appomattox.

*In Deadly Earnest* was the winner of the 1992 Douglas Southall Freeman Award of the Military Order of the Stars and Bars, which recognizes the best books on Southern history.

Writing a book dealing with military history was a natural task for the Alpha Nu initiate. He spent 42 months in the United States Army with field artillery units as a private, a first lieutenant, and a battery commander. Gottschalk's writing background includes 39 years as a newspaperman, including 20 years as writer and editor for the *Columbia Daily Tribune*. He is retired but still

continues to write a football column for the *Columbia Daily Tribune*. The story of the Missouri Brigade was completed while Gottschalk continued his full-time duties as a newspaperman.

He is one of the founders of the Mid-Missouri Civil War Roundtable and editor of the Roundtable's newsletter. The Roundtable meets nine times a year and also organizes field trips.

Gottschalk's first experience with Missouri's Southern heritage was at Alpha Nu Chapter where he became acquainted with brothers from the southern part of Missouri. He also has an ancestral history that includes family members who took part in both sides of the Civil War.

## The "Good Guy" of Wall Street

Like Gottschalk, Andrew Kilpatrick is a former newspaperman turned author. Kilpatrick, a 1962 initiate of Pi Chapter at Washington and Lee University, places his novel in the offices of Wall Street. *Warren Buffett — The Good Guy of Wall Street* tells the story of how Buffett, with the investment firm of Berkshire Hathaway, amassed a personal fortune of four billion dollars while running an investment firm that has accumulated over \$11 billion in assets. Kilpatrick first became interested in the career of Warren Buffett in 1973 when Buffett acquired ten million dollars worth of stock in the *Washington Post*.

Kilpatrick recently retired from his duties as a business reporter for the *Birmingham Post-Herald* in Birmingham, Alabama.

## Captain of the "Tall Ships"

One of PiKA's most prolific authors has written 29 books and shows no signs of putting down his pen. Dan Parkinson, a 1953 initiate of Beta Gamma Chapter at the University of Kansas, began his career as a journalist, and then worked as a business-organization executive. He was never quite able to put his writing skills on the shelf, so he began authoring novels as a hobby. After he produced twelve novels in four years, it became obvious that his writing was successful enough to serve as a full-time occupation. In the mid 80s he left behind the world of the executive and devoted his time solely to writing. 17 books later, it's safe to say that his career move was a wise gamble.

Many of Parkinson's books are westerns. Titles include *Gunpowder Wind*, *Jubilation Gap*, *Ride the Devil's Trail*, *The Way to Wyoming*, and *The Westering*. His latest novels range from the time of the American Revolution, or the "tall ship genre" as Parkinson calls these books, to the world of the future and science fantasy. He has completed four "tall ships" and has plans to write two more with a similar story line to complete the series.

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Parkinson's move into science-fantasy was well received by his readers. *The Gates of Thorbardin* has been translated into Spanish, Italian, and Danish. As he did with his stories from the Revolutionary era, Parkinson has developed a science-fantasy series. *The Covenant of the Forge* is on the market as the first book in the *Dwarven Nations* trilogy. It will be followed by the release of the second book, *Hammer and Axe*, this summer. He is currently working on the final part of the trilogy, *The Sword-sheath Scroll*.

Parkinson has sold numerous novels, but he had the opportunity to give away several million books of his own along with those of other authors and publishers during Operation Desert Shield in the Persian Gulf. He thought it would be beneficial to the troops if he donated a case of his books to help them pass the time, but found out there wasn't any procedure for making such a contribution. Parkinson contacted the chief librarian of the U.S. Army, and the two made several calls which led to writers and publishers donating not just a case of books, but nine million books, to the men and women of Operation Desert Shield.

## Habits of Wealth

One of Pi Kappa Alpha's most recent authors is Bill Byrne, who began his writing career after becoming a success in the business world. A 1962 initiate of Alpha Phi Chapter at Iowa State University, Byrne, at the age of 29, was the youngest branch manager on the New York Stock Exchange. Several years later, he invested in Taco John's, a Mexican fast food franchise, and currently has twelve stores in Des Moines and one in Ames, Iowa.

To devote his energy to experiencing the "entrepreneurial" way of life, Byrne left the stock market in 1977 and founded the Byrne Companies. The company conducts training services, as well as assessing human resources, at the personal and corporate levels. Byrne's skill at advising and consulting led to his writing the book, *Habits of Wealth*, subtitled *111 proven entrepreneurial strategies for achieving and leading in the 90s*. Byrne authored *Habits of Wealth* after being encouraged by several people to put his business philosophies in writing. □

*Members of Pi Kappa Alpha who have written books, or who have had books written about them, are invited to donate copies to the Harvey T. Newell Memorial Library at the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters. For information, call the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation at (901) 748-1948.*

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#### Iota Iota Chapter —

The chapter did an outstanding job with Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority in Songfest during Greek Week. Iota Iota took third place out of 36 participating houses.

Scott Wilson was named Greek Man of the Year and Ban Roper was runner-up.

#### IA IOTA LAMBDA CHAPTER Columbia

Derek Capoletti was selected as junior marshal for his outstanding academic achievements and student body participation. Sharad Samy was accepted into the University of Michigan Law School.

Iota Lambda, in conjunction with Alpha Phi Sorority and Alpha Chi Omega Sorority raised \$10,000.00 for the Make-a-Wish Foundation and a program to prevent domestic violence.

Ryan R. Mossman was elected president of Columbia's Central University Dormitory Council, becoming the third Pike to hold this illustrious position. Bucky Weinstein was elected treasurer of the same council.

Thirty Iota Lambda alumni attended the chapter's very successful Founders Day.

Again, Iota Lambda led the Columbia campus in spring rush with the signing of fifteen men. This year was one of the chapter's more successful pledge programs as associate members learned the history of the Fraternity and became united as a group.

Wrestler Stephen Cumbie was selected as one

of Columbia's ten academic all-Ivy League athletes for winter sports. Steve Kovacs and Albert Lau played key roles in defending the NCAA Division I Fencing Championship for Columbia. David Cohen was selected as Ivy League Pitcher of the Week for his two-hitter against Brown.

#### IO IOTA OMICRON CHAPTER Santa Clara

In March the chapter held its annual Founders Day banquet at a local restaurant. A number of alumni were in attendance, including Iota Omicron's first SMC David Hatfield. He participated in spring rush as a keynote speaker.

Iota Omicron increased its GPA to 3.03, making it the number one ranked fraternity in scholastic standings.

Many of the Iota Omicron Pikes served the community by participating in Friends Outside, an organization that tutors grade school children whose parents have been incarcerated. The chapter also held their major philanthropy, a 3-on-3 basketball tournament.

Bob Eichenberg was elected Inter-Greek Council President by the Greeks Community of SCU.

#### IS IOTA SIGMA CHAPTER James Madison

Although Iota Sigma is still a young chapter, the chapter took steps to solidify its alumni relations. The chapter had nine alumni and they

were sent three newsletters over the course of the past school year.

Former Scholarship Chairman Doug Drake implemented a monthly raffle for brothers who received A's on exams. The raffle proved to be a great motivating factor as Pikes competed for a \$25.00 gift certificate to a local Greek store.

Scholarship Chairman Bradley Gibbons began organizing a chapter tutorial program and a survey of the chapter to gather information on instructors to help with the registration process.

Iota Sigma collected three car loads of canned goods for Mercy House, a local homeless shelter in Harrisonburg. Chapter members worked in shifts in front of local grocery stores collecting canned goods.

SMC Ed Wyatt was selected Pike of the Year by the 82 brothers of Iota Sigma for his dedication and leadership of the chapter.

The chapter held a retreat to discuss chapter goals. The workshop proved to be a success as brothers reassessed their dedication to the chapter.

#### ILLINOIS STATE COLONY

The colony members of Illinois State made community service a priority as they continued their growth as a colony.

After being on campus less than a semester, the colony had increased its membership to 85 men, just seven less than the largest fraternity on campus.



## Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation

Alumni supporting scholastic achievement, leadership training and personal development since 1948.

### Foundation Honors Distinguished Alumni

*Twelve outstanding alumni are selected for the Foundation's highest honor in 1993.*

The Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation began recognizing the Fraternity's most outstanding alumni with the Order of West Range in 1986. Since then, 60 Pikes, representing all three branches of government, entertainment, sports, journalism and many other fields, have been selected for induction into this special Order.

This year the Educational Foundation has selected six living and six deceased brothers to join this accomplished group of men. Each man has distinguished himself by excelling in his profession, in service to the community and/or in service to the Fraternity.

Portraits and more extensive biographies of these men and the other members of the Order of West Range are displayed at the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Headquarters in Memphis.

#### Howard H. Bell Alpha Nu 1946

*Bell's extraordinary vision made him a giant in the advertising industry.*



Howard H. Bell

Howard H. Bell was appointed first president and CEO of the American Advertising Federation (AAF) in February of 1968. He accepted this challenging role in the midst of very turbulent times for the advertising industry, which faced government intervention and sharp criticism from consumer activists.

Bell's enthusiasm and commitment to the ideals of defending and promoting the advertising industry led to an eventful 23-year career at the AAF.

The advertising community will most remember Bell for his unyielding confidence in the integrity of American advertising. His vision of self-regulation for the entire industry resulted in the creation of the National Adver-

tising Review Board and the National Advertising Division.

Bell has twice been presented the Private Sector Initiative Citation, in 1983 by then-vice president George Bush and in 1985 by President Reagan, in recognition of the outstanding public service efforts of the AAF's local ad clubs. In 1984, he received the Gold Medal for distinguished service in journalism from the University of Missouri School of Journalism in Columbia, Missouri, where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Alpha Nu Chapter in 1946. Bell was also the recipient of the Advertising Club of Indianapolis' Torch of Truth Award in 1988 and the AAF's Chairman's Gold Medal Career Award in 1991.

In Bell's farewell article, published in the Winter 1991-1992 issue of *American Advertising* — a publication he is responsible for establishing — he wrote, "It's not enough to defend advertising. Or even explain it. We must constantly strive to make it better." He now serves as Counsel for the Washington, D.C.-based law firm of Wiley, Rein & Fielding.

Brother Bell served as a trustee for the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation in the '80s. He is a member of the Foundation's Lily of the Valley Society, which recognizes donors who have contributed between \$2,500 and \$4,999. A native of New York City, Bell and his wife, Chan, have three children, Mary, Jeffrey and Laurie, and live in Washington, D.C.

#### S. Lew Burdette, Jr. Omicron 1946

*After a Braves scout told him he could forget about professional baseball, Burdette went on to lead the Milwaukee Braves to a World Series Championship in 1957.*

S. Lew Burdette, Jr., the 6 foot 2 inch native of Nitro, West Virginia, never thought he would become a professional baseball player. Nitro High School didn't even have a baseball team. So his career began at 17 when he joined the American Viscose Plant baseball team upon graduation.

After a brief stay in the United States Air Force, Burdette enrolled at the University of Richmond. As a freshman, he pitched for 10 wins in 12 starts. He was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Omicron Chapter in October of 1946.

Brother Burdette spent three years in the minor leagues before making his first major league start for the New York Yankees in 1950. In 1951 the Braves, then located in Boston, picked him up in a trade with the Yankees for another pitcher, Johnny Sain. The Braves organization, which moved to Milwaukee in 1953, was Burdette's team for thirteen years.

From 1953 to 1961, Burdette won 13 games or more every season, the best of which were 19 wins in 1956 and 1960, 20 wins in 1958 and the National League-leading 21 wins in 1959. But he is most remembered for his 1957 World Series campaign against the Yankees when he won the second, fifth and seventh games, allowing only two earned runs in 27 innings for a 0.67 ERA which ensured the Milwaukee Braves' first World Championship. Burdette became the first man in 52 years to post two shut-outs in a single series.

After leaving Milwaukee in 1963, Burdette pitched for several other major league teams, including the Cardinals, Cubs, Phillies and Angels (where he concluded his career in 1967). In 626 major league games he accumulated 207 wins, 146 losses, 158 complete games, 35 shutouts and a 3.66 ERA. He struck out 1099 batters and still shares the record for three wins and three complete games in a single series.

Burdette married Mary Ann Shelton on June 30, 1949. They have three children, Lewis, Madge and Mary Lou. After retiring from baseball, Burdette scouted for the Central Scouting Bureau in 1968 and coached for the Atlanta Braves in 1972. He also served as



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vice president of a real estate firm in Sarasota, Florida, and as a public relations specialist for a cable television company in Athens, Georgia. Burdette now resides in Sarasota, Florida.

## Chester M. Brown

### Alpha Nu 1928

*Brown gave Allied Chemicals Corp. a face-lift from top to bottom.*

When Chester M. Brown became president of the Allied Chemical Corporation (now known as Allied Signal) in 1959, he was determined to effect some major changes to this one-time leading chemical corporation which had fallen behind its major competitors in growth and general profitability.

As president, chief executive officer and chairman of the board of Allied from 1959 to 1969, Brown slowly turned Allied around. He was firmly committed to expansion through research and marketing.

Having risen through the ranks of division management since 1929, Brown was successful in breaking down communication barriers between Allied's divisions.

The most obvious aspect of Allied's face-lift was the acquisition and remodeling of the Times Tower at Times Square in New York City. Brown believed this location, the Nation's entertainment center, was perfect for Allied in its effort to up-scale its public image.

Brown was a native of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and graduate of the University of Missouri-Columbia, where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Alpha Nu Chapter in 1928. He married Nelda Prather in May of 1937. They had three children, Stewart Dean, Stephen Mel and Phyllis Irene (Sabin), and lived in Hillside, New Jersey. Brown served as trustee of the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation (now known as the Educational Foundation) from 1968 to 1974, during which time he was president from 1970 to 1974. He is a member of the Foundation's Shield & Diamond Society, which recognizes donors who contribute between \$1,000 and \$2,499.

Brown received the 1964 Silver Mule Award, a citation given each year to an outstanding Missourian by the Missouri Society of New York. He was also the recipient of the Pi Kappa Alpha Distinguished Achievement Award in 1968. Brown died in August of 1981.



Chester M. Brown



George W. Denton

## George W. Denton

### Alpha Nu 1942

*Denton was among the Fraternity's best spokesmen — especially in promoting alumni involvement.*

Prior to his death on February 14, 1989, George W. Denton was the president of National Pension Service, the largest agency of the Guardian Life Insurance Company, based in White Plains, New York. He was a member of AALU and the Society of Pension Actuaries, a trustee of the New York Center for Financial Studies, a past president of the New York Certified Life Underwriters chapter and a past vice president of the American Society of CLU.

Brother Denton attended the University of Missouri-Columbia, where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Alpha Nu Chapter in 1942. While in school, Denton became a member of several honoraries, including Phi Beta Kappa, Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Eta Sigma.

Upon graduating from college, Denton became a group sales representative and later regional group manager for the St. Louis-based General American Life Insurance Co. Between 1961 and 1981, he managed pension trust sales for the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., headed the employee benefit consulting firm of John E. Clayton Associates and became a partner in the firm of Stanley Newhouse. Denton was recognized as a member of the Massachusetts Mutual Inner Circle from 1971 to 1981.

Before taking over as president of National Pension Service, he served as partner of the Newhouse, Denton, Hyman, O'Brien Massachusetts Mutual District Agency.

A member of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation's prestigious Sabre & Key Society, which recognizes donors who have contributed between \$10,000 and \$24,999, Brother Denton is remembered as one of the Fraternity's most loyal alumni. He served as a trustee of the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation (now known as the Educational Foundation) from 1982 until his death and was president of the Foundation from 1984 to 1987. During his term as president, the Foundation expanded its support of the Fraternity's educational programs and built Pi Kappa Alpha's second Memorial Headquarters. At the 1988 National Convention in Memphis, Denton was named Foundation trustee emeritus. He and his wife, Barbara, had three children, Laurie, Hallett and Lisa.

## Robert C. Duke

### Beta Mu 1945

*Duke upholds the strong Beta Mu tradition of professional achievement and loyalty to PiKA.*

Robert C. Duke, an attorney in Austin, Texas, maintains a private law practice, specializing in consumer credit law. Duke is a certified association executive and is executive vice president/general counsel for the Texas Financial Services Association and general counsel

for the Insurance Premium Finance Association of Texas.

Upon graduating from high school, Duke served the United States Navy for two years during World War II. When he returned from military duty, he enrolled at the University of Texas where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha and served Beta Mu Chapter as rush captain and SMC. Duke was active in campus organizations as vice president of the IFC and a member of Phi Alpha Delta (honorary law fraternity), Cowboys (men's spirit group) and FRIARS (senior men's honorary society). Here Duke earned his B.A. degree in economics in 1950 and his L.L.B. degree from the law school in 1953.

Brother Duke was then hired by the Austin-based law firm of Powell, Wirtz, Rauhut and McGinnis as an associate counsel. In 1956, he was appointed legal counsel to the State Securities Division of the Secretary of State's office and acting commissioner for the State of Texas. From 1957 to 1963 Duke established a private law practice in Houston, Texas. Then he was appointed by Governor John Connally to serve the State of Texas, once again, as deputy commissioner and general counsel of the Office of the Regulatory Loan Commissioner. In 1967, Duke resigned from that position and has maintained his private law practice in Austin ever since.

Duke has served Pi Kappa Alpha as president of the Beta Mu House Corporation and president of the Fraternity's District 10 in 1955, national expansion director from 1954 to 1957 and Beta Mu Alumni Advisor from 1958 to 1959.

He and his wife, Virginia, live in Austin, Texas. They have three children, Barbara, James and the late Robert, Jr.

## Gen. Courtney H. Hodges

### Psi 1903

*Hodges' First Army was first in Paris, first in Luxembourg and first in Nazi Germany.*

General Courtney H. Hodges, a four-star general in the United States Army, was Pi Kappa Alpha's highest ranking officer during World War II. As commander of the First Army, he led his troops in the capture of Paris, in crossing the Rhine River and into Nazi Germany. Known for his courageousness, Hodges was determined to bring honor to his troops as he did throughout his military career.

Initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Psi Chapter at North Georgia College in 1903, Brother Hodges enlisted in the Army as a private in 1906. He soon was promoted to the rank of corporal and then sergeant in the 17th Infantry before being commissioned as second lieutenant in November of 1909.



Robert C. Duke  
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Courtney H. Hodges

During World War I, Hodges was awarded the Silver Star for his leadership in the battle of St. Mihiel, and he was a recipient of the Distinguished Service Cross for his success in the Meuse-Argonne offensive during which his regiment forced a crossing of the Meuse River and protected the Allied position there. His acts of valor resulted in his immediate promotion to the rank of major upon returning to the United States in the summer of 1920.

Hodges spent the next ten years studying military tactics and teaching in the Army schools. He became the first man in history to ever teach infantry tactics at West Point without having graduated from there.

In 1936, Hodges was sent to the Philippines to serve as General MacArthur's plans and training officer. Here he became associated with Dwight Eisenhower, who was at that time a lieutenant colonel on MacArthur's staff.

After serving as commandant of the Infantry School for five months, Brother Hodges was appointed to serve as Chief of Infantry in 1941 with the rank of major general. He was named commander of the Southern Defense Command. In 1944, Hodges succeeded Gen. Omar Bradley as commander of the First Army after the War Department was reorganized in 1942.

Hodges was well known for giving credit for his victories to his corp commanders. His lack of selfishness and determination to win are qualities all Pikes should emulate. The recipient of the Fraternity's 1942 Distinguished Achievement Award, Brother Hodges died on January 16, 1966.

## John J. "Jack" Lux Theta 1951

*Lux represents one of the Fraternity's most precious ideals — lifetime commitment.*

Jack Lux is one of Pi Kappa Alpha's finest examples of dedication, leadership and generosity. In August of 1992 at the Fraternity's National Convention in Phoenix, Arizona, Lux retired after 42 years of active service to Pi Kappa Alpha.

Brother Lux, the recipient of the Fraternity's Loyalty Award in 1970, was initiated into the Fraternity by Theta Chapter at Southwestern University in 1951. He served the Fraternity as national auditor for 30 years and was trustee and chairman of the Memorial Foundation (now known as the Educational Foundation). Lux was chairman of the Educational Foundation's Endowment Fund Commission,



John J. Lux

which is responsible for managing the Foundation's investment portfolio.

A member of the Educational Foundation's prestigious Sabre & Key Society, which recognizes donors who have contributed between \$10,000 and \$24,999 to the Foundation, Lux established the John J. Lux Scholarship, an annual award available to a student Pike who has displayed outstanding academic achievement as an accounting major.

Lux owns Lux Financial Management, a firm specializing in financial, tax and investment planning for corporations and individuals. He is also treasurer and general manager of JF Farms, Inc., a large pork producing facility in southeast Missouri.

Lux and his wife, Irma, live in Charleston, Missouri, and have one son, William.

## Wickliffe B. Moore Omega 1921

*An artist, journalist, magician and top executive, Moore's talent and determination to succeed resulted in friendships with many notable people.*

Brother Moore began his remarkable career as a newsprint salesman for a small paper mill and rose to become president, chief executive officer and chairman of the Price Paper Co., the world's largest manufacturer of newsprint.

A native of Kentucky, Moore attended the University of Kentucky, where he earned his B.A. in journalism and was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Omega Chapter in 1921. During college Moore was captain of the freshman football team, he published his own campus newspaper, he became an accomplished magician and he drew cartoons for the Lexington Herald. Upon graduating from UK, Brother Moore began working as a cartoonist and artist for the Herald Post in Louisville. Having made a name for himself in journalism by age 26, he became the publisher's assistant and had opened his own commercial art studio.

The stock market crash of 1929 put Moore, like most Americans, in debt. He took a job as a salesman for Anglo-Canadian Pulp and Paper Mills, Ltd. and outsold all of the mill's salesmen combined in his first year. In fact, he sold more newsprint than anyone else in the United States and Canada. Through his meetings with Lord Rothenmore, the mill's owner, he met and became friends with Sir Winston Churchill, one of many international figures who were attracted to Moore's charming demeanor and talent as an artist and magician. At one point during World War II Churchill joined Brother Moore and President Franklin Roosevelt at Moore's Canadian fishing camp.

In 1942, Moore helped found Clarke, Campbell & Moore, which later became Moore, Hill & Kenny. During the same year he married his second wife, Cullen, who was the first American columnist to interview Fidel Castro after the



Wickliffe B. Moore

Cuban Revolution. After several mergers, Moore's companies grew and became the Price Paper Corporation of New York in 1961. Moore retired as chairman of the Corporation in 1972.

Brother Moore was the recipient of Pi Kappa Alpha's Distinguished Achievement Award in 1977. In the same year, he became a trustee of the Fraternity's Memorial Foundation (now known as the Educational Foundation) and served in that capacity for several years. A member of the Foundation's Garnet & Gold Society, which recognizes donors who have contributed between \$5,000 and \$9,999, Moore joined Chapter Eternal in March of 1986.

## C. Wesley Roberts Alpha Omega 1921

*A powerhouse in the Republican party, Roberts is credited with securing Dwight D. Eisenhower's nomination for President.*

C. Wesley Roberts gained national prominence in Washington, D.C., as executive director of the campaign to nominate Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for President of the United States. Responsible for securing Eisenhower's first-ballot nomination at the 1952 Republican National Convention, Roberts was named organization director for the Republican National Committee, and in 1953 he served as chairman.

Roberts' grandfather, J.W. Roberts, founded the Oskaloosa Independent, the second oldest newspaper in the State of Kansas. After studying journalism at Kansas State University, where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha and served Alpha Omega Chapter as SMC for two terms, Brother Roberts became a reporter for the family newspapers from 1926 to 1936.

Roberts began his political career as campaign manager for Will G. West, who was running for governor of Kansas. Even though West lost the election, Roberts advanced to the position of executive secretary for the Kansas Republican Party and is credited with rejuvenating the party and laying the groundwork for three decades of Republican victories in the State.

After serving as secretary to Kansas Governor Payne Ratner from 1939 to 1943, Roberts joined the United States Marine Corps. He specialized in air intelligence and operations and was stationed in the Pacific. Three years later, he established a public relations firm and resumed his efforts for the Republican party, leading a successful Senate campaign for Frank Carlson in 1950. Roberts is best remembered for his skillful tactics in managing and assimilating the broad range of Republican interest groups. Following his work for the GOP National Committee, he became a consultant for Lehman Brothers of New York.



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Brother Roberts and his wife, Ruth, had one son, Pat (*Alpha Omega* '55), who has served as a United States Congressman from the First District of Kansas since 1980. Wes Roberts died on April 9, 1975.

### C. Patrick Roberts

*Alpha Omega 1955*

*Roberts is a key player in a fight to preserve the quality of life in rural Kansas.*

C. Patrick Roberts was elected to the 97th United States Congress in 1980 from the 66-county First District of Kansas, one of the largest districts in the Country. He was re-elected to serve a seventh term in 1992.

A leading voice for agriculture and the preservation of rural communities, Congressman Roberts serves on the House Administration Committee and is vice chairman and ranking Republican on the House Agriculture Committee. He is also co-chairman of the Rural Health Care Coalition.



C. Patrick Roberts

The rural Kansas communities have frequently recognized Roberts' efforts to promote rural development and small business growth. An honorary American Farmer, the highest degree issued by the Future Farmers of America, and a member of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Centennial Commission and the Huck Boyd Foundation, Roberts is a recipient of the Production Credit Association Distinguished Award for Leadership in Agriculture. He has also been honored by the National Royalty Owners Association and has served as a member of the National Board of Governors for the Agriculture Hall of Fame and National Center.

A native of Topeka, Kansas, and a U.S. Marine Corps veteran, Brother Roberts was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Alpha Omega Chapter at Kansas State University, where he served as IFC president, PiKA rush chairman and alumni chairman, editor of the school's newspaper and member of the swim team. His father, the late C. Wesley Roberts (*Alpha Omega* '21), served as chairman of the Republican National Committee under President Eisenhower and his son, David (*Alpha Omega* '93) recently carried on the family's Pike tradition at Kansas State.

Roberts served on the Pi Kappa Alpha Memorial Foundation (now known as the Educational Foundation) board of trustees from 1985 to 1986. He has also hosted the annual Washington, D.C. Congressional Founders Day Banquet for ten years. He and his wife, Franki, reside in Dodge City, Kansas, and have three children, David, Ashleigh and Anne-Wesley.

### L. Jack Van Fossen

*Alpha Xi 1956*

*Van Fossen understands the importance of good service to the American consumer.*

L. Jack Van Fossen is president and chief executive officer of Red Roof Inns, the country's largest privately owned and operated economy lodging chain, based in Columbus, Ohio. When he accepted this position in 1991, he had already accumulated over 30 years of experience in law and corporate management, including 20 years on the Red Roof Inns board of directors.

A native of Sidney, Ohio, Van Fossen earned his B.B.A. degree from the University of Cincinnati, where he was initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha by Alpha Xi Chapter in 1956 and served as SMC during his senior year. He went on to receive his J.D. degree summa cum laude from The Ohio State University College of Law in 1963. After a two year stint in the U.S. Army, Van Fossen joined the law firm of Porter, Wright, Morris & Arthur as an associate in 1965 and remained there until 1974 when he was recruited by the Chem Lawn Corporation. He served this Columbus-based lawn care service company as director, vice chairman, chairman, president and chief executive officer for the next 14 years.



L. Jack Van Fossen

Brother Van Fossen is a director on a variety of boards, including Bank One Columbus N.A., Cardinal Distribution, Inc., Famous Fraternity Sportswear, Inc., The Paul G. Duke Foundation and the Players Theatre Columbus. He is a member of the American Bar Association and the Ohio Bar Association. In 1985 he was the recipient of *The Financial World's* CEO of the Year Bronze Award.

Brother Van Fossen is a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation's prestigious Junior Founders Society, which recognizes donors who have contributed between \$25,000 and \$49,999. He and his wife, Jane, have two children, Elizabeth and William, and reside in Powell, Ohio.

### Lynn O. "Pappy" Waldorf

*Alpha Chi 1921*

*A gentleman and family man, Waldorf brought a bright new image to college coaching.*

Lynn O. "Pappy" Waldorf is most certainly one of the greatest men to ever set foot on the gridiron, as a player, a coach and a recruiter. He was best known for his gentle coaching tactics and the love and respect the players and fans had for him.

Waldorf was a family man first and a football coach second. Both were his passions and he did them exceptionally well.

Born in Clifton Springs, New York, Waldorf attended Syracuse University, where he was SMC of Alpha Chi Chapter, president of the senior class and the IFC and a second team All-American on the football team in 1922 and 1924. He also lettered in varsity crew.

After earning a B.A. degree in philosophy in 1925, Waldorf began his coaching career at Oklahoma City University, a school which had not won a single football game in four years. Waldorf said, "We had fourteen men out for the first practice at Oklahoma City and six of them had never even played high school football. But we managed to win four out of ten games that season." Two years later, Waldorf became the line coach for the University of Kansas Jayhawks for a year before taking the head coach position for the Oklahoma A&M (now Oklahoma State) Aggies in 1929. He led the Aggies to four state championships and three Missouri Valley championships. Then he went on to win a Big Six championship as head coach for Kansas State University in 1934.

Brother Waldorf spent the next nine years in Evanston, Illinois, as head coach of the Northwestern Wildcats from 1935 to 1946. Here he was recognized by his peers as the first-ever All-American Coach of the Year in his first season, and he won a Big Ten championship in his second season. He left Northwestern in 1947 to become the head coach of the University of California, Berkeley, where he won conference championships in 1948, 1949 and 1950. While he was at the helm, Cal garnered 29 victories and two Rose Bowl appearances and suffered only one regular season loss. In 1950 he served as president of the American Football Association.

Retiring from coaching in 1957, Waldorf was hired by the San Francisco Forty-Niners to be their personnel director. Waldorf was selected as a member of the Football Foundation and Hall of Fame in 1966. Pi Kappa Alpha also honored him in 1936 as the Distinguished Achievement Award recipient.

Waldorf died in 1981. He and his wife, Louise, had two daughters, Mary Louise and Carolyn. □



Lynn O. Waldorf

## 1994 Candidates Sought for Order of West Range

Nominations for 1994 Candidates for the Order of West Range are now being sought, and must be submitted by August 31, 1993. Undergraduate chapters, alumni associations and individuals are encouraged to nominate candidates. If you wish to nominate an initiated member of the Fraternity who has distinguished himself in achievement and/or service, please contact Foundation Executive Director Jeff Abraham at the Memorial Headquarters. □

# Tom Tillar's Vision for Pi Kappa Alpha

An interview with the president of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation.

**T**om Tillar is an initiate of Epsilon Chapter at Virginia Tech in Blacksburg, Virginia, the state's land grant and largest university. He was a charter member of the reactivated chapter that had been silent for almost 90 years. All of his career has been at the university, first serving in student affairs work, including a role as Greek Advisor for the fraternity/sorority system.

He holds his bachelors, masters and doctoral degrees from the university and, since 1975, has been in fund raising and alumni relations. He currently serves as director of alumni relations.

His service to Pi Kappa Alpha has included chapter advisor and president of Epsilon's House Corporation. He was appointed regional president and served in that role four years. Later he served on a new alumni commission of the Fraternity, and then was elected to fill a vacancy on the Educational Foundation's board of trustees in the early '80s. In mid-1991 he was elected to a two-year term as president of the Foundation.

The *Shield & Diamond* recently spoke with Brother Tillar about his work with the Foundation and his vision for the Fraternity's future.

**Q.** You have served as an Educational Foundation trustee for nearly ten years... what do you feel is the greatest benefit of the Foundation to our Fraternity?

**A.** Our Foundation is following a trend that is prevalent in higher education today... getting more alumni and friends behind educational programs that otherwise would not be possible. The fees that undergraduates pay simply cannot fund all of the programs that we recognize as valuable and worthwhile. Therefore, we seek gifts from those alumni who have traveled the same road and who know what quality in a fraternity really means. Our Foundation is the best avenue that we have to expand the quality of our Fraternity's programs.

**Q.** What has been your priority as Foundation president these past two years?

**A.** My "theme" has been to raise an awareness of the Foundation and its benefits among our alumni. National President Tommy Turner said it best in his interview in the December *Shield & Diamond*... to have our members make a commitment to the Fraternity that is a lifetime commitment. My goal has been to acquaint as many brothers as possible with the opportunity to stay involved by supporting their chapters through Foundation endowments and the programs of leadership training that undesignated gifts make possible. Our programs are helping more young men every year, and our alumni can be proud to continue their spirit of brotherhood through Foundation support.

**Q.** How can you convey this message to alumni?

**A.** Unfortunately, we cannot visit personally every alumnus that we would like, but we can communicate through the *Shield & Diamond* and provide information about programs, about donors, and to express our appreciation. We also mail a newsletter, *Horizons*, to supporters of the Fraternity to share news of Fraternity and Foundation programs. I, as well as other national officers and staff, welcome opportunities to address audiences at chapter celebrations, regional conferences, and conventions. We invite alumni to alumni association gatherings where possible, and we work with some chapters to conduct phone campaigns and talk personally with alumni.



Thomas C. Tillar, Jr.

**Q.** What impresses you most about our Fraternity from your experience as a volunteer?

**A.** There are many things that impress me, but as I look back on twenty years of working with the Fraternity, I would single out the professional staff of the Fraternity. We have been very fortunate to have tremendous talent attracted to serve on the staff. The staff has effectively motivated volunteers like me to roll up our sleeves and work hard for an organization that builds character in young men. And this multiplier effect is working — volunteers attract other volunteers, and the staff cultivates them to help the Fraternity.

**Q.** What has gratified you in terms of your experience as president of the Educational Foundation?

**A.** I have seen the Foundation develop programs that provide scholarships and leadership grants to chapter members. We have created and continued to strengthen support for programs that train chapter presidents, enhance the content of 16 regional conferences held annually, and provide outstanding speakers at conventions. It has been especially gratifying to see more and more gifts, both designated and undesignated, to build the Foundation's permanent endowment. This is the key to our future. Our endowment is wisely invested and is growing; that has given me the greatest level of satisfaction.

**Q.** Is the Foundation doing anything to attract the support of our youngest brothers?

**A.** Yes, definitely. Last year, we began encouraging undergraduates to contribute to our new "phi phi kappa alpha club." A modest gift (of \$15) gains them recognition in this special

category of donors. In supporting the Foundation, they become more appreciative of all that our Foundation is doing for the Fraternity and, hopefully, it establishes a pattern of annual gifts. This, I feel, keeps the flame alive after they graduate.

**Q.** What do you see down the road for our Foundation?

**A.** In terms of donor programs, I envision us moving rapidly forward with an emphasis on major and planned gift support. There are many opportunities for alumni to make gifts of cash, real estate, securities, and tangible personal property to the Foundation... just as they have to colleges, churches, and other charitable organizations. The Foundation has been the recipient of several generous bequests, but more and more alumni will come to understand the stewardship of our trustees. They will entrust portions of their estates to help current and future Pikes. As our endowment grows, so will the Foundation's ability to help more chapters, more brothers, more leadership conferences, and keep our Fraternity among the very best.

**Q.** What advice do you have for our alumni?

**A.** Each brother of Pi Kappa Alpha can continue to make a difference for this Fraternity. No gift is too small or insignificant. Take a close look at our Foundation through the *Shield & Diamond*, through appeals, or better yet, call and talk with Jeff Abraham, our executive director of the Foundation at Memorial Headquarters in Memphis. What many will learn is that our alumni are making this Fraternity stronger and stronger as an integral part of a unique system of higher education in this country. As alumni understand what we are about, I hope they will invest more in the Fraternity's future. □

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## Donors to the Harvey T. Newell Memorial Library

Warren Buffet — *The Good Guy of Wall Street*  
Andrew C. Kilpatrick (Pi '62)

### Twice the Citizen

Col. Richard B. Crossland (Delta Eta '61)

### Saint Bobby and the Barbarians

Robert C. Bowden (Alpha Pi '49) □

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## Donations to the Freeman H. Hart Memorial Museum

John C. McFarland (Alpha Delta '53)

Esther C. Atkinson, widow of Paul Tulane Atkinson (Iota 1900) □

## Alumni Notes

### ALABAMA

**Stephen A. Baker '88** married Katherine Gillespie in August 1992. He is employed with Draffin & Tucker, C.P.A.

**Steven P. Hogan '84** married Julie Hunt on February 24, 1990 and they have a daughter, Mary Virginia, born April 4, 1992. He is vice president of finance for the family business of restaurant management for ten Shoney's stores.

**Capt. Steven P. Manley '84** married Suzanne Buchanan. They live in Montana, where he is assigned at Malmstrom Air Force Base.

**Ronald J. Tate '84** married Sonya Walley in October 1990 and they have a daughter, Sarah Caitlin, born December 31, 1991. Tate is president of Tate Ornamental and president of Architectural Metal Furniture.

**Harold P. Williams, Jr. '63** has accepted a position as English instructor at the Martinsville Campus of National Business College. He is also a special graduate student at Radford University.

### ALABAMA-HUNTSVILLE

**Kenneth N. Porter '90** is with Thompson Trac-

tor Company, Inc. (Caterpillar) in Decatur, Alabama. He is a former rush chairman, MC and social chairman for Theta Pi.

### ANGELO STATE

**Toby A. Villa '85** has been promoted to the varsity staff at Abilene High School. He will coach freshman football and basketball and serve as an assistant coach for the varsity War Eagles.

### ARIZONA

**Christopher Halligan '85** is married and lives in Austin, Texas where he works for Dell Computer Corporation.

**Christopher Sheehan '86** has taken a new job with Keck, Mattin & Cate in Chicago.

### ARIZONA STATE

**Adolf Allesch '79** received his M.B.A. in 1987 and has accepted a position as a consulting manager for DeLoitte & Touche Management Consultants in Cincinnati, Ohio.

**John J. Burdick '85** is with Lederle Laboratories Division, American Cyanamid Company in Seattle, as a pharmaceutical representative.

**Michael D. Hawkins '64** has moved his law practice to the firm of Daughton, Hawkins, Brockelman & Guinan in Phoenix, Arizona.

### ARKANSAS

**Timothy L. Covington '85** married Christi Jackson on March 14, 1992. He is involved in the family rice farming operation in Jonesboro and works part-time as a sales representative for Dupont Agricultural Chemicals.

**Dr. Robert Fincher '59** and his wife, Bonnie, live in Little Rock, where he is a senior partner of Radiology Consultants. He was appointed director of Baptist Breast Center at Baptist Medical Center in Little Rock.



**John H. "Fred" Muller '87** graduated from the University of Arkansas School of Law in May 1993.

**2nd Lt. Randy M. Robinson '89** is a space operations officer at Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Base in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He graduated from the U.S. Air Force Undergraduate Space Training at Lowry Air Force Base in Denver.

### ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK

**David C. Maier, Jr. '84** was elected vice president of the Hospitality Sales & Marketing Association, International. He serves as director of resort operations for Fairfield Communities, Inc. in Fairfield Bay, Arkansas.

### ARKANSAS STATE

**Randall G. Barnhill '85** and his wife, Sherry, have two children, Blair, five, and Brock, one. Barnhill is the defensive coordinator for the Hampton, Arkansas football team, the head baseball coach and junior high football coach.

**John D. Gennings '85** is a corporate buyer for Belk Store Services in Charlotte, North Carolina. He and his wife, Carroll, have a two year old daughter, Laura.

**Jerry R. Kincade '65**, executive director of Medical Arts Hospital in Texarkana, Arkansas received EPIC Healthcare Group's 1992 Chairman's Award. This award is presented annually to the individual who has exemplified excellence in all areas of professional performance in their hospital.

**Harold O. Thomas '55** was appointed in July 1992 by then-Governor Bill Clinton to the board of trustees of Arkansas State University.

**Mark M. Wallace '84** and his wife, Leah Jo, have been married for three years and have a one-year old son, Cameron Black.

### ARIZONA STATE

**Drew M. Evans '85** is an account executive for Advertising South, Inc. in Chicago.

**Michael J. Testa '85** married Erin McCabe on March 5, 1993. They live in Joliet, Illinois.



Jack Sullivan addressed the Chicago Area Alumni Association.

## Chicago Area Alumni Association Celebrates Founders Day

On March 5, 1993 the newly founded Chicago Area Alumni Association celebrated Founders Day at the Evanston Omni Orrington Hotel. Co-sponsored by Northwestern's Gamma Rho Chapter, this Founders Day saw over 100 actives and alumni gather to dine and hear the featured speaker of the evening, Past National President Ed Pease (*Indiana University, Delta Xi '71*).

Other speakers included Gamma Rho Chapter President Casey Kenna, Chicago Area Alumni representative, Jack Sullivan (*Arizona State, Delta Tau '84*), and the evening's master of ceremonies, John Sheets (*Northwestern, Gamma Rho '84*).

The Chicago Area Alumni Association would like to invite any area alums to meet at its monthly reception. It is held at Emil's in Chicago at 101 N. Wacker Dr. every first Thursday of the month from 5-8 p.m. Any alums interested in getting involved with the organization can contact Jack Sullivan at (815) 584-1044 or (708) 991-7235.

## ARMSTRONG STATE



**Jim Brotherton, Jr. '71** has been selected to head up the Fenwick Golf Division for Outdoor Technologies Group. Brotherton is a 17-year PGA member, has served the following positions in golf: PGA Club professional, PGA of America Employee in Section Affairs, Western

Operations and Marketing, Lankmark Land Company employee in Marketing and Golf Course Management and Founders Club Golf Company as vice president of sales and marketing. He and his family have relocated to Spirit Lake, Iowa.

## AUBURN

**Lt. William E. Bush '85** married Melissa Vickers in August 1990. He graduated from UPT at Williams Air Force Base in October 1991 and is now stationed at Eglin AFB.

**Richard Randolph, IV '85** is president of Bungee, Inc., and is the worldwide marketing agent for "The Ejection Seat", an amusement ride.

**Gerald M. Schaafsma '85** is a systems analyst for AT&T in Piscataway, New Jersey. He received his M.B.A. from Auburn in August 1990.

**E. Hamilton Wilson '41** has retired after more than 40 years as a lobbyist in Montgomery, Alabama. For most of those 40 years, he was an executive vice president of the Alabama Cattlemen's Association, which he built into the largest cattle group in the nation. For the past seven years, he's been director of governmental affairs for Auburn University. He was the school's first full-time lobbyist, and during his tenure, the budget for Auburn's main campus rose from \$73 million to \$129 million.

## AUSTIN PEAY

**C. Nelson Boehms, Jr. '82** and his wife, Deborah, announce the birth of their son, Charles Nelson, III, on March 12, 1993 during the "storm of the century." Nelson works for First Union Home Equity Corporation in Raleigh, North Carolina.

**Peter Michael Olson '84** and **Mark R. Olson '79** are partners in the law firm of Olson, McCoy & Olson in Clarksville, Tennessee.

## BAYLOR

**Donald K. Austin '89** began a new job with Arthur Andersen & Company in Houston, Texas.

**Hani J. Obeid '90** works for GE Information Services as business consultant in their Riyadh, Saudi Arabia offices.

**Jeffrey W. Darlington '85** and his wife, Suzanne, have moved to Dallas, where he works for Price Waterhouse.

**Alan K. Reiff '85** lives in Houston, where he is a health, safety and environmental analyst for the Texas retail district of Shell Oil Company.

## BOWLING GREEN

**Donald C. McFadyen '56** has sold his Arkansas White River resort and now works as an artist for The Studio in Fernandina Beach, Florida.

## BRADLEY

**Scott Carter '85** is an assistant sales manager for AT&T in Chicago.

**Dean Murin '85** and his wife, Cheryl, announce the birth of their son, Charles Edward, on December 26, 1992. Dean was promoted to account client representative for IBM in Peoria, Illinois. He is also chapter advisor for Delta Sigma Chapter at Bradley University.

## CALIFORNIA-BERKELEY

**Tom Econome '81** has separated from the U.S. Air Force and is living in Phoenix, Arizona with his wife and two children. He is a sales account executive for National Check Printing.



**Norman P. Laverty '39** recently retired from the Space & Technology Group of TRW Systems, where he was engaged in the design of spacecraft payloads and satellite tracking systems. He married Vivian Downen in 1950. They live in Palos Verdes Estates.

**Thomas McGrath '85** was admitted to the California Bar in December 1992 and is working for Kroff & Associates in San Francisco.

## CALIFORNIA-DAVIS

**Christopher M. Micheli '88** helped litigate a four-week trial for a Santa Barbara County supervisor and then joined the California Manufacturers Association as Tax and Corporate Counsel. He will staff this committee and work as a lawyer and lobbyist for the state's largest trade association.

**Gregory F. Redinbo '84** plans to complete his Ph.D. in applied physics in the next year at Cornell University.

**Bradford Svenningsen '84** is a workers' compensation broker in Sacramento. He and his wife have a daughter, Ellyn Marie.

## CALIFORNIA STATE-LONG BEACH

**Roger J. Thompson '88** married Debra Ann Oatman on August 8, 1992. He served as vice president of Iota Epsilon and won the Golden West Regional Leadership Award.

## CALIFORNIA STATE-NORTHBRIDGE

**Thomas M. Breneman '84** married Shelly Hart in October 1991. They live in Pensacola, Florida

where he is a 2nd lieutenant at NAS Whiting field in the U.S. Marine Corps.

**Ronald R. Brooks '84** graduated with his M.B.A. from Rollins College in Florida this spring, having made the dean's list all four semesters.

## CALIFORNIA STATE-SACRAMENTO

**Bryan Bent '85** has taken a job with A.D. One Sports, Inc., a new athletic footwear company founded by Adi Dassler, grandson of the founder of Adidas. As marketing manager, he will be in charge of handling an outside sales force of 50 persons, as well as all public relations/promotional activities.

**Jim Crowley '85** married Cathy Bordisso. He is a teacher at Elk Grove Unified School District.

**Daniel J. Dentoni '85** married Lisa Langley on February 7, 1993. They live in Stockton, California.

**Christopher Gaff '88** and his wife proudly announce the birth of their first child, Alexandria Lauren, on March 17, 1993.

**Brian MacDonald '88** is working for Merrill Lynch as a financial consultant specializing in retirement programs in San Francisco.

**Steven C. Weber '85** was promoted in November 1992 to manager of the network test center of Roseville Networks Division/Hewlett Packard. He will manage six engineers in execution of system testing for computer networking devices and software.

## CARNEGIE-MELLON

**Eric Tenbus '84** married Kristy Cooper in Vero Beach, Florida on January 23, 1993. He is working on his master's degree in marketing communications at Florida State. They live in Tallahassee.

## CASE WESTERN RESERVE

**Ronald A. Balyint '79** has been named manager of special finishing processes at The Timken Company's Gambrinus steel plant. Balyint received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Case Western.

**Charles Paquelet '84** married Dawn Newton in 1990. He is a partner in a Milwaukee-based investment banking firm.

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## Great Lakes Area Alumni Host Supreme Council Reception

On February 12, alumni representing a total of six chapters had the opportunity to socialize with the Supreme Council at a reception sponsored by the Buckeye Alumni Association. The Supreme Council was in Columbus, Ohio to participate in the Great Lakes Regional Leadership Conference being hosted by Alpha Rho Chapter (*Ohio State*).

During the formal part of the program, experiences were shared about the various alumni associations' best accomplishments and events. The most popular events were golf outings. National President Thomas J. Turner (*Texas Tech, Epsilon Gamma '67*) then spoke on the Supreme Council's vision for cultivating a stronger alumni fraternity. He also encouraged all alumni who had not previously done so to attend at least one national convention in order to fully appreciate the full scope of the Fraternity.

Alumni from the following chapters were in attendance: Alpha Rho, Alpha Xi (*Cincinnati*), Beta Epsilon (*Western Reserve*), Delta Beta (*Bowling Green State*), Gamma Omicron (*Ohio*), and Zeta Kappa (*Ferris State*). Special thanks goes to John Guroy (*Ohio State, Alpha Rho '71*), who organized and promoted the reception.

**Eric Stephenson '84** and his wife, Janette Marie, were married on June 20, 1992. They live in Euclid, Ohio.

#### CENTRAL FLORIDA

**Scott Bell '81** has accepted a position with Pizuti Realty, Inc. in Orlando, Florida. He is also

the Fraternity's Sunshine regional president.

**Christopher A. Tomasso '91** received his bachelor's degree in advertising/public relations in December 1992. He was hired as a marketing assistant by Sunshine Network, Florida's largest regional sports network.

#### CHAPMAN

**Troy A. MacDonald '84** married Michele Bartle on June 20, 1992. He is a district sales manager for Community Specialty Insurance in San Jose, California. MacDonald was a charter member of Theta Psi and served as ThC, SMC and IFC president.

**Gary A. Maxwell '85** lives in Anaheim Hills, California where he was promoted to vice president of Hi Life Products, a carpet cushion manufacturing company.

#### CINCINNATI

**David Karem '62**, State Senator [KY, D-Louisville] has been named majority floor leader in the Senate. The majority leader acts as the gatekeeper for bills and works in tandem with the Senate president to determine which bills will be called for action. He also serves on the State Commission on Health Care Reform.

**Matthew L. Moorman '87** graduated from the U.S. Air Force undergraduate pilot training at Columbus Air Force Base, Mississippi. He received the ATC Commander's Trophy as the top graduate in his class, and is flying the F16C at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas.

#### CLEMSON

**William B. Drummond '89** has been promoted to division manager of Professional Service Industries in Hudson, Florida. He will head all construction services and geotechnical operations in the area.

**Lance R. Hunt '88** married Lindsey Crowding in Atlanta on October 10, 1992. They live in Simpsonville, South Carolina where he is with Wal-Mart, managing distribution centers.

**John D. McElveen '85** married Lori McKinney on April 27, 1991. He works for Central Transport, Inc., as an account executive. They live in Easley, South Carolina.

#### COLORADO STATE

**Michael Brohman '85** is in graduate school at the University of Colorado at Denver. He is pursuing his master's degree in architecture.

**Clifford B. Eisenach '85** is a quality chemical engineer for Loctite Corporation in Newington, Connecticut.

#### CORNELL

**Scott A. Kelly '85** is a financial consultant with Shearson Lehman Brothers in Louisville, Kentucky.

**Rick Lipsey '86** is the editorial projects manager at *Sports Illustrated*.

#### CREIGHTON

**Kenneth B. Colaric '85** graduated from medical school on May 15, 1993.

**Richard K. Cook '85** is an account executive at American Business Information in Omaha.

**Stan Kathol '77**, CPA, has been promoted to director of administration for Omaha Airport Authority.



Present at the 1993 Congressional Founders Day celebration were National President Thomas J. Turner, Washington D.C. Area Alumni Association President Joseph A. Pavelka, and Past National President William N. LaForge.

## Founders Day Celebrated on Capitol Hill

The twenty-third annual Congressional Founders Day Celebration found many of Pi Kappa Alpha's Congressmen out of session, convening in New Jersey to discuss President Bill Clinton's economic stimulus package. The evening provided a fair game opportunity to poke fun at the political climate in Washington upon the election of a Democratic ticket for the first time in twelve years.

Over 100 alumni and undergraduates, representing 27 chapters, joined Past National President and emcee William N. LaForge (*Delta State, Zeta Beta '65*) in honoring Pi Kappa Alpha's nine brothers in the Second Session of the 103rd U.S. Congress. Nominated by National Vice President F. Anderson Morse (*William and Mary, Gamma '76*), Washington D.C. Area Alumni Association President Joe Pavelka (*Nebraska, Gamma Beta '34*) was unanimously re-elected. Pavelka was also recognized for his receipt of the Pi Kappa Alpha Loyalty Award at the 1992 Phoenix Convention.

The event, sponsored by Congressman Pat Roberts (*Kansas State, Alpha Omega '55*) [KS] featured a keynote address by National President Tommy J. Turner (*Texas Tech, Epsilon Gamma '67*). Urging brothers to display "character, determination and courage" as they serve the Fraternity, Turner recognized the PiKAs in Congress as examples of heroes in society, and admonished the crowd to become heroes for their chapters.

Also in attendance were Chapter Consultant William A. Green (*Wayne State, Delta Nu '88*), past Chapter Consultant Gregory Cohen (*Emory, Beta Kappa '88*), Delta Psi Alumni Association President David A. Crow (*Maryland, Delta Psi '72*), Delta Eta Corporation President Ervil J. Francis (*Delaware, Delta Eta '68*), Delapike Educational Foundation President Ralph A. Olivier (*Cornell, Beta Theta '72*), Delta Eta Chapter Advisor Robert P. Tkachick (*Delaware, Delta Eta '75*), Delta Psi Chapter Advisor Joseph E. Melanson (*Maryland, Delta Psi '83*), and Delta Alpha Chapter Advisor S. Woodruff Bentley (*Trinity, Epsilon Alpha '58*).

Delta Alpha Chapter from George Washington University was the largest group in attendance with 28 members, and the newly installed Iota Tau Chapter at Johns Hopkins University had 15 men present. Michael J. Kluzinski (*Delaware, Delta Eta '75*) travelled the farthest, journeying from south Florida.

The 1994 Congressional Founders Day Celebration is scheduled for Thursday, February 24, 6-10 p.m., at the Rayburn House Office Building, Banquet Rooms B-338-340.

## DELAWARE

**Thomas G. Kearns '85** and his wife, Michelle, started their own wholesale embroidered sportswear business in 1991 in Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

**Alan E. Schweizer, Jr. '75** and his wife, Robin, are the parents of a baby daughter, Kristin Nicole, born December 7, 1992.

## DELTA STATE



**William N. LaForge '69** was honored as Delta State University's most outstanding alumnus at their 1992 homecoming ceremonies. LaForge is a former national president of Pi Kappa Alpha.

**Duane Case '92** is an All-American pitcher for Delta State's baseball team. He married Stephanie Freely on June 13, 1992.

## DRAKE

**Ben Beal '91** is a marketing representative for Applied Systems in Chicago, Illinois.

**Craig Burma '91** and his wife, Brandi, are living in Bloomington, Minnesota where he is a technology director for Blazing Color.

**James Dunfee, Jr. '73** is the owner of a Century 21 agency. He and his wife, Mary, have three children, Beau, Alexandra and McCormick.

**David Osborne '53** and his wife, Audrey, are retired and living in Ohio.

**Geoffrey Strom '75** is the vice president of marketing for R.A.S. Builders.

## DUKE

**C. Roebuck, III '85** works in his family's business, the H.G. Roebuck & Son Printing Company, in Baltimore, Maryland.

## EAST CAROLINA



**Bart Edelen '66** is pursuing a career as a full-time realtor in Northern Virginia. He is already a top producer in the office of Long & Foster Realtors. Edelen previously worked for 20 years as a military fighter pilot and commercial airline pilot with Eastern Airlines.

## EAST CENTRAL

**John B. Barnes '86** is a territorial representative for the A.H. Robins Pharmaceutical Company in Texarkana, Texas.

**Matthew R. Bawcum '84** married Dawn Shufeldt in September 1990. They live in Paris, Texas where he is a partner in Toyota of Paris.

**Charles Carpenter '88** married Karie Zamarripa on May 29, 1992.

**Bruce Lambeth '90** married Teri Travis January 30th, 1993 in Duncan, Oklahoma.

**Lt. Rich Myskey '88** graduated from Ranger

School and is now stationed with the Second Engineers Battalion in Korea.

**Kelvin W. Williams '84** passed the California Bar and joined the law firm of Baker, Silberberg & Keener in Santa Monica.

## EAST TENNESSEE STATE

**Joey Britt '88** is a management trainee with Frito-Lay, Inc. He will be located on St. Simons Island, Georgia.

**Randall D. Light** is with Alltell Mobile Communications in Charlotte, North Carolina.

## EAST TEXAS STATE

**William E. Felinski '88** and his wife, Coni, announce the birth of their daughter, Courtney Reigh, on October 4, 1992. He has been promoted to navigation processor for Halliburton Geophysical Services in Houston, Texas.

**Roger Huffman '78** was honored at the Commerce, Texas, Chamber of Commerce banquet on February 11, 1993 as the Lions Club Police Officer of the Year. He is currently a lieutenant. He is chapter advisor for Theta Xi Chapter, a board member for United Way, coordinator for Commerce Crime Stoppers, manager of the local teen center, youth officer for the school district, a member of the Lions Club, the Masonic Lodge and Scottish Rites. He is the father of two daughters, Deana, 9, and Kimberly, 6.

**Pleas McKee, Jr. '78** received his teacher's certificate in May 1991 from Abilene Christian University. He teaches at the middle school in Greenville, Texas where he lives with his wife, Debbie, and their sons, Joshua and Benjamin, and their daughter, Adrienne. McKee is working on a master's degree at East Texas State.

**John D. Taylor '84** is production supervisor for Rubbermaid, Inc. in Greenville, Texas.

**Jeffrey W. Wheat '84** is employed at Pilgrims Pride Corporation as a production supervisor. He married Melanie Wheat on July 25, 1992.

## EASTERN KENTUCKY

**Robert W. Bosley '85** was promoted to fashions manager for K-Mart Fashions in Russell Springs, Kentucky. He and his wife, Tracie, had a daughter, Brittany Taylor, on November 18, 1992.

## EASTERN NEW MEXICO

**John J. Knoll '82** became an assistant for Kansas Attorney General Bob Stephan on March 8, 1993 after having served as the motions attorney for the Kansas Court of Appeals.

## EMORY

**Howard J. Bresalier '84** is doing his residency in otolaryngology at Botsford General Hospital in Cherry Hill, New Jersey.

**Jeffrey David Meyer '84** is an attorney with Benesch, Friedlander, Coplan & Aronoff in Columbus, Ohio.

**Marc A. Stiller '84** is enrolled at the University of Illinois in the M.B.A. program.

## FERRIS STATE

**Thomas J. Walder '78** and his wife, Nancy, live in Okemos, Michigan, with their children, Ryan, 8, and Sarah, 6. Walder is regional sales manager for Fortis Sales.

## FLORIDA

**Todd M. Andrew '85** is director of operations for Holcomb Construction in Orlando, Florida.

**Michael L. Middleton '66** is a nurse anesthetist at Grant Hospital in Chicago.

## FLORIDA SOUTHERN

**Christopher Stone '85** married Julie Hart in March 1990. They live in Lakeland, Florida where he works for CFRPC.

## FLORIDA STATE

**Garth Jax '84** is entering his eighth year as middle linebacker for the Phoenix Cardinals of the NFL, after playing for the Dallas Cowboys for three years. He was nominated for the Order of West Range for 1993.

**Michael J. MacDonald '85** is a U.S. Naval Flight Surgeon and is the head of the Department of Aerospace Medicine at the Naval Air Station in South Weymouth, Massachusetts.

**Dr. Stephen H. McDonald '85** graduated from flight surgeon training in Pensacola, Florida and is now the director of medical services for the branch medical clinic of the U.S. Navy in Beaufort, South Carolina.

**Gregory J. Moll '85** is a senior consultant with Texas Instruments in Hilton Head, South Carolina.

**Don Mulligan '68** has been named vice president southeastern regional manager of Mortgage Service America, a national banking company headquartered in San Rafael, California. Mulligan lives in Parkland, Florida with his wife, Tina, and their two children.

## FLORIDA TECH

**Derek Boudreau '89** is a 1992 graduate with a degree in environmental science. He and his wife, Kelli Rosell, moved to Virginia, where he works for the environmental consulting firm of Consoer, Townsend & Associates in Fairfax.

**Robert G. Omark, Jr. '85** is a design engineer for McDonnell Douglas Space Systems at Kennedy Space Center. He serves as Zeta Sigma Chapter's House Corporation president.

**Leon A. Petruccio '87** was married on February 13, 1993 to Harriet Frick. Petruccio is a first officer for Richmor Aviation, based in Greensboro, North Carolina.

**Edward A. Sarkisian '77** is a co-pilot for United Airlines on B727s. He served as newsletter editor of *The Golden Brick of Zeta Sigma* and alumni chairman as an undergraduate. He lives in New Jersey with his wife, Lorraine.

## GANNON

**Paul E. Stormer '85** married Cynthia Wolf on October 27, 1990 and their son, Eric Alexander, was born on July 23, 1992.

## GMI ENGINEERING &amp; MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

**Christopher Robinson '84** is an account executive on Kellogg Cereals with the Leo Burnett Advertising Agency in Chicago. He received his M.B.A. from the University of Chicago in 1991.

## GEORGETOWN

**Dr. John A. Sadlon '85** is an associate professor of English at Georgetown College.

## GEORGIA

**Christopher J. Bledsoe '82** and his wife, Teri, have relocated from Atlanta to Blairsville, Georgia with their two children, Whitney and Christopher. Bledsoe is the chief financial officer for United Community Banks, Inc.

**Wayne T. Cole, II '85** has been transferred to Las Vegas from Atlanta, Georgia to start a new broker program for Capital Business Leasing, Inc., in conjunction with Pitney Bowes.

**Russell J. Harrell '85** recently married Jessica Simpson of Charlottesville, Virginia. He is a computer programmer for Delta Air Lines, and lives in Davisboro, Georgia.

**William C. Miller '84** is in the patio furniture business, with a second store opened in Roswell, Georgia.

**William A. Schwoerer '86** lives in West Palm Beach, Florida with his wife, Laura, where he works for Abbott Laboratories in field sales.

**Christopher N. Smith '85** has opened his new law office in Macon, Georgia specializing in civil litigation. He was formerly with the law firm of Westmoreland, Patterson & Mosely.

## GEORGIA STATE

**Alfred L. Dingler '82** and his wife, Maria, have a daughter, Amy Justine, born January 6, 1993. They live in Fayetteville, Georgia.

**Bobby H. Dulin, Jr. '76** and his wife, Beth, live in Alpharetta, Georgia. He travels the United States as national accounts manager for Star Forms.

## HAMPDEN-SYDNEY

**Peter J. Gallagher, II '85** married Sarah Ossman in August 1991. They live in Exeter, New Hampshire where he sells decorative fabric for Robert Allen and Ametex Fabrics.

## HIGH POINT

**Charles M. Hall '84** is a retail finance officer for National Bank in Archdale, North Carolina where he's been employed for over five years.

## HOUSTON

**Michael Cweigenberg '85** married Theresa Woodruff on May 26, 1991. They live in Sugarland, Texas.

**Marshall B. Heins '78** is with St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital in Houston, Texas. He has been married for eight years and has two daughters.

## ILLINOIS

**Michael H. Bergner '85** is entering his second year as vice president of a seed company, Nu-Ag Seeds, which he and his father started in January 1992. They have had a 100% increase in sales this year.

**David Sulaski '87** received the Powers Award in 1990, and is now serving as assistant chapter ad-

visor for Beta Eta. He plans to relocate to Las Vegas upon graduation from law school.

## INDIANA

**Capt. Anthony J. Mika '85** USAF received his M.B.A. from Central Michigan in 1992. He was selected to launch an operational inter-continental ballistic missile from Vandenberg Air Force Base, California, to the U.S. Test Range 4,500 miles away in the South Pacific. He received the Commendation Medal.

**Barry Pachciarz '90** is chapter advisor for Delta Xi Chapter. He married Jamie Easley on December 18, 1992. He is with Re/Max Realty Centre in Fisher, Indiana.

## INDIANA SOUTHEAST

**Robert S. Tellman, III '81** recently began law school at Birmingham School of Law in Birmingham, Alabama. He is also a captain with the 87th MAC Army Reserve in Birmingham. He transferred from Palm Beach, Florida to the Birmingham office of Lloyds of London as a claims manager.

## INDIANA STATE

**Craig Blessinger '88** is a 1992 graduate of Indiana State, majoring in criminal justice. In September 1992 he graduated from the U.S. Officers' School, and is serving as a military policeman, stationed at Fort Myer, Virginia. He is a platoon leader for a special reaction team, in charge of providing Presidential security and safeguarding other dignitaries in the Washington, D.C. area.

**Anthony A. Harvey '85** married Karen Williams on September 5, 1992. They live in LaFayette, Indiana.

**Bradley T. Morgan '85** and his wife, Vickie, live in Crown Pointe, Indiana. He is employed at Northern Indiana Rehabilitation Medicine in Merrillville as an athletic trainer.

**Edward A. Pease '71** has been asked to assume the position of acting vice president for Development and Public Affairs at Indiana State University. Pease has previously served as executive assistant to the president and general counsel for the university.

**Troy V. Pesavento '85** will obtain his teacher's license and B.S. degree in kindergarten and primary education in December 1993.

**Erik L. Severud '84** recently married Kathryn Sawchak of Houston, Texas where both will graduate from Baylor College of Medicine. He plans to pursue a career in orthopaedic surgery.

**R. Darin Smith '84** has been selected to serve as the 1993 U.S. Rowing National Championships Administrative Chair, after being involved for the past three years in planning the national championships. He will be selected, also, to help plan the 1994 World Rowing Championships to be held for the first time in the United States.

## IOWA

**Michael C. Fliss '74** is president and CEO of Amcore Bank N.A. in Sterling, Illinois. He and his wife, Harriet, have two children, Megan, 4, and Jim, 18 months.



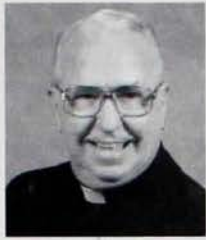
The Choice (from left): Kevin Gagnepain, Rick Smith, Brad Booker and friend.

## Missouri Pikes Rock On

Three Pike brothers from two Missouri chapters are finding success in the rock music business. "The Choice" is composed of Kevin Gagnepain (*Missouri-St. Louis, Zeta Phi '88*), Rick Smith (*Missouri-Columbia, Alpha Nu '87*), Brad Booker (*Missouri-St. Louis, Zeta Phi '91*), and one of Brad's longtime friends.

The group released a recording on March 5, 1993 entitled "Fall", which came out on both cassette and compact disc at selected music stores in the midwest and southeast. They have played at clubs and university functions from Kansas City to Atlanta, and hope to extend their circuit even farther.

"What a great feeling it is to have Pikes from the local chapter invade the stage entrance after the show!" says Booker.



**Rev. V. John Shankland '30** retired at the age of 84 from active ministry on January 1, 1993 from St. Luke's Church, Galt, California. He and his wife, Rosamond, have been married for 62 years, have two children, six grandchildren, and eleven great grand-

children. Rev. Shankland has traveled extensively all over the world and has made several archaeological surveys in Egypt and Israel, collecting ancient world artifacts from the 1st century A.D. and back into the 3rd millennium B.C.

#### IOWA STATE

**James E. Armstrong '77** has a new position as director of marketing for the American Academy of Dermatology in Schaumburg, Illinois. He was also elected to the board of trustees for the Chicago Academy for the Arts and to vice president of public relations for the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation's greater Chicago chapter.

#### KANSAS

**Randy D. Ellis '85** is living in Olathe, Kansas and working for the City of Overland Park as a programmer analyst.

**Jeffrey C. Mathis '85** has opened a new in-patient, out-patient facility, Mathis Rehabilitation, in Manhattan, Kansas. It has 5,000 square feet, providing physical and occupational therapy and preventive medicine.

#### KANSAS STATE

**Daron J. Brown '84** works for the Enterprise Leasing Corporation in Mission, Kansas.

**Kevin Kolbeck '88** has been transferred to Houston, Texas with Black & Decker as a sales representative covering Southeast Texas and Southwest Louisiana.

**Dr. James R. McAtee '88** graduated from the University of Kansas School of Medicine on May 16, 1993 as one of the top ten students in the class. He is an Alpha Omega Alpha National Medical Honor Society member. He and his wife, Kim, were married on April 10, 1992. They will move to Little Rock, Arkansas where McAtee will begin his five-year orthopaedic surgery residency at the University of Arkansas.

**Michael W. Riley '84** is a graduate of Washburn University School of Law. He is a trust officer of the Morrill & Jones Bank & Trust Company in Hiawatha, Kansas. Riley is a former chapter consultant for Pi Kappa Alpha National Headquarters.

**Dan P. Smith '83** married Kim Lunday on May 22, 1992. They live in Overland Park, Kansas. Swift served Alpha Omega Chapter as alumni chairman and was a Garnet & Gold scholar.

#### KENTUCKY

**Jim Arnett '87** graduated from the University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy and works for Dista Products Company.



**Daniel P. Issel '68** is head coach of the Denver Nuggets. He had a 15-year pro career with the Kentucky Colonels of the ABA and Denver Nuggets. In his 10 years as a pro with the Nuggets, he ranks second in all-time scoring (16,589) and first in rebounds (6,630).

**Stephen A. Wallen '83** was appointed to the office of Property Valuation administrator on March 3, 1993 by Governor Breveton Jones for Wayne County, Kentucky.

**Jeffry L. Simmons '84** was married in August 1990 to his wife, Theresa Anne. He received his B.S. in civil engineering in August 1991 and works as a projects engineer for Commonwealth Edison Company in Chicago.

#### LAMAR

**Lee Guillory '73**, former SMC, IMC, and rush chairman for Epsilon Kappa Chapter, moved to Austin, Texas as a regional manager for Ashland Chemical.

**Daryl S. Gray '85** married Dana Crowley on February 14, 1993. They live in Nederland, Texas where he is a copywriter/producer for Advertising Associates.

#### LEHIGH

**Ray Andracka '83** and his wife announce the birth of their second son, Andrew, in November 1992.

**Donald H. Brown '71** is serving with the U.S. Army.

**Bob Contey '58** is the new ventures manager at the Edison Plastics Company. He has three daughters and a grandson.

**Joseph J. Fusco, Jr. '78** is a pilot with Delta Air Lines out of Atlanta, flying as a Boeing 757/767 first officer.

**Karl Gabriel '84** is a project engineer with the Thomas J. Lipton Company in Capitola, California.

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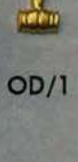
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**Jeff George '86** is a senior engineer with the Lord Corporation. He received his M.B.A. from Penn State in January. He and his wife had a second child, Derek, in April 1992.

**Joseph M. Hitzel '58** is a pilot with Trans World Airlines.

**Richard B. Kent '82** received the graduate business award for achieving a 4.0 grade point average in the M.B.A. program when he graduated from St. Joseph's University last May. He is now a senior investment officer with Securities Research in Wilmington, Delaware.

**Robert Sigethy '53** is dean of the School of Business at Marymount University.

#### LINFIELD

**Mark R. Herndon '84** is manager of sales information for Avia Group International. He has two children, Lori, 4, and Matthew, 2.

#### LOUISIANA TECH

**Robert J. Elder, III '84** will start law school this fall at Nova University's Shepard Broad Law Center in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

**Steve Scott '74** has published his latest book, *101 Effective Marketing Ideas Using Your Church Computer*. He lives in Southlake, Texas with his wife, Linda, and son, Brandon.

**Chris Steed '85** lives in Monroe, Louisiana, with his wife, Laura, and their daughter, Brooke, 3. He is an airline pilot with G.P. Express Airlines.

#### LOYOLA MARYMOUNT

**John J. Pavelka '85** is a senior life underwriter for State Farm Insurance. He and his wife were married on August 22, 1992 and live in Santa Rosa, California.

**Jon M. Whited '87** was transferred to State Farm Insurance's Senior Referral Unit as a fraud investigator.

#### MARSHALL

**James M. Corey '85** is a sales representative for Liberty Optical Company. He lives in Charleston, West Virginia with his wife, Julie Ann, and serves as vice president of the River Cities Alumni Association.

#### MARYLAND

**Richard A. Dostal '85** joined alumnus brother, Brian Rightnour, and founded The Phoenix Properties, a real estate brokerage and services firm in Lanham, Maryland.

**Christopher M. Marts '79** accepted the position as managing attorney of Charles E. Chlan & Associates in Bel Air, Maryland. He was vice president and rush chairman for Delta Psi Chapter.

**Candido R. Palting, III '85** married Luisa Giorla on August 22, 1992.

#### MEMPHIS STATE



**Charles T. McCraw, Jr. '85** and his wife, Donna, announce the birth of twin sons, Benjamin Thomas and Alexander Charles. They join their sister, Deanna, who is 2. McCraw has joined Proctor & Gamble as a financial analyst.

**Phillip A. Richards '86** works for Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Pharmaceuticals Division, as a territory representative. He left the U.S. Army as a first lieutenant in artillery, after serving in the Gulf War with the 2nd Armored Division. He received the Army Commendation Medal.

#### MIAMI

**Chuck Bebbler '83** has a business with Ray Larson ('81) and his brother Andrew ('84) called Lighting Depot, Inc. in Ft. Myers.

**Ed J. DeTorres '85** is a mechanical engineer in the power generation division of Florida Power & Light Company in Miami, Florida.

**Fernando Becerra '90** works in the accounting department at Cartier International.

**Jackson Curlin '71** is in the commercial equipment finance business in El Paso, Texas. He and his wife, Donna, have two children.

**Ed DeTorres '85** works for Florida Power & Light in South Florida, and lives in Miami.

**Dean Dislione '88** has applied to graduate school for architecture. He works for Andersen Consulting in Miami.

**Frank Farkas '61** works for Financial Federal Savings and Loan.

**Lewis Fogle '36** and his wife, Virginia, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on February 21, 1993.

**Carlos Gutierrez '84** is a store manager for Payless Shoes at South Miami Beach.

**Nick Gutierrez '83** is an international corporate associate for the law firm, Steel, Hector, and Davis. He is also the Gamma Omega Housing and Alumni, Inc. secretary.

**Thomas Jordan '51** is practicing law. He has two daughters, Dorothy and Carol.

**David L. King '67** is a building contractor in Naples, Florida where he lives with his wife and two children.

**Peter Lehman '73** is the head tennis coach at Florida International University. He is married and has two children.

**John F. Lisk '71** is married and has a 12 year old daughter. He is in private practice in Coconut Grove, Florida.

**Scott O'Steen '81** earned his M.B.A. at the University of Miami, and is now the executive vice president of Dade Fencing Company.

**Charles Papy, Jr. '46** is still practicing law in Coral Gables, and is the proud grandfather of four.

**Paul Posoli '88** passed his CPA exam and is working as an auditor for Coopers and Lybrand.

**Thomas Pratt '55** is the defensive line coach for the Kansas City Chiefs football team. He has three children and three grandchildren.



**Howard Schnellenberger '80** was inducted into UM's Sports Hall of Fame on March 4. Schnellenberger was the head coach of Hurricanes football team from 1979-83. He led the 'Canes to an 11-1 record, and their first National Championship in 1983.

His career coaching record at UM was an impressive 41-16. He is presently the head coach at the University of Louisville, where he's coached since 1985.

**Earl Welbaum '51** is a partner in the law firm of Welbaum, Zook and Jones, specializing in building construction litigation. Earl was inducted into UM's Sports Hall of Fame on March 4th. He was a four-year letterman in track and was the captain in 1954; he held the school records for the quarter mile, the half mile, and for anchoring the mile relay. He is married and has three children.

**Chris Williams '79** owns a Chinese restaurant in Coral Gables called "China One." He is married and has two daughters.

#### MIAMI-OHIO

**Jeffrey S. Bechtel '85** has two children, Jeffrey Scott, Jr., born May 29, 1990, and Natalie Sue, born June 5, 1992.

**Stephen R. Miller '85** married Kathryn Leech on May 30, 1992 and had seven Pike brothers as attendants.

#### MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE

**William F. Addisson '85** married Kelli Youngblood on August 22, 1992. He works for Sports Village as director of member services and is also in the process of attaining his real estate appraisal designation.

**Rodney B. Gamble '84** lives in Cookeville, Tennessee with his wife, Patti, and daughter, Emily. He is an area sales manager with the Rogers Group, Inc.

**Blake L. Kelley '91** was recently named interim head football coach at Spring Hill High School. Kelley led the "Raiders" to a 12-2 season and a trip to the state semi-finals. He is in his first year as a biology and physics teacher, along with his coaching job.

**Michael D. Moore '89** is a sales representative with Physician Sales and Service of San Antonio. He lives in Corpus Christi with his wife, Stephanie. They were married on December 26, 1992.

#### MILLSAPS

**William J. Crosby '58** graduated with a degree in sociology in 1961 and did post graduate work at the University of Iowa. He is the project manager for Davidson Hotel Company in Memphis, Tennessee. Since graduation from Millsaps, he has served as a member of the Alumni Council, the Second Century Planning Commission, was the founding president of the Memphis Millsaps Club and is currently on the Parents Council. He is also a member of the student loan committee for the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation. Crosby and his wife, Marilyn, have two sons, Chris and Matt.

**Lt. William J. May, Jr. '84** is now a civilian, and is starting a manufacturers' representative agency in Nashville, Tennessee.



**Gen. Louis H. Wilson '39**, retired Commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps, made a special appearance on the television show, "Major Dad," which aired on October 23, 1992. General Wilson won the Medal of Honor for leading his men to take a crucial hill

in Guam during World War II. He is the only Marine in history to enlist as a private and be promoted to Commandant, the highest position in the Marine Corps.

#### MISSISSIPPI

**Steven B. DeLoach '86** is the insurance administrator for Belmont Constructors, Inc. in Houston, Texas. He and his wife, Karman, announce the birth of their daughter, Alexandria Weatherly, on January 25, 1993. She joined her brother, Steven Blake, 2½.

**Cas E. Heath, III '84** is a second year medical student at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, Mississippi.

**Kenneth D. Heredia '84** married Anne Michelle Sisson on November 21, 1992. They live in Columbus, Mississippi.

#### MISSISSIPPI STATE

**Wesley C. Reed '83** is a sales agent with Franklin Corporation in Plano, Texas.

**Kevin R. Thames '84** has transferred from Detroit, Michigan to Atlanta, Georgia with Prism, Inc.

**Louis H. Watson, Jr. '84** graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Law in May 1991 and is practicing labor and employment law with the firm of Phelps-Dunbar in Jackson, Mississippi.

#### MISSOURI-COLUMBIA

**Joseph B. Ahart '84** accepted a position with Six Flags, Inc. in St. Louis as a sales representative.

**Howard H. Bell '46**, CAE, is one of three ASAE 1993 Key Award honorees. Bell is affiliated with Wiley, Rein & Fielding, and both the American Advertising Foundation and the American Advertising Federation, both based in Washington, D.C.

**David P. Bross '84** and his wife, Amy, are the proud parents of a daughter, Lauren Marie, born November 23, 1992.

**William M. Feld '83** and his wife, Julie, announce the birth of their fourth son, Samuel Aaron, on August 3, 1992. He joins his brothers, Benjamin, Nathan, and Jacob. Feld was promoted to manager of production control at McDonnell Douglas Corporation in St. Louis.

**Wendell A. Knehans '82**, former IMC, rush chairman, pledge coordinator and pledge class president for Alpha Nu, was promoted to customer operations supervisor for Monsanto in July 1992. He also announces the birth of his daughter, Mari Elizabeth, on January 1993.

**Thomas J. Kutey '84** married Kelly Loy on August 8, 1992. They live in Overland Park, Kansas.

**Steven C. Kutheis '85** is a program director for Maritz Performance Improvement Company in St. Louis.

**Brad Miller '85** married Barbie Bates in June 1990, and their son, Thomas Christopher, was born on August 13, 1991. Miller graduated with distinction from UMKC School of Dentistry on May 8, 1992 and is practicing in Columbia.

**Paul A. Murphy '84** was promoted to senior marketing representative for Prodigy Services Company in the St. Louis territory.

**William C. Rehbock '85** married Heidi Rudick on November 14, 1992. They live in San Jose, California.

#### MISSOURI-ROLLA

**John C. Stukes '78** joined EZ Corp, Inc. in Austin, Texas in January as senior software engineer.

#### MONTEVALLO

**Ben M. Baxley '84** is assistant district attorney in Tuscaloosa, Alabama and is assigned to the West Alabama Narcotics Squad.

**Joe B. Hill, Jr. '84** has been promoted to manager of human resources for the Fort Sanders Health System, the largest health care employer in East Tennessee.

#### MURRAY STATE

**Michael L. Miller '85** married Leigh Ann Moore on November 28, 1992. He is the director of sales for a Marriott Hotel in Atlanta, Georgia.

**James R. Tipps, Jr. '84** is director of golf at Hunter's Green Country Club in Tampa, Florida. He and his wife, Lisa, have been married for over two years.

**John E. Townsley '84** married Stacy Thompson on June 20, 1992. He is the human resources manager for Emerson Electric Corporation in Jackson, Tennessee.

**Barry W. Ward, II '84** was awarded the Circle of Excellence Award for 1992 for the top sales performer in the Paducah District, by the Kraft Corporate Headquarters.

#### NEBRASKA

**Robert L. Epperson '84** is a field engineer for Eby Construction in Wichita, Kansas.

**Wilbur "Ole" Olson '30** is a consultant for Josten's, Inc. in Minneapolis, Minnesota and has been on their payroll for 64 years, since starting as a salesman in 1929. His claim to fame, at 81 years old, is that he has shot his age in golf for the last eight years; a feat that *Golf Digest* reports only one person out of 200,000 accomplishes!

#### NEBRASKA-OMAHA

**Robert G. O'Neill '52** has been named department chair of the art department at Lamar University.

#### NORTH ALABAMA

**Glen M. Brown '83** is with McDonnell Douglas Aerospace in Huntsville, Alabama. He and his wife, Traci, announce the birth of their son, Aubrey Taylor, on August 25, 1992.

**Jeffery W. Burbank '84** accepted a position as science and history teacher and assistant football coach with the Lauderdale County Board of Education. He lives in Florence, Alabama.



**William E. Smith, Jr. '84** recently received his juris doctor degree from Cumberland School of Law of Samford University in Birmingham, Alabama. While at Cumberland, he was chairman of the Cordell Hull Speakers Forum, president of the Cumberland Democrats, and a

## News of BYGONE DAYS

**25 YEARS AGO** . . . The *Shield & Diamond* reported on the celebration of the Centennial Celebration as "Pi Kappa Alphas Across The Country Commemorate Founders Day With Largest And Most Successful Celebration in the Fraternity's History." . . . Zeta Pi Chapter at the University of South Florida, Zeta Rho Chapter at the University of North Dakota, and Zeta Sigma Chapter at the Florida Institute of Technology were installed as chapters.

**50 YEARS AGO** . . . Junior Founder John Shaw Foster died on May 26 in Decatur, Georgia . . . "Soldier Students assigned to colleges may join fraternities if they wish and if they get an opportunity, the War Department has ruled . . . National President Major Roy D. Hickman wrote a letter of support to chapters facing difficulties during the War years. "While the responsibility of carrying on in uncertain times is heavy, the reward is great. When history is again written, you who have contributed by helping and by watching will have the praise of those that carry on after you."

**75 YEARS AGO** . . . From the Chapter Letters of Gamma Chapter: "We are now fast approaching the end of the college year, and shortly the campus — golden with buttercups — will be deserted, until next fall, when with the inauguration of coeducation, we expect to see something prettier than buttercups on it." . . . From the Chapter Letters of Alpha Zeta Chapter: "Alpha Zeta's Mother's Day was celebrated on Friday, May 10th, when, after a few informal talks by the fellows, each boy retired to write his mother a letter of remembrance from her son and from Pi Kappa Alpha."

**100 YEARS AGO** . . . "With the class that graduates this July from the South Carolina Military Academy passes out of its time-honored walls the last remnant of our Lambda Chapter, around whose name twines so many pleasant memories." . . . From the Chapter Letters of Theta Chapter: "Another college year has passed, and the dear old boys of Theta have gone in various directions. We are separated, but we are joined in heart, and in the bonds."

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member of the Trial Advocacy Board. He also received the American Jurisprudence Award for making the highest grade in Criminal Procedure I. He passed the Georgia Bar and will take the Alabama Bar Exam, with plans to open his law office in Florence, Alabama.

#### NORTH CAROLINA



**Jerry W. Askew '73** has resigned as dean of students at the University of Tennessee-Knoxville to accept a job as one of UT's three new assistant vice chancellors for development. He joined the UT staff in 1985 as dean of students, and previously had worked at the University

of Miami at Coral Gables. Askew has a long history of service to Pi Kappa Alpha, having served as a Memorial Headquarters staff member, an undergraduate Supreme Council vice president, a regional president, a member of the Educational Advisory Committee, Supreme Council vice president and national president (1990-92).



**Edmund P. Cole '67** has joined the professional staff of Heber Fuger Wendin, Inc., Birmingham, Michigan as an investment advisor managing investment portfolios of commercial banks, pension funds, corporations and individuals. He was formerly with the Ohio

Company, a regional investment banking firm in Columbus, Ohio. After graduation from the University of North Carolina with a degree in economics, Cole earned an M.B.A. in finance from the University of Michigan. He and his wife, Nancy, live in Grosse Pointe, Michigan.

**F. Bryant Dicks '82** received a promotion to area manager of Plantation Pipe Line Company in the Greensboro, North Carolina area. He and his wife announce the birth of their second child, Abigail Rebecca, on January 4, 1993.

#### NORTH CAROLINA STATE

**Michael E. McRoy '85** is a firefighter with the Raleigh Fire Department.

**David M. Stewart, Jr. '85** has returned to Gastonia as a sales representative for Globe Manufacturing Company.

**Richard B. Whitman '84** married Lyn Harris on November 7, 1992. They live in Columbia, South Carolina, where he is a mortgage officer in escrow operations for Resource Bancshares in Columbia.

#### NORTH TEXAS

**William Naylor '85** is a CPA at the senior level with Campos and Stratis, CPAs.

#### NORTHEAST LOUISIANA

**Rafe Jordan, Jr. '85** married DeAnn Murray on March 6, 1993. They live in Shreveport. He works for Louisiana Down in Bossier City, Louisiana.

#### NORTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE

**Gregory Lamp '85** has started his private audiology and hearing aid clinic, the Family Hearing Center in Grove, Oklahoma. He and his wife have a daughter, Emily Ariela, born August 14, 1992.



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**Rick A. Moore '87** is a fire claims representative for State Farm Fire and Casualty in Muskogee, Oklahoma. He was a co-chairman in the 1992 Republican campaign of Steve Byas for State House District 45, while simultaneously being involved in Henry Hill's 2nd District Congressional race and Don Nickles' victorious Oklahoma campaign for the U.S. Senate. He is also a political reporter for the *Oklahoma Constitution*, a conservative quarterly newspaper.

#### NORTHERN ARIZONA

**Roderic A. VanSaun '85** spends winters working for Allstate as a claims representative, and during summers is a guide for fishing charters in Cook Inlet, Alaska.

#### NORTHERN ILLINOIS

**Robert F. Wendell '85** and his wife, Michelle, have been married two years. He works for Comdisco, Inc. as a project manager on the AT&T product line.

#### NORTHERN IOWA

**Joseph Bodensteiner '85** has been named claims manager of the workers' compensation and employee injury benefits department of Barron and

Company Adjusters, Inc., a San Antonio based company.

**Mark R. Watson '85** has been named assistant art director for *Trains Magazine*, *Model Railroader*, *Classic Toy Trains*, and *Great Model Railroads*, all products of Kalmbach Publishing Company. He and his wife, Vonna, live in Milwaukee.

#### NORTHERN KENTUCKY

**Michael L. Butsch '85** married Susan Reed on May 8, 1992. He is scientific visual analysis laboratory manager at Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University Governmental Affairs.



**Daniel J. Dressman '76**, executive vice president of the Virginia Peninsula Association of Realtors, has been selected to head the 23,000 member Michigan Association of Realtors located in Lansing. He began his new duties in Lansing on May 1, 1993. Dressman began

his career in association management with the Northern Kentucky Chamber of Commerce in 1980 as director of governmental affairs.

#### NORTH TEXAS

**Aaron E. Young, IV '85** married Brandi Smith on May 30, 1992.

#### NORTHWESTERN

**Sebastian I. Monastero '85** works for Ford Motor Company and was recently promoted and transferred from Chicago to Detroit as the sales & marketing manager.

#### OHIO

**John Deaven '68** lives in Los Angeles with his wife, Nancy, and children, Peggy Sue, 5, and Joe, 3. Their street is a frequent filming site.

**Thomas W. Duval '90** is coaching football, basketball and baseball at the Academy of the Holy Angels High School in Richfield, Minnesota.

**Chris McFall '88** is a sales representative with the M&M/Mars Company in Virginia Beach, Virginia area.

#### OHIO STATE

**Jeffrey Annis '84** and his wife, Leigh Ann, announce the birth of their son, Kyle Christopher, on March 19, 1993. Annis is a project engineer for the catalog division of Eddie Bauer, Inc. in Columbus.

**Edward (Ted) Kurt '71** has been appointed general legal counsel for Mercy & St. Charles Hospitals in Oregon, Ohio.

#### OKLAHOMA

**Allen Autrey '84** has opened a law office in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Autrey and his wife, Crystal, are the parents of Jackson Lyall, 2, and Ashley Elizabeth, 4 months.

**Kenn White '87** was recently named as a predoctoral clinical research fellow in cognitive neuroscience at the National Institute of Health in suburban Washington, D.C. In addition, he is completing work on his Ph.D. in developmental psychophysiology at the University of Maryland. He will graduate in the fall of 1994.

## OKLAHOMA STATE

**Donald B. Claypool '84** married Lee Ann Cyr on September 19, 1992. He is employed at University Medical Center of Southern Nevada as assistant administrator of clinics and support services.

**Philip R. Rhees, II '84** married Gena Cranford. They live in Dallas, Texas where he is a managing loan officer for Beneficial in Plano.

## OREGON STATE

**Dirk T. Davis '81** lives in Tigard, Oregon where he recently became an owner in Kelley-Clarke, a food broker company in Portland.

## PENNSYLVANIA

**Joel Friedland '74** has been a financial consultant for five years, including the past three years with Dean Witter in New York.

**Parker A. Weil '84** is working for Saloman Brothers in Chicago as an associate in corporate finance.

**Steve Whelan '83** announces the birth of his second son, Samuel, on April 18, 1992. Whelan is director of national conferences for Campus Crusade for Christ in Orlando, Florida.

## SOUTHWESTERN

**Michael S. Lade '85** is a CPA with Arthur Andersen in Houston. He serves as president of the Alpha Omicron Alumni Association.

**Jim Nichols '85** was promoted to the position of electronics media services representative with Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Kansas City, Missouri.

## STEPHEN F. AUSTIN

**Sam David Burt '85** was hired last August as the new physical education teacher and 8th grade football, track and golf coach at Brady Jr. High in Brady, Texas.

**Kirk Weaver '67** is the regional vice president for Colorado for Provident Mutual Life Insurance of Philadelphia.

**Tony Wier '81** lives in Nacogdoches, Texas where he is a sales representative for Foretravel Motorhomes, Inc. He and his wife, Kim, have two boys, Chase, 4, and Bailey, 1, and a new daughter, born November 18, 1992.

## STETSON

**Dr. Gregory A. Kazanjian '84** graduated from Logan College of Chiropractic in December 1992 and is currently practicing in Teaneck, New Jersey.

**Clarence E. Mullis, III '85** is back at Stetson working in the Development Department, after spending a year in the Judicial Affairs Department at the University of Florida.

**Samuel W. Setliff '80** has become president of The Stetson Crew Association.

**Steven M. Webster '84** is employed by the Department of Justice as a trial attorney in Washington, D.C.

## SYRACUSE

**Salvatore F. Caterina '85** has accepted an appointment as a trooper with the New York State Police. As an undergraduate, he served Alpha Chi as ThC, pledge educator and Most Outstanding Brother in 1988.

**Capt. Marc E. Gonick '83** took command of "C" Company, 344th MI Battalion in San Angelo, Texas. He is also working on his master's degree.

## TENNESSEE-KNOXVILLE

**Jack A. Arthur, Jr. '56** is regional manager with Baskerville Donovan Engineers in Panama City, Florida.

**Ernie Bacon, Jr. '56** is the regional vice president of Healthtrust, which owns 82 hospitals nationwide.

**George Campbell, Jr. '72** is manager of logistics information and systems technology for Scott Paper Company. He is serving as president of the Philadelphia Chapter of Delta Nu Alpha.

**Bruce Chiles '58** is a middle Tennessee oil distributor, and is a former president of the Tennessee and National Oilmen's Associations.

**David A. Floyd, Jr. '84** and his wife, Leigh Ann, moved to Nashville, Tennessee. Both work for David Floyd & Associates, Inc.

**Lowry "Buzz" Lamb '47** sold his CPA practice in Chattanooga and retired. He spends most of his time sailing.

**William H. Taylor, Sr. '51** is CEO and partner in a new company, Carolina Coating Technologies of Conover, North Carolina.

**Dr. Bob White '48** is a past president of Rotary and Jaycees and was vice president of the Tennessee Jaycees and also a national director.

## TENNESSEE-MARTIN

**Hal Willis '73** has been elevated to the new post of worldwide general manager for Country Music Television Network. Willis started as an attorney with NLT Corporation and was previously senior counsel for Gaylord Entertainment. He has been on the board of directors of CMT since Gaylord and Group W Communications acquired the cable network in January 1991.

**Ronald M. Wolfe '67** and his wife, Ellen, announce the birth of their son, Reed Marshall on November 1, 1992. They reside in Lavinia, Tennessee. Wolfe is vice president of First American

National Bank in Milan and hosts the Milan Pacer Golf Tournament each year to raise funds for the UT Martin Pacer Athletic programs.

## TENNESSEE TECH

**Gerald W. Russell '84** announces the birth of his son, Garrett Tyler, on September 30, 1992.

## TEXAS

**Dr. Marc L. Boom '85** is living in Boston, completing a residency program in internal medicine at the Massachusetts General Hospital.



**Nathan Nickerson '86** has accepted an associate position with The Weitzman Group in Austin, Texas. He has three years' experience in the Austin real estate market and specializes in commercial investment properties.

## TEXAS-ARLINGTON

**Jess F. Phillips, III '84** works for Hewlett Packard Company in Dallas as a sales representative. He married Tisha Strzinek on April 17, 1993.

## TEXAS A&amp;M

**William L. Bedell '84** joined the national sales staff of All Green chemical lawn company. He lives in Houston.

**Donald K. Poteet '84** has returned to A&M to pursue a degree in landscape architecture.

## TEXAS TECH

**Staley Faulkner, Jr. '85** is the sales manager for Horizon Turf/Jacobsen-Textron in Phoenix, Arizona. He and his wife have a daughter, Savanna, born September 25, 1992.

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## Presbyterian College Alumnus Retires From Georgia Supreme Court

After 42 years of public service, Presiding Justice Richard Bell (*Presbyterian, Mu '41*) retired from the Georgia Supreme Court on December 31, 1992.

Presiding Justice Bell is among a handful of Georgians who have been elected to all three branches of state government. He was elected to the legislative branch as a state representative serving in 1950-52; elected to the executive branch first as solicitor of the DeKalb State Court, 1954-56; and later solicitor general (later changed to district attorney) for DeKalb County, 1956-76; elected to the judicial branch first as superior court judge, 1980-82; and then as a justice on the Supreme Court of Georgia, 1982-92.

Bell earned a degree in economics from Presbyterian College, and in 1943 he entered the U.S. Army, where he rose to the rank of captain while serving on active duty in the infantry during World War II. He retired as a lieutenant colonel in the Military Police Corps Reserve.

When he returned from the War, Bell enrolled in Emory University School of Law where he obtained his law degree in 1949.

Bell has been a member of the State Bar of Georgia for 42 years. He is a member of the Decatur Presbyterian Church, the Masonic Order, the Decatur Lions Club, and the American Legion. He will retire to Stone Mountain, Georgia, with his wife, Naomi Whittemore. They have four children and eleven grandchildren. Bell enjoys tennis and golf, and plans to spend retirement time teaching his grandchildren to fish and swim.



**Joe Jordan '68** is listed in *Who's Who of America*. He flew 103 combat missions in Vietnam, won the Distinguished Flying Cross and three air medals, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. He is living in Reno, Nevada and is a captain for Reno Air.

#### TRANSYLVANIA

**George D. Lawson, Jr. '78** is a managing partner of Stephens & Lawson, CPAs in Louisville, Kentucky, where he lives with his wife, Janice, and their two children, Allison and Bradley.

#### TRINITY

**Eric Beatty '85** is the marketing director for Sports International, Ltd. in Taipei, Taiwan. He has been in this field in Asia since 1990.

#### TULANE



**James J. McCloskey, Jr. '50** has been appointed to the board of governors for the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children Shreveport Unit. McCloskey is a member of the Jerusalem Temple, a member of the Harahan, Louisiana, Rotary Club, a licensed eucharistic minister at All Saints Episcopal Church, an electrical engineering graduate from Tulane University, and a registered professional engineer in Louisiana.



**Huey B. McDaniel '87** has been accepted into the general surgery residency program at Indiana University Medical Center.

#### TULSA

**Ridgeley M. Bond '41** has been honored with his picture from the musical "Oklahoma" on a United States postal stamp, which was issued on March 30, 1993 in Oklahoma City. Bond joined the Broadway show as "Curly" shortly after being discharged from the Navy in 1946, and stayed until it closed in 1954. He joined luminaries from the various stage and film casts of "Oklahoma" on March 31 for a gala reunion in New York hosted by the Rodgers & Hammerstein Organization. He is the district coordinator for the Columbus, Georgia, insurance company, American Family Life, in Tulsa.

**Frank Ingo '72** and **Steven West '89** are both part of management for the five star/five diamond hotel, Doral Telluride Resort & Spa in Colorado. West has worked for Doral for three years and was recently promoted to chief concierge, and Ingo has worked for them for two years as a sales manager.

#### UTAH

**Tim Blackburn '84** is a regional planner for Hussmann Corporation in the intermountain area of Utah. He does consulting in design, engineering and planning in the supermarket industry.

#### VALPARAISO

**Michael J. Hudkins '89** married Jill Prehn on August 15, 1992. They live in Orlando, where he is an engineer with Hartman & Associates, Inc.

**Theodore E. Ochs '86** has been promoted to the position of supervisor of contract administration for U.S. Steel-Gary Works, in Gary, Indiana. He and his wife have a daughter, Ashley Anne, born December 29, 1992.

**Gregory M. Oman '84** announces the birth of his son, Zachary Max, on February 3, 1993.

#### VANDERBILT

**Robert Cornwell '85** is attending the Babcock School of Business at Wake Forest University and working as a hall director.

**Dennis W. Cross '74** has been appointed executive director of the Arts and Sciences Foundation at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He also assumed an appointment as associate dean for program development in the same department.

**Walter W. Wheelhouse, M.D. '68** is the chief of orthopaedic surgery at Crockett Hospital in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. He was recently elected to be the representative of the Lawrence County Medical Society at the 1993 Tennessee Medical Association meeting in Knoxville. He was a Phi Beta Kappa at Vanderbilt.

#### VIRGINIA

**Daniel Ryczek '69** recently formed Padco Advisors to become the investment advisor to the Nova Mutual Funds Company. He married Teresa Fields on December 11, 1992. He has two children.

#### VIRGINIA TECH

**John M. Christopher '85** completed his master's degree in accounting in December 1992 and is employed by KPMG Peat Marwick in Roanoke.

**Joseph J. Collins '85** married his wife, Staci, on February 8, 1992. They live Gaithersburg, Maryland.

**John C. Gawne, Jr. '85** is a lieutenant in the U.S. Navy, flying FA-18s. He recently graduated from



Thirty PiKA alumni after a three-hour banquet and four-hour business meeting.

## Alpha Theta Founders Day A Great Success

Alpha Theta Chapter at West Virginia University held its annual Founders Day Dinner on April 3rd, 1993. This year's Founders Day was the most successful in many years at Alpha Theta, highlighted by the attendance of many special guests, including Washington, D.C. Area Alumni Association President Joe Pavelka (*Nebraska, Gamma Beta '34*), Founders Regional President Russell Alexander (*Northern Kentucky, Eta Rho '78*), and National Housing Officer Daniel W. Corah (*Colorado State, Epsilon Theta '83*).

The keynote speaker, National Vice President Andy Morse (*William and Mary, Gamma '76*), gave an inspiring address on Alpha Theta history and the future of Pi Kappa Alpha. Other speakers included Alpha Theta Alumni Association President Dave Warren '77 and Alpha Theta Chapter President Keith Burkepile. Alumni, active chapter members, wives, girlfriends, and sorority presidents from the WVU campus made up the 100 in attendance.

Following the banquet, an alumni meeting was very successful in reorganizing the alumni association and housing corporation. \$1,100 was donated to the alumni association.

This great day ended with a social at the chapter house. Alpha Theta would like to thank everyone who attended. Special thanks and appreciation go to Phil Iappalucci (*West Virginia, Alpha Theta '83*) for his work in organizing the event.

the Navy Fighter Weapon School, "Topgun". He and his wife, Dawn, have a daughter, Dawn, 2.

**Kevin T. Keenan '85** is working in Norfolk, Virginia, for a Chilean Corporation.

**Charles J. Rainer, Jr. '86** married Lisa Browder on May 9, 1992. They live in Hanahan, South Carolina, where he is administrator of Hospital Management in Charleston, South Carolina.



**Ronald M. Roth '89** married Sherri Hutchinson on October 3, 1992. He works for Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, turbo charger division, in Addison, Illinois.

**William F. Swenton, Jr. '88** is former IMC, vice president of rush, scholarship chairman, and "Pike of the Month" for Epsilon Chapter. He married Stacy Marie Lu on October 24, 1992. They live in Atlanta, where Swenton is employed by Andersen Consulting.

#### WAKE FOREST

**Jeffrey Vaughan '85** married Emily Montag on February 27, 1993.

#### WASHINGTON

**Tim Donovan '82** left the Navy at the end of 1992 and has a new sales position with Kendall Healthcare Products in Dallas, Texas.

**Eric Hemmen '90** works for the office of the administrator for the Supreme Court in Olympia, Washington.

**Chad Perry '86** married Kim Rattray on February 13, 1993.

**Tim Thiers '83** has a new job with Microsoft as a financial analyst.

**Roger Toland '84** is attending Seattle University night school to obtain his master's degree.

#### WASHINGTON STATE

**Leland J. Axelsson '45** is enjoying retirement with his wife, Julein, in Christiansburg, Virginia. He was a sociology and family studies professor at Virginia Tech.

**Matthew E. Brislaw '53** was a charter member of Gamma Xi Chapter. He is the vice president of the Boeing Helicopter Division. He lives in Wallingford, Pennsylvania, with his wife, Julia.

**Dan Carmody '81** is employed by Asea Brown Boveri in Rye, New York. He and his wife, Kathy, have two children, Melissa and Jeffrey.

**David O. Dahl '86** married Colleen Marie Kelly on June 26, 1992. They live in Salem, Oregon and Dahl works for Milne Construction.

**Jim W. Gilbertson, Jr. '85** is facility director for Ford Graphics and lives in Tacoma. He plans to enter the M.B.A. program at PLU for Ford Graphics advancement.

**Arthur R. Hartwig '37** is enjoying retirement with his wife, Gladys, after working as staff consultant for Caterpillar Tractor Company.

**Pat Høglund '84** was named editor of *Oregon Fishing & Hunting News*, and will be moving to Portland within a few months with his wife, Mary Jo.

**Rocky R. Lobdell '85** married Sheree Harnett last June. They live in Spokane, where he is a sales representative for Johnson & Johnson Orthopaedics in Eastern Washington.

**Michael J. Mathy '80** is employed in the finance division of Boeing Computer Services. He and his wife, Sara, announce the birth of their daughter, Courtney, on April 30, 1992. Mike is alumni relations advisor for Gamma Xi Chapter.

**Jeffrey L. Parmenter '84** lives in Kent, where he is the vice president of the sales and financial products division of Technology Unlimited.

**Jeffrey B. Wall '80** lives with his wife, Karen, and their three children in Federal Way. He is the president of a pharmaceutical company in Seattle.

#### WAYNE STATE

**Peter A. Bardallis '84** completed his M.B.A. in finance at Wayne State in May 1992.



**Robert L. Bateman '82**, CFP, operates Professional Financial Planning, Inc. in Ogden, Utah.

## Woodbury University Alumnus Promotes Education for Native Americans

According to data released by the U.S. Census Bureau, Native Americans are one of the most poverty-stricken groups in America. Statistics show that Native Americans have one of the lowest household incomes in the country. A member of Pi Kappa Alpha is working to put an end to such statistics.

Robert J. Peterson (*Woodbury, Eta Iota '69*) is a 10-year member of the Ventura County Indian Education Consortium and was a founding member of the Native American Indian Inter-Tribal Association of Ventura County, Inc. The organization provides scholarships to Native Americans who want to attend a college or trade school, but who would not be able to further their educations without financial assistance.

Having grown up as a member of the Oglala Sioux Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation of South Dakota, Peterson knows first hand the difficulties facing many young Native Americans. Peterson, who said he had problems dealing with authority as a youngster, was expelled from high school in the tenth grade. He was sent to an adult education program where an instructor devoted much of his time working with Peterson and helping him understand that a better future required a better education. The instructor eventually got his message across and Peterson "worked like heck" to make excellent grades and get readmitted to his regular high school.

It was the extra efforts of the instructor at the adult education program that made Peterson realize the need to help others. He vowed that some day he would return the favor. Volunteering for the Native American Scholarship Fund, Inc. has offered such an opportunity.

Peterson said that his desire to help others was greatly strengthened as a result of his experiences as an undergraduate in Eta Iota Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha at Woodbury University. "It's caring... and sharing a common goal and helping others," he said.

He is now seeking the support of Pikes across the country. Peterson has developed the PiKA Native American Pike Challenge. Pike chapters can hold various types of fundraisers to support the Native American Scholarship Fund, Inc. For further information on supporting this cause, contact Peterson at:

Native American Scholarship Fund, Inc.  
Attention: Robert Peterson  
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**Cmdr. Dennis J. Ringle USN '73** is assigned to the University of Michigan's Navy ROTC program as executive officer and faculty and administrative officer.

## WEST GEORGIA

**Neal M. Gillis '85** and his wife, Sherri, have a son, Aaron Michael, born on January 4, 1993. Gillis is employed with Gillis Farm & Timber in Waycross, Georgia.

## WEST VIRGINIA

**William R. Ball, II '58** announces the birth of his grandson, William R. Ball, IV. Ball is the chairman of the Alumni Association's 50s-60s reunion in Wheeling in July 1994.

**Raymond DeSabato, Jr. '84** was promoted to strategic national account manager for American Power Conversion in Columbus, Ohio.

**Philip J. Iapalucci '83** is a senior financial auditor for Eastman Kodak in Rochester, following an assignment in Southeast Asia.

**Geoffrey Leonard '79** is the assistant manager of the Sheraton Palace Hotel in San Francisco.

**David D. Lewis '82** joined the real estate brokerage of B.T. Edgar & Son in Moorestown, New Jersey.

**William Loesel '84** has been named assistant controller of Mental Health Management in McLean, Virginia. He and his wife, Margi, live in Alexandria with their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, born February 28, 1993.

**Rayburn M. "Sonny" Morrison '53** has retired from a distinguished career in air pollution control with the Environmental Protection Agency, and has recovered nicely from a 1992 stroke.

**O. Reginald Osenton '83** recently opened his own law practice in Charleston, West Virginia.

**Thomas Pielech '81** has been promoted to manager and chief operating officer of USAgas Pipeline, Inc. He and his wife, Sue, live in Houston.

**D. Garen Simmons '58** is professor of history at Piedmont College in Demorest, Georgia. He wants all the Pike well-wishers to know that his wife, Kay, is on the road to recovery from cancer.

**Thomas A. Taylor '59** and his wife, Judy, live in Pickering, Ohio, and recently became grandparents three times in eight months with grandson Ryan Austin Taylor born January 31, and twin grandsons Scott Thomas and Michael William born on October 2.

**Ron Wysong '85** has been promoted to district sales manager of Mazda Motor of America in Baltimore, Maryland.

## WESTERN CAROLINA

**Mark R. Carswell '84** and his wife, Lisa, announce the birth of their son, Andrew Blake, on February 28, 1993. He joins his sister, Lindsey, who is five. Mark is the district manager for DuBois Chemicals in Western North Carolina.

**Keith R. Cornwell '85** is an account executive with WSOC-FM & MIX 104.7 in Charlotte, North Carolina.

**Wayne A. Pampaloni '85** and his wife, Lise Suzanne, have a son, Nicholas Albert, born March 7, 1993.

**John M. Winters '85** has started a job with Automated Systems Design, working with pledge brother James A. Rickman, in Charlotte, North Carolina. He and his wife have a one-year-old son, John Bryant Winters.

## WESTERN KENTUCKY

**Steven W. Tomes '85** and his wife, Christine, have two children, Casey and Channing. Steven is a supervisor for UPS in Lexington, Kentucky.

## WILLIAM & MARY

**Denis Coakley '75** heads Coakley and Associates, a diversified marketing group headquartered in Falls Church, Virginia.

**Brian A. Letzkus '85** is a financial analyst at the Federal Home Mortgage Corporation in Springfield, Virginia.

## WINTHROP

**Scott R. Mixon '84** married Susan Hunnings on June 26, 1992. He is employed with Merchantel International as marketing manager.

**Perry S. Watter '83** has started a new career as showroom manager for Beacon Hill Showrooms in Atlanta, Georgia.

**Gregory S. Welch '85** married Tammy Ann Johnson on May 30, 1992. They live in Charlotte, North Carolina, where he works for TOC Retail as a supervisor.

## WYOMING

**Rob O'Haire '85** has been promoted to vice president of marketing and public relations for Regional West Medical Center in Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

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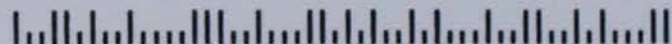
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# Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation

## *It may not be what you think!*

Although the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation has been around since 1948, many of the Fraternity's alumni have misconceptions about the Foundation's purpose and programs. Here are a few "myths" which need some clarification.

**Myth:** "My gift is too small. Only wealthy alumni make a difference."

**Reality:** Gifts averaged \$49 last year from thousands of alumni just like you. Donations of every size are vital to our Fraternity and its Foundation in providing educational programs and financial assistance.

**Myth:** "I can't be sure that my donations are used to fund the programs I like most."

**Reality:** The Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation is managed by a 15-man volunteer board of trustees, all of whom are members of the Fraternity, and a professional staff. These volunteers and staff work diligently to find the most productive use of unrestricted funds, donated by the Fraternity's loyal donors, in an effort to promote academic excellence, leadership training and personal development among our student members.

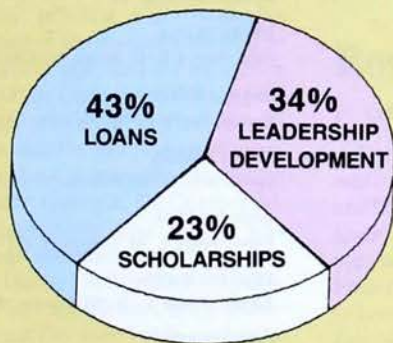
Of course, alumni may also designate gifts for specific programs.

**Myth:** "The Foundation doesn't benefit my own chapter."

**Reality:** Last year alone, unrestricted gifts to the annual fund helped the Foundation provide over \$50,000 in grants to the Fraternity for educational programs at national and regional leadership conferences, which are attended by members of your chapter. Annual fund gifts also helped the Foundation provide over \$64,000 in student loans.

Furthermore, you now have an option to make donations to the Foundation which are restricted to your own chapter's endowment. And, best of all, the chapter's student and alumni brothers determine the best educational use of the endowment's earnings.

**% BREAKDOWN OF FOUNDATION'S STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**



**Myth:** "I'm too young to give."

**Reality:** Each of the Fraternity's members should try to make a donation every year, however small. As the years pass, you may be better able to make larger gifts, but you can establish a habit of giving today!

**AVERAGE ANNUAL FUND GIFTS**



**Myth:** "Only alumni support the Educational Foundation."

**Reality:** Over 350 student brothers already have joined the Foundation's Phi Phi Kappa Alpha Club, an annual giving club created last spring exclusively for students who donate \$15 or more.

Hundreds of student brothers have also served as volunteer callers during the Educational Foundation's annual fund phonathons in recent years.

Pi Kappa Alpha's friends and family members have also been very generous with their donations over the years.

**Myth:** "I contributed to the Foundation a few years ago. Isn't that sufficient?"

**Reality:** The Foundation counts on regular gifts from dedicated alumni to sustain and expand its student assistance programs. In fact, many alumni make multiple gifts each year.

**Myth:** "My money will do more with another charity."

**Reality:** What could be more valuable than providing the Fraternity's student members training to be effective leaders into the 21st century? Your Fraternity continues to have a profound influence on the lives of young college men.

1993 is Pi Kappa Alpha's 125th Anniversary. Please consider making a special \$125 gift to commemorate this historical year. It is easy to participate. Simply mail your contribution to the Foundation in the adjacent business reply envelope. Please respond quickly. The 1993-1994 academic year is just around the corner!

**For more information on how you can assist the Foundation call (901) 748-1948.**

***Alumni supporting scholastic achievement, leadership training and personal development since 1948.***

# Chapter Eternal

## ALPHA

Null, Francis M. '43, Staunton, VA 8/10/92

## BETA

Northrup, Henry F. '21, Miami, FL

## DELTA

Hughen, Bennet L., Jr. '43, Andalusia, AL 8/28/91  
Strong, Robert M., Jr. '32, Birmingham, AL

## ZETA

Kilpatrick, Milton P. '14, Sweetwater, TN 10/4/92

## THETA

Crain, Joseph L. '27, Memphis, TN  
Ferguson, Mark Allan '85, Memphis, TN 12/18/92

## IOTA

Chitwood, Dr. Walter R. '38, Wytheville, VA 1/24/93

## KAPPA

Berman, William L. '36, Atlanta, GA  
Moak, Dr. James L. '41, Lexington, KY 1/93

## MU

Elliott, Hall S. '30, Roswell, GA  
Hatchett, William F. '59, Atlanta, GA

## NU

Cobb, William R. '60, Murrells Niet, SC 8/21/92

## OMICRON

Frost, Carlyle T., Sr. '31, Richmond, VA 9/1/92  
Garber, Russell N. '33, Richmond, VA 1/19/92  
LeSueur, Rev. Floyd B. '43, Culpepper, VA 12/25/91  
Williams, John C. '21, Richmond, VA 11/10/91  
Wilson, Claude J. '43, West Point, VA

## PI

Ames, William P. '38, Fairfax, VA

## SIGMA

Walters, George E., Jr. '26, Birmingham, AL

## TAU

Fesler, Joseph D. '49, Hacienda Hts., CA 8/18/92  
Hines, Wiley A. '28, Greensboro, NC 5/2/92  
Lowrance, Lawson H. '29, Winston-Salem, NC  
Thompson, A. Frank '32, Concord, NC 2/20/92

## UPSILON

Landrum, Robert Keith '45, Birmingham, AL 12/13/92

## OMEGA

Burnette, Joseph S. '38, Cape Coral, FL  
Morris, James B. '55, Science Hill, KY 2/27/93

## ALPHA ALPHA

Prior, Freeman G. '43, Vienna, VA 10/20/92  
Radford, John Alexander '40, St. Petersburg, FL 12/15/92

## ALPHA GAMMA

Grass, William S. '49, Baton Rouge, LA 6/14/91

## ALPHA DELTA

Gesner, Malcolm J. '43, Atlanta, GA

## ALPHA ZETA

McKennon, Joe Lee '17, Pine Bluff, AR 7/25/92

## ALPHA ETA

Boggs, Frank Dean '25, Jacksonville, FL 7/10/92  
Gooding, Donald L. '49, Atlantic Beach, FL 3/31/91  
Moore, Walter T. '18, Tallahassee, FL

## ALPHA MU

Clement, Ralph Lawrence '38, Atlanta, GA 2/3/91  
Farrar, Charles C. '47, Somerville, GA

## ALPHA NU

Petit, Lyle H. '57, New York, NY 6/5/91

## ALPHA XI

Grasfader, Lee W. '25, Union City, TN 2/13/92  
VanHorn Elmer William '32, Dayton, OH 3/17/93

## ALPHA PI

Davis, Dr. Harwell G. '35, Fairfield, AL  
McCullough, Daniel M. '48, Birmingham, AL 10/17/92  
Nunnally, H. Martin '27, Nashville, TN 1/93

## ALPHA TAU

McConahay, Joseph R. '56, San Francisco, CA  
Merrill, Taylor H. '25, Salt Lake City, UT 3/1/92  
Roberts, Ralph S. '25, Springfield, VA 11/29/92

## ALPHA PHI

Bicek, Dr. Ernest K. '42, Tracy, MN 12/17/92  
George, William Douglas '21, Denver, CO 12/27/92  
Martinka, Richard F. '59, Oakland Park, FL  
Newbrough, Robert D. '43, Des Moines, IA 10/17/92

## ALPHA OMEGA

Sigsbee, George B. '46, Garden City, KS 10/5/92

## BETA ALPHA

Hodgson, Robert L. '46, Dover, PA 1/9/91  
Meyers, Orrin G. '33, 4/29/92  
Perugini, Robert A. '61, Clarks Green, PA 2/12/92  
Spaeth, Charles P. '18, Millville, NJ  
Swissheim, Robert I. '23, Dunkirk, NY 12/15/91  
Wieand, George A. '51, Hagerstown, MD 3/14/92

## BETA GAMMA

Brenneisen, Charles W. '28, Kansas City, KS  
Hill, James J. '25, Orlando, FL 3/1/93  
Myers, Foster '18, Hutchinson, KS

## BETA DELTA

French, Baird '28, Portland, OR 9/12/92

## BETA THETA

Berten, Eugene M. '40, Rochester, NY 1/27/91  
Folsum, Alfred W. '38, Sarasota, FL 10/2/92

## BETA LAMBDA

Moller, Glen L. '34, St. Louis, MO 5/31/92

## BETA OMICRON

Fail, Never M. '55, Tucson, AZ 10/92

## BETA TAU

Howell, Harold I. '22, Bonita, CA 8/31/92

## BETA UPSILON

Anderson, Robert E. '35, Colorado Springs, CO 2/19/93  
Bakarich, Nickie '43, Littleton, CO 1/92

## BETA PHI

Dakin, Thelus M. '37, Miami, FL 12/28/92

## GAMMA ALPHA

Little, John W. '53, Aiken, SC 4/22/92

## GAMMA GAMMA

Curry, John G. '50, Longwood, FL 1/13/93  
Hayes, Jack P. '37, Denver, CO 4/16/91  
Schmidt, Joseph J. '39, Denver, CO 5/9/92

## GAMMA DELTA

Lowman, Robert Donald '24, El Paso, TX

## GAMMA EPSILON

Cruikshank, Donald B. '27, Colorado Springs, CO  
Doctor, Robert L. '55, Evergreen, CO  
Sutton, John F. '47, Renton, WA

## GAMMA ETA

Parsons, Richard C. '61, Los Angeles, CA 3/4/93

## GAMMA THETA

Buchanan, William Vassar '47, Indianola, MS 3/8/93  
Holliman, Robert L. '03, 12/5/92  
McCormick, Milton H. '29, Laurel, MS 11/10/92

## GAMMA IOTA

Derrick, Dr. Arthur '35, Durant, MS 3/6/93

## GAMMA KAPPA

Balzhiser, James K. '40, Eugene, OR 10/6/92

## GAMMA LAMBDA

Hargan, Frederick D. '29, Falls Church, VA  
Paget, Allen Maxwell '38, Camp Hill, PA '92  
Reisher, James C. '41, Media, PA 10/4/92  
Zahn, Roger M. '54, Cherry Hill, NJ

## GAMMA NU

Arterburn, Clem B. '71, Brooklyn, NY  
Beer, John A. '48, Iowa City, IA  
Cummins, Alfred B. '29, Chagrin Falls, OH  
Eble, Roger '58, Missoula, MT  
Lake, Duane R. '29, Fremont, CA  
Lamb, Richard '71, Iowa City, IA  
Palmer, Lloyd D. '29

Redman, Billy W. '48, Sioux Falls, IA  
Washburn, Dirk '83, Cedar Rapids, IA

## GAMMA XI

Schei, Jerry '62, Seattle, WA  
Siverson, Marvin '33, Post Falls, ID

## GAMMA OMICRON

Bushman, Alfred C. '39, Mansfield, OH

## GAMMA PI

Goetze, Bradley C. '77, Portland, OR 1/93

## GAMMA SIGMA

Aul, William '43  
Hollingsworth, John M. '61, Dearborn, MI  
Kissell, William G. '39  
McGuire, Robert F. '51

## GAMMA OMEGA

Davies, Arthur H. '49, Danboro, PA  
Norris, Henry D. '40, Atlanta, GA 1/7/93

## DELTA BETA

Beattie, William T. '47, Grand Rapids, MI  
Comer, Curt E. '47, Fairless Hills, PA  
Essinger, Stephen C. '63, Fallbrook, CA  
Zang, J. Philip '42, Toledo, OH

## DELTA GAMMA

Thomas, Joseph E., III '53, Ashland, OH

## DELTA DELTA

Gibson, George C. '50, Memphis, TN

## DELTA EPSILON

Albany, James Richard '67, Birmingham, AL 12/11/91

## DELTA ZETA

Crenshaw, Harold L. '47, Milan, TN 12/16/92

## DELTA ETA

Crossland, Col., Richard B. '61, Carmel, IN 11/21/91  
Downing, Scott E. '69, McFarland, WI 10/11/92

## DELTA MU

Hess, Joe C. '62, Madison, MS 11/18/91  
Martin, Linus B. '61, Ridgeland, MS 6/16/92

## DELTA NU

Hudson, Dr. Phillip M. '68, Canton, MI 10/12/92

## DELTA XI

McKay, Maclyn E. '85

## DELTA SIGMA

Nash, Patrick F. '57, Racine, WI 8/30/92

## DELTA UPSILON

Haskell, Harvey H. '59, Titusville, PA

## DELTA OMEGA

Jarvis, Jerry L. '53, Durham, NC 9/92

## EPSILON ZETA

Fisher, James Y. '56, Conway, SC 12/17/92

## EPSILON KAPPA

Amann, Donad A., Jr. '67, Houston, TX

## EPSILON SIGMA

Lawrence, Charles R. '68, Linden, TN

## ZETA ALPHA

Porszt, Ronald A. '71, Ontario, Canada

## ZETA THETA

Logan, E. Winter '68, Waco, TX 1/92

## THETA EPSILON

Niles, Robert Warren '87, Broken Arrow, OK 10/92

## THETA OMICRON

Embry, Charles Duane '79, Indianapolis, IN 3/13/93

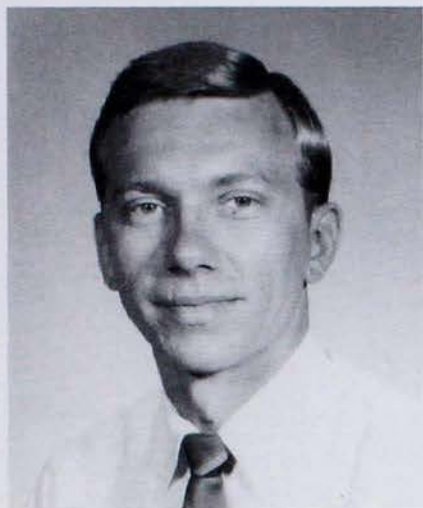


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**Phillip H. Grace**

## Phillip H. Grace

by John D. Williams (Zeta Beta '66)

Phillip H. Grace, a 1964 initiate of Zeta Beta Chapter at Delta State University was not only my PiKA brother, he was my very best friend. This is a story about a friendship that was fraternally bonded and has lasted almost thirty years. Throughout these years we always told each other good bye with a "phi phi, Brother."

I was devastated in 1991, when at age 47, Phillip was diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's disease (amyotrophic lateral sclerosis). ALS is a muscular disease for which there is no cure. Forty percent of the cases begin with weakness in the hands. Cramps are common and may precede with muscular weakness. Onset of the disease generally is after forty years of age, and the incidence is greater in males. Only about twenty percent of patients survive after five years.

Phillip dedicated the last seventeen years of his life to the Country Roads Group Home in Winder, Georgia. On October 20, 1992, the group home that Phillip was devoted to, was renamed the "Phillip H. Grace Group Home" in honor of his years of service and love for the boys at the home. This was a great day for Phillip as family and friends gathered to recognize Phillip for his dedication to these wayward boys and the state of Georgia. Phillip's son read a prepared statement from Phillip and spoke on his behalf.

On February 25, 1993, Phillip entered the chapter eternal at the age of 48. He is survived by his wife, Linda Showah Grace and a son, Phillip H. Grace, both of Winder; and his mother, Louise Blackwell Grace and

sister, Catherine Lott, both of Greenville, Mississippi.

*Editors Note: John D. Williams, a graduate of Delta State University, lives in Germantown, Tennessee and is employed as a medical information scientist in gastroenterology by Astra/Merck Group of Merck & Co.*

## Donald W. Reynolds

Donald W. Reynolds died April 2, 1993 at the age of 86. He was a 1925 initiate of Alpha Nu Chapter at the University of Missouri-Columbia. Reynolds was the founder of the Donrey Media Group which eventually encompassed 53 daily newspapers, 11 outdoor advertising companies, five cable television companies and one television station. Donrey Media is based in Las Vegas.

Reynolds began his newspaper career as a 12-year-old paperboy in Oklahoma City. He graduated from the University of Missouri's journalism school in 1927. He was an active supporter of the University with various gifts, including a \$9 million donation to build an alumni center, the largest in Missouri's history. The Donald Reynolds alumni and visitor center was dedicated on April 10, 1992.

Reynolds was presented with the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation's Order of West Range in 1986. The Order of West Range honors those brothers whose lives have brought honor to the Fraternity.

## Roy Jacobes

by Garff B. Wilson (Alpha Sigma '27)

I am writing this on October 3, 1992. I was initiated into PiKA in the spring of 1927, and I have been a loyal member (I hope) ever since. In 65 years I have seen a host of young men achieve the price of membership in our Fraternity, but never a man more personally loyal and actively supportive than Rusty Jacobes!

Rusty died unexpectedly on the morning of October 2, 1992, one of the elder leaders of Alpha Sigma Chapter at the University of California-Berkeley. If I were asked to name one man who was the most devoted, loyal, and active in the bonds of PiKA, it would have to be Rusty. He was never coerced into serving Alpha Sigma. Although he lived in Sacramento, not Berkeley, he never lost touch but kept an active role in the



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**Roy Jacobes**

affairs of the chapter. Quietly, and at his own expense, he collected news of his fellow Pikes, wrote letters full of new developments, projects, anecdotes, and sent out copies to dozens of alumni. Many years ago, the English poet, John Donne wrote, "Any man's death diminishes me, because I love mankind." Rusty was always closely and lovingly involved in mankind. His death diminishes each link in the large chain of living groups to which he contributed so much strength and purpose.

Rusty, wherever you may be now, we trust that you know and take pride in the enrichment which your character and deeds have blessed the lives of those around you, who knew you, admired you, and loved you.

## John E. Coon

John E. Coon, a 1927 initiate of Alpha Gamma Chapter at Louisiana State University, died March 9, 1993 at the age of 85. Coon was the Mayor of Monroe, Louisiana from 1949-56. During his term, a bill was introduced into the Legislature that Northeast Louisiana University be created from a junior college. He was instrumental in the chartering of Pi Kappa Alpha's Eta Omicron Chapter at Northeast Louisiana University in 1972. As a result of his efforts with the chartering of Eta Omicron, he was named their alumnus of the year in 1972.

### Corrections:

John M. Simpson (Gamma Sigma '42) and Darl H. Callen, Jr. (Beta Alpha '60) were erroneously listed in Chapter Eternal. Both men are living. *Shield & Diamond* regrets the error. □

# Celebrating 125 Years of Pi Kappa Alpha



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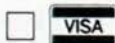
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