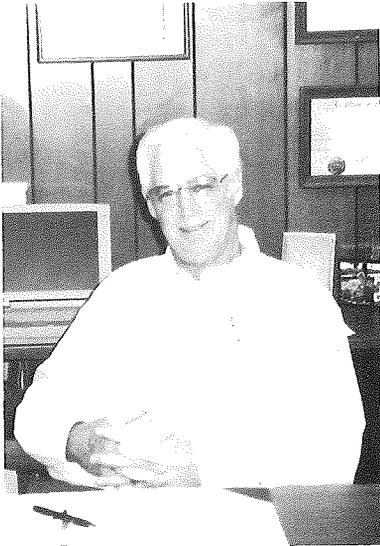
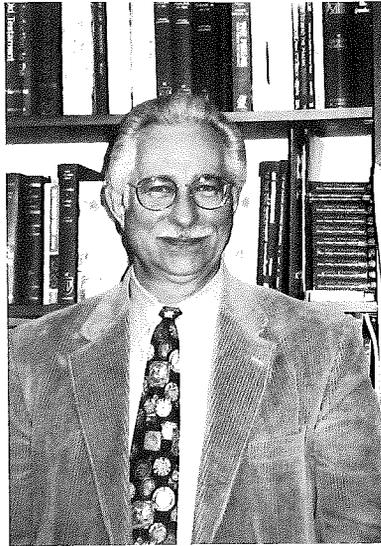


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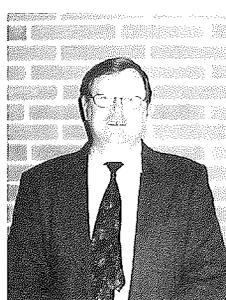
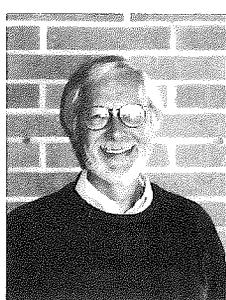


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Student Services



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Jim Healan-Ministry Studies

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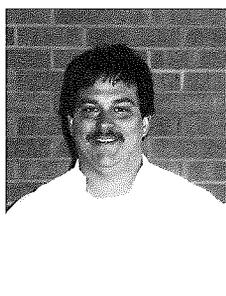


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Jan Schregardus-Psychology

Linda Siler-Registrar

Lydia Tobian-English



Jason Werkema- Music

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Patty Cloud- Secretary

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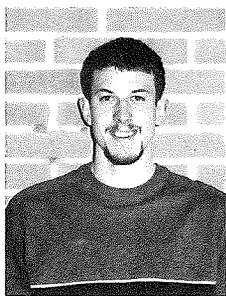


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Mike Riemersma- Athletic Director

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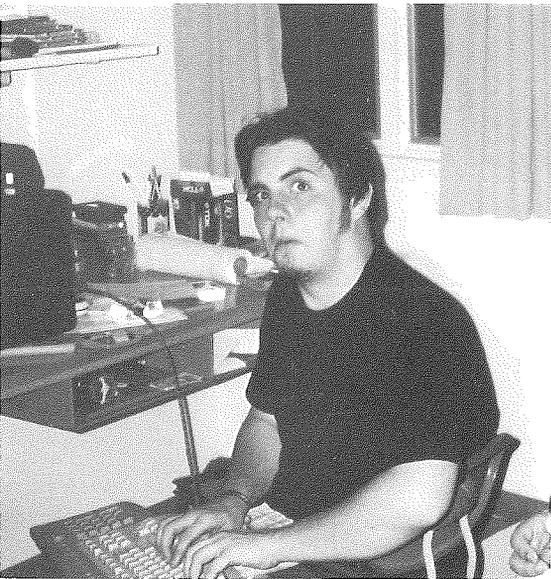
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Paula White- Women's R.D.



Tony Wilkerson- Men's R.D.

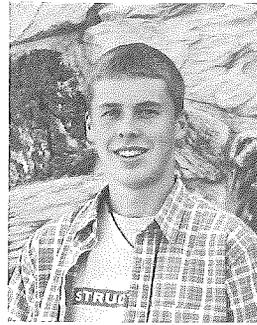
Faculty



Rich Charles is a perfect example of a freshman in the middle of one of Mrs. Tobians English papers.

Mark Anderson

Christine Bras



Andrew Betts

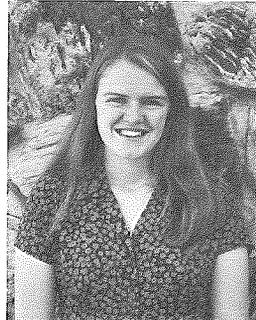
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Kristin Brownsword

Adam Carmichael

Neil Chapman

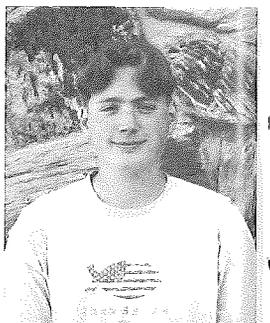
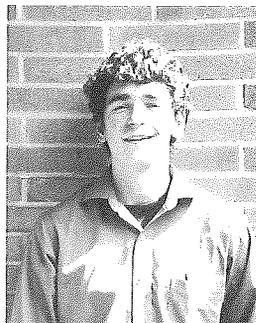


Rich Charles

Maggie Covert

Brian Criner Jr.

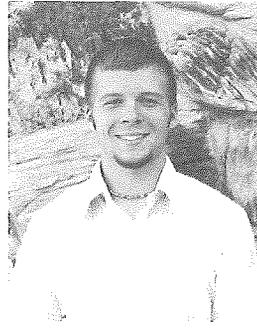
Chris Culver



Freshmen



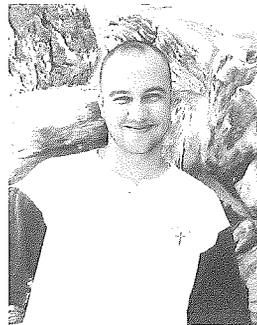
Jill Domsic on a mission to get yearbook photos is caught off guard by someone taking her back.



Brad DeCatur



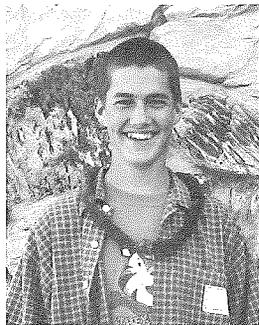
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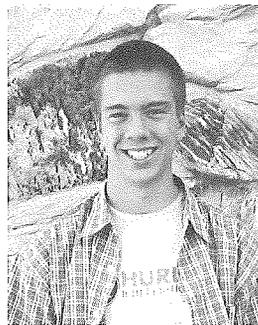
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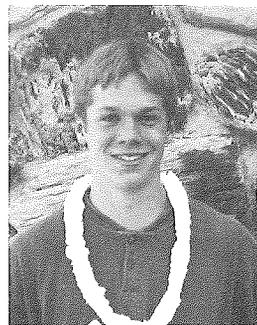
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Gary Hansen



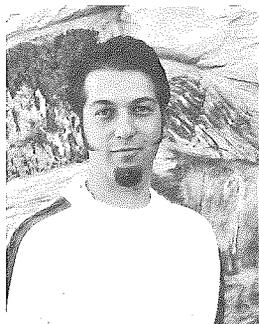
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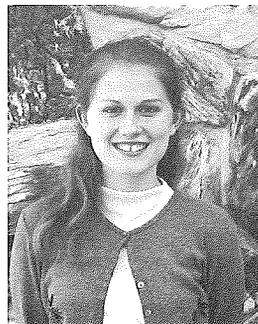
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Vicki Hoffman



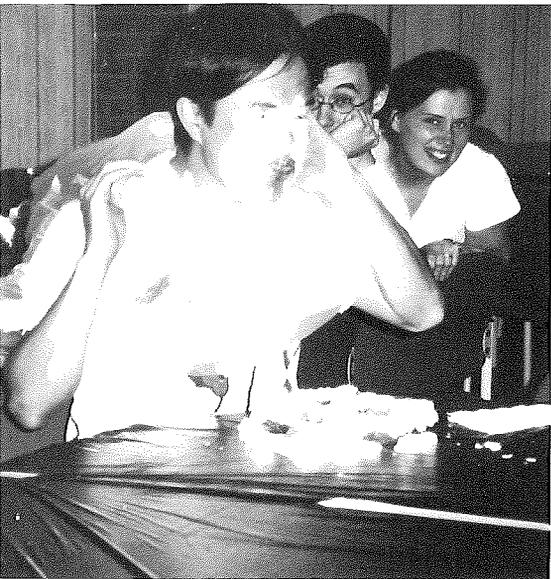
Jesse Human



Melody Huseby



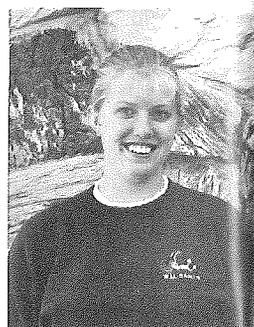
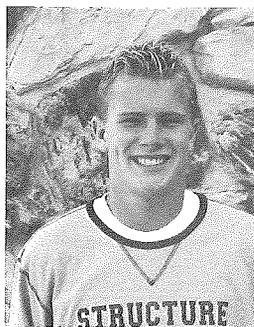
Melissa Kappler



Anthony Rosero enjoys a study break by helping himself to a little bit of pie. SAC sponsored the pie eating contest during the spring finals.

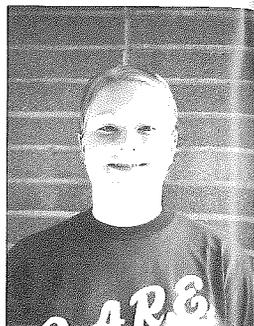
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Valerie Payne



Colin Randall

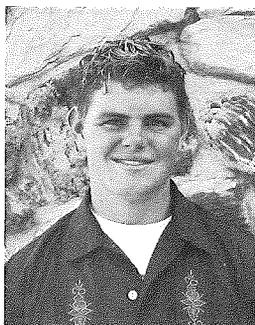
Jamie Richards



Josh Rockhold

Anthony Rosero

Tom Searl

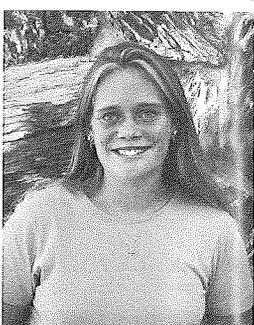
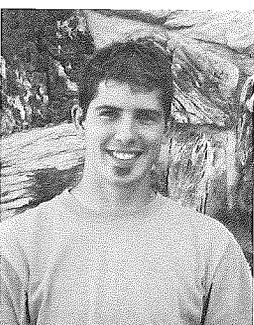
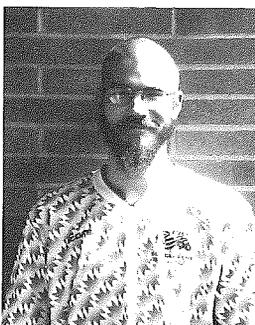
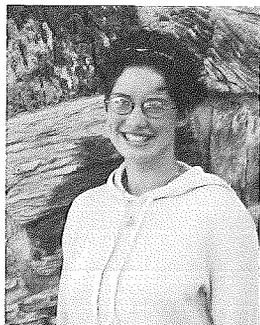


Alissa Sellen

Aza Simmons

Nick Smith

Michelle Spykerman



Freshmen

Freshmen



Freshmen Laura Velting, takes time out from fellowship with her friends and tries to study for Professor Long's Bible test.



Randi Jo Starr



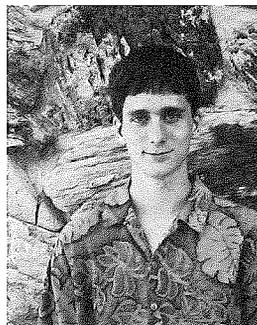
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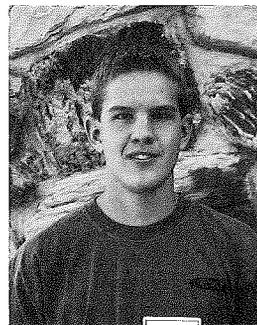
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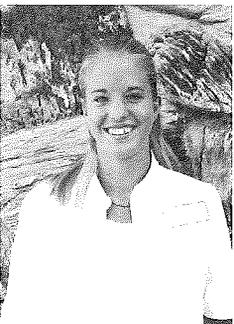
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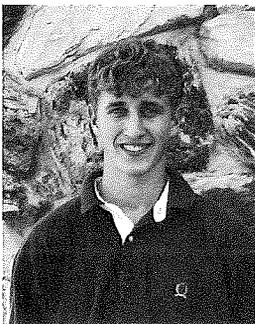
Dale Thompson



Adam Tozer



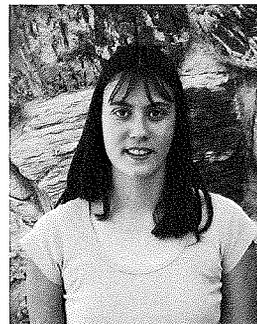
Laura Velting



Rodney Velting



Dan Wait



Jennifer Williams



Tanya Buck enjoys her dinner in the quad.

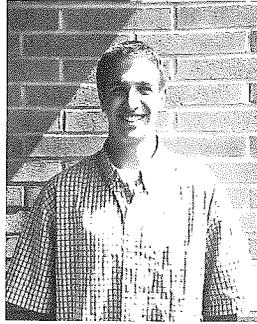
Jeremy Beahan

Mary Bodell



Kyle Bohl

Laura Brown



Tanya Buck

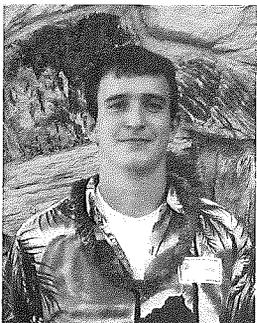
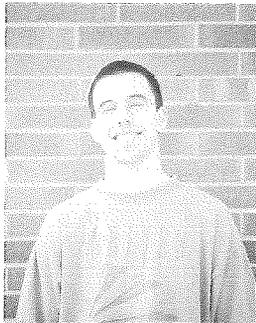
Miranda Burton



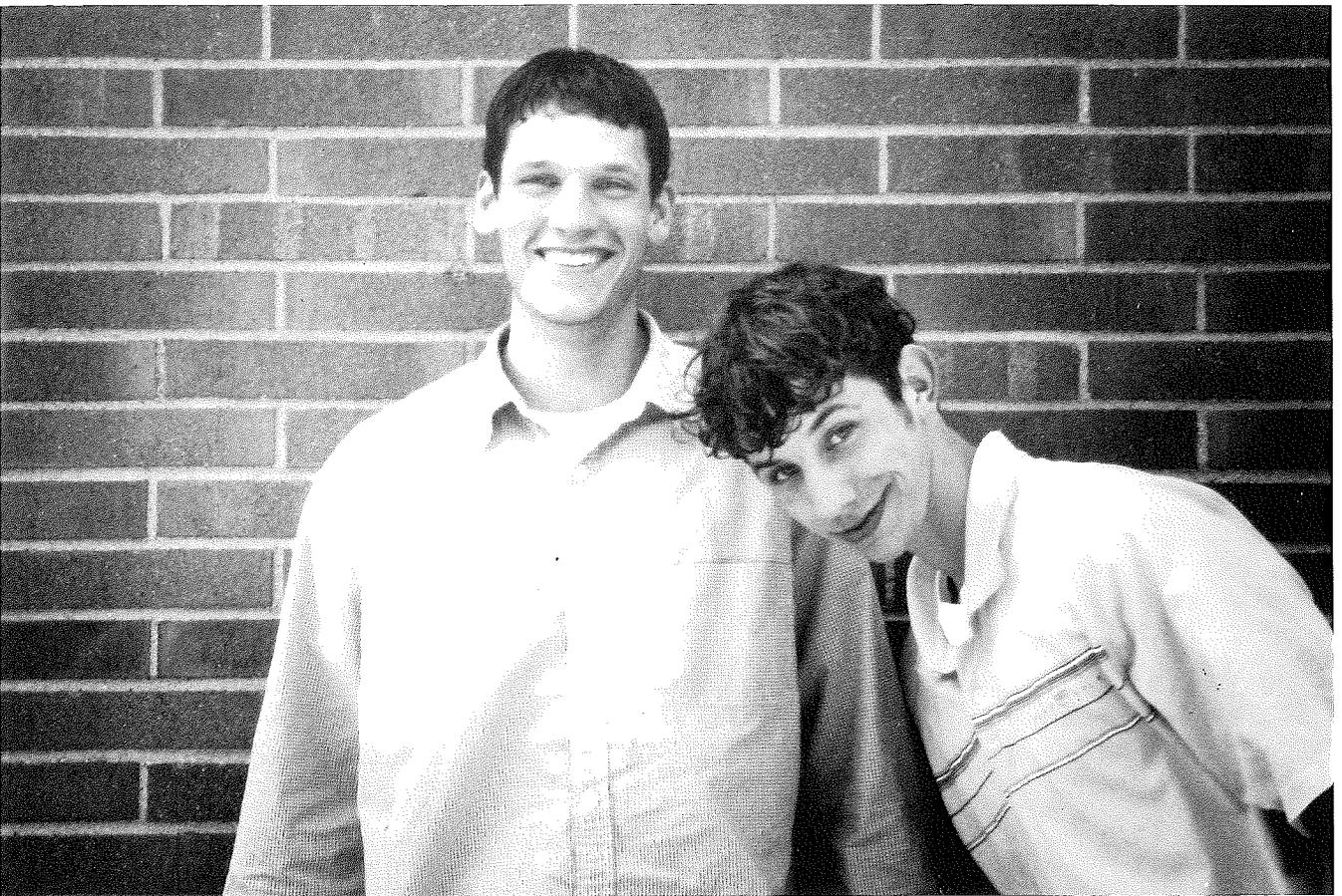
Brian Chapman

Bill Cummings

Annie Curtis



Sophomores



Jeremy Herr and Ryan Philips, when not golfing, find time to study and enjoy a few hours together before summer break.



Chris Fulford

Kelly Goodin

Jeremy Herr

Stephanie Houseman



Aaron Huizenga

Aimee Johnson

Brianna Jorgensen

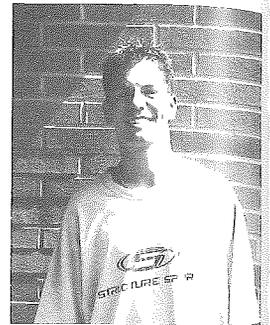
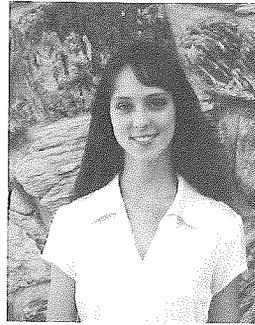
Sarah Martin



Roommates, Faith and Brianna, are dressed up and ready for a night away from their studies.

Carolyn Mencer

Ron Merrihew



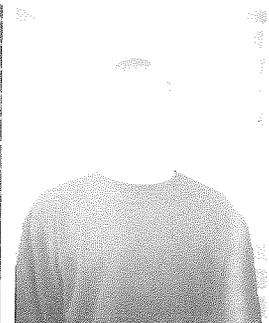
Heather Mokma

Laura Perry



Ryan Phillips

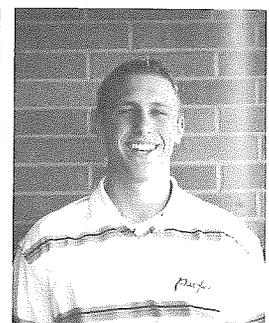
Tony Rozema



Faith Schrouder

Doug Shimmel

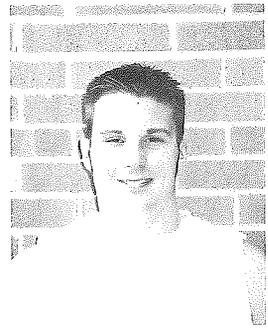
Michael Skazinski



Sophomores



Miranda Burton and Kelly Goodin stop in the hall on their way to visit the guys during open dorms. This year's open dorms was held Sunday and Wednesday nights. Although many people were often around, it seems those who were not around would find their furniture scattered throughout the dorm.

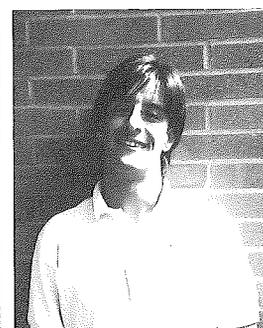
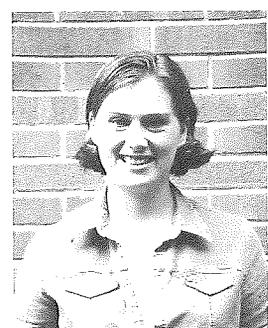


Dan Scheffler

T.J. Slanger

Angela Sonnenberg

Alissa Steffens



Elizabeth Tubbs

Ginny Varnes

Talo Vergara

Sam Whittaker



Annie and Anne enjoy the warmth of the public lounge in the middle of a Michigan winter.

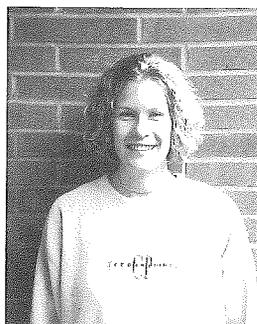
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Sara Ashby



Laura Bonga

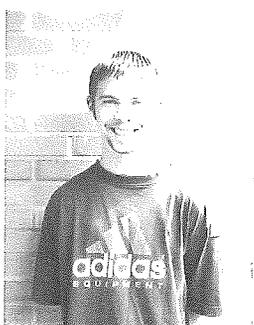
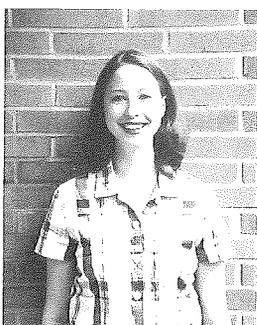
Eric Delker



Melanie Delker

Kim Hanson

Chad Henry

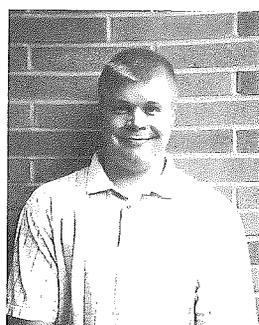


Amanda Hightower

Edward Higgins

Cory Hodgson

Jera Jackson



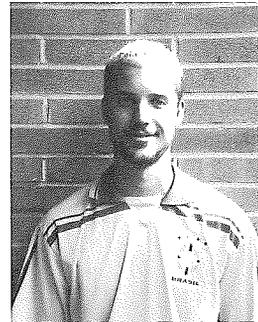
Juniors



Missy and Jacque have miraculously found their way into room 201. It seems they had a piece of paper claiming they get the chair they are seated upon.



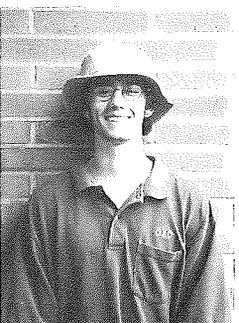
Jennifer Miles



Zach Rasmusson



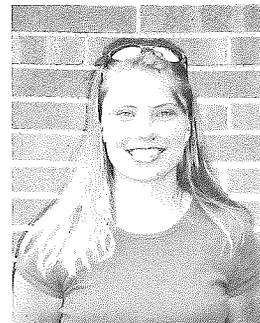
Mark Reichelt



Will Reinhardt



Jacque Siler



Jody Sink



Elaine Smith



Tenisha Stephens



Anne Talbot



Shelley Tubbs



Nicole VanderWilp

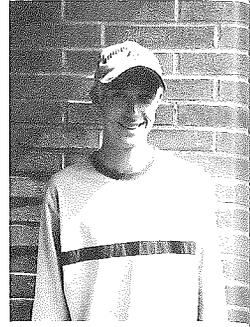
Not Pictured: Wilkin McKean, Shane May, Peter Mburu



Nate Killion, Pastoral student, practices for future church potlucks as he samples a little piece of pie.

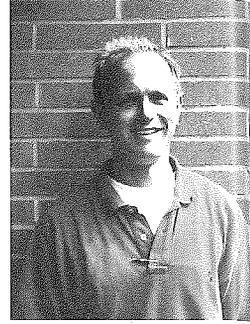
Jennifer Cole

Aaron Colvin



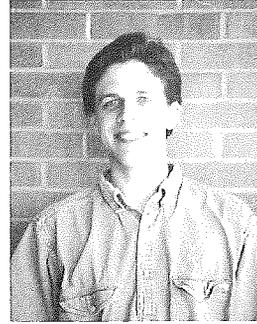
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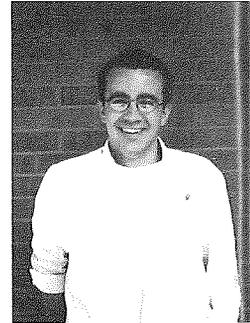
Larisa Giles



Kerri Jalving

Nathan Killion

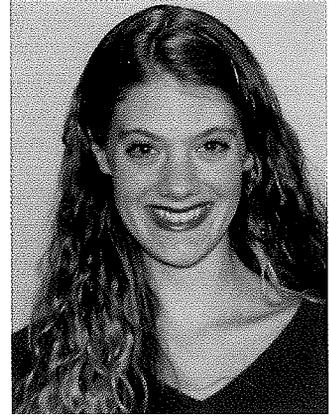
Devin McAfoos



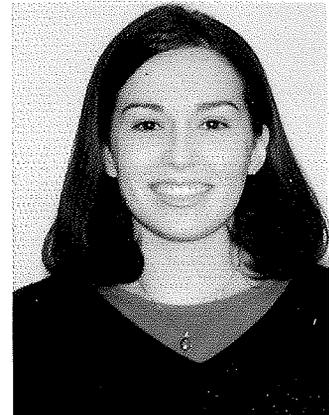
Seniors

Heidi Bickel*Associate of Arts*

"My time at Grace has been a time of gaining knowledge and growth intellectually; but more so, it has been a time of growth with my Savior. I desire to humbly follow Him with the goal of further advancing His kingdom being my first thought. He has blessed me with plans to marry a most wonderful, godly man, Ryan. In the fall, we are moving to Pasadena for further schooling and ministry opportunities, in the hopes that God will use us in powerful ways."

**Angela Bonnell***Associate of Arts*

"Even though I have been at Grace for only two years, I have learned many things and made friends I will have for life. I have also learned the importance of relying on the Lord day by day. As far as the future, after graduation I will be pursuing a career in the medical field at Spectrum Health. I will also be getting married in October."

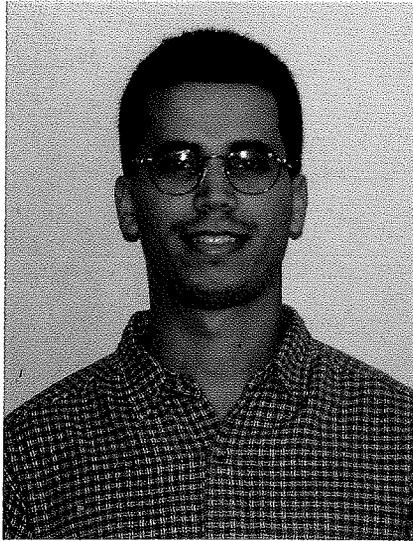
**Emily Shemaria***Associate of Arts*

I have really enjoyed my two years at Grace. I am extremely grateful for the wonderful friendships I have made, and all the knowledge I have gained. But most of all, I am so grateful that God led me to Grace so I could grow in my relationship with Him. My plans for next year are to attend a school in Seattle and spend time with my family. Eventually I plan to finish my education degree."

**Abraham Poston***Associate of Arts in Human Services*

"Some of life's most valuable experiences are not pleasant. I have had many valuable experiences at Grace Bible College."

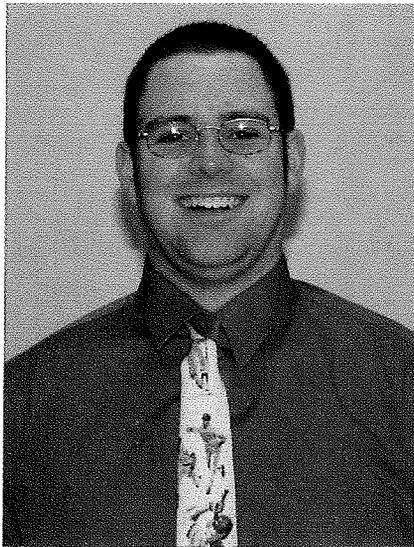




Joaquim Campos-Neto

Bachelor of Theology in Pastoral Ministry

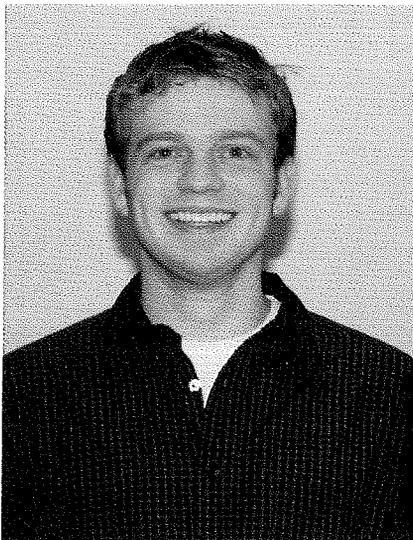
"The education I received while at Grace Bible College has allowed me to make my dream of being a missionary a reality. Today I feel more mature as a Christian and more confident about being used by God in Brazil. I am thankful to all the teachers who invested in my life and prepared me to better serve the Lord."



Karl Records

Bachelor of Theology in Pastoral Ministry

My five years at Grace Bible College have been the most important years of my life. I was able to live out a childhood dream by playing collegiate athletics, both basketball and soccer. The friends that impacted me I will love forever. But most importantly, my faith is comparable to John Mark's; who was immature and useless but matured into a faithful servant. I desire to be a godly pastor.



Ryan White

Bachelor of Science in Religious Studies Associate of Arts in Music

I'm thankful to the Lord for the many blessings He's given me at GBC: learning, people, soccer, for Him shaping me, for the most wonderful fiance' ever, and for knowing my Lord more. I am thrilled with my future, every new day with the Lord, and Heidi is a great gift. I look forward to more school in California, to working in ministry, to worshipping in fine arts, to coaching, and especially joining my life with Heidi. More than anything else though, I want to be a man on his knees before the Lord, willing, wholly surrendered, and humble, joining Him however He desires."

Sarah Bickel

Bachelor of Religious Education in Secondary Education

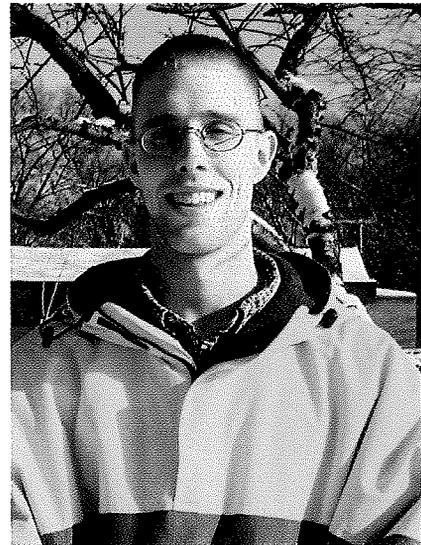
“The amazing quality of the professors at such a tiny college always astounds me — but the education I received at Grace only contributed a fraction to the entire experience. The role models I encountered, the fabulous bosses I had while working on campus, the (sometimes testing, but always growing) experience of group living, and the beautiful friends I found while going to GBC will shape the rest of my life. Which, by the way, is about as uncertain as can be. Some options include, but are not limited to: paying off college loans, teaching in a boarding school, or taking off with GMI.”



Ben Ophoff

Bachelor of Religious Education in Elementary Education

“Throughout my time at GBC, I have often sat and reflected upon my experience here. After all, seven years takes a long time to remember! Most of all, I am proud to say that I graduate from GBC with not only a diploma, but also the pleasure of calling the faculty and staff both mentors and friends. Along with my education, I have received the priceless gift of relationships, and it is these relationships that have impacted me far greater and far deeper than any book ever will.”

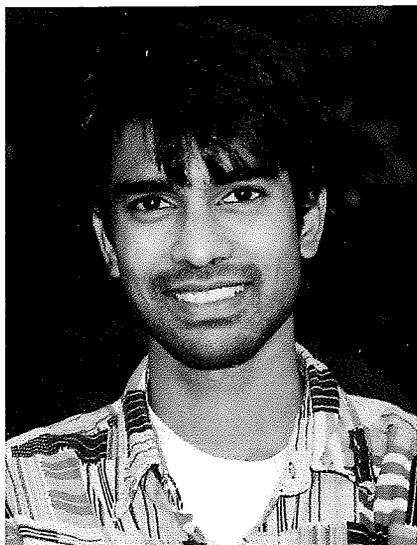


Gretchen Johnson

Bachelor of Science in Human Services

“When I first came to Grace Bible College, I only planned on being there a year or two. Now, four years later, I am glad I changed my mind. I have built some great relationships and have some great memories. It was fun to be in school with my brother and two cousins this past year. In the future, I plan to get my masters in social work — but we will see where God leads.”





Marcus Daniel

Bachelor of Music

“When I arrived at Grace Bible College from halfway around the world I said, ‘Whew! the journey is finally over!’ One of the office ladies said, ‘No, your journey has just begun.’ It has been a long and hard journey, but it was well worth it as I have come to love and understand God’s word so much more and it is changing me. I hope to use the knowledge I have gained to run a Christian music company when I return to India.”



Nancy Venton

Bachelor of Science in Church Music

“I was drawn to GBC’s small, friendly, family atmosphere. I have met some friends I’ll never forget at GBC (especially the office crew). In the fall, I will be looking for opportunities to serve in my local church or wherever the Lord leads. Eventually, I would like to get involved in a children’s ministry or worship coordinator position. I would also like to lead a Bible study group. If the Lord does not lead me into a ministry position, the education I have learned at Grace will help me in any field of work that I do. My present goal is to serve God and give him all the glory in everything I do, for without Him I would be nothing.”



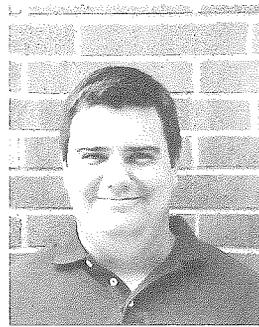
Julie Vos

Bachelor of Religious Education in Business

“My time here at Grace Bible College has definitely been a growth experience, both spiritually and individually. God has blessed me in abundance with the friends I have made and the memories I will take with me. I plan to live here in Grand Rapids and hopefully get a job in marketing, as well as continuing on with my singing. Thank you to all who have made my time here so memorable.”



James O'Brien, Larisa Giles, and Julie Vos enjoy a little relaxation in James' room during open dorms.

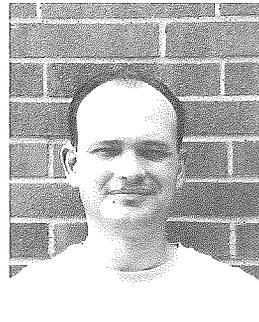


James O'Brien

Julie Poort

LaVerne Reed

Bryan Ross



Amber Spooner

Heather Trask

Rafael Wolf

Jeff Ziembo