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## Summae Show Potential For Future

The Summa Cum Laudes of the Class of 1976 felt that the new experiences and new friends were among the best things that they gained during their high school career at John Adams.



Steven Lawrence Burton

An interest in music has been an important part of Steve Burton's high school years; he was a member of the band, the orchestra, and the jazz band. Steve was also on the Debate team and a member of the National Honor Society.

Steve Burton plans to attend Northwestern University, capitalizing on his interest in the sciences and majoring in either pre-med or bio-chemistry.

Steve feels that high school was a great learning and maturing process for him and that the knowledge he gained through new experiences was perhaps the best thing he got from Adams. Steve wished to add a "personal

thank-you to Mr. Aronson, Mr. Goodman, and Mr. Wiand for being such great teachers."



Maury Lind Fisher

Maury Fisher's four years at Adams have been extremely busy ones filled with an intense interest in music and drama. Maury has been a member of the South Bend Symphony, and the Midwest Chamber Orchestra. He has taught cello for several years, played in two bands, and was the President of Explorer Post #324 at WSBT. Here at Adams Maury Fisher was a member of Thespians and National Honor Society. He also had lead parts in Fiddler on the Roof, Spoon River, Music Man, and, just recently, Oklahoma. As a result of these experiences Maury has found that "it is necessary to develop more respect between the fine arts and athletics." He felt that the drama department was a good way for him to express himself.

Maury plans to attend I.U., Bloomington with a major in pre-med. He also hopes to minor in drama.

"I think more teachers should take the time to care about their subjects. I have found the science department to be an excellent one because of this concern."



William Nelson Hedge, Jr.

Bill Hedge plans to attend Notre Dame and major in architecture. Bill has been a member of the baseball team here at Adams, he played YMCA basketball and CYO basketball, he was a member of the Senior Cabinet and of the National Honor Society.

Bill's best times at Adams have been through the friends he has met, participation in sports, both as a player and a spectator, and with class activities.

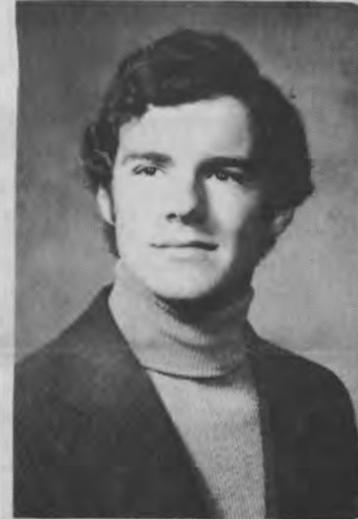
The knowledge and the friends he gained have been Bill's own personal reward from Adams.

Bill Hedge feels that every student must "get involved in order to make your high school years meaningful. That way you'll get more out of it and have more fun. As a final reminder: Don't get caught."

Bob Kerby's main extracurricular interest here at Adams has been concerned with the band. Bob was a member of the band and the wind ensemble. He was also a member of the National Honor Society and a National Merit Finalist.

Bob Kerby plans to attend I.U., Bloomington majoring in the sciences, either physics or biochemistry.

Bob feels that his high school years were made enjoyable as a result of the people here at Adams, both teachers and fellow students.



Robert Lee Kerby

Dave Weisman has gained an "awareness of people" from his four years at Adams. He feels that

his best time at Adams was his "freshman year, it was a whole new world. I met people with whom I would be for four years and it was just a totally new experience. It was the first of such experiences in my life."

"Many people refuse to accept the fact that education remains as a vital mainstay of the country's growth. We see these people around us every day. The problems which most of us have faced during our four years of high school, as far as education is concerned, stem from a permissive, liberal, coddling attitude which extends from the formative elementary years all the way up to the high school level. The sooner we eliminate this self-defeating attitude the sooner we can concentrate on truly meaningful education as opposed to a hypocritical high school education."



David Anthony Weisman



## ★ SENIORS HONORED AT AWARDS ASSEMBLY ★

At the annual Senior Honors Assembly the outstanding graduates of the Class of '76 were recognized for their achievements in academics and related areas.

The John Adams Fine Arts Awards (formerly known as the Berg Music Awards) are given to the outstanding students in the various music departments. The John Phillips Sousa National Band Award went to Sara Yang, the National Orchestra Award to Debby Gordon, and Wayne Warren received the National Choral Award.

The DAR Good Citizenship Award went to Robert Kerby, while Susan Avon was awarded the award for DAR Excellence in U.S. History.

Cynthia Beutler was awarded the Home Economics' Department Award; and the Science Department Award went to Jo Lucey and Steve Burton.

In the language departments the L'Alliance Francaise Awards for excellence in French were given to Joe Bosco and Wayne Warren. For Excellence in Latin, Dan McInerney was awarded the Latin Award and Janice Warner the League of Latin American Citizens Award. Maury Fisher won the National Thespian Award.

The Business Department Awards went to Jill Yazel in Accounting, Tanya Reed in General Office Procedures, and Cathi Gabele in Distributive Education.

Hildy Kingma was honored as the Most Valuable Staffer of the Tower. Cathy Scarbrough and Hildy Kingma were recognized as Editors-in-chief of the Tower and Dave Weisman, Debby Simpson, and Jon Shapero as Editors-in-chief of the Album. Marshall Henderson was awarded Most Valuable Staffer of the Album.

Caryl Redding won the National Achievement Scholarship Program Award for Black High School students.

The Coaches Award went to Bridget Baran and George Ushela.

The Burt L. Fleming Memorial Award was awarded to Don Steinhilber.

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### Summa Cum Laude

Steven Lawrence Burton  
Maury Lind Fisher  
William Nelson Hedge, Jr.  
Robert Lee Kerby  
David Anthony Weisman

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### Magna Cum Laude

Susan Marie Avon  
Valerie Lo Booth  
Moira Elizabeth Dingley  
Janice Louise Green  
Steven Lamar Grise  
Hildy Lynne Kingma  
Josephine Ann Lucey  
Christopher Robert McCraley  
Patricia Helen Ostric  
Kenneth James Papai  
Vicki Charlotte Roland  
Catherine Anne Scarbrough  
Don Jeffery Steinhilber  
George Alan Ushela  
Mark Edward Warren  
Wayne Charles Warren

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### Cum Laude

Douglas Edward Baim  
Leslie Carol Bender  
Pamela Lynn Berman  
Debra Marie Bilski  
Joseph Bosco  
Catherine Karen Broecker  
Robin Marie Curtis  
Victoria Genevieve DeBowe  
Cathleen Ann Gabele  
Deborah Sue Gordon  
Penny Lynn Harris  
Daniel Patrick McInerney  
Gerald Michael Rohan

Constance Jean Smith  
Jeff F. True  
Linda Ann Vanderhagen  
Susan Marie Wagner  
Christine Ann Walters  
Anna Lee Whipkey  
Sara Sho-Tzen Yang  
Sandra Lynn Zahrt

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### Scholarship With Distinction

Sandra Beeman  
Kevin Bower  
Sue Clark  
Tami Cocper  
Kevin Crowe  
Debra Gault  
Henry Handman  
Cheryl Kendall  
Julie Mathews  
Karen Pilarski  
John Richards  
Thomas Schilling  
Deborah Simpson  
Albert Verteramo  
Cynthia Beutler  
Janet Burnside  
Mike Clarke  
Deborah Creighton  
Susanna Ditsch  
Elizabeth Goerner  
Brian Hart  
Douglas Knapp  
Thomas Pauszek

Corrine Pluta  
Kent Rollings  
Jonathon Shapero  
Michael Slowey  
Scott Williams  
Maxie Bolden  
Stephanie Clipper  
Beatrice Crimmins  
Lisa Duesterberg  
Mary Golba  
Catherine Kasper  
Frank LaPierre  
Patrick Pierson  
Tonja Reed  
Mary Ross  
Thomas Shuman  
Howard Swanson  
Kurt Wise

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ever published  
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staff!!

# SUPER SENIORS SURPRISE SEVENTY-SIX

## Indiana State Scholars

William Andert  
Bridget Baran  
Sandra Beeman  
Leslie Bender  
Cynthia Beutler  
Debra Bilski  
Maxie Bolden  
Valerie Booth  
Joseph Bosco  
Catherine Broecker  
Janet Burnside  
Steven Burton  
Sue Clark  
Michael Clarke  
Jon Clauss  
Stephanie Clipper  
Tami Cooper  
Tami Cranmer  
Bea Crimmins  
Charles Csiszar  
Robin Curtis  
Stephanie DeBlase  
Victoria Debowe  
Bruce Douglas  
Lisa Duesterberg  
Ed Featherstone

Maury Fisher  
Sharon Glassford  
Mary Golba  
Eric Goodson  
Debby Gordon  
Josephine Grams  
Steven Grise  
Henry Handman  
John Harlan  
William Hedge Jr.  
Stephen Hensler  
Lisa Hughes  
Catherine Kasper  
Robert Kerby  
Terrance Kinney  
Douglas Knapp  
Josephine Lucey  
Joyce Manthay  
Midori Matsushima  
Patricia McGuigan  
Dan McInerney  
Kenneth Nelson  
Kathleen Orban  
Kenneth Papai  
Thomas Pauszek  
Patrick Pierson

Corrine Pluta  
Janice Pritz  
John Richards  
Deborah Ricker  
Kent Rollings  
Mary Ross  
Daniel Rubin  
Douglas Selig  
Thomas Shuman  
Deborah Simpson  
David Skudlarek  
Mike Slowey  
Constance Smith  
Don Steinhilber  
Gail Turner  
George Ushela  
Gregory Vance  
Alberto Vertoramo  
Christina Walters  
Janice Warner  
Mark Warren  
Wayne Warren  
David Wiseman  
Anna Whipkey  
Patricia Wilson  
Kurt Wise  
Sara Yang

### Editorial

Hildy Kingma

As seniors many students tend to concentrate on the future and forget the past, which was so important in determining that future. As a result of having attended John Adams I feel that I am a totally different, and hopefully better, person than when I entered four years ago. The opportunities here at Adams are outstanding. There is something going on within this school during each year to fulfill the needs of every student. Often, however, students do not take the time to explore the possibilities and as a result they do not gain as much from Adams as they otherwise could have.

For the athletically inclined student, Adams is and always has been a powerhouse in sports. There are approximately fifteen teams at Adams, ten for boys and five for girls, with the addition next year of a track and a basketball team for girls. These teams are coached by people who truly care about the students and are there to help them.

On the other side of the spectrum is the idea of academics. Any student who has taken a great deal of science courses, or English, or language courses, can testify to the fact that Adams is fortunate enough to have a staff of competent, concerned teachers. The music and drama departments at Adams are excellent, as is proven through their concerts, plays, and musicals. Of course, I could go on and on praising the individual clubs and organizations at Adams, but let this suffice to say that athletically, academically, and extracurricularly Adams is unsurpassed.

The administration at Adams, although sometimes a little crazy, does care and usually will find the time to talk to any student that wishes a conference. It is unfortunate that there could not be twice, or even three times, as many counselors as there now are. With the amount of students attending Adams it is ridiculous to assume that four people have the time and patience to cope with everyone.

Looking back from the time I was a freshman I can appreciate the fact that the courses I took and the activities I participated in played important roles in my happiness here. Those factors, however, are only superficial. The most important aspect of John Adams, the one that more people will remember high school for is the individuals who make it such a great school. The word "individuals" encompasses, not only teachers and administrators, but students as well.

It is the students who comprise the membership of a sports team or a club or a classroom. It is our peers with whom we are with most of the time who can "make or break" any student's high school career. Often we find ourselves taking our friends for granted because we are with them so much; this is an unfortunate circumstance because within the matter of three short months many seniors will have to begin again the process they started four years ago, only a bigger and often less friendly scale.

So before we start packing to leave it might be rather nice if we took the time to look around and notice the people who really made our high school years a success. High school has been a great experience for me because of my friends, the teachers, and the administrators who took the time to care about me, and help me through. I only hope that I have helped make someone else's high school career better, also.

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Marcia Burke

### Editorial

"On the road of experience, I'm trying to find my own way. Sometimes I wish that I could just fly away. When I think that I'm moving, suddenly, things stand still. I'm afraid cause I think that they always will."

Just a few short weeks ago it seemed that Adams was lasting forever. Everyone dreamed of the time we would be out. Now is the time to fly away and I am slightly afraid because it is the last time for many familiar faces and things. Still, seeking my own life must now dominate.

What does the future hold for the class of 1976. Adlai Stevenson once said, "There is a crying need for people who take open eyes and open minds out with them into society which will share and help to transform." This need could be satisfied by us. Many people, living as Stevenson suggests, have marked our road of experience. The influences of Martin Luther King, Jr., John and Robert Kennedy, The Chicago Seven, Richard Nixon, and

many other public figures shows easily, but we also benefit from the work of the common person. No dress codes, the 18 year old vote, abolition of the draft, public child care centers, civil rights legislation, man's walking on the moon, and atomic energy used for peace highlight our predecessors contributions. Will we carry on their work?

To think, to dream, to invision an idea makes an individual. Youth possesses a freedom which must not be wasted. "How many ideas go unexplored because people lack the courage to fail?" Charles Kettering said. "With willing hand and open mind, the future will be greater than the most fantastic story every to be written." I must explore new ideas. They might fail, and time may appear to stand still, but the importance of searching greatly overpowers the need for success. Like a transient spirit I must find or create my own way as must each member of the class.

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### Editorial

Mr. Przybysz

Another closing of a school year is approaching. One wonders where the time has gone. Many of seniors, only four short years ago, wondered what it would be like to be graduating and how far away that seemed. As you look back, the years went by rapidly, and now you are faced with decisions as to career, education, or vocations. I sincerely hope that we at John Adams have provided you with the knowledge and skills to make such decisions, and to succeed in your chosen walks of life. I am sure many feel we have, and there are others who feel we fell short. To those who feel we fell short, you have so indicated your concerns, and we will strive to improve in those areas. We will give our utmost to improving the total program at John Adams within the limitations of finances, policies, and procedures.

You have been a good class. In all areas of endeavor you have proved to be successful. Excellent accomplishments have been achieved in the Fine Arts, Academics and Athletics. You have been involved in the school, and fulfilled the leadership role looked for from our Seniors. To each and everyone of you, I wish you much success and good luck. We will be following your careers with much pride.

## Student Government Reviewed

Joe Bosco

Although the Student Government has accomplished more this year than it had in any of the last four years, there have been disappointments. Two weeks before the scheduled Teacher Appreciation Assembly several teachers complained to the Administration, who strongly suggested that the program be dropped and only the simple gifts be given. However, the whole idea was abandoned, since the deletion of the student program would have deprived the students of their chief means of showing their appreciation.

Student Government members were asked to recruit volunteers to work with retarded children, but not one student applied.

A "Little 500" (an intra-school bike race around the track) has been a goal of the Student Government for four years. This year the Administration and Mr. Mihail approved it, and a date was set. As preparations were beginning, the Administration announced it was not possible to run the race because the new insurance policy of the school would not cover such an activity--and that was that.

The major community project for the year was to be the painting of the viaduct on Twyckenham. A local chain of paint stores refused to make any concession. The

Burkhart Advertising Agency was ready to sell a self-washing industrial paint at cost, but even so, the primer and color would have reached \$500, causing also this project to be abandoned.

Not all our efforts were frustrated, however. Functioning under a new constitution, the Student Government started off the year with a Thanksgiving Day canned food drive. The 1295 cans collected marked a sharp increase over last year. The third annual one-on-one basketball competition between feeder schools was held during the halftime of the Goshen game. A campaign to instill pride in the school began with a clean-up of the cafeteria. However, owing to the apathy of both the student body and members of the Student Government, the project fizzled out. Singing valentines and the Sock Hop netted \$200. The Student Government took part in the Lung Association's Stationary Bike-A-Thon. Members as well as non-members participated in this competition between high schools, earning Adams a stationary exercise bike. Adams placed second in total mileage, but lack of pledges made this effort a disappointment. A bulletin board has been purchased to post all announcements. When it arrives, it will be protected by a locked plexiglass covering and placed

across the hall from the Tower office.

The Student Government has drawn up a proposal to renovate the system of electing class officers, and held lengthy discussions on school pride, vandalism, and attendance policies. A mid-August Autograph Record Spin is being planned in conjunction with the arrival and distribution of Albums.

Our hope is that this year's Student Government will have laid the foundation for even more involvement by students. Thanks must be extended to Mrs. Katona for her untiring, most valuable and inspiring guidance on numberless occasions.

A false rumor must be cleared up. Although the Student Government discussed attendance policies before the Administration selected one, the selected one was never approved by the Student Government and the detention system was never even discussed. This is quite different from what some individuals claim, but is born out by the minutes of the meetings.

Cindy North will be the new Student Government President next year. She is a good leader, and the new Student Government is promising. With the support of the student body, they will continue to improve, be more active, and be a voice in suggesting school policy.



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# ★★ Class of '76 Plans For the Future ★★

The Class of 1976 has many different ambitions for the next few years. These ambitions include school, work, and marriage. Following is a brief run down on where one might find members of the Class of '76 during the next few years.

Every year a great deal of Adams graduates make their way to Indiana University at Bloomington, this year will be no exception. Attending IU and majoring in business will be Frank LaPierre, Rob Sweeney, and Chris Mitchell; Mike Clarke will study accounting. The School of Medicine attracts Doug Knapp, Pat Wilson, Dave Skudlarek, Judy Peltz, and Ken Papai. Corrie Wynns and Dave Pecze will attend IU to study telecommunications and TV-Radio Broadcasting, respectively. Marcia Burke will major in physical education while Stephanie Clipper pursues Chinese Studies. Also attending IU in the fall will be Beth Jaicomo, majoring in psychology; Nanci Schmidt in pursuing math; and Dan Rubin who hopes to find a career in the political field. Mido Matsushima will study vocal music in the hopes of one day either teaching or performing. There are quite a few students who will be attending IU but have not, as yet, decided on any particular field of study. These students are Marshall Henderson, Kurt Wise, Wayne Warren, Tony Reed, Chris Orr, Marsha Mennucci, and Vic Tyler.

Those students who will attend IUSB include Cathy Chavez, Dan Flanagan, Francine Epperson, Lisa Jividan, and Mark Miller. Careers in the medical field will bring the following people to IUSB; Joanne Barret, in physical pherapy; Chris Walters, dental hygiene; and Jan Pritz, nursing. Pam Parker and Linda Kluczynski will study

psychology and sociology, respectively. Pursuing studies in the field of accounting at IUSB will be Pam Gregg, and Tonja Sue Reed. Advertising is Cheryl Wasowski's interest while architecture will be Rick Bauer's field of study. Also at IUSB will be Doug Keller majoring in music and Denise Sechowski who plans to become a legal secretary.

Entering Purdue University this fall will be Maxie Bolden, Debbie Gault, and Sue Wagner. Doug Selig and Steve Stodgill will study forestry at Purdue. Science has attracted quite a few students to Purdue where Cathy Broeker will study to be a physical therapist, Eric Goods and Bridget Baran will study pharmacy; Hank Handman, psychology; Pat Pierson and Anna Whipkey, pre-veterinary science; Al Verteramo, physics; and Kent Rollings, Bea Crimmins, and Carol Schrader will also enter the school of Science. Bruce Chandler will major in electrical engineering and Randy Hull in electronics. Also attending Purdue will be Debbie Simpson, majoring in engineering, Tim Oletti in business, and Dave Bendit in accounting.

Ball State has also attracted quite a few members of the Class of '76. Attending Ball State and studying education will be Jerrienne McClure in early childhood. Deborah Ricker in elementary ed, and Jo Grams in Art and English. Entering the field of business at Ball State will be Rick Troeger, Jan Marshall, Jim Kestemeier, Paula Barnes, and Carlos Chavez. Bill Andert will major in architecture and Denise Hartz in music. Chris Walter and Tonya Williams will attend Ball State but have not, as yet, decided on a major.

Indiana State University in Terre Haute, Indiana has attracted

Cheryl Kendall and Margaret Burton. Attending ISU to study Radio and TV Broadcasting is Patti Wiltfong, Tanya Haskins, in nursing, and Penny Harris will major in Political Science. Also entering ISU will be Cathy Austin in elementary education and Vicky Fulce in sociology.

Attending the Memorial School of Nursing will be Robin Curtis, Pam Parker, Sue Clark, and Tami Cranmer.

Jan Warner will enter Saint Mary's to study Spanish and English. Also going to Saint Mary's will be Lisa Hughes in nursing and Patty Ostric.

Ivy Tech has attracted Charles Weathers, John Sample in graphic communications, and Doug Baim in diesel mechanics.

Notre Dame University has attracted quite a few '76 graduates. Attending ND's School of Science will be Mary Ross and Joe Bosco in biology, Joyce Manthay in chemistry, Debra Bilski in pre-med; and Greg Vance and Gail Turner in pre-dentistry and pre-pharmacy, respectively. Studying art at ND will be Kathy Orban while Liz Goerner pursues a major in French. Steve Grise will major in chemical engineering, Mark Warren in aeronautical engineering (in the ROTC program), Jo Lucey in mechanical engineering, and Terry Kinney in electrical engineering. Architecture is Bill Hedge's interest while Radio and TV Broadcasting will be Brad Madison's area of pursuit. Also attending ND will be Sara Yang and Joe Sparks.

Don Steinhilber will attend Valparaiso University to major in Acturial Science along with Steve Hensler in accounting and Sandy Beeman, pre-law.

Jim Lamb and Bob Eades will enter Miami of Ohio to study

medical technology and psychology, respectively. Attending DePauw University will be Dave Weisman studying chemistry and physics and Chuck Czliszar.

A major in the Fine Arts has attracted many people and sends them all over the country. Chris McCraley will study piano performance under Prof. Robert Hamilton at Wichita State University. Mary Golba also will major in music at Bowling Green State University and Tami Cooper will attend Hanover College majoring in English, music, or drama. Drama is the maor for Debby Gordon at the University of Evansville and Pam Berman at Tufts College in Boston, Mass. Janet Thompson hopes to earn a teaching degree in the field of art and one day own a studio of her own.

Sue Ditsch and Linda Beck will attend Vogue Beauty College. Bruce Woodford will be entering the University of Wisconsin to play football, study, and meet some "ladies". Ronnie Spann will go to Marquette University to study computer science and data processing. Attending the University of Wyoming will be Stephanie DeBlase who plans to study wildlife management and environmental law. Pete Verich has expressed a desire to serve in the Marine Corps serving others as a Christian.

Entering the Business School at various schools will be Jon Shapero attending the University of Southern California majoring in marketing, Sandra Zahrt at Brigham Young University studying accounting, and Janet Burnside attending the University of Miami at Coral Gables, Fla.

Tim Lahman 'plans to attend a Junior College in Orange, Cal., majoring in electronics, after receiving an apprenticeship in

electronics here in town. Bruce Douglas will enter Georgia Institute of Technology majoring in Electrical Engineering while Brian Hart studies architectural technology at Ferris State College. John Richards will also enter Ferris State or Purdue in the School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Drugs. Spelman College in Atlanta, Georgia is where Susie Smith plans to major in pre-med. Scott LaMarr has tentative plans of attending Lincoln Technical School in Indianapolis or traveling with a band to California. Hildy Kingma and Molra Dingley are traveling east for school; Hildy will be attending Mount Holyoke College majoring in political science and Moria will enter Colgate.

Several students will stay in South Bend and work next year. Some include Mary Bunnell, Diane Clark, who will be working for Multiple Listing Services; Bill Dawson, working at Triple Electronics; and Barb Ditsch. Carol Evanoff plans to work at Indiana Bell as a switchboard operator, Wendy Fox and Jerry Jenkins will also work. Nancy White, Joy Nichlas, Wendy Stapleton and Jim Lichkay will be working next year. Bryan Wetzel will continue working at Tri-County News and Mark Thomas plans to become a craftsman in the art of bricklaying.

Jan Nicholas and Janice Blitz plan to get married during the summer. Diann Schreiber will get married and travel to several Navy bases. Debbie Creighton will also be married; she hopes to enter college eventually and major in zoology.

The class of '76 obviously shows a great deal of ambition, drive, and determination. We, the Tower staff, hope everyone good luck in all their endeavors.



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  - Leota Seal
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  - Mrs. Marjory Starkweather
  - Jackie Vanderweide
  - Ruth Warren
  - Ruth Weir
  - Roger A. Wesley

# CLASS OF '76 PLEDGES WORLDLY POSSESSIONS

I, **Becky Aeschleman**, will to Cindy life's supply of blow pops, many more angels, a bowl of bean soup on New Years Day, Chicos Boogie Woogie, S.R., pretzels to hit spiders, shoe horn, can of feet spray, jellybeans on Halloween, contacts, game of password, place where bus lights won't shine on you, Phonograph and Stranger. To Deb a great mice forever, contacts that stay in, salt and pepper for the prom, C.U. and S.G. To Beth (orange and B.Z.) you should be leaving me something! To Tom three more fun years at Adams.

I, **James E. Aldridge**, will my Rat Jacket to Jeff Bickel (he needs it) and my good times to the Counselor Department and myself to Natalie Bickel.

I, **William Andert**, will to Ron Janowczyk all of the symptoms of a pint of drool, along with a mad cheese grater, to slaw and disfigure, crusted warblers. To my brother Fido, I leave my anti-stranglehold device for his straight jacket, and a thousand primal screams (to use as he pleases). To Joy Davis I will an anti-tank gun and Christmas tree lights to detonate on helpless victims. To Dale Enick, Andy Golba and Sue Witherby the honor to carry out my subhuman goal.

I, **Luverure Anderson**, will to Silous my ability to get through high school. To Carl my ability to play basketball and to Leroy my ability to play the organ. But most of all I will to the undergraduates, success.

I, **Cathy Austin**, will to the Band my whistle and baton, may the next drum major use it with authority. To Barb Kovacs I will the doll in my locker, may she have pleasant dreams; and to Nan, Mary, Val, the exciting "A" lunch along with the interesting conversations.

I, **Doug Baim**, will the leaning wall of Adams by the Machine Shop to any underclassman that wants to carry on a tradition and to Becky Schaffer I leave a giant Slo-Poke sucker.

I, **Bridget Baran**, will to Skud a new pair of tennis shoes; and also to Drag, Humph, and Skud I will the Blue Bomb to always be sure of a safe ride home! To Mary Kertz a box of toothpicks so she can continue to party. Also my Best of Luck to the Volleyball, Gymnastics, and Cheerleading Teams for the 76-77 season.

I, **Ron Barger**, of sound mind and body will to Mr. Aronson all of my wrestling ability, to Mr. McNary all of my "baseball talent": unused, to Cyndy Rozewicz I will the best of Honors Calculus at Adams.

I, **Paula Barnes**, will Tami Green my locker and the best to her and John Aller. To Jill, my sister, good luck for three more years! To Mr. Reed a box of "Dunkin Munchkins"! To Rick Lord a bottle of ??

I, **Joanne Barrett**, will my brother to John Adams High School.

I, **Rick Bauer**, will all of my pens and pencils to Mitch Bridger, the graffitti in my locker to Mr. Ollman, my good grades to my brother, my Artistic abilities to my little brother, and my basketball talents (if any) to whoever wants them.

I, **Linda Beck**, will to Jay Nicholas my place in the trips to Michigan with Jan and Joy. To Mike Cadoret the last candy bar in second hour and all my sympathy if he should ever happen to get the same course!!!

I, **Sandy Beeman**, will to upcoming students interested in

academics, success in a sports orientated school. To Judy, my partying habits, to Cindy Reynolds, my Chem III lab book; and to Ms. Maza, an album staff who meets their deadlines. Lastly, best of luck to all my graduating friends.

I, **Leslie Bender**, will to Heidi Fisher, the ability to make mistakes when playing the flute and piccolo. To my brother Sam, and Aaron Zent, I pass along every last one of my 3,000 debate cards and my "doodley squat" techniques. Finally to Ms. Maza I offer thanks, best wishes always, and my little brother, Philip.

I, **Dave Bendit**, will to Phil W. all the candy in the world, to Eric W. my banjo, to John Adams my twin brother "Derbin", and to help celebrate the Bicentennial I give James Dirt a red, white, and blue straight jacket.

I, **Pamela L. Berman**, do hereby bequeath a special note of thanks to Mr. Schutz and Mr. Kline for being the bright lights which lit an otherwise lackluster education. To Amy Johnson and Bea Bosco--a private audience with Marcel Marceau (and Bip!); to Liza Goerner--a "pas de deux" with Rudolf Nureyev; to Joan Black (my future manager)--a date (and who knows what else?) with Fred Astaire; and to all loyal Drama Club members--break a leg--break many!

I, **Michael Berndt**, will my best times at Adams to my two brothers Bob and Keith. My laughs and memories to my friends (with best wishes) and to my coach Daniel Poe a hearty Thank-you for all you've done for me.

I, **Kevin J. Biggs**, leave my ability to go to four years of school and not once skipping, to who ever

convulsions and rock moves to Ron Janowczyk; my before practice "records" to Joe Moriarty; one gallon of drool to James Andert; and continued "Badness" to the remaining students.

I, **Debra Bilski**, do hereby bequeath to my friends lots of love, luck, and happiness, as well as many fond memories. To Mr. Wesley, Mr. Mutti, and Mr. Whitcomb my gratitude for all they've done to help me, especially this year. And to those teachers who will be unfortunate enough to get my brother David in their classes--a lot of luck.

I, **Janice Biltz**, will my brother, Jay Biltz, all my extra credits and skip days. I will Kathy Troast all the patience with my brother.

I, **Valerie Booth**, will Jeffrey my ability to drink and not punch anybody in the meantime, to Mary Kertz the ability to come to work "straight" on Saturday mornings, to Mr. Szucs all my slang words and to Mary Dunbar I will access to her father's liquor cabinet.

I, **Pat Borsodi**, will my baby brother Chuckie a lock for his locker, I wish Deb, Steph, Wendy, Beth, Mickey luck in their future years and remember the good times. I will Franchot good luck in every thing he does.

I, **Bosco-Joe, "WILL"** to J. Harlan a "PhibetaRadical" t-shirt with Mao on the back, to Mr. Goodman my "liter" brother and sister, to Pete my little black book and my grades and leadership, to Bea my voice and acting ability, to Maury my money, to Weisman a gun, and to the Student Gov't the necessary drive, determination, and idealism.

I, **Kevin Bower**, will I (one) wheelchair to the John Adams

has to offer, to Brutto I will my love, happiness, and success in life, and to all others I will Good Luck--They'll need it.

I, **Mary Bunnell**, will my knowledge of Sex Education to Mrs. Putnam. And all my good times to Bonnie, Linda V., Sharon G., Marty B., the rest of the Gang.

I, **Marcia Burke**, do hereby will to Adams my little sister Debbie, to Barbara my locker in the pool hall and as happy a senior year as I had, to the swimming teams wishes of luck, and to those who have been my friends a place in my heart forever.

I, **Janet Burnside**, will all my Miller beer to Bobby Reed for a great party weekend, to my sisters Cath and Deb and K.P.C. all the talks, happiness and love, 76-77 cheerleaders and Mrs. Warren no hassels, Jan Powell all the fun times left, a new ear, a smile and a tear, and to Moe, Nanc, Terri, Seudy live it up and no more accidents.

I, **Margaret Burton**, will my ability to Novice Moody to be quiet on the bus after practice, and Joyce my ability to go back to class after lunch hour. I will all the luck in the world to the next softball team and coach.

I, **Beth "Bird" Canary**, will to Little Trout my stopwatch and track records if she wants them. And to the gang, the best of luck in the future. And last of all to Steph a large 6'2" package.

I, **Brad Chambers**, will to Julie Keith all of the time with S.W. that I took away from her; To Dale Enick and Dave Layman all my unused basketball talents and Nortons; To Jim Andert my white greasepaint with black diamond eye liner; and to Sue Witherby all the great times she gave me, gobble.

I, **Marilyn Denise Chase**, will to the remaining altos in Ethnic Choir my talented alto voice, to my future brother-in-law, I wish him all the luck and good times.

I, **Carlos Chavez**, will to Jim Andert my tolerance to beer so the next time we go to a Cincinnati concert you won't pass out. To Gil, NB, Pz, Chip, Bub, Greeno, JD, TD, and Lumpy complete control of the school next year. To my little sister Terri the best of luck.

I, **Catherine A. Chavez**, will my Frosh sister my looks and my clothes and all the worries to last her a life time. To my friend Mag I will her all my hair on my head and high times. To my moms all the happiness and fun. Lastly to all my underclass a party every weekend to keep them going in this hole called John Adams.

I, **Geraldine Christian**, will to Rosie Carter my ability to get good grades and all the folders she needs for the rest of her high school days. Also, Good Luck to the Black Cultural Society. Elaine Baker, all the success in the world.

I, **Diane Clark**, will my brother Randy all my good grades and a good time in his last year.

I, **Sue Clark**, being of basically sound mind and body, will Mac a new pair of shoestrings, Mark a new elbow rest, Mr. Reed four more "trouble-makers" to keep him busy and to all of my friends a happy last year.

I, **Mike Clarke**, will to D. Oren my bowlegs to improve his skiing ability, to M.A. page 48 in Mr. Waller's English class, to my little brother, James, the agony of being under 18 while your friends are 18 years old, and to Mr. Aronson, I leave my excellent sports writing ability and the knowledge of Calculus that I did not absorb.

I, **Stephanie Clipper**, will Phi Beta Radical to any promising young radical, a good yearbook to Meg Goerner, Ricky to Phil Dever, one big "spaz" to aim, the ACC to Fran and Val, my oyster people to Dan Crimmins, a bed with side rails to Lee Fisher, and my Thanks to Miss Cwidak, Mr. Shanley, and Mrs. Smith. Lastly, I leave all my good memories to Pam, John, and the "Lunch Bunch."

I, **Tami Cooper**, being of sound mind (etc), will to Mark Owens "Mr. Waller" (and vice versa), and a four-minute mile around the track. To Thomas B. a wet shoulder, and to everyone else a normal personality and lots of luck.

I, **Tam Cranmer**, will to my little sister, good luck and I hope you have four years as good as I did.

I, **Debbie Creighton**, will my brother a good time at Adams while he's here for another two years.

I, **Kevin Crowe**, will to my brother, Mike, the black boom, to Jeff True a band, to Janet Burnside a week long party in Florida, and Terry Gault a 100 "woman" sayings and 100 "ugly" sayings. Oh, and I can't forget my maid--I will to her one bottle of "ugly" pills.

I, **Caesar**, do hereby bequeath to Hugh Featherstone the realization that his brother was an only child. To Jackie, the common sense her brother surely never used, to Fungus, a can of Cruex and the question of whether or not his parents ever had any children that lived. To Mrs. Warren, and to the 80% of girls in South Bend that are good looking - the other 20% at Adams that aren't.

I, **Robin Curtis**, will to Mr. Reed all of the embarrassing moments he's caused me, and to Bobby all the understanding, happiness, and love life can offer him.



**BEST ATHLETE:** Bridget Baran and Mike Slowey found themselves suffering from spring fever and senioritis and took a break from practice.

is dumb enough to take it. To Maxie Bolden all the torn shirts from my friend's and mine scrimmage games at Adams. To Bruce Douglas my Spanish Dictionary so he can continue cussing in Spanish. To Terry Kinney my jacket. To Ron Olson good luck at Ball State and my ability to beat him at cards.

I, **Paul Bilinski**, being "COMPLETELY" out of a state of reality, will my brown bag, Dad and Joe, and good times to Lori Darrow; my

Athletic Department so Mike Marshall makes it through the next season, my Kiss outfit to the next crazy person that can fit in it, and to the underclass basketball players, a trip downstate to overshadow the one I missed.

I, **Cathy Broeker**, being of sound mind and body (ha, ha), will Mr. Aronson compassion and humility, to Miss Cwidak I will a muzzle, to Mela I will good luck and the hope that you take advantage of the opportunities that Adams and life

I, **Kenny Chambliss**, will to Todd Taylor my get-up-and-go for practice because his got up and went. I will to Emmitt Dodd a muzzle. To Ron Mitchem a parking lot so he will always have someplace to put his feet.

I, **Bruce Chandler**, will WSJA to another qualified E.E.; to James Andert and Dan Crimmins the Top Secret "Z Papers," and the hidden messages of the Galactic Embassy.

# SENIORS SHOW UNIQUE PERSONALITIES



**BIGGEST EXTROVERT:** Sandy Duxbury and Ed Featherstone can't resist the temptation of a stage and a podium.

I, **Paul Daniels**, will to Coach Wiand a better Cross Country season, to Coach Hadaway my height and speed to who ever you want to give it to, and my Cab Service to who ever wants to take it over.

I, **Bill Dawson**, will back to Mr. Dudley my Vica card and everything else to anyone who wants it.

I, **Stephanie DeBlase**, leave Wilts and Terry their own library so they may study in good spirits: to J.J.G. happiness always; and to Beth, Deb, Kathy, Wendy, Helen, Pat, Carol, Wendy, and Penny, a lot of happy memories.

I, **Donald D. Diggins**, by the power invested in me, will my tackling ability to my brother Mike. In my closing remarks: for those of you who felt hate I leave you peace of mind, because I feel no hate. Teachers! Thank you for everything, you understood.

I, **Moira Dingley**, will to Anne Slowey and "Ziglet" two more fulfilled years in the pool despite the agonies of Mrs. Callum's point system. Good Luck! To Dave Rubin--a pair of cross-country skis. To the Girl's Tennis Team--success with our new coach. For Mr. Goodman, I will another "Dingley" to take my place as his target in "not" setting a good example for all the Chem. II students!

I, **Barbara Ditsch**, will to my cousin, Jackie Ditsch, a frosh at Adams, four good years and my talent to sneak-eat in classes. To Mr. Seeley, with his bluntness and honesty, my ugly pictures and 3½ years of art.

I, **Sue Ditsch**, will to Mike Varedwyck all the free fries that I couldn't give to him, and to all future Ditsch's who'll attend Adams all my good times and grades. The bad times can go to.....!

I, **Darlyn Doaks**, will my maturity to the girls in the class of '79" and to Dora Scott I will my walk and my ability to be myself.

I, **Stephanie Doaks**, will all of my talent of making people laugh to my roddies, Ron, Rickie, Norman, Larry, and Tarzan.

I, **Mary Dominic**, will to Laurie Lootens a box of safety pins and a pack of orange Tic Tacs (you'll need them). To Hank, I will a beer mug (unbreakable). To all the

underclassmen, the good times I have had at Adams.

I, **Bruce A. Douglas**, being of sound mind and the girls can tell you how great my body is, hereby bequeath to the Josephs my charm to get a PRETTY girlfriend, to David H. a rap that works, to Sis all of the trash in my locker, to Judy M. a boyfriend who is stronger than she is, to Ronnie M. my feet and behind because he needs a smaller size in both.

I, **Marco Driver**, will to Mr. Poe my appreciation for everything he has done for me and good luck into the future. I will to Point and Peak Driver and Mrs. Rootoff the ability to flip. Someday.

I, **Charles [Rusty] Duncan**, would like to share everything that was ever learned to every student. My slight knowledge of another world to anyone who will do good with it. My Motorcycle to my sister, Lori.

I, Myra Handy, will to Elaine Baker my 4.0 grade point average, and to Denise Harris my fantastic softball skills.

I, **Bob Eades**, will to Bruce Lockhart my fur lined supporter for those long cold hockey practices at Howard Park. To the football team I will a sense of humor in times of stress, and to Mr. Schutz, 5 packs of Black Jack gum, a map of the St. Joe River, and 12 of my favorite cuss words to accompany his stone skipping.

I, **Francine Epperson**, will to my sister Chris my bruises, to my brother Jeff my talent of skipping and not getting caught, to the hallguards a rest from me not being in the halls, and to all the underclassmen of John Adams--Good Luck.

I, **Carol Evanoff**, will my good times as manager of the swim team to my sister Roz. To Mr. Connelly a SAFE place to put your keys, to the girl's who call me Poo may your years left at Adams be the best. To the teachers that help me during the week I needed them--Thank You with all my heart.

I, **Edmund Featherstone**, would like to thank my fellow pupils for demonstrating how ugly apathy really is.

I, **Maury Fisher**, will to all of next years seniors a full year of chronic seniorities and inflammation

of the brain and ego. To all those in the music department, this will be no problem.

I, **Dan Flanagan**, will to Phil Dooley all the girls he can handle in his last year. To Paul Thomas my Drivers Manual, to John Paskiet the front end of a '71 Chevy, to Kelly Sweeney a muzzle for all the words he yells out of car windows, and to Erin the fun times ahead.

I, **Wendelin Catherine Marie Fox**, will to Steph, Deb, Carol, Penny, Good Luck on going to college. To Pat, Beth, Wendy to keep in touch, to all the gang the games, parties and Mich. and most of all the Library. To Franchot, Larry, Chris, Patty all the Good Luck in getting out of John Adams High School.

I, **Vicky Fulce**, will Darryl Robinson my credits and my brains and my date to the senior Prom. I will Terri Haskins all my sweet dudes and another year of Ronell. I will Ronell Fulce my ability to graduate, my intelligence, my looks, and my date to the Junior Prom. To all incoming Freshman--Good Luck.

I, **Robert Furlong**, being of brilliant mind and "sexy" bod, will all my good times at Adams to Beth and Cindy. Also to Beth an old "Blow Pop" stick. Also to Cindy my one-third of the locker. And to Debbie P. a dead Sasafraz Tree Stump. B.Y.W.

I, **Cathi Gabele**, will to Janice a lifetime pass to Perkins for all the blueberry roll-ups she can eat. To Mr. B., I wil another district vice-president and our naked frosh. To Mr. Szucs and Miss Copp I leave a pile of index cards. To Ms. Cwidak, a new automatic mouth.

I, **Sharon Glassford**, leave David all my many adventures in the hope that he will have some of his own. I also leave the car which is already a wreck.

I, **Liza "lizard" Goerner**, being of sane mind and insane body do hereby will to Stephanie Clipper one Chinese sugatoid; to Pam Berman, Broadway; to A. Whipl, one jar of snake poison; to Jill Yazel, lots of stinky fritos; to Mary Ross, some creepy-crawlers for Biology; and to my beloved (?) sisters, lots of steers, drummers, melodies, and T's; and lastly one big valentine for C.C.

I, **Mary Golba**, will to the "Girl's Swim Team" 8,400 laps and dives, and a "Good Luck" wish for next year. To Katy Patton I leave one

empty bottle of Peppermint Schnapps. To Nanathen Hendricks, Paula Hendricks, and Ann Dolde I leave 20 feet of snow and lots of good times.

I, **Eric Goodson**, will my job at Farrells to anyone stupid enough to take it.

I, **Debby Gordon**, being of questionable mind and body (after 4 years at J.A.H.S.) will rosin and rockstops to the cello section; I will the orchestra to Mr. Germano, and next year's president, I wish them well. Lastly, I would like to will something to Rini Yang, Amy Johnson, and Bea Bosco, who seemingly have everything; to them I can only offer a prayer that they stay as together as they are now.

I, **Jo Grams**, will to my brother John the weekends of partying, to Kathy Sweeney all my TeePee equipment to clean her car, to Lisa Santuro another ex-girlfriend, and to all upcoming classes a more spirited class than we ever were.

I, **Jan Green**, will to Mr. Blauvelt another class clown like Kevin to liven up those long DECA trips and to Karen, Barb, and Cindy the ability to make and be as true a friend as their sister. To Cathi, Sue, Vickie, and my other friends I leave my thanks for making JAHS bearable.

I, **John Green**, will to Randy Kelly, my favorite underclass gymnast, my gymnastic ability, maybe you can do something better with it.

I, **Michael R. Green**, being of sound mind and body hereby will one more year at Adams to my sister Tami. To Cindy Kennedy and Diane Darenger a new carton of cigarettes, and the best of luck and happiness to Mary Ann Fox.

I, **Pam Gregg**, will to Kelly Sweeney a lot of good parties and to Kathy Sweeney a lot of good friends like Jo and to Mr. Waller an interesting class and for anyone who has him, a good map.

I, **Steve Grise**, will my brother Rick the patience to put up with all the #\*! that goes on in this school. To the band goes my whistle and baton, do with it what you want! To Mrs. Starkweather, a "shutup" sign.

I, **John Gundlach**, with much consideration to Mr. Goodman, I will the Cincinnati Reds last place, to Kelly Sweeney I will my seat at Fat Wally's, to Jim Gooley my broken pool cue from the Library,

and finally to John Adams High School I will my apathy.

I, **Hank Handman**, upon leaving John Adams, wish to leave to the John Adams Tuba Section all the spit from my horn. To Debbie Selig, I leave my greatest gift, that of "psyching" out the faculty to get those easy grades. To Dan Stegman, a pair of sneakers for McDonalds; to Linda Austin my pervertedness.

I, **Marian Handy**, will to LeJuna Stith my ability to keep the faith and not get caught. To my sister, Myra, my ability to make worthwhile decisions.

I, **John Harlan**, radical connoisseur of fine looking trees, will to all my friends great big bunches of nice, ripe, yellow bananas to remember me by. To David Herring, I will Woody Allen. To Woody Allen, I will my birthday. To my birthday, I will David Herring. WHAT? Me, too. Yes, it is nice weather out today.

I, **Beth Harless**, will to Carla and Karen a quarter pounder and not the catible kind. To Mary Kertz, Nancy Schmidt, and Little Zig chauffered ride to all parties. To Doug and Paul an unlocked car, to my little sis Mary, the ability to skip school and always get an admit. To my bro Tom--I will you my wonderful experiences. To Judy, Shelley, and Peg, I hope that one day you'll have a ride that picks you up on time!

I, **Penny Harris**, being of not-so-sound mind and body will the following to D.K.: a cast iron viola and B.S., to C.S. a u-turn on Chimes and a roll of toilet paper, to the orch. the quietness without D.K. and I fighting, to J.F. a lot of luck 'cause he'll need it his senior year, to Randy a lock, to Steph--a male body, to the Spanish class a trip to the Crystal Pistol and to Mr. Allen the relief of getting rid of me.

I, **Brian Hart**, will to my brother Eric, the patience to put up with all of the #\*! teachers and rules in this school. To Charmion Chase the best of luck next year and all of the Lemon Ice Cream Cones.

I, **Jim Hartman**, being the most insane in the senior class leave my broken guitar strings and picks to those underclass rock 'n roll musicians and to Lisa Fox and Carol Melander I leave the good times. To all of my old teachers I leave behind my thoughts of happiness.

I, **Denise Hartz**, will to my brothers Dennis and Doug, and all



**MOST INTERESTING TO TALK TO:** Stephanie Clipper and Bob Eades can even find something interesting to say to a tree.

# BRUCE WOODFORD IS PROUD OF HIS MUSCLES

their friends that pick on me, wishes for the best of everything in all they do. Also, the hopes that those who are looking for an enriched life through music will find it. I would like to thank Mr. Ollman, Mr. Engeman, and a special thanks to Mr. Allen, for giving me the opportunity and help in finding this.

I, **Bill Hedge**, do hereby leave to the upcoming baseball players, especially my brothers a "KOJAK hair kit" so their hair will be short enough for the "Butch"; to other transfer students, new friends; and to the guidance department a "take a number" machine and an "out to lunch" sign.

I, **Tanya Haskins**, a loyal loveable cancer will to thee T. Haskins the ability to succeed through J.A.H.S., also to my bros. M. Haskins and D. Haskins my pleasure to keep that toe-jam scent smelling strong. I will to D. Robinson suits without pockets so he'll have to buy everything; and to the Attendance office a years worth of doctor bills. To the HOT underclassmen and incoming "FROSH" a cooling chance through life.

I, **Marshall Henderson**, hereby leave the next Album staff some artistic and experienced photographers--if any come by.

I, **Steve Hensler**, will to Andy Golba one can of nitritan. To Mary Anderson one McDonald's hat, and a car to take her there during lunch. To Geoff Oletti and Southpaw, I will exciting Track meets that you can attend on Friday nights and finally to next years baseball team much success.

I, **Toni Horvath**, will to Bob Berndt lots of luck in school, to Keith Berndt the ability to keep his grades up and to Patty Duestenburg, Lori Olson, Gina Fragomini--Much Happiness and Good Luck.

I, **Denise Hubert**, do hereby give my parking spot at McDonalds to Amy Stitt who will follow in my footsteps. I wish a Good Luck to next years sorority.

I, **Lisa Hughes**, being of unsound mind and unsound body, do hereby leave the posters in my locker and my Al Pacino pictures to my sister, Colleen, who can't stand either.

I, **Randy Hull**, will to Kim Parent a bag of french fries and a gallon of root beer. I also will to my sister, Debbie, three more successful years at Adams. Lastly a horse-bite to each of the Three Stooges (T.H., C.H., K.D.).

Since I, **Tom Inwood**, have served my four year term (jail sentence) its about time to leave. To the incoming freshmen I leave John Adams High. To the Sophomore class, 100 roles of masking tape to be used during pep assemblies (over your mouths). To next year's seniors, Good Luck.

I, **Chris Jagmin**, am taking everything with me.

I, **Beth Jalcomo**, will my hair, top hat, and a horn to Mr. Whitcomb and to my little brother, David, my lettersweater--he may never get one. To Phil a good G.E., to Bruce a worse G.E., to Jackie a roll of lifesavers, and to Alma a good swim season, and to Sue Scheu and Mrs. Callum--good luck with the team.

I, **Jerry Jenkins**, being of sound mind and body, at least some people think so, will to all the freshmen of next year my ability to skip and get away with it. And to Cathy, Debra, Stephanie--all the luck with their young men.

I, **Johnny Jenkins**, would like to will all my love to Debra Hardy and that someday we will be together always. I will my greatest teacher, Mrs. Francis, my knowledge to

help others and be as sweet as she is.

I, **Lisa Jividan**, will all my laughs and good times here to Cindy Johnson and my niece Joyce. My thanks to Mr. David for not suspending me from school so I could go to Florida, and my luck for skipping assemblies to the 3 girls I got caught with.

I, **Cynthia Johnson**, will to Candy M. my hips and a new boyfriend for her senior year. To Mr. Dudley \$1,000 of tax deductions. To Susie Smith my job.

I, **Debbie Jones**, will to Mrs. Lazzara another person to talk to just like me. To Miss Davis I will all the laughter and caring one person can hold. To Velveta I will hapiness in the coming future. And to all my friends I will all of them success. R.M.A.

I, **Kate Kasper**, will to Sue Scheu another "hooker" to run the halls with, a "KISS" to Pitter and the gang, to Mr. Mihail and Mr. Reed a good Guardian Eagle (which you deserve), another "Thunder

I, **Cheryl Diane Kendall**, will my beautiful singing voice to Debra Ann Jones, who can't hold a tune even when she hums. To Lisa Murray, my ability to stay in class and keep quiet.

I, **Jim Kestermeler**, will to Mr. Aronson all the joy that I am experiencing by being through with the Adams football program. To Tom Connelly I will an Adams Football season ticket. To Kim Gabriel and Laura Clauss all the fun I had at Adams.

I, **Hildy Kingma**, will to Julie Keith the cure for an epileptic hand, to Donna and Roxanne Scarbrough all the happiness they so much deserve, and to Cathy Scarbrough, a life filled with love. I would like to thank Ms. Maza for giving purpose to my senior year. To Donnie I will happiness and love whatever he does and wherever he goes. Finally, to my S.B.S.--prove it to me!

I, **Terry Kinney**, of sound mind and body, do hereby will all my electronic knowledge to Mr.

my train set. God knows it will take both of them to carry it.

With my last grasp of power, I, **James Garfield Lamb II**, great and almighty, do bequeath to my little sister, Mary, a boyfriend and to those little party girls Pitter, Louie, and Jackie a pass to see Peter Faulk and the Gold Diggers. A work of advice to Coach Dave, when the ball isn't going through the hoop, it's time to wind things up.

I, **Frank LaPierre**, will to Mary 1,000 "sorrrys"; To Nancy, Berts number if she should ever want a date; to "Lover" a Sheesh!; to Pitter, a hair dryer and a pair of Lee Jeans; and to Kimmy all of my "T.L.C.", a new baby sister, and a rainbow of "tropical colors."

I, **Steve [Rod] Laskowski**, will to my brothers, Tom and Ken, all my athletic talents, of which there is no end. To Litch 50 pounds of muscle. To Bruce a "vet", to Mr. Breck a grease and ink-proof wardrobe, to all other J.A. students "Happy Partying."

I, **Tim [B.B.] Lehman**, will my Vica Card to Mr. Dudley, my GJV8 and my high heels to Mr. R. Saunders, my pencil holder to Mr. Stillman, my good lucks to Tammy Green, and whatever else I have I give to my good friends.

I, **Scott LeMarr**, to all my fellow cellmates at Adams Penitentiary--Don't Get Caught!

I, **Jim Lichkay**, will to all the future Alkes all the tabs I've pulled between here and Michigan and to Becky the best of luck in your last year.

I, **Jo Lucey**, will David Wiseman an Afro along with the short 5' girl who looks good both coming and going, Sara Yang good times and happiness, and Steve as many gingerbread hearts that he can eat.

I, **Brad "Lee"** (which I'm called only by my best friends and other people too, yet my parents don't ever call me Lee) **Madison**, hereby will to everyone the desire to watch "Beyond Our Control". To my brother, Brian (no relation), absolutely nothing 'cause he doesn't deserve anything. To Janett, best wishes in the future. To Kurt and Dan a dozen Dunkin Doughnuts and a Pindoobie. Finally, to all the people in B.O.C. all my love and respect for making it the best Damn year in my life! P.S. to Jim. H., Jeff B., Steve H., Ritchie B., and Alvin L., the guitar wizards! Thanks for the inspiration. L.M.

I, **Mido Matsushima**, will to all the underclassmen my fantastic and exciting times at Adams (sic). And to all the future Album staffers, I wish them all the luck in the world. You'll need it! To Mr. Allen, I will him my soprano voice. Hope he makes good use of it.

I, **Jan S. Marshall**, would like to thank those educators, from which I learned. Leaving Adams I hope that Kawana, Angie, Vicie and the rest of you, the gang, will continue in school. (Bren and Pig don't fight and be ladies!) Wish the Black Cultural Society the best of luck next year. If I have hurt anyone or spoiled anything for them, forgive me.

I, **Jerrienne McClure**, will to my sister and all her freshman friends four fun years and all my used notebooks, (you'll need them); and to Mr. Williams and Mr. Brech all the torn-down carburators in Powder Puff Mechanics.

I, **Christopher McCraley**, will a leather-bound edition of the Harper's Dictionary of Music to Mr. Allen, a one-picture photo essay (preferably of Elton John) to Ms. Maza, and a life-long prescription of Valium along with a

few relatively unused (What more can she ask for?) handkerchiefs to Ms. Cwidak. Also, to Sam Bender, as many decks of cards it takes to beat the next gullible person he challenges to "3-Card Pooky", and to Michele Grant, a red light.

I, **Kelly McNulty**, will to Jeff Booth a blue "caddy" and a good "belt" now and then. To Laura Heise my parents consent and a weekend at P.U. or I.U., and to my aunt (Mary Dunbar) a pacifier and the best of luck--enjoy JAHS as much as I did.

I, **Marsha Mennuci**, will to Diane H. 200 yards of eraser tape, to Pat Ostra my driving ability, to Lynn Harper strength for one more year of school, to Jimbo and Dave my admits, to Cindy D., Pitter, Elaine, Lynn, Cindy R. and the rest of the gang - 20 hours of party time, to my brother David - excuses to explain absences to my parents, and to Big Dummy lots of love and luck with coming classes.

I, **Mark Miller**, leave to Mr. Schutz: My keen ears, so he can pass them out to his future classes. Because you need them on his "objective tests".

I, **Chris Mitchell**, will to Mr. Scuzs a criminal record, to Mrs. McLemore a 1976 Roman chariot with air conditioning. To all the hall guards a machine gun and a can of mace, to Mrs. Germano, I will a bus loaded with screaming children. To Mr. Haag a bust of Dr. Watson and to all my Friends the fun that I had at Adams.

I, **Jan Nicholas**, will to my brother Jay, a six pack of beer and the best of luck your next two years at Adams! To Mrs. Aurruda, the easiest teacher to get along with and nicest! and the pleasure of taking attendance. Best wishes to you in the future! Andy Czackniec, all my brains in Sports.

I, **Joy Nicholas**, will my thanks to Andy C. for the talks through the good and bad times. To my brother I will the car for the week-end runs to Michigan. To John W. a new pair of shoes because you probably wore out the old ones escorting me to my 4th hour.

I, **Tim Oletti**, will to Mrs. Germano a lot of badness, to Mr. Reed all the fun times I had with him and many more, I will to Melinda Smith a sheet of iron so she can be a center punch, to Mr. Whitcomb a box of Dutch Masters to keep his blood pressure down.

I, **Kathy Orban**, will the good times in all of the future to Bruce MacLead, my purse and its contents to Gregg Fulce, the Playgirl calendar in my locker to any Freshman girl and to all the underclassmen four of the fastest years you'll ever have.

I, **Chris Orr**, Being of spaced mind and intoxicated body, do leave to my opposites everything I believe in: Chris McCraley, a free membership into the KISS Army - he needs it. To Mark Miller a Black Sabbath poster to stare at when he plays his Beach Boy's albums.

I, **Patty Ostric**, leave to my friends of JAHS the following things: To Cris, an assorted set of wigs for when she's 30, to Katy, a free pass to Holly's Landing, to Mike M. and Mark O., I leave a family of aardvarks, all by the name of Aaron, to Marcia M., I give immunity to all parking tickets, To Charm, I give a lifetime's supply of ju-ju's, and to Brian, some 5 inch platforms. To the rest of the "gang", I will all the best wishes and luck for their next year at Adams.

I, **Ken Papai**, being of wasted mind and tired body do will to Chris McCraley all my Led Zeppelin and Black Sabbath posters. Also to



**BIGGEST JOCK:** Beth Jalcomo calls someone over to admire Bruce Woodford's huge biceps.

Thighs" and a ride by the witches house to Jan Powell, to Kertzie the energy to party 364 days a year (a day of rest would do you good), my weekly place at Shula's and the Best of Luck, to the 76-77 cheerleaders have fun!!!!

I, **Steve Keb**, will to my little sis Terry H. my paper route, to Mary Kertz a keg, Lynn Harper, Bill Paterno's dorm room key, Pam Milliken my circle-a-word books, to Lori Lowman my ability to get away with everything, Tracy Kertz I leave rosier cheeks, last, Julie I leave long legs to drive my milk truck.

I, **Doug Keller**, will to the orchestra Mr. Germano. To Karen Funk I give her the section because its the only thing I ever gave her but trouble. To Jerome Whipkey and Joe Ross my bankruptcy notice and to Mr. Germano patience and many good years.

Saunders so that he may know how to turn on a light. To Mrs. Warren, audio for her TV, and to Jim Sezico all the points I cheated him in tennis.

I, **Linda Kluczynski**, will Laurie Lawson my brother Joe, Good Luck! To Lisa Hughs my ex-boyfriend, the sexy Italian!

I, **Doug Knapp**, do sanely and soberly bequeath the following to Jackie and Mary, a years supply of men, the keys to the bar and my little black book on how to find a party. To Terry Gault, for her scrapbook, the keys to Room 236 at the Holiday Inn and a piece of tape. To Toby, a case of vaseline and a straw. To Fungus, a can of Cruex-Antidote and a book on "How to Grow on People, Places, and Things." To Miss Copp a season pass to the "Hideaway" and 25c in change. To Carol Melander and Kim Olson I leave

# WHICH CAME FIRST.. THE CHICKEN OR THE EGG?

anyone "smart" enough to sleep out for concert tickets all the miles logged to the Oak Dairy Store.

I, **Pamela A. Parker**, will to Bonita Parker my will power to stay in school and to Darryle Robinson some new clothes. Also to Tanya and Terri Haskins the best wishes in the world.

I, **Dave Pecze**, will to my next door neighbor Eddie Bartlett, my PZ charm with good looking girls so he can get one like I did. To anyone interested, my job at WNDU High School Sports Center, so they can be hassled by the school faculty.

I, **Judy Peltz**, will to the Girls Swimteam the pool time from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., the next year's Girls Tennis Team a whole hour of Yoga relaxation with Miss Copp, Gary Severyn my ability to turn around before I get to the wall without the coach seeing (including Mr. Stark), and Mimi Marnocha and Mary Raymond some peace of mind and some sort of happiness during their last year at Adams.

I, **Donald Perry**, give my will to Leroy Sutton and his upcoming brother, Mark. And wish them the best at Adams. And my last one is to Kathy Kikery, a sweet girl.

I, **A. John Plodowski**, being of sound mind and body, leave Thomas Thompson one (1) wild Irish Rose, and one (1) Mad Dog. I leave Rory Smith one (1) keg of Coors. I leave a lead pipe and a can of mace and a can opener to Greg Gillis.

I, **Corrine Pluta**, will to Mary Kertz a pound of UNCONVERTED RICELAND RICE, finally, and a styrofoam cup to the party. I also like to offer my appreciation to Mrs. Arruda, Mr. Goodman, Mr. Drapek, Mr. Blauvelt and all of my teachers.

I, **Jan Pritz**, will to my little brother Jim the best of luck and all the great times your senior year (and on weekends), to Fran R. all your party supplies; to Carol Melander my great Little Sis and an understanding person; to Toni and Mike my best wishes, to Jim G.

my friendship; to Dale E. keep smiling; to Rox "Chubs" Thanks.

I, **Tonya Sue Reed**, in this last will and testament leave to my sister, Ty, my large locker and everything that is in it. I, also, will to Ty my memory, for she needs it.

I, **Tony Reed**, will to all other classes a lot of parties. To Jim A. and Dan C. U.F.S. Film Productions. To Jim G., Jeff O., and Andy G. all the girls they need. To John Hedge a leather jacket with a key to a case. To Mary M. nothing, you've got it all. To Mr. Seeley, another still life. To all my friends, best of luck.

I, **Bill Reinke**, leave the incoming seniors the laps around the school, the Bleach burnout, the good times in the auto shop, and the terminals in Michigan for boring school days.

I, **John (J.R.) Richards**, being of sound body and party mind, will to Geoff Oletti and Andy Golba nights like last New Year's Eve with "Lips". To Mr. Goodman the desire to obtain tickets to watch the Dodgers play in the World Series.

I, **Deborah Ricker**, will Mary Smith one foot of my height. To Jim Reeder I leave my well used guards for ski mittens. And to the remaining Baton Twirlers I will the fire in my fire batons so that they will always stay warm on the field.

I, **Vicki Roland**, do hereby will to Judy C. an answering service to keep track of all her messages and phone calls; to the softball team, good luck next year; to Pat W. all the T.P. she can use; and to Debbie S. many thanks for all the memories and times we've had that are too numerous to list during our 4 years at Adams.

I, **Kent Rollings**, will to Mr. Goodman I (one) extra large "I AM A CHEMISTRY NERD" T-shirt. Also to the Class of '80 I will the knowledge to keep their mouth shut. Last but not least I will my sarcasm to the next person who wants to harass Mr. Ollman.

I, **Daniel Rubin**, leave the next baritone player to enter the weird ensemble my big locker--of course

stripped down...To Shellie all my history notes so you can breeze by Mr. Reed! Hi Mr. Reed, How many countries are there in Indiana.

I, **John Sample**, Will: To my little sister, who will be here next year, a bad name and all the friends I didn't seem to have. To Mr. David I will all my Dr.'s excuses that I wrote myself. To Sherrie Leeper I will all the pipes, papers, and roach clips I have lying in my locker. And to Steve Hill, a lot of "PARTIES" to come.

I, **Cathy Scarbrough**, will to my upcoming senior enough credits to graduate early (to keep their sanity), to anyone that wants it, all the sunshine I'm enjoying while being away from South Bend, and to Donna and Roxanne, the happiness they deserve and all my love.

I, **Jill Schafer**, will: to two ex-locker-partners (J+V) a locker and a lock of their own to Timmy, all the happiness with C.B. I had with Rob; to "Muc" a muffler and a case of oil, a life time supply of Mickey D's; To Vic, her namesake-a domesticated ass; to Mike and Mike-another year of Adams without me--a date to next years prom, all my love.

I, **Nancy Schmidt**, will to Drag, Kertz, Jaki, Sloe, Zig, Harless, Happa, Ray and Weamic a means of free transportation for next year without a curfew, a library card including store hours, my cheap alligator, To Jane Willem's an adventure and Thanks for a Bizarre Year!

I, **Susan Schmidt**, will Mike Crowe my ability to be able to graduate early and a Teddy Bear of your own. And to Louie Dragovich all the good times in Mrs. Seward's class. To Nancy Schmidt how did you ever get out a year early?

I, **Carol Schrader**, will to Chris Doyon--M.A. in the closet, P.S. have fun. To N.W. - I.D.'s and to J.S. I will good luck through the final years at Adams--and too bad we don't know each other better.

I, **DiAnn Schreiber**, leave to the underclassmen all my talents of getting unexcused absences.

I, **Dan Scott**, will to my brother and sister, Pat and Coleen the two empty seats in the back of the auto shop. (And pray they don't get a doughnut monster like Bruce Thorpe in their class) To Wally Jagua the opportunity for good times in the Auto Shop.

I, **Denise Sechowski**, will to Sharon and Vanessa my empty seat at Ronnies, My sister Peggy my book "The Art of Skipping" and to my brother Randy the knowledge of how to get around poor work slips.

I, **Doug Selig**, will my beard to Dan Stegman and I will my car keys to Kim French so she can go home for lunch.

I, **Kevin Shaw**, will to David Harvey \$3.25 to get a line. I will Ronnie Mitchem my ability to pull some young ladies. I will the brothers the ability to stay in school and make something out of themselves. And for all the sisters to get their head together.

I, **Tom Shuman**, being of unsound mind and body will to Steve Paskin my hangmans noose in hopes that he will use it, and to Becky Schaffer a lifetime supply of photographs of her.

I, **Katheryn D. Silcott**, leave my thanks to Mrs. Katona, Mr. Bingham, and Mr. Stillman, for helping me through. To all my friends, just for being friends. But most of all to my mother for all her help and encouragement.

I, **Debbie Simpson**, will to Mrs. Maza and next year's Album staff a deadline on time.. to Vicki, my



**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED:** Sara Yang ponders her future while Joe Bosco displays his ambition to be an anthropologist.

physics notebook. To my little sisters all the headaches, homework and fun I had at Adams. To Mr. Reed, my kindly doctor and broken blood vessels.

I, **David Skudlarek**, will to Mr. Goodman two tickets to the Cubs team so he can see a real baseball team play; to Mr. David, the fifth of Jack Daniels I never got him; to Mr. Schutz, all the tooty-fruity ice cream he will ever need; to Mary all the common sense her oldest brother never used.

Tomb it may concern: I, **General Slowey**, will to Scott Tenney some drugs to smoke at his leisure; To Lilly Steve Smith a cuttle prod and a straight jacket; to Lumpy a higher ceiling; to Dan Flynn, a girlfriend in the same city; to Cwidak, an autographed picture of myself; and finally to my loving sister, a swift kick in the (sic).

I, **Suelyn Smith**, will to my sister Desi the ability to be herself and to stay on top in everything she does as she enjoys the many experiences at Adams. And to the 1976-77 cheerleaders I will all the days at practices and the many Friday and Saturday nights, cold or hot, that I enjoyed. May they be a great experience for you, and for Becky and Candy may they be even more rewarding--Good Luck!

I, **Ronnie Spann**, being of sound mind and body hereby bequeath to Lana and Kina all the junk in my locker including the lock. To Bruce Douglas all my stacks, to Michael Howard my afro pick and to Kevin Shaw my jumper and Bruce Woodford my speed.

I, **Joe Sparks**, being of sound mind and body, will to Joel and T-Ron the sports arena in the percussion room. To Kevin I leave the Jazz Band (Take it please) To Michelle, I leave the marching band and a lotta luck. To Sharon, I leave all my skip days and a lotta good times.

I, **Wendy Stapleton**, will my ability to decorate lockers to E.J.; A cake and a large bag of peanut M&M's to Mr. David; and to Mr.

Reed, my nickname S.W.--which really suits him better. To incoming freshmen--Good Luck!

I, **Don Steinhilber**, will my laugh to my brother so he can make it two more years, a map of Valpo to Amy Terry, and a championship to Coach Buczkowski. To my H.T.H. from her S.B.S. a whole lot of love.

I, **Steve Stogdill**, do hereby will to Debby Simpson one dozen Dunkin Donuts. To Debbie Gordon a recording of her laugh. To Hildy Kingma 3:00 in the morning. Mr. Goodman a bottle opener. Mr. Drapek his carpet. To Myron Haskins training wheels for his bike. Tim Oletti a Playboy subscription for next year. And to Karol Hemig all the great times, laughs, Colorado, Mergatroid, the 400 inside jokes, 72 miles, \$3.11, tomorrow, and my thanks--and more!

I, **Rob Sweeny**, will to Jim, Greg, Paz, Bubs, N.B., Jeff, Pert, 55 weeks of partying and all the crushed beer cans on Clements Street. To Ms. Warren I will more fourth hours like she has now. To John Komora I will my crutches because of the way he plays football, he'll need them. To my brother I will everything he wanted but I had. I will to the class of '77 luck in everything they do.

I, **Mark Thomas**, being of sound mind and body will to Grams, Musz, Paszkiet, P.A. and Terry C. all the keggers they can carry.

I, **Rozie Thomas**, will to Candy Martin my ability to skip school and never get caught. To Debra Newsome my ability to stay in school. All good luck to all John Adams students in the years to come.

I, **Janet Thompson**, of sound mind and body hereby bequeath the honor to Rodger Klopfenstein to receive as many splinters as possible. To Mr. Roberts a pair of socks that will match anything he owns. And to Miss. Davis all the plaster she can use in memory of me.



**EASIEST TO GET ALONG WITH:** Steve Stogdill, Moira Dingley, Lisa Dueterberg and Chris Walters enjoy the presence of each others company.

# Dave Displays His Attitude Toward Women

I, **Pat Torok**, being of questionably sound mind and body leave to the members of John Adams Music Dept. patience, tolerance and the realization that those in charge, at times, are ever so slightly touching upon the verge of competency.

I, **Kevin Tretheway**, being of sound mind and body, leave all my fortunes to the first one who can find them.

I, **Rick Troeger**, will the Paz a gold plated stamper, to N.B., Bubs, Clipper, and GG all the partying they can handle. And to Walt a book on "How Not to Be Nappy".

I, **Jeff True**, would like to will Ed Featherstone a pat on the back; to Kevin Crowe \$20, to Diane Lee my skiing ability, Dave Skudlarek my advice, Janet Burnside "goodness"!!, Mark Koscielski my job at the Racket Club, Bruce Lockhart my sharp elbows.

I, **Gail P. Turner**, will to Ron Newhouse my ability to stay awake in Latin class, to Carla Willis an alarm clock that wakes her up on time, to Ronnie, Lynn, and Judy Mitchem my appetite, to Catherine Jones someone else to call "little bit", to Eric Manns good luck you your senior year, and to my friend Cynthia Johnson I lend my car.

I, **Victor Tyler**, will to Jane one chauffeur driven Rolls Royce et seulement des hommes propre. To Dan I will: the will to go on in photography and realize its artistic values (in spite of environmental stimuli). I leave my brother a blank check and Ms. Davis many thanks. My space has run out.

I, **George Ushela**, will to Dave Layman and Dale Enick my net-wrapping ability so they can battle each other for the distinction of succeeding me as top minuteman. To Mary Anderson and Becky Schaeffer, an assortment of perfumes. I also would like to establish a Mike Marshall relief fund for those unfortunate injury prone (?) people.

I, **Greg Vance**, will to Mr. Goodman an airplane, a farmers pond, and a chunk of sodium chloride. To Cindy a four speed. To Mr. Wiand one last "How late is it?", a leash for your day and enough runners to fill three cars. To Next years class a map to Mr. David's house. To Becky her own episode of "Rockford Files". To Jackie less accidents thanks C.H. brother, all the guys we promised you, a funnel and your own Canadian drivers license.

I, **Pete Verich**, leave to Mr. Mihail my thanks for not giving up on me, encouraging me when others lost hope in me. To Ron Michem I leave my weight lifting ability and knowledge and my faith in Christ that he might make straight his paths.

I, **Albert Verteramo**, will to Jim Gooley more of the fun times in the cafeteria.

I, **Sue Wagner**, do hereby bequeath to Cindy, my share of Fran's water chasers, to Debbie, my ability to drive after a visit to the library, to Beth, my place as Becky's beating post and to Fran, some dry clothes for the next time she tries to jump across the river.

I, **Jane Walshe**, will brother Dominic my Jean Claude Killy (hairy) legs; Wilda Emmons, poverty, chastity, and obedience; Ms. Cwidak, my favorite pink luminous rosary; Ms. Maza, my unused ticket to Mecca; little Szucs, my copy of Das Kapital (Hoosier translation); Ms. Smith a "wee, modest, crimson-tipped flow'e" as a sign of my appreciation and respect.



**MALE CHAUVINIST:** Dave Weisman seems to be of the opinion that he is "Mister Cool".

I, **J. Christopher Walter**, will to all the juniors as good a senior year as I have had. To Laura a lot of fun at the "Midnight Specials" and Me. To "The Pay" another year of "Felix". To the Football and Track teams good luck you need it.

I, **Christine Walters**, want to thank Mr. Barnbrook for getting me through those "gross labs" in my 1st year. Also I would like to will a pillow to any ICT student it will be used more times than not. (No reflection on Mr. Dudley), and to Mr. Dudley my calm temper.

I, **Jan Warner**, will to Mr. Connally all the "liberated women" in the school. To Fran Rozewicz all the beer she wants, and to George Fox all my love.

I, **Mark Warren**, leave to Bill Andert, that elusive "upper lip" and to Jim Gooley many hours of "hoopla" practice (so as not to end up a "minuteman"), and our address and phone number at N.D. so next year there will still be "celebrations" that he will feel at home at.

I, **Wayne Warren**, being of bizarre mind and body, leave my mind to Joe Griesinger and Dennis Jones, my chess ability to Mr. Goodman (he needs it!), my apathy to Miss. Cwidak, my overwhelming sensuality to Leslie K., my sister to Mr. Brady, and (last but not least) my sadism to the hall guards.

I, **Cheryl Wasowski**, will to Pam memories and hopes of good times, easy decisions, and trust and friendship on and on, Paul the ability to party successfully, and all my extra skip days (you need them), Kevin-my baby brother "WAZ", all success you want in life cuz you deserve it, the Pepperoni gang: all weekend get together, and the hope of friendships the way they used to be, to Mr. Blauvelt-more presidents like me and more breakfasts.

I, **Charles Weathers**, will all my rap to some of the underclassmen the skill and knowhow. And to the vandalism to stop: and to leave my locker to another pro that comes along like me, to the firebug puller

to go and see Smokey the Bear.

I, **Dave Weisman**, will to Lynn Tyler a much better choice of language classes; to Ms. Maza, a large peace of mind, (she needs it), and to Mr. Goodman a Living Bible so he can forever remember those of us who were granted a better start.

I, **Bonnie Wenslow**, will to Mary Baldoni a chance to use her sisters' ID's and the ability to drive better.

I, **Brian Wetzel**, will to John W. my favorite table at Shulas and all the headaches it brought me the next day. To all the sophomores

and juniors at the typing door in the morning HA! HA!

I, **Anna Whipkey**, will to Stephanie the ability to win at gin, to John a tree so that he will always have someone to talk to; to Jill a new Dave when this one wears out; to Liza one of those handsome Russian dancers; to Mary a louder voice; to my little brother Jerome a chain so he won't lose his bow; and to my family my cat, "C.J.", until I come back.

I, **Nancy White**, will to Pam Milliken, all the friendship in the world, to Cheryl Miliken, the courage to go on, (this also goes to Bob Perkins!) To Jo Jo - all the Pepperoni in the world!

I, **Tonya [Bea] Williams**, Mac Dunk the nerves to take chemistry. I also wish to thank all the teachers of Adams and the Upward Bound family for the support they have given me.

I, **Pat Wilson**, will to L.H. my rat-infested locker and my help any time you need it. To L.V. everything declared sincerely, serenely, absurdly obscene. To future ICT classes, my ability to sleep through movies and not get caught. To "Bid D." the picture of him caught "wet-handed". And to Mr. Reed, mum's the word about your little magnetic sticker in your desk drawer, and one final punch in the arm.

I, **Patti Wiltfong**, will to all the freshman teachers some aspirin, because they will also be getting my brother Mike. To Mr. Reed: an empty six pack and trouble. To Mac: some tact and patience for staying out of fights. And, to Mark Wolgamot a quiet car in the mornings.

I, **Kurt Wise**, will to Bill Marrin my battleship skill, to Cindy Patterson an oil rack and two more years of hellraising. Good Luck, Kid. To John Fisher and Pat York memories of my wonderful voice in the morning. To Nancy Medich memories of Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm.

I, **Doug Witherby**, will to my brother Paul my partying ability and my volleyball skills to make

him the best. And to my sister all the fun in the world and a long lasting life with Ford. To Nancy the chance to be to classes on time and the great time we once spent together.

I, **Bruce Woodford**, will to Ron Mitchem a 10-day pass to the U.S. navy Boat yard for foot repairs. To my brother, all the success and "happiness" I had. To "Broom", a school record, and a diamond ring for Ilene. To "Kev", "Brad" a Lady! To Bruce Hardy some more groovyness! To Adrian Griff a comb and sister! To Lany Hood, the ability to make "Prom" decisions. Good luck to the Football team.

I, **Corrie Wynns**, will to Helen Price my ability to be on time for B.O.C. meetings, and ability to run video tape I also will to Mr. Bingham Mrs. Starkweather a pre-recorded cassette of "One to a Table."

I, **Sara Yang**, will to my "little" sister, Rini, a book titled: "All You Wanted to Know About...But Didn't Know to Ask" and I wink. To 2/5 Boscus I leave my bouncy hoop, to Mr. Ollman, 1 grapefruit; to C. Rochstroh, 1 "DPOG" forever; and last (Maybe least) to the juniors of student government, a bon chance!

I, **Jill Yazel**, will my brother, Jack, to any teachers who need something to liven up their class, all my Senior spirit to Barb Defonge, my seat in the cheering section to my sister, Julie, a 10-speed with training wheels to Anna, and the Boiler Room to Mr. Brech.

I, **Sandra Zahrt**, being of sound mind...will to Melinda Myers my APYW notebook and another great driver to school. To Brenda May I leave much luck with the guy in the Little Theater. To the guy behind me in typing, a giant eraser, and to all the upcoming classes...luck.



Breaker one -  
nine for the Class of '76  
Good buddies - here's wishing you badacious years ahead and keep on modulating.  
Eighty-eights and threes.  
Ten-four  
Full Moon on the side



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# THE FUTURE IS IN THEIR HANDS



**BIGGEST RAH-RAH:** Dave Pecze, Janet Bornside and Tim Oletti were so excited to have their pictures taken, that they decided to do a cheer for the camera.



**LEAST CHANGED:** Neither Leslie Bender nor Chuck Csiszar appear elated at being selected as "Least Changed" or at looking in the sun, for that matter. The photographer, however, never got a hint from the sign.

## Should They Be Trusted With The Future?

A great number of class of '76 graduates used their imagination and have expressed unusual and/or interesting future plans, goals, and philosophies. Following are some examples.

Doug Knapp and Chuck Csiszar plan to remain crazy with brief (?) interludes of degeneracy. Ed Featherstone would like to become a self-sustaining farmer with his home built on the side of an Italian mountain and his fields of harvest located in a small valley below. Cathi Gabele is going to run for mayor, win, and tear down the Plaza. Mike Berndt says "no college for me." He feels that after twelve years of education he is ready to do something else in order to get a taste of life. Jan Green's plans are short term, upon graduation she is going to throw away her cap and gown and go home and party. Colorado is John Gundlach's destination where he hopes to become a professional

freestyle skier. John Harlan has decided to exist. Beth Harless has planned a life of rest and relaxation, however she will have to find a job to support her habits. Kurt Wise states that his goal is survival, his dream is passing Freshman year. Doug Witherby plans to do everything and anything. Chris Jagmin will do whatever comes naturally. After graduation Rob Furlong plans to live the rest of his life in the confines of a beautiful forest taking pictures of dead sasafra tree stumps and sharing the experience with a beautiful young woman. Mike Slowey states firmly and simply that he will join the John Birch Society, while John Plodowski hopes to go to Columbia to mine gold. Vernon Cloud has high hopes to become the world chess champion and grow a foot taller. Stephanie Clipper's philosophy is "Me wanna learn. Me wanna be famous. Me wanna be a success."

Kevin Bower and Brad Chambers hope to go to college and play basketball after which Kevin will "party down, attend the best in rock concerts, and above all, have a good time." while Brad pursues a way to the moon. Valerie Booth says that "after four years of planning, deciding, and searching for my future, the time has come to make that one final decision. I have, therefore decided to continue planning, deciding, and searching for my future." With people like these in the Class of '76 how can we go wrong?

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1976 GRADUATES  
THE BEST OF LUCK**



**CONTRIBUTED MOST TO ADAMS:** Both Jon Shapero and Hildy Kingma seem to be contributing more to JAHS every day. But is Miller's Beer their secret to success?



**MOST POPULAR COUPLE:** The Tower couldn't prevent Kevin Bower and Brad Chambers from being chosen but, then they are smiling aren't they?

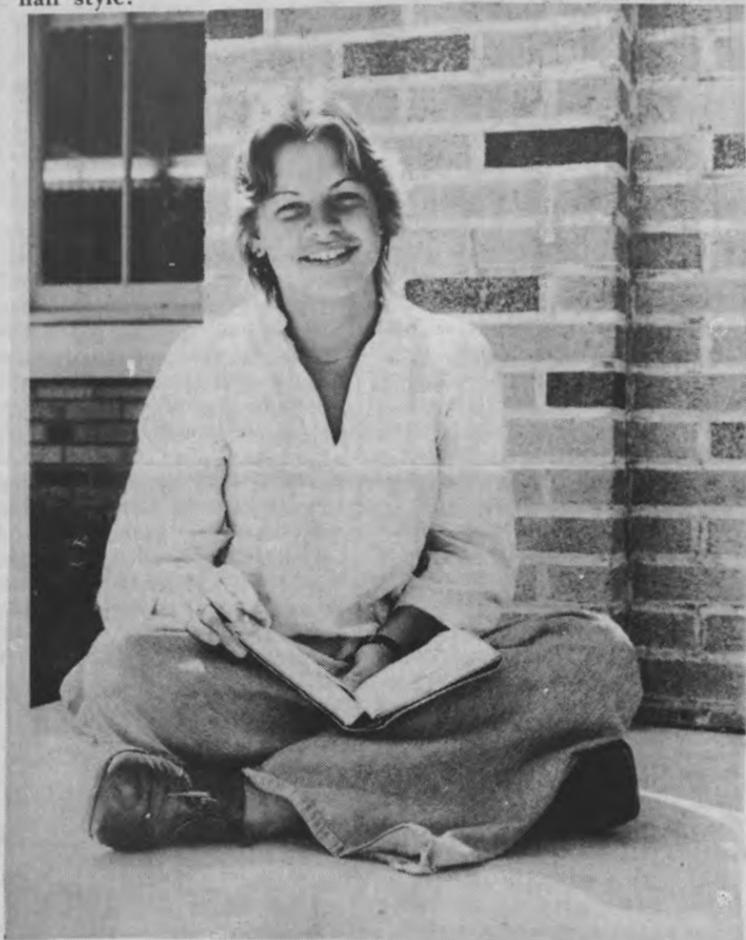
# The Best of Everything?

With the Class of '76, Of Course.



**MOST APATHETIC:** Though stuck inside this ratty school, Lisa Protsman and Kurt Wise know that some "dumb jerk" out there is having more fun than they are.

**BEST AFRO:** With those afros of Cheryl Kendall and Kevin Days the photographer had to find a tree that would be larger than the hair style.



**MOST CHANGED:** Pausing a minute from her book Beth Harless meditates for a while on the prospect of being voted, "Most Changed." Gerald Rohan missed the picture. [above]

**BEST LAUGH:** Linda Vanderhagen and Donnie Steinhilber can't seem to find anything to laugh about in their tree.



**"The Spirit of Freedom" 1976**



**BEST SMILE:** Jan Pritz and Jeff True smile at the possibility that their expressions could become just as famous as "the Fonz's".



# Seniors



**BEST ACTOR:** Acting is much more than a textbook affair, as actresses Pam Berman and Debby Gordon, and actor Maury Fisher certainly know. [above]

**BEST MUSICIAN:** Christopher McCraley prepares his fingers while Cathy Austin takes a breather in a most unusual place. Practicing can be difficult with so many distractions. [below middle]

**MOST SCHOLARLY:** Though Jo Lucey and Bob Kerby do not share the same interests, the choice, of course, of the thickest books from the library is inevitable. [bottom of page]



**MOST ARTISTIC:** Tom Thompson sketches his ideas on paper while Janet Thompson studies his style.

## Performing



**RADICAL:** Is fiery red-haired John Harlan trying to put out strong-willed Jane Walshe's cigarette or is he trying to extinguish her?

## In What They Do



**A VERY POPULAR COUPLE:** Doing what he naturally does best, Mike Berndt [the one with a gleam in his eye] is probably telling a joke while Tony Horvath smiles for the camera.

# Best.

# Diamonders Meet St. Joe in Sectional



Bert L. Fleming award winner Don Steinhilber awaits teammate's pitch.

The Adams Baseball team has produced an exciting season thus far with a 16-6-1 record, as of May 15.

Led by the inspirations of senior co-captains George Ushela and Don Steinhilber, the diamonders' attitude and hustle have proven to be a factor in their success.

Holding a 7-4-1 mark in the NIC league, Coach Len Buczkowski's squad pulled through with victories over ninth rated Chesterton, 15th rated Elkhart Central; the Eagles once tallied five runs in their last inning to nip league leader Penn 6-5.

Adams has been carrying a well balanced attack of pitching and defense and timely hitting. The team has been averaging about six runs a game while registering six shutouts. The remainder of seniors participating for the last time are Paul Bilinski, Mike Clarke, Steve Hensler, Bill Hedge, and Randy Hull.

## Hockey Places Eighth In State

After three years of hard work it finally paid off as the Eagles' hockey squad turned in an impressive 20-5 record. The record was good for third place in the division, fourth place in the league and eighth place in the state.

This year's team was lead by four juniors, three of which were on all-stars, eight sophomores, and five freshman.

Jay Brasil, Phil Dooley, and Jim Scjako were selected for the all-star team as was Bruce Lockhart for his third consecutive year. He was also honored as one of the top five hockey players in the area.

With this experience and such a nucleus the '77 season should be just as exciting as, if not more than, the '76 season.

## Linkers Meet Tough Competition

The 1976 Linkers, with 5 meets, the Kaepler, and the Sectionals remaining to be played at the press time, have fallen to a 6-11 record.

The team got off to a fast start, by winning five of their first six contests. In the season opener, they beat St. Joe by 11 shots. Next, the team went to Goshen, where they defeated Goshen and Bremen by three and eight shots respectively. It was at Plymouth that the Linkers picked up their fifth win, but also their first loss. The team edged out Plymouth, but lost to Culver Military.

Since this meet the team has lost to M.C. Rogers, Marian, Elkhart, Central, M.C. Elston, Washington, Mishawaka, LaSalle, Elkhart Memorial, Riley, with a lone victory coming against Penn.

Considering that all but one of the teams remaining meets are at Erskine, the team could easily bring its record back over the .500 mark, before entering into tournament competition.



Paul Daniels runs through strenuous practice in preparing for upcoming meet.

## Bower Plays On All-Star Team

Coach Dave Hadaway's basketball squad provided another exciting year for the school and fans.

Finishing with a 16-6 mark and second in the NIC, Adams showed a great deal of hustle and pride. Co-captains for the 1975-76 team were seniors Kevin Bower and Kevin Shaw. Bower was also recently named to the East-West Indiana All-Star team.

A spotlight during the season came when the Eagles upset #1 rated Michigan City Elston, December 19 at ND. Other seniors on the squad were Brad Chambers, Paul Daniels, Kevin Days, Don Diggins and Kiwanis winner George Ushela.

Although many people expected bigger things from this year's team, credit has to be given to the players for continuing the never-ending dominance of the Adams basketball program.

## COACH WIAND FINISHES FIRST YEAR IN X-COUNTRY

Last fall the Adams Roadrunner record was 3-12. The team was led by Senior co-captain Paul Daniels and by Junior co-captain Tim Deneen. The team consisted of seven other members. The team ran a tough schedule under the new coaching of Dale Wiand. The team next year will be losing three Senior runners, Paul Daniels, Greg Vance and Dave Shults. Returning Lettermen are Junior Tim Deneen, Sophomore Shame Sult, and Freshman John Poorbaugh. Also returning runners are Junior Phil Dooley, Sophomore Kirk Walters, and Freshman Mark Marganti. Next year Coach Wiand hopes to get more runners out for this sport which will probably start in the middle of August and continue into October.

# Raqueteers Have Another Good Season

The defending State Champion tennis team, led by the number one player in the state Jeff True, started the season the only way they knew--by claiming the victory in the Lafayette Doubles Tournament which featured the top 16 powerhouse teams in the state.

Seniors Ed Featherstone and Jeff True swept the upper bracket defeating state runner-up North Central in the finals while Chuck Csiszar and Kevin Crowe teamed to gain the necessary points for the crown in the lower bracket.

The rest of the season proved to be a disheartening experience for

Eagle opponents as every opposing team in the NIC was completely shut out. Totally controlling the NIC, the Netters entered the sectionals with the conference honors. Not a set was dropped until the battle in the finals which left the Eagles grounded.

Although the season ended prematurely, former IHSAA Coach of the Year John McNary and the four can look back on the past two years and reflect upon their state championship satisfied in knowing they had dominated the area as well as the state tennis scene.

## Protsman Wins MVP In Swimming

"It was the worst of times, it was the best of times." Coach Shirley Callum's Seagals placed 30th in the state while proving to be strong competitors placing 3rd in the city and 2nd in the sectionals. Adam's girls swim team, for the very first time, was invited to participate in relays. Statistically the season ended with 7 wins and 5 losses.

Despite the absence of superstars that once dazzled the Seagals ranks, this year was special. A member of the original John Adams Girls Swim Team, Margie Voss, came back and helped coach. Hard work paid off by sending a large delegation of athletes down state. There the teams MVS, Lisa Protsman, showed well placing in the 50 and 100 free as well as in the freestyle relay with Deb Wright, Sharon Sunderlin, and Pam Zigler. Also qualifying were swimmers Sue Scheu, Meg Fahey, Anne Slowey, and divers Jenny Deneen.

The State competitors were accompanied by co-captains Mary Golba and Beth Jacimo and manager Carol Evanoff.

Judy Peltz and Moira Dingley spurred the Seagals on with their concern. Progress could easily be seen in the performances of divers Marcia Burke, Mary Mauzy, and Alma Fonicier. Lisa Tweedell, Cindy Patterson, Paula Hendricks, Anne Dolde, Jackie Knapp, and Kim Parent added the needed depth and spirit.

Next year's captains Sue Scheu, Anne Dolde, and Paula Hendricks will have a tough road ahead. A year marked with the girls' first conference swim meet, tougher competition, lots of hard work, but most of all the promise of working with the remainder of this year's Seagals. They are a special group of girls who understand truly being a team and the importance of participation for itself.

## Driver Finishes 7th in State

The John Adams Men Gymnastics team finishes its season with a disappointing record of one win and nine losses. The seniors exhibited the most potential with their past experience. John Green and Marco Driver participated four years and Greg Fulce, three. Driver, the most outstanding gymnast, went down to state tournaments three years in a row finishing his senior year by getting seventh on vaulting. Driver was

also voted the most valuable player his junior and senior years while taking the honor of being captain of the team his senior year. Green placed eleventh at sectional and was voted the Kiwanis winner. Fulce took seventh at sectional and contributed a great deal during the season. One outstanding junior was Randy Clarke, he stood sixth in the sectional showing vast improvement throughout the season.

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# SEAGLES FOURTH IN STATE

This year, Coach Smith's young Seagles swam to a fine fourth place finish in the state meet after ending their dual season with a 13-2 record.

Senior All-American Mike Slowey ended his career with state championships in the 200 I.M. and a state record swim in the breast stroke. Slowey was also honored with the Herman F. Keller Mental Attitude award. Joining Slowey on the medley relay was five-time All-Stater Phil Thornberg, and juniors Dan Flynn and John Komora. This relay took state, breaking the old record by a full second. Komora and Flynn also placed in the finals individually.

Others scoring points at state were frosh Ron Zhiss, juniors Don Strong and Jay Sunderlin; and sophs Kevin Deneen and Scott Tenney, Toby Wehrhan and Gary

Severyn swam well in the 500 free at state but were unable to place.

In other championship meets junior Gary McCracken, sophs Dave Mennucci and Mark Goodrich, along with frosh Dave Pausek, Bernie Doering, and Birdman Trethway added vital points.

Tom Manley and George Goetz improved greatly and added depth in their respective events.

John Hoyer handled the diving chores well, in this, his first season of competition. Hoyer climaxed his season with a sixth place finish in the sectional.

Losing only three people (Slowey, Thornberg, Doering), and gaining a great deal of experience in 1976, next year's Seagles have the ability and potential to again place highly in state competition.

## CINDERMEN CAPTURE SECTIONAL AND CITY MEETS

The track team, under coaches Andy Mihail and Bob Reed, has collected the sectional and city championships in 1976. Their season has not yet been completed, with sectional winners advancing to regional.

The Cindermen compiled an overall record of 9.2 and place third in the conference with a 6-2 mark.

Seniors participating are Tim Oletti, Bruce Woodford, Kenny Chambliss, Chris Walter, Paul Daniels, Greg Fulce.

## GYMNASTIC LEVELS SUCCESSFUL

The John Adams girl's gymnastics team finished their season this year with a fine record and a sectional trophy for the beginning level.

The team had improved greatly this year. Returning were eight letter winners: Bridget Baran, Becky Hentz, Julie Janus, Pam

Milliken, Lynn Harper, Jackie Thallemer, Lynette Daniels, and Amy Weamer.

The beginning level was very strong this year and looks promising for the future. They finished their season 8-3. The team consisted of: Tracy Kertz, Linda Vehrivic, AnnPaszkiet, Jenny Deneen, Liz Anderson, and Lisa Neff.

The intermediate level came in second at sectionals this year. Jackie Thallemer was state runnerup in vaulting. The intermediate team record was 6-4. Other intermediate team members were: Amy Weamer, Lynette Daniels, and Lynn Harper.

The Optional level also came in second at sectionals this year under Wawasee. 4-4 was the record for the optional level this year. Team members were: Juniors: Julie Janus and Pam Milliken, and Seniors: Becky Hentz and captain, Bridget Baran.

The competition was much this year as the team took on some of the top teams in the state which is helping the gymnasts to improve. The team feels that on the whole, the season was very successful this year.



Becky Hentz ponders about making it through the meet.

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## Volleyball; A Success at Adams



Bridget Baran sets up volleyball spike for a teammate in game.

The 1975-76 Volleyball teams had their best season ever not only on the court but also in spirit and income

The Varsity won 11 of 12 games in the regular season with only one loss to Marian. The B-team and Freshman both went undefeated with the B-team bringing home their first tournament trophy in eight years.

Never in the history of John Adams Volleyball (or for that matter in South Bend) has there been male players amongst the females on the court. Throughout the year, this was a very controversial matter which resulted in having three forfeits against us.

This years varsity team consisted of seniors: Mike Berndt, Bridget Baran, Suelyn Smith; juniors: Louie Dragovich, Rian Meyers, Sue Vitherby, John Presnell, Fran Rozewicz, and Jill Oberfell; sophomores: Michelle Humphrey, Mary Skudlarek, and Theresa Schilling.

Special thanks should be given to all of those students and parents, who by supporting the team, contributed to its successful season.

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## GIRLS TENNIS TEAM WINS SECTIONAL

Now concluding its second year, the Girl's tennis team has had another successful season. The 1976 record is a impressive 12 wins and one loss going into the Sectionals, May 17 - 21.

The Adams team had little competition with the local teams. The team had a disappointing loss to Elkhart Central, 5-2, and a tense 4-3 victory over Penn.

The chances of the "Adams Family" doing well in Sectionals looks very promising. Each team

enters two singles and two doubles into the tournament. Nancy Gyorgyi is seeded #1 in the singles tournament with Laura Heise seeded #2. The doubles for the Adams Family are Judy Peltz and Karen Green, and Wendy Harmon and Julie Mathews. Alternates for singles are Debbie Jones and Lori Olson. Alternates for doubles are Moira Dingley, and Judy Szekendy.

The future for the Girl's Tennis team looks good. The team will be

losing four seniors, but with strong depth and the addition of promising freshmen, successful seasons should follow.

At this time the Girl's Tennis Team, co-captained by Judy Peltz and Julie Mathews, would like to say Thank you to Ms. Copp, who has been a great coach and an inspiration to the team. Also, a special thanks to Kelly Grill for her support and time as manager.

## DIGGINS WINS HONORS

Coach Tom Connelly ended his coaching stint at Adams this year. Finishing the 1975-76 season with a 1-9 record the squad displayed good individual talent and showed signs of improvement.

Senior linebacker and defensive captain Don Diggins was named to the All-Conference defensive team. Diggins was also voted as the teams' Most Valuable Player.

Senior offensive captain Bruce Woodford recently signed a full grant-in-aid to the University of Wisconsin.

Other seniors on the squad are Kiwanis winner, Bill Andert, Paul Bilinski, Ken Chambliss, Carlos Chaves, Bob Eades, Mike Harvey, James Kestermier, Don Kronewitter, Ken Nelson, Rob Sweeny, Chris Walter and Doug Witherby.

## Manns Advances to Semi-State

Coach Moe Aronson's 1976 wrestling squad was represented by four wrestlers in regional competition and one in semi-state action.

Joe Taylor and Eric Manns both captured a sectional crown which advanced them to the regionals. Second place finishes by Jim Birdsall and Ron Mitchem qualified them to wrestle in the regional.

Manns became eligible for the semi-state competition when he captured his weight class crown in the regional. He then went on to place fourth in the semi-state action.

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