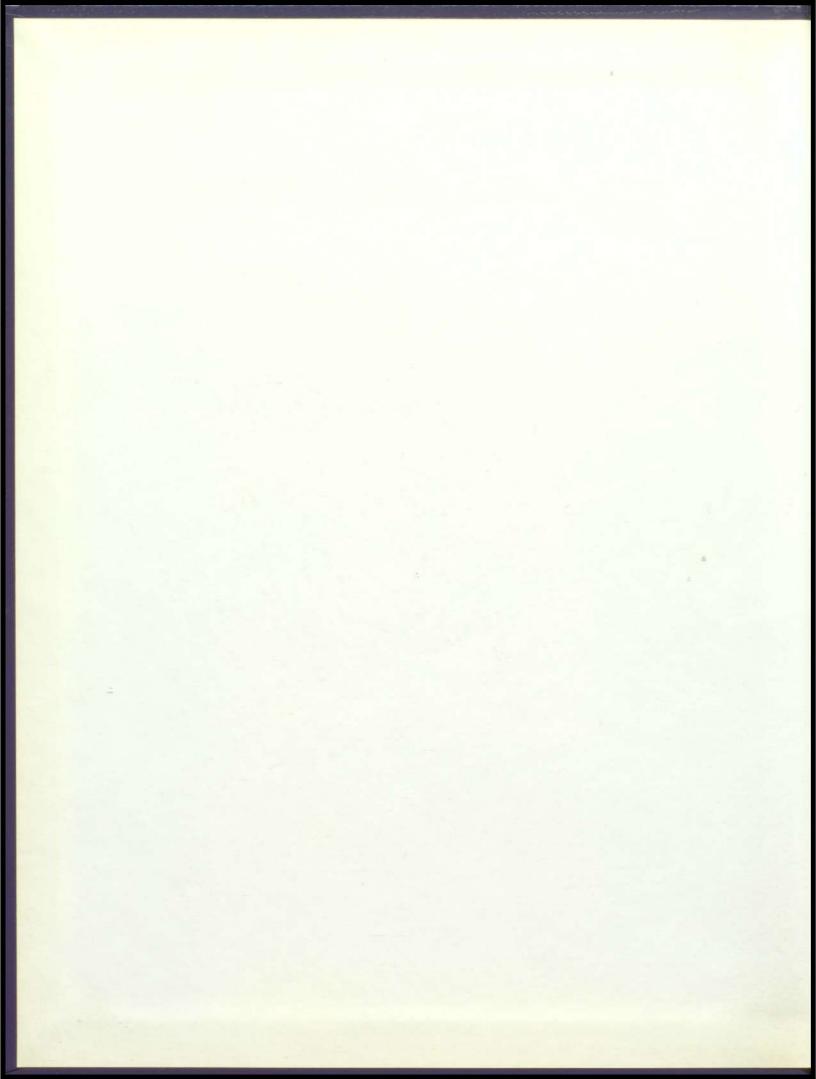
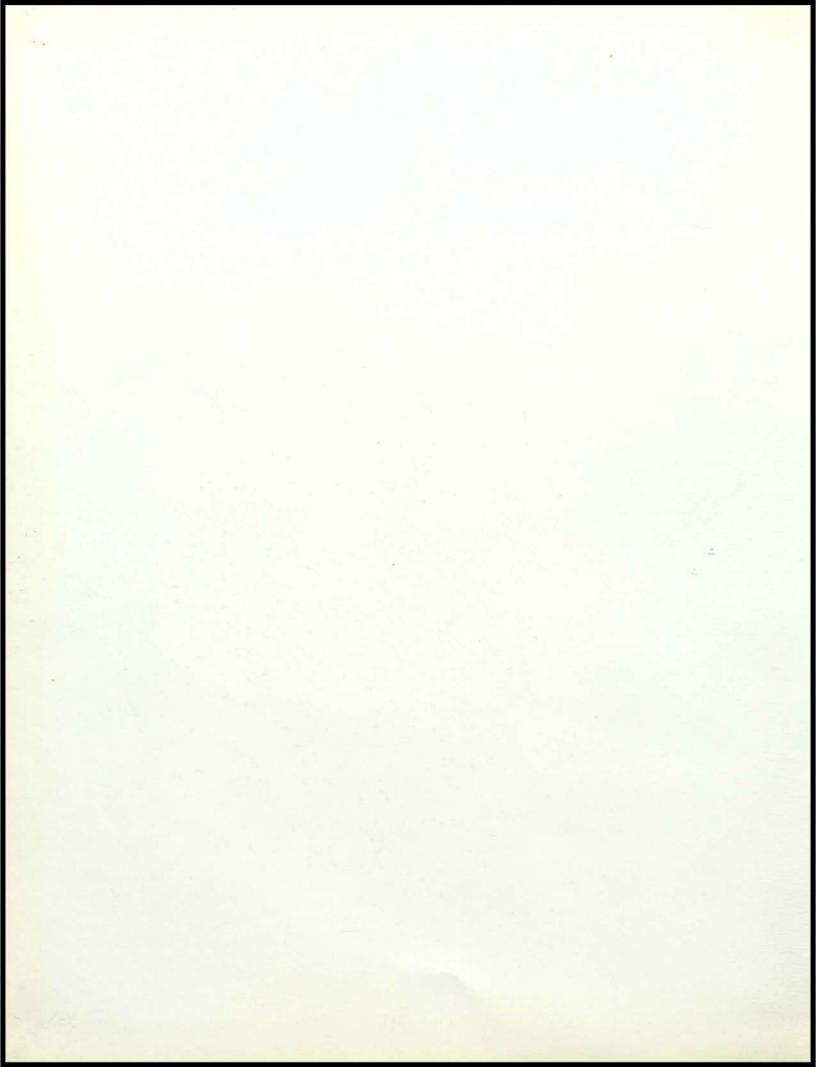


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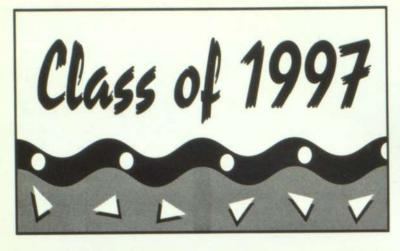
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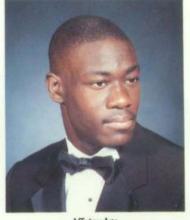
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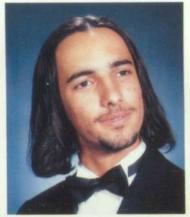
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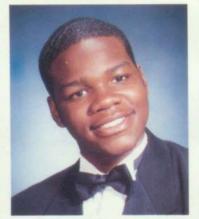
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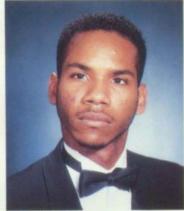
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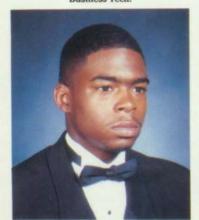
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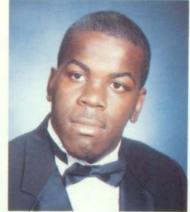
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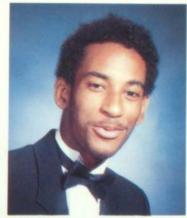
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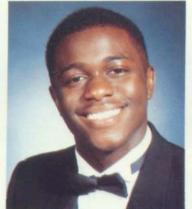
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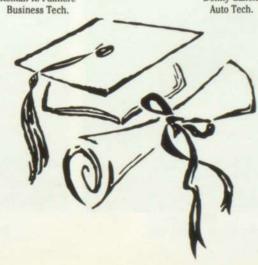
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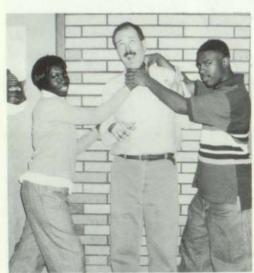




Student's Terror Ms. Morrissey Mr. Cilento



Most Likely to Succeed Class of 1997



Teacher's Terror David Hunter Kirsten Mann



Class Clown Lateet Shepard Kirsten Mann



Coolest Teacher Mr. Terranova Ms. Petrucelli



Tallest Eric Garbrah Myisha Scott



Shortest Joel Vargas Shakeerah Riggins



Teacher's Pet A.Vines X.Baez J.Bonilla



Most Athletic Lawrence Carr Myisha Scott



Best Friends Lateef Sheppard James Smith



Best Friends Amy Figuerva Noemi Ballester



Most Talkative A.Tanksley Y.Franco K.Mann



Most Gentleman & Lady-like Affoley Ago Roman Fulmore



Biggest Flirts Damion Newman Racthema Jones



Most Courteous Xiomara Baez Affolely Ago

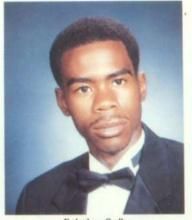


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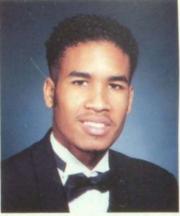


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## Class of 1997



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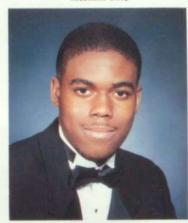
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**David Gunter** Electrics



Orville Hall Electrics



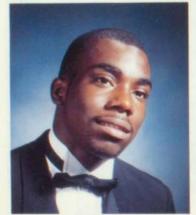
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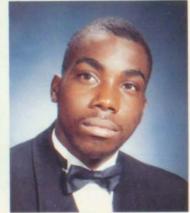
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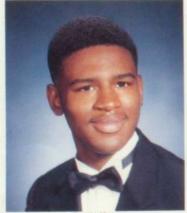
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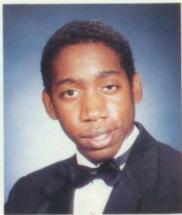
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Fernando Idrovo Electronics



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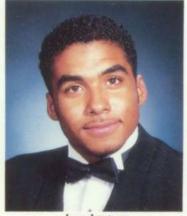
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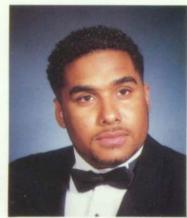
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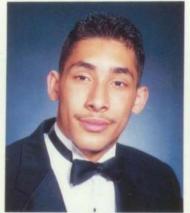
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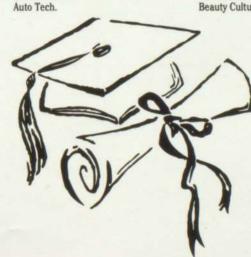
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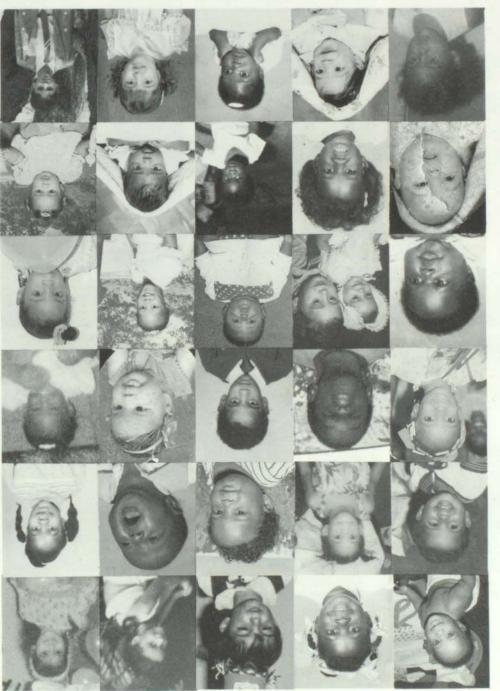
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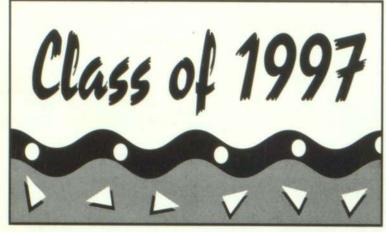
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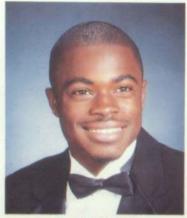
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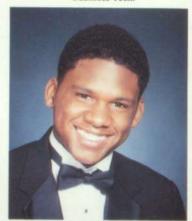
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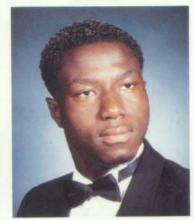
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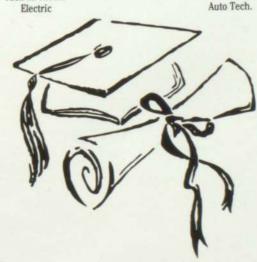
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Chillin wit da yearbook advisor.



Cheesy smiles



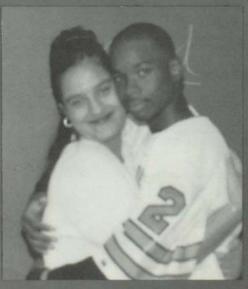
D trying to wreck da flick!



"One love 97"



Mackin in da 96.



"Just good friends"



Strike A pose.



"Just chillin with Mr. "C"



"Ain't that sweet!!"



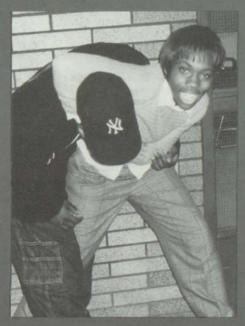
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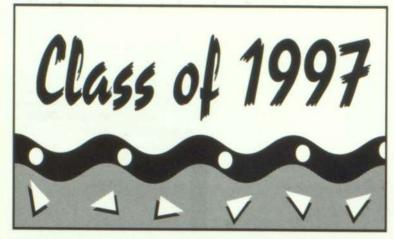
Why is he kissing my hand. I have a man!



Look at 3 of the 7 dwarfs



"Don't underestimate the power of a woman!"





Silvino Sanchez Auto Tech.

Kenny Sang Computer Tech.





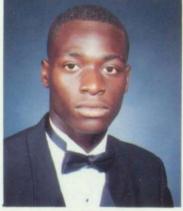


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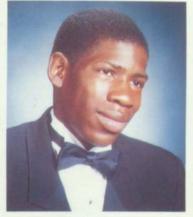
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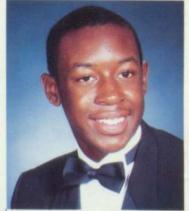


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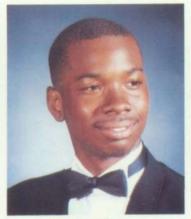
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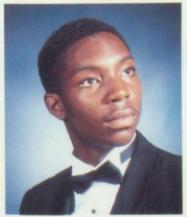
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#### **Best Dressed**

HR 311



HR 431



HR 319



HR 310

#### Sexiest

HR 311



HR 431



HR 423



HR 319



HR 423

HR 310







# Flash Back Day... Showing Off Styles from the Past



















## Pajama Day at TCC



Hey all of us weren't ready



"Hey Berto"
I'll take a picture with you even though you don't have on P.J.s



Nice legs People.



Pajama Day - Class of 1997.



Awe! Don't they look CUTE..



Put me down I'm not a Baby!



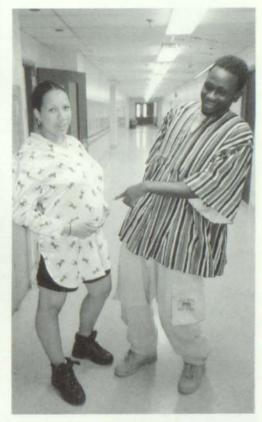
It's bedtime already?



OH How it feels to be kids again.



Big Tony, don't smile any harder cause your eye disappear



Why are they wearing P.J.s today?



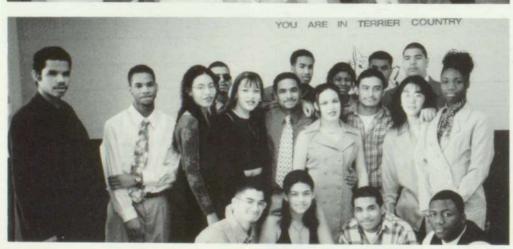
















## Dress-up & Switch Days

Senior Dress-up Day, So what happened?



Do I have to work looking like this?



Hangin' Tough!



Look at Salt n Pepa!



Al Capone dressed up!



Who's the woman and who's the man?



Touch me, tease me, hold me and, caress me



Let Boys be Boys!!!



Such a serious mood!!!





Can we all just get along







Close-up of the Boys

### Government Day at Newark Tech

















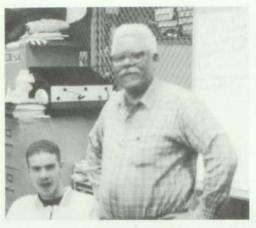














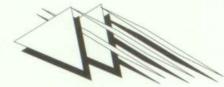












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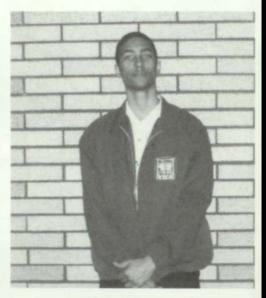
Amy Figueroa President



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Carlos Figueroa Parliamentarian



Myisha Scott Treasurer

#### Computer Club



CIE/CBE- Workstudy



**FBLA** 





FBLA Officers, M.McCleary, Q.Williams, R.Worsley, A. Gulston. N. Charles

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Mr. Samuel M. Carollo Principal



Mr. E. Addo Vice- Principal



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Mrs. Geiger School Nurse



Mr. Georgetti Science



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Mrs. Gutkind Math



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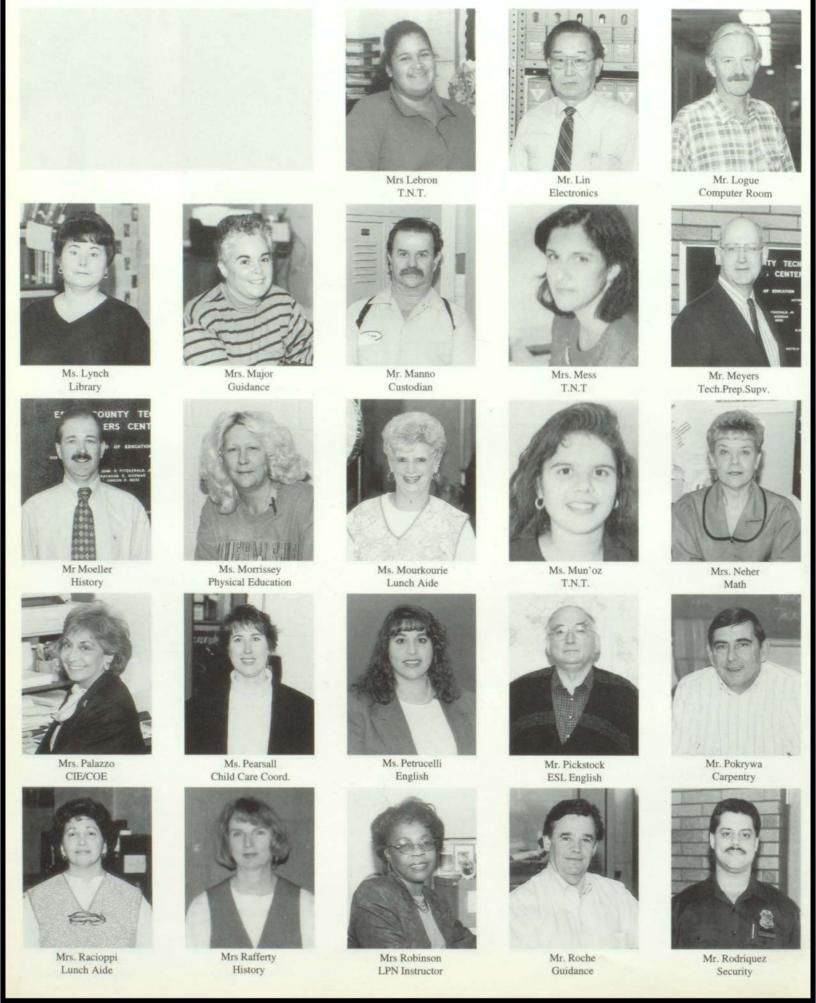
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Mr. Scranton Printing



Mr. Smolen Apprentice Coord.



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Mrs. Spina Dental Assisting



Mrs. Spuduto Lunch Aide



Mrs. Stefanelli Accounting



Mr. Tarlow Science and Math Suprv.



Mrs. Taylor Lunch Aide



Mr. Terranova History



Mr. Turner Computer



Mr. Tysk Vocational Ed. Suprv.



Mr. Urban Physical Education



Ms. Walden Science



Mr. Webb Head Custodian



Mr. Wheeler Security



Mrs. Wiley Guidance Clerk



Mr. Williams English



Mrs. Young-Huntly T.N.T.



Mrs. Zarra Apprentice Secretary



Mr. Zeng Computer Specialist









#### PEP RALLY



Mr Williams kicks off this years Pep Rally



The girls basketball team sure is happy and excited



Newark Tech think they see somrthing, Do they?



The Newark Tech crowd sitting anxiously, waiting for entertainment



Fuquan trying to get a record deal, sparks the mic showing Dru-Hill mad talent



Xiomara shows her school spirit with he purple and white



Here they are!!!



Are we depressed ladies?



Mr.C, announces the slammin jammin TERRIERS



Yes, they do see something

### PEP RALLY



Damn he's HAPPY!



Give that guy some smiles



Mr. Harris announces the Basketball Team



The Cheerleaders doing their Pyramid, " SAY CHEESE"



You don't have any smiles



Mrs. Salvanto, Announces the Cheerleaders





Cisco is harmonizing, showing the crowd mad love.



Sakina says,"Can I get a hug?"



Is Sakina sooped or what?



Cisco running up to the crowd. No you can't have me.



Newark Tech thanks DRU-HILL by giving him an award. Thanks DRU-HILL



DRU-HILL!!!



They're doing their dance

### Newark Tech Basketball



Quadel Jackson



**Damion Harris** 

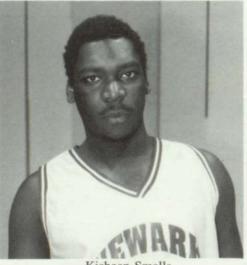


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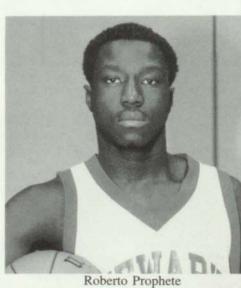
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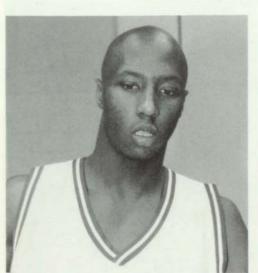




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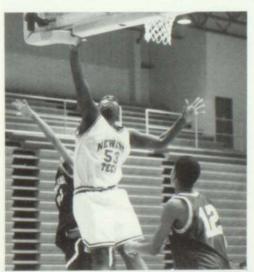
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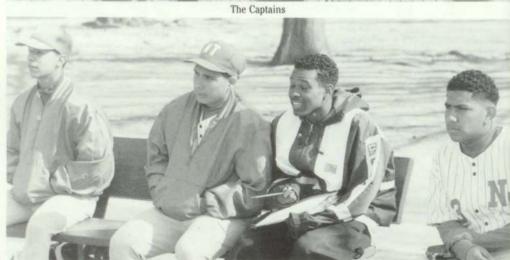
Kishean Smalls

# 1997 Baseball Team





















Players
Ed Perez
Joel Sanchez
Wilson Muniz
Jose Miranda
Juan Medina
Arnaldo Medina
Eli Lorenzo
Dave Pagan
Francisco Roman
Edgardo Rivera
Victor Soriano
Juan Valasquez
Qayyum Watson
Adrian Baker

Managers Kelvin Santos Jose Alicia

Coaches Mr. Terranova Mr. Barker

# 1997 Softball Team



Captains















Players Deborah Olivo Aida Miranda Jasmine Maldonado Annika Gulston Tanya Collins Damary Melendez Jennifer Rosario Tamika Baily Sonia Ortiz Yuly Adams Aalia Robinson Raethema Jones Chimere McRae Sara Zeno Latasha Jackson Melba Franco Jessica Echeverri

Managers Gavin Adams Jamie Tate Nannette Mensah

Coach Mr. Constantino

## **Newark Tech Shops**



**Auto Body** 





Carpentry

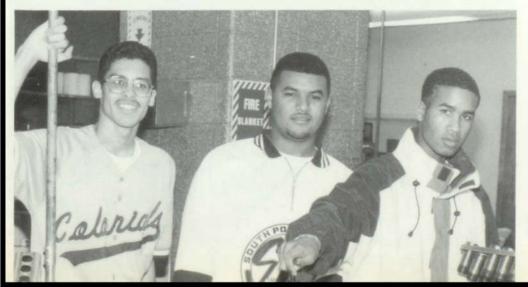


Phototype



Cosmetology

Auto Mechanics



Machine Shop



#### **Dental Assistant**



Welding



Drafting

## **Newark Tech Shops**



Electronics

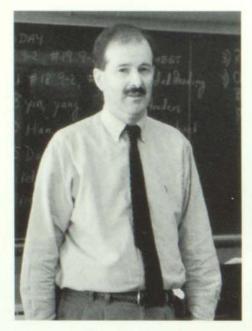


**HVAC** 



**Business Tech** 

# Yearbook Staff



Yearbook Advisor - Mr. Moeller



Yearbook Staff — (left to right) Amy, Xiomara, Sakina, Melanie, Katrina & Natasha (bottom) Juan & Myisha (Not Shown) Latasha, Siohban, Kirsten & Raethema



Editor — Myisha Scott



Assistant Editors — Sakina Wynn & Xiomara Baez



Senior Picture Section Leader — Amy Figueroa

### **Last Will and Testament**

- I, Noemi Ballester, leave my great personality, rug- I, Melanie McCleary, leave my great personality, ged and sassy style and my cool stees to my boy Will #51. You know the deal, keep it real until!
- I, Lawrence Carr, leave my rock and jock skills to number 15 Mike Gardner
- I, Marcea Cumberbatch, leave my Barbados charm and sensitivity with all the 1998 class, hoping that they all graduate, especially Toya Williams.
- I, Shondell Clark, leave behind my brains, beauty, and talent to those who have none.
- I, Carlos Colon, leave my jun-juns behind to raise @#\$% in Tech.
- I, Jamale, leave my subliminal and anonymous artistic achievements to my heart "scheme." My 1:34 will always shine for you — gemstar.
- I, Amy Figueroa, leave my one of a kind attitude and slickness to the Class of 1998. Representin N.B.S. for life.
- I, Roman Rashaun Fulmore, leave my family and closest friends the memories of us together, whether it be through sadness or happiness. I will miss you all.
- I, Grisela Hidalgo, leave my flirting skills, good looks, and personality to Eli Lorenzo and the Class of '98.
- I, James Johnson, leave anybody in the HVAC shop to keep the shop bumpin.
- I, Kirsten Mann, leave my funniness and intelligence to my cousin John Wilson. Remember to always keep it real, never be a snake, be the best in the class of "1998."

- class, and charisma to the class of 2000, the turn of the century.
- I, Damion Newman, leave my handsome looks and mack daddy flavor to Kieron. I'm also giving up my true playing hat to all the big \_\_\_\_ left in the building, if there are any left. Cause the true Mack have left the building.
- I, Siobhan Pendleton, leave the sophomore electronics class my key. They know what key.
- I, Monica, leave the words "You're fired" to Mr. Adelson for next year's Student Council.
- I, Florence Ray, leave nothing to no one.
- I, Kenny Sang, leave my smarts to Jimmy Muñoz so he can get by in school.
- I, Myisha Scott, leave my girls from the basketball team my determination, achievements, and bread baking in the oven (you know)!!!
- I, Cynthia Wells, leave Mr. Boulware's office open for the next senior to sit in there all day long.
- I, Quadeehah Wilder, leave my maturity and ability to learn to Taj Williams, Gwendolyn Tirado, and Damila Daniels. Keep holding down the fort.
- I, Ra-Hana Worsley, leave my thanks to Mrs. Kenyatta and Mrs. Johnson who gave me guidance in the right direction.
- I, Sakina Wynn, leave my looks and personality to Lakeisha King, and I leave my craziness and loudness to Kamaal Daniel, my cousin. Keep Newark Tech rocking!







Ya gotta love us!



Out enjoying the sun and the breeze



Good friends, through good times and bad times



A friendly visit to Mrs. Kenyatta







Give me some Love!

### around Newark Tech



Say Cheeeeese!























Chillin like a mutha in P.J.'s

## Newark Tech Class of 1997 Senior Directory

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# Remember When

Xiomara busted her behind on her b-day sophomore year and landed doggy style.

Flo had her hair braided three different colors.

I scored 34 points against Belvedere. — Lawrence Carr

There was a fire alarm and Kirsten broke her heel while walking down the stairs. — Shondell Clavis and Kira Grady LaRose

Bomb threats were called in. — Carlos Colon

Mr. Adelson got on the loud speaker and fired the student council officers, reps, and alternates. — Amy Figueroa

I tripped my boy Carlos during my freshman year after a little disagreement.

- Roman Fulmore

Dru Hill came to perform at our basketball pep rally. Sophomore year when we had bomb threats and they made us stand outside for an hour or two. — Raethema Jones

Sakina busted Nokio's lip and jumped on Cisco's hip at the Dru Hill basketball pep rally. — Monica Pujols

Tony dressed up on pajama day. — Florence Ray

Ms. Morrissey was hit in the head with a football. — Kenny Sang

Xiomara fell down the steps on her birthday. — Myisha Scott

Kirsten Mann bust her grill for Dru Hill. — James E. Smith, Jr.

Cynthia used to be in class eating all the time. — Cynthia Wells

I dressed up for Flash Back Day with my mother's wig and my father's clothes looking like a real 70's \*▲%&. — Thomas Woods

Sophomore year when Sakina was caught by Mr. Carollo kissing Sean in the hallway. — Sakina Wynn

## **Boosters**

#### AFFOTEY AGO

Congratulations on your accomplishment. Keep the Kingdom foremost in your mind. — Sandra Walker

"Remember, your Grand Creator in the days of your youth" Congratulations, Affotey! — The Walkers

Good luck in the future. - Gloria Walker

Good luck in all your future endeavors. - Shirley Drewry

About time you got your behind out of school man! Your brother, Victor Ago

Affotey, always repsect and pursue Divine teachings. — Your mother, Terrilie Ago

Good luck - Henry Rhen

Best of luck - Gina Conlon

Good luck to the Class of "97" - Leonard Gilbert

Congrats! Best wishes to you! - Tracy Scott

Affotey, I hope you accomplish all your dreams! Always, Ms. Gray

Congratulations to you and good luck in the future. — Dawn Hall

Congratulations to you and good luck in the future. — Oran Hollis

Good luck. - Floyd Lang

Grow with dignity and success and keep reigns on your pride, for life, Mr. Ago, is no free ride! — Yetta Baker-Somers, BPU

Continue to learn about your heritage. Long live the Blackness. (Blackness means to be passionate about something)

— Donna Lee

Twi Words: Affotey Mo, Wa Aye Adee. Congratultions, you've done well! — Donna Lee

Alisha D. Walker Leslie Hutcherson Blanch Griffin Herbet Tate Renee Good Carmen Guzman Lawanda Gilbert, Esq. John Thomas Scales Shelia Mack Armani Gorrence Fred Stalks Clyde Mintech

Paula Torrence RUBEN AYOSO

C. Haynes

Good luck in the future! Stay cool. - Jossue Bonilla

Take care of you cool boludo. - Monica Pujols

Hey pal! Good look! - Edwin Perez

Good luck in the future and keep in touch. - Kenny Sang

Good estudiante.

My best brother. - Hector Ayoso

Good brother. — Angel Ayoso

Good brother. — Carlos Ayoso

Good brother. - Diego Ayoso

Excellent brother. — Veronica Ayoso

My great son. — Maria Ayoso

Best nephew. - Maria L. Alvarez

Good cousin. - Roberto Alvarez

Best godchild. - Juan Carlos Alvarez

Good nephew. - Nury Alvarez

Good cousin. - Lourdes Alvarez

Good cousin. - Stephani Alvarez

Good cousin. — Caren Olivera

Best nephew. - Estela Alvarez

Best nephew. - Rodolfo Olivera

Sonia Arbelo Flore Al-Arbelo Robert Moeller Alex Lugo Jason Longaray

Rosa Mangual

Larry Baily

Jessica Sickles Roland Simion

XIOMARA BAEZ

Felicidades! Haz subido un escalón mas en tu carrera. Haz vencido. Sique adelante luchando por mantener en tu vida esos valores morales y espirituales que la ayuda y la guiansa de Dios te han de llevar al exito.

Y recuerda que yo siempre estoy contigo para ayudarte y escucharte. Te quiero mucho. Dios te bendiga.

With Love,

Mamy Nancy

We finally made it! Stay sweet! Good luck! — Always your friend. — Missy

Hey little sis, finally we made it, together, so keep in touch and RMA — Amy

Xiomara, Congratulations on your graduation and best wishes for success in 1997. TYFE — Patti

See you in dentention! Sincerely, Mr. Carollo

Xiomara, Good luck in all your endeavors. - Jeanine

Good luck to a very sweet girl, you will go a long way. Love, Monica

Congratulations! I know you will get accepted by Rutgers. — Rose Ann Russo

I wish you the best of the world. - Grandpa

I love you very much and God bless you. - Uncle Jaime

God Bless you and you prosper in everything you do. — Mami Olga

Geoff Carey John McLaughlin

NOEMI BALLESTER

Congratulations to myself, my baby girl Amy, and to all the chicken heads.

To my baby Noemi, Thank you for always being there. Love ya, Edwin

Be all that you can be in the world. Reach your highest dreams. — Loretta Williams

Success can be achieved high in the sky, so spread you wings and fly. — Yvonne Gillens

You did a good job, I wish you the best in your future. — Maria Arocho

Keep up the good work, today, tomorrow, and in the future. God bless you. — Doris Polo Noemi, I wish you success in the future, best of luck in everything you do. — Mom

My lil' sister take care in all that you do and you know you can always count on me! Good luck on your new life in the real world. Remember, don't let anybody bring you down—you can be whatever you want to be. From your big sis' Damaris and your big bro' Robert. We love you much!!

"Tone" Ronaldo Sabangan Mrs. Rafferty Kieron Ainsworth

JOSSUE E. BONILLA

I haven't known you for long, but I am glad we became friends. I wish you the best of luck in the future and I hope you accomplish all of your goals! — Magali Camacho

I hope you achieve all your goals in the future! Always follow your dreams!! — Shaunia Berrios

Tu eres una persona muy especial por tu manera de ser; Te deseo suerte! — Mary

Joshua, A very funny loving and compassionate person. Good luck in all your future plans. Don't ever give up because I know you will make it. Love, Teena

Remember that you will always have a friend no matter where you go. — Karina Berrios

You were nice, friendly, and unique in your own way. — Alicia

Only the Best is good enough and you are the best, so "Stay Positive!" Denise Scott McKenzie — A&M

Good luck in all your future endeavors. - Maritza Feliciano

You are very unique and special, hope you reach your future goals. — Gilda

I wish you the best success in the future. "And Stay Positive!" Joanne Bernabe — A&M

Sigue siendo tan buena persona y buen amigo; "ADELANTE". Ruth "PEPA" Martinez

I wish you a lot of luck and success in the future, in school, and life. — Jessica Echeverri

ALWAYS STAY, "POSITIVE!" - Clara Martin - A&M

Siempre recuerda que todo lo que hagas, serás recompensado. Buena Suerte! — Betty Caceres

I wish you the best in the future because you deserve it! — Gloria Cealcano

Good luck in everything you do; stay sweet. "We are ... Positive!" Marilyn — A&M

Get out of here. We don't want you here no more. (Sike) Good Luck Bum! — Mayra Miranda

You are a very nice person; I wish you luck and success. — Sara

"BE POSITIVE" - Andre Viera

I hope you achieve all that you want in life! — Yralda Fernandez

Good luck in the future! Lisa Williams

Jossue, you are a young man that will achieve greatness in your life. Good luck! — Ralph Escobar

You're a Pest, but you were sweet, kind, and you're going to be hard to forget. — Nichole Nikki Charles

Josh in the couple of days I've known you, you look like a nice guy. — Noris

Always remember, "December 24, 2004." - Maria I Galarza

To a good friend, Good luck! - Anthony Peralta

Josh, I wish you the best of Luck in the Future, with much Love. Ariana

Good luck throughout your years to come. Love, Bebo, Eder & Mari

We finally made it! "Good Luck." I can't wait to start our business. Roman Fulmore

To my boy, Jossue, We have known each other for a while and we have shared so many ups and downs. For the years I've known you and for your friendship, I take pride and honor in congratulating you on your high school graduation which is one of the many important goals you have. I want to wish you the very best in your future accomplishments and don't ever forget that you can count on me. Your "Brother", Freddie

My Prince! There is no word to describe how much this friendship is real; I wish you the best of luck in the future, and never forget 12-24-2004. And no matter how the path may separate us, you will forever be in my heart as a symbol of True Friendship, Loyalty, Honesty, and Love. Thanks for everything. I love you! "Y todo Comenzo Bailando" "Your Princess?"

I'm very happy you have challenged yourself in high school and succeeded. I wish you care, love, friendship and good luck in the future. Take care and don't forget your friends. Remember that the key to life is not to give up! I love you, Best friend, Veronica

Luis Garcia
Catia S. Takemoto
Kenny Sang
Damaris Padilla
Mona Boozan
Henry Mensah
Yvette Griffin
Miguel Vasquez
Carmen Perez
Carlos Colon
Jhair Longaray
Odetys Reyes

#### LUIS ENCARNACION

"Just be on time, o.k."

Good luck with love from Oriana Perez

Baby I wish you all the best. I love you. Congratulations. Wendy Castillo

To All Seniors, Happy Graduation Day. — Mrs. Acosta

Miraim Campos Girard Epps Anthony Peralta

#### AMY FIGUEROA

To Amy, May God bless you and help you achieve anything in life. Congrats — Jenny Rivera

Whut up Amy, keep it real in 97 — Steve Figueroa

Congratulations to my sister, good luck in the future.

Amy, Congrats, got your license and diploma! - Kristine ER

All I'm say'n, better be a good aunt or god mom to my June.

Butta, Hey Boo, How do you remember me and I'll remember you and also 1/1/97. Good luck! — Damion Newman

Always remember to put God first in your life and you can do all things and go anywhere. — Martha Christmas

Go far in life, reach for the stars. - Rosemary Stevens

The sky is the limit so reach for success. — Kanisha Gayles

We did it! God bless you in everything and thank you for being my sister. — Xiomara

Congrats to myself and my partner Noemi B, we represent n NBS for life, 97 MC-A.

Your future is in your hands. Make us proud! — Nydia DeAuila

I just want to say congrats to Amy, all my peeps, and myself. C.O. "97" — Damaris Padilla

Be the best of what you are. - Lourdes N. Silverio

Good luck Amy. - Nora Figueroa

Priscilla Hughes Marcia Lewis David Hunter Carmen A. Perez Jesus Maldonado

Mr. Huntley Art Long Esau Weathers Shari Jordan

Mr. Harris Yralda Fernandez

Charles Tony Wheeler

DAVID HUNTER

TWI word: Mo David - Congratulations. - Donna Lee

Sankofa means go back and fetch it. Symbol of wisdom in learning from the past in building for the future. — Donna Lee

Good luck to you in the future. - Floyd Lang Jr.

Good luck. - Reggie Johnson

Good luck. - Henry Rhen

Best of luck in the future. - Gloria Walker

Good luck, have fun, life's just begun! Don't be a fool stay in school. Yetta B. Somers, BPU

David, I hope you accomplish all your goals but remember party often. — Dawn Hall

Good luck to the Class of "97" - Leonard Gilbert

Congrats! You made it! Best wishes. - Tracy Scott

Best of luck. - Gina Conlon

Lawanda Gilbert, Esq. Carmen Guzman Renee Good Blanch Griffin Gean Baltron Paula Torrence Leslie Hutcherson

Tom Greene

Frederick Stalks

Clyde Minter Rita Pitts

Robert Pitts

John Thomas Scales Derek Simmons

Sonia Nevarez Valerie Havnes

Virginia Williams

Barbara Robinson Ms. Petrucelli

Renee Robinson

#### JAMES JOHNSON JR.

James, it took you long enough but you finally did it. Congratulations, Stephanie Mitch

Congratulations on your graduation. You've conquered high school. Best wishes, Ivory Wise

Congratulations and best wishes on things to come. — Suzette Wise

Now that graduation's finally here, work hard to live comfortably from '97 on. — Darrell Glover

1997 finally got here! Congratulations on completing 12 years of school. — Fannie Glover James, I wish you the very best of your future plans! Love, Mercedes

Congratulations to my nephew. I wish the Best. — Sharon Johnson

It takes wisdom to change from a boy to a man in 12 years. May knowledge be with you for life. — Lamont Williams

As said by the Roots "Never do what they do" so keep it real.

— Jamal Williams

Congratulations. May you continue to do your best in everything. — Johnny Johnson

Always remember "Who is going to do it for you if you don't do it yourself?" — Edward Sanders

Congratulations and good luck to you in the future. — Diana

The key to your success has already been developed. Love for Jehovah and your family. — Connie Benton and family

Stay firm in the truth, Class of 97. — Dalton and Deborah Pembot

James, You've arrived at the point of becoming an intelligent young man. Continue your fine work. — Sandra

Congratulations and I wish you the best on your plans for the future. — Irene Lewis

Congratulations on your graduation from school. — Kenny Lewis

I wish you all the best. - Kerry Hylton

This may be the end of school but it is the beginning of life.

— Victor

Always think positive and remember "love never fails." Mae E. Johnson

Best wishes James. - Mary London

Dreams can come true, James. - Osner Louissaint

True success is only found in connection with Jehovah. James D. Johnson, Sr.

Best of luck to J.J.J. - Dr. Marvin Soalt

May the positive forces always be with you. - Alvenia Wynn

Dear James, Please continue to set and pursue spiritual goals in life, Sincerely, Terrilie W. Ago

Keep on being successful in the things you do. — Annette McCullough

Congratulations on finishing high school and continue to do well in college. — Kevin Jones

Congratulations! — Chad Cartwright

Congratulations James, May Jehovah be with you in all your endeavors. — Doris & Amber

Robert Moeller

ROSA MANGUAL

Good luck to the Class of 97, especially to Rosa, from Ms.

Congratulations Class of 1997, especially to Catia, Rose, Ivelisse, Carmen, Damaris and Yissel.

Good luck to Rosa in the future. - Victoria Saso

To the craziest girl I know, big ups, and congratulations on graduating, Rosa.

Best wishes to Rosa, Catia, Ivelisse and Carmen in the future. N.F. Deering

Best wishes to the Class of 97 and Co-op students. — Louise G. Palazzo

Good luck in life. - Mr. Addo

You will be missed, good luck in the future, Rosa.

— Raymond Flannery

Best wishes. - Van Williams

Congratulations to the Class of 1997. — Eli Lorenzo

Congratulations to Rosa, Carmen, Ivelisse, Catia, Yissel, Damaris & the Class of 1997. — Carmen

Espero que triunfes en la vida te desea. - Tu Mamá

To my wife Rosa, I hope our future goes well with our little angel. — Julio Bermudez

I wish the best for my sister Rosa and hope she is somebody in the future. — June

Dando y dando pajaritas bolando y si estan bolando estan rapiando se van callando. — Huicho

Patricio Ramiréz Claude Porsenna Luis Garcia Jane Austen Hilliard Boulware Eric Palacios

Eric Palacios Qayyum Watson Octavio Mena

Jason Wicker Ms. Gonzalez Silvino Sanchez Mrs. Gutkind

Robert Moeller Tomas Calderon Mr. Epps Roberto Velez

MELANIE MCCLEARY

Good Luck, Melanie - Neal Roche

Just Like Daddy!! - Charles

Congratulations Melanie, on a job well done. - Mrs. Rafferty

To the biggest mouth in the class of 1997, LA GIRAFFA — Jason, Jhair, Edgar, Luis

I hope you find success and happiness in the future, stay spunky and original. — Tasha

To my favorite pain, congratulations & Love Ya — Mrs. Marie Congratulations Mel!! — Mrs. Kenyatta

May you have a blessed and prosperous future

— Mrs. Laverne Johnson

"And when I looked into her eyes, I saw and experienced love." — Will

To Niecy: A kind word, a smile, a wink; Do not ever change.

— Mr. Dovle

Good Luck Niecy - Mr. Turner

Selina McCleary Teisha Rick

Monica

Shadeenah aka Lil Niecy

Lil Rick Ebony Sean April

Mike

Lesa

Rashawn Destiny

Lil Mike

Mr. Boulware Nicole "Nikki"

KEV

Ms. Dickerson

Pacman Pig Tono

Big Tone

DAMIAN NEWMAN

Good luck to my hot 96-97 Mack Daddy, keep it live.

SIOBHAN PENDLETON

Peace to the Class of 97 from the Class of 99.

Join the army. - Donald Pendleton

Keep up the good work. - Shug

Good luck Missy, don't forget me. - La'Fuentes Carmichael

Congratulations! I'm sure you will reach your goal. God will be with you always. — Aunt Shirley

To my girl. — Thomas

Always be yourself.

Congratulations! We finally graduated! Good luck and don't ever change. Love, Xiomara

God is good all the time. - Grady Townsend Jr.

Don't leave without me but if you do I'll still be your best friend.

A little kindness can make a big difference. Make me proud.

Be like a stamp and stick to one thing until you get there.

— Grandma

Good luck with your goals — You will make all of them come true! — Ozzie A. Williams

Be good, make us proud. - Albert Workfield

Good luck and much success. — Anna V. Averna

Good luck in the future. — Antoinette Davis

Well it's about time! It's only been 8 years, but congratulations anyway. — Zee & Shida

Whatever makes you happy, makes me happy. — Tammy

Good luck Missy. — Uncle Pete

No matter how hard we think, our minds will never be over matters. — Bernis

To Auntie, I love you . . . Always, Love, Nuk-Nuk

To Ms. Mis, I love you, I'm very proud of you. Stay sweet, smart and strong. — Shannon

Good luck in the future. Maybe we'll see you soon. — The Sisters of Sigma Chi Epsilon, JCSC

Don't forget me. - Julisa

Make me proud. — Desting aka Mookie

Stay sweet and keep a clear head for your future. — Lamont Gill

We are proud of you. - The Golden family

Good luck Missy. - Charlotte Works

Knowledge is power and power is knowledge. Love you, Vickie & John

Good luck and keep up the good work, Missy. — Fred and Joan McCoggle

Good luck, make us proud. - Bunny & Treva

Missy, good luck in the future. Lead your own path and success will be yours. — Teresa Muniz

Keep up the good work. I'm very proud of you. — Gerhart Pendleton

Mr. Moeller

Aldridge Drayton

Rashaun Daniels

Shari Jordan

John N. Manalac

Kotey Nikoi

Arnaldo Medina

Dean Jones RIP

Taja Quasan McMillan

Khyona Danielle Martique D

Kakemah Catherine McMillan

David Hunter

Jason Parris

Damaris Padilla Barry Adams

Mrs. Raferty

Adrian Baker

Zachary Moore

Belinda Norman

Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Pleasant

Ella Thompson

Jared Nelcoms Dan Harris

Affotey Ago

Alvin Jones

Shawn

Ms. Petrucelli

Basil V. Hutchinson, Jr.

Juan Olmedo

FLORENCE RAY

To my cousin, Florence, have a great future. - Keisha

To my favorite cousin, stay just the way you are, sweet! Hove

Florence, half the battle is won, keep reaching for your future goals. Good luck, Mom

Florence, In memoriam of your dad. He always said, "Who's the best of all? That's my lil' girl."

We will graduate together, always, no matter what baby! Love ya, Flo!

Joe Duva

Jvoti Patel

Clara Jenkins

Mukesh Patel

Walter Davis

Joanne Reynolds

Ms. Petrucelli

Mr. Moeller

MYISHA SCOTT

Room 109, three o'clock, with a book! - Mr. Samuel Carollo

Where is "Big Blue?" - John Snyder

This is for the cool in you. - Kevin Dixson

Good luck in the future, Shorty! - Mr. Gill

Mrs. Judith Doran aka Queen Latifah

Mr. Constantino

Mr. Huntley

Ant

Mr. Epps

Irving Rodriguez

Michelle Cirminiello

Van Williams

Mrs. Gwen Dickerson

Mrs. Fuzzi Mr. Moeller

JAMES E. SMITH JR.

Congratulations and best wishes, Love, Treacy

You made it! Congratulations, Love, Justin

Congratulations James! - Spencer, Zack & lan

Congratulations Son! I am very proud of you, a fine example you're setting for your family.

Congratulations James! Best of everything as you continue in Lincoln Tech. Your Mother, Athena Smith

Congratulations to you and all of the Senior Class.

Good luck in the future to James who was my friend from day one.

JUMIL SMITH

You can do anything, and we wish you the very best. — Aunt Dee & Keya

You are a terrific brother and a cool friend. - Tahlia

Jumil's a terrific son. We're very proud of you and glad you're in our life. — Carroll & Meryl Muse

CYNTHIA WELLS

Dear Cynthia, I wish you the best of luck in the future. Love,

God's love and grace be yours always. - Mary Benjamin

I wish you the very best in the future. — Louis Perry

I love you, put God first. - Auntie Mildred

You are a great stepgranddaughter of mine. — Margaret Cain

To my favorite niece, good luck in the future. — Sylvester

To my niece, stay strong in this crazy world. - Gerald Harris

Congratulations to my niece, may God walk with you through life. Love, Aunt Mary

Congratulations and best wishes to a fine granddaughter. — Carey DeLarge

Congratulations on everything in life. Love, Grandma

Congratulations on your graduation. May God bless you and keep you. — Marine C. Smith

Good wishes. - Seamus McQuaid

Success in the future. - Maureen Kaiser

Good luck. - Anne Marie Simeantis

Dionne McCoy

Jones

Johnny

Rufus Elliott

Shawanda Cain

Everett Cain

Mr. H. Boulware

Mr. R. Moeller

Alfred B. Smith III

Alfred B. Smith

Lynn Reynes Ramona Neal, R.N.

Claretta Maye

Pamela Mincer

Helena Mejjia

Chestina Maple

Auntie

QUADEEHAH WILDER

Congratulations on your graduation. - Grammy

Love you lil Sis and congratulations. - Netta

Congratulations Qua. — Rahaman

Qua, remain strong throughout this worldly struggle! — Jamal Gary

Congratulations Qua, One love, Lil Sis. - Byree

Congratulations on your graduation, do well so I can have someone to look up to. — Shanté

To my big cuz, you better stop letting people play you out. Love you, Safiyyah

Congratulations Qua, on your graduation. I hope you succeed in everything you do. — Taj

You are one of the nicest girlfriends a boy can have, stay sweet. — Mu-Bas

Qua, stay wild and crazy and remember where you came from. — Aziz

To my cousin Qua, congratulations and I wish you the best of luck. — Shafeqah

To my girl Qua, congratulations and stay cool. - Ki-Ki

You always keep it real and I love you for that. Congratulations. — April

Mind your business, stay sweet cuzz. - Chip

To Qua-Baldy-Cuzz (QBC), Congratulations! — Gene

To the girl who played me, congratulations and I still love you. — Chuck

Know this, our God is a peaceful, loving, forgiving God, keep prayer and faith in your life. — Pamela Wright

Good luck in your years in college. - Daicia

Motivation and determination is self-driven. — James C. Kelly

Best wishes to my little families, luv fam represent. - Kekah

Be very successful, I love you, stay sweet and pretty. — Amira

Congratulations to my girl Qua, stay sweet and good luck.

— Quanda Hearns

Good luck and slow down on those 20 pieces. - Ra-Hana

To my girl Qua, you're like a big sister who's always been

there for me. - Kia

To my first love, Baby Girl, stay true and sweet. — Al-Terick Holmes

To my sister Qua, Congratulations! - Khalilah & Razak

Paul Slevin

Tracey Cullins

Sammy Gonzalez

Ken

Mutalih Williams

Mother Tony

Tony

Big Mook Big Hak

Ki-Rock

Ki-Rock

Sharifah Tanil & Mitchell

Tamisah Baskerville

Tamisah Baskerville Sadivva Baskerville

Ramisah Abdullah

RA-HANA WORSLEY

2, 4, 6, 8 who'd you pay to graduate, smile, Mom

I'm so proud of you Ra-Hana, Much Love, Mom

Your dad is proud too, Ra-Hana, stay strong. - D.E.H.

May Allah award you with all that you need to be successful. Inshallah

To Ra-Hana and the entire graduating class, I wish you many successes. — D.W.

Good luck Cuz. - James A. Scott

To my big sister, it's about time you got out of school. — Hakim (Da-Da)

To Ra-Hana and the Class of 1997, Congratulations! — Ms. Lizzie Sanks

Congratulations Ra-Hana and the Class of 1997! — Mamie Green

Indeed you can fly! - Helen Alexander

Good luck, Ra-Hana! - Cynthia J. Williams

God Bless. — Dorothy Gregg

God Be With You. - Sally Hart

Congratulations! - Curtis and Tina Covington

Wish you the very best. - Louise Worsley

Ra-Hana, Best of luck in your career choices. — Molly Davis

Robert Moeller

Mr. Boulware

Glenda Ellison

Mildred Moore

Angelina Draugh

Connie Walker James Andrews

T. Crawford

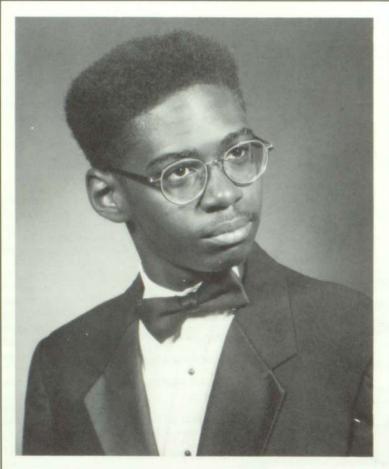
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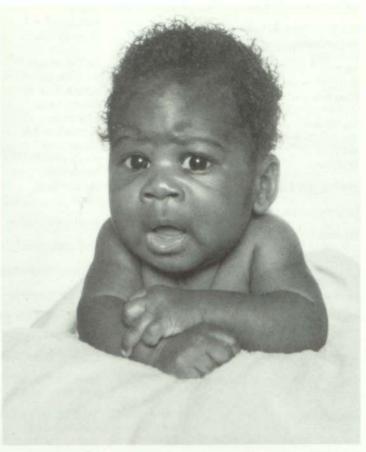
Minnie Wilkins

Valerie Moss

Ms. Deborah Worsley Dwight E. Hardman

Ali Qur'an Muhammad





### Jason Wicker

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your path staight.

We love you Jason Wicker Your loving sister and mom (Catha)

#### To Jason Wicker

Congratulations on your graduation and always remember that it was Jesus the Christ who brought you this far and it will be Jesus who will see you through.

God Bless you Forever Your loving parents MR.&Mrs. Rodney A.Wicker Jr.

#### To my daughter Amy:

Today is the begining of tommorow, yesterday was the middle of today and thinking about it, yesterday you were my little girl and tommorow you will be for sure the best. The best daughter, the best sister, the best friend, the best in everything you do; follow your dreams and never stop until they all come true. Remember I'm here for you today, tommorow, and always.

Love Mom

Jason,

#### Congratulations and God bless you

Your loving brother, Rodney "THE BOSS Wicker Congatulations to all my cool peoples that I have had the pleasure of chilling with over the years. Especially Noemi B, Xiomara, Myrsho,Siohban,Grisela,Monica and Damaris. Also congrats to my Boo Damion BKA Budda, Hope you succeed in all you do.

Amy

#### Congratulations to the Graduates of the Class 1997

From the Health and Physical Education Department

Ms. Morrissey

Mr. Constantino

Mr. LaRose

Mr. Urban

