

May 10, 1959

FELLOW MEMBER OF THE CLASS OF '49,

Although you have probably been trying to forget it, ten years have passed since that night we sat with our backs to the cemetery and our faces to the handball courts while we waited for the diploma that was to send us into the hard, cruel world. Well, if it makes you feel any better, it hasn't been quite ten years; but it will be on Saturday, June 13, 1959, when we gather for our first reunion.

We want everyone to be there: 7:00 P.M. till ?, at CLUB 65, 65th and Broadway, chicken or steak dinner, and all the beer anyone has a right to drink for the modest fee of \$4.50. Hard liquor will also be available for those who prefer same! It will be your opportunity to see whether the class prophecy has been fulfilled. You may remember some of these items from the prophecy. It began. .

We were cold and hungry as we straggled forlornly along the sidewalks of K Street when suddenly we spied the glistening surface of a silver dollar lying in the gutter. .... Dumbfounded we listened to its strange tale.

"Ever since I came out of the mint in 1949, I have been passed through the hands of many people. When I was first minted, I had dreams of travel and adventure only to fall victim to Bill Henderson and his coin collection. Just after I had become quite friendly with Bill's PGA trophy, Earl "BLACKIE" Gabrielli broke into the house and made a clean sweep of all the valuables including me.

I was quickly taken to the pawn shop of John Cerruti, a victim of the stock crash. One day John, a little short of cash, took me to the corner where Ron Massa and Bill Gabrielli had just built their new super market.....

I soon found my self sliding across the bar at the NO-NO Club owned by Bob Cooke and Bob Winchell .... I was slapped into a slot machine owned and operated by Amusements, Inc., a concern of the Sacramento gambling triumvirate, Jerry Barden, Bob Caetano, and John Murphy....

And so it goes. We have to admit the prophecy has an occasional inaccuracy in it here and there, but we can easily correct these once we get together. There'll be plenty to talk about and plenty to find out.

You'll pick up amazing pieces of information. You'll hear Al Anicich and Al Babayco, both teachers at Brothers, tell what it's like now. George Silvers will explain the hardware business that he's occupied with in San Francisco when he's not sailing his hew yacht, or is that a sail boat, George? Bill Mulderrig and John Lysaght can bring you behind the scenes of Sacramento crime since both are officers on the Sacramento P.D. You'll find out that Fred Tucker is with Pureta

Sausage; Joe Crane, with Crocker-Anglo in San Luis Obispo; Jack Wirts, with IBM in Sacramento. Bob Lehtola is teaching at Las Palmas Jr. High, and Bart Lagomarsino, at Sacramento High. This is what just a few are doing; it will be interesting to fill in the rest of the class.

Notwithstanding other commitments, Brother Bertram has assured us he will attend. And by the way, this will be without wives. It's strictly a STAG affair.

In short, BE THERE! We can't let our tenth (and first) anniversary fade into the quickly passing years.

The date to reserve again is Saturday, June 13th. We, of course, have to make our reservations firm as soon as possible; so contact one of the following within a week or tendays of receipt of this letter:

John Lysaght	5233 Carrington St.	Sacto.	GL 1-4196
Bart Lagomarsino	1701 H St.	Sacto.	HI 7-2322
Al Anicich	3548 64th St.	Sacto.	GL 7-8947

Do not send any money; bring it on the night of the reunion. Be sure to send a short note telling us whether or not you'll be there; or, if you prefer, phone one of the above. Any member of the committee will be glad to help you with transportation problems. If you out-of-towners are concerned about a place to stay overnight, it is quite likely something can be arranged upon your arrival. In any case let us know. Wherever you are, Sacramento or elsewhere, get in touch. DO IT NOW!

Remember the success of this reunion depends on your presence! Don't let yourself or the rest of us down.

Until we hear from you,

Al Anicich, Bart Lagomarsino,  
John Lysaght, and Fred Tucker  
(Reunion committee)

P.S. This will not be a "formal" affair, with speeches, etc. Just come prepared to relax and enjoy yourself with your old classmates.

May 18, 1964

Dear Friends,

Plans have now been completed by Fred Tucker for our fifteen year reunion dinner for the class of 1949. It will be held on June 6, 1964, at the El Rancho Hotel, La Fiesta Room, in Sacramento. We will have this room to ourselves with our own bar beginning with a social hour at 6 PM. Dinner will be served between 7 and 7:30 PM. We have ordered the specialty of the house, which is boneless, roasted chicken. The price will be \$5.00 per person, or \$10.00 per couple. The wives are invited, of course.

If you plan to attend, please mail me a check immediately to secure your reservation. I must have the money by June 1st. If you are unable to come to the dinner, you might care to drop by afterward and meet your old classmates, and take a look at the girls they married.

So far we have had twenty-five letters in response to my questionnaire. If you have not sent yours, please send in the questionnaire immediately because I'm going to type up a summary of where everyone is and send it around to the members of the class who will not be present. Several people have asked me already for a copy of this information. We have not been able to reach following people; so if you know of their whereabouts, please let me know: Jack Noss, Robert Kawataya, Joe Chavez, Bill Craig, Ted Hopkins, John Murphy, Ken Royer, and John Stromel.

MURDERY

FENECH

Let's everyone try to make it on June 6th. Those of us who attended the open house at CBS on May 17th were speaking in enthusiastic terms about this coming event, so please show up

Yours truly  
Pat Melaney

Sacramento, California  
August 30, 1964

Dear Friends,

Enclosed you will find the current list of names and addresses for OBS, class of 1949. Our dinner was held on June 6, 1964, with twenty-six classmates and their wives or dates attending. By all standards it was a remarkably friendly evening, and I'm sure that all those who were there had a good time meeting old friends. A few members of the class who live here in Sacramento could not attend because of sickness, and then there were a few who just were not interested. Five or six members of the class were never reached.

The highlight of the evening was the self introductions made by each member of the class with a few words about his current activities. There were no startling announcements, but it was obvious that our class has been successful in many directions, financially, maritaly, and socially. I don't know how many children have been produced by our class, but it must be quite a group.

Special thanks for the instigation of this reunion should go to Bill Mulderigg and Fred Tucker. Possibly in a year or two, we will have another. I think there is enough interest to warrant this instead of waiting until our 20th anniversary when some of us might be too old.

Yours truly  
J. Melady



- Mace, Joseph P.O. Box 694, Paradise, Calif.
- Anicich, Albert 7504 Oak Creek Dr., Stockton, Calif. Al and his wife, Barbara, have five children, and are expecting their sixth. He sells typewriters for IBM in Stockton.
- Babayano, Albert 1449 65th Ave., Sacramento 22, Calif. Al and his wife, Mary, have four children. He is a teacher at Luther Burbank High in Sacto.
- Barden, Jerry 325 So. B. St., Madera, Calif. Jerry lives in Madera and is manager of the telephone office there.
- Bosso, Jack 915 Oak Ave., Woodland, Calif. Jack and his wife, Georgeann, have one child. Jack was in the Navy four years, '51 to '55, and since '56 has operated the Electric Motor Repair Shop in Woodland.
- Brown, Albic — 7506 Arieta Court, Sacto., 25. Al and his wife, Shirley, have four children. He is a Senior Budget Analyst for the State. He graduated from Sac. State College in '53, was in Korea in the Army in '55, and has worked for the State since '56.
- Castano, Bob 3480 Gullick Drive, Fort Monroe, Va. Bob and Mary Lou have four boys and one girl. Bob has been in the Army for 10 years.
- Cazeras, Manuel 7264 Lindale Dr., Sacto. Manuel and his wife, Rose, have one girl. He has been employed by the Telephone Co. for nine years.
- Cerruti, John 5111 I. St., Sacto. John has a BS from USF and a Masters from SF State. He taught in the bay area, and is now in business with his father.
- Chavez, Joe No word or address.
- Concarmon, Joe 1612 Delaware Ave., West Sacto., Calif. Joe and Florence live in West Sacto. where Joe works for the Washington Unified School District keeping their rolling stock on the road. He graduated from Sacto. JC and spent four years in the Navy as a Chief Cook.
- Cooke, Bob 110 Hazel Ave., Mill Valley, Calif. Bob works for the First Western Bank in S.F. He graduated from Sac State in '54, served in the Marine Corps from '54-'57. In '59 he got his Masters from Stanford, and since that time has been with First Western. His wife Julie was expecting their first child in a couple of months the night of the dinner.
- Craig, Bill 2219 River Edge Way, Rancho Cordova, Calif. Bill and Marilyn have 4 children and Bill works for Douglas Aircraft in Sacto.
- Crane, Joe 1411 Los Padres Way, Sac Joe and Bernice have 4 children. Joe is mgr. of the Fruitridge branch of Crocker-Angulo (Anglo...but now it is Crocker-Citizens) bank in Sacramento
- Daleon, Mario Zapotitan, Guatemala, Central America. We never heard from him.
- Derdowski, Paul 4807 Marietta Way, Sacto. Paul is in the trailer business with his brother in North Sacto.
- Enos, Gene 5162 Serra Way, Sacto. no word from Gene

Fenson, Eugene 3630 West Lincoln Ave., Sacto. Eugene and his wife, Marilyn, have three children. Gene works as a Physicist at Aerojet handling, he told me personally, the more complicated problems of rocket propulsion.

Gabrielli, Earl 4700 B Parkway, Sacramento. Earl and Delores have three children. He is an accountant for the Sacramento Municipal Utility District.

Gabrielli, Bill 5622 Mc Adoo, Sacto. Bill and Gloria have five children, and Bill is the operations officer for the Wells Fargo Bank in Sacramento.

Henderson, Bill 3889 Enoch Circle, Sacto. Bill and Ruth Anne have one daughter and are expecting another child. Bill is the assistant manager of the Sentinel Mortgage Co. in Sacramento.

~~Hopkins, Ted~~ 4069 Esperanza Dr., Sacto. Ted is not married and works as a right of way agent for the county of Sacramento. IRIENE

1192 - KAINS AVE. ART C BERKLEY CALIF 94706 482-6001  
Kaefer, Jerry 8630 Everglade Dr., Sacto. Jerry and Linda have one child and now teaches at Rio Tierra High School in the P.E. Department.

Kixrens, Joe 810 Hillcrest Dr., Yreka. Joe is the manager of the AAA office in Yreka.

Koball, Don 1107 1/2 West St., Corning. Don and his wife, Mary Anne have two children, and he is presently teaching the 7th grade in Corning, Calif.

Knezovich, Don ~~DEAD~~ 1409 W. St., Sacto.

Lagomarsino, Jim 2401 P. St., Sacto. Jim is unmarried and in Sacramento. What he does is not known. He is either working or going to school.

Lagomarsino, Bart 7506 Myrtle Vista, Sacto. Bart and Barbara have four boys. Bart has taught English for 7 years at Sacto. High. Presently he is on a Fulbright Teacher Exchange Fellowship for one year with his family in Sweden.

Lang, Carl 8936 Ouster, Orangetown. Carl and his wife, Grace, have three children. Carl works as an Electrical Engineer at Aerojet and does some electrical contracting on the side.

Lehtola, Bob 2071 Berg Ave., Sacto. Bob and LeJean have three or four children (I can't remember which) and is a coach at Norte Del Rio High School.

Lodi, George ~~DEAD~~ P.O. Box 95, Arbuckle, Calif. George and his wife, Jean, have four children, and George is raising rice in Arbuckle.

Lysight, John 5233 Carrington, Sacto. John and Pat have three children. He is presently with the Sacramento Police Department.

Masua, Ron 6601 14th St., Sacto. Ron and his wife, Pat, have three children. He is the assistant branch manager of the Capital Cigar Co. in Sacto.

Mason, John 2211 Sheffield Dr., Carmichael. John and his wife, Peter, live in Sacramento, and John works with his father in the Mason Paint Co.

Melankey, Pat 2349 Mariota Way, Sacto. Lexy and I have one daughter, and I am a dentist practicing in Sacramento.

Moretays, Robert No word

Mulderrig, Bill 816 Skipper Circle, Sacto. Bill and his wife, Kay, have four children. Bill is a sargent on the city police force.

Murphy, John No word

Ness, Jack 4933 San Marques Circle, Sacto. No word

O'Sullivan, Dave Box 1155, Merrill, Oregon. No word

\* Parino, Vic 6911 Demarek Drive, Sacto. Vic is in Sacramento and could not attend the reunion because of the sickness of his wife.

Radovich, George 1833 5th Ave. Sacto. George was married this summer to Lois Matushak of Sacramento. He teaches at Sutter Junction High. On his better days, George says he can hit a golf ball 150 yards.

Robinson, Jerry 2558 Rice St., Columbus, Georgia. Jerry and his wife, the former Pat Davis, have four children. He has been in the Army for 14 years. He is an officer, of course, and has been all over the world dealing with matters pertaining to army aviation, both flying and otherwise. He says he will be transferred near Sacramento next summer. Maybe if we had Cerruti put in a word for him at higher levels, he would be transferred right out here.

Royer, Ken 1013 Hillcrest Ave., Sacto. No word

Scherer, James No word

Schmeringer, Ken 4721 Custis, Sacto. Ken and Darlene have a family, but I don't know how many children. Ken is a fingerprint expert for the government or the State.

\* Siner, John 2252 Fort Stockton Dr., San Diego, Calif. John works for a newspaper in San Diego.

Silvers, George c/a Calif. Builders Hardware, 17 Bluxome St., San Francisco. George is Vice-President of the above firm. He is currently a yachtsman of championship caliber in San Francisco Bay.

Taylor, Wayne 2418 East Mifflin St., Madison, Wisconsin. Wayne is an artist and on the faculty of the University of Wisconsin. He is at present primarily a sculptor. He sent us the most fantastically illustrated letter that I have ever seen, and we are holding it in trust for the class as some day we expect it to become valuable.

Stenzel, Don 141 Court St., Ukiah, Calif. No word

Tucker, Fred 5544 35rd Ave., Sacto. Fred and Marilyn have two children. Fred is a fireman for the Sacto. Fire Dept.

Waubbe, Bill Rt. 2 Box 2305, Elk Grove, Calif. Bill and his wife, Starlita, have three children, and Bill has a small farm in Elk Grove with a dozen head of cattle, two dogs, one pony, five cats, and twenty chickens. Bill is a service engineer with the Westinghouse Elevator Division in Sacramento.

Wirts, Jack 227 Emerald Bay, Laguna Beach, Calif. Jack and Gina have a son and a daughter. Jack is the manager of the IBM typewriter department in Long Beach, Calif.

Zerbe, Felix 1725 Jefferson St., Napa Felix is in Napa working in his father's restaurant.

Winchell, Bob 1923 No. Campbell, Royal Oak, Michigan. Bob and his wife, Grace, have one child. He has a PhD in Mineralogy from Ohio State University and works for AC spark plug division of General Motors as a materials research scientist.



**Christian Brothers  
Reunion**

**50 YEARS**

**1949-1999**



## CLASS MEMBERS AND GUESTS

Joseph and Yolanda Aloe  
Al and Barbara Anicich  
Al and Mary Babayco  
Jack R. and Jackie Besso  
Al and Shirley Brown  
Bob Caetano and Lisette Dart  
Manuel and Rose Cazares  
Joe & Flo (Florence) Concannon  
Bob Cooke  
Bill and Marilyn Craig  
Joe and Helen Crane  
Paul Derdowski  
Eugene and Marilyn Fenech  
Joe and Ann Franzella  
Earl and Dolores Gabrielli  
William F. and Gloria Gabrielli  
Alan and Beatrice Guttman  
Jerry and Linda Kaeser  
Joe Kirrene  
Donald & Bev Koball  
Bart and Barbara Lagomarsino  
Carl Lang  
Bob and Lougene Lehtola  
John and Donna Lysaght  
Pat Melarkey  
Ray and Gayle Molina  
Bill Mulderrig & Colleen Randolph  
George and Lois Radovich  
Ken and Loretta Royer  
Jim Scherer & Edie Folb  
Ken and Darlene Schneringer  
Leon and Joy Shepard  
George Silvers and Lucy Fields  
Don Stommel  
Dave and Rae Sullivan and Nora Rick  
N. Wayne and Donna Taylor  
Fred and Merdy Tucker  
Bill and Starlita Weubbe  
Bob & Grace Winchell  
Jack Wirts

FACULTY

Brother Bertram Coleman, F.S.C.  
Brother Brendan Kneale, F.S.C.  
Ray and Rosemary Clemmons  
Roy and Rosalie Cortopassi

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies                      John Lysaght

Invocation                      Brother Bertram Coleman, F.S.C.

Dinner

Comments from Faculty

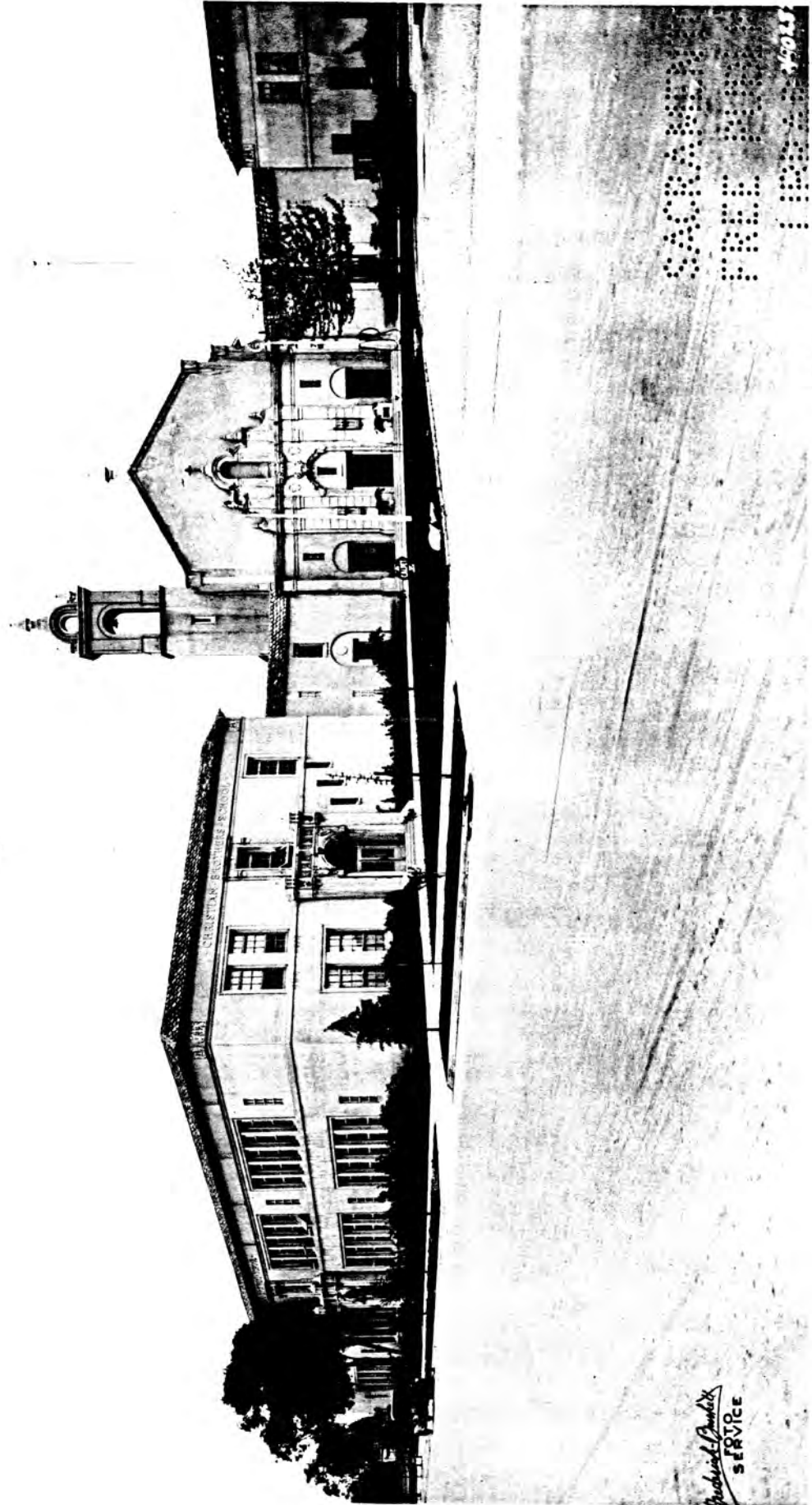
Comments from John Lysaght

Introduction of the Reunion Committee

Comments from Class Members

Closing by John Lysaght

Informal Time  
For Class Members and Guests To Share



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS H.S.  
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## The Reunion Committee

Al Anicich  
Manuel Cazares  
Paul Derdowski  
Bart Lagomarsino  
Bob Lehtola  
John Lysaght  
George Radovich  
Fred Tucker

Thanks to all members of the reunion committee and to Jack Wirts for sponsoring the the incidental expenses of the reunion..



Welcomes you to the  
29th Annual

# ALUMNI DINNER



SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1999  
5:30 P.M. SOCIAL - DINNER 7:00 P.M.



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL  
4315 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. BLVD.  
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



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# PROGRAM

INVOCATION

Brother Kenneth

WELCOME/INTRODUCTIONS  
Rick Pires, President Alumni Association  
Master of Ceremonies

DINNER

**PRESENTATION  
OF GOLDEN DIPLOMAS  
CLASS OF '49**

Brother Bertram Coleman, FSC  
Mark Warren, President

**PRESENTATION OF  
HONORARY DIPLOMAS**

Janis Hoffart  
Mary Alice Delgado  
Michael Kuzmich

**PRESENTATION OF  
ALUMNA OF THE YEAR AWARD**

**Jean Lahey**  
Brother Bertram Coleman, FSC  
Mark Warren, President

CLOSING REMARKS

Rick Pires



**A SPECIAL THANKS  
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## 1999 ALUMNA OF THE YEAR



*Jean Lahey*

Jean Lahey is a graduate of the Class of 1950 from St. Joseph's Academy. She married the late Dan Lahey, CBS '50. Her two sons graduated from Christian Brothers, Michael Lahey, '79 and Steve Lahey, '82. Her daughter, Shannon, graduated from Bishop Manogue in '78.

Jean Lahey has served the school since 1976 when she was a parent and a member of the Parent Service Organization Board. Jean Lahey was hired in 1982 by Brother Richard Camara, Principal, to serve as Assistant to Brother Bertram, Director of the Development Office. Since then, Jean has served in a variety of capacities including overseeing the Support Groups and their fund-raising events, serving as Secretary to the Board of Regents. Her efforts to become more acquainted with the Lasallian tradition became evident when she spent three weeks of three consecutive years to attend the Buttimer Institute (Lasallian Studies at St. Mary's College).

Jean's dedication and commitment during her six years of parent involvement and 16 years as a staff member of the Development Department have made her a valuable asset to the school for over 22 years. ♦

### ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR AWARD

*The Alumnus of the Year award recognizes a person's consistent, ongoing service to Christian Brothers High School through an unselfish commitment of personal time and talents*



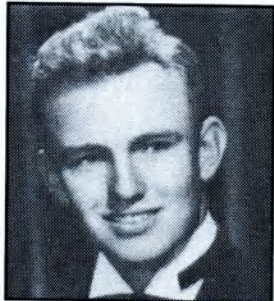
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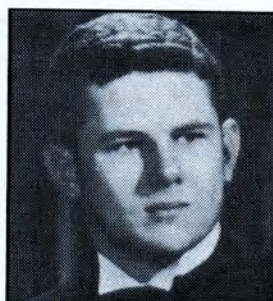
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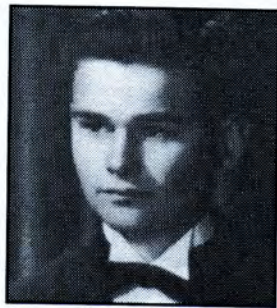
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JACK NOSS



DAVE O'SULLIVAN



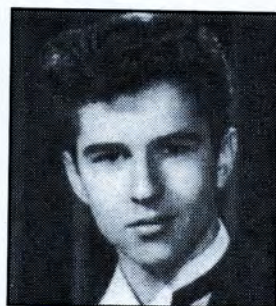
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ROBERT WINCHELL



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## CHRISTIAN BROTHERS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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Maribeth Ennis-Leu, '83	

### ALUMNI DINNER CHAIRS

Tony Clark  
Sal Ghattas  
Brian Mahaney

WELCOME TO ALL ALUMNUS

*W*ith the closing of Bishop Manogue High School for girls in 1990, Christian Brothers High School became a co-ed high school, absorbing many of the girl students and faculty from Bishop Manogue. Subsequently, the Alumni Association included among their former graduates, those girls that attended St. Joseph's Academy and its successor Bishop Manogue High School. With the reorganization of the Alumni Association in 1979, the women who attended Bishop Armstrong High School from 1957-1963 were welcomed members of the Alumni Association.

-written by Br. Bertram

*Enjoy your evening!*











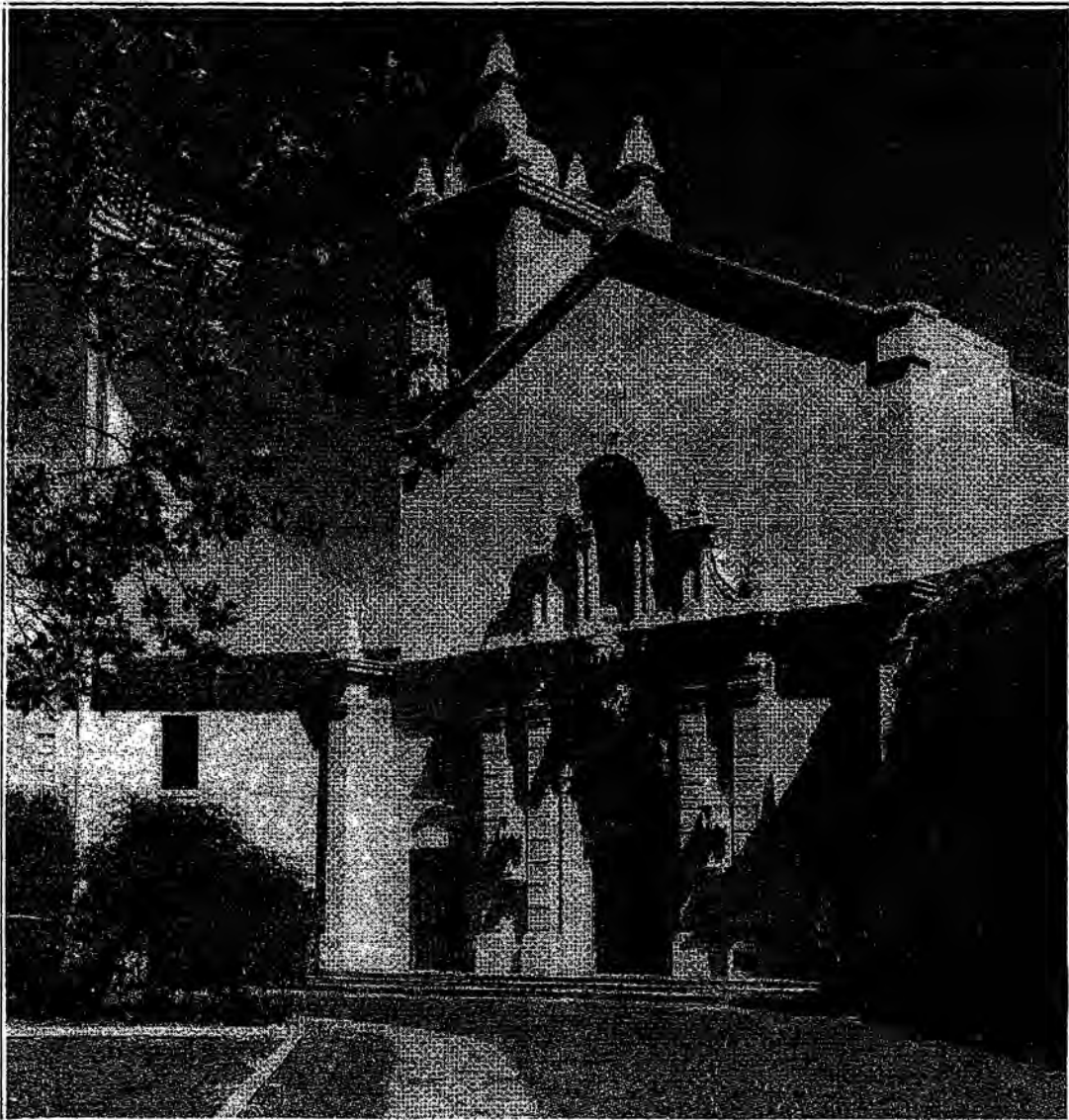








*Christian Brothers High School*  
*Class of 1949*



*Sixty-Fifth Year Reunion*  
*May 16, 2014*



## *Class Members, Spouses, and Guests in Attendance*

*J. Richard and Angela Brown*  
*Shirley Brown*  
*Robert Caetano and Lisette Dart*  
*Manuel Cazares*  
*Msgr. James Church*  
*Bob Cooke*  
*Bill and Marilyn Craig*  
*Joseph Franzella*  
*Eugene and Marilyn Fenech*  
*Alan Guttman*  
*Msgr. Edward Kavanaugh*  
*Jerry and Linda Kaeser*  
*Bart and Barbara Lagomarsino*  
*Carl Lang*  
*Patricia Lysaght*  
*Pat Melarkey*  
*Ray Molina*  
*George Radovich*  
*Jim Scherer*  
*Ken Schneringer and Pam and Gary Baker*

## *Members Not in Attendance*

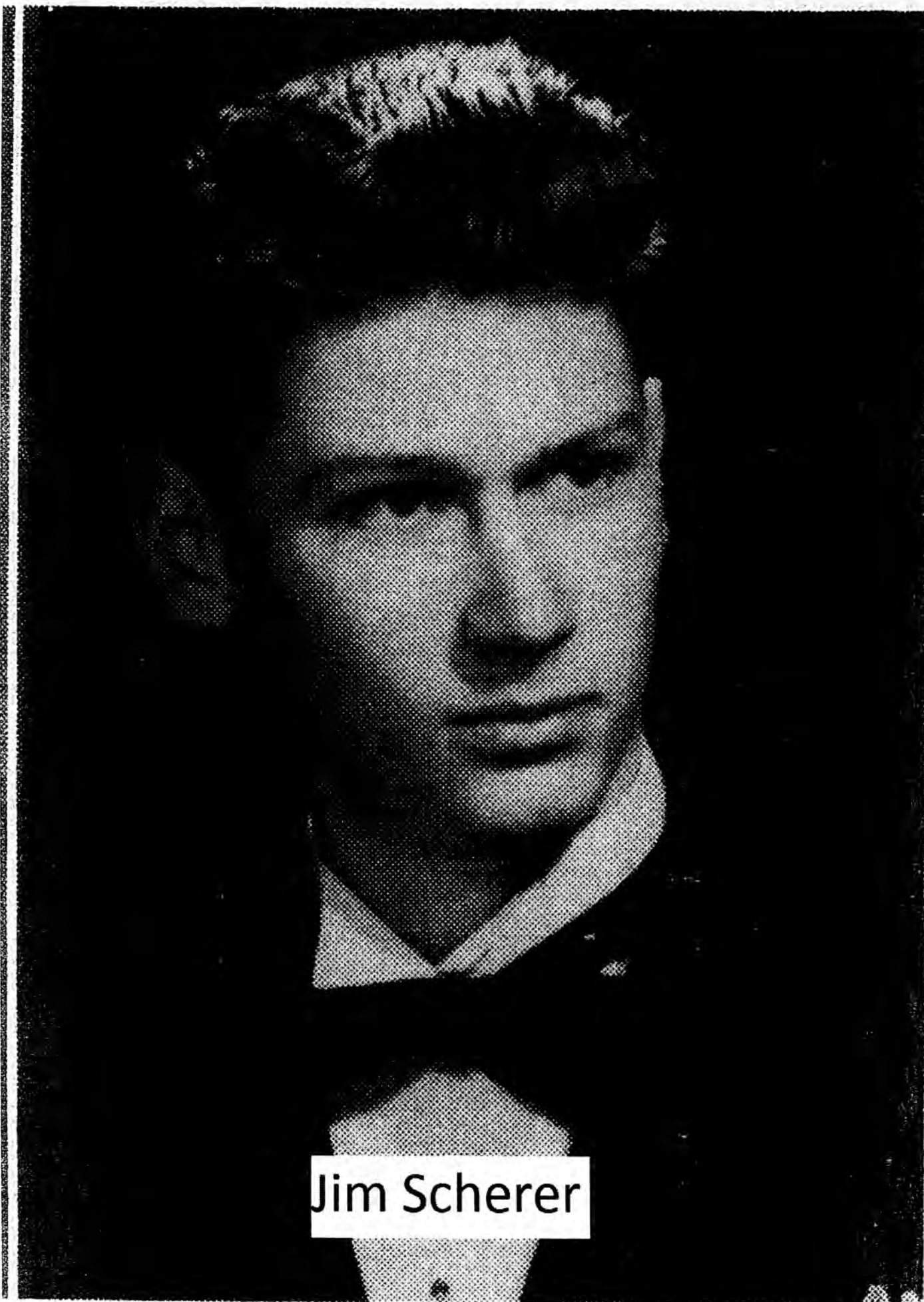
*The committee contacted the following class members or their family. Several are unable to attend because of problems with health.*

Jack Besso	Joe Kirrene	Leon Shepard
Gene Enos	Don Koball	George Silvers
Bill Henderson	Jack Noss	Bob Winchell
	Jerry Robinson	

*Although the committee has contact information for Paul Derdowski and Ken Royer, we were unable to connect with them. The committee does not know the status of Joe Chavez, Mario De Leon, Roberto Morataya, or Jack Murphy.*

*In Memoriam*  
*Our Departed Classmates*

<i>Joe Aloe</i>	<i>Bob Lehtola</i>
<i>Al Anicich</i>	<i>George Lodi</i>
<i>Al Babayco</i>	<i>John Lysaght</i>
<i>Jerry Barden</i>	<i>John Mason</i>
<i>Albie Brown</i>	<i>Ron Massa</i>
<i>John Cerrutti</i>	<i>Bill Mulderrig</i>
<i>Joe Concannon</i>	<i>Dave O'Sullivan</i>
<i>Joe Crane</i>	<i>Vic Parino</i>
<i>John Frommelt</i>	<i>John Sinor</i>
<i>Earl Gabrielli</i>	<i>Don Stommel</i>
<i>Bill Gabrielli</i>	<i>Wayne Taylor</i>
<i>Cliff Haskell</i>	<i>Fred Tucker</i>
<i>Ted Hopkins</i>	<i>Bill Weubble</i>
<i>Don Knezovich</i>	<i>Jack Wirts</i>
<i>Jim Lagomarsino</i>	<i>Felix Zerba</i>



Jim Scherer





## Meeting folks ...

With several organizations and many individual students helping to provide entertainment and social activities, the school year of 1948-49 has been a very active one.

Through the efforts of the Interscholar Council, in its initial year of existence, many more activities than in recent years were afforded Brothers' students with less responsibilities falling on our own student government. Each school gets more accomplished with less effort, through this medium, so ICS is evidently here to stay. Four rallies and a skating party were put on by the Council along with a forum on racial prejudice. The forum was held on May 15th at St. Francis High School and had an intellectual as well as social significance.

In strictly Brothers' events, orchestra dances, five in number, were held throughout the two semesters, giving plenty of that type of entertainment.

The third annual Sophomore Hop, "It's Magic", was held on December 11th. The dance committee, composed of Jim Westlake, Bruce Wood, Joe Compagno, Lawrence Santos-Coy, and Mike Hanly, was under the direction of Brother Philip. The La Salle Club Frolic, April 22nd, was under the leadership of Brother Eugene. These two dances along with "Shine", sponsored by

the first semester Student Council, were held in the school gymnasium and were given much preparation and elaborate decorations. On April 30th the juniors held their prom, "Dreamtime", at the Tuesday Club House. Co-chairmen were Jim Church of 3A and Burt Strickley of 3B. Others in charge of arrangements were Bruce Julian, Kelly Ogle, Gene Anderson, Dennis Donovan and Richard O'Day of 3A; and Marvin Neves, Dan Lahey, John Brereton, Al Marty, and Junior DeFazio of 3B. The Senior Ball arrangements were tentative at this writing but the preferred location was the Elks' Club Mirror Room, and the affair was to be a formal dinner dance. Orchestras playing for these engagements were Russ Kline, Forest Long, and Gordon Marvin.



# The Year

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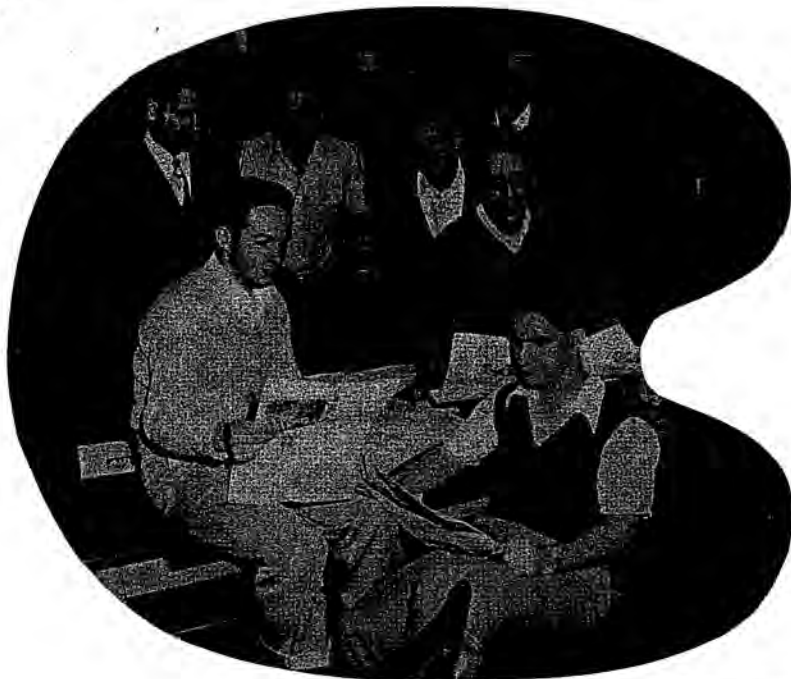
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Assistants: Donald Criss, James Seeber.

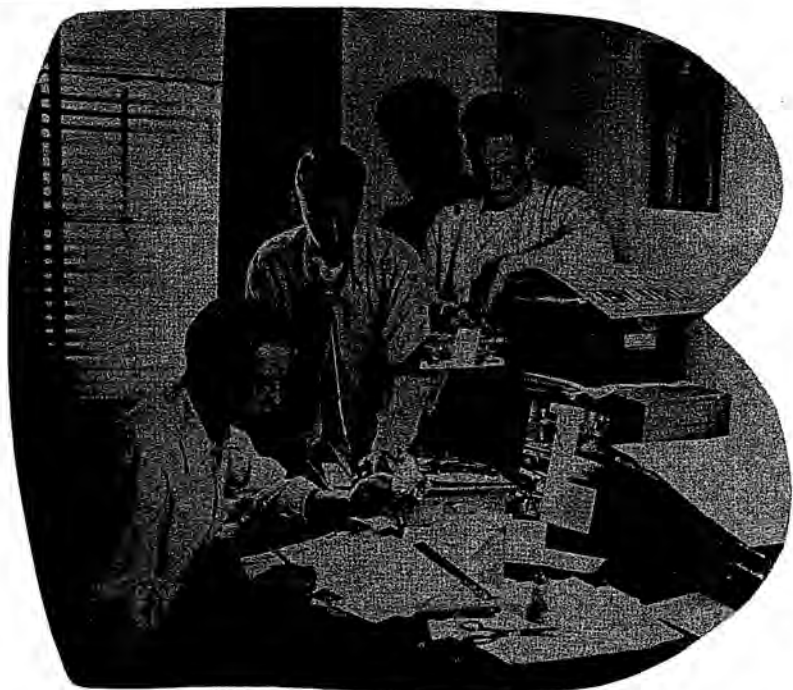
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*Gael newspaper staff.* Seated, left to right: Dennis Donovan, feature editor; George Radovich, sports editor; Bruce Julian and Eugene Fenech, makeup. Standing: Mr. Marco Smolich, moderator; Jerry Robinson, editor - in - chief; James Church, Richard O'Day and Robert Pechacek.

*Gael senior souvenir editors.* Left to right: Wayne Taylor, art editor; James Scherer, photography editor; Jerry Robinson, editor-in-chief.



## *Writing...*

Under the editorship of Jerry Robinson and Dennis Donovan during the first and second semesters respectively, the *Gael* maintained its traditionally high journalistic standards, ranking high in competition with other Catholic high school papers.

Other members of the staff included: George Radovich and Bruce Julian, sports editors; Richard O'Day, feature editor; George Costa, Wayne Taylor and Mario De Leon, artists; Eugene Fenech, makeup; George Ambrose, circulation; and Mr. Marco Smolich, faculty advisor.

This senior souvenir was lithographed this year. Jim Scherer, photography editor, made most of the photograph prints; while Wayne Taylor, art editor, drew the sports page cartoons. George Costa drew the page emblems and the cover design. Writers included Bob Caetano, John Sinor, Al Babayco, Jack Wirts, Bart Lagomarsino, Bruce Julian, Jim Church and Gerald Mernin. Typists included George Lodi, Eugene Fenech and Jack Besso.