

casual celebration for some A-2'ers this past Dec following their grad from IOAC. **Beth (Schleeter) & Mike Ferrier** attended, along with the family of **Pete & Beth Bechtel** and bachelor **Jim Casey**. Mike, Jim, and Scott finished IOAC in Dec 91. Before the casual, joint reunion/Christmas celebration, Mike and Jim had served in the desert with the 101st and Scott with the 7th ID. Presently (Apr), Scott is a Plt trainer at IOBC and is going somewhere for his next asgmt. Mike is an S-1 for the Ranger Training Bde while awaiting his cmd. Jim headed for the Bradley Cnd Course following IOAC and by now has finished Ranger Sch??? and is working at NTC. Pete had attended an earlier IOAC course, grad in time to go to the desert with the 197th Inf, and is now back at Benning as a Bn S-4 with the 3-24 Inf and, like Mike, is awaiting his cmd. Pete's family is 4-strong, having added a son in Mar 92.



1986: Tim Ford's wedding

Other A-2'ers Scott mentioned were **Tim Ford**, who is stationed at Benning and working with the Bradley NETT team. Tim got married last fall, with **Jim Casey** serving as his best man. Scott also stopped by Ft Knox on his way to Benning last yr, visiting **Don Groom** and his family. At the time Don was ending a basic tug crs while **Kathy** was busy with med sch, preparing to become an Army dr. **Todd Brown** was seen buying Ranger tabs at the Benning PX before heading to HI.



1986: A-2 Spartans, Dec 91

Cl VP Rich Cabaldon & Becky send greetings from Aschaffenburg. After completing IOAC with orders in hand for Vicenza after Ranger, Jumpmaster and Pathfinder schs, Rich's plans were changed to the 7th Replacement Corps for the Big Storm. After the war, Rich & Becky took leave, hanging out and working out at Ft Benning in hopes of gaining a ranger slot, since his slot was given away. Long story short: Rich was assigned to MII-COM (now BSB, Base Spt Bn) for 4 mos, taking end of B Co 1-7 Inf in Dec 91, only to be told in early Mar that his outfit and unit

were drawing down. So, after 7 mos of cmd, Rich goes to ITT and waits in line for another cmd to get branch qualified. Rich, we hope all worked out.

Steve Moniz visited Rich in late Mar during his PCS leave from Bragg to Campbell on his way to the 5th Gp. They had a great time visiting Rothenburg and drinking Black Forest "tarts" at the Rhein Main O Club.

Kirk Gill is out of the Army and, I believe, is following the same track as so many of you, selling pharmaceutical drugs. If that's not correct, let me know, Kirk. If it is, then send me something for my stress!

Mikey Haydak is with the 21D in Korea and loving it. He finished taking inventory back in Feb (like so many of us do on a daily basis) and is now ending A Co, 1-506 Inf. Mikey was back stateside last yr to attend **Rob Roggeman's** wedding in MA to a beautiful lady named Lisa. They then returned to Camp Casey, Korea, where Rogge was the BMO of the 1-72nd AR and by now should be a cmdr in the same unit.

Dan Sauter is also in Korea, ending D Btry, 5-5th ADA and should be married by now, since Jul was the shotgun date.

Joe Glesson will attend grad sch upon finishing his cmd with B Co, 44th Engr on his way to be a WP instructor.

Rick Lange is doing well in NYC. He just concluded temping with MTV and is busy networking in the Big Apple. He looks great, feels confident and is dating an exquisite girl named Roe. I stayed with Rick for the first few wks in Jun before returning to G'ville to teach tennis for 6 wks after taking an 8-yr sabbatical. After the tennis, I'm off to NYC to start my career in media planning—please note the address change for the upteenth time.

Ltrs were a bit better this time, but still not up to par for this Cl. People, write me. Tell me a story, give us some insight to life, love, happiness... etc. For example, "when X & I traveled to Paris while stationed in Frankfurt, God blessed us with magnificent weather, making our afternoon on the Eiffel Tower peacefully relaxing. After soaking up unexpected Feb sunrays, we ate French cuisine with the driest bottle of white wine we've ever tasted, dryer than any champagne we've ever tasted. After the meal, we headed back to our hotel across from the Centrum Pomme-due and were mugged." Just tell us a story!

Hope everyone is happy and content, 'cause with faith and God's grace and a little effort on our part, ultimately life can be good. Take care.

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Haven't received many ltrs lately. Most of us are either in a PCS move to the adv course or transitioning out of the Army. **Phil Rufe** wrote from VA, where he is touring the local grad schs. Phil ran into **Dewey Sutton** at the transition point; Dewey is headed back to the fin and sun of AZ. **Chris & Wendy Anstead** are living down in FL, where Chris works for

a pharmaceutical co. **Darren Aleh** is working for the same pharmaceutical co but in a LA branch. **Tyler Randolph** married **Tracey Tanner** in Jul 90 and is now going to law sch on the Army and expects to be a JAG off in a few yrs. Thanks for the info, Phil.

Keep writing and take care.

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We have had a few more weddings in the Cl. **Mike Murphy** sent me this pic of himself & **Lisa Liestmann** as they joined the 2% club on 26 Oct 91. The ceremony was held in El Paso, TX at St Patrick's Cathedral, and several of Mike's D-3 co-mates were in attendance. **Myles Bartley** was the best man, while **Tony Gaines** and **Jim Lincoln** were the groomsmen. **Lou Jackson**, **Chris Aune**, **Jim Payne** and **Brian Wofford**, who also is married, were there to witness the nuptials.



1990: Lisa & Mike Murphy

Mary & Matt Green were married at Ft Knox, KY on 31 Aug 91. **Bruce Vanderbush** was the best man, and **John Kennedy**, **Frank Auguston**, **Brian & Becky Cook**, **John Morgan**, **John Richardson**, and **John Korfmacher** were there to celebrate. **Matt & Mary** live at Ft Riley, where Matt is the XO for A/1-34 AR.



1990: Mary & Matt Green