

Wayne & Laura Lowe are off to grad sch (MIT, RPI or Cornell) in Jun; Wayne will study physics (do you remember teaching me all about the theory of gravity?). The G-3 'Phers continue to multiply: **Terry & Deb Sellers** were blessed with the birth of Lindsay in Oct 92, and **Alec & Yon Alessandra** had their second child, Michelle, in Nov. Finally, Laura's hinting that she & Wayne might be entering the parenthood mkt soon! Best wishes at sch.

Bob Goodrich is doing well in Berlin as he prepares to take his second cmd in Mar. I guess **Bill Both** and **Doug Stewart** both have finished successful Infco cmds and will be off to CAS3 in the near future.

Dave Taylor invites anyone needing assistance in economics to send him your homework as long as you are prepared to sign a proper acknowledgement statement. He is currently finishing up his PhD at U of OR in econ, where he has been studying for 3 yrs. He sends his best to all I-beamers, "Twinkie" and "Killer!"

Rod & Jean Apfelbeck were blessed with their first son, Patrick, in late 91 and continue to live around the Cincinnati area, where Rod is doing really well for Fifth Third Bank. He rep that **Eric Benson** and **Russ Stewart** are also in the bank in other depts. He ran into **Ralph Corradi**, who is completing his MBA at Dartmouth, and also knows that **Jay Daily** and **Charlie Rogers** are both out selling...something or other. Rod reminded me of something: Please update your addresses at AOG so that everyone can find you!



1985: The Apfelbecks at Christmas 92

Corky (Hall), Ed and Rachel **Fox** are doing well. Ed is finishing up his MBA at Northwestern, and Corky is working at Abbott labs as a manufacturing supervisor. Rachel is growing fast and probably will start pre-sch next yr. They welcome all visitors to the Windy City...which reminds me, have you all heard the rumor that Mike Ditka might take the head coach spot at WP?

Ken & Deb (Green) McDonald are doing well at Ft Campbell after playing Army roulette with asgmts since they were assigned to Ft Devens prior to the Gulf War. Ken volunteered to go and serve and ended up taking cmd of D Co, 20th Engrs while in Saudi. He then went to Ft Campbell after redeploying and, fortunately, with a lot of luck (and spt from the man upstairs), Deb was able to get reassigned to Ft Campbell as well. They both are headed for grad sch and then to Woops, where he will be assigned to the Environmental Engr Dept and Deb will work in Admissions. They rep that **Todd Hetherington** is doing great in real estate in Alexandria, VA; **Greg & Jane Kropkowski** are still in CO Springs; and **Rod & Jan Goodman** are doing fine with their boy Benjamin, also in Alexandria. I might add that Ken represented Ft Campbell as a team mbr in the US Army "Best Ranger" competition this past yr. Engrs continue to dominate the Ranger world. Whoohah!

Got a great ltr from our classmate, 1LT **Julius Flores (A-3)**, who has been serving in the Philippine Army since 85. He is doing great despite some fascinat-

ing experiences that you might imagine, given the political situation in PI lately. He sends his love to all and a special hello to the Spiderman and Squirrel. Join me in prayer so that Julius may be reunited with his family soon in NY.



1985: Deb and daughter Anna, 92



1985: 1LT & Mrs Julius Flores and son

Finally, **Jim Tully** wrote, doing well with Orion, and mentioned that **Angie (Messer) Cleghorn** has joined the firm in Austin, TX. Pictured is Jim with his son, seemingly playing innocently with trains...but really planting thoughts of airborne sch in the boy!



1985: "Like father...like son"

Well, that's all, and I am forever thankful. Keep 'em coming! One last note—a LT from '91 is writing a book about the greatest pranks ever pulled at the Acad. If you would like to provide some "raw" footage/material, please send it to me and I will forward it along. Who knows, you might even become famous.... You have my best, '85!

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You should be reading this en route to our reunion. **Chris Anstead** called from FL the other day with quite a list of who's where. **Dan Rice** is in L.A., living a block from Manhattan Beach and working for a med supply co. **Bill Bonacker** is at Ft Stew as an asst S-3. **John Girsch** is in Law Sch at U of WI. **Walt Fry** is at Ft McMuffin doing that AOC thing. **Darren Alch** works for Pfizer in AL. **Ken Allen** is working in Atl and is married to **Meg**. Congrats. **Craig Hurley** is getting his MBA at UT. **Bernie Lee** is pre-med at NYU. **Tony Aguto** is at Knox for OA. **Chris & Rick Meyer** are in the FRG for skiing and shopping.



1988: Jerry & Trudy's wedding at West Point

Jerry Kobylski dropped a note and this pic from Ft Hood. Jerry & **Trudy** enjoyed a very long courtship while Trudy finished med sch. Jerry cmds A Co, 8th Engr Bde, and Trudy is working pediatrics at the local hosp. **Steve Hart** and **Dave Sommerness** recently arrived in the Killeen area.

Jim Brown has been quite busy since he got out in Jan 92. He was selected as a Root-Tilden-Snow Scholar at NYU Sch of Law, accepted at the Harvard Business Sch for his MBA studies and worked as a regional campaign mgr for the Perot Presidential Campaign. Jim also became the godfather of the **Harringtons'** baby boy, which is about as close as Jim wants to get to children right now. **Mike East**, **Jeff Toomer** and **Darren Sumpter** are back at WP in Project Outreach in the Admissions ofc. **John Lindsay** married **Ginger** on 19 Dec. **Cecilia Knecht** is out, married and teach-

ing sch in HI. **Frank Tate** is at Bragg, flying Kiowa Warriors, and should take cmd in the spring. **Brian Chee** is doing well in Chicago, working for Baxter Med and squaring away his new condo. **Merritt Alberti** works on Capital Hill selling computerized voter info. **Jim Gallante** is a first-yr law guy in Georgetown. **Kim Knur** and **Jeff Abramson** are also at Georgetown. Kim is doing the law sch thing at night, and Jeff is getting his master's in NSPA. **John & Nancy** had Thomas Butler **Green** this last spring. John, Nancy and Thomas are at Campbell, along with **Bob Schroder**.

Gene Martin is also in FLEP at NY State in Buffalo. **Phil Rufe** has long hair and beard as he goes incognito at James Madison U. Tyler wanted me to put out an APB on **Trevor Shaw**.

Gotta go. I will try to have a table set up at the reunion with past pix. Stop by, say hi and pick up your picture.

See ya at the reunion.

Keep writing and take care.



1988: Army/Navy, Ft Benning

Doug Crissman sent a pic from the A/N party. The studs in the pic are all in one IOAC CI or another and will be doing the staff and cmd thing. **Doug & Carolyn** had a baby 30 Dec 92. **Garrett Mitchell Crissman** weighed 7 1/2 lbs and arrived just in time for the tax deduction. (That last sentence was a direct quote.)



1988: Tyler & Tracey Randolph

Tyler Randolph sent this pic and some info. Tyler is still at UVA in FLEP. Note the long hair in the pic.

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Greetings to all '89'ers out there. Hope you are all enjoying PCS'ing, AOC or civ life. I've got a lot to tell.

Doug & Chris Vinson send best wishes from Charlotte, NC, where Doug is mking dir for a civ engring firm and he & Chris are building a new house. They say **Chris Johnson** married **Mariela Castro** on 2 Jan 93. Chris is in law sch at U of Miami. **Scott "Scooter" Henderson** dropped by and accompanied Doug & Chris to the Army-Wake Forest game. Scooter is working in Pensacola, FL with his dad. Good luck to newlyweds Chris & Mariela and thanks to Doug & Chris for the nice ltr!

Lars Danner sends his best from Texas U Law Sch. Lars hung up the Army Blue in Sep 92 but stays in touch with **Doug Misenko** and **Mike Ball**, both of whom are in 1-82 FA at Ft Hood. Doug is HHC XO and Mike is S-2. Lars also rep that **Randy DeSoto** is hitting the books at law sch. (Aside: If many more of our CI go to law sch, I propose we change our motto to "We Strengthen the Bar.") Thanks, Lars, and good luck to you!

Andy & Amy (Blanchard) Efav wrote of their recent Tour de Denmark on bikes with their daughter Alexandra. They rode 350 mi in 10 days—Amy, if you weren't doing it, I'd ask what's wrong! Amy writes that **Mike & Karen (Dunn) Braun** are now in Gainesville,

FL, where Mike is deputy sheriff. Also, **Chuck & Kim (Blacker) Tully** are at their advanced courses (Eng & Avn), then headed for Ft Lewis.



1989: The Efaws biking through Denmark

John & Raffaella Seamon sent a ltr from Ft Lewis, where John is FIST for B/2-75 Rangers. They married on 23 Jul 92 in Italy, where they met. John was formerly assigned to Vicenza. John says Raffaella speaks fluent Italian, English, French, German and Dutch, and she is finishing her doctoral thesis in linguistics at the U of Padua. Also, John says, "Her mom loves me because I always clean my plate, and her dad loves me because I have bigger rifles than he does."



1989: John & Raffaella Seamon at their wedding on 23 Jul 92, Pescara, Italy

At Ft Lewis, **John** sees a lot of **Pete Patacsil**, **Eric Chilian**, **Dave Blain**, **Mike Opitz** and **Kyle Lear**, all of whom are in 2d Bat. John also rep that longtime buddy **Drew Bartkiewitz** is now attending Yale, working on his MBA. Thanks for the ltr, John. Good luck to you and Raffaella, and I'll never let you forget the stationery!

Jeff & Mary Ann Daws announce the birth of their son Andrew on 9 Nov 92 (pic next page). The ltr is postmarked from Waco, TX, but there are no further details. OK, Jeff, tell us the rest—what are you doing? Is it fun? etc. Congrats to the Dawses and Andrew.

Bill "Pee Wee" Harmon has traded in his Stealth for a Corvette, finished up at Ft Hood as 1-7 Cav FSO, returned to FAOAC and grown two inches. Hey, now that's a SITREP! Bill says **Bill "Bubble Head" Moore** is now a salesman of industrial packaging in S CA. Well, Pee Wee, I'll buy when we meet since you can't afford it with that 'vette payment!

Adrienne (Ruggles) Eckstein writes from Ft Benning, where she is assigned to 43 Engr Bde. She says **Lynn Breen** married **Shawn Cowley** ('91) in Dec 91. Lynn is currently XO of C/43 in Somalia. **Brett** is XO of A/43, also in Somalia. **Tonya** is a RN at the Benning Hosp. **Amy Bennett** returned from Korea, is now SIGO in 2d LACR at Ft Lewis and will travel with the unit to Ft Polk. Adrienne married **Jeff Eckstein** ('85) in May 92.