



▲ 1987—
Janet
(Taylor) &
Milo Brdar
take the kids
for a jaunt on
a family
dromedary.

► 1987—
Chris '84 &
Tracey
(Miller)
Richardson
with Michael
Joseph.



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Greetings to all! By the time you read this most of you will be enjoying a lovely spring. Unless you live up here in the Northcountry like we do, in which case, it may still be snowing! Lyle is off at Ft. Pickett doing high-speed Infantry company commander stuff, so here I go again.

In a letter from Louis Schroeder '59, WPS of Denver VP, we received a photo of Sean Granger, Alan Hinkle, and Greg Louks from last year's FD. Greg is the AOG Director of Organizational Support. After hiking up Pike's Peak with Alan, Greg gave an excellent presentation to the Society's Board on how AOG supports WP Societies. They were all very impressed. Way to go, Greg!

Darren Sumter writes from Union City, GA, where he works for A.T. Kearney, a management consulting firm. Darren took his UH-1 platoon to Saudi, returned to complete the Apache course and got an attack platoon. After working at WP Admissions he decided to go for his MBA at Harvard. He sent a photo of the 1995 Harvard Business School graduation. Shown are Dean Dorman '86, Geoffrey Farrell '87, Jim Brown, Darren, Dave Ehllis, Reynaldo Reza '84, Dave Wams '90, and Greg Chandler '89. Jim Brown was their class pres! Way to go, guys. Jim is going on to NYU to finish a law degree. Former "Star Man" Dave Ehllis achieved 1st-year academic honors. Dave is moving to Texas to work for Enron. Darren is married to '90 grad Carol Johnson and has a son Nick.



▲ 1987—Hey, "Kegs," what's next?
GQ? Time? Harvard Business Review?

Got a letter from Tim Isacco after what sounded like a huge G-1 reunion at the Outer Banks in North Carolina. You probably saw the photo in the last *ASSEMBLY*. Somehow they got separated; sorry, Tim! Pete Bickford, who lives in Cols, OH, and works as a sales rep for Westvaco Paper, was in charge of finding a house and setting up the big shindig with Paul Bento. Paul & Janet live in Harrison, NJ, where he works as a corp lawyer in NYC and jets off to Portugal and Brazil on a regular basis. Mike Tetu joined the fun from Ft. Riley where he is a commander and en route to Bragg for a 2d command. Sean Deller came up on his Harley from Ft. Stewart, where he's Bn S-4 for a helo unit. Dean & Amy Hughes came from Des Moines, where he's a sales rep for Astra-Merk Pharm and she juggles taking care of their two kids and teaching kindergarten. Vic Mondo & his then-fiancée (now wife) Mary came from Scranton, where Vic is a sales rep for an industrial equipment company. Chris & Renee West drove from Raleigh, where he works for Park Pharm and she for Wachovia Bank. Greg McClellan & his fiancée Joliet were able to come up for dinner from McClean, VA. Matt & Nancy Anderson couldn't make the trip from Ft. Lewis, where Matt is the Bn FSO for 2-7 Inf. Also missing were Bill & Karen (Schemmel) Soscia. Bill is finishing up med school in Florida and Karen just gave birth to baby Sarah and still finds time to work out and sell real estate. Tim & Tracy also were there from Cincinnati, OH. Tracy works for American Express Financial Planning and Tim works for Orion Consulting Group placing officers leaving the service with industry. So if anyone needs a job . . .

Tyler Randolph just finished the bar and is headed to JAG OBC. BUMMER after being in for 7 years! He and his family are headed to Ft. Campbell after OBC. Air Assault! (Table salt . . .) Sorry, temporary Buckner flashback.

Got a letter from Dan Larson, who's in Monterey at NPGS living the good life. He

started in Germany, went to Desert Storm, to Korea (for command in 2ID), then to Bragg and the 96th CA Bn. Being CA he deployed to El Salvador and Panama. After grad school he will be at DLI for Japanese and on to the land of the rising sun for two years. He says he spends a lot of time on "tan maintenance" and keeping in shape for triathlons. Rough life. He had a line on John Lachsen and Andy Poppas at Bragg where they were company commanders. He is looking for Greg Anderson, Dave Anderson, Scott Clarlie, Jorge Martin, Leo Buzzerio, and John Egan. If anyone knows their whereabouts, please contact him. We have his address, so just call.

Dave & Kelley Hathaway are the proud parents of baby girl Delaney. He recently changed jobs and is a project engineer for International Paper in Kenton, OH.

Alex Puig is now in the Foreign Service. After getting married to Maria, working briefly for Calgon Corp and then Scarle Labs, he is with the U.S. Consulate in Sao Paulo, Brazil, as a political attaché. He is anxious to regain contact with old USMA buds and asked that we publish his address: AMCONGEN, Sao Paulo Unit 3502, APO AA 34030. He & Maria will be there until September 1997. And, yes, Alex, it does get "that cold" here at Ft. Drum! And, no, you don't get any sympathy from us over your Rio trips and how hot it is there!

Vic Mondo is now a married man! He married Mary in October. Tim Isacco (who got tossed in a fountain) was his best man and Frank Maresco and Ray Griffiths were in the wedding party. Also in attendance were Pete Finken, Pete Bickford, Dan Picking, Greg McClellan, Mark Jones, and Paul Bento. Lee Bentley (who left yuk year to attend NC State and is married) also was there. Vic is company commander of E 1/109th Inf in the PA NG. Give us a call if your AT brings you our way!

Lyle & I were able to witness the November nuptials of Mike Hawn. We thought he was a confirmed bachelor for life, but he gave it up for a great lady in Elizabeth. Lyle and Frank Maresco were in the wedding. We all had a great time even though our son Kevin got the chicken pox in Iowa! Mike & Elizabeth are currently in the DC area attending FAO language training in Romanian.

We have received a number of letters asking about sending and receiving *ASSEMBLY* info via the Internet. Unfortunately, the Caddell household is not yet that high-speed. AOG, however, is a step ahead. They have a home page at URL <<http://www.aog.usma.edu>>. From there you can access copies of *First Call*, *Perspectives*, and *Class Pages*, as well as finding info on a variety of alumni services. AOG even has a relocation service open to all grads; call 800 353-6396 or e-mail <AOG@Gloriod.com>. John Norton has even created a home page for our class. It lists all members of '88 by company and includes known e-mail addresses. He also says we have our own class conference. I'm not sure exactly what that is, but for those of you who are with-it 90s folks, go to it! Thanks to Todd Hecker (currently completing his MBA in Knoxville) and to John Norton (Director of

Operations for Computer Technology Services in Aiken, SC) for pestering us to get in to the 90s. John also sent me a copy of his E-3 newsletter. If you're a computer wizard you can get it from John's home page at <<http://www.GroupZ.nct/~jfnorton/>>.



◀ 1988—Denver FD—Sean Granger, Greg Louks, and Alan Hinkle.

▶ 1988—Mary & Vic Mondo.



▼ 1988—Vic's Wedding Party, and he means party.



▶ 1988—Class of 1995 Harvard Business School.



As for the **Caddells**, Lyle gives up command in May and sometime in the next year we will head to DLI. Lyle got FAO for his FA and eventually the Army plans to send us to Morocco.

What a wild ride the Army is! Until next time. Take care and God Bless.

▶ 1988—Mike & Elizabeth Hawn, Frank Moveso, and the Caddells.



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Greetings to all who *Strengthen the Line*. Thanks for the support when you notice the rare empty column; makes me feel like most of y'all still remember me.

Received word from **Kevin & Kellie Meehan**. Kev received the Itschner Award for the best sapper company in the Army, then won an Olmstead Scholarship to go to Jerusalem in August. Their son Brandon is enjoying life in Oceanside, CA. Kev also reports that **Doug Peterson** is a commander at Bragg, as is **Tim Keating**. **Mark MacGregor** commands 536th En Co in Panama. **Rob Klucik** is currently working in New York in some type of engineering (with that Portuguese concentration). **Billy Wade Mahoney** lives in Texas and is trying to go to med school. **John & Diane (Bodnar) Nelson** are in grad school in Oregon en route to WP—BS&L, I believe. Thanks for the letter, Kev, and good luck in Jerusalem.

Dave & Kim (Barton) Sokol send their best from Dover, DE. They both work for Milliken & Michaels Inc., a commercial credit service. Kim has been office controller and Dave, sales manager. They had a son, Matthew, on 9 Nov 95, who was 10 lbs. 6 oz. and 22½ inches. Kim now stays home with Matthew. **Dave & Sue Ann Reichard** are in Philadelphia, where

he is a consulting engineer for Trauner Consulting Services.

Paul & Julie Reilly are in Norfolk, VA, where he works for SciMed as a surgical equipment salesman. **Susan Young** hung up the BDUs and now works for Frito-Lay in Salt Lake City. **John & Melissa Oliver** moved to California, where he is an executive in the Carrier AC company. Johnny O previously graduated with an MBA from Yale. In October 1995, they had son John Patrick. **Kevin & Jackie Nikodym** moved to San Antonio and had son Jeremy in August 1995. **John Wildermuth** got his MBA from Duke and is an investment banker in Tampa. **Mike Minogue** is an account executive for GE Med Services in Newport Beach, CA. **Cliff & Linda Lairson** live with their 3 children in Chicago. Thanks for all the poop, Dave & Kim. Hope y'all stay in touch.

Dave & Jane (Brady) Doucette are really enjoying the lovely winter in Rochester, NY. This June, Dave will complete his MBA at the Simon School, while Jane will finish hers in June 1997. Their son, David, is now 3 and pelting Jane with snowballs (remember they used to cost an 8 and 4?). Dave will work for First Empire State Corp (an M&T bank) near Buffalo. Jane reports that **Jon & Jane (Hitchcock) Boyer** are working near Chicago and enjoying life. Also, Jane would like to hear from **Tonya (Check) Carter**—e-mail her at <doucetteja@mail.ssb.rochester.edu>. Thanks for the letter, Jane, and keep up the good work.

John & Lise Everhart report the birth of their daughter Kristin Nicole on 9 Feb 95. John then accepted a job in Des Moines

with Invista Capital Management. They are still settling in the new house, and we all wish them well. Thanks for the card.

How about the **Boltucs**? Well, 3d ACR is now all moved to Ft. Carson. Marna & I have a nice house near USAFA—hope to be the ORP for some Army spirit missions next fall. Our son Joseph had his first birthday on 27 Feb. He's a great little boy and seems to enjoy the Colorado cold. Also with us in the regiment are **Darryl & Karyn Hernandez**, **Jesus & Gloria Aguirre**, **Nick & Cindy Reisdorff**, and **Wiley Thompson**. Around Ft. Carson I've seen **Todd Kobberdahl** and **Kevin Lingov**.

GRIPES & RUMORS. Heard Steve "Milldeew" Miller's company shot a promotional of him riding to work on his Harley in a Brooks Brother suit . . . Seems **Bob Sutter** is working for Texas Instruments and designing a hand-held that will just leave the old HP-15C in the dust . . . Speaking of motorcycles, I've been told that **Sue Young** is a closet Harley rider and wants to one day sponsor SSOACMO (Secret Society of Cadet Motorcycle Operators) . . . and just in, rumor has it that **Quentin C.W. Misenheimer** is beefing up to compete in next year's Mr. Olympia contest. Supposedly, Misen is now spending hours each day in the gym "pumping up."

That's all for now. [Nate, your letter was late; I'll get it in next time.] Please check out my new address and phone. Give me a call. Otherwise, see you in the field of in the club.

Brave Rifles. *We Strengthen the Line.*