

a guard unit in Houston.

**Paula (Gilkey) White** once again thanks the class for all its well-wishes. Unfortunately, **Tim** had a relapse. His doctor tried a new type of chemotherapy that was ineffective. As of this writing, they were going down to UT San Antonio to check out possible investigational drugs. Please keep the Whites in your thoughts and prayers. All the best for a great summer.

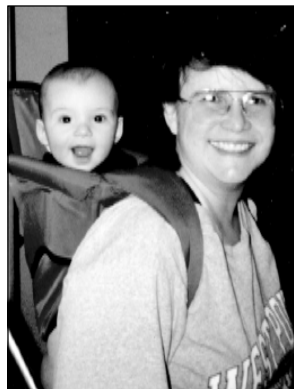
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I apologize for my absence the past two issues. We have some photos and a quick update this issue. Some long overdo photos of the Watson family.

**Donna (Miller) Sweeney** sent a nice letter from WP where her husband **Brian '86** is a "P" in the physics dept. Donna earned an MS in biology from SUNY, New Paltz, last May. She & Brian had their first child shortly thereafter. Jason Bertram Sweeney began his WP debut at 7 lbs., 8 oz. on 21 Jun 99.



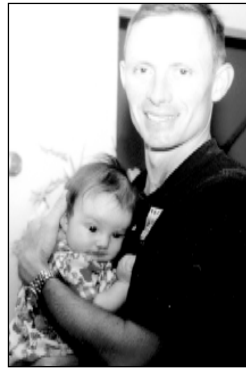
1988—Donna and Jason Bertram at WP.

That's kind of light to be starting Beast Barracks isn't it? Donna enjoys being a mom and compiles a long list of "the Corps has" stories to keep Jason e n t e r t a i n e d .

### Heidi

**(Kuebler) Kras & Bill** introduced Billy Kras to the world in December. Billy was an answer to long-awaited prayers. The Kras are doing fine and enjoying their home in upstate New York.

**Jack Amberg** sends regards from New Mexico. Jack is living large with his two daughters and beautiful wife as they prepare to step into the looking glass at Ft. Leavenworth in June. Jack will earn his MBA from Eastern NMU this May and then concentrating on rehabbing his knee after the third reconstructive surgery. Just



1988—The proud dad. Bob with special delivery Gabrielle Watson in their rockbound highland delivery room.

gotta do it the hard way, don't ya, Jack?

Now some news from North Africa (yes, that is where Tunisia is located). **Cathy & I** lost a child after some complications in the first trimester. Definitely earned my vote against socialized medicine with that one. Fortunately, both of our mothers were here



1988—"Super Mom," Angela Watson, with Gabrielle.

for a visit at the time. Kind of neat how God works that stuff out, isn't it? Anyway, we head out for a tour of the Middle East in June and should be p o p p i n ' smoke for our next assignment in early August. If any of you history/mil art "P"s need some photos from the Kasserine Pass or the Mareth Line, let me know. Keep writing and God bless.



1988—Jeffrey, Lyle, and Kevin at the Tunisian Army's Museum at the Mareth Line.

## 1989

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Greetings to all who Strengthen the Line. I hope this finds you all in good health and enjoying life. By time you all read these words, I should be in the "Land of the Morning Calm" ( new mailing address and e-mail in next issue).



1989—Bob Hammond III with his dad, Bob Hammond, Jr., '66, and Jamie Danner '90.

I received e-mail from my old Camp Buckner partner in crime, **Bill Harmon**. It seems PeeWee is down in Seoul as the XO for the Deep Operations Division of the Combined J-3. Bill is in a new career field, Strategic Plans. I plan to link up with Bill soon and recount some of those adventures we braved during the Buckner timeframe. See you soon, Bill.

**Bob Hammond** sent a photo of himself and his dad at a WP Society of Philadelphia Founders Day celebration. Their guest speaker was GEN Alexander Haig '47. It sounds like they had a great turnout and some great remarks from a man who has seen and done many things. Thanks for the update, Bob. Send me some more info about the family and yourself.

Spoke to **Dave Dinger**, who is an ORSA guy at the Combat Research Analysis Center in TRADOC. He & **Brooke** and their children live on Ft. Monroe where they see **Jay Cole**, **Roger Kashaninejad**, **Eric Miller**, and **Rob Richtmyre**. Dave tells me that **Scott & Heather Telford** had a baby girl in January named Shelby. They live in Las Vegas, NV, where Scott works for the county as a civil engineer. Dave also said he has located our long lost Beast roommate, **Jim Boehl**. Herr Boehl is a resident at Johns Hopkins, specializing in emergency medicine. Thanks for the update, Ding. I owe you one.