Guillermo stresses action
Author encourages Asians to combat racial stereotypes

By PAM CORNELL

Delivering a powerful and stirring presentation as part of Asian Awareness Week, columnist and author Emil Guillermo said in a speech last night that Asian Americans face levels of discrimination similar to other minorities.

Although there are 10 million Asian Americans in the United States, over 80 different Asian and Filipino nationalities represented, Guillermo stated, some people believe "that we're all just Chinese."

"There's no generic Asian," he stated. "It's not Asian for all." Guillermo is an "investigative humorist" for Asian Week, the New York Filipino Express, Filipinas Magazine and Northwest Asian News.

"After years of being ignored and taken for granted, after all the pent up rage, it is time to go amok," he proclaimed.

The title of his column, "Amok," is defined as rushing about in a murderous frenzy, usually with a knife. He uses the term metaphorically to describe his anger at the discrimination Asian Americans encounter every day.

Guillermo addressed several key issues which he believes to be part of "the new race politics."

On the issue of affirmative action, Guillermo feels that Asian Americans have been used and manipulated by people who want to do away with such policies. He is compounded by the belief that Asians are the "model minority stereotype" and thus, do not need programs such as affirmative action.

He also addressed the discrimination of Asian Americans to combat racial stereotypes.

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Candidates announce '97-98 presidential bids

Bobby Bonker, of Carroll Hall, and Laura Parker, of Walsh Hall.

Matt Barrette and Brian MacGy, both of Flanner Hall.

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By DEREK BETCHER

The candidates for the 1997 student body president election were announced yesterday by Jen Dovidio, the Judicial Council Election Committee chair. The tickets, with the presidential candidate's name first, are listed alphabetically.

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Candidate addresses tactical dilemma in trustee issue

By DEREK BETCHER

A statement sent Senate members checking their student government constitutions after a tie vote yesterday.

Following a heated debate of the logistics of placing a student on the University's Board of Trustees, senate members locked in an 8-8 tie on the issues of when and how to approach the trustees with their proposal. While student trustee discussion dominated the agenda, reports on academic issues and budget allocations were also presented during the meeting.

In the last two months the Oakland Unified School District (OUSD) has come under a storm of criticism for its resolution to recognize Ebonics.

The resolution, in its amended form Jan. 15, stated the intention of the school board to "devise and implement the best possible academic program for the combined purposes of facilitating the acquisition and mastery of English language skills, while respecting and embracing the legitimacy and richness of the language patterns... known as Ebonics."

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Jailed Hamas leader drops fight against extradition

NEW YORK

A jailed Hamas leader who faces terrorism charges in Israel said yesterday he would rather "suffer martyrdom" than fight extradition from the United States.

Lawyers for Mousa Mohammed Abu Marzik, 46, reluctantly lowered his instructions and Wednesday withdrew his opposition to being extradited from the U.S. District Court of Appeals. In a statement recorded on Jan. 16, Abu Marzik said he wanted the State Department to surrender him immediately to Israel. But even though he has 60 days to leave, the trial was played at a show con-
ference Wednesday.

"I am ready to go to Israel and suffer martyrdom," Abu Marzik said. "I go to join the thousands of other Palestinian prisoners in Israeli jails, almost all of whom have been tortured or humiliated and also sentenced to death, including those who have been killed fighting for a just cause."

He said his brush with the U.S. court system had proved to him that "a Palestinian and a Muslim cannot enjoy the same rights and freedom of justice as others when Israeli interests are involved."

Ultimately, I may stand a better chance before Israeli judges than before a New York judge," he added from the Metropolitan Correctional Center.

His wife, Nadia, called upon President Clinton and the State Department to release him from New York, where he had lived 13 years.

He was detained in 1995 as he returned from a trip to the Middle East.

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Campaign fundraising under scrutiny

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Gordon: Catholic, black pride ideals can coexist

By RACHEL RICHMOND

In honor of Black History Month, Greer Gordon, professor of religious studies at Regis College in Westmin, Man., gave a lecture last night about black Catholicism.

Gordon, who received her master's from Notre Dame in 1975, focused on what is unique about the black church.

"A major part of black Christianity today is the slave story, which is essential to both the descendants of slavery and those left in Africa," Gordon said.

"This is mixed with scriptural stories, particularly the Hebrew Scriptures or Old Testament. For black Christians, the New Testament is secondary to Exodus because of the story of the Israelites who were brought out of slavery by God."

The story of Hagar and Ishmael, outcomes saved by God, is significant to the suffering that blacks have experienced. The stories of suffering help to connect black Christians to the suffering of Jesus and the cross He bore.

"Do we preach the doctrine of suffering too strongly," Gordon insisted, "or without the other components (of Christianity), so it can lead to fatalism, hopelessness and depression." Using the narratives of author Kate Canon, who explained the tension between the "ethic of justice to bring the black people out of suffering." Gordon spoke of the difficulty in caring and looking for justice to bring the black people out of suffering.

"When coming to America as slaves," Gordon said, "blacks often had a negative first experience of Christianity because their previous experience of religion on them and stripped them of their African names, giving them Christian ones.

"Gradually though," she explained, "Christianity merged with African traditions.

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Ebonics. The program was dis continu ed after two years.
Ebonics arrived in California in 1981 under the guise of the Standard English Proficiency (SEP) program, with the goal of improving the language skills of African American students by offering teachers workshops on Ebonics. School districts throughout the state welcomed the program enthusiastically.

The term Ebonics was coined in 1973 by Minnesota psychologist Robert Williams. He and his colleagues felt that the African American community needed to coin a word for the language.

The word "Ebonics" was the result, derived from the words "ebony" and "phonics" literally, "black sounds."

In response to poor academic scores of African American students, the OUSD appointed a task force in July 1996. Oakland is the only school dis trict in the state of California where black students are the majority.

The task force reported its findings and recommendations on Nov. 28. The results went virtually unreported by the national news media. However, after the passing of the Dec. 18 OUSD resolution, "Ebonics" earned the attention of several national newspapers, radio and television reporters.

The resolution was denounced by African American leaders. On Jan. 15, the OUSD issued its amended resolution, yet the debate continues to rage.

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Cardinal Joseph Bernardin said in a posthumously published memoir that "certain criticisms of mine" — namely a fellow priest — helped instigate the false allegations of sexual abuse against him in 1993.

"It became clear to me that certain criticism of mine had played a role in urging Steven Cook to sue me," Bernardin writes.

During that meeting, Cook related that as a young seminarian he had been molested by a priest. Later, a lawyer put him in touch with a priest in another state to advise him spiritually.

"Although Steven was pursuing a case only against his seminary teacher, his priest adviser began mentioning me," Cardinal Bernardin said. He "could not imagine how we would resort to these tactics to harm me."

Cook eventually recanted and reconciled with Bernardin at a meeting in 1994. There, Cook confirmed Bernardin's suspicions.

The memo was part of "Gift of Peace, Personal Reflections," Bernardin writes. He had suspected early on that his accuser, Steven Cook, might have been "a pawn in this terrible game." But Bernardin says he "could not imagine how we would resort to these tactics to harm me."

Cook, who had worked for AIDS in 1995, reached a settlement with the seminary teacher.

His attorney, Stephen Rubino, said Wednesday that he doubts that a priest suggested that he add Bernardin to his lawsuit.

"Everything that I do know tells me that it did not happen," Rubino said.

Bernardin did not identify the priest except to say he was the same one who said on a Chicago radio talk show that he believed the cardinal was guilty.

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SAN FRANCISCO

It's the most secure encryption code the United States has allowed to be exported — and it took a graduate student only 3 1/2 hours to break it, industry officials said Wednesday.

"It shows you that any kid with access to computers can crack this kind of cryptography," said Kurt Stammberger, whose company, RSA Data Security Inc., had sponsored the challenge.

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Vacca, professor of classical and oriental languages and literatures, said it is very difficult to draw a line between the two. Vacca said there is "no linguistic issue" at stake. He stressed that "it's a question of a different kind — there's not a lot of incentive in the inner city to speak standard English."

"These children can speak English — but Ebonics is a powerful expression of identity," agreed James Bellis, professor of anthropology.

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Pierce of the history department, is the privileged," Guillermo said, referring to his Harvard educa­tion and the appearance of his languages and literatures, said it is very difficult to separate the two without causing a major backlash.

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Bellis said the resolution might sound like "too much an effort to help instead of instill pride." Is the implication of the resolution that the largely white, standard English-speaking community is reaching in to "save" the largely black, Ebonics-speaking commu­nity, or is this simply a recognition of a cul­

tural tradition? Does this promote pride in one's background by recogniz­ing the validity of it or does it promote shame by implying that Ebonics is some­how inferior to English?

When asked what the impact of the resolution would be, Bellis said, "Nothing." The Jan. 23 issue of Black Issues in Higher Education contributed to this report.

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my place among the white and the privileged," Guillermo said, referring to his Harvard educa­tion and the appearance of his columns in the Los Angeles Times, the Washington Post, and USA Today.

Immigration, according to Guillermo, is driving another wedge into the Asian American community. There is increas­ing competition for what appears to be dwindling resources, and immigrants are being used as scapegoats. He noted that the balanced budget act, which will cut welfare to non-citizens — many of which are Asian Americans — is dis­c­riminatory and unfair.

The final issue of controversy, for Guillermo is what he termed to be the racist media coverage resulting from the Asian campaign donation contro­versy.

"It has created xenophobia — that is, a fear of foreigners," he said. "This is not coincidental with the rise of Asian Americans in the United States."

Guillermo feels this complex issue of xenophobia, based on generation and class, will lead to disrespect and even hate crimes against Asian Americans.

During his speech, "Common Ground — Asian Spin: The New Race Politics, Not Just Black and White," Guillermo strongly urged the audience to be play­ers in the new race politics or else, he warned, they'd be left out and used.

"Asian Americans cannot afford to dream. They must act," he said.

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• Matt Griffin, of Stanford Hall, and Erek Naas, of Keenan Hall.
• Matt Szabo, of Morrissey Hall, and Mary Gillard, of Knott Hall.

Campaigning begins tonight at midnight and will continue through NEXT Thursday evening. The debate will be at 8 p.m. Monday in the Cushing Hall auditorium.

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State Department spokesman Nicholas Burns, while avoiding criticism of Syria, concurred. "The simplest thing for me to say is, if there had been an Israeli-Syrian agreement on the Golan in 1995 I wouldn't be standing here," he said. "There would be peace between Syria and Israel — and there isn't a peace treaty today." Protracted peace talks between Israel and Syria were halted almost a year ago. Ben-Elissar said it was easier to reopen the negotiations "anytime, anywhere and at any level," preferably between Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Syrian President Hafez Assad. "If this seems too difficult for Syria, let's start at a different level," the Israeli diplomat said.

In Jerusalem, Netanyahu urged Syria to return to the bargaining table. It would be in their interest, he said. "Syria will benefit a lot economically, because the Syrian economy is not leading forward," Netanyahu told the newspaper Haaretz. "There are certain things, such as joint ventures, in which Syria can only make progress with an open approach."

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By BARRY SCHWEID
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON

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Michigan's declaration of dependence: On Canada

Bernadette Pamuch

Lake Ontario to the smallest township of the Lower Peninsula, in the interest of good will and good ice-fishing, and taking into account our geographical and cultural relationship to Canada (often to the point of being confused with native Canadians), we are referring to Ontario and its provinces.

We promise without fail to maintain open borders with Ontario, Ohio, and Wisconsin, providing for the free trade of cheese and cigarettes and the natural flow of cultures across these borders. We will open-heartedly embrace new forms of expression, using Canadianisms like "write a test" when we mean "take an exam," "washroom" when we mean "bathroom" and "Chesterfield" when we are referring to the "sofa." We will constantly use the word "bum" when speaking of someone who is homeless and never, ever refer to pop as soda.

We will convert our mon-colored money to one- and two-dollar coins which we shall call "loonies" and "toonies," and not laugh when the centers fall out and bounce around the floor. We will claim Canada's inventions like baby food, baseballs, the basketball, insulin, the electron microscope and Superman as our own (as we Americans already do) and grow exasperated when we believed Canada was referring to us as the fifty-first American state. In restaurants, we will serve quarts, not just in gallons, and learn the art of paying for things in Canadian speed tickets.

We will cultivate our young athletes into fine figure skaters and ice-fishing enthusiasts and memorize all the words to "O Canada." We will listen to Barenaked Ladies and make large fortune cookies from their music and toffee from their milk.

We will move the only Canadian border-control point from its present location from Windsor, Ontario (bordering on Detroit) to South Bend, Indiana. We will pretty much continue the practice of letting anyone across the border who is relatively clean shaven and does not have Cuban cigars sticking out of their pocket, and will distinguish "real" Canadians and/or Michiganders from Americans by listening very intently to see how polite the occupants of the car are and whether or not they answer questions by attaching our ignorance of it to get out of paying Canadian speeding tickets. We will be able to buy our milk in bags and quarts, not just in gallons, and learn that the drinking age in Canada is nineteen. Finally, we will develop an odd obsession with trading any metal pins and iron-on patches of the Canadian flag.

These, the reasons for which we in Michigan would be much happier as Canadians, stand as proof of our unyielding devotion to the Canadian culture and way of life. We sacrifice all things American, and embrace only that which is truly Canadian and separate from The States. We glorify the things that make us unique, and the qualities which make us unlike any other state in the Union (except maybe Minnesota and Wisconsin).

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**KULA SHAKER**

_out of five_

The Britpop invasion continues as yet another group appears out of nowhere and releases a superb album; this time it is the turn of Kula Shaker, a quartet of apparently very odd people with a penchant for things Eastern. Elsewhere a favorable review wondered whether this was a case of "right band, wrong planet," and the perplexity is easy to understand. K is infused with a mixture of your everyday beatlesque-type, post-Beach Boys and Indian vibes (not all the lyrics are in English), and yet it is infinitely tuneful and soothing to those of us whose Sanskrit is not all that it should be. It can be a very hard act to follow.

Our appetizer comes in the form of "Govinda," a relaxed and memorable tune with eventual sing-a-long potential, the satanic tone of which is softened by the complicated and tricky lyrics. The super "Tattva" is the main course, a grinding, bilingual and immediately catchy track. The impressive production of SLOAN

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Leaving aside the swaggering pretension of rock stars, Sloan holed themselves up in Halifax and kicked out the jams. The mastery of Sloan comes from their extensive knowledge of music history and self-reflective song writing. Everything from the Jam, the Beatles, the Who, and the Clash mixes with the contemporary influences of fellow Northerners Zumbano and Eric's Trip. Calling the album One Chord to Another is a wonderful stab at rock and roll conventionalism, and shows a band comfortable in their pigeonhole. "Here's another song in this key? Yeah, but this one's about me," sings Jay Milligan on "G Turns to D." "There's even a song about the coming of the Beatles and the end of the Sixties. A. Hearing a band so open about its methods is like watching a Pennsylvania real estate agent open the boxes—amazingly revealing but never-the-less still stimulating.*
VARIous ARTISTS
A Tribute to Stevie Ray Vaughan

When asked to describe Stevie Ray Vaughan, Buddy Guy, one of the greatest blues guitarists of all time, quoted an old Eddie James song, "He was like thunder, he was like lightning and when he struck it was frightening." Very few guitarists embodied this phrase like Stevie, standing on stage in his colorful shirts, wide-brimmed hat and torn-up strat with as much effort as it takes to breathe. On August 26, 1990 after a gig with Guy, Robert Cray, Eric Clapton, and his older brother Jimmie Vaughan at Alpine Valley, Wisconsin, Stevie's brief career was called to an end. Five years later, the same great musicians gathered on the Austin City Limits stage in Austin, Texas playing with other blues legends and Stevie's old band "Double Trouble" to pay tribute to the greatness that everyone equally envied and loved. The album that this concert spawned (it is out on video too) shines with some great solo performances. Ronnie Baitt's smooth southern drawl and lazy slide guitar glides her over a version of "SRV", who learned "Tick Tock" from Stevie himself, with an extra feeling because of the gospel choir in the background. The last song, entitled, the "SRV Shuffle," though, is a blues fan's dream. A seven-solo, nine-minute impromptu jam explodes from a simple four note groove. Each guitarist takes a turn on the same theme, Dr. John also chimes in on the piano. The song finally winds down with Clapton and Guy trading solos, each artist going one more time, and ending with Jimmie Vaughan getting in the last notes. This song epitomizes Stevie's playing style and is a fitting tribute to the man.

by Matthew Loughren

endar to something classical music this past weekend, we were lucky enough to escape to Chicago's Lyric Opera to get an overwhelming taste of how opera works in the city. The pre-conception of many college students that opera is for the mega-elite with binoculars was completely dispelled this weekend. Rather, the experience not only was a treat for two music majors with college budgets, but clearly had "something for everybody," touching a variety of generations and social types.

At 7:20 p.m., Chicago's several-thousand seat Civic Opera House was filled to a tight capacity. Two middle-aged couples were seated to one bad jeans and Reeboks, the other dressed himself in typical Notre Dame attire for such an event — Blazer and khakis. Behind us sat a family of four, with the two children seated next to each other. Surely they'll fall asleep. (Wrong!) And in the first few rows of the opera house, there were those adorned in sparkling formal wear. They're the ones who know the difference between "Brah" and "Bravi" and who purchase the $7 cup of tea and $3 cookie at intermission.

But all were seated in intense anticipation of Mozart's Die Zauberflöte (The Magic Flute). Conductor Marek Janowski's downbeat brought forth from the orchestra a rich, sustained D-major chord which would set the pace of the opera's win in this opera. The setting was grand and serene — a recreation of "a rocky clearing. In Egypt, near the temple of Isis and Osiris. The children (and there were many) found the scenes particularly fantastic. Many young audience members even giggled extensively while watching "the crazy animals that danced in "techno" fashion in the hysteria of the first half. The use of special effects was another plus in Die Zauberflöte. Hundreds of plants "grew" out of the stage simultaneously. Fire and fireworks were abundant, and three choir boys descended to the ground from three stories in a swinging chair — this opera was short of unthinkable creative effects.

Costume design was, as expected, ornate and imaginative — again appealing to the audience at large. Papageno, the bird-catcher played by baritone Olaf Bär, were so note that might best be described as a hybrid of Big Bird and the San Diego Chicken. Of additional interest were the costumes of the Queen of the Night and her three fairly-ly-like cohorts, whose metallic countenances reflected the mysticism and sorcery of the plot. Then, there was the music: American tenor Frank Lapordo (Tamino) had a powerful tenor voice that consistently shook the back walls of the opera house from the moment he raced off stage. A pleasant surprise was Kurt Moll (Sarastro) whose mature bass voice rang beautifully in every vocal register. Perhaps, the most intriguing element of the evening was the trio of boys (too younger than 12, it seemed) who provided periodic counsel for the lead roles. Their three-part sound was full and pure. Their German was crisp and well-articulated ("Schweiger."

To make the evening one with Chicago's flavor, the trio of boys sported Chicago Bulls jerseys in their final appearance. One of the boys even paid tribute to Dennis Rodman — his hair was spray-painted green.

To this, the evening was one number and had something to offer for everyone — even the guy wearing jeans and Reeboks.

Keep in mind the Schubert extravaganza coming in less than two weeks.

Monday, February 10 the Honshiby Library Auditorium will host Sanford Sylvan, baritone, and David Breitman, pianist at 8:00 p.m. The duo will be performing "An Evening of Schubert Songs."

On Wednesday, February 12 the same duo will present Winterreise, the popular Schubert cycle, in the Annenberg Auditorium of the Shilte Museum at 8:00 p.m. Both concerts are must-see for this semester in classical music.

upcoming concerts in chicago and south bend

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nocturne top 10

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10. Tricky - Pre-Millenium Tension

wvfi top 10

1. Built to Spill - Perfect From Now On
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9. Sweep the Leg Johnny - Sweep the Leg Johnny
10. Nerf Merder - Nerf Merder
FOXBORO, Mass. — If Bill Parcells wants to coach another NFL team, it must be on the New England Patriots' terms.

Commissioner Paul Tagliabue's ruling Wednesday in favor of New England owner Robert Kraft doesn't mean Parcells won't jump to the New York Jets, only that they can't hire him without first getting the Patriots' permission—or buy him out of a contract, player, draft choice or a combination.

Otherwise, Parcells can coach the Patriots for a fifth consecutive year, which is unlikely, or stay out of the NFL until after Jan. 31, 1998. Parcells' reported return was to go to New York Jets, who have the top pick in this year's draft but would not consider sending that to the Patriots as compensation. Their head coaching job has been available since Rich Kotite resigned a year ago.

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RELATING, DATING, OR VEGETATING?

This column, normally reserved for the views of a staff member of Campus Ministry, has been offered to me this week so that I may share my perspective as a student on the most popular topic on campus. With February, the month of love, just a few days away, it seems appropriate that I share my thoughts on relationships at Notre Dame. Like you, I have read many of the articles and letters to the editor about dating, (or the lack thereof) on campus. Articles written by men and women criticize and complain about the opposite sex almost as frequently as they are mocked at Notre Dame. There is no mystery in the fact that a problem does exist here in "Happy Swell Meadows."

Our initiation into the world of dogbooks, random hookups, and home-town-honeys is completed before Freshman Orientation concludes. We joke about not being able to eat two meals in four years with the same person of the opposite sex without questions of our dating status. Finding the perfect SYR date can evoke more pressure than back-to-back Orgo and Physics finals, especially considering that taking the same date to another dance can prove marital status. We openly whine about the boring social scene, shortage of activities, and lack of opportunities to meet people of the opposite sex outside of class. Everyone seems to accept the fact that people do not date at Notre Dame.

The purpose of my article is to challenge you to believe that it doesn't have to be like this. The one thing that we, as students, can change about this campus is our attitudes toward dating and relationships. Unlike some other campus policy issues, we can't pin our unhappiness of the dating scene on the administration, faculty, or rectors. In early October, a group of about 50 students met with members of Campus Ministry to discuss the issues of dating and relationships on campus. Led by Sr. Fran Ferder, FSPA and Rev. John Heagle from Seattle, WA, the group discussed many topics on dating, relationships, intimacy, and friendship. As a member of this group, it was very helpful to see my concerns shared by others. After a two hour discussion, we had identified many more problems than solutions and felt almost overwhelmed at the abundance of issues. As a group we clearly came to the consensus that something has to be done to improve the state of our relationships on campus.

Since October, this group has worked closely with Campus Ministry to develop a workshop specifically targeting these issues. This type of workshop, given by students, for students, is unique in the fact it has never been attempted before. With your brother, or sister dorm, you will be invited to attend this workshop either February 2-3, or February 9-10. The exciting aspect of this particular workshop is that it is a two-day event. The first night we'll discuss some of the issues of dating and relationships on campus through role-plays, small and large group discussions, and personal reflection talks. The second night, we will focus on communication and intimacy issues relevant to building better relationships and friendships. Attendance at both nights is not required, nor is the coming to the first a prerequisite for the second, but both are strongly recommended.

Although I am really excited to be facilitating this workshop, I am a little scared. The topics of relationships, intimacy, and dating are by nature very personal. It's my hope that the sharing of my struggles and successes in dating can help others improve their relationships. When asked to help with this workshop I was a little hesitant because I didn't understand why anyone would listen to me because of my messed-up love life. My friends and I laughed hysterically at the thought of me talking about relationships. I've kidded that the title of my talk should be, "What NOT to Do When There is a Guy Around." But I guess we all make mistakes and learn from them.

That is one of the main forces behind the formation of this workshop. If we can begin to seriously talk about these issues, that's the first step to overcoming them. I hope you will join us for these workshops. And by the way—what better place could you go to meet men (or women) than a relationship workshop?

Thanks and Go Irish!
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to the ball and more aggressively defensively.

The Panther defense puzzled the Irish (9-3, 3-7) especially in the first half as Pittsburgh's trapping style of play caused 9 steals and 13 Notre Dame turnovers. These turnovers translated into 11 opening half Pittsburgh points. Just as against West Virginia, miscues put the Irish down early as they trailed 43-29 at halftime.

Unlike the Mountaineer game however, Notre Dame was not going backwards in the second half. Pitt guard Kelli Taylor ignited the second half explosion scoring the first eight points on a pair of three-pointers and a basket off a steal. Taylor finished with a game-high 20 points.

His teammate in the backcourt, Vontego Cummings, did his damage in the first half, scoring 16 points and directing a Pittsburgh offense that was working on all cylinders.

"They had the action on us tonight," MacLeod concluded.

More like pushing the Irish off the edge. The game was more suited to Pittsburgh's fast-break style of play.

Notre Dame never established any offensive rhythm, either taking bad shots or committing unforced turnovers. The Irish could not defend the Irish to capitalize on their size advantage inside.

"We compounded the defensive problem by quickly shooting the ball and making numerous passing errors," MacLeod said.

Admire White and Pete Miller, who each had 15 points against West Virginia, combined for only five points last night. Pat Garrity also had a relatively quiet night with 12 points, his second lowest point total of the year.

One bright spot for the Irish was center Matt Gonchar who hit for a team-high 14 points to go along with six rebounds and three blocks.

Now, the Irish get five days off before returning home to face St. John's Tuesday. With no game this weekend, Notre Dame will begin to focus on making a run in February.

"It's important for these kids to get the rest," MacLeod added. "They feel terrible about what's happened the last two games, but we have to handle it and find a solution."

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. Florida State coach Pat Kennedy said all week that his team had to Beel No. 9 Maryland to keep its flickering postseason hopes alive.

Kennedy's players responded Wednesday night, defeating the Terrapins 74-70, the second win in eight days over a ranked Atlantic Coast Conference opponent.

The Seminoles knocked off North Carolina (7-3) one week ago and lost 61-58 at second-ranked Wake Forest on Saturday.

"This was as about a good a week as we've had in a long time," Kennedy said. "This could be a key win when we look back."

Sophomore Randall Jackson scored a career-high 20 points and freshman Ron Halle added 17 for Florida State, which fed off a late Maryland rally to claim its highest ranked victim in four seasons.

"This is the No. 5 team," Kennedy said. "They're playing as well as anybody in the league. What I loved about it was the intensity level and our kids didn't back down."

Florida State (12-5, 3-5 Atlantic Coast Conference) led 56-43 with 10 minutes remaining, but Maryland tied the game 65-65 with 1-41 remaining on a reverse, left-handed layup by Keith Booth, who scored 16 of his 20 points in the second half.

Kerry Thompson's 3-pointer with 1:13 left gave the Seminoles a 68-65 lead. Thompson, who committed nine turnovers against Maryland's trapping defense, scored 12 points in the second half and finished with 14.

"To win a close game is huge," Thompson said. "This win is like two or three other wins."

The final minute on the game clock seemed to take forever as free throws were shot and Maryland coach Gary Williams was ejected with 24 seconds left after drawing his second technical foul of the game.

"This is the first time in my 21 years of coaching that I've been ejected from a game," Williams said.

"I was told I was talking to an official. I did not make the statement I was credited with. There was just some confusion out there."

Florida State was 6-of-10 from the foul line in the final minute to hold off Maryland (17-3, 6-2).

The teams combined for 43 turnovers and shot 66 free throws in a contest where 44 personal fouls were called.

Medjugorje

January 25, 1997 Message
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"Dear Children! I invite you to reflect about the future. You are creating a new world without God, only with your own strength and this is like a building in the heart. This time is my time and that is why, little children, I invite you again to pray. When you find unity with God, you will feel hunger for the word of God and your heart, little children, will overflow with joy. You will witness God's love wherever you are. I bless you and I repeat to you that I send you my call."
Wildcats stroll by Gators 92-65

By DOUG FERGUSON
Associated Press

No. 3 Kentucky had a bigger lineup, better players and hardly any problems Wednesday night as Ron Mercer and Anthony Epps led the Wildcats to a 92-65 victory over Florida.

Mercer helped give Kentucky (19-2, 7-1 Southeastern Conference) an early lead with his shooting and passing, and Epps turned back every Florida threat with timely three-point shooting.

But the Gators (10-10, 3-5) didn't pose much of a threat after that. After falling behind 36-15 in the first 12 minutes of the game, they never trimmed their lead below 10 points. Their last chance came with 16:34 left and Kentucky leading 53-38. Florida's Greg Williams had the ball taken away on an inbounds pass, and Epps scored on a layup, then followed that with a short jumper and a 3-pointer.

That made it 58-41, and the Wildcats extended their lead to as many as 29 points, 84-55, before coach Rick Pitino emptied the bench.

Mercer and Nazr Mohammed each had 18 points for Kentucky, while Epps finished with 16 points, five rebounds and four assists.

The Wildcats shot 53 percent from the field. Eddie Shannon led the Gators with 13 points, while Damen Maddox and Dan Williams each had 11.

It was the first SEC meeting between Pitino and Florida coach Billy Donovan, who played for Pitino at Providence and with the New York Knicks, and was an assistant under him at Kentucky.

Donovan's teams at Marshall lost to Kentucky in each of the past two seasons, and those teams probably had a better chance than Florida.

The Gators have only seven players on scholarship, and even some of those had their hands full against a Kentucky defense that was relentless in the backcourt and underneath.

Mohammed scored twice and Mercer hit three jumpers to lead Kentucky to a 14-5 lead in the first five minutes. Then it really got ugly.

Leading 16-12, Kentucky went on a 20-3 run over the next 5 1/2 minutes, scoring 11 points off turnovers.

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This week Notre Dame's Alumni Association is honoring Kathleen Osberger, 75 with the Dr. Thomas A. Dooley Award. This award is given every year to a Notre Dame Alumnus/a who follows Tom Dooley's example of answering a very special calling by "distinguishing himself not by fame or fortune but by a quiet yet intense and fervent desire to serve those blessed with less than he."

Kathleen Osberger definitely fits that description. As a student at Notre Dame she became involved in service and social justice experiential learning programs. She was instrumental in reviving the Urban Plunge program in 1974. The Urban Plunge has been an important and sometimes life changing experience for many students over the years. A student who participated in the Plunge this year describes it this way: "The plunge helped me to be able to see what people are actually doing to solve some of their problems—they are fighting an uphill battle."

Kathleen went on to live in Chile and Peru and then to work in the South Bronx for ten years serving 200 Latino and African American Families. Now she lives in Chicago and works as a clinical social worker. Just like the student who is quoted above. Kathleen's participation in CSC programs helped her to learn how to think critically about the problems that face the disadvantaged of our cities. She continued to this habit of thought while she committed her life to serving others. This has led her to take stands on behalf of low and moderate income tenants in Chicago's Uptown community as well as to provide assistance to people who have been tortured.

This week Kathleen will come back to a place which played an important part in her journey of service and social action. It is exciting for us at the Center for Social Concerns to welcome her back and to introduce her to students who are just beginning their own journeys. We want her to see the faces of some of the students who are following in her footsteps and who have been touched by the programs that she helped to start when she was a student here. We want to celebrate the life of service to others that Kathleen has led and we want to share the joy of that celebration with the Notre Dame Community. Please join us in welcoming this exemplary member of our community to campus.

Come to the Center for Social Concerns on Friday, January 31 from 3:30-4:30 to meet Kathleen Osberger.

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Upcoming Important Dates

POST-GRADUATE SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:

Peace Corps
Tuesday 2/4
Information meeting: 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. at the CSC.

Christian Appalachian Project (C.A.P.)
Wednesday 2/5
Information meeting: 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at the CSC.

Special Note: Copies of the "Post-Graduate Service Handbook" are now available at the CSC front desk. Call Lauren Sheroki, Director of Summer Transition Programs, at 631-5779 to meet and discuss the wide range of opportunities available.

NEW CSC LEADERSHIP MODULES:

The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People
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Thursday, January 30, 1997
The Observer • SPORTS
Jayhawks rally to defeat Red Raiders

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — It looks like it's going to take more than one major injury at a time to sink No. 1 Kansas.

The Jayhawks, playing without injured starter center Scot Pollard, relied on 16 second-half points from Paul Pierce to erase their biggest halftime deficit this season in an 86-73 victory over No. 22 Texas Tech on Wednesday night.

"We lost our pulse in the first half," Kansas coach Roy Williams said of the 47-33 hole the Jayhawks (21-0, 7-0 Big 12) dug at halftime. "We got some help off the bench in the second, we were more active on defense and we got a few turnovers."

Texas Tech (13-5, 5-3) had maintained a comfortable lead until the turnovers began mounting midway through the second half. Five Red Raiders turnovers led to 10 straight Kansas points and a 64-63 lead with 8:30 to play, its first of the game."

"I think there was a point where we thought it was getting away," said Texas Tech center Tony Battie, who had 29 points and nine rebounds and five blocks.

The Jayhawks outscored the Red Raiders 38-22 in the second half. Kansas hit 29 of its 61 shots (47.5 percent) and limited Texas Tech to 36 of 66 (54.5 percent). Both teams shot 9-for-10 from the foul line.

Kansas 19, Tech 19. Technical foul for arguing an official. A 9-2 run by the Jayhawks extended their lead to 56-54 with 1:15 left, dashing Texas Tech's hopes of 8,174 frenzied fans.

"I don't think there was a point in the game where they weren't very competitive," Williams said of the Tar Heels. "Tonight they were just a little bit better than us."

The Tar Heels regained their 7-3 lead to start the season against Clemson. Jeff Capel was also big down the stretch for Duke, scoring 19 points and making several big defensive plays.

Serge Zwikker led the Tar Heels with 14 points, while ACC scoring leader Antawn Jamison didn't start as the game began, didn't get his first shot until the second half and didn't score from the foul line.

Duke took a 33-31 halftime lead, but North Carolina was not dead yet. The Tar Heels closed to 72-70 on a 2nd-ffoul jumper by freshmem Ed Cota with 1:33 remaining. After a jump ball possession, Tyler Hansbrough was fouled and a timeout, Langston nailed his career-best seventh 3-pointer and the Blue Devils sealed it from the foul line.

The Tar Heels were rattled early, turning the ball over on their first five possessions as Duke grabbed a seven-point lead with its small lineup.

The Blue Devils missed eight shots and turned the ball over five times during their scoring drought.

From that point the score was tied four more times before Duke took a 33-31 halftime lead.

Both teams had trouble holding onto the ball in the opening 20 minutes as there were a combined 24 turnovers committed by 14 different players.

NORTH CAROLINA (12-4)

Okulaja 4-7-3 13, Jamison 5-6-0-1 4, Zickler 6-4-2-2 14, Williams 1-1-0 11, Cota 4-6-2-10 10, Carter 4-6-2-10 11, Silaffe 1-2-2-2 5, Sullivan 0-0-0 0. Totals 28-55-10 3-12.

DUKE (15-0)

Capel 9-5-0-0 19, Carroll 2-3-1-3 1-4 14, Wojciechowski 1-2-2-2 4, Landgon 9-5-3-3 28, Newton 3-1-3-3 25, Okulaja 6-1-1-2 14, Chappell 1-2-0-0 0. Totals 29-56-10 1-12.

Clemson 74, Georgia Tech 61

The lead changed hands five times during the first half.

Tech 8-24 (Carr 3-7-2-3 9, Averil 2-7-0-0 4, Batty 14-14-0-0 26, Thomas 5-11-0-0 11, Capel 1-2-1-1 2, Williams 2-4-2-2 4, Carter 4-9-0-0 36, McLeod 1-1-0-0 2, Price 1-4-0-0 2, Silaffe 0-0-0 0). Rebounds-Kansas 47, Texas Tech 33. 3-point goals-Kansas 6-11 (Landgon 7-11, Capel 1-1, Williams 0-2, Carter 0-1). Fouled out-None. Turnovers-Kansas 20, Texas Tech 11.

"I'd like consistency from the officials at both ends of the floor," said Williams. "If you saw the game, you know what I'm talking about."

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NBA

Dennis Rodman is getting advice from all over. First President Clinton sug-
gested that Rodman shape up and admit he was wrong to kick a pho-
tographer. Now Jesse J a c k o n said he was advising the Ch i c a g o Bulls star, and the civil rights leader wants to plead Rodman’s case before the NBA.

Jackson said he planned to meet with NBA commissioner David Stern on Wednesday in New York, concerning Rodman’s 11-game suspension for the Jan. 15 incident. NBA spokesman Brian McIntyre said no meeting was sched-
uled.

Jackson’s father, Noah Robinson Sr., died in South Carolina on Monday night and it was unclear if Jackson had gone there.

"Like everybody else, I don’t condone Dennis’ action," Jackson told the Chicago Sun-
Times in Wednesday’s editions. "I want to convey to the com-
misssioner my sentiment and the sentiments of a growing number of people that Dennis has already been punished enough for the very act in question."

The Bulls’ 111-96 victory Tuesday night at Vancouver was the sixth game of the sus-
pension, which is costing Rodman more than $1.1 mil-

lion in salary and incentives. He also was fined $25,000 by the league, and he has agreed to pay a $200,000 out-of-court settlement to Minneapolis cam-
eraman Eugene Ames.

Stern has insisted that before Rodman is reinstated, he must undergo psychiatric counseling and assure the league he will adhere to acceptable standards of behavior.

"It’s one thing to punish a man. It’s another thing to take away his dignity," Jackson said.

Jackson and Rodman met Monday in Los Angeles after the player’s representative, Dwight Manley, contacted the former presidential candidate.

"I dig what the brother does, and he appreciates what I bring to the table," Rodman said. "He is one of the few pub-
lic figures that I truly admire because I think he is really sin-

cere."

"But we had prayer," Jackson said. "I gave him my ideas and advice on the matter, and I intend to continue coun-
seling him as long as he wants me to, and I feel I can help."

Women

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ered a repeat performance for Miami and laid the ball in with just 16.3 seconds on the clock.

After a timeout, the Irish took the floor and Irish center Katryna Gaither was fouled with 2.2 seconds remaining. Gaither sank both shots and Notre Dame escaped with a 72-71 victory.

Gaither finished the game with 16 points, six rebounds and four assists and Mollie Peirick turned in a solid per-
formance adding 13 points and eight assists.

Miami was led by forward Desma Thomas, who tallied 20 points and five assists.

With the win, the Irish improved to 18-4 on the season, 10-0 in the Big East.

The team will be back in action on Sunday as they face the Red Storm of St. John’s on the road.

NOTRE DAME (18-4)

Bolom 8-11 0-0 0-0, Morgan 7- 7 2-2 6-6, Gaither 7-14 2-3 16, Augustine 0-1 0-0 0-0, Peirick 4-5 1-2 10, McGlinchey 3-7 0-0, Henderson 0-2 0-0. Totals 29-52 7-11 72.

MIAMI (11-11)

Blue 5-8 2-3 12, Thomas 6-15 4- 6 20, Hope 7-10 1-2 15, Bunchert 0-3 0-2 2, Graziani 2-4 0-1 5, Collins 1-2 0-0 2, Hayford 4-11 0-2 10, Derry 2-4 0-0. Totals 27- 5 7 63.

Penny’s 32 lift Magic past Suns

By FRED GODDALL

Penny Hardaway felt like himself again Wednesday night, and the Orlando Magic enjoyed the show.

The All-Star guard had 32 points and eight assists, both season highs, in a 112-105 victory over the Phoenix Suns, who also shook their heads in amazement over some of the shots Hardaway made.

On one highlight film attempt, the slender guard took the ball into the lane and muscled the ball up to the basket despite a hard foul by Phoenix center Mark Bryant. He hit the free throw to complete a three-point play for a 99-96 lead.

"Some of my shots were very lucky. I couldn’t believe they went in, especially that one," said Hardaway, slowed much of this season by leg and knee injuries.

"This is my game. When my leg was injured, I couldn’t do any of those things — go to the bass-
ket and finish."

Tonight was the complete game. I had everything going for me and had all the confidence.

This is the first time since I’ve been back that I felt that way.

The victory was the eighth in 10 games for Orlando, which rebounded from a 20-point loss at Washington the previous night to climb back to .500 (20-20) and extend the Suns’ losing streak to five.

Rony Seikaly had 18 points and 12 rebounds and Derek Strong filled in for the injured Horace Grant with 16 points and 11 rebounds. The Magic shot 50 percent despite going 8-24 on 3-point attempts.

Kevin Johnson led the Suns with 22 points and 15 assists. Cedric Ceballos had 22 points and Wesley Person added 17, including a 3-pointer that trimmed Orlando’s lead to 108-105.

Brian Shaw’s free throws put Orlando up by 13 with 21.2 seconds to go, then Darrell Armstrong made two more foul shots down the stretch.

Hardaway, who missed 23 of Orlando’s first 28 games because of leg and knee injuries, was 11-
for-18 from the field and 7-of-8 from the foul line in his most productive night of the season.

"He carried us," Seikaly said. "That’s Penny. We’re going to ride his back. He’s going to take us where we’re supposed to go."

Knicks need only 75 to beat Cavs

By KEN BERGER

CLEVELAND John Starks scored 24 points and the New York Knicks finished strong in the fourth quarter for a 130-111 victory Wednesday night.

Cleveland’s John Hotchkiss had three of Cleveland’s four field goals in the fourth, finished with 24 points. Chris Milroy added 23, and Sean Higgins scored 18.

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The team’s combined for only 1 points and 11 rebounds, Larry Johnson added 13 points and Buck Williams 12.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN THE NEXT 10 YEARS OF YOUR LIFE.
When faced with a major challenge, dig in. Your focus, discipline and determination will carry you forward to victory. Forever seek new goals or projects before launching any new ones. Put curiosity with people who are not on your same wavelength. A romantic attachment that develops over the summer could last a lifetime. New mates will make your work more interesting. Someone influential may show great interest in your efforts. A pleasant dream greets you.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY:
Michael J. Fox, actor; Wayne Shorter, jazz clarinetist; Boris Spassky, chess player; Bina Sundar, model; Vidal Sassoon, stylist.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Eliminate the odds and get right to the point. The best way to deal with an obstacle is to move around. Maintain your sense of humor and enthusiasm.


GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Someone can solve a mystery only after drawing any proposed changes with their lawyer or accountant. A financial situation shows slight improvement. Take calculated risks.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A secure surface that could prove embarrassing. Settle the matter of a rumor before deciding what course of action to take. A job offer is incoming.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your ability to see someone else's point of view is a tremendous asset. Spend time with people who love you and yourself, ask what you can do for them.

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OF INTEREST

Candix Meeting Dr. Arakolit Mitchen, Executive Director of NCOEA, Washingotn, DC, will address Candix participants and other interested federal and state government officials in "Minorities in Academia" at 6:30 pm in Room 118, Newsworld Science Hall. Sponsored by Niaa Project.

Kroc Institute Balmo Vajpyek, Regen Director of the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, Professor, Government and International Studies, will present a lecture on "The Political Economy of Humanitarian Crisis." 12:15 pm in Hearsholm Center Auditorium.

WANTED: Reporters, photographers and editors. Join The Observer Staff.

This weekend Sub will give you the BLUES . . . BROTHERS that is, shown with Thurs. 10:30p

Thursday

International Film Festival: Trainspotting 7:30pm Cushing

Acoustic Cafe: 9pm - 12 am Huddle
**SPORTS**

**WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**

**Irish escape Hurricanes**

*Morgan scores her 2,000th career point in 72-71 victory*

By BRIAN REINTHALER

Last night, Irish senior Beth Morgan achieved a unique milestone and helped Notre Dame survive a late scare against the Hurricanes in Miami. Morgan's 21 points made her the first woman in Notre Dame history to score over 2,000 points in a career. The forward has now scored 2,016 points for the Irish and will have the opportunity for quite a few more as she finishes out the 1996-97 season.

Though Morgan's scoring was more than enough to reach the impressive plateau, the Blue and Gold needed every last one of her points to avoid being upset by a relentless Miami squad on Wednesday evening.

Despite leading by as much as 12 in the first half, the Irish took just a five point lead to the locker room at halftime.

The Hurricanes remained within six points of the lead throughout the second half and with just over seven minutes left to play, McChelle Murray drained a three-point shot to give Miami its first lead of the game, 59-58.

Forward Rosanne Bohman, who finished the night with 16 points and nine rebounds, answered with a layup on the next trip down the floor for the Irish. Notre Dame then led the contest until the 2:15 mark, when Hurricane Ocatria Blue hit a driving layup to boost Miami to a 67-66 lead. Once again, Notre Dame answered as Morgan drove to the basket, scored, and was fouled. The veteran hit the free throw and the Irish were back in front by two.

Down by just one with 31 seconds remaining, Miami took a timeout to prepare for a final attempt at the lead. Blue deliv-

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**MEN'S BASKETBALL**

**Panther offense downs Irish**

By JOE VILLINSKI

Even though Notre Dame head coach John MacLeod admitted after the Pittsburgh game last night that the Irish lacked a solid defensive effort, he also admitted being duly impressed with the Panthers.

"They (Pittsburgh) shot the ball as well as I've seen anyone shoot it in a long, long time," MacLeod said. The superfluous long might as well have obtained open looks at the basket the entire game, the Panthers looked like they could do no wrong. While the Irish have now lost two of their last three, Pittsburgh appears ready to battle with the best of the conference, winning five in a row, Pittsburgh looks like they could do nothing but shoot.

Midway through the second half, the Panthers put the game away, extending their advantage to 74-43 as Jason Maile hit four treys within a span of two minutes. Maile finished with 17 points. Pittsburgh also became the first team to shoot above 50 percent all year against the Irish.

"For the first time all year we lost our edge a little bit on defense," MacLeod added. "We lacked some fire tonight. They were quicker than we were.

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**FOOTBALL**

**Coaching change hampers recruiting**

When it comes to recruiting, the only thing worse than a rumored coaching change is an actual coaching change.

Lou Holtz wasn't just a great coach, he was a legend. He was one of the winningest coaches in NCAA history. He had won a national championship. He was on TV every Saturday. And, most importantly, he was one of the best at closing the deal and swaying recruits to Notre Dame.

When a high school football player saw Holtz walking down the hall of his high school, he could not help but be excited. That was Lou Holtz talking to him. That was Notre Dame recruiting him.

If Notre Dame's recruiting campaign was to continue running smoothly after Holtz, they had only two options: 1) hire from within, or 2) hire a big name coach. The only mistake Notre Dame made was letting the media make their choice before they could—Northwestern's Gary Barnett.

The Gary Barnett factor: We all know the story and none of the facts. The only important thing to know is that in the end Barnett smelled like a rose. Notre Dame looked rejected, and Bob Davie appeared to be a consolation prize.

Barnett would tell recruits that Northwestern was the future, and that's the reason he rejected Notre Dame's overtures. Fast forward to today. Northwestern is set to sign its best recruiting class ever and fourth best in the Big Ten. They send their thanks to the Irish.

The Dave Roberts factor: Davie was the popular choice among recruiting fanatics. Actually, strike out Davie, and add the name Dave Roberts. Davie was popular because many felt he would keep Roberts on as his offensive coordinator.

Roberts was Notre Dame's star recruiter. He had been...