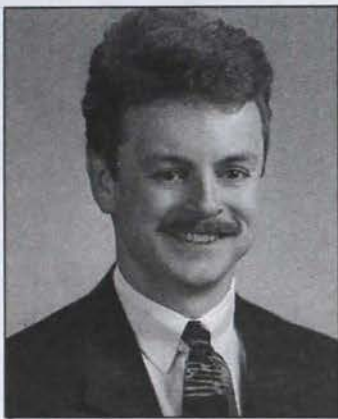


Focus ON THE FRATERNITY

As we all get older, it is only natural that we look back on our lives and the events that have shaped them. Choices that perhaps seemed small and relatively unimportant at the time sometimes turn out to be pivotal to the here and now. For me, one such moment occurred in the Summer of 1978. At a family reunion, I had an opportunity to talk to a cousin who had been away at college. I was eager to talk since I would begin classes on the same campus later that Fall. During our conversation, Debbie told me about a new type of fraternity she and others were trying to start. The fraternity was going to be a co-ed professional fraternity for business majors. She invited me to attend some informational meetings with her and it sounded interesting, so . . .

In the Fall of 1980, a group of brothers from my chapter attended a regional conference. This was to be our first opportunity as a chapter to attend a major fraternity program away from our campus. I wanted to go, but unfortunately, I didn't have the funds. Pride kept me from telling the others and I wouldn't ask my parents. They had already made great sacrifices to support me and I just couldn't ask them for more, even though I knew they would have found a way to help me.



Randy L. Hultz

Brothers came back from that first regional conference extremely excited. They told us of the excellent educational and professional sessions that were held and the prominent alumni they had met. They spoke of the warmth and camaraderie they felt from fellow Brothers from other campuses. They also shared information about a national convention, The Grand Chapter Congress, that would be held the following August.

That first regional conference was the spark that lit a fire under my chapter. It was apparent to those of us unable to attend that the others had been profoundly impacted by their participation and we vowed not to miss that opportunity again. The entire chapter began making plans to attend the Grand Chapter Congress. We undertook a number of projects to raise money. We asked our school for money. Everyone scrimped and saved. We did everything we could think of, but, as the time remaining became shorter and shorter, it became apparent that a few of us would not be able to afford the trip. So some of us quietly sold treasured possessions to get extra money. Others approached the few alumni our chapter had and secured donations. The

parents of one of the Brothers in our chapter agreed to let us use their RV to cut down on travel expenses.

In August of 1981, I attended my very first Grand Chapter Congress with 24 members from my chapter. It took an RV, a van, a station wagon, a small U-Haul trailer (for the luggage) and a lot of financial support to get there, but we made it!!! I've never missed one since.

That Congress was a defining moment for me and so many others. For the first time I came to appreciate all that Delta Sigma Pi had to offer. The educational opportunities, the brotherhood and the chance to interact with career-oriented alumni were like nothing I had ever experienced. I came away knowing that the fraternity would always be an important part of my life.

Attending a Grand Chapter Congress can be a significant financial undertaking for a college student. I also know first hand the positive impact it can have on a person's outlook on life and the future. I was enormously grateful to those few anonymous alumni that made my trip back in 1981 possible. I vowed then that someday I would return the favor by doing my best to ensure that another student had that same opportunity.

The Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation is currently conducting its first special campaign to provide educational grants so that collegiate members have the opportunity to attend our 40th Grand Chapter Congress. My financial pledge has been made. I ask each of you to join me in this effort. Your check to The Leadership Foundation, when designated for this program and added with those of other alumni, will make a difference. Working together our financial support can provide worthy college students the opportunity of a lifetime.

Randy L. Hultz

Grand President

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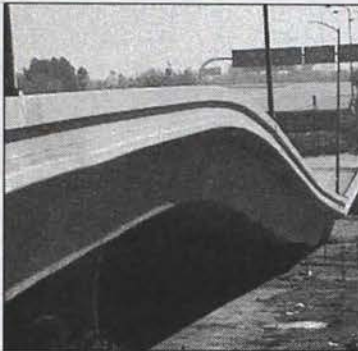
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1994 Career Achievement Award

The Career Achievement Award is presented to Brother A. Marvin Strait in recognition of his significant contributions to the field of business. His remarkable career has profoundly influenced the accounting profession and he has set the standards for thousands of future business professionals.



Grand President Randy L. Hultz presents the 1994 Career Achievement Award to Brother A. Marvin Strait.

On Saturday, January 28, 1995, Brothers and honored guests of Delta Sigma Pi gathered at the Embassy Suites-Camelhead Hotel in Phoenix, Arizona, to honor the career accomplishments of one extraordinary Deltasig. Brother A. Marvin Strait of Colorado Springs, Colorado, and an initiate of Gamma Omega Chapter at Arizona State University, became only the second Brother to receive the fraternity's highest award for career achievements. A standing ovation accompanied

Grand President Randy L. Hultz as he presented the Career Achievement Award for 1994 to Brother A. Marvin Strait.

The Career Achievement Award is presented to the Brother who has best distinguished himself or herself in their chosen field of business, education or government. Any Brother nominated for this award must have made significant contributions to his or her field. The first Career Achievement Award was presented to Brother W. R. Howell, Chairman of the Board of the JCPenney Company.

One of the highest compliments which can be given to a business leader is that they have established the standards for the industry. This compliment is frequently given to Marvin Strait who was recently named as one of the 100 most influential accountants in the United States. His professional accomplishments fill several pages and resulted in his selection as the 1987 Business Citizen of the Year for the city of Colorado Springs, Colorado. He was also selected to the College of Business Hall of Fame at Arizona State University and is the recipient of the Gold

Medal for Distinguished Service from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the AICPA. The AICPA is the national leader of the accounting profession with 300,000 members.

Marvin Strait began his career in the small Colorado town of Lamar. He was the only Certified Public Accountant in a five county area and a friend remarked, "Marv also had to teach them what a CPA was." He rapidly became a partner in the firm of Alvin Larsen & Company, but decided in August of 1962 to begin his own practice. His professional responsibilities

and the scope of his partnerships continued to grow throughout the 1960's and early 1970's.

In 1973, Brother Strait moved to Colorado Springs to open a new office for the partnership of Stone, Gray and Company. The office grew rapidly and in 1977 became the independent firm of Strait, Kushinsky and Company when Stone, Gray and Company merged with a major CPA firm. Strait, Kushinsky and Company operated independently in Colorado Springs and Denver for several years. In 1993 Strait, Kushinsky and Company combined operations with the regional accounting firm of Baird, Kurtz and Dobson where Marvin served as a partner until May 31, 1994. Marvin is now continuing in the practice of public accounting under the name of A. Marvin Strait, CPA.

The list of positions held by Brother Strait is lengthy. He has served as Chairman of the Board of the Colorado Springs



In one of the more memorable moments from the banquet, Brother Strait is photographed with the 1956 and 1957 collegiate members of Gamma Omega Chapter at Arizona State University.

Chamber of Commerce and the St. Francis Hospital Board of Directors. He has served on the Colorado Springs Utilities Financial Advisory Board and is currently a member of the Board of Directors of Total Healthcare, Inc. He just retired as Chairman of the Tax Council for the Colorado Association of Commerce and Industry. These

positions are in addition to serving as President of the Colorado Society of Certified Public Accountants, President of the Colorado State Board of Accountancy, and Chairman of the Board of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

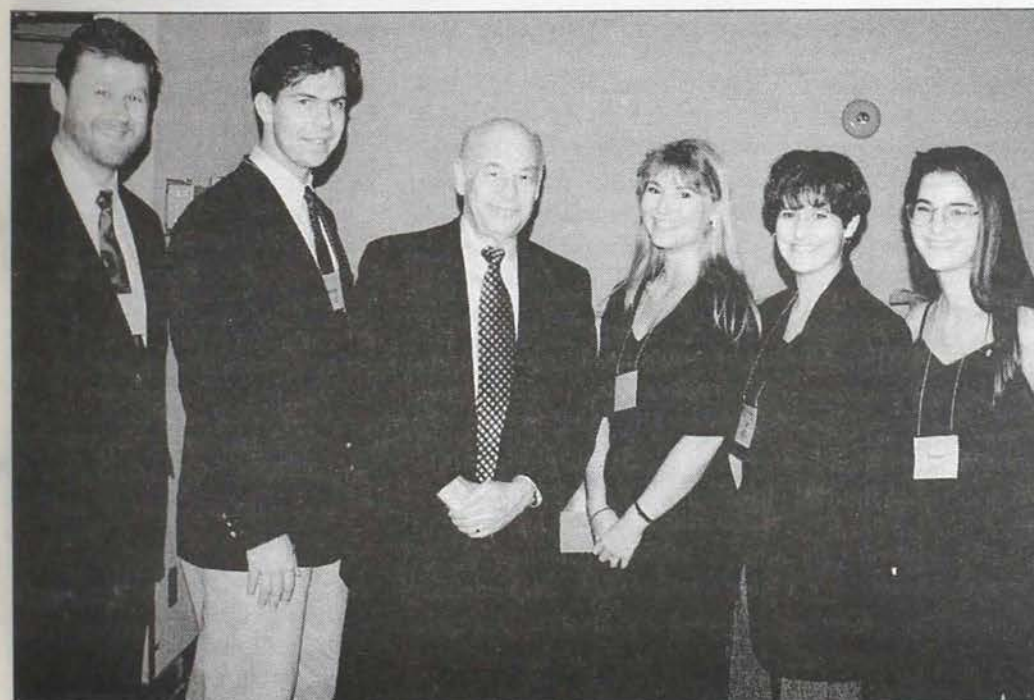
Marvin Strait arrived at Arizona State College in 1953

and married his wife Shirley in 1954. He and many other Deltasigs were in the Reserve Officers Training Corp (ROTC) together. He joined the Debate Team and the Pershing Rifles while in college and as a junior, was initiated into Delta Sigma

Pi. In his last year of college, he was elected and served as the Vice President for Pledge Education of Gamma Omega Chapter with such notable Deltasigs as Charles I. "Buzz" Sutton and William R. Leonard.

In 1957, he graduated with distinction from Arizona State College, now Arizona State University, and entered the United States Army as a Second Lieutenant. At the end of his tour of duty in El Paso, Texas, he returned to Colorado to begin his accounting practice. In addition to his wife Shirley, Marvin's family includes daughters Denise and Debbie and son Michael.

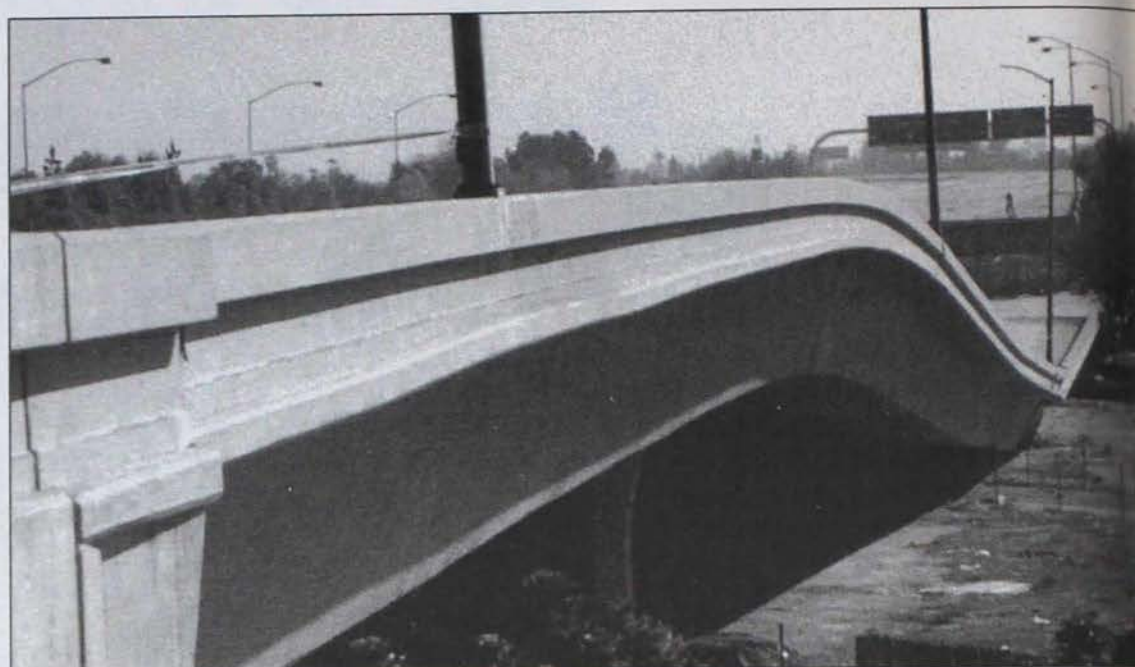
The Brothers of Delta Sigma Pi are honored to recognize the exemplary achievements of Brother A. Marvin Strait as their 1994 Career Achievement Award recipient.



Brother Strait celebrates with some of the current collegiate members of Gamma Omega Chapter at Arizona State University.



Foundation Trustee Charles I. (Buzz) Sutton visits with Mrs. Shirley Strait at the award banquet.



Freeways throughout California's northern San Fernando Valley were severed and collapsed.

Life Among the Faults

A fraternal retrospective of the Northridge Earthquake

by Stephen L. A. Black with photographs by Y. Lynnette Servaes

California is known for many things. Near the top of any short list of the cons of living in California are the earthquakes. For years, scientists have been predicting a large earthquake in the Los Angeles metropolitan area that has notoriously become known as 'the big one.' On the morning of January 17, 1994, residents of southern California received a significant reminder of why this phenomenon richly deserves to be on that list.

At 4:30 AM Pacific Standard Time, America's second largest city was relatively calm. At 4:32 AM, America's second largest city began collecting its

breath from the most financially-severe earthquake in the city's history. As dawn approached, things became more grim. Portions of the Golden State Freeway had collapsed north of the city. The Santa Monica Freeway, the world's busiest road, was severed in the mid-city area. Additional freeway collapses and damage were reported throughout the northern San Fernando Valley. The death toll began with the tragic report of a policeman's death related to a freeway collapse. Fires were burning out of control along and adjacent to Balboa Boulevard in Granada Hills and at other

points in the city. The sprawling campus of California State University, Northridge was severely damaged. Reports of the earthquake came from a widespread area. Power was knocked out in six states as the quake disrupted the electrical grid. A major aqueduct from the Sierra Nevada into the Newhall Pass was ruptured as well.

The earthquake was ultimately listed at 6.7 on the Richter Scale and was named after Northridge, the Los Angeles community that was the site of the quake's epicenter. The quake set records for vertical thrust proportion with

the ground raising 12 feet in Northridge. The quake killed 61 people, and injured approximately 5,500 people. Current estimates of the financial losses caused by the quake range from \$20 billion to \$30 billion. The Federal Government has pumped in \$8.6 billion in aid.

LIKE A GOOD NEIGHBOR

One of the millions of individuals jolted out of southern California beds was Brother Lynnette Servaes. She was staying there as a member of State Farm Insurance's special disaster team working to settle claims associated with

the 1993 Malibu fires. Servaes was literally thrown from her bed in a Woodland Hills apartment complex. Servaes crouched at the base of a doorjamb as she waited for the violent shaking to stop. "It was like being in a moonwalk that had gone crazy. Until it stopped, the only thing I could hear was the ground roaring. After that, the only thing I could hear was my heart pounding." The power was out and everything was pitch black. Very slowly, Servaes crawled out of the apartment to join others in the parking lot as they vacated the building. With the advantage of a beautiful southern California day, Servaes would later re-enter the building. The picture that had hung above her bed, now laid shattered on the bed. The room was littered with broken glass and displaced articles. The walls were filled with cracks. How she got out without cuts from the broken glass is still a mystery. Servaes would have to be relocated as the building was yellow tagged (enter at your own risk as parts of the structure need repair to make safe) by the county officials.

Once communication channels were functioning, Servaes had her immediate safety needs taken care of and was contacting her family in nearby Simi Valley. Reports from her parent's home and her own apartment were not good, but at least everyone was safe. Meanwhile in other parts of the country, State Farm claim representatives were quickly being dispatched to assist in southern California. Two DC-10s left bound for Los Angeles with the forms and office supplies necessary to set up an enormous supplemental claim operation. In this effort, State Farm would ultimately mobilize and maintain a massive claims force that at times would reach 1,200 persons. Three of



An earthquake office consists of a table, chairs, filing cabinets, phones, a few computers and lots of paper. Pictured left to right are claim representatives Mary Margaret Harrison, Brother Barbara Blanford and Brother Lynnette Servaes.

these individuals would ultimately be working with Servaes.

Gina Dobler from northern California, Barb Blanford from Indiana, and Julika Reiher from New Orleans all met as team members based in Newbury Park. Although it wasn't readily known, all were members of Delta Sigma Pi. Dobler and Servaes (from Epsilon Phi Chapter at California State University, Sacramento), Blanford (from Epsilon Xi Chapter at Ball State University), and Reiher (from Delta Nu Chapter at Loyola University of New Orleans) found themselves thrown together to handle earthquake claims. Working 12 hours a day, 7 days a week for a month can do a lot to bond a group together. As their paths crossed more and more, the common bond of Delta Sigma Pi served to develop a strong support network among the four.

The job of a special disaster claim representative is neither easy nor glamorous. Claim representatives are there to deliver the promises that were made when the insurance coverage was sold. The job is a challenging one as each claim

is different, and in the claim settlement process, each claim representative must wear several hats. In settling a claim, the representative works with soil and building engineers, contractors, interior designers, government officials, architects, the insurance agent, and the insured. In this role, the representative frequently is both student and teacher, motivator and realist, informer and friend. Perhaps it is the complexity of this role that also makes it so rewarding.

The claim representative arriving for special duty from out of town is placed in a unique situation as the environment is unfamiliar and their personal life is altered immeasurably. Blanford looks to the personal reward of the job as the stabilizing factor in a very unstable situation. "You are not there for you, you are there for those that have experienced whatever disaster it was that brought you there. You are there to console them, to help them, and to give them reason to continue. You are there to make a difference." Unfortunately, with disaster there are some situations where unscrupulous people will try to cheat the system. In a day when

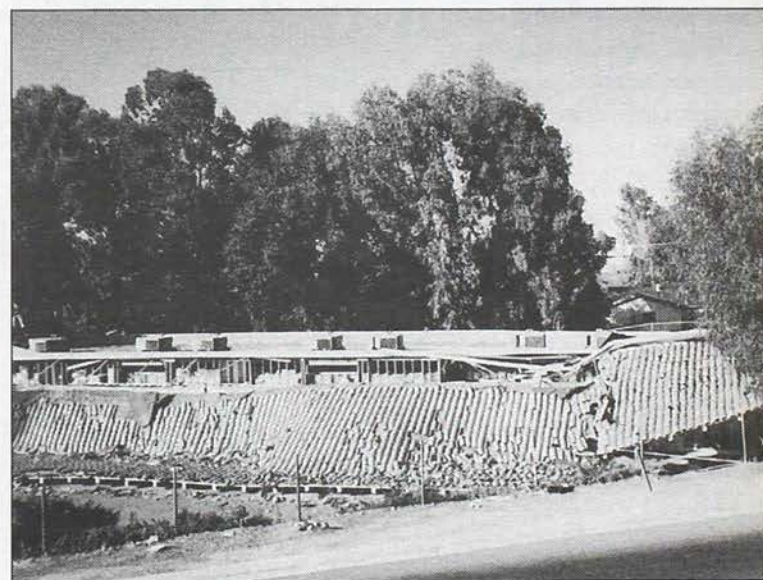
insurance fraud is still perceived as a minor offense, the claim representative is charged to properly evaluate the claim to ensure that every valid loss is paid and that uninsured losses are not paid.

At State Farm, the numbers seem almost unimaginable. Over 113,000 claims were filed as a result of the quake. As of December, the estimated losses topped the \$2.5 billion mark. A small minority of claims arising from the quake, and its many aftershocks, are still being handled. Even with the substantial progress made thus far, the process to close all files is still several months away.

In interviews, each Brother pieced together their memories of their experiences at Northridge. There were the sensationalized aspects of the quake's aftermath that were well covered by the media: the lengthy commute times caused through the Newhall Pass, the tent cities which sprang up virtually overnight across the floor of the San Fernando Valley, the prolonged restoration of power and water throughout the city, and the sense of community which developed in the hours

and days that followed the quake. It was this final topic to which each Deltasig was best able to relate. The rigors and rewards of life as a claim representative may have brought them together, but it was the common background of the fraternity that provided some of their best memories. Perhaps it was the sharing of many collegiate stories, or perhaps it was the efforts to recall the exact words of the Purpose one evening. Whatever it was, the bonds of Brotherhood did much to unite these four, to provide friendship and support during the many long days in Los Angeles' San Fernando Valley.

It is particularly interesting to poll the Brothers on the team about the similarities between the Fraternity and State Farm. One similarity, the common goals of Delta Sigma Pi and State Farm in helping others, stands out in this area. As a fraternity, community service activities are looked at as an important factor in collegiate chapter operations. In alumni chapters, service is likely to play an even larger role. In the insurance industry, service is the lifeblood of organizational survival.



This is all that remains of a strip mall off of California's Highway 101 after the roof collapsed.

AROUND THE SOUTH PACIFIC REGION

From a fraternal standpoint, the quake caused problems across the South Pacific Region and the northwestern edge of the Pacific Coast Region. One of the hardest hit groups was the Greater Los Angeles Alumni Chapter. With members spread across the Los Angeles Basin, damaged freeways and other transportation routes quickly contributed to the problem. Many of the locations in which the chapter assembled were damaged and closed by the quake. If the impact on the chapter wasn't enough, the quake exacted high personal costs on some Brothers in the area. The Greater Los Angeles Chapter has recovered and has rebuilt its program after a significant hiatus to allow Brothers to get their personal and business lives back in order.

The event caused limited damage on the campus and facilities of the University of Southern California which is home to Phi Chapter. Fraternity visits by National Officers and Central Office staff members were thrown into disarray and the basics of meetings such as transportation, meeting facilities, and communication were no longer to be taken for granted. California State University campuses at Long Beach (Lambda Phi Chapter) and Fullerton (Lambda Sigma Chapter) received little damage. Likewise, Loyola Marymount University (Delta Sigma Chapter) survived with relatively minor damage.

LIFE AT IOTA UPSILON

The situation at California State University, Northridge (CSUN) was quite different



Businesses on Sherman Oaks Street in the Northridge area suffered major damage.

than at other chapter campuses. The members of the Iota Upsilon Chapter were reeling from the devastation wrought by the trembler to both the University and the personal lives of each Brother. Fortunately, no Brother received more than minor injuries from the quake. While many fraternity badges and the chapter's Scholarship Key Scroll were lost in the quake, the level of harm was light. The quake's timing could not have come at a worse time for the chapter. The chapter was small due to high graduation rates and trying hard to rebuild.

Now, personal needs had to take priority over fraternity needs. After the quake only four business organizations resumed activities. This fact actually helped some with recruiting. These gains were offset by logistical problems that plagued the group as meeting facilities were unavailable and alternate sites often had to be changed at the last minute.

In addition, the quake left the campus complicated by a severe lack of parking and classroom space. 58 buildings were damaged in the quake including a number that burned or are waiting demolition. The campus reopened from semester break on February 14 —

two weeks later than scheduled. School enrollment fell over 10% to about 24,500. In October, 1994, the newly constructed Business Building which had survived the quake rather well, was opened. In addition, some dormitories have reopened and the central portion of the Library has reopened. Almost a year after the quake, nearly half of the damaged buildings are open. On a positive note, University officials are raising funds to rebuild the campus using extensive fiber optics that will network the entire campus together for computer purposes.

According to chapter president Heather Schumacher, things at Northridge are getting better. The quake taught the chapter a lot about more extensive planning, to have contingency plans, and learning to adapt more quickly to change. With the exception of periodic aftershocks, life is getting a little less jumpy and more back to normal at CSUN.

A CALIFORNIA PROBLEM?

Earthquake exposure is not limited to Los Angeles. Most people are aware there is a high risk of substantial quake damage in many parts of

California — particularly Los Angeles and the San Francisco Bay Area. What many people overlook, however, are other significant risk areas such as the New Madrid Fault in southeastern Missouri, and in Alaska. The risk and cost of these quakes and many other natural disasters (such as hurricanes, tornadoes, hail, flooding, etc.), have led to proposed legislation such as the Natural Disaster Protection Act.

Perhaps what should be most alarming about the Northridge quake is that this was not a major earthquake. According to a Stanford University study, a 7 magnitude quake along the Newport-Inglewood Fault would incur at least \$125 billion in damage and kill 2,000 to 5,000 people. Similar economic and life losses are expected in the event of a repeat of the San Francisco earthquake of 1906.

The aftermath of the Northridge quake may contribute to the on going quake problem in the Los Angeles area. According to an article in Science magazine, the quake was produced by stress released from the 1971 San Fernando Earthquake. This same release is credited to have caused the 1987 Whittier Narrows quake. The Northridge rupture raised additional stress along several

other Los Angeles area faults including the Elysian Park, Sierra Madre, and Newport-Inglewood faults. The raised stress is not significant enough to cause earthquakes on its own, but such stress can trigger quakes in areas where the crust is already near failure, or may advance future quakes.

THE LESSONS OF NORTHRIDGE

This article really approaches two themes: the value of Brotherhood from both alumni and collegiate perspectives, and an overview of the devastation wrought by the Northridge Earthquake. The lesson the trembler reminded many southern Californians of is to be and to stay prepared. In an area of the nation that has been besieged with disasters the past few years, one would think southern Californians would be better prepared and more financially responsible than many were. The message to all Deltasigs is that the Fraternity truly does represent a lifelong commitment, opportunity, and reward. Many of the teachings of the fraternity are consistent with the playing field presented in the real world and serve to remind us of reasons why we associated with the Fraternity in the first place.✦



A collapsed parking structure on the campus of California State University in Northridge, home of Iota Upsilon Chapter.

News FROM SOUTH CAMPUS

Fraternity's Board of Directors Appoints Executive Director

The Board of Directors and Executive Committee of Delta Sigma Pi are pleased to announce the appointment of Brother William C. Schilling as Executive Director. With fourteen years in fraternity and association management, Bill brings a wealth of experience to the position that will provide tremendous benefits to Delta Sigma Pi, its chapters and members.

Previously, Bill served as the Associate Executive Director of Sertoma International, a civic service organization with over 900 chapters in the U.S. Prior to 1990, he served as the organization's Director of Marketing and Conventions. During his tenure with Sertoma, Bill was responsible for convention management, the annual merchandise program, leadership and educational programming and national office management.

Prior to joining Sertoma, Bill served as Director of Publications (1981-1983) and Assistant Executive Director (1983-1986) of Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity. Alpha Gamma Rho is a professional/social fraternity for agricultural students. During his tenure with Alpha Gamma Rho, Bill coordinated all management and development programs for collegiate chapters, managed the headquarters staff and activities, produced annual regional leadership seminars, made consultation visits with alumni and collegiate chapters, directed the merchandising program, wrote and edited all publications, including the magazine, and maintained the Educational Foundation's financial records.

Bill is a member of the College Fraternity Editors Association and served as its President in 1989. He is also a member of Meeting Planners International and the American Society of Association Executives. A graduate of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, he currently serves on the National Board of the University's Alumni Association.

During his college years, Bill was named Greek Man of the Year and was the recipient of the Alpha Gamma Rho National Undergraduate Achievement Award. After receiving his bachelor of science degree with high distinction, Bill spent a year at the University of Nebraska College of Law before joining the national staff of Alpha Gamma Rho. During that time, he was a founding member of a local chapter of Sigma Nu Phi Legal Fraternity and The National Resources Law Society.

Nominated as an Honorary Member of Delta Sigma Pi by the Lincoln-Greater Nebraska Alumni Chapter, Brother Schilling was initiated on March 18, 1995. The initiation ceremony was held on the University of Missouri campus in Kansas City, Missouri, and was attended by members of the Board of Directors, District Directors, and collegiate and alumni Brothers.



William C. Schilling

Leadership Foundation Trustees Select Executive Vice President

The members of the Board of Trustees of the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation are pleased to announce the selection of Brother Heather A. Bailey as the Foundation's second Executive Vice President. She succeeds Brother Daniel S. Doyle who resigned last October to pursue other professional opportunities.

Brother Bailey was initiated by Epsilon Rho Chapter at the University of Tampa in November, 1983. She served her collegiate chapter as Vice President for Professional Activities and President. Heather was appointed as a District Director shortly after her graduation in 1986, and then was elected to her first term as South Atlantic Regional Director in 1987. After a working hiatus, during which she served as President of the South Florida Alumni Chapter, she was elected to a new term as Regional Director in 1993 and served in that capacity until her relocation to The Central Office.

Professionally, Heather was associated with Fidelity Federal Savings Bank of Florida in West Palm Beach, Florida. She held the position of Public Relations Coordinator. In that capacity, she coordinated many corporate philanthropic functions including the corporate giving and sponsorship programs, and the promotion of volunteerism among bank employees. That experience, combined with Heather's active participation in Delta Sigma Pi, Junior Achievement, and several other non-profit, community service organizations, make her very well qualified to serve as the chief staff officer of the Leadership Foundation.

Founded in 1989, the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation is a separate, non-profit organization committed to identifying, cultivating and securing sources of funding for educational and leadership development programs benefiting members of the Fraternity. Each year, the Foundation awards numerous scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students as well as graduate study grants to the regional and national Collegians of the Year. Funding is also provided for educational programming and speakers at the Grand Chapter Congress. New in 1994, was the Leadership Academy in Oxford, to provide practical experience and motivation to collegiate chapter members who want to become Fraternity and business leaders.

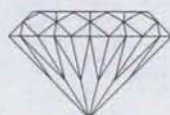
As Executive Vice President, Brother Bailey will play a critical role in the future growth and success of the Leadership Foundation.



Heather A. Bailey

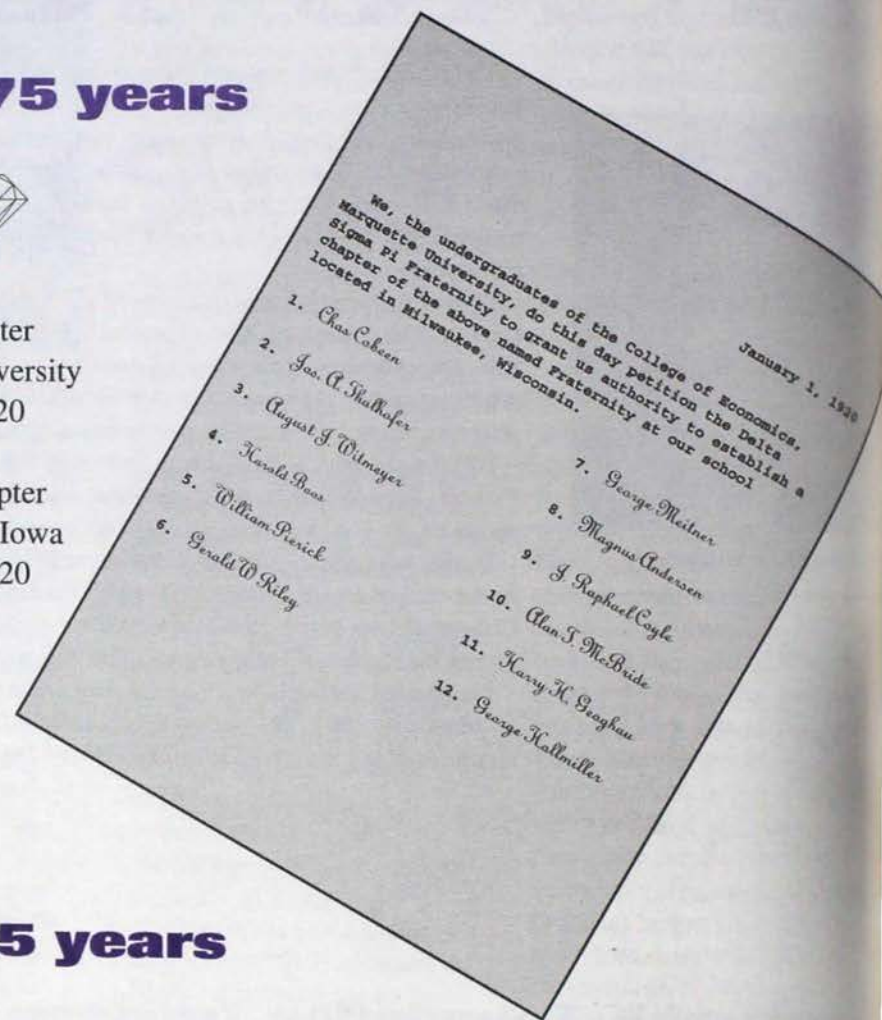
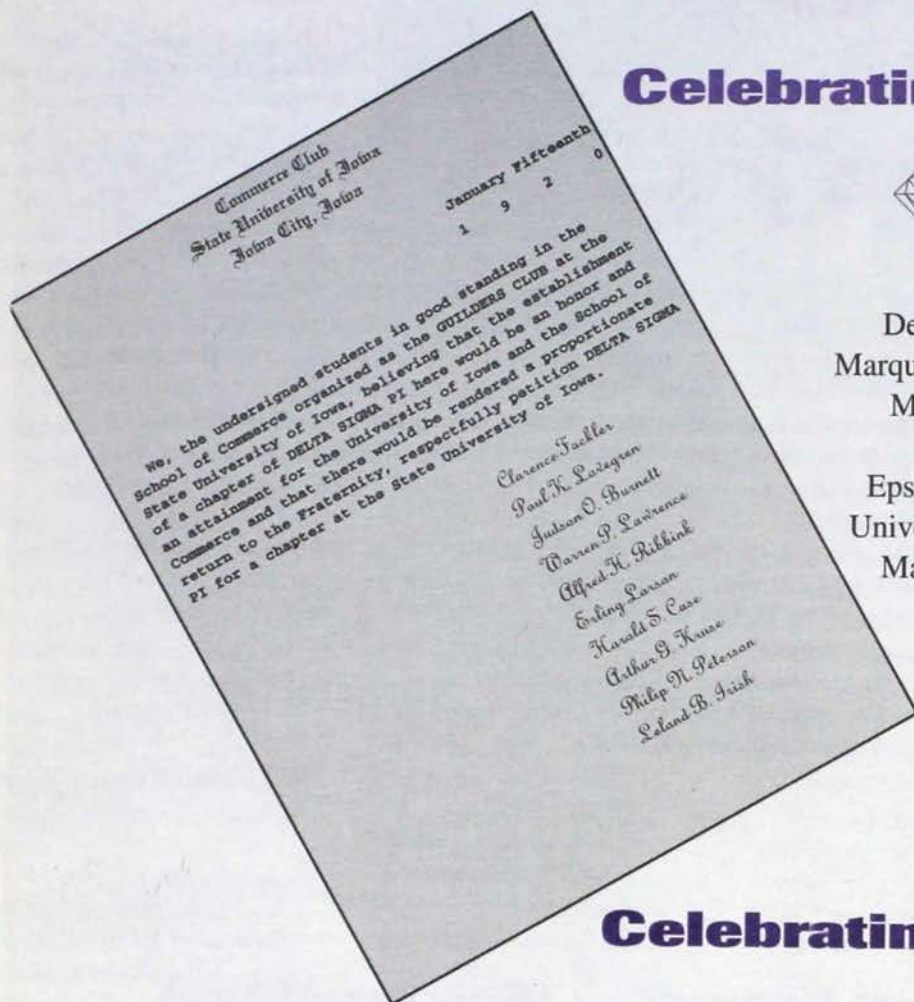
Chapters Celebrating Anniversaries in 1995

Celebrating 75 years



Delta Chapter
Marquette University
May 1, 1920

Epsilon Chapter
University of Iowa
May 11, 1920



Celebrating 25 years

Theta Kappa Chapter
University of Akron
April 18, 1970

Theta Lambda Chapter
Xavier University
April 25, 1970

Theta Rho Chapter
Duquesne University
September 26, 1970

Eta Psi Chapter
University of Houston
February 1, 1970

Eta Omega Chapter
Virginia Commonwealth University
March 7, 1970

Theta Omicron Chapter
St. Ambrose University
May 10, 1970

Theta Sigma Chapter
University of Central Florida
May 24, 1970

Theta Iota Chapter
University of Connecticut
March 8, 1970

Theta Pi Chapter
Bowling Green State University
May 17, 1970

Theta Tau Chapter
St. Cloud State University
June 6, 1970



A World of Brotherhood

40th Grand Chapter Congress Orlando, Florida

Whether this will be your first Grand Chapter Congress or your twenty-fifth, Orlando, Florida is where you will want to be later this summer. In August, the 40th Grand Chapter Congress will be in full swing and is an event that all Deltasigs, both collegiate and alumni, as well as their family and friends, will not want to miss. Ask a fellow Brother who has previously attended our national convention why you should go, and if they can put the experience into words, you will receive a long list of reasons for attending.

It's just a few short months away, so plan now to be in Orlando and experience "A World of Brotherhood" for yourself. Previous convention attendees invariably find it difficult to express the true impact that the Congress has had on their lives. How can you describe an event where you first met a lifelong friend or even your spouse? How can you put into words the emotions you felt when you witnessed your chapter receive a national award and received a standing ovation from your fellow Brothers? How can you make someone understand the feeling of Brotherhood that overwhelms you when you stand arm in arm with hundreds of Brothers from around the world to sing the Rose of Deltasig? Be there, and you can answer these questions for yourself!

In the last issue of The DELTASIG, we provided information on

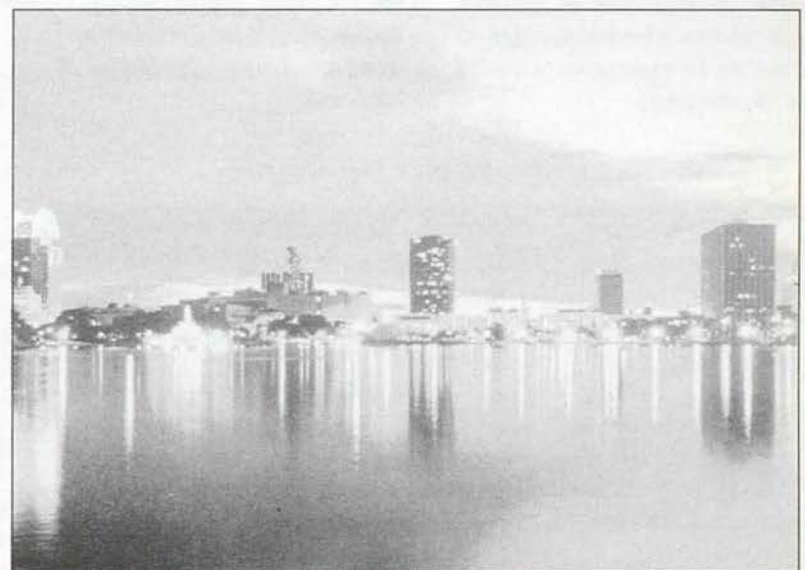


Photo courtesy of Mark Englert.

The White Heron, one of Florida's many birds is seen around Orlando's many lakes.

our host city and the many well known attractions in the Orlando area. We also told you about the Peabody Hotel, home of the 40th Grand Chapter Congress, and provided convention travel information. This special pull-out section contains highlights of the convention on a day-by-day basis. You'll also find details on some of the outstanding speakers scheduled to attend.

Here's an overview of the Orlando experience which is in store for all. . .



Nighttime skyline views of downtown Orlando are constantly changing in this growing city.

40th Grand Chapter Congress

CONVENTION OVERVIEW



Tuesday

Delta Sigma Pi Brothers and guests from around the United States arrive at The Peabody Hotel in Orlando, Florida, for the 1995 Grand Chapter Congress. The registration desk opens at 6:00 P.M. in the West Lobby to greet arriving Deltasigs. Members of the Fraternity's Board of Directors will be on hand to welcome the hundreds of Brothers and guests who have come to Orlando to experience a World of Brotherhood.

Wednesday

What a way to start a Congress! Throughout the day outstanding personal development and fraternal sessions will be offered to enhance your wealth of knowledge.

The Outstanding Alumni Luncheon will give you an opportunity to meet several outstanding Deltasig alumni Brothers from the fraternal and commercial worlds, the Grand President and most members of the Board of Directors.

In the afternoon, alumni Brothers have the opportunity to match your golf prowess against other Deltasigs. Afternoons in Orlando are quite warm, but greens fees drop to a very reasonable level after 3 P.M.

The evening events begin with the Grand President's Reception. Each participant will have the opportunity to meet the Grand President, the Past Grand President, the Executive Director, the Vice President for Alumni Benefits and Services, and many other fraternity leaders. A dance will follow the reception, marking the first social event of the Congress. Running concurrently with the Dance will be the Yellow Dog and Pink Poodle Initiations — traditional events that occur only at a Grand Chapter Congress.

Thursday

Thursday begins with a morning Delegates' Orientation Session. During this session official chapter Delegates and Alternates will be provided with information on the policies and procedures followed during the Business Sessions and will preview the legislation that will be considered.

A busy day continues as the 40th meeting of the Grand Chapter Congress of Delta Sigma Pi officially begins with the Opening Business Session. At this session, a variety of recognitions and business matters are handled, followed by the introduction of Brother Joe D.



Batten as the Keynote Speaker. Brother Batten is a world renowned consultant and lecturer and is the author of fifteen books. Continuing a pattern of service, Brother Batten will offer his insight on personal leadership.

Later in the morning, the members of the Royal Order of the Pink Poodles, an organization open to female spouses of members of Delta Sigma Pi, will have their biennial brunch and meeting.

of the Fraternity will be considered by the delegates. Every chapter is strongly urged to send a delegate and two alternate delegates to Congress. Be a part of the decision making process.

Friday

Chapters and individuals from across the United States will be recognized and honored for their accomplishments during festivi-



At the afternoon Business Session, nominations for fraternity volunteer officers will be made and various official reports will be delivered. Later in the afternoon and at the evening Business Session, legislation aimed at amending the Bylaws and Ritual

ties on Friday. During a morning session, the 1995 Collegian of the Year will address the Congress and certificates for regional achievements in the Outstanding Chapter, Outstanding Professional Activities, Most Improved Chapter, and the Community

Service awards categories will be presented.

Friday is also the day for outstanding speakers to share their insights with Congress participants. Ms. Eileen Stevens will share her personal story of working to prevent hazing deaths, and Mr. Reginald Wilson from the American Management Association will share his expertise with our members.

Before lunch on Friday, convention participants will have an opportunity to hear and to question the candidates for the offices of Grand President and Vice President for Alumni Benefits and Services in the National Candidate Caucuses.

Following the caucuses the National Awards Luncheon will be held. This special convention highlight provides an outstanding forum for recognition of the best that Delta Sigma Pi has to offer. At this event, national winners of the Outstanding Chapter, Most Improved Chapter, and Community Service awards will be presented along with other special recognitions.



During the afternoon, candidates for Regional Director and Provincial Vice President positions will meet with the delegations from their respective geographic areas in Regional Caucuses and Provincial Caucuses.

On Friday night Brothers of Delta Sigma Pi will travel to Pleasure Island. This six acre af-

ter dark entertainment complex, like many other Disney creations, has a fictitious history to go along with its craftily constructed facades. Ostensibly, the island's derelict factories and warehouses are left over from the sailmaking business of 19th-century entrepreneur Merri-



weather Adam Pleasure. While shopping on Pleasure Island you will find a diverse mix of shops—from Hammer & Fire, which features jewelry, accessories and decorative gifts, to the Mouse House, the island's character shop chock full of T-shirts, toys and other paraphernalia. And be sure to check out Changing Attitudes, a 'new age' shop featuring an assortment of merchandise in black and white. Then you can dance the night away with a variety of nightclubs and restaurants in a theme setting. The Neon Armadillo Music Saloon offers the coolest live bands that play the hottest country tunes this side of Nashville—all in a Southwestern decor. New attractions on Pleasure Island include a '70s dance haven and a jazz club. Whatever you choose to do it will be a night of relaxation, fun and Brotherhood.

Saturday

With the dawning of this day, convention participants will find it hard to believe that this is the final full day of convention activities. At the Final Business Session, elections for the new Board of Directors will be conducted. Additionally, resolutions and testimonials will be heard and the 1995-1997 Board of Directors will be installed.

After lunch there will be a special interactive session on The History of the Fraternity. This fact packed session, hosted by Past Grand President Michael R. Mallonee, is one you don't want to miss. Later in the afternoon,

the National Honorary Member Initiation will occur. An initiation team, selected from among the top performing chapters, will conduct the ceremony to initiate an outstanding leader in business, government or education. This newest member of Delta Sigma Pi will briefly address the participants.

quet, the Ball begins with live entertainment into the wee hours.

Sunday

On Sunday, August 13, 1995, the 40th Grand Chapter Congress will become a memory for all

Come share the adventure!

The absolute highlight of each Grand Chapter Congress is the Grand Chapter Congress Banquet and Ball. Attendees dress in their finest for this special event as it is the celebration of the convention days gone by and all that Delta Sigma Pi was, is and will be. During the program a number of recognitions will be made and the National Honorary Member will be presented membership credentials. After the ban-

who will attend and another part of the history of Delta Sigma Pi will be written. As attendees depart, good-byes and addresses will be exchanged, new lifetime friendships will have been solidified and that special feeling that enhances all that is to be a Delta-sig will be strong. Orlando will provide a World of Brotherhood. Be there and experience it for yourself.



Grand Chapter Congress

Speakers

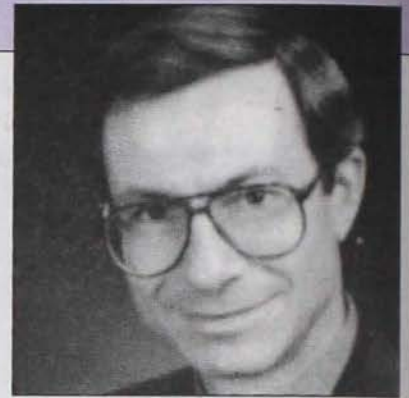


Joe D. Batton

influenced thousands of business people. Brother Batton was initiated in 1982, as an Honorary Member at the North Central Regional Conference. Since then he has warmly shared his business vision with fraternity members. Continuing a pattern of service, Brother Batton will offer his insight on personal leadership.

Keynote Speaker

Brother Joe D. Batten, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Batten Group, is the Keynote Speaker for the 40th Grand Chapter Congress. Brother Batten is a world renowned consultant and lecturer and is the author of fifteen books. His training films, videos, and audio programs have made a dramatic impact on the field of business leadership. His most recent book, *Tough Minded Leadership*, was voted Book of the Year by the American Management Association and has



Stephen A. Stumpf

Stephen A. Stumpf is Dean of the College of Business, Director of the Center of Leadership, and Professor of Management at the University of Tampa. Dr. Stumpf has a degree in chemical engineering from Rensselaer, an M.B.A. from the University of Rochester, and a Ph.D. in organizational behavior from New York University. He has written over 100 papers, articles, and business cases, and authored several books. His materials are widely used in management development programs by dozens of Fortune 1000 companies.

Brother Stumpf was initiated into Epsilon Rho Chapter as Faculty Advisor in 1993.



Ms. Eileen Stevens

Since the death of her son, Chuck, in 1978 at Alfred University, Eileen Stevens has waged a national campaign to eliminate all dangerous physical and mental hazing practices. Chuck was killed in a senseless hazing incident at a local fraternity. Ms. Stevens founded the not-for-profit organization C.H.U.C.K.-Committee to Halt Useless College

Killings. The goals of the C.H.U.C.K. organization are to bring about an awareness of hazing and prompt legislative action as a strong step to deter hazing abuses and insure the safety of students. Eileen Stevens' message is not anti-fraternity, but anti-hazing. Greek organizations continue to work closely with her to find alternative and positive programs. She has lectured at well over 500 campuses nationwide and has spoken at numerous national fraternity conventions, conferences and regional meetings and she will share her personal story with members of Delta Sigma Pi at the 40th Grand Chapter Congress.

Mr. Reginald Wilson from the American Management Association will return to another Delta Sigma Pi event to share his expertise with our members. Mr. Wilson attended the Fraternity's 1995 Leadership Academy and walked away with rave reviews from the Leadership Academy participants. As Director of Operation Enterprise Programs, Reg is responsible for overseeing all activities of the management training and leadership development division for high school and college level students worldwide. His seminar will be on Change Management. Come learn from an expert.



Reginald Wilson

At the age of twenty-seven, Brother Christina U. Lewis has traveled across the globe speaking to audiences from hundreds of countries.

Internationally known and re-

spected, Christina has a remarkable experience to share with the Brothers of Delta Sigma Pi. Like many college students, she never dreamed she would spend much of her life in her current occupation. Initiated in 1988, into Theta Phi Chapter at the University of South Florida in Tampa, Florida, Christina will relate how one life changing event has sent her around the globe. Christina is the Community Education and Technical Assistance Coordinator for NAPWA (National Association of People with Aids). We are honored to welcome Christina back to her third Grand Chapter Congress.



Christina U. Lewis

Scholarships

The Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation, through your generous support of the 1994-95 Annual Campaign, announces that applications for the following scholarships are now being accepted:

Undergraduate Study Grants for Deltasigs

One-time grants of \$500.00 for undergraduate study in the field of business are available to undergraduate Deltasigs in their freshman, sophomore, junior or senior year. An applicant must be a collegiate Brother of the fraternity in good standing with at least one semester or quarter of college remaining. Grants are based on fraternity service, scholarship and demonstrated financial need.

Graduate Study Grants for Deltasigs

One-time grants of \$1,500 for graduate study are available to Deltasigs who have completed at least 75% of the undergraduate requirements for graduation. An applicant must be a collegiate Brother of the fraternity who has been a member for at least one year, or an alumni Brother in good standing.

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Alumni CHAPTERS SPEAK

Alcatraz

The Bay Area Alumni Chapter is excited to announce its reactivation in the San Francisco Bay area. Our first order of business was to change our name to the Alcatraz Alumni Chapter. Events are currently being planned for the summer and fall. Any alumni in the North, South or East Bay, or on the Peninsula, who are interested in becoming involved or who need more information, should contact

service, and social programs. Our chapters activities for spring 1995 include:

Professional: Monthly dinner meetings with professional speakers, as well as a tour of a local manufacturing plant.

Service: Volunteering at the Georgia Special Olympics Winter Games, preparing and serving food at Atlanta's Hospitality House and entertaining children at the Dogwood Festival.

Social: First Tuesday Flings—a different outing each month

area to join us, because in Atlanta, we are **Brothers Forever!**

Baltimore

Once again in January, the Baltimore Alumni Chapter had a full table for their Golden Oldies Dinner Dance at American Turners Hall. The event has been so popular that we reserved a table for the third Sunday of every month for the rest of the year. For more information call Fred Karr at (410) 284-0204.

The Luncheon Group meets on the second Wednesday of the month. All are invited to attend and you may contact Buck Carter at (410) 661-3766 for further information.

Central Florida

The Central Florida Alumni Chapter held a holiday party for Deltasig alumni and families in December. The gathering was well attended by both members and perspectives alike, and all had an enjoyable time meeting new people, revisiting old friends, and exchanging gifts.

The Chapter is very busy planning for Grand Chapter Congress and invites everyone to come to Orlando and share in the adventure.

Cincinnati

Several alumni Brothers in the Cincinnati, Oxford and surrounding area are getting together a group of alumni to reactivate the Cincinnati Alumni Chapter. If you live in the area and would like to join the chapter, please call Gina Pettit at (513) 489-5146.

Indianapolis

A group of alumni in Indianapolis are trying to reactivate the chapter. If you are interested in joining you

can contact Rebecca Sebree at 7504 South Sherman Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46237.

London

A small group of alumni in London, England have formed an alumni chapter and regularly hold informal social gatherings. If you or someone you know is a member and lives in London or is planning a visit, the London group would like to hear from you. For information, call 081-746-1298.

North Carolina Piedmont

The new North Carolina Piedmont Alumni Chapter is off to a great start! Over the holidays, we had a "community-wise" Christmas party and collected over 35 toys for underprivileged children living in the Greensboro-Winston Salem area. In January, on a cold winter night, a small group of members met for chicken wings. In February, our chapter began work on two professional projects. The first is a professional *Who's Who* directory of our members and the second is a business card book. To celebrate our local collegiate chapter's birthday, we brought a handmade pinata to Iota Omega's "Mexican Fiesta" party. Our chapter has also established a monthly newsletter of upcoming events. Anyone interested in receiving a copy can call President Cathy Rosenberg at (910) 722-3260 or write P.O. Box 19204, Greensboro, NC 27419-9204.

North Florida

The North Florida Alumni Chapter was reactivated on November 13, 1993. It has been a slow struggle, but we are becoming more active. Our membership is up to twenty-three and we hope to grow dramatically shortly.

As a community service project in December, the chapter baked twenty dozen Christmas cookies for the Ronald McDonald House and had a social.

We are excited about the upcoming Grand Chapter Congress in Orlando in August and want to personally invite all alumni to come and experience our southern hospitality.

We would love to hear from you. To contact the North Florida Alumni Chapter and to learn about upcoming events, please call Ron Natherson at (904) 221-2426.

Sacramento Valley

The chapter started this year with an extremely successful membership drive which brought many new members into our folds. The 19th Annual Christmas Party at Bill Tatum's house was cancelled in order to celebrate the initiation of Nu Rho Chapter at UC - Davis and show our support by attending the presentation of their charter.

The chapter continues to serve the fraternity in various national offices and by attending Regional Conferences. We continue to host monthly luncheons the first Wednesday of each month at the Old Spaghetti Factory, as well as holding our regular business meeting the third Wednesday of each month. For information on joining the chapter or upcoming events contact Chapter President Kerri Petersen at (916) 361-1928

South Florida

Greetings from the South Florida Alumni Chapter! We're basking in the sunshine and 84 degree heat. We are also very busy planning and hyping the Grand Chapter Congress in Orlando. Please accept this as a personal invitation to come



Members of the Piedmont Alumni Chapter gather after an evening of Brotherhood and chicken wings.

Chapter President Brian Richardson or Chapter Vice President Mike Maddux at (415) 333-4095. We will be having regular happy hours at 7 P.M., on the 3rd Thursday of every month at TGI Fridays in San Bruno. We encourage all Bay area alumni to come join us. We also encourage new graduates to contact us to continue your fraternal experience with the Alcatraz Alumni Chapter.

Atlanta

Delta Sigma Pi is a professional fraternity, so why not stay active when you become a member! The Atlanta Alumni Chapter helps you remain active after you graduate by providing full professional,

to places like comedy clubs, dueling piano bars, trivia nights, country line dancing halls, miniature golf courses, and sporting events.

In addition, we offer all Deltasigs who are seeking employment in the Atlanta area the opportunity to use our monthly newsletter as a vehicle toward that end. This free service allows you to tell the entire chapter about the type of position you're seeking. This is not meant to be a full resume service, but an additional method of assisting with your job search. Call our information line at (404) 608-2449 to find out about upcoming events and to leave a message to receive more information about the Atlanta Alumni Chapter. We welcome all Deltasigs in our

enjoy the fun and the sun!
Mark your calendars - August
8-13, 1995. See you there!!!

St. Louis

Again, the St. Louis Undergrad Weekend was a big success with over 200 undergrads in attendance. Professional tours of several companies in the St. Louis area were arranged for Friday morning and Friday afternoon everyone participated in a tour of Anheuser-Busch. The volleyball tournament was held on

Friday evening.

On Saturday afternoon, groups of Brothers visited some of St. Louis' star attractions. The weekend ended with a party.

The St. Louis Alumni Chapter also offers a service with the newsletter called the *Jobs Bulletin*. This service not only list Brothers that are looking for jobs, but also gives the opportunity to list openings.

If you would like information on the alumni chapter contact Don Fitzgerald at (314) 469-1611.

Delta Sigma Pi Welcomes New Honorary Members



Fraternity employees with Grand President Randy L. Hultz after their initiation. They are, from left to right, Joan Howe, Hilda Krueger, Randy Hultz, Carol O'Donnell, Donna Amrhein, and Janet Morgan.

On February 11, 1995, five dedicated Fraternity employees were initiated as Honorary members of Delta Sigma Pi. Nominated by the Atlanta Alumni Chapter for their service and contributions to the Fraternity, Donna Amrhein, Joan Howe, Hilda Krueger, Janet Morgan, and Carol O'Donnell were welcomed into our Brotherhood. Together they have provided over 34 years of support to the Fraternity as members of The Central Office staff.

A Ritual team consisting of members of the Fraternity's Executive Committee and Central Office Executive Staff conducted the initiation at Kulmer Chapel on the Miami University campus in Oxford. The initiation was attended by members of the Fraternity's Board of Directors and several District Directors, alumni and collegiate Brothers. A reception was held for our new members and their families in the Founders' Room of The Central Office following the ceremony.

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Alumni NOTES

Ronald Cary Andujar, *Adelphi*, has been promoted to Vice President and will lead the Chase BankCard Services Marketing Liaison Group in New York.

Laurie Gail Senko, *Arizona State*, has accepted a new position as Asset Manager with Southwest Harvard Group in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mark G. Ufford, *Ball State*, has accepted a position as Audit Supervisor with The Huntington National Bank of Indiana. He is responsible for the internal audit function at the Indiana and Illinois offices of The Huntington. Ufford has nine years experience as a bank examiner and regulator. He and his family reside in Carmel, Indiana.

Jeffrey A. Dong, *Boston*, accepted a position as a Procedures Analyst with the Volusia County School District. He is in the process of developing a quality improvement plan for the school system. Dong currently resides in Orlando, Florida.

Regina K. Woodard, *Bowling Green State*, has a position in customer service with USAir Airlines at Charlotte Douglas International Airport in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Henry (Hank) Caputo, *California State-Chico*, is employed by Electronic Data Systems (EDS) where he was recently promoted to Information Services Director for the Agripac, Inc. account in Salem, Oregon. Agripac is a \$150 million producer, co-packer, and marketer of branded canned and frozen vegetables, and a major producer of value-added products under various labels, including Bird's Eye and Oreida. He resides in Salem, Oregon, with his wife and two children.

Brian W. Morton, *California State-Fresno*, has been

promoted to Account Executive with LDDS Communication in Fresno, California.

Elizabeth Ann Birmingham, *Central Florida*, has a position as Export Administrator at Distributed Processing Technology, and is a Corporate Officer of Products Worldwide, Inc.

Charles Lee Koepke, Jr., *Central Florida*, passed the State of Florida Building Contractors License. Koepke currently lives in Kissimmee, Florida, and is Vice President of Lee Koepke, Inc. He also has been appointed to the Planning Advisor Board of Kissimmee, and is active with the Kissimmee Kiwanis Club.

David R. Lee, *Central Florida*, has accepted a position as Regional Internal Auditor for Aaron Rents, Inc. in Florida.

Robert Lee Smith, *Central Florida*, has been promoted to Account Specialist Level II at the Travelers in Florida.

Christopher L. Sweet, *Central Florida*, has been promoted to Admissions Supervisor at Universal Studios in Florida.

Joseph A. Liotta, CFP, *Christian Brothers*, a financial advisor in the Melville office of Prudential Securities Incorporated in Melville, New York, has had his biography included in the *Who's Who in the East-25th Silver Anniversary Edition, 1995/1996*. Inclusion in this book is limited to those individuals who have made significant contributions toward the enhancement of their community through their community service activities and their outstanding achievements in their field of expertise.

Liotta joined Prudential Securities in 1983 and is the chairman of the Securities Industry Association's New York District Economic Education Committee. In addition, he is a trustee of the

SIA-NY District Economic Educational Foundation. He and his wife reside in Northport, New York, with their newborn son.

Richard T. Peat, *Colorado*, concluded his four and one half year career as an Army Chemical Officer and accepted a position with the Kansas Bureau of Environmental Remediation.

He is based in Topeka, Kansas, and travels throughout the state conducting contamination investigations.

Julie A. LeFrois, *Florida Atlantic*, has accepted a new position as Assistant Account Executive with Fahlgran Benito.

Debra Marie Dagostino, *Florida State*, has a position with Robert Half International, Inc.

Carole E. Slojetz, *Illinois State*, has a position as Senior Account Executive with PageMart in Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois.

Geoffrey M. Knoerzer, *Indiana-Northwest*, has been appointed to the newly-created position of Vice President - Operations at Subscriber Computing, Inc. in Laguna Hills, California. Knoerzer will

have overall responsibility for Client Support, Quality Assurance and Development, with all Product Managers reporting to him. He has an extensive management background in wireless telecommunications support systems. Prior to joining Subscriber Computing, Inc., Knoerzer spent over 12 years in wireless communications, dating back to the late 70's with Illinois Bell where he was involved with the original cellular AMPS Project. He served as Vice President of Celltech in Texas, with Cincinnati Bell Information Systems he served as cellular software development manager, Director and General Manager of Comptech division in Seattle, Washington, and Development Director for the Chicago operations. A native of Chicago, he has been married for 25 years and has three children.

Leroy W. Stewart, *Indiana-Northwest*, has accepted a position with Price Waterhouse LLP in Chicago, Illinois. He is working in the Tax Technology Group as a State Tax Form Developer, where he develops state tax forms to be used in Price Waterhouse's Tax

Management Software issued to clients. He has also been appointed as District Director for Kappa Phi Chapter at Valparaiso University.

William L. (Bill) Beardsley, *Kent State*, retired from Outokumpu Cooper, Kenosha, Wisconsin, in April of 1994. His industrial experience has been with McNeil Corporation; Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company; Atlantic Richfield Company; and Outokumpu. He served the companies as an Inventory Control Specialist, Production Scheduler, Industrial Engineer, Personnel Manager, Employee Relations Manager, Plant Superintendent, Industrial Engineering Manager, and Manager of Safety, Industrial Hygiene, Training, and Security. Beardsley and his wife are currently building a new house in Hot Springs Village, Arkansas.

Dr. Richard W. Gaddis, *Lamar*, Director of the Master of Science in Management degree program at Southern Nazarene University's Tulsa Center, has been selected as the Oklahoma Business Education Administrator of the Year. The award is presented annually to the state's most outstanding administrator by the

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The Alumni Association of Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma, awarded Dr. Gaddis the Citation of Merit Award in recognition of his professional and personal contributions to society which have brought honor and distinction to Northeastern State University.

Patricia Constenla Granich, *Loyola Marymount*, has accepted a new position as Production Administration Associate with TransWestern Publishing, a telephone directory publisher, in San Diego, California.

Trisha L. Crissman, *Loyola Marymount*, has completed a Master of Arts in Religion from Yale University and a Master of Arts in Pastoral Counseling from Loyola University-Chicago. After having won a battle with cancer in 1992, Trisha went on to complete her education in counseling to dedicate her work to helping cancer victims and their families deal with their struggles. She has accepted a position with Journey Toward Wholeness as a Pastoral Counselor and started a private practice.

Michael R. Mantong, *Loyola Marymount*, has accepted a position as Financing Analyst at Entemann's Orowheat.

Thomas K. Zabasky, *McNeese State*, with the rank of Major is serving the Louisiana National Guard as a full-time Aviation Flight Facility Commander.

James E. Leingang, *Northeast Missouri State*, has accepted a new position as Investor Reporting Specialist with G.E. Capital Mortgage in St. Louis, Missouri. He has also been appointed District Director for Alpha Chi Chapter at Washington University.

Monique Steele Jackson, *Memphis State*, has recently accepted a new position as Program Manager for Federal Express.

R. Bradley Anderson, *Missouri-Columbia*, has been promoted to Data Center Manager for Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. in Bentonville, Arkansas. He is responsible for the daily operations of all the computers for Wal-Mart. Previously he was a database administrator with Wal-Mart since 1990.

Kristine Krambeck Ware, *Pennsylvania State*, has the position as Marketing Systems Analyst with United Parcel Service in Atlanta, Georgia.

Derk F. Pronger, *Purdue*, recently received his Masters of Science in Hospital Administra-

tion from the University of Detroit and is employed as Management Engineer with William Beaumont Hospital Corporation located in Troy, Michigan.

Jeanette M. Erickson, *South Dakota*, has accepted a new position as Staff Accountant with Ketel, Thorstenson and Company in Rapid City, South Dakota.

Leo D. Lynne, Jr., *Southern California*, was named Sales Manager in the Irvine Office of Balboa Capital Corporation. Leo joined Balboa in September of 1993, and was elected to the President's Club in 1994. He is only the second person in Balboa's history to achieve this honor in the first year of employment.

Edward T. Imparato, *Tampa*, has completed a new book, "Into Darkness: A Pilot's Journey Through Headhunter Territory" and it is available now in bookstores. *Into Darkness* tells of his mission during World War II, while stationed in New Guinea as a U.S. Army Air Force pilot, Major Edward T. Imparato was asked to lead an overland expedition into headhunter territory to determine the mysterious cause of American bomber crashes in clear weather and under no hostile action. Ed Imparato was awarded the Legion of Merit for his role in this mission.

Imparato is also the author of the best seller published in 1964 entitled "How To Manage Your Money."

Robert F. Hook, *Texas-Arlington*, has accepted a new position as Assistant to Agency Director/State Manager with Mission Life Insurance Company in Houston, Texas.

John G. Helms, *Troy State*, has accepted a new position as Staff Accountant with Grannis, Whisenant & Associates, P.C., in Nashville, Tennessee.

Poh Thye Loo, *Tulsa*, has a position as Senior Manager in the Strategic Marketing department in Singapore. He is married and has a 13 month old son.

Karen S. Kooy, *Valparaiso*, has accepted a position as Human Resource Officer for First Citizens Bank in Michigan City, Indiana.

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For reservations, call your Professional Travel Agent or call Alamo at **1-800-354-2322**. Be sure to request I.D. # 240537 and **Rate Code BY**.

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Bits & PIECES

Mergers

Regina Ann Kindle, *Bowling Green State*, on October 1, 1994, to William A. Woodard, at Centerville, Ohio.

Claudia P. Sanchez, *California State-Longbeach*, on August 13, 1994, to Thomas A. Champion, at Hawthorne, California.

Vicki R. Howard, *Central Missouri State*, on May 21, 1994, to Brian S. Taylor.

Debra Marie Dagostino, *Florida State*, on October 8, 1994, to David A. Rosenfeld.

Frederick E. Wolf III, *Florida Southern*, on May 21, 1994, to Michell Gesche, at Largo, Florida.

Alex Macsuga, *Florida State*, on August 6, 1994, to **Kara L. Hamilton**, *Florida Atlantic*, at Marco Island, Florida.

Carol E. Schuller, *Illinois State*, on November 20, 1993, to David R. Stojetz.

Janel Kreilein, *Indiana State*, on October 22, 1994, to Jeff Libbert, at Jasper, Indiana.

John S. Zepaltas, *Lewis*, on October 9, 1994, to Cathlynn B. Zepaltas.

Patricia N. Constenla, *Loyola Marymount*, on August 13, 1994, to Mark A. Branich, at San Marino, California.

Renee Theresa Rainville, *North Carolina-Greensboro*, on October 16, 1994, to Warren C. Nouchi, at Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Jeb L. Bertolasi, *McNeese State*, on November 5, 1994, to **Donna M. Smith**, *Adelphi*.

Ruth E. Sweeney, *Northern Arizona*, on August 20, 1994, to Matthew T. Donovan, at Flagstaff, Arizona.

Vince M. Cipollone, *Pennsylvania*, on October 29, 1994, to Jill Gibson, at Villanova, Pennsylvania.

Kristine L. Krambeck, *Pennsylvania State*, on November 5, 1994, to Mark W. Ware,

at Atlanta, Georgia.

David P. DiCristofaro, *Siena*, on August 20, 1994, to Anita C. Woher, at Emerald Isle, North Carolina.

Jeanette M. Erickson, *South Dakota*, on July 9, 1994, to Yancey Paul Smith, at Vermillion, South Dakota.

Maureen E. Kirsch, *Southwestern Louisiana*, on October 29, 1994, to Karl M. Fontenot, at Crowley, Louisiana.

Lewis P. Tischler, *SUNY-Albany*, on June 5, 1994, to Barbara F. Greenfield, at West Point, New York.

Aimee Evelyn Smith, *SUNY-Buffalo*, on September 24, 1994, to Ronald Dean Murcin, at West Seneca, New York.

Nancy R. Treger, *SUNY-Buffalo*, on September 4, 1994, to Brian V. Hourigan, at Buffalo, New York.

Pho Thye Loo, *Tulsa*, in December, 1992, to Xiao Jie Yang.

Heidi Lynn Jessen, *Valparaiso*, on June 18, 1994, to Michael Phipps, at Woodstock.

Tammy L. Hutchinson, *Valparaiso*, on October 8, 1994, to Tony Schofield, at East Peoria, Illinois.

Michael Scott Milburn, *Valparaiso*, on December 15, 1994, to Christine Milburn, at Tampa, Florida.

Carolyn A. Leedy, *Valparaiso*, on August 13, 1994, to Timothy A. Daugherty, at Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Paula E. Hammond, *Virginia Tech*, on October 1, 1994, to Steven F. Shervanick, at Vienna, Virginia.

James L. Gray, *West Liberty State*, on October 15, 1994, to **Holly C. Hendrickson**, *West Liberty State*, at Wellsburg, West Virginia.

Gary A. Hypes, *West Liberty State*, on August 13, 1994, to BethSandra Danek, at Weirton, West Virginia.

John F. Miller, *West Liberty State*, on August 6, 1994, to

Shawna L. Straight, at Moundsville, West Virginia.

Amy N. Reece, *Western Kentucky*, on July 23, 1994, to Steve Brown, at Glasgow, Kentucky.

Patrick William O'Grady, *Western Michigan*, on July 17, 1994, to Wendy Boehmer, at Addison, Michigan.

Kristen M. Sullivan, *West Liberty State*, on October 29, 1994, to Shawn Orris, at Weirton, West Virginia.

Dividends

To Brother **Troy E. DePalermo**, *Angelo State*, and Melissa L. DePalermo, on November 30, 1994, a son, Colby Reece.

To Brother **William M. Minnick**, *Bowling Green State*, and Brother **Kelly B. Minnick**, *Bowling Green State*, on January 2, 1995, a son, Austin Nicholas.

To Brother **Jeffrey P. Lampert**, *DePaul*, and Brother **Tracy Joyce Lampert**, *Northern Illinois*, on July 31, 1994, a son, Daniel Jeffery.

To Brother **William Joseph Niles**, *DePaul*, and Peggy Niles, on May 25, 1994, a son, William Joseph.

To Brother **Brian R. Standley**, *James Madison*, and Brother **Andrea Stock Standley**, *James Madison*, on February 9, 1995, a daughter, Alexa Nicole.

To Brother **Robin Appel-Hexter**, *Johns Hopkins*, and David Hexter, on September 2, 1994, a daughter, Melissa Frances.

To Brother **William C. Woodcock**, *Johns Hopkins*, and Julie Woodcock, on November 17, 1994, a son, William Carl III.

To Brother **Michael J. Spadaro, Sr.**, and wife Ruth, on December 8, 1994, a son, Christopher Francis.

To Brother **Pamela**

Waguespack Russell, *Louisiana Tech*, and Scott Russell, on January 12, 1995, a daughter, Melanie Kristen.

To Brother **Alan John Engler**, *Loyola Marymount*, on February 16, 1994, his third daughter, Andrea Lynn.

To Brother **John A. Sehrer**, *Loyola Marymount*, and Carolyn Gahm Sehrer, on March 25, 1994, a daughter, Laura Brianna.

To Brother **Monique Steele Jackson**, *Memphis State*, and Mitch Jackson, on December 13, 1994, a daughter, Anne Elizabeth, who joins brother Connor, age 3.

To Brother **Larry A. Lunsford**, *Northeast Missouri State*, and Brother **Jill Griffin Lunsford**, *Central Missouri State*, a son, Trent Griffin.

To Brother **Kent Ravenscraft**, *Northeast Missouri State*, and Brother **Janet Claypoole Ravenscraft**, *Northeast Missouri State*, on January 5, 1995, twin daughters, Brooke Elaine and Courtney Sue.

To Brother **David J. Di Nardo**, *Pittsburgh*, and Brother **Mary Anne Margiotta Di Nardo**, *Pittsburgh*, on October 30, 1994, a son, David Anthony.

To Brother **Christopher J. Baumbach**, *Texas Christian*, and Mary Baumbach, on September 27, 1994, a son, Eric August.

To Brother **Scott A. Gaertig**, *Valparaiso*, and Susan Gaertig, a daughter, Anna Lynne.

To Brother **Kristine Kooy Wuilkens**, *Valparaiso*, and Robb Wilkens, on August 11, 1994, a son, Ryan Timothy.

To Brother **Tammy Zern Cappitelli**, *Valparaiso*, and Philip Cappitelli, on October 21, 1994, a daughter, Samantha.

To Brother **Mary Shelly Kugach**, *Valparaiso*, and Robert Kugach, on May 3, 1994, a daughter, Kelly Ann.

To Brother **Gary A. Hypes**, *West Liberty State*, and BethSandra Hypes, on December 21, 1994, a son Garrett Hypes.

To Brother **Charles R. Whiting**, *West Liberty State*, and Lori Krieger, on May 5, 1994, a son, William Chase Whiting.

In Memoriam

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Xi Chapter
Lodge D. Staubach 12/94

Chi Chapter
Norbert F. Vasil 11/94

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Alpha Eta Chapter
Roger C. Thrane 9/94

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Chapter Profile



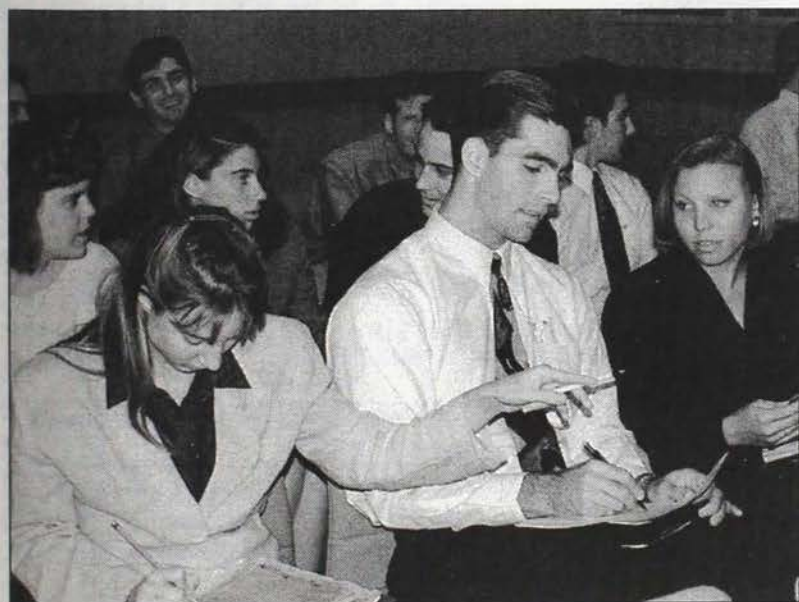
Members of Zeta Kappa Chapter won a framed print of The Central Office in tough competition in a game of Deltasig Jeopardy.

Chapters from the Intermountain Region Gather for an Outstanding Arizona Conference at Arizona State University

On February 25, 1995, chapters from the Intermountain Region gathered on the campus of Arizona State University for the 1995 Arizona Conference. Over eighty collegiate and alumni Brothers from Gamma Phi, Gamma Psi, Gamma Omega, Epsilon Upsilon, Zeta Kappa, Zeta Omega, and Mu Chi Chapters made the conference a rousing success.

Intermountain Regional Director Jamie M. Ball and Western Provincial Vice President Adrian R. Avalos planned and conducted the conference in conjunction with Gamma Omega Chapter who served as conference host. Several additional fraternity leaders were present including Grand President Randy L. Hultz, Vice President for Alumni Benefits and Services Paul J. P. Garcia, and District Directors Larry Van Quantham, Renee Hays, Stuart Miller, Sandra Burns, and Catherine Merdian.

Each chapter attending the conference competed in Deltasig Jeopardy where questions about the fraternity were posed to chapter representatives. The team with the highest score was awarded the Grand Prize of a framed print of The Central Office signed by the fraternity's leaders. In a tough competition, Zeta Kappa Chapter at Western State College was the Jeopardy champion.



Brothers from the Intermountain Region gather at the Arizona Conference to learn and share ideas in Officer Meetings.



Members of Gamma Psi Chapter at the University of Arizona attended the Arizona Conference.

Grand President Randy L. Hultz also presented a pearl and ruby badge to the 1995 Collegian of the Year, Brother Boyd Pederson of Zeta Kappa Chapter at Western State College. Brother Pederson was able to accept his badge before his chapter, his parents Dianne and Kurt Pederson, and his brother Justin. A formal presentation to Brother Pederson will be made at the 1995 Grand Chapter Congress.

One great benefit of a national fraternity is the ability to exchange ideas among other students with the same responsibilities and opportunities. At the conference, officer meetings were conducted and ideas exchanged between every chapter in attendance. Many Brothers left the day with pages of notes on new programs and ideas to offer their chapters.



A World of Brotherhood

40th Grand Chapter Congress Registration Form

August 8-13, 1995 — The Orlando Peabody Hotel— Orlando, Florida

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Please type or legibly print all requested information. Use a separate form for each person. This form may be photocopied as needed. Complete logistical information and a hotel reservation card will be sent after this registration is processed. Send completed registration forms to: Delta Sigma Pi; P.O. Box 230; Oxford, OH 45056-0230. Registrations paid by credit card may be faxed to 513-523-7292.

REGISTRATION POLICIES

- Registration fees do not cover any portion of hotel room costs nor meals which are not a part of the Official Convention Program for the respective registration category.
- The Advance Registration Fee schedule is in effect until July 8, 1995. Registrations received at The Central Office after July 8, 1995, will be processed at Regular Registration rates. After July 22, 1995, all registrations will be processed at On-Site rates. Do not send registrations to The Central Office that would be received after July 31, 1995.
- Cancelled registrations will be refunded in full less a 10% per person service fee if the cancellation notice is received at The Central Office by July 31, 1995.
- **Cancellations received after July 31, 1995 are not refundable.**
- Transfer of registration will incur a 10% service fee.
- All fees are payable in full, in advance in U.S. dollars.
- Hotel reservations and other travel arrangements including air or rail reservations, ground transfers, etc., are the responsibility of individual participants.
- Participants in the events of the 40th Grand Chapter Congress are expected to comply with the Delta Sigma Pi Risk Management Policy, state and local laws and guest policies of The Orlando Peabody Hotel.



See You in Orlando!



Brother Bob Hughes will be attending his 25th Grand Chapter Congress.



Deltasigs have an opportunity to meet Brothers who become friends for life.

No other event you will ever attend will match the excitement and enthusiasm of a Grand Chapter Congress. For many, like Grand President Randy L. Hultz, your first Congress will be a life changing event. Prior issues of The DELTASIG of Delta Sigma Pi have highlighted the many attractions of Orlando, Florida. The real attraction of the Congress will be the hundreds of Deltasigs, young and old, that you will meet in Orlando.

You will have the opportunity to meet Brothers like R. Nelson Mitchell who was initiated in 1929 at Johns Hopkins University and Robert "Bob" Hughes who will be attending his twenty-fifth Grand Chapter Congress. Collegiate members from cities across the United States like Livingston, Alabama; Vermillion, South Dakota; San Luis Obispo, California; Dallas, Texas; and Storrs, Connecticut will be there to meet you. Don't miss this opportunity to make friendships for a lifetime. See you in Orlando!

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