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Please contact Lerone to volunteer your time to make this reunion
a success @ (201) 943-414-8880.

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ALUMNI NOTES

Send The Upsala College Foundation - *Viking News* your informa-
tion. We are always looking for lost alumnus and want to keep
our records current. If you haven't already sent in this information,
please do it NOW! Please send us any notes, newspaper clippings
and newsworthy information.

UPSALA COLLEGE FOUNDATION FACTS

MISSION: The general purposes of the Upsala College
Foundation shall be to perpetuate the spirit of Upsala College's
mission including the support of scholarships and lectureships
at small, private, liberal arts Colleges; the maintenance of
Alumni contacts, records and files; the development of ongo-
ing Alumni programs and such other activities as will cause the
proud tradition of Upsala College to be memorialized.

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Successful First Year

The Upsala College Spirit still lives on — its true and
we have proof! The Foundation has received hundreds
of letters of encouragement, support and ideas during
the past year. We ask everyone to continue to give as
generously as possible.

On behalf of The Foundation, we are all equally
touched by the notes of sincere and genuine gratitude
for having undertaken this valuable and rewarding
endeavor which is so important to all Upsala Alumnus.

The first foundation reunion, an outstanding
success, was attended by approximately 150 alums
and Upsala Faculty and Staff from the tri-state area. It
was a great opportunity to reminisce about old times
and visit with friends. The Foundation will also assist
and facilitate reunions for other class years.

Visit the Upsala Websites which contain fine photos
of the campus, information, and is a wonderful trip
down memory lane — www.macsolve.com/upsala
and www.citynet.net/personal/jcoleman.

The Upsala Foundation selected its first annual
scholarship recipient, Kelley Dunbar. We are pleased to
assist this student continue her studies in the great
tradition and spirit of Upsala College.

Also, please send information to the foundation, so
we can keep our newsletter filled with information
about all alumnus and keep addresses current.

I thank you for your generous support and look
forward to receiving good news from all of you.

Sincerely,



Ronald J. Mount '65
President

ALUMNI NOTES & QUOTES

"I AM GRATEFUL FOR THE PREPARATION I RECEIVED, ENABLING ME TO ENTER THE SEMINAR Y. HAVING RECEIVED MY BA AND MY DD FROM UPSALA AND HAVING SERVED ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR 9 YEARS, I WAS DEEPLY SADDENED BY THE COLLEGE'S DEMISE. OUR DAUGHTER IS ALSO A GRADUATE.

Rev. Robert G. Petersen, D.D. '44

"UPSALA - GREAT PLACE! WONDERFUL MEMORIES! GAVE ME A GREAT START IN LIFE."

Frank Petrock '65

"WE MET AT UPSALA. OUR FIRST DATE WAS A "GODS" HALLOWEEN PARTY. TOM PROPOSED OUR JUNIOR YEAR. WE GRADUATED TOGETHER IN MAY OF 1995 AND MARRIED SHORTLY THEREAFTER. WE HAVE 4 CHILDREN NOW AND WISH WE COULD TAKE THEM TO UPSALA TO SHOW THEM WHERE MOMMY & DADDY MET."

Tom & Laurie Wallner '85

"I THOROUGHLY ENJOYED MY YEARS THERE. THE PROFESSORS WERE INCREDIBLE."

Ingrid (Swenson) Power '70

"THE HAPPIEST YEARS IN UPSALA WERE OUR PRODUCTIONS IN THE FOOTLIGHT CLUB, DIRECTED BY MR. DOSSEY. WE 'GREW' WITH HIM AS HE GUIDED US ON THE STAGE AND IN OUR LIVES. THE UPSALA SPIRIT WILL LIVE FOREVER!"

Mildred Connie (Cella) Rispoli '58

UPSALA COLLEGE WAS AROUND WHEN I NEEDED A PLACE, TO CONTINUE MY EDUCATION AND I WILL BE IN DEEP GRATITUDE FOR THAT FOREVER!"

Jeffrey T. Richie '92

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

THE UPSALA COLLEGE SPIRIT LIVES ON

Upsala College may have held its last commencement at its East Orange campus in May of 1995, but its spirit lives on through the efforts of the Upsala College Foundation. The "Upsala spirit" was evident at the first annual Upsala College Reunion held October 23rd at the Regency House Hotel in Pompton Plains, as 150 alumni, faculty and staff gathered to remember the college through the Foundation.

The Upsala College Foundation is a non-profit organization, founded in 1985. Ronald J. Mount, former Chairman of the Board of Trustees at Upsala, is the President of the Foundation.

"Although Upsala College may have closed its doors, its spirit is still alive and well in each and every one of the 10,000 plus alumni across the country and around the world," stated Mr. Mount. "The Foundation has been overwhelmed by the positive and generous support from all the Upsala College alumni in support of our efforts."

The mission of the Foundation is to perpetuate the name and spirit of Upsala College through activities that will cause the proud 102-year tradition of the school to be memorialized. In fulfilling this mission, the Foundation will establish a scholarship fund to grant scholarships to family members of the Upsala community and to disadvantaged urban students.

Recipients will be selected by a committee of the Board. The Foundation will also maintain an active alumni program including newsletters, reunions, Upsala College Websites, and archives.

There are currently about 6,000 alumni in the New Jersey/New York area. Current Upsala College Foundation board members are: Ronald J. Mount '65, Karl G. Andren '67, Frederick Jarvis '51, Emil Brandes '55, David L. Scott, Jr. '56, Beatrice Harvey '29, Claire M. Wilhelm '50, Emil S. Sorenson '41, Ted C. Womer, Mary D. Mazzaferro, and honorary member in memoriam, George Fenwick '41.

To obtain a newsletter, transcript information or to make a donation, write to the Upsala College Foundation 262 South Main Street, Lodi, NJ 07644, or call Ronald J. Mount at (201) 983-6060.

written by: Gayle Aanensen '67

UPSALA COLLEGE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The winner of the \$5,000 Upsala College Foundation Scholarship is Kelley Dunbar. Here are some highlights from the winning essay.

KELLEY DUNBAR...I am the youngest daughter of Lee E. Dunbar, class of 1974, and am currently a sophomore at the College of Holy Cross. My great grandfather, Eric Tengstrand, Sr. was the first of my family to attend Upsala in 1908. He sent four of his children, Eric Jr., Stentor, Jane, and Linnea to Upsala. At the college, Linnea met her future husband, my grandfather, Harold "Rabbit" Dunbar who had been encouraged to attend by my uncle Don to play baseball for the Vikings. Grandmother and grandfather graduated in 1949 and 1951 respectively. My father came along in 1952 and there was little question as to which college he would attend. My father graduated from Upsala in 1974.

AREA OF STUDY

I am a declared physics major but, like many sophomores, I have found myself questioning both who I am and what I would like to do in my life. When I first entered Holy Cross I had inquired about the possibilities for an Environmental Studies major. I was told that there was no formal Environmental Studies program but that I could create my own major if I so desired....I have not made a formal decision about switching my major,

however, as I feel I need to participate in a couple of courses first, in order to gain a clear indication of where I should head. Depending on how the semester goes I will either major in physics and minor in Environmental Studies or vice versa.

PLANNING AHEAD

Despite the fact that I am unsure of my exact major/minor, I am fairly clear on the direction I would like to go with either of the two majors. If I decide to stay with physics, I would like to work for a company involved in research and development and perhaps later try for a professorship...I find myself to be an avid student and I would relish the opportunity to continue my studies beyond the level of formal schooling.

If I choose to major in Environmental Studies I would like to follow in the footsteps of my father and become an environmentalist...I also recognize the wilderness for its variety and abundance of life and know the value of its natural resources. I would like to both help preserve the wilderness and to find safer ways to extract natural resources, or, even better, to find comparable substitutes for natural resources.

Note: The essay format and content has been altered.

UPSALA BORN & BRED AUTHOR— WHERE ARE YOU?

The Foundation received a poem from a alumnus, entitled Upsala Born & Bred. Unfortunately, we have misplaced it and would like to publish it in the next issue, could the alumnus who wrote this poem, please send us another copy.
THANK YOU.

4TH ANNUAL GOLF & REUNION MEETING—VERMONT

The 4th Annual Golf & Reunion Meeting for Roy & Barbara Peterson '52, Dick Hagstrom '52, Roy Sundren '53 and Gordon Johnson '52 was held in September '97.

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Our grateful thanks for your generosity during 1997.

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ALUMNI NEWS

Will Scoles '78 - Program Supervisor at the California Department of Rehabilitation in Santa Monica, CA. Works supervising programs for persons with disabilities.

George P. Sellmer '48 - Editor, The North Jersey Highlander, a historical journal and assistant editor of a forthcoming guide to the Morris Canal. Mr. Sellmer also maintains a detailed archive of Upsala Articles from 1994- 1996.

Virginia Ruf Jasontek '66 - Teacher, Cincinnati Public Schools and Coach, Cincinnati Synchronators. Board member of the Directors of the U.S. Synchronized Swimming Team, and a member of the International Synchro Swimming Technical Committee.

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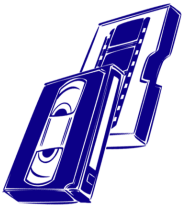
CHARLES S. ZERN '52

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The Foundation would like to extend its thanks to Laurence Mach '63 for his help in making copies available to all alumnus. Thanks Larry

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