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Foreword . . . THE COLUMBINE edition is a graduation issue planned by the members of the Senior Class of the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind. We members of the graduating class take pride and pleasure in this last, fond tribute to our school. ★ ★ ★

The Honorable
John A. Love

Governor of
Colorado



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A Message from . . .

OUR SUPERINTENDENT



TO THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1965:

There is no easy way to make the most of your life. The American way of life demands that we work to make our contribution. The time has come to grow up and take account of your talents, hopes and ambitions. Use these to achieve your goal of self-fulfillment.

Self-fulfillment does not always mean reaching perfection. Just as a tree high on a windy, rocky mountainside may be twisted and stripped of bark but continues to grow to the best tree possible under the circumstances. So you should use your talents to the best of your ability. Your success will depend on what you have to offer and your willingness to improve on the abilities you have.

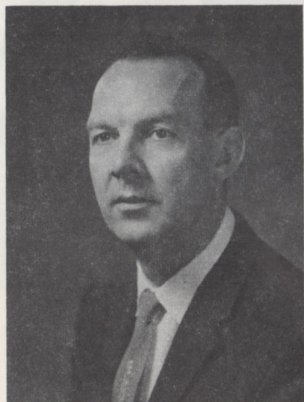
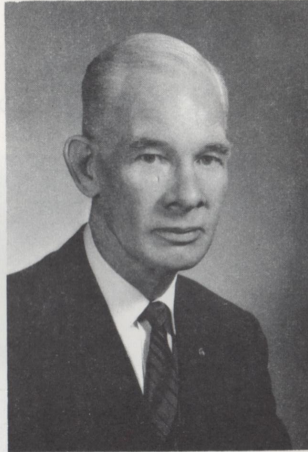
A. G. Turechek
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Messages from . . .

DEAR CLASS OF 1965:

You have passed the first and easiest of all milestones. From here on your journey will become more challenging day by day. Being no longer boys and girls but instead young men and young women you thus have become the captain of your ship. Toward what goals will you steer? More important, HOW will you cover the distance? It is my hope that every milestone be reached with patience and kindness, with courage and courtesy, with honesty and humility. Then, to be sure, I will know that your goals are indeed worthy.

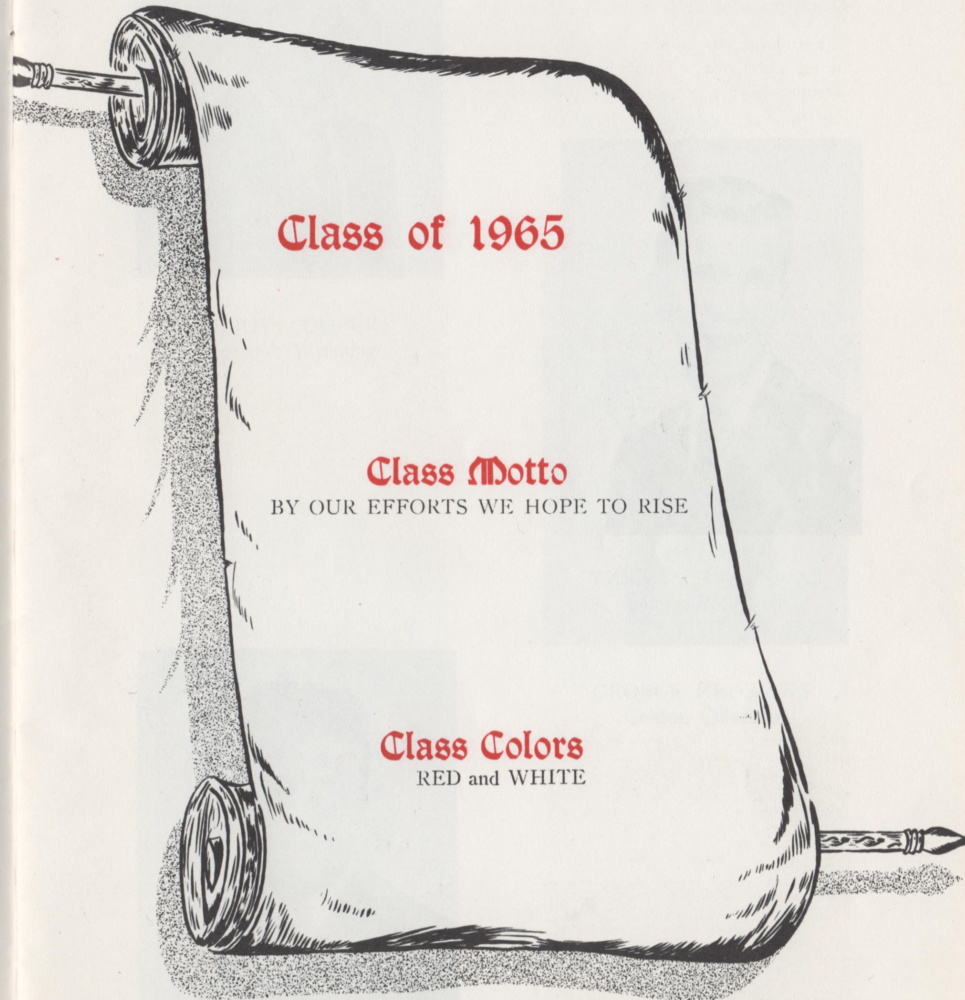
Most sincerely,
JAMES R. KIRKLEY
Principal
Department for the Deaf



TO THE SENIORS:

We have had fun helping you solve your problems each day that you have studied with us. We pray that we have been able to prepare you adequately to meet the problems of your tomorrows. In meeting these problems remember that fun and let your humor shine through.

WILBER H. FULKER
Principal
Department for the Blind



Class of 1965

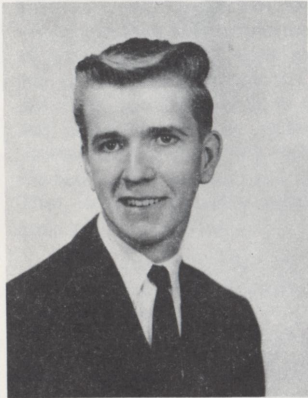
Class Motto

BY OUR EFFORTS WE HOPE TO RISE

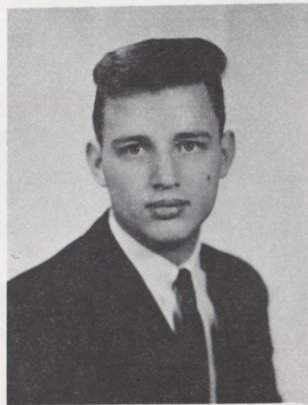
Class Colors

RED and WHITE

Seniors . . . 1965



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Powell, Wyoming



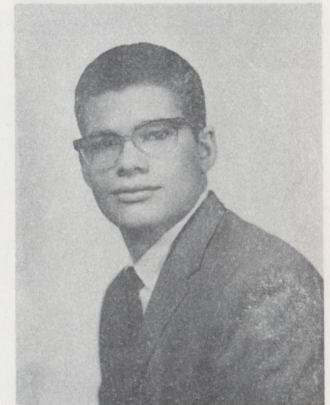
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Security, Colorado



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Worland, Wyoming



JO ANNE KEYES
Colorado Springs, Colorado



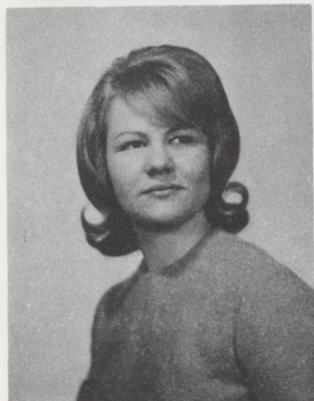
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Golden, Colorado



ERMA PHILLIPS
Cheyenne, Wyoming



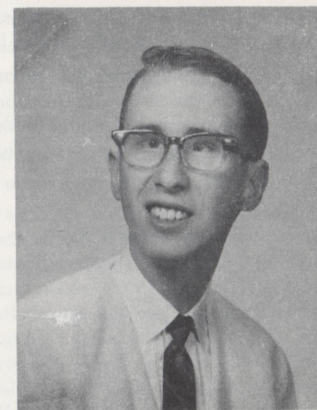
MERYL RIES
Colorado Springs, Colorado



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Oak Park, Illinois



BARBARA SNELL
Story, Wyoming



BILL TEDRICK
Denver, Colorado

GAIL KEHMEIER
Denver, Colorado
(Posthumously)

SALUTATORY

by GEORGE HEDRICKS

MEMBERS of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Barney, Father Kennedy, Mr. Turechek, parents, teachers and friends: We, the Class of 1965, welcome you to our graduation exercises. You honor us by your presence.

We have come to the end of our school life here and to the beginning of a new life ahead. We feel happy that we have reached this important goal. We know we must work toward more goals in the future.

Each of us in the graduating class is very thankful to all of you for your guidance, help and support. Without these things we would not be here today.

Again we welcome you and appreciate your coming this afternoon.

VALEDICTORY

by MERYL RIES

MEMBERS of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Barney, Mr. Turechek, members of the faculty, honored guests, and fellow students:

It is my privilege, on behalf of the graduating class of 1965, to bid our high school days a fond and formal farewell, and to extend our gratitude to each of you for all that you have given of yourselves to help us achieve one of the most important goals of our lives—that of successfully completing our high school education.

It is customary, on an occasion such as this, to make mention of the fact that graduation signifies a beginning rather than an end. This is especially true in this age of modern technological advances, and is becoming more so with each passing year. The challenges we shall be facing are greater than those ever faced by any other graduating class in the past. Similarly, the challenges facing next year's graduates will be greater than those facing us. I think this points out the stupendous changes now taking place in the world in which we live, and the absolute necessity of higher education and special training. Man holds in his hands, at present, great powers undreamed of half a century ago. These powers, if used intelligently, can be a great asset to him. However, if they are not used intelligently, they could destroy all civilization. A higher education is the only means by which they can be used as they should, and thus advance, rather than destroy, our civilization.

I think our class motto, in just seven words, express the way in which we all feel on this occasion: "By our efforts we hope to rise."

Again, our thanks to all of you.

Dedication . . .

With profound gratitude for their many years of service as teachers
at the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind,
we are pleased to dedicate
this issue of THE COLUMBINE to



Miss Bertha McCain
43 years of service

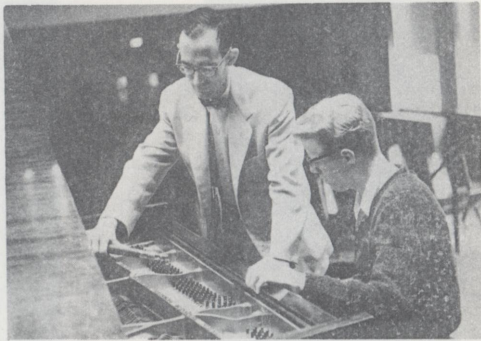
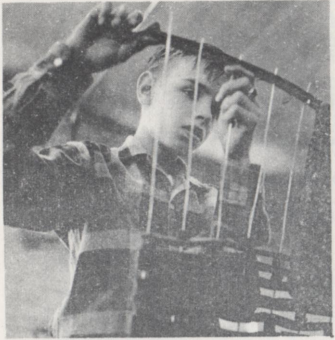


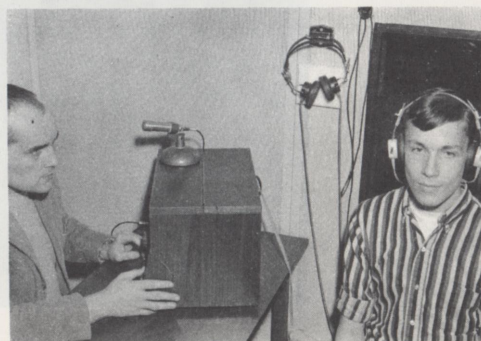
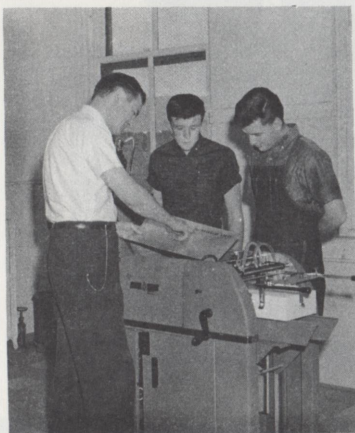
Mrs. Emma Cunningham
22 years of service

The contributions of these two educators—the precepts gives to countless deaf students—are of inestimable value. Their leaving saddens us, but we bid Miss McCain and Mrs. Cunningham “farewell” in the sure knowledge that their teaching has contributed to a more abundant life for the deaf. * * *

Class Analysis

	AMBITION	FAVORITE SPORTS	FAVORITE EXPRESSION	FAVORITE PASTIME	WEAKNESS
Lawrance Ankeny	Rancher	Billiard	What in the World!	Mother Nature	Pumpkin Pie
Steven Calderone	Chemist	Snow Skiing	Wait a min.	Having Fun	Jaguar
Arthur Cooper	Printer	Wrestling	Never Know	Listening	Honey
George Hedricks	Teacher	Water Skiing	So What!	Watching Racer	Mustang
Jo Anne Keyes	Secretary	Bowling	Let me see!	Visiting with friends	Boys
Erna Phillips	Housewife	Volleyball	Oh, Boy!	Knitting	Banana Split
DeAnn Reid	Teacher	Baseball	Wanna Bet?	Listening to Music	Travel
Meryl Ries	To become a writer	Baseball	Oh, Boy!	Amateur Radio	Food
Barbara Snell	Housewife	Baseball	Oh, Heck!	Reading	Horses
Bill Tedrick	Music Arranging	Baseball	Oh, Gosh!	Amateur Radio	Records





FOOTBALL

"FOR WHEN THE ONE GREAT SCORER COMES TO WRITE AGAINST YOUR NAME, HE WRITES—NOT THAT YOU WON OR LOST—BUT HOW YOU PLAYED THE GAME."

—GRANTLAND RICE.

WRESTLING

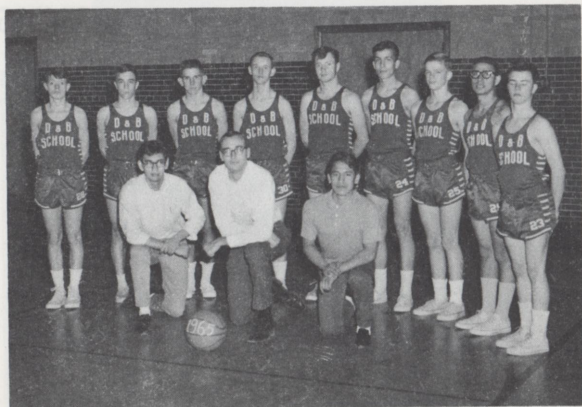




BASKETBALL



TRACK



GIRLS' SPORTS



