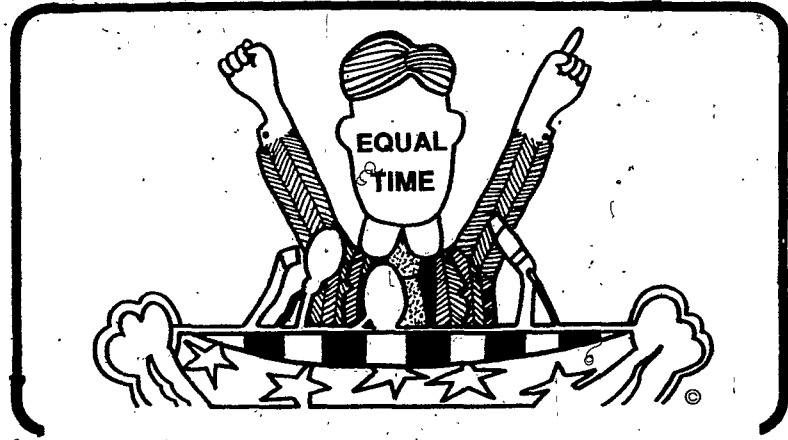


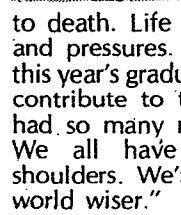
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What do you as a 1975 graduate have to contribute to society, and do you feel this year's graduates to be better equipped to face the world and its problems?

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Mark Kaltenbach, senior, swimming team. "Myself as a person because I'm sociable. I find the people of the world are unsociable, and if I can show them how to be more open it would thrill me to death. Life isn't all anxieties and pressures. I definitely think this year's graduates have more to contribute to the world. We've had so many more experiences. We all have heads on our shoulders. We're going into the world wiser."



Tony DeMare, senior, drama club. "Everything I've learned through my Catholic education such as the sense of responsibility, a desire to meet with people, a desire to always want to experience things, and pursue a continuous growth as a human being. I think with all the new ways of teaching like the more open atmosphere, we've been prepared to go out into the world. We have been given the freedom of thought."



Stephen Jones, senior, science club. "I am going onto college to better prepare myself for working with people, perhaps in psychological counseling. I wouldn't give the people my ideals, but try to make things clear for them and let them work things out for themselves. I've really grown as a human being here at McQuaid. It (my education) has given me a sense of responsibility. It depends how much you are interested and affected by the world whether the 1975 graduates are more ready to tackle life then previous graduating classes."



James Aha, senior, track team. "Mainly, I can offer hope for the future in that the world will work out okay. I can offer much enthusiasm, and not be apathetic. I want to get into society and help things get worked out rather than sitting back and watching things go wrong. I think the 1975 graduates are better equipped to face the world because we know more of what is going on. We haven't been protected. We are equipped in that we have been taught to think things through and then act."



David Bovenzi, senior, drama club. "I think my high school has helped me to become adult. I would like to show people how they can grow and learn how to handle themselves and responsibility. We (the class of 1975) have more to offer the world. We're better equipped to join the world."



George Monagan, senior, swimming team. "The best thing I can do is go to college for more education for a career in a specific field, and not become a burden to society. I think society has changed like the schools change so each year's graduating class is equally prepared for society at that particular time."



James Pignato, senior. "My contribution (to society) isn't anything great, just being a decent citizen. Going to a Catholic high school has taught me to be honest and upright and has developed my sense of responsibility toward any area I choose to go into. I can't speak for the other schools but I think McQuaid has the atmosphere that gears you to go out prepared for society knowing that it isn't all fun and games."



Larry Searles, senior, Christian Enthusiasts. "Myself, and the knowledge I have learned. I plan on going into education, and like McQuaid's motto, 'Send fire to the Earth', each one of this year's graduates is very able to do this. One thing the teachers have taught us is to go out into the world and meet people. I think today's graduates are aware of problems because they are spoken of much more freely."



Thank You!

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RapAround says "thank you" to the school coordinators for their enthusiastic cooperation which made it a success. Above, director of news coverage Joan M. Smith wishes luck to outgoing coordinators Mary Jo Porreca, Our Lady of Mercy; Larry Conley, McQuaid; Bill Blum, Bishop Kearney; Tom Marino, Geneva DeSales; Linda Petote, St. Agnes; Jim Redmond, Cardinal Mooney.

Scholarships Awarded

Elmira — Scholarships were presented to the following Notre Dame High School students: Martha Ungate received the Blair Summer School for Journalism Scholarship, which was presented by the Elmira Star-Gazette; Eileen Landy was awarded the Consolidated Gas Corporation Scholarship; Donald Constantine received the Chemung Canal Bank Scholarship; Matthew M. Smith was awarded the Westinghouse Family Education Scholarship.



By KATHLENE SMULKA Nazareth Academy



"Hurry up" and "You're wasting my time" are common phrases used to quicken the pace of one's actions.

Our speed of life has ruined our human spirit and integrity. It seems we are more concerned with how quickly we can do something, rather than concerning ourselves with how well something can be done.

Many people work against time—becoming like machines; cold and inhuman. When people hurry, they waste time, the very thing they tried to save. By not doing a job efficiently they have destroyed their purpose and will have lost more than time or money.

Hurry wastes, and sometimes

destroys people's energy, health, happiness, and honor. In many cases, it breeds panic. When one simplifies his life, by worrying less about time, he will gain much.

Most of us know of "The Tortoise and the Hare," and that "slow and steady wins the race." This statement tells one to work at his own rate, and to put his total self into all he does so that he does it well. This is not possible when one is pitted against time.

When each man learns to be calm, to work at his own speed, and to live to his own potential he can take the time—(because he does not race against it) to help others, be himself, and to enjoy life.

Music Awards Given

Several Cardinal Mooney performing organizations received outstanding ratings at the State School Music Association competition in Greece.

The Cardinal Mooney Varsity Band received an A-V rating, playing grade V music (there are 6 grades) they amassed a total of 113 points out of a possible 120. A score of 105 earns an A rating.

The Mooney Signers, a select madrigal group of 16 girls earned 115 points in grade VI music. They were awarded an A+ VI rating.

The Freshman Band played grade III music. Earning 108 points they received an A III rating. The Varsity Chorus sang grade V music and earned 103 points. They were rated B+ V.

The music directors at Cardinal Mooney are David L. Amele and Brother John Larrere. The festival was coordinated by Roy Thrall, past president of the state organization and the Director of Fine Arts for the Greece Central School District.

Drum Major Named

Carl Warth, Bishop Kearney junior, will be the lead drum major for the "Marching Kings" during the 1975-76 season.

Class Leaders Announced

Aquinas Institute's senior class officers for 1975-76 will be Patrick Culhane, president; Vincent Battaglia, vice president; Robert Stevenson, treasurer; Peter Loewenguth, secretary.

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