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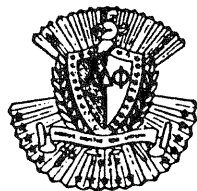
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Editor's Note:

This special edition of *The Cornell Alpha Delt* is being published to bring alumni important information concerning our fraternity, including the tragic death of G. Lauriston Walsh Jr. '61 and plans for a memorial service to commemorate Lauri's commitment to Alpha Delta Phi. Also included are notices of corporation and foundation meetings scheduled for April, information on initiation, and plans for Reunion Weekend this June. A full issue of *The Cornell Alpha Delt* will be published later in the spring.



Alpha Delta Phi at Cornell, Inc.

8 February 1993

Dear Brothers:

By now, most of you have heard of the tragic death of our alumni president, Lauri Walsh. Lauri was killed in an automobile accident on 10 January, while returning to his home from Ithaca. The Alpha Deltos who traveled to Corning the following Saturday for his funeral would join with brother Mike Millette in saying, "I can hardly imagine coming back to the house and not seeing Lauri." For all of us who have been active as alumni, Lauri's devotion to the building up of the Cornell Chapter has been unmatched. Never one to mince words, Lauri always took the path that he thought would do the very best for the fraternity. Zealous in his work, Lauri enabled others to cultivate and enjoy the vineyards he had planted. His detailed attention extended to relationships, furniture, and bottom lines. To again quote Mike, "For years, he cheated us into accepting his full-time services free of charge." Lauri, we'll miss you, and we appreciate how much you cared about us all.

There will be a memorial service for Lauri following the Saturday morning board of directors meeting on 17 April, during initiation weekend. Details have been worked out by the undergraduates and appear below. I hope to see many of
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Brothers of Alpha Delta Phi, their guests, and members of the Cornell and Ithaca communities are invited to attend

A MEMORIAL SERVICE

HONORING LOYAL BROTHER G. LAURISTON WALSH JR. '61

Saturday, April 17, 1993

Anabel Taylor Chapel

Service will begin promptly at 12:30 p.m.

A reception will be held at the Statler Hotel following the ceremony.

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you there and at initiation. Nothing would please Lauri more than to know we were enjoying one another's company in that great event of initiation that ties us all as brothers.

The Saturday following Lauri's funeral, the board of directors met in New York at the office of our alumni treasurer, Peter Fifield. In the seven hours of that meeting, a great tribute was paid to Lauri by all directors as each took over, individually or in committee, Lauri's work in fund-raising, house maintenance and improvement, alumni weekend preparations, undergraduate life, financial management, and alumni relations. An enormous amount of time was required to recall all the areas of responsibility Lauri had taken on and to put in place structures and individuals to care for those aspects of our fraternity life. As a result of that meeting, I can assure you as alumni that all directors and undergraduates present took extraordinary care to imagine what additional tasks and relationships each might take on to ensure the ongoing life of our Alpha Delta Phi. Lauri's work of brotherhood is being carried on with the strength and true concern he strove to cultivate in all of us.

Looking forward to seeing you in Ithaca.

Xaire,
W. Douglas Bond
Chairman, Board of Directors

Calling All Class Of '68 Alpha Deltas: Brothers Urged To Journey To Ithaca For Their 25th

Still somewhat groggy from their holiday festivities, the geriatric brethren of the AΔΦ class of '68 have not responded well to my entreaty to attend their 25th reunion. Some notable exceptions include brothers Peter Kendall (with whom Arvid Brady and I recently enjoyed a fine Italian dinner and cordial conversation in NYC) and Paul ("see you in Ithaca") Chiu, both of whom have expressed positive intentions of attending. Dan Bors regrets that he will not attend but wishes to be kept informed of activities; J. P. Maher III may need his arm twisted; and Gordy ("if I can get my act together") Evans, whose recent move to the Northern Republic of California has occasioned a temporary state of disorientation, is a definite maybe. Mike Strong, PhD, is furthering the cause of diarrheal research in Bangladesh (so his mother informs me), but, from the photograph enclosed, Mike appears healthy, as do his lovely wife and two children. I am still assuming, for lack of conflicting information, that brothers Mizne and Brandon still plan on attending. Come on, you guys who received my stamped and addressed postcards should send them back and make the U.S. Postal Service work for a living. Loftus Carson, where are you? I need a current address from anyone.

Following the cocktail party and duet by the Sherwoods (that's right, there're only two of them now), which will take place at AΔΦ at ±5:00 p.m. on Friday, June 12th, I have booked a table at the Greystone Inn for dinner with those brethren who are hobbled by neither age nor infirmity and care to join me and my wife in decanting a few bottles of the Finger Lakes' finest. As my gift to the class of '68, I have made arrangements with an outside service to thoroughly clean (the actives haven't a clue) the chapter house before the weekend so you might consider lodging there (my wife is also insisting on a door for the women's bathroom).

A response card is enclosed with this mailing. While your response would be appreciated, your attendance at reunion would be the greater reward. Hope to see you there.

Xaire,
R. W. Bus

PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING MEETINGS

The Adelpic Cornell Educational Foundation

Friday, April 16 — 9:00 a.m.

At the Statler Inn — Check announcement board for specific location.

All members of Alpha Delta Phi are invited to attend.

The Board of Directors of the Alpha Delta Phi at Cornell, Inc.

Saturday, April 17 — 9:00 a.m.

At Alpha Delta Phi.

All members are invited to attend.



Alpha Delta Phi

Cornell Chapter

Cornell University

3 February 1993

Dear Brother:

After an intense rush period, the Cornell Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi has acquired the best pledge class on campus. This rush period required a unified effort by the brotherhood to find the elite men of Cornell University. We were rewarded by a pledge class of exceptional character. Alpha Delta Phi's pledges are athletes, scholars, and social leaders who have already proved to us that they will make excellent and contributing brothers.

Ngangelizwe M. Beck-Cologne, Germany—

Ecole Internationale de Geneve/La Grande Boissiere-Biochemistry/French Literature

Louis Chu—Needham, MA—Deerfield Academy—Architecture

Marc Jeffrey Einhorn—Delmar, NY—The Albany Academy—Undeclared

John Brian Gerich-La Jolla, CA—Mount Lebanon High School-English

Andrew David Warren—Englewood, CO—Cherry Creek High School—Entomology

Eric Hans vanNaerssen—Wayne, PA—Conestoga Senior High—International Relations

Patrick Sorensen Schultz—Chappaqua, NY—Horace Greeley High School—Agricultural Economics

Renato Rotondo Jr.—Hunt Valley, MD—St. Paul's School—Hotel Administration

Michael Christian Robinson—Corning, NY—Corning East High—Communications

Thomas George Prutzman—Reno, NV—Reno High School—Hotel Administration

Salvatore Martin Parlatore—Bellingham, WA—Brentwood College Academy—Hotel Administration

Dennis Jay Marchalonis—Fanwood, NJ—Scotch Plains—Fanwood High School—Policy Analysis

Mark Joseph Keiser—Cockeysville, MD—Dulaney Senior High—Hotel Administration

Gregory Thomas Jeffers—Greenfield, IN—Greenfield Central High—Biological Engineering

David Donnelly Herbert—DeKalb, IL—DeKalb High School—Hotel Administration

Matthew Anton Zaute—Yardley, PA—The Lawrenceville School—Economics

I am inviting you to assist the active brothers in the initiation ceremony. The culmination of the pledging process will begin on Friday, April 16, 1993, starting in the Great Hall with cocktails at 5:00 p.m. The weekend will allow you time to see old friends, meet the new brothers, and remember the mystic ties that bind at Alpha Delta Phi. Please join us for the traditional meetings, the exciting finale, and dinner with the new brothers.

If you plan to attend initiation, please return the enclosed postcard with your name, year, address, phone, and planned accommodations written on it.

Some nearby accommodations:

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| • Rose Inn | 533-7905 | • Collegetown Motor Lodge | 273-3542 |
| • EconoLodge | 257-1400 | • Super 8 Motel | 273-8088 |
| • Sheraton Inn | 257-2000 | • Ramada Inn | 272-1000 |

Remember that initiation is a secret ritual; any questions concerning the weekend should be addressed only to me. My personal number is 607/256-0495, and I urge you to contact me with any questions you may have about the ceremonies regardless of your plans to attend. Reaffirm the traditions stemming 124 years from 1869 to 1993 as the strongest fraternity on the hill. We hope to see you...so you can meet the SUBSTANDARD NEOPHYTES.

Xaire,
Brother Benjamin Kolpa '94
Initiation Chairman