



Graduates have mixed emotions as they move on in life

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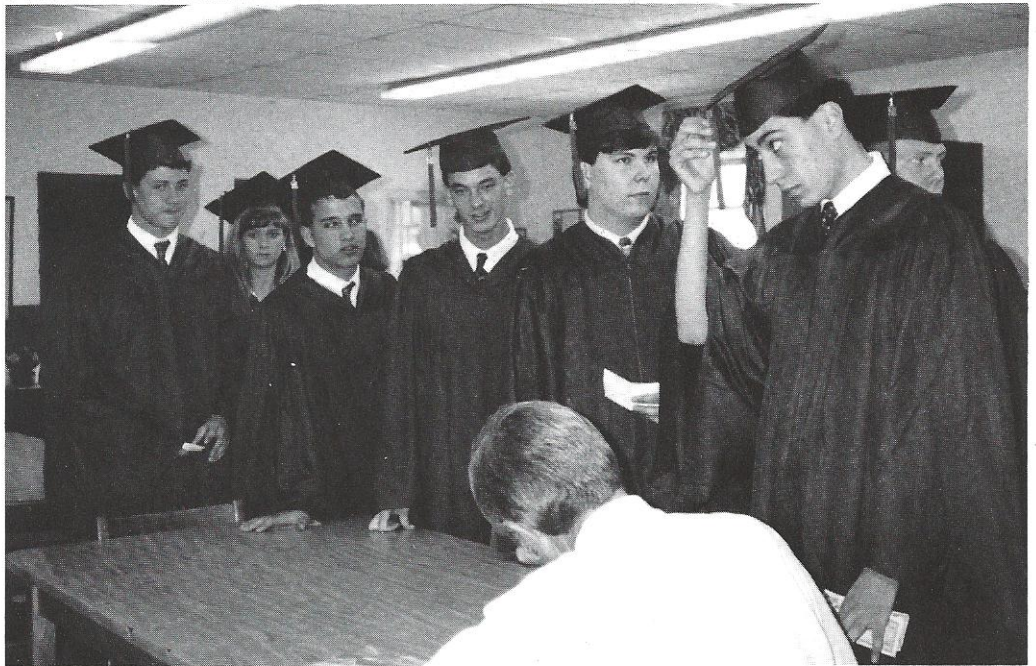
Graduation was a very emotional time in the lives of the CPA students, their friends, and families. Tears and smiles filled the gym as the group proudly marched down the aisle. These groups were even more special because they were the first graduates of Colleton Preparatory Academy.

On May 21, 1991, the 18 kindergarten students anxiously entered the gym with memories of the past year and dreams of their futures. The families of these students beamed with love and support as they watched the children grow a little more mature with this great accomplishment.

The Seniors' big night finally arrived, after much

anticipation, on May 31, 1991. They had been counting down the days until graduation, when the events of the past thirteen years would flash before their eyes and be replaced with the hopes they held for the future.

Speakers for the evening included Mr. Van Hipp, Tim Godwin who spoke to the class as Salutatorian, and Allison Goehring gave the Valedictorian address. Shane Walker, Senior Class President, presented the 1991-1992 Student Body President, Shelley White, with the class gift. The relieved graduates finally moved their tassels to the left and slowly walked away from the school for the last time.



**Senior graduates**, Stacey Padgett, Michelle Jones, Kenneth Greenwell, Toby Silber, Kevin Smoak, and Chris Brand, anxiously await the big moment when they finally move their tassels. Although they will dearly miss the close friends they have made through the years, they have much to look forward to in the years to come.