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## in Time

Although many commented that it was finally over, in reality "it" had just begun on June 1 for the class of 1989. As the seniors began that final march, they became painfully aware that this procession was the beginning of that giant step into the future.

For the first time, seniors were restricted to the number of guests that they were allowed to invite because of the limited space in the gym. Despite protests, only six tickets were issued to each senior. Other guests were invited to watch the graduation ceremonies on

closed circuit television in the commons area. Because of this new policy seniors marched from the math and social study halls, through the commons area, down the vocational hall and into the gym.

As loved ones watched, the graduates marched with heads held high and with teary eyes to "Pomp and Circumstance." It was a moment in time which was the culmination of twelve years of preparation, dedication, and determination. As the reading from Ecclesiastes by Christy Allen affirmed, it was a "time to laugh

and a time to cry."

Michael Portereiko saluted the board members, faculty, family, and friends who had provided the education and moral support over the years. Valedictorian Chrissy Greene emphasized the importance of the moment but reminded the graduates that it was but one moment of many to come. "The world has so much to offer," she asserted, "and we have so much to give."

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**After the commencement ceremony,** Faye Olds and Erica Manigo celebrate the end of a long high school career outside the gym.

### Timely Trivia

*The marshals for graduation were Jill Dowdy, Leslie Williamson, Jason Dandridge, Seth Huckabee, Angie Broach, Julie Adams, Tina Hoover, Amy Wright, and Rhonda Maree. Head Marshall Jeff Hughes had to forfeit his position because of a severe case of mononucleosis.*

