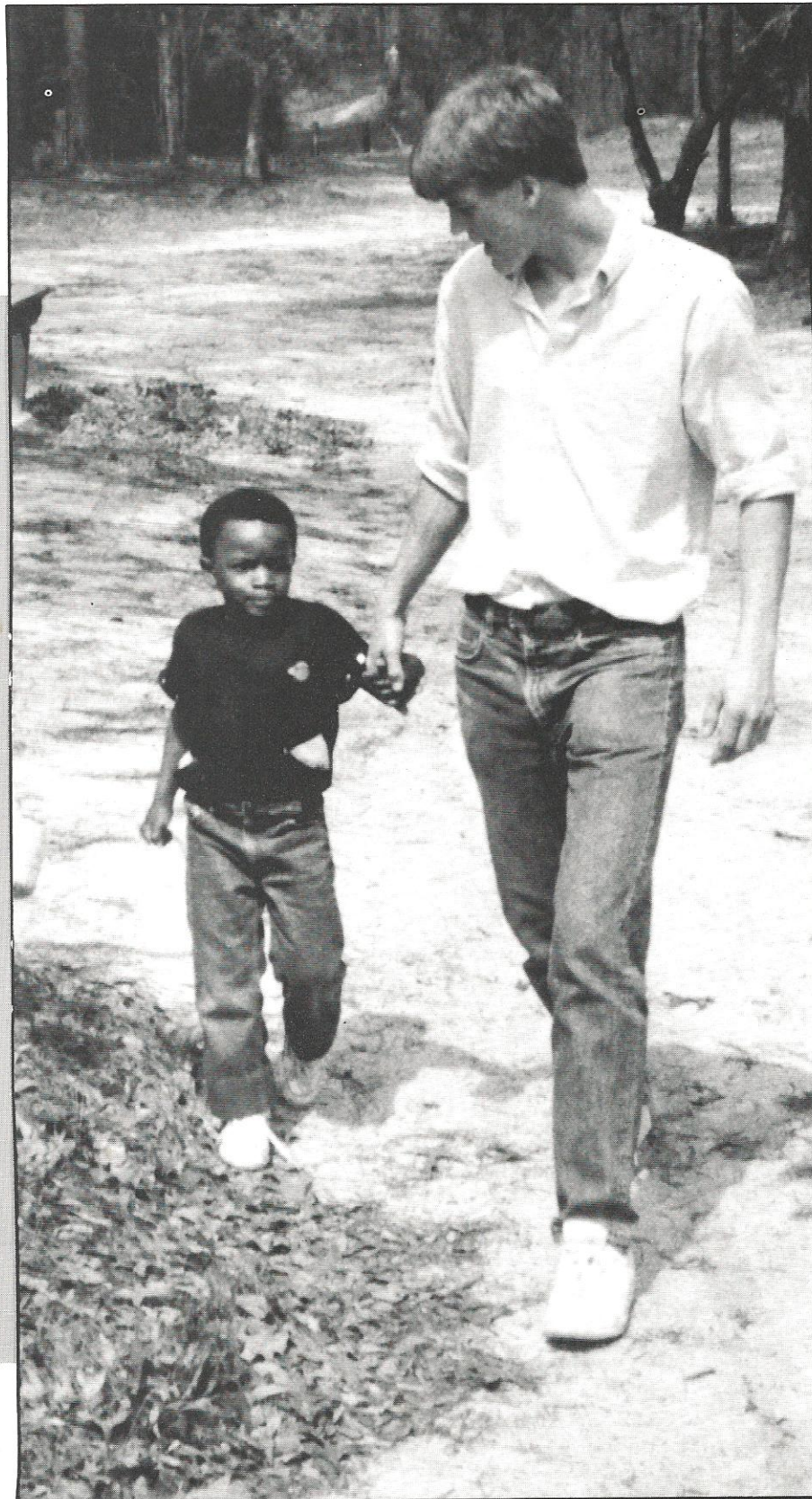


# Looking Back Stepping Forward

**T**he Senior Class closed out a special era on the night of June 5. It was the last time that seniors would graduate with eighteen units. Seniors of the future must earn twenty credits. This class carried the distinction of being the first to complete four high school years in the handsome building constructed in 1982. This year marked the change in administration when Principal Jones left after fifteen years to assume a district position.

As seniors looked back, they remembered with pride when the Band of Blue was named 1982 AAAA State Champions. They remembered the exciting AAAA finals in Columbia when the Dogs played the Laurens Raiders. They remembered the controversial implementation of the Governor's Education Improvement Act. And in their senior year they remembered the bittersweet graduation night.

This yearbook has attempted to capture a portion of those memorable moments. Through the years it will provide a tangible reminder of the era of the Class of 1986.



**DEMONSTRATING THE** patience needed by a future teacher is Walker Moore. Walker assists a child from the Classroom on Wheels at the FTA Easter egg hunt.