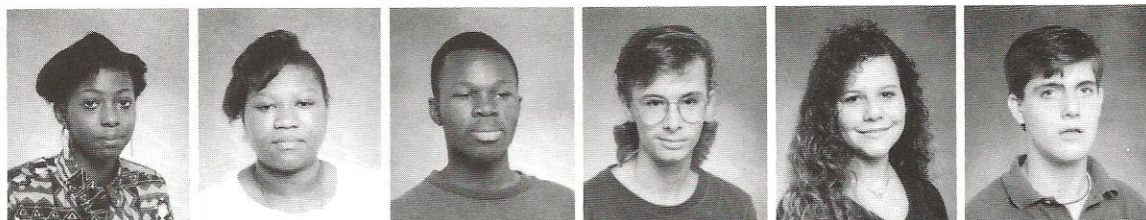


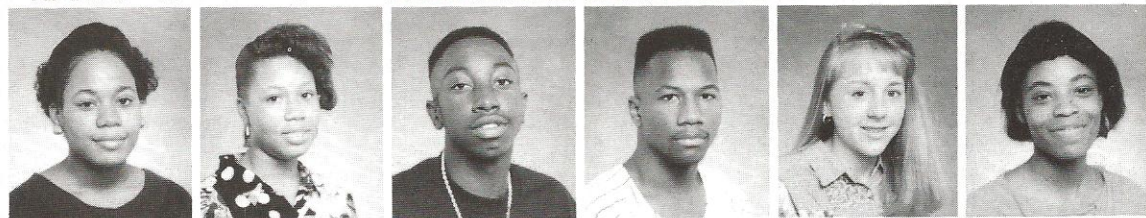
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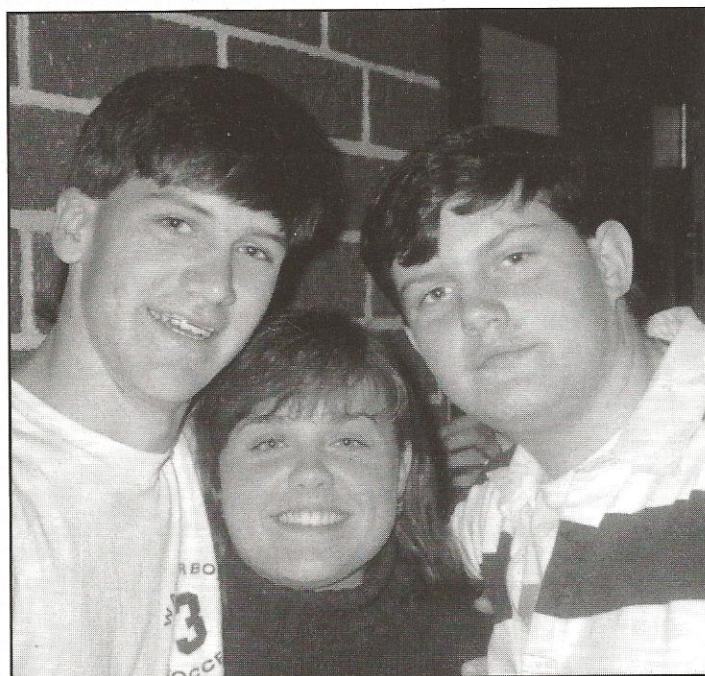
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Depend On It



Lawton Smith, Shelby Ulrich, and Will Crook pause a moment for a group hug on the way to the next class. Students often used the time between classes to catch up on the latest gossip from their friends.

Only one person was always there to make the day better, give advice, defend, and keep secrets. This person was commonly known as a "best friend."

"I do not know what I would do without my best friend," said Dawn Bowman. "She is always there to talk to and to cheer me up."

A friend was one person who could be trusted. In an unpredictable world, a friend was like an island in a raging sea. Friends were people who gave support to each other when times were rough.

"The best thing a friend ever did for me was to make me laugh when I had done something really embarrassing," said Holly Bottomly. "They made me see how numerous the situation was and made it easier for me to forget what I had done."

Friends were the only people who really could help when days were not going very well.

— Rhonda Carter