



XOXO. Mr. Pence bestows a kiss on newly crowned Homecoming Queen Natasha Farmer. Natasha was also a member of the NJROTC.

Daddy's Little Girl. Senior Morgan Walker is escorted by her father to the Homecoming festivities. Morgan was Student Body President.

OH, WHAT A NIGHT!

Standing in the middle of the football field anxiously awaiting the homecoming results, both Natasha Farmer and Morgan Walker wore nervous smiles. After Coach Russell Polk called Morgan Walker as Miss Senior, he announced, "And the 1997 Homecoming Queen is Natasha Farmer." It was the announcement she had anticipated all week.

When asked why she ran for Homecoming, Natasha said, "It was just something I wanted to try. I didn't think they would vote for me. I thought maybe because Morgan Walker is class president, everybody knows her better."

Natasha was overwhelmed when she was named 1997 Homecoming Queen. "It made me feel good and surprised because I didn't think I was going to be Homecoming Queen. I thought I was going to be Miss Senior, which was also good."

Natasha's escort was Jami Fennell, her first cousin.

"Actually Jami chose himself. I didn't ask him. He told me!

He's my first cousin, and we are very close."

"I was very proud of her," said Jami. "I was very honored to be her escort. I have known her all my life, and I felt it was appropriate that I be her escort."

Natasha also won the title of Queen of the NJROTC Military Ball. This win encouraged her to try for Homecoming Queen.

Morgan Walker was happy to be relieved of the suspense when she was named Miss Senior. "I knew Natasha was a very worthy opponent, and I am glad she was chosen because I feel she can truly represent our school just as well as I could have," Morgan said.

Morgan was escorted by her father. "I don't think there is any man that is as important as my father," said Morgan. "He is the reason I was able to walk proudly in front of an audience, and I thought he should be recognized for all the love and support he's given me."

-Tanya Bluto

