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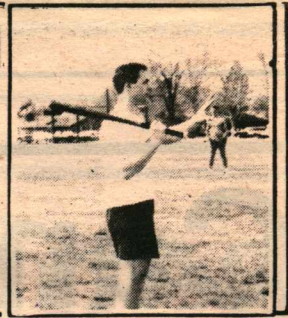
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## ELECTION SPECIAL



## Get Involved

By Christine Roemhildt  
Junior Class Senator

Each year, student campaign speeches speak of the need for increased student involvement and present new ideas for reaching that goal. But the challenge cannot remain solely with your elected officials. You are needed to make student government effective.

Consider the benefits. First, and most obvious, is the benefit to the campus community. As a part of government, whether a class officer, club member, or active participant in forum audiences, you grant government the ability to effectively work toward the goals you consider most important. Without your vital input, student leaders cannot fully serve you in their positions.

Second, you as a student gain from involvement. My own experiences at NNC have revealed intense learning.... classes, coursework, life in general.

But my participation in student government has helped me develop remarkable practical skills, knowledge and independence (completely transferable to life beyond dorm rooms and Mav runs). I couldn't trade these experiences for the world. And to tell you the truth, I wouldn't want to. It's been fun!

So how do you become involved? Run for an office or sign up on an ASNNC committee. Check up on your leaders and question them. Make them responsible for their decisions, commitments and actions. Refuse to feel comfortable sitting back and allowing others to pick up the slack. Each and every NNC student can become part of the whole scheme we call ASNNC government—if we dare to get involved.

This involvement is a choice. And it's your choice. The success of student government next year depends upon you. Your leaders will be ready to help. Will you?

## Voting Starts Monday

By Brian T. Reckling  
Crusader Editor

Spring has sprung. With the beginning of third term comes the weather that we all love and the activities that make Nampa, Idaho bearable. However, along with the weather and activities comes the NNC ritual of elections.

Campaign signs are everywhere. You see them on walls, sidewalks, doors, and bathroom stalls. The hours of work that is put into signs is done with the hope that they may swing the vote one way or the other. If you feel as if you are about ready to drown in all the campaign propaganda, hang on, there is only just over three weeks left.

Voting for ASNNC executive positions is Monday, and the last day to sign up for positions appointed by the

ASNNC president is Tuesday, April 10. Tuesday is also the last day to sign up for one of the publication editors. Filing for class officers and senators begins on Friday, April 13. The last day to sign up for these positions is Friday, April 20.

Elections for class officers will begin on Monday, April 30 with the runoff slated for Wednesday, May 2.

The reason for the early date of ASNNC executive officer elections is the Nazarene Student Leadership Conference to be held at Olivet Nazarene University. All of the newly elected executive officers will be departing for Kankakee, Illinois on Wednesday, April 18. At the conference the officers will attend seminars on leadership and also have the chance to discuss ideas and strategies with other people who hold the same position at other Nazarene colleges.

## Election Changes

By Rob Thompson  
Executive VP

This year's election includes some new plans. First, there is one less elected position. The office of ASNNC Business Manager is no longer elected. Instead the student Senate and the student body voted to make that position an appointed position last year. In order to balance the appointed and elected positions there is currently a move within the Executive Council to make the

Community Relations Coordinator an elected position rather than an appointed one. Sign-ups for all Executive Council appointed positions are currently up on the Executive Vice-President's office window until Tuesday, April 10th.

The second important difference in the election process this year is the addition of an ASNNC candidates forum. The candidates met after Time Out on Wednesday, April 4th and answered several questions

proffered by members of the student body who had come to participate in this new event. The intention of the forum was to allow the students another setting to hear candidate views.

Voting on Monday will consist of the elected Executive Office candidates and the proposed ASNNC Term III Budget. Cast an intelligent vote and get involved in the leadership choice for next year. Remember seniors, you vote too.



Students enter the gymnasium to hear speeches. The speeches given on Friday were for the ASNNC Secretary and ASNNC Executive Vice-President.

# NEWS

# Candidates for 1990-1991 AS

## President

Leanne McKillip



For quite a while I have been contemplating just exactly what it is that makes me want to be ASNNC President. I have come to the conclusion that the main reason is that I am a student and would like to help fellow students to the best of my ability. During the past year I have served as a Junior Class Senator and have had the opportunity to be involved in making decisions as a representative for the students. I feel that the reason behind student government is the students and that they must have a say in what is happening around them. There are three ways in particular that I feel this can be accomplished. The first way is by providing students a chance to express their views and opinions. This can be done by continuing the Gratitude and Grievances Forums so that students may make themselves heard to the administration. Also, I would like to begin an ASNNC All-School Forum where students could come and express to members of the Executive Council, Senate, and Judicial Board how student government could best serve them.

Secondly, I feel that there should be an attitude of commitment. There must be a commitment made to serve the students, their concerns, and their interests. It is too easy to get so caught up in what one is trying to accomplish that the reason for all the work is very often neglected. There should be an honest effort made by all those involved in student government to make themselves known to the students, as well as being accessible. I would like to see a priority placed upon the concerns of the students so that they are able to see that changes are occurring.

I also feel that there should be a commitment made to the surrounding community. In the few years that we are

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Don Carter



As NNC students consider the presidential race, I have to ask myself what is going to be important to each of the voters. You will probably be concerned about the personal qualifications for a president. You are probably also interested in such factors as experience and future plans for ASNNC. I believe that I possess attributes in each of these areas which qualify me for the office of president.

First, I believe that I possess the personality characteristics necessary for the presidency. First, and probably most importantly, I am interested in the opinions of others. I feel that I am a good listener and a person people are comfortable talking to. These two characteristics combine to give me a view of all sides of any important issue. Secondly, I enjoy such positions. I enjoy the challenge of taking an activity and trying to do it well, on time, and under budget. These are just a couple of the personality traits I have that would help to make me a successful president.

Experience is also important when taking on a job at a level such as the ASNNC presidency. I have had the opportunity to gain that experience in student government. I have been involved in student government since high school, most recently serving as Junior Class President. Our council was very successful. We were able to make money on the Junior Class Fun House, which has not been done at least since I've been in school. We have sponsored the Junior Class Play, "Wait Until Dark," which promises to be very successful. We are also in the final planning stages of what promises to be an exciting Jr/Sr Retreat. This retreat will be even more exciting because we were able to give all of the juniors and seniors a chance to choose the activity we would pursue.

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Jeff Doud

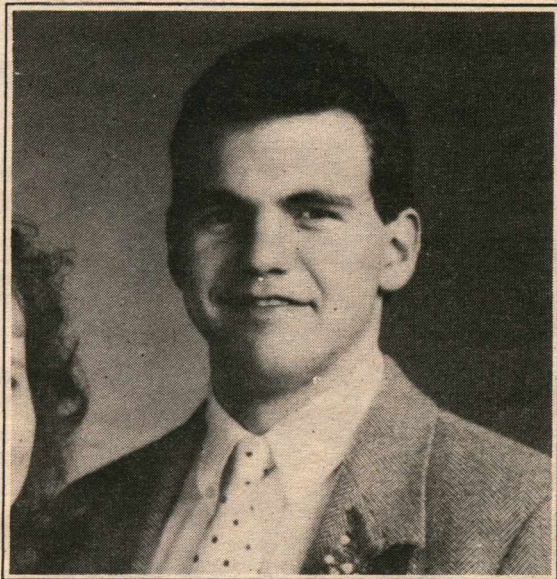


Why would I like to be ASNNC President? I would like to have the opportunity to serve students of NNC, yet another year. As most of you know, I served you this year as ASNNC Social Vice President. This is one of my qualifications to serve you as President. I am aware of how ASNNC operates and do see things that need improvement and want to make those changes. Some of the areas that I have served the students of NNC are: Freshman Class Vice-President, Student Activities Council, ASNNC Social Board Member for two years. I have also been a member of the following committees: Activities Committee, Entertainment/Evaluation Committee, Planning/Building/Usage Committee, Calendar Planning Committee, Homecoming Committee, and a member of this year's Executive Council. I feel that all these things give me a working knowledge of how student government operates and that in turn qualify me to be your next ASNNC President.

I have a few ideas that I would like to implement as President. One of those is to have a core President's Cabinet consisting of other presidents. The cabinet, of course, would be open to other interested students as well. Another idea I have is to combine the Activities Committee and Social Board into one committee that would coordinate the Social Vice-President and the class vice-presidents as their responsibility is to the social aspect of their class. This committee would also be open to all students.

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Fosco Williamson



There are several reasons why I would like to represent the student body next year as ASNNC Executive Vice President. I have three specific goals which I would like to see fulfilled next year. 1) As Executive Vice President, I will fulfill the duties and responsibilities as stipulated

in the ASNNC legal documents to the best of my abilities. 2) I will make an effort on the student government's part to create two-way communication between government and student body. 3) I will return senate into a body which solves student concerns in a positive manner through cooperation of students and the three branches of government. Communication and cooperation are vital elements in an effective government. As Executive Vice President, I will strive for an effective government which will have positive results.

Last year, I was provided with the opportunity as Sophomore Class Senator to become qualified for the office of Executive Vice President. I aided in the rewriting of the ASNNC Code. I served on many committees which gave me a background in government and allowed me to work in teams to accomplish goals. I have the experience necessary for this executive office.

Finally, I have a strong Christian commitment which I have used in my decisions in the past, and I will continue to integrate in my decision-making process in the future.

I believe that my goals, qualifications, and Christian commitment blend together in such a way that I will be an effective and constructive leader as Executive Vice President.

## Vice-President

Verlin Byers



Active. Qualified. Committed. These are reasons why I am running for 1990-91 Executive Vice President. I thoroughly enjoy

being involved in student government. It is exciting. For the past year, I have served as Social Vice President. During this time, I became familiar with the procedures, the planning, and the execution of the social events. My sophomore year, I was elected as Social Vice President. I also served as Social Vice President during my sophomore year. I also served as Social Vice President during my sophomore year.

I realize that being a Vice President is a demanding and exciting position. I am committed to fulfill the duties of the office. I am a hard worker, and I am committed to the ASNNC. I will work hard to make the ASNNC documents and procedures as effective as possible. I will also work hard to make the leadership skills of the student body as strong as possible. I will continue to work hard for the Senate and the student body.

If elected, I will continue to work hard for the Senate and the student body. I will continue to work hard for the Senate and the student body.

# NEWS

# 1 ASNNC Executive Offices

## Social VP

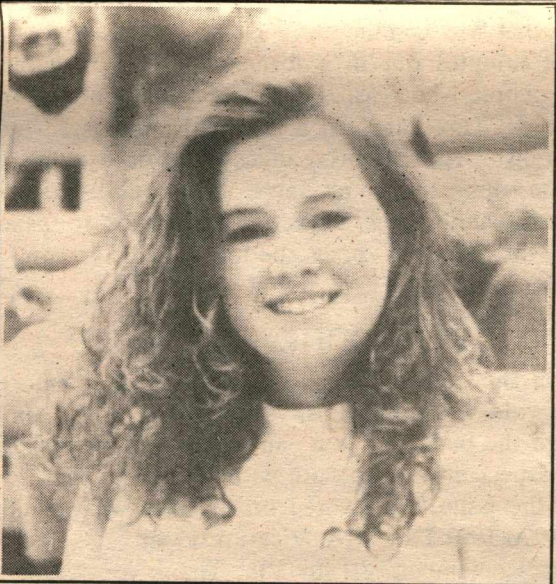
Ben Thomas



"Ben, Ben, he's our man! If he can't do it...no one can!"--"Yea dude, he's like totally social."--"Big Ben' has what it takes to make things tick!"--Ben Thomas is the most excellent person for this job; he's so social. In fact, he's more social than a Cocker Spaniel in the spring time."

I enjoy being involved here at NNC and interacting with you as the student body.

Sandi Hicks



"I went to ENC and saw a lot of their activities that I wanted to see implemented here."

I am running for the position of ASNNC Social Vice President so I can be even more involved in your socially expanding experiences.

In these two excellent years at NNC, it's exciting to see how many of you were involved in the social activities. I believe your involvement is vitally important to make any activity a success. You make the activity what it is. I enjoy being the instigator. I like creative activities, especially activities that incorporate your ideas and suggestions. Plus, the more you attend and get involved with an activity, the more variety and creativity will evolve at the activity, (making it all the more worthwhile).

I am one who is totally dedicated to my job, taking responsibilities seriously and carrying them out to its fullest potential. I feel I am very qualified for this job because of the deep involvement I have here at NNC.

I have sincerely enjoyed working with ministry groups and the

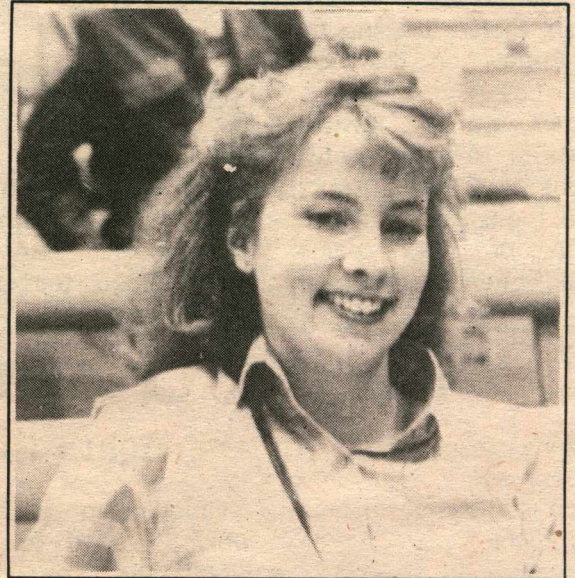
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Ponder with me for a moment the idea of your social life next year. There are many good ideas that have been implemented in this office. I would like to improve on these ideas by....

1. Combining efforts with First Church to bring in concerts. Our budget will double and groups that have been beyond our funds before will be within reach!
2. Making Malibu Days into a weekend event instead of just Saturday. New events would include water olympics, skim boarding competitions, and end the weekend with a big concert!
3. Bringing back a form of freshman initiation!

## Secretary

Michelle Poteet



I would like to be the next ASNNC Secretary because this position would allow me to serve the student body and to really get involved in government. This past year I served as the Sophomore Class Secretary, which was a very good experience for me. My duties as secretary included typing and mailing minutes, sending notices for meetings and special events, and making sure we stayed on task during council meetings. I also served as co-chairperson for Freshere and helped organize Freshmen Orientation. I am also a R.A. in Morrison, which allows me to exercise a leadership position in a fun way. I love this position as R.A. because it makes it possible for me to get to know others well and have a positive influence in their lives.

I've been told by more than one person that this position carries with it a lot of hard work, but I am not afraid of hard work. I feel challenged by this opportunity to serve in this capacity and I'm looking forward to next year. I have high expectations for myself and all those students who will be attending NNC next year.

# ASNNC

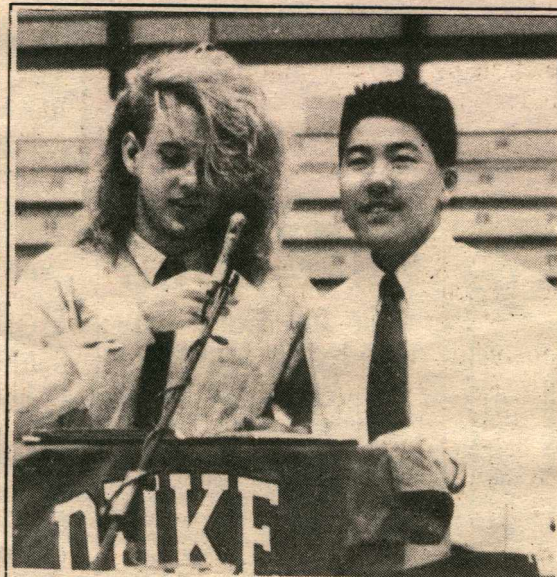
## President

being involved in student government. It is challenging and exciting. For the past two years I have been active in Senate. During this time I was able to see how the Senate operates, and I became familiar with the ASNNC Code, Constitution, and Senate Procedures. As a member of my class council, I participated in the planning and construction of the Junior class Haunted House. My sophomore year we put on the first NNC "MORP" in which students dressed up, danced while sitting in chairs, and had a great time. I also served on the Campus Life Committee.

I realize the office of Executive Vice President is very demanding and requires a lot of effort. But I will do my very best to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of the position. I am a hard worker, and I can work well with people. Conducting all ASNNC elections, coordinating and maintaining the ASNNC documents and making sure the Senate meetings run smoothly and effectively are duties that do not outweigh my abilities. With my leadership skills, experience, and commitment I am qualified to be your 1990-1991 Executive Vice-President.

If elected Vice-President, I will take measures to keep you, the student body of NNC, more aware of the Senate's activities. I will continue the ASNNC Newsletter which contains the agenda for the Senate meetings each week. I will also make sure the Senate minutes are easy to read. Finally, when it comes time to

David Mowry Cary Tom



Cary: Hi, I'm Cary Tom.  
Dave: And I'm David Mowry.  
Both: And we're running for the office of ASNNC Executive Vice president.  
Cary: Or anything for that matter.

Dave: History has shown that two people working together as a team have a great effect on their society. Such as Adam and Eve, Sampson and Delilah, Noah and the Ark, Joan and the Ark, Abbot and Costello, Ken and Jay...

Cary: Wow, that's stretching it. We think that we can accurately represent the average, politically unexperienced person because we are average and politically unexperienced. We don't think that Plato was right in judging the masses as ignorant slob who don't know what they need. We're part of the masses, and heck, we know what we need.

Dave: We need more communication between government and students...

Cary: And more trees on campus...

Dave: And more intramural sports...

Cary: And more gazebos...

Dave: And more dates for Cary...

Cary: Shut up.

Dave: Like we said, we know what we need, oops, what you need.

Cary: Remember, write in Cary and Dave, ASNNC anything.

# SPORTS

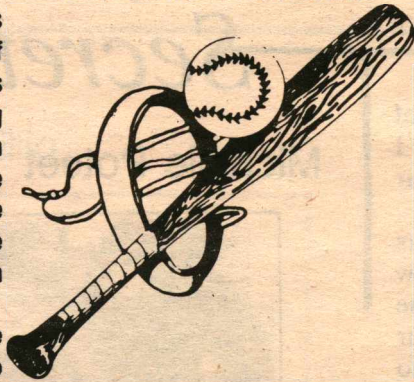
## Softball hits intramurals

By Don Curtis  
Sports Editor

Men and Women's intramural softball kicks off today at noon with the men's west league Cruisers facing the Boys of Summer on Chapman field and the women's east league Swingin' Sisters battling the Blue Angels on the Gym field.

The men's league consists of 15 teams in two divisions. Men's north league, the larger of the two, consists of eight teams: Stacked; Faculty; Russian

Sickles; Cruisers; Nye/Clark; Boys of Summer; Hoosiers; and M.O.S.H. The 7 teams



in the men's south league are: the Simpsons; Primemovers; TBA; Camel Jocks; Good, Bad, and the

Ugly; Fubar Crew; and the Wombats.

The women's league has 11 teams including 6 western divisions and 5 eastern divisions. The women's west league clubs are Taylor/Minor; the Team; Whooser's; Damage Inc.; Iron Maiden; and Coach. Western club members are Moose Nuggets; Unstoppables; Swingin' Sisters; Blue Angels; and Fruity Rebels.

Game rosters for all leagues are posted in the student center lounge.

### Leanne Mckillip cont...

students here in Nampa, we have such an opportunity to make an impact. I believe the best way to see this come about is by placing a greater emphasis upon NNC's clubs and organizations. Through NNC's clubs and organizations we, as students, are able to minister to others and be ministered to in return.

Finally, there must be student involvement. It is more than just saying that students should become involved. Students must be provided with an opportunity and a means in which to become involved in NNC. I have enjoyed the time that I have been involved in student government here at NNC and have obtained invaluable experience through it. I believe in NNC and all that it stands for and am proud to be a part of a christian college. I would like for NNC to be a place where students are able to voice their concerns, have those concerns heard, and then see that concern acted upon.

### Don Carter cont...

Perhaps the most important experience I have had in student government is being a member of the Executive Council of ASNNC this year. My background on the Executive Council has allowed me to participate closely in the structure of the ASNNC Executive branch. This, combined with my experience leading the Junior Class Council, would be an extremely valuable tool for the president.

Finally, I would like to share what I feel the most important challenge to ASNNC will be next year. The most important thing for ASNNC to establish next year is improved communication and involvement between ASNNC and the students. Without this communication, ASNNC is failing at one of its most important tasks. A couple of the steps I would like to take to achieve this communication and involvement are as follows. First, when forming a president's council, I want to find people who often disagree with me on how ASNNC should be run. After all, I already know what I think. These people could give me another point of view so I could serve the whole student body better. Second, I would like to establish a column in the Crusader which would give an overview of the ASNNC activities that have occurred and those that are coming up. Next, I would like to put the Senate minutes out in a format which is readable even to those people who (gasp!?) did not actually attend the Senate meetings. These are just a few of the things I would like to accomplish. As the voting takes place on Monday, I hope to get the opportunity to serve. I would like to use my leadership skills, experience, and innovation to make ASNNC serve the student body better. Thank you for your consideration.

### Verlin Byers cont...

vote on the budget each term, I will post it before the all-school vote. By doing this, you will have ample time to read through the budget so you can make an informed decision. I don't expect anyone to vote without having time to find out about the issue being voted on. I have what it takes to be your 1990-1991 Executive Vice-President.

Remember, VB for VP. Thank you.

### Jeff Doud cont...

other students that are interested in being involved in the activities on campus. In order to improve the communication between the students and student government I would like to see an all school forum that would be open for students to come and ask questions of their executive officers, class councils, senators and the Judicial Branch. I feel that this would let the students know what is happening.

A lot of you know me as someone who likes to joke around, but student government is something that I take very seriously! (unlike the picture above suggests!) As you vote Monday please vote Jeff Doud for ASNNC President. Thank You.

### Ben Thomas cont...

Spiritual Life Board, being a member of the Student Alumni Council, being Sophomore Class Vice President, working with all social activities (freshman orientation party, Fresheree, Homecoming, etc.), being a member of Activity Planning Committee, and being involved in helping to plan NNC activities. Also, this past year I have been an active member of the Social Board, therefore, I know what the responsibilities, job objective, and criteria of Social Vice President are.

I love to see as many people involved in something as possible. Importantly, I want to work for you and with you, igniting your ideas and suggestions. I like to see people work together and make things happen. I want a big year of social success and I want everyone to be a part of it.

## UNLV wins crown for the West

### Duke chokes for the eighth time

By Don Curtis  
Sports Editor

UNLV netted their first ever NCAA basketball crown by completely demolishing DUKE University 103-73 last Monday night.

"It was one of those games you dream of," said UNLV coach Jerry "the shark" Tarkanian.

The rebels took off from the beginning and Duke never caught up. The Rebels' dominating 'amoeba' defense knock Duke smack out of their high-tops.

"Their half-court defense is the best in the country and it dictated the whole basketball game," said Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski. "They were in control when they had the ball and when they didn't have the ball. I think it is the best a team has played against me as a coach."

The Runnin' Rebels calmly claimed the

championship from Duke, which was there for the eighth time. The victory was the first by a team from the West since UCLA in 1975. UNLV became the first team to score more than 100 points in the championship. The 103 UNLV points set a championship game record as did the 30-point victory margin. UNLV also had a championship record of 16 steals, including four straight in one stretch of the first half and three straight in the second half grabbing an 18-point run.

The Blue Devils were hurtin' units the whole game. Duke committed over 23 turnovers in the game, six more than its season average. UNLV, on the other hand, had five dunks to none for DUKE; UNLV's front-line players outshot Duke's 69 percent to 45 percent and outscored the Blue Devils front-liners 56-38; UNLV's

backcourt players outshot Duke's 56 percent to 48 percent, outscored them 47-35 and handed out 12 assists to three for Duke's guards. UNLV hit 62 percent from the field, the fourth-highest in championship history. Duke made 1 of 11 three-point attempts.

UNLV guard Anderson Hunt, the Final Four's Most Outstanding Player, scored 29 points, including 12 as the Rebels outscored Duke 18-0 to open a 28-point lead. Duke guard Phil Henderson, who made 1 of 8 three-point attempts, committed six turnovers and had no assists.

Three UNLV players-Anderson Hunt, Larry Johnson, Stacy Augmon-made the Final Four's All-Tournament Team.

"This is the best team UNLV has ever had, no question," said Tarkanian. "But it's always better to say it after everything."

## Final Four

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