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Dear Men of '76:

I write today for several reasons and appreciate your interest in the ongoing business of the Class and the College.

Firstly, and on a very serious note, I need to be sure that you have heard the terrible news regarding our Wabash Classmate, Lu Hamilton. On February 17, Lu Hamilton was involved in a double homicide involving family members. The tragic incident concluded with Lu's death by his own hand.

The reason I bring this to your attention is that Lu is a classmate and was an employee of the College at the time of the incident. We have very limited information regarding motive for this terrible act, but officials in law enforcement suggest — through the news media — that the incident came about as a result of a conflict involving a family trust.

Please keep Lu's family and friends, and his colleagues at the College, in your thoughts and prayers. I am sorry to bring this to your attention via our Class Letter.

On a more pleasant note you should be aware that the 1976 Reunion Committee is hard at work organizing the Events planned for our 40th Reunion Celebration on the weekend of June 3-5, 2016.

The Holiday Inn Express is the Class Headquarters Hotel in Crawfordsville — it will be wise to have everyone in the same place if that is possible.

There is a Campus wide Banquet on Friday Night at the Knowling Field House/Allen Center — this is a popular event with a full group of returning Alumni and families. Perhaps most important is the 1976 Class Dinner, which will be held the next evening on Saturday, June 4.

Our Dinner location has yet to be determined and will be clearly outlined in the Reunion materials. If your Reunion visit is short, we suggest attending on Saturday for the class photo and our class dinner. You can see the reunion schedule and register for the reunion on this web site:

<http://www.wabash.edu/alumni/reunion/schedule>. Note the last day to register is May 25, 2016 — please register today.

The Reunion Committee is working to establish a classmate contact system to help with the organization of the Reunion Weekend. Please get in touch if you have interest and time to assist. Please also consider a gift to the College in the form of an Annual Fund Gift. This is most easily accomplished via the College website at:

<https://www.wabash.edu/giving/give>. If you prefer to mail a gift, the address is:

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Please plan on visiting Crawfordsville for the first weekend in June. The Class Reunion will be a wonderful opportunity to visit the College and reacquaint with old friends.

As always, Rick Cavanaugh, our reunion chairman, Fred Miller, and I are good contacts for whatever questions you may have.

With all respect and good wishes,

RSword '76