



## **WABASH COLLEGE**

### ***Class Agents Letter***

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### **Class of 1982**

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Dear '82 Classmates,

I've been on class agent hiatus for a while and I apologize to you for that. I'm sure I could come up with some great excuses,,,,,well maybe I can't.

I hope this finds all of you prospering and healthy. There have been too many changes and achievements since my last letter for me to list, but here are a few recent items. We still have the Monon Bell, that hasn't changed. There are new residence halls / townhouses on the west side of campus that look pretty palatial compared to what was there in the late '70's and I look forward to checking these out on my next visit to campus. Wabash will have a new football coach next year, Don Morel. Hopefully he will maintain and improve our winning tradition.

A more important and unfortunate event that just happened this past Saturday is the passing of Nancy Doemel. Nancy's husband, Prof. Emeritus of Biology, Bill Doemel was my freshman advisor and many of you may not know she was anything other than that. You would be very wrong. Nancy was a critical catalyst for Wabash's financial position. Nancy served as our Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations from 1979 until retiring in 2010. In 31 years working at Wabash she raised more than \$30 million for the college. Nancy propagated the Wabash philosophy; Think Critically / Act Responsibly / Lead Effectively / Live Humanely, in all that she touched. I had the honor of meeting and talking with her a few times over the years. She was as genuine as they come and she will be missed on many levels.

As the '15 - '16 fiscal year for Wabash comes to a close, I ask that you consider making a donation to Wabash prior to 7/1/16, in memory of Nancy Doemel. Whether you realize it or not, Nancy was an integral part to our Wabash experience, and for all the classes that followed us.

I promise to be more diligent in the future with keeping you up to date on Wabash and class news. I wish all you good health and hope we can connect in some way soon.

WAF,

Ned Broadwater