



Class Agents Letter

Class of 1964

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WABASH COLLEGE CLASS LETTER

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Dear Classmates,

As we enter our fifth month of quarantine due to the CORONA-19 virus we are tempted to pay heed to those who are giving one date or another to the end of this pandemic. With the warm weather upon us some of us are tempted to cheat just a bit of socializing. I too am grocery shopping every week or so, bemasked and lathered up with sanitizer. However, I suggest that the end may NOT be near. Connie and I are quite satisfied with reading, sitting in our front lawn, technologically conversing with family and friends, streaming Church services, participating in Zoom meetings, and watching TV. Please continue this sort of regimen until the all clear is finally announced, by scientists and not by government officials.

As we end the Wabash fiscal year please don't forget your gift to the college. As Steve Hoffman, the Grand Poobah of Alumni Affairs, has suggested:

1. Because of the CARES Act, you can add up to \$300 of your Wabash gift to your standard deduction on your 2020 household's federal taxes, even when you choose not to itemize.
2. We're close to our Annual Fund goal of \$3.5 million (highest ever), but we continue to need gifts as we work to support Wabash students and make sure they have all the resources they need to return safely to campus this fall.

Finally, as I was rummaging through my "Summer Stuff" I came upon my red and white cooler with various Wabash decals on it. One in particular reads "Wabash Always Fights", but due to time and weather it now reads "Wabash Always". Going from a sentence to a phrase it still bears meaning. I think I'll keep it on my cooler.

Yours in 'Bash,

Ron

