

1992 ACYOA General Assembly

Armenian Church of the Holy Martyrs • Bayside, NY



National Sports Weekend



***This book is dedicated
to the memory of Gregory Arpajian
1965 - 1991***



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA
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BISHOP KHAJAG BARSAMIAN, PRIMATE

PRIMATE'S MESSAGE



Greetings to you, our precious youth, who have gathered here in Bayside, New York, to be part of the Annual ACYOA General Assembly and Sports Weekend. It is a great joy to see our young people together again, participating in sports, social activities, educational programs, and fellowship. You are truly the Young Church alive!

The Armenian Church looks to the young and in fact, sees herself in the young, in you as a group and in each of you as individuals. The Church sees in you the continuity of her mission to the Armenian people and to the world. This is how it has been since the beginning, even since apostolic times. St. John in his First Epistle offers testimony of this: "I am writing to you, young people, because you have overcome the evil one...I write to you, children, because you know the Father...I write to you, young people, because you are strong, and the Word of God abides in you." (I John 2:13-14)

Your love for your Church, the strength of your faith, and the enthusiasm and dedication that accompanies it, reveals that you are true sons and daughters of the Armenian Church. We are pleased that you have begun taking a greater part in the life of your parishes by becoming parish council members, choir members, altar servers, and teachers. You are being asked to be part of important committees and projects and you are accepting that call. You have shown a sincere concern for the changes that are taking place in Armenia and you are supporting your fellow Armenians on their chosen path of independence. Through your spirit of volunteerism, you have participated in helping them in their struggle as a new nation, with all the responsibilities and sacrifices which that entails. You have also expressed a great understanding of and desire for unity; your generation will prove that Armenians can be united, when we come together as one Church, sharing the same mission and vision.

Seeing your dedication to our Church, culture and people assures me that whatever obstacles we may encounter, together we will continue to grow and prosper in the diaspora as well as in our Motherland. The pride and love that I feel for you is energized by the pride and love that I know you have for your Church and heritage.

I hope that you enjoy this gathering and all the activities that it offers. Rejoice in the wonderful opportunity that you have to be with your fellow Armenians, establishing and strengthening your ties with young people from all parts of this American continent. The friendships that you make here are all occasions for you to learn and grow. I pray that the Holy Spirit will strengthen and inspire you as you continue to grow in faith and wisdom. Serve the Lord with joy and gladness.

With prayers,

Bp. K. Barsamian

Bishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate

September, 1992



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ARMENIAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY MARTYRS

It has been said that there is only one tragedy in life—not to be a saint. A saint is simply a person who cooperated with God's plan for his or her life, a person who believed God's promises, and chose God. When you begin your adult life, are you listening to Christ and giving him a chance to make something beautiful, successful and great out of you? That is all a saint is. A saint is a person who was on the right road on the journey through life. What road are you on as you travel in and through the City of Youth?

Young people in the world today are being offered all sorts of avenues down which they are invited to go in order to find the Yellow-Brick Road to Happiness, Gold, and the Magic of Success. Watch TV and think about it. Are you going to be a track star, a billionaire, a movie star, a basketball hero, President of the U.S.A. or of Armenia? Maybe, if that is what God wants for you. But God may want something else, some other way for you to achieve happiness and fulfillment. Perhaps it will be as a wealthy or famous person or perhaps God is calling you to be a priest or a missionary, a theologian or a scientist, a governor or a teacher or a church musician or a martyr.

Youth is the right time to begin to serve and love God with all one's heart and mind and soul and strength. It was never intended that God's way should be a reluctant last choice. The right thing is to choose God first, not last. Choose Christ for your youth, when your energy and hopes are high, and you are choosing a good youth, not only a good youth but a good middle-age, a good old age, a good eternity. Choose God's way, and God will take care of you. He will look after you and make the best of you. He will show you challenges higher than Mount Everest and he will make you a winner. He will end your loneliness and crown your life with success.

Don't wait for the church authorities, the minister or your parents, to beg you to come forward for Christ. Make your own decision now and come forward yourself. Tell your priest or your church that you really want to give your life to God. Begin your training soon as a young Christian leader or student or worker. Don't feel that you are unworthy, spoiled by sin or your mistakes. For God all things are possible. He will heal you, rescue you from your difficulties and lead you out of unhappiness and into the happiness of the Christian community, give you the best friends, make you a social leader and a blessing to the whole world. He will save you, and will help you to save others from misery and suffering.

Choose God today; come forward for Christ and choose the right path through the City of Youth.

Prayerfully yours,

Fr. Vazken Karayan
Fr. Vazken Karayan
Pastor

September, 1992



ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate

Central Council

Dear Friends:

There is much to rejoice. We are all winners this weekend. Our lifelong friendships and shared experiences are the real first place trophies. At the General Assembly, as one body, we have again taken a look at the past year and have also caught a glimpse of the year to come. The future seems bright. We can see the light at the end of the tunnel!

But is there also not much to trouble and worry us? Our chapters and our parishes are suffering through financial difficulties. And, spirituality in our community is at a low. Yes, we see that light at the end of the tunnel but is it just the glow of the entrance sign for the next tunnel?

Well, we could take this time to weep and mope. But we must remember that through every trial and tribulation, our forebears had faith, hope and joy. The Sports Weekend Banquet and Ball is a time of celebration. It is a time to remember and revel in the good. There is no greater good or joy than our love for one another.

So, today, let us not look for the flame. Instead, let us look for the embers, and remember that as long as there is an ember, we can build the fire.

But with sunrise tomorrow, let us build this fire!

With love,

Charles H. Shooshan III
Chairman

September, 1992

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ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION
WESTERN DIOCESE
WESTERN DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA



Greetings from California!

Congratulations to the Bayside Chapter for hosting the ACYOA General Assembly and National Sports Weekend. The ACYO-Western Diocese extends their support in gratification to all the dedicated and hard working members who have helped make this a successful weekend.

This is a time to enjoy each others fellowship, to reunite old friendships and establish new ones among ACYO members gathered together from the tri-Diocese. It is also a time to give thanks to God who has brought us together to maintain the spiritual strength of religious commitment between ourselves and our Armenian Apostolic Church.

The ACYO-WD Central Council would like to invite you to our 1992 General Assembly that will be held in San Diego, California on November 27-29, 1992. We hope to see you there for another fun-filled weekend.

Sincerely,

ACYO-WD Central Council

September, 1992



Armenian Church Youth Organization of Canada

CENTRAL COUNCIL

The ACYOC Central Council, would like to extend its congratulations and best wishes to the Bayside Chapter on organizing the 1992 General Assembly and National Sports Weekend. We are sure this weekend has seen the coming together of old friends as well as bringing new friends together to form one big family and to reaffirm our faith in the Armenian Church.

The last few years have also seen the strengthening of the bonds that tie the ACYOA and the ACYOC together as sister organizations. The ACYOC is looking forward to continuing this relationship to better both organizations and to also provide the youth of North America a sense of purpose and belonging within the Armenian Church and Community.

In closing, we would like to take this opportunity to invite you to two ACYOC events: ACYOC National Winter Sports Weekend and Leadership Seminar, February 1993 in Ottawa, Ontario; and ACYOC General Assembly and Summer Sports Weekend, July 1-5, 1993 in Mississauga, Ontario.

Sincerely,

Dalita Musluyan, CMA
Chairperson, Central Council

September, 1992



1992 ACYOA General Assembly and National Sports Weekend

Dear Friends:

On behalf of the Holy Martyrs Bayside ACYOA Chapter, I welcome you to New York. It is hard to believe that a year has come and gone. It feels like I just left Cafe Hagop in Hartford last night.

The year has been full of hard work, excitement, dedication and fun for our chapter. Our entire church family has played a major role in planning this great event. It is impossible to measure the amount of support and love that we received. We are very grateful and offer our most sincere thanks.

Our biggest "thank you" goes out to you, the ACYOA members. Without you there is no way that this would be a successful event. As we all know, it is through the ACYOA that we make many friends and develop lifelong friendships. Isn't that the reason we are all here tonight, and every Labor Day weekend? Without you, the ACYOA loses some of its strength.

To ensure the success of the ACYOA and all of its events in the future, we need to attract new members and rekindle the interest of those who are not as involved as they were before. Share your experience with a friend who is not here tonight. Hopefully, they will be able to join us next year. It is so important for us to guide the ACYOA juniors through their transfer into the seniors. We are the future of the Armenian Church, and today's juniors are the ACYOA's future. If we can do these two things we will be able to double our membership, increase attendance at all events, and strengthen the ACYOA.

Once again, welcome to the greatest city in the world. Enjoy "Hye Above New York." I look forward to seeing you next year.

Sincerely,

Doug Aprahamian
Chairperson, 1992 General Assembly
and National Sports Weekend

September, 1992



OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE
NASSAU COUNTY EXECUTIVE BUILDING
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Dear Friends,

It is indeed a pleasure as County Executive to welcome you to the 1992 Armenian Church Youth Organization of America (ACYOA) General Assembly and National Sports Weekend and to extend my sincere best wishes to the athletes and to their families, friends, and supporters on the occasion of this exciting event.

The Annual General Assembly and National Sports Weekend being held this year in New York on September 2nd through 7th, 1992, exemplifies a unique sense of sportsmanship, providing the participants from the United States, Canada, and Armenia with an opportunity to exchange ideas, develop their skills, and enjoy athletic competition.

Both Betsy and I offer our heartfelt appreciation to the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America for their outstanding accomplishments and contributions to brotherhood, peace and international understanding among our fellow man.

Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Tom Gulotta".

Thomas S. Gulotta
County Executive

September, 1992

OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR
TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD
TOWN HALL, HEMPSTEAD, N. Y. 11550
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Dear Friends and Guests,


As an American of Armenian heritage, I am quite proud to honor the Armenian Church Youth Organ and all who are taking part in this year's General Assembly and National Sports Weekend. This so programs serves as a beacon of pride for all those of Armenian descent and Armenian nationals

The exchange of culture, camaraderie and friendly competition acts to strengthen the bond we share by doing so, enriches our heritage and the legacy we pass to future generations.

Throughout history Armenians and those of Armenian descent have always displayed a proper overcome obstacles and achieve great success. I commend the efforts which have made the General Assembly and National Sports Weekend possible, and feel proud as an Armenian-American to be an of the hosting town for these events.

On behalf of the 800,000 residents of the Town of Hempstead, Presiding Supervisor Joseph Mondello I welcome all visiting to America's largest township and the New York region. We wish participants the of luck in the athletic events and enlightening programs taking place.

With warmest wishes,


Gregory P. Peterson
Supervisor

September, 1992



OFFICE OF THE
PRESIDING SUPERVISOR
TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD
TOWN HALL, HEMPSTEAD, N. Y. 11550

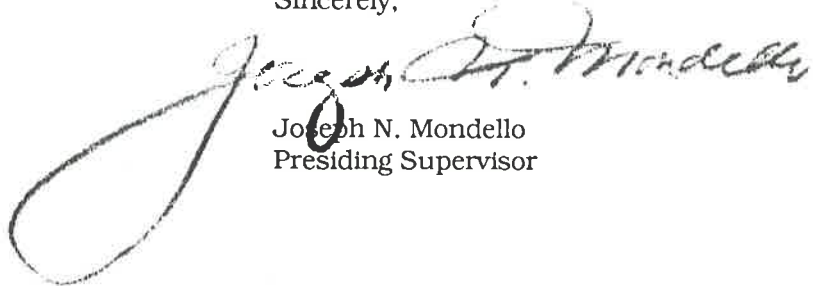
Dear Friends:

It is with great pleasure that I take this opportunity to congratulate all those associated with the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America (ACYOA) on the occasion of its annual General Assembly and National Sports Weekend.

Mr. Doug Aprahamian, chairperson, and all who worked so diligently to ensure the success of this most worthwhile event, merit our highest praise and admiration. The invaluable contributions made by the ACYOA to the welfare of Armenian youth cannot be understated. I am proud to join with all assembled in honoring the heartfelt commitment and unparalleled success of this outstanding organization.

Again, on behalf of the entire Hempstead Town Board, please accept my deepest congratulations and warmest best wishes for the overwhelming success of your affair.

Sincerely,



Joseph N. Mondello
Presiding Supervisor

September, 1992

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In New Jersey with Der Arnak



ACYOA Seniors 1965 with Der Vartan



ACYOA Central Council 1950's with Archbishop Tiran Nersoyan, then Primate, and Patriarch Torkom Manoogian, then Hayr Soorp



At the beach



Joe Cool and Company



After a tough game



ACYOA visiting the Flushing Old Age Home at Christmas



Collecting dance tickets



Camping in the Catskills



Look at this, another strike

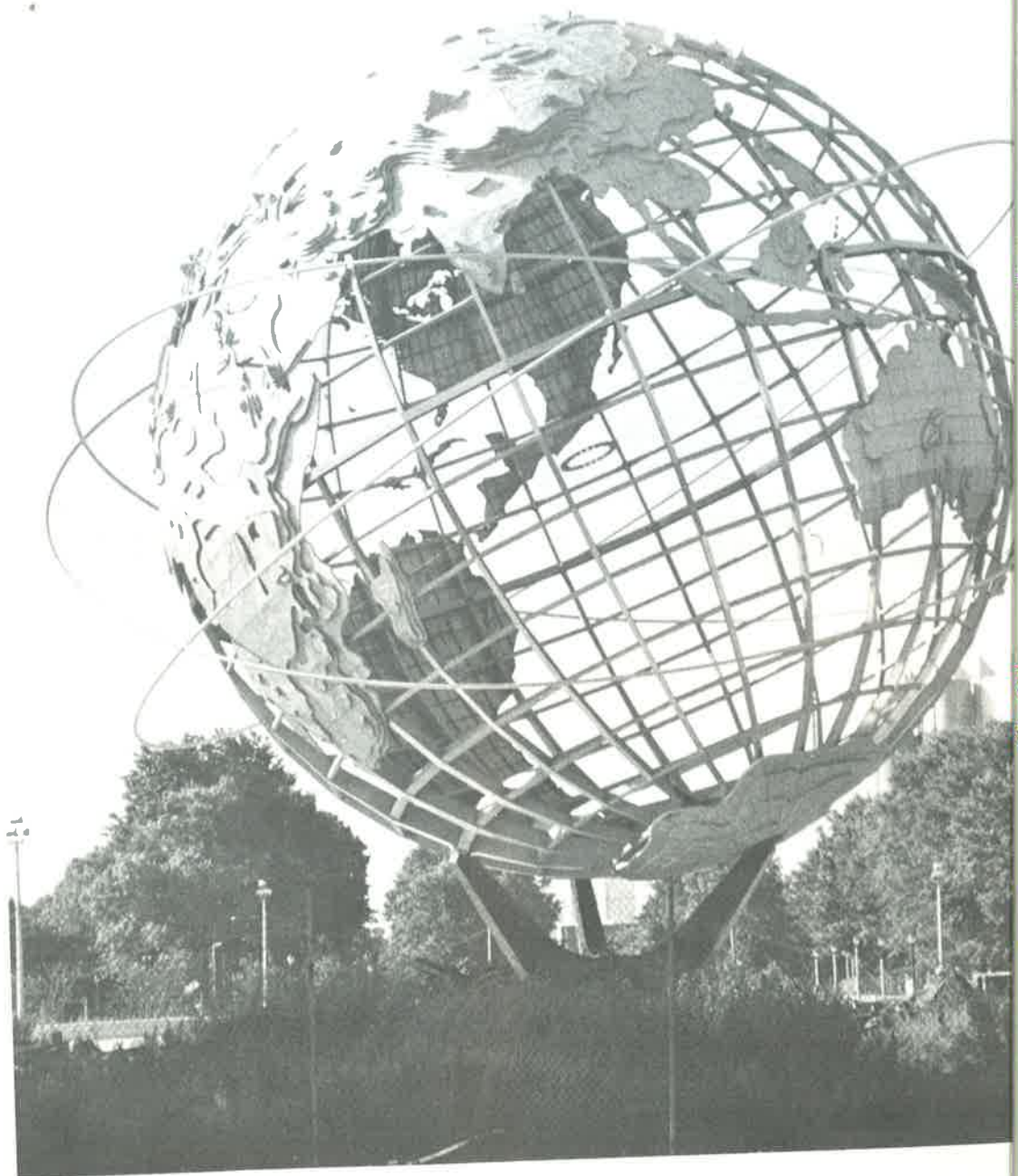


The "Dream Team"



A taste of the good life

and NOW



SPECIAL AWARDS OF ACYOA

Charles Yaghoobian Individual Sportsmanship Award:

(Initiated in 1978. Given to an individual based on sportsmanship-like character.)

1978		1985
Jan Avakian, Wisconsin		Ararat Hacctian, St. Catherines
1979		1986
Shirley Toumayan, Watertown		Melina Spinuzza, Evanston
1980		1987
Ararat Hacetoglu, Toronto		Matthew Keurajian, Detroit
1981		1988
Richard Yerganian, Watertown		Gregory Arpajian, Cleveland
1982		1989
Malcom Sagherian, Westchester		Gregory Arpajian, Cleveland
1983		1990
Sevan Sirmakesyan, Montreal		Randy Dagley, Watertown
1984		1991
Steve Sarkisian		Papken Maksoudian, Watertown

John Kulhanjian Memorial Award For Outstanding Sportsmanship

(Initiated in 1975. Based on chapter participation in Sports Weekend Competition.)

1975		1984
Merrimack Valley		St. Catherines
1976		1985
Bayside		Wisconsin/Palos Heights
1977		1986
New Britain		Washington, D.C.
1978		1987
Lawrence		Evanston
1979		1988
Toronto		Cleveland
1980		1989
Cleveland		Team Canada
1981		1990
Palos Heights		Washington, D.C.
1982		1991
Palos Heights		Watertown
1983		
Montreal		

Masis Award:

(Initiated in 1987. Awarded to the chapter with the highest average number of points per par

1987

Washington, D.C.

1988

Cleveland

1989

Greenfield

Sam Nersesian Award:

(Initiated in 1979. Given to an individual of outstanding Christian Character.)

1979

Samuel Nersesian (posthumously), St. Louis

1980

Mariann Hovsepian, Detroit

1981

Debbie Stephanian, Evanston

1982

Gary Townsend, Lawrence

1983

Steve Sarkisian, Watertown

1984

Susan Boyajian, Palos Heights

1985

Ronald Godoshian, Detroit

Beth Bilbilla

Linda Ekizian, Was

Susan Bergoudia

Robert Shamgoch

Paula Bechaki

Richard Mardiro

Ara Bagdasar

Archbishop's Essay Awards:

(Initiated in 1982 - Armenian and English Categories)

English

1982

Kevin Magarian

Greg Nor

Babayan Cup:

(Initiated in 1974. Awarded to the chapter which scores the highest number of points in athletic competitions)

1974

Detroit

1975

Detroit and Watertown

1976

Detroit

1977

Detroit

1978

Watertown

1979

Wisconsin

1980

Detroit

1981

Detroit

1982

Detroit

1983

Detroit

1984

Detroit

1985

Montreal

A Chapter 'A' Award

(Initiated in 1952. Central Council Award to the Most Outstanding Chapter of the Year.)

1952	1964	1980
Detroit	Toronto	Lawrence
1953	1965	1981
Cleveland	Long Island	Palos Heights
1954	1966	1982
Detroit	Racine	Cleveland
1955	1967	1983
Union City	Montreal	Wisconsin
1956	1968	1984
Watertown	Richmond	Palos Heights
1957	1969	1985
Holy Cross, NYC	Watertown	Watertown
1958	1970	1986
North Philadelphia	East St. Louis	Worcester
1959	1971	1987
Worcester	Detroit	Watertown
1960	1976	1988
Detroit	Watertown	Watertown
1961	1977	1989
Detroit	Detroit	Providence
1962	1978	1990
Worcester	Bayside	Hartford
1963	1979	1991
Toronto	Cheltenham	Hartford

ACYOA NATIONAL SPORTS WEEKEND HOST CHAPTERS

1970	1978	1985
Watertown	Providence	Worcester
1971	1979	1986
Detroit	Wisconsin	Wynnewood
1972	1980	1987
Springfield	Watertown	Detroit
1973	1981	1988
Philadelphia	Evanston-Chicago	Providence
1974	1982	1989
Toronto	New Britain	Houston
1975	1983	1990
Miami	Toronto	Cleveland
1976	1984	1991
Lowell	Palos Heights	Hartford
1977		1992
Detroit		Bayside

Athletic Records

Aquatics

1976 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Breaststroke Karen Avakian, Midwest
Freestyle Nancy Madanian, Watertown

1977

Breaststroke Karen Avakian, Greenfield
Backstroke Ellen Bogosian, Greenfield
Freestyle Renee Giragosian, Greenfield
Freestyle Relay Greenfield

1978

Breaststroke Andrea McCauley, Watertown
Backstroke Andrea McCauley, Watertown
Freestyle Ellen Bogosian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Wisconsin

1979

Breaststroke Ellen Bogosian, Wisconsin
Backstroke Holly Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Gail Giragosian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Wisconsin

1980

Breaststroke Ellen Bogosian, Palos Heights
Backstroke Holly Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Karen Pagerian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1981

Breaststroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Backstroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin

1982

Breaststroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Backstroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1983

Breaststroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Backstroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin

1984

Breaststroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Backstroke Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Carol Kazarian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1985

Breaststroke Sandrine Mirasxedi, Montreal
Backstroke Sandrine Mirasxedi, Montreal
Freestyle Sandrine Mirasxedi, Montreal
Freestyle Relay Wisconsin/Palos Heights

1986

Breaststroke Lisa Kazanjian, Wynnewood
Backstroke Lisa Kazanjian, Wynnewood
Freestyle Tina Pakhtigian, Wynnewood

1976 MEN'S DIVISION

Breaststroke Mike Donigan, Midwest
Freestyle Mike Donigan, Midwest

1977

Breaststroke Alan Simonian, Greenfield
Backstroke Steve Kashian, Greenfield
Freestyle Mike Donigan, Greenfield
Freestyle Relay Greenfield

1978

Breaststroke Charles Cholmakjian, Detroit
Backstroke Steve Kashian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Steve Mardigian, Detroit
Freestyle Relay Wisconsin

1979

Breaststroke Ronnie Semerjian, Providence
Backstroke Dave Onanian, Lowell
Freestyle Steve Mardigian, Detroit
Freestyle Relay Wisconsin

1980

Breaststroke Don Haroutunian, Providence
Backstroke Don Haroutunian, Providence
Freestyle Don Haroutunian, Providence
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1981

Breaststroke Paul Raphaelian, Chicago
Backstroke Mark Torosian, Detroit
Freestyle Keg Giragosian, Palos Heights
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1982

Breaststroke Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
Freestyle Keg Giragosian, Palos Heights
Freestyle Relay Lawrence

1983

Breaststroke Harry Sakarya, Toronto
Backstroke Alain Tchaderjian, Montreal
Freestyle Kevin Giragosian, Palos Heights

1984

Breaststroke Garo Emerzian, Palos Heights
Backstroke Garo Emerzian, Palos Heights
Freestyle Garo Emerzian, Palos Heights
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights

1985

Breaststroke Aram Kazanjian, Montreal
Backstroke Alan Fenerdjian, Montreal
Freestyle Keg Giragosian, Wisconsin
Freestyle Relay Palos Heights
Montreal

1986

Breaststroke Mike Voskanian, North
Backstroke Vahe Babonian, North
Freestyle Mike Voskanian, North
Freestyle Relay Lawrence

1987 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Breaststroke Lisa Kazanjian, Wynnewood
Backstroke Lisa Kazanjian, Wynnewood
Freestyle Brenda Papazian, Watertown
Freestyle Relay St. Catherines

1988

Breaststroke Yasmin Alpei, Toronto
Backstroke Yasmin Alpei, Toronto
Freestyle Yasmin Alpei, Toronto

1989

Backstroke Lisa Coloian, Evanston
Freestyle Nayry Kessedjian, ACYO, WD

1990

Breaststroke Suzy Tamuzian, Greenfield
Backstroke Suzy Tamuzian, Greenfield
Freestyle Suzy Tamuzian, Greenfield

1991

Breaststroke Arpi Musluyan, St. Catherines
Backstroke Arpi Musluyan, St. Catherines
Freestyle Arpi Musluyan, St. Catherines

1972 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Singles Becky Baronian, Richmond

1973

Singles Becky Baronian, Richmond

1976

Singles Cindy Fayrolan, Detroit

1977

Singles Sona Palvetzian, Toronto
Doubles Toronto

1978

Singles Jessica Papazian, Providence
Doubles Karen Cherian, Toronto
Lori Cherian, Toronto

1979

Singles Karen Cherian, Toronto
Doubles Karen Cherian, Toronto
Lori Cherian, Toronto

1980

Singles Karen Cherian, Boston

1981

Singles Helen Hovagimian, Toronto

1982

Singles Loraine Peters, Northern NJ

1983

Singles Helen Hovagimian, Toronto

1984

Singles Roseann Manoogian, Detroit

1985

Singles Sue Mahtesian, Providence

1987 MEN'S DIVISION

Breaststroke Neal Stewart, St. Catherines
Backstroke Neal Stewart, St. Catherines
Freestyle Neal Stewart, St. Catherines

1988

Breaststroke Gregory Arpajian, Cleveland
Backstroke Gregory Arpajian, Cleveland
Freestyle Gregory Arpajian, Cleveland

1989

Breaststroke David Madajian, ACYO, WD
Backstroke Garo Emerzian, Greenfield
Freestyle Garo Emerzian, Greenfield
Freestyle Relay Greenfield

1990

Breaststroke Cliff Arslanian, Cleveland
Backstroke Cliff Arslanian, Cleveland
Freestyle Cliff Arslanian, Cleveland

1991

Breaststroke Aram Salatian, Cleveland
Backstroke Vahe Babomian, Livingston
Freestyle Aram Salatian, Cleveland

Tennis

1972 MEN'S DIVISION

Singles Larry Zakian, NYC

1973

Singles Douglas Haledjian, Tenaflly

1976

Singles Aram Hintlian, Tenaflly

1977

Singles Dick Zabounian, Toronto
Doubles Greenfield

1978

Singles Paul Yahnian, Wisconsin
Doubles Paul Yahnian, Wisconsin
Gary Akgulian, Wisconsin

1979

Singles Paul Yahnian, Wisconsin
Doubles Paul Yahnian, Wisconsin
Jack Matosian, Wisconsin

1980

Singles Mike Mousigian, Detroit
Doubles Mike Mousigian, Detroit
Mike Zallakian, Detroit

1981

Singles Mike Mousigian, Detroit
Doubles Peter Doumanian, Palos Heights
Greg Doumanian, Palos Heights

1982

Singles Mike Mousigian, Detroit

1983

Singles Mike Mousigian, Detroit

1984

Singles Osep Armagan, Wisconsin

1985

Singles Osep Armagan, Wisconsin/
Palos Heights

Tennis

1986 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Singles	Lisa Hekemian, Northern NJ
1987	
Singles	Linda Haytayan, Watertown
1988	
Singles	Linda Haytayan, Lawrence
1989	
Singles	Carla Kapikian, Bayside
1990	
Singles	Jenny Bogosian, Evanston
1991	
Singles	Kim Terzian, Detroit

1976 MIXED DOUBLES

	Kathy Kaiserian and Lou Kalajian, Midwest
1982	
	Ron Chokmakian and Loraine Peters, Northern NJ
1983	
	Roseann Manoogian and Mike Mousigian, Detroit
1984	
	Detroit
1985	
	Detroit
1986	
	Diran Alexanian and Corinne Santerian, Wynnewood

Table Tennis

1978 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Singles	Jessica Papazian, Providence
1979	
Singles	Lori Cherian, Toronto
1980	
Singles	Lori Cherian, Toronto
1981	
Singles	Lori Cherian, Boston
1982	
Singles	Loraine Peters, Northern NJ
1983	
Singles	Aline Egayan, Montreal
1984	
Singles	Klana Kayserian, Detroit
1985	
Singles	Klana Kayserian, Detroit
1986	
Singles	Nancy Kazanjian, Wynnewood
1987	
Singles	Nancy Kazanjian, Wynnewood
1988	
Singles	Linda Haytayan, Lawrence

1986 MEN'S DIVISION

Singles	Diran Alexanian,
1987	
Singles	Aram Toroyan, D
1988	
Singles	Jack Melhbaum,
1989	
Singles	Mark Kasarjian,
1990	
Singles	Noel Mansoorian
1991	
Singles	Sam Garabedian
1987	
	Lisa Hekemian and Craig Tashjian
1988	
	David Kazanjian and Linda Haytay
1989	
	Mark Kasarjian and Carla Kapikia
1990	
	Jack Melhbaum and Suzan Hasha
1991	
	Pascal Balakji and Taline Artinian

1972 MEN'S DIVISION

Singles	Martin Nahigle
1973	
Singles	Arnold Peckjian
1976	
Singles	Bedros Sarkis
Doubles	Sarkis Soukian
	Ken Hagopian
1977	
Singles	Bedros Sarkis
Doubles	Dave Kazanjian
	Brian Bogosian
1978	
Singles	Ken Hagopian
Doubles	Gary Reizian,
	Bob Simonian
1979	
Singles	Michey Mard
Doubles	Dave Kazanjian
	Brian Bogosian
1980	
Singles	Krikor Zamr
Doubles	Krikor Zamr
	Hampartzou

1989 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Singles Cheryl Arslanian, Cleveland

1990

Singles Bella Grigorian, Armenia

1982 MIXED DOUBLES

Krikor Zamroutian and Mary Jamkoshian, Toronto

1983

Aline Egayan and Alain Tchaderjian, Montreal

1984

Montreal

1985

Montreal

1987

Diane Sahakian and Michael Sahakian, Washington, D.C.

1988

Annie Tossounian and George Armoyan, Toronto

1990

Vrej Armoyan and Armine Kouyoumdjian,
Canadian Diocese

1981 MEN'S DIVISION

Singles Hagop Demirjian, Cleveland

Doubles Hagop Demirjian, Cleveland
Charlie Arslanian, Cleveland

1982

Singles Krikor Zamroutian, Toronto

1983

Singles Hampo Hovagimian, Toronto

1984

Singles Nick Akgultian, Wisconsin

1985

Singles Jeff Tchaderjian, Montreal

1986

Singles Michael Sahakian, Washington, D.C.
Doubles Ara Sahakian, Washington, D.C.
Michael Sahakian, Washington, D.C.

1987

Singles Michael Sahakian, Washington, D.C.

1988

Singles George Armoyan, Toronto

1989

Singles Vrej Armoyan, Canadian Diocese
Doubles George Armoyan, Canadian Diocese
Vrej Armoyan, Canadian, Diocese

1990

Singles Pat Kassabian, Canadian Diocese

1976 WOMEN'S DIVISION

50 Yard Dash Karen Avakian, Midwest
440 Run Anita Keurajian, Fair Lawn
Mile Run Maro Bechakjian, Fair Lawn

1977

50 Yard Dash Jan Avakian, Greenfield
100 Yard Dash Karen Avakian, Greenfield
220 Run Laurie Koelian, Detroit
440 Run Diane Demirjian, Boston
Mile Run Chris Boyadjian, Greenfield

1978

50 Yard Dash Jan Avakian, Wisconsin
100 Yard Dash Karen Avakian, Wisconsin
220 Run Kathy Tatosian, Bayside
440 Run Janet Sabounjian, Watertown
880 Relay Wisconsin
Mile Run Laurie Hagopian, Lawrence
Mile Relay Detroit
Softball Throw Janet Malkasian, Detroit
Long Jump Karen Avakian, Wisconsin

1979

60 Yard Dash Jan Avakian, Wisconsin
220 Run Karen Avakian, Wisconsin
440 Run April Kashian, Wisconsin
880 Relay Watertown
Mile Run Lori Cherian, Toronto

1976 MEN'S DIVISION

50 Yard Dash Richard Markarian, Worcester
440 Run Randy Dagley, Lowell
Mile Run Ken Samuelian, Watertown
Mile Relay Midwest

1977

60 Yard Dash Van Giragosian, Greenfield
100 Yard Dash Rich Baharozian, Detroit
220 Run Mark Geneau, Detroit
440 Run Kirk Nahabedian, Watertown
440 Relay Watertown
880 Relay Watertown
Mile Run Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
Mile Relay Greenfield

1978

50 Yard Dash Mark Stepanian, Chicago
100 Yard Dash Richard Markarian, Worcester
220 Run Randy Dagley, Lowell
440 Run Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
880 Relay Watertown
Mile Run Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
Mile Relay Wisconsin
Softball Throw Charles Godoshian, Detroit
Long Jump Mark Der Mugrditchian, Watertown
Shot Put Chuck Palalan, Detroit

1979

60 Yard Dash Van Giragosian, Wisconsin
200 Yard Dash Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
440 Run Andy Mikaelian, Wisconsin
880 Run Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
880 Relay Detroit
Mile Run Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence

Track and Field

Track and Field

1980 WOMEN'S DIVISION

50 Yard Dash	Loraine Bogosian, Watertown
100 Yard Dash	Arlene Kakayian, Detroit
220 Run	Janet Malkasian, Detroit
440 Run	Shirley Toumayan, Watertown
880 Relay	Watertown
Mile Run	Maro Bechakjian, Fair Lawn
Mile Relay	Detroit
Softball Throw	Loraine Boghosian, Watertown
Shot Put	Sara Grosmanian, Detroit

1981

50 Yard Dash	Lisa Balian, Wisconsin
100 Yard Dash	Lisa Balian, Wisconsin
220 Run	Lisa Balian, Wisconsin
440 Run	Lisa Balian, Wisconsin
880 Relay	Palos Heights
Mile Run	Lori Cherian, Boston

1982

100 Yard Dash	Kim Amboian, Detroit
440 Run	Susan Boyajian, Palos Heights
Mile Run	Carol Alexander, Boston
Softball Throw	Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Long Jump	Annie Ohanessian, Toronto
Shot Put	Annie Krikorian, Montreal

1983

100 Meters	Ani Kupelian, Montreal
200 Meters	Ani Kupelian, Montreal
400 Meters	Ani Kupelian, Montreal
800 Meters	Maida Mutevelli, Toronto
1600 Meters	Aline Zavzavartian, Toronto
Softball Throw	Janet Shekerjian, Detroit
Long Jump	Annie Ohanessian, Toronto
High Jump	Annie Kouyoumdjian, Toronto
Shot Put	Maida Mutevelli, Toronto
4 X 100 Meters	Montreal
4 X 3 X 2 X 1	Montreal
4 X 400 Meters	Montreal

1984

100 Yard Dash	Kim Amboian, Detroit
220 Run	Kim Amboian, Detroit
440 Run	A. Maraslitan, Montreal
880 Relay	Detroit
Mile Run	Carol Alexander, Boston
Softball Throw	Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Long Jump	Lisa Aurslanian, Cleveland
Shot Put	Lisa Aurslanian, Cleveland

1985

100 Yard Dash	Annie Krikorian, Montreal
220 Run	Annie Karadjian, Montreal
440 Run	Sandrine Mirasxedi, Montreal
880 Relay	St. Catherines
Mile Run	Sandrine Mirasxedi, Montreal
Softball Throw	Janet Shekerjian, Detroit
Long Jump	Annie Karadjian, Montreal
Shot Put	Annie Krikorian, Montreal

1980 MEN'S DIVISION

50 Yard Dash	Van Giragosian, Wisconsin
100 Yard Dash	Dave Karagosian, Detroit
220 Run	Dave Karagosian, Detroit
440 Run	Mark Parseghian, Watertown
Mile Run	Mark Parseghian, Watertown
Mile Relay	Detroit
Softball Throw	Charles Godoshian, Detroit
Shot Put	Chris Boyadjian, Detroit

1981

50 Yard Dash	Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
100 Yard Dash	Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
220 Run	Dave Karagosian, Detroit
880 Relay	Palos Heights
Mile Run	Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
Mile Relay	Detroit

1982

100 Yard Dash	Ara Selyan, Toronto
440 Run	Randy Dagley, Lowell
Mile Run	Jack Seferian, Westchester
Softball Throw	Jay Bagdasarian, Cleveland
Long Jump	Randy Dagley, Lowell
Shot Put	Jay Ohanian, Lawrence

1983

100 Meters	Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
200 Meters	Arthur Alajajian, Toronto
400 Meters	Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
800 Meters	Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
1600 Meters	Dave Kazanjian, Lawrence
Softball Throw	Kevin Nazarian, Lawrence
Long Jump	Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
High Jump	Arthur Alajajian, Toronto
Shot Put	Jay Ohanian, Lawrence
4 X 100 Meters	Montreal
4 X 3 X 2 X 1	Lawrence
4 X 400 Meters	Montreal

1984

100 Yard Dash	Myles Couyoumjian, Detroit
220 Run	Alain Tchaderjian, Montreal
440 Run	Ara Doghramjian, Montreal
880 Relay	Montreal
Mile Run	John Yaldezian, Evanston
Softball Throw	Rich Koshgarian, Evanston
Long Jump	Aram Kazanjian, Montreal
Shot Put	Rich Koshgarian, Evanston

1985

100 Yard Dash	Minas Daldalian, Montreal
220 Run	Alain Tchaderjian, Montreal
440 Run	Aram Kazanjian, Montreal
880 Relay	Montreal
Mile Run	Guy Simonian, New Britain
Softball Throw	Aram Kazanjian, Montreal
Long Jump	Alain Tchaderjian
Shot Put	Aram Kazanjian, Montreal



Track and Field

1986 WOMEN'S DIVISION

100 Yard Dash	Laurie Reizian, Detroit
220 Run	Kathy Voskian, Northern NJ
440 Run	Lisa McLean, Wynnewood
Mile Run	Diane Sahakian, Washington, D.C.
Softball Throw	Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Long Jump	Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Shot Put	Anna Pakhtigian, Wynnewood

1987

100 Yard Dash	Kim Simonian, Detroit
100 Run	Sue Kapcilian, Watertown
880 Relay	St. Catherines
Mile Run	Diane Sahakian, Washington, D.C.
Softball Throw	Lynne Koltookian, Cleveland
Long Jump	Shake Ajamian, Bayside

1988

50 Yard Dash	Lisa Aurslanian, Cleveland
100 Yard Dash	Lisa Aurslanian, Cleveland
220 Run	Kate Terzian, Watervliet
440 Run	Kate Terzian, Watervliet
Mile Run	Linda Haytayan, Lawrence
Softball Throw	Lynne Koltookian, Cleveland
Long Jump	Lynne Koltookian, Cleveland
Shot Put	Nora Chouljian, Toronto

1989

50 Meters	Nayry Kessedjian, Western Diocese
100 Meters	Nayry Kessedjian, Western Diocese
100 Meters	Debbie Vendetti, Cleveland
400 Meters	Debbie Vendetti, Cleveland
800 Meters	Debbie Vendetti, Cleveland
1500 Meters	Debbie Vendetti, Cleveland
Softball Throw	Lisa Mardigian, Detroit
Shot Put	Gloria Kalustian, Bayside

1990

50 Meters	Lynne Koltookian, Cleveland
100 Meters	Marilyn Mardigian, Detroit
100 Meters	Diane Aurslanian, Cleveland
400 Meters	Diane Aurslanian, Cleveland
800 Meters	Debbie Vendetti, Cleveland

1986 MEN'S DIVISION

100 Yard Dash	John Reizian, Detroit
220 Run	Zaven Dadian, Wisconsin
440 Run	Vahan Janjigian, Wynnewood
880 Relay	Wisconsin
Mile Run	Vahan Janjigian, Wynnewood
Softball Throw	Robert Nazarian, Lawrence
Long Jump	Steve Sarkisian, Watertown
Shot Put	Jay Ohanian, Lawrence

1987

100 Yard Dash	Greg Kumkumian, Washington, D.C.
200 Run	Craig Tertzag, Detroit
880 Relay	St. Catherines
Mile Run	Clark Couyoumjian, Detroit
Softball Throw	Bob Najarian, Watertown
Long Jump	Steve Sarkisian, Watertown

1988

50 Yard Dash	Aram Kazandjian, Montreal
100 Yard Dash	Carig Bilizerian, Providence
220 Run	Aram Kazandjian, Montreal
440 Run	Aram Kazandjian, Montreal
880 Run	Greg Arpajian, Cleveland
Mile Run	Philip Karayan, Cleveland
Softball Throw	Aram Kazandjian, Montreal
Long Jump	Aram Kazandjian, Montreal
Shot Put	Jay Ohanian, Lawrence

1989

50 Meters	Clark Couyoumjian, Detroit
100 Meters	Clark Couyoumjian, Detroit
200 Meters	Clark Couyoumjian, Detroit
400 Meters	Greg Arpajian, Cleveland
800 Meters	Greg Arpajian, Cleveland
1500 Meters	Greg Arpajian, Cleveland
Softball Throw	Eric Torigian, Detroit
Long Jump	John Reizian, Detroit
Shot Put	Steve Tomasian, Fair Lawn

1990

50 Meters	Vinnie Baylerian, Detroit
100 Meters	Vinnie Baylerian, Detroit
200 Meters	Keg Giragosian, Greenfield
400 Meters	Cliff Aurslanian, Cleveland
800 Meters	Cliff Aurslanian, Cleveland



Basketball

1971 *MEN'S DIVISION*

Oakland, CA

1972

Watertown

1973

St. Gregory, NYC

1974

Detroit

1975

Detroit

1976

Detroit

1977

Detroit

1976 *WOMEN'S DIVISION*

Boston

1977

Detroit

1978

Boston

1979

Detroit

1978

Watertown

1979

Wisconsin

1980

Watertown

1981

Detroit

1982

Detroit

1983

Detroit

1984

Wisconsin

1980

Watertown

1981

Detroit

1982

Detroit

1983

Detroit

1984

Detroit

Co-Ed Volleyball

1972

Detroit

1973

Detroit

1976

Detroit

1977

Toronto

1978

Toronto

1979

Toronto

1980

Watertown

1981

Toronto

1982

Watertown

1983

Montreal

1984

Detroit

1985

St. Catherines

1986

Detroit

Tavloo

1973

Berj Feredjian, Springfield

1975

Robin Gulezian, Merrimack Valley

1976

Sarkis Shamschayan, Lowell

1977

Harry Tavitian, Westchester

1978

Harry Tavitian, Westchester

1979

Gar0 Hovagimian, Toronto

1980

Dale Sarkisian, Watertown

1981

Raffi Boyadjian, Watertown

1982

Sue Maljanian, New Britain

1983

Annie Manoukian, Toronto

1984

Shake Ajamian, Bayside

1985

Diane Kapikian, Bayside

1986

Sara Andonian, Detroit

1987

Ararat Hacetylgu, St. Catherines

1988

Steven Tarian

1989

Vache Keledjian, Western Diocese

1990

Susan Chagachbanian, Fair Lawn

1991

Armen Baboomian, Livingston

Chess

1976

Craig Simonian, New Britain

1977

Craig Simonian, New Britain

1978

Craig Simonian, New Britain (tied)

Guy Simonian, New Britain (tied)

1979

George Hadjian, Wisconsin

1980

Ken Hagopian, Watertown

1981

Berj Basmajian, Toronto

1982

Guy Simonian, New Britain

1983

Raffi Chouldjian, Toronto

1984

Robert Casement, St. Catherines

1985

Kazar Terterian, Detroit

1986

Simon Koumjian, Wynnewood

1987

Steve Mekenian, Northern New Jersey

1988

Steven Tourian

1989

Raffi Chouldjian, Canadian Diocese

1990

Norhan Yasemini, Western Diocese

1991

Hagop Demirjian, Bayside

Checkers

1979

Gar0 Papazian, Detroit

1980

Gar0 Papazian, Detroit

1982

Gar0 Papazian, Detroit

1984

Charles Arslanian, Cleveland

1985

Gary Mousigian, Detroit

1987

Gary Mousigian, Detroit

1988

Gary Mousigian, Detroit

1989

Gary Mousigian, Detroit

1990

Hagop Demirjian, Cleveland

Golf

1976 MEN'S DIVISION

Mark Kazanjian, Lawrence

1977

Mark Kazanjian, Lawrence

1978

Mark Najarian, Providence

1979

Mike Kahayian, Detroit

1980

Glen Pulice, Detroit

1981

John Dadian, Chicago

1982

Glen Pulice, Detroit

1991 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Lisa Nersessian, Livingston

Badminton

1976

Tom Malkasian, Detroit

1977

Tom Janikian, Greenfield

1978

Tom Janikian, Wisconsin

1979

Tom Janikian, Wisconsin

1980

Norair Tokmanian, Toronto

1981

Peter Bogosian, Palos Heights

Raquetball

1977 WOMEN'S DIVISION

Singles Jana Hakalmazian, Greenfield

1981

Singles Phyllis Madanian, Watertown

1982 MIXED DOUBLES

Reid Ajamian and Leslie Koltookian, Lawrence

1983

Mary Jan Dorian and Vartan Ajamian, Bayside

1984

Bayside

1976 MEN'S DIVISION

Singles Gary Assarian, Detroit

1977

Singles Ed Baylerian, Detroit

1981

Singles Avak Grigorian, Wisconsin
Doubles Brian Bogosian and Jay Ohanian, Lawrence

1984

Singles Reid Ajamian, Bayside

198

Palos Heights

198

Glen Pulice, Detroit

198

Sam Sarkissian, St. Catherine

198

Matthew Minnetian, Northern New Jersey

198

Matthew Minnetian, Northern New Jersey

198

John Nersessian, Livingston/Union City

199

Jack Madanian

Watertown

198

Norair Tokmanian, Toronto

198

Vahan Kassabian, Montreal

198

Tom Janikian, Wisconsin

198

Vahan Kassabian, Montreal

198

Mike Voskanian, Northern New Jersey

Bowling

1972

Gary Magarian, Detroit

1973

Greg Tivakian, Detroit

Team Detroit

Pocket Billiards

1976

Sarkis Shamshohyan, Lowell

1977

Art Okutian, Toronto

1982

Jean Carian, Wisconsin

1983

Charles Arslanian, Cleveland

Horseshoe Pitch

1976

Jim Magarian and Steve Parigian, Lowell

1982

Harold Kazanjian and Paul Farhadian, Lawrence

Croquet

1976

Myron Mikaelian, Midwest

Co-Ed Softball

1982

Detroit

1983

Detroit

Foosball

1979

Charlie Kashian and April Kashian, Wisconsin

Arm Wrestling

1979

Brant Gadarian, Wisconsin

Soccer

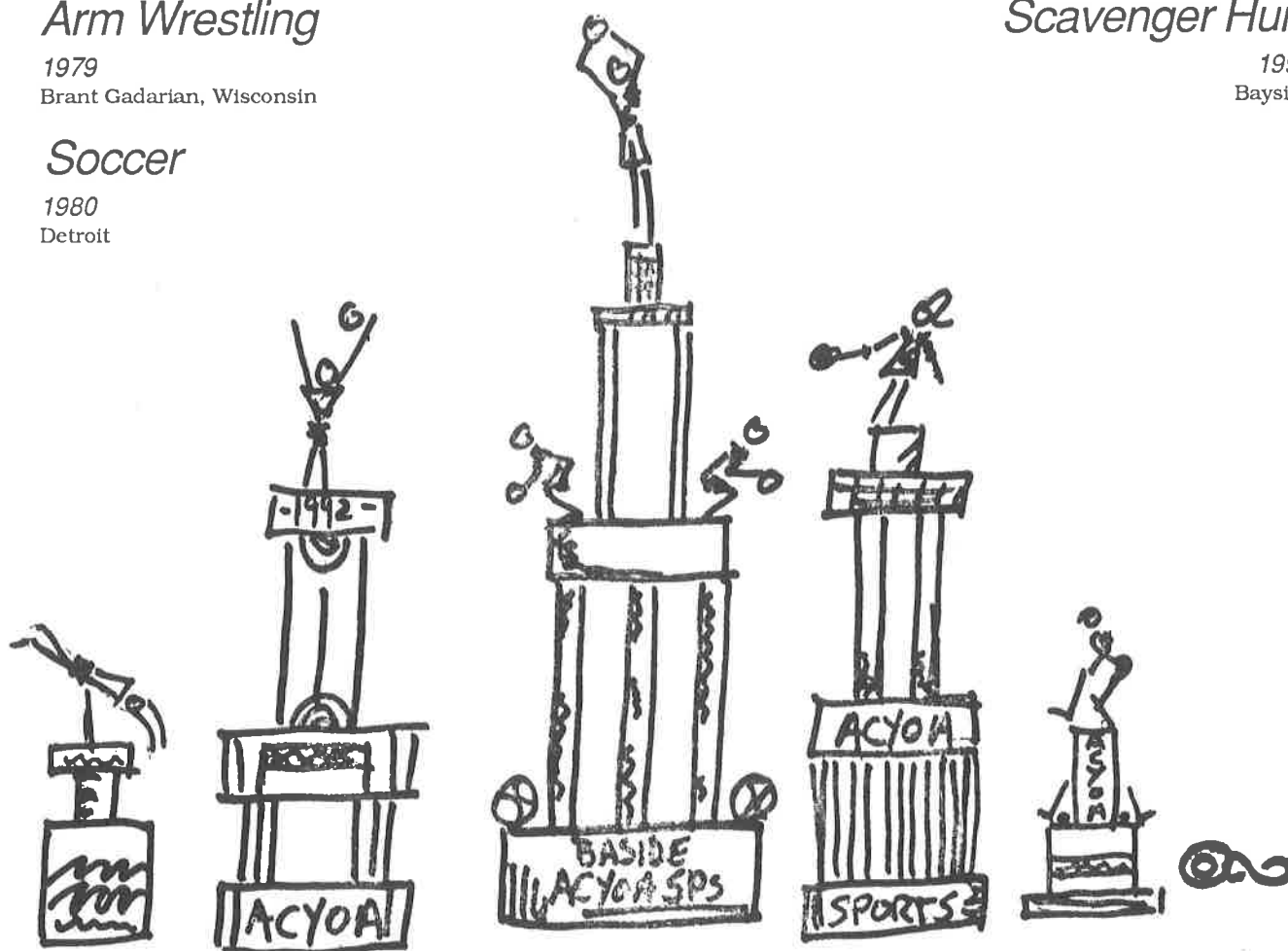
1980

Detroit

Scavenger Hunt

1991

Bayside



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In 1975-76, the ACYOA was re-organized after several years of inactivity and disorganization. The following list of ACYOA Central Council members reflect those young men and women who have given their time and energy in an effort to maintain the national character of the official Youth Program of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America-the ACYOA.

1976

Edward Kaiserian, Philadelphia
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Lisa Mooradian, St. Louis
Anna Garabedian, Springfield

1977

Edward Kaiserian, Philadelphia
Brian Bogosian, Lawrence
Kerry Keysserian, Detroit
Lisa Mooradian, St. Louis
Janet Takvorian, Bayside

1978

Paul Pogharian, Watertown
Brian Bogosian, Lawrence*
Michael Zeytoonian, Westchester
Ronald Godoshian, Detroit
Susan Minassian, Richmond
Linda Minassian, Providence*

1979

Paul Pogharian, Watertown
Michael Zeytoonian, Westchester
Karnig Durgarian, Springfield
Robert Dogramajian, Bayside
Sona Yazijian, Chicago

1980

Paul Pogharian, Watertown
Karnig Durgarian, Springfield
Michael Yapchaian, Watertown
Sona Yazijian, Chicago
Nancy Malkasian

1981

Michael Yapchaian, Watertown
Mark Kazanjian, Lawrence
Robert Borzakian, Boston
Sona Yazijian, Chicago
Nancy Banks, Detroit

1982

Mark Kazanjian, Lawrence
Robert Borzakian, Boston
Gary Hovhanessian, New Britain
Ralph DerAsadourian, Evanston
Susan Mousigian, Detroit

1983

Susan Mousigian, Detroit
Gary Hovhanessian, Detroit
Vaughan Totovian, Watertown
Ralph DerAsadourian, Evanston
Melanie Barsamian, Worcester

1984

Arda Nazerian, Bayside
Vaughan Totovian, Watertown
George Jevartjian, Detroit
Melanie Barsamian, Worcester
Sona Palvetzian, Toronto

1985

Arda Nazerian, Bayside
George Jevartjian, Watertown
Sona Palvetzian, Toronto
Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Susan Boyajian, Palos Heights

1986

Shake Ajamian, Bayside
Gary Townsend, Lawrence
Scott Najarian, Worcester
Melanie Spinuzza, Evanston
Sara Martinian, Providence

1987

Scott Najarian, Worcester
Melanie Spinuzza, Evanston
Sara Andonian, Detroit
Greg Saraydarian, Bayside
Gary Townsend, Lawrence

1988

Scott Najarian, Worcester
Sara Andonian, Detroit
Melanie Spinuzza, Evanston
Lisa Manookian, Wynnwood
Greg Saraydarian, Bayside

1989

Scott Najarian, Worcester
Lisa Manookian, Wynnwood
Melanie Spinuzza, Evanston
Zovinar Ashjian, Westchester
Laurie Onanian, Watertown

1990

Lisa Manookian, Wynnwood
Zovinar Ashjian, Westchester
Greg Arpajian, Cleveland*
Greg Saraydarian, Bayside
Laurie Onanian, Watertown
Sonya Gasparian, Providence*

1991

Lisa Manookian, Wynnwood
Charles Shooshan, Hartford
Sara Andonian, Detroit
Lynda Chagachbanian, Fair Lawn
Steve Megrdichian, Providence
Zovinar Ashjian, Bayside
Laurie Onanian, Watertown

1992

Charles Shooshan, Hartford
Laurie Onanian, Watertown
Greg Arpajian, Cleveland*
Zovinar Ashjian, Bayside
Dn. Gary Alexander, Cambridge
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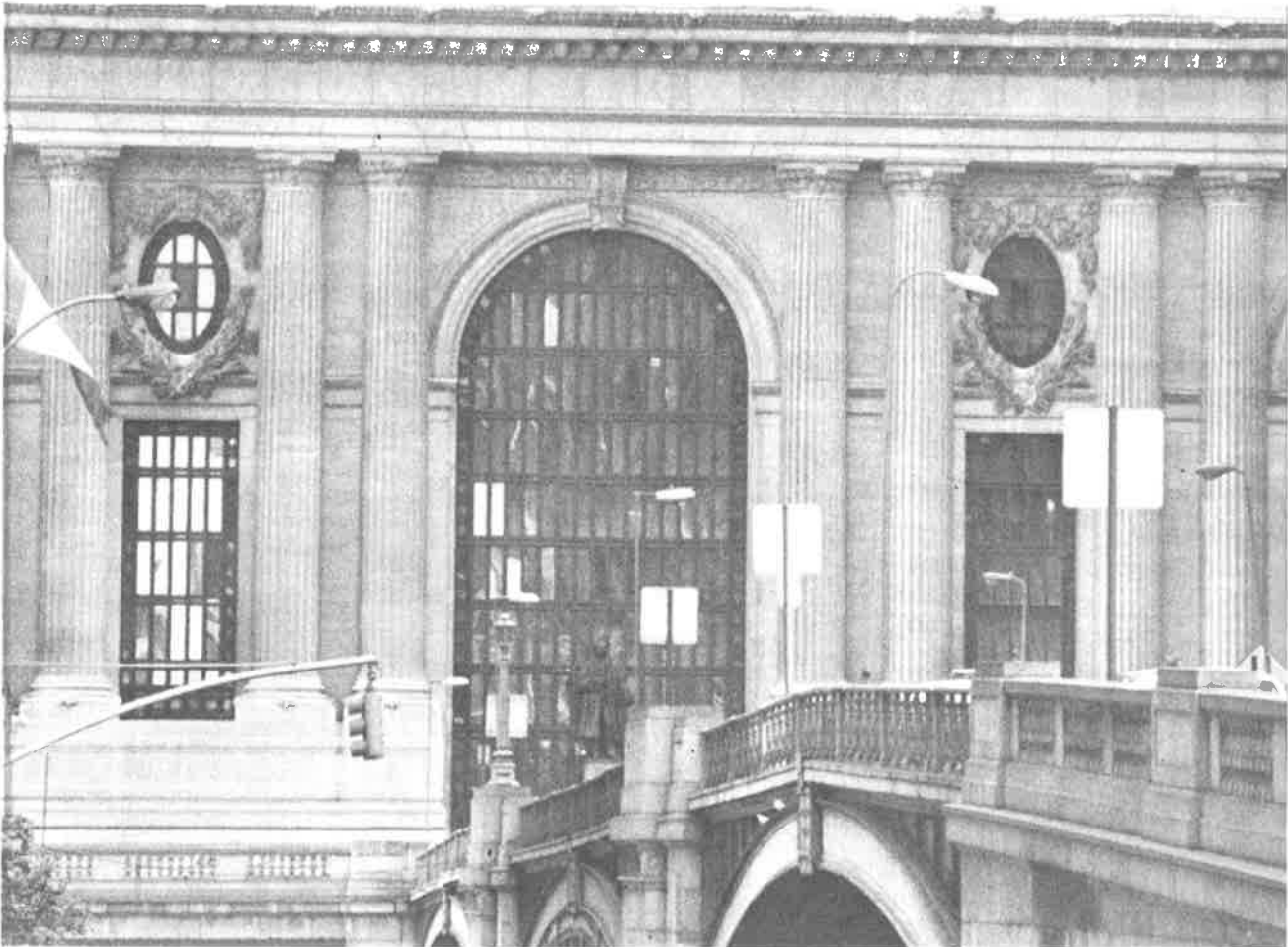
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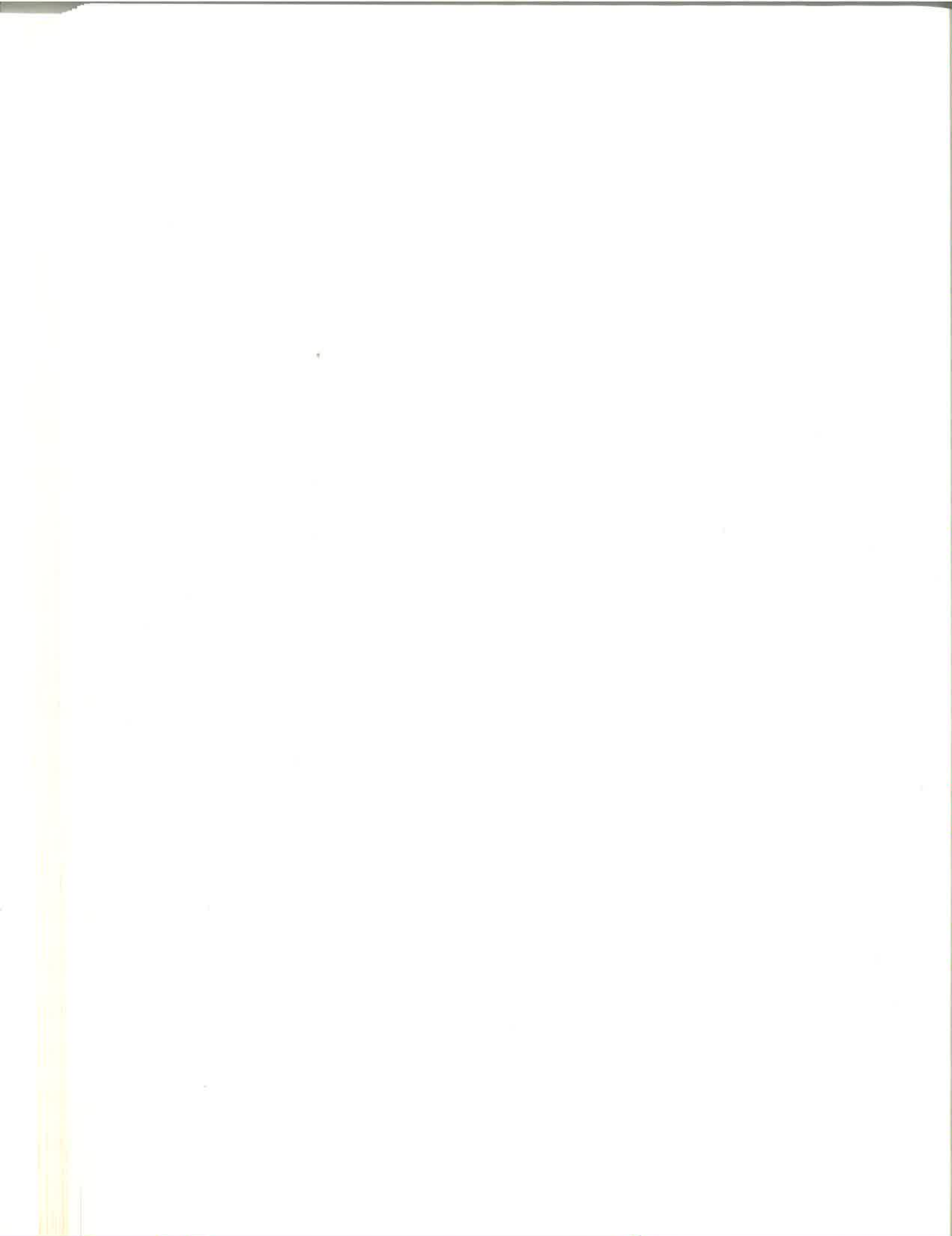
O Lord our Savior Jesus Christ, Who art the Way, the Truth, and the Life, give us the youth of the Church of Armenia, we beseech Thee, the Wisdom to know, to love, and to serve Thee in our personal lives severally, and the corporate life of our Organization.

Thou that leadest men in the way, lead us, thy children, that we may be able to serve the Church through our people, with courage and vision, and in the faith of our illustrious forefathers. Inspire us, O Lord, and open our eyes to Thy light, that we may cherish and profit by the heritage which our forefathers have left to us, and that we may be aware of our responsibilities as citizens of our beloved country, the United States of America.

Fill us, O Christ our God, with the Holy Spirit, that we may be the obedient and unselfish servants of the Will of our Heavenly Father, to whom, together with Thee and the Holy Spirit, is befitting Glory, Dominion and Honor, now and always and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

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I solemnly promise and declare upon my honor, that as a member of the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America, I shall, to the best of my ability, be a faithful child of the Armenian Church; shall be a devoted upholder of the Armenian cultural heritage; shall be a loyal citizen of the United States; and I shall diligently abide by the objects, policies and decisions of the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America. I shall not strive for personal recognition and pleasure, but will serve our Church, our Community, and our Country, for the greater glory of God.



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