

The last two weeks of school were filled with excitement combined with fatigue. Seniors returned from Six Flags, research papers were due, and the final plans were made for the Junior/Senior banquet and prom, and graduation.

As the last hours approached, the Seniors began to realize how true their theme was. "You don't know what you've got 'til it's gone."

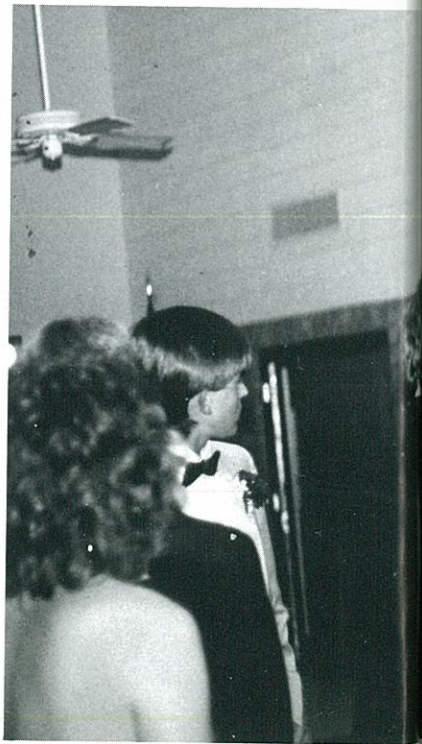
Tommy Beckham enjoys the first dance with Maria Estrada. Tommy (94.20) was the valedictorian of his class.

The 8th Graders rise in preparation for receiving their certificates. A dignified group of Seniors awaited their big moment.



Shellie and Kristyl Yates appear to have the same taste in tuxedos for their escorts, Michael Warner and Tony Roach. Melissa Lee stands on tip toes to see what her date sees over their shoulders.

Richard Burkhalter surveys his classmates one last time before Mr. Dodd turns his ring. This ceremony is a long standing tradition among Wink graduates when they entered Kindergarten.



Brett Jacobson predicts the future for John Matthews after graduation when he is "free at last."



Kelly Jacquez enjoys the Grand March. She was the salutatorian of her class and plans to attend Midland College.

Prom goers stand in line and tap their feet to the music while they wait to have their pictures made. The photos will remind them of what they had when it's gone.