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## JUNE 10-12, 2011

### CLASS OF 1971 COMMITTEE

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#### Dear <FIRST>,

1971!! Johnny U and the Baltimore Colts beat the Dallas Cowboys in Super Bowl V. The French Connection won the Oscar for best picture. Simon and Garfunkle's "Bridge Over Troubled Water" won a Grammy for best album (vinyl of course). Richard Nixon was President. The Pittsburgh Pirates were baseball's world champions.

Also that year, you dodged traffic on Linden Street heading for class in St. Thomas Hall; typed a paper on a Smith-Corona typewriter on erasable bond paper; watched "Gene the Machine", Roger and McCue on the floor of the new Long Center; played cards, smoked a cigarette or drank coffee or soda in the Student Center while waiting for your next class; tuned in to Johnny Carson to get through an all-nighter; and finally, graduated from The University of Scranton on the lawn of the Estate.

In 40 years much has changed at the U. Linden Street is a tree-lined, bricked plaza that is closed to traffic. The student center has been replaced by a beautiful campus green space. The DeNaples Center is the new hub of the campus. St. Thomas Hall has been joined by a number of modern, state of the art classrooms and labs.

Surely much has changed with you as well. Over the weekend of June 10-12, 2011 let's come together and talk about the old and new at our 40th reunion at The University of Scranton. Events planned for the weekend include the Frank O'Hara Awards dinner on Friday night, an on campus family picnic on Saturday, cocktails on Linden St. and a gala reception in the DeNaples Campus Center on Saturday night. **Our 40th reunion is the perfect time to meet old friends and see the new U.** 

Also, your Class of 1971 Reunion Committee is planning a special event for the 1971 alums. We'll have time to get reacquainted and swap stories and pictures in a local Scranton establishment on Friday night, June 10, 2011.

Whether you've been back to many other reunions or none ... now is the time to return. This is the special one and you will have only one Fortieth Year Reunion of The University of Scranton Class of 1971.

Sincerely, The Class of 1971 Reunion Committee