

## **COREY PALMER SENIOR**

**COREY SNR:** And so, what has happened to everyone since we left school?

*(A pin spot fades up on LAURA and DEBBIE who are dancing together.)*

Laura and Debbie are now millionaires. Several years after we graduated, they set up a dating agency, which has now become the biggest in the United States.

*(Light goes down on LAURA and DEBBIE. A light comes up on FEARGAL dancing with EILEEN.)*

Feargal and Eileen went on to get married two years later. Most of Feargal's "crazy" theories came true, and he is now a millionaire having pioneered what we all know as the World Wide Web.

*(Light goes down on FEARGAL and EILEEN. A Pin spot comes up on BILLY dancing with CYNDI. LIONEL & HUEY are also lit during the speech)*

Cyndi and Billy were never going to last. She is now a democrat politician. Billy went on to own a chain of skating rinks all over the state with Lionel and Huey. When skating went out of fashion, they bulldozed them all and replaced them all with car parks.

*(The light goes down on BILLY, LIONEL, HUEY and CYNDI. A Pin spot comes up on MICHAEL dancing with a couple of girls from the Ensemble.)*

Mel and Kim married two identical twins from England – Matt and Luke Bros. Both of them have had two sets of triplets, and have now made it into the Guinness Book of Records.

Michael Feldman tried out for the pro-football league, but a nasty groin injury forced him into early retirement. He has had two wives and four kids - and is now a Baptist Minister in New Orleans.

*(Light goes down on MICHAEL and THE GIRLS. A Pin spot comes up on MR COCKER and MISS BRANNIGAN.)*

Mr Cocker and Miss Brannigan finally let bygones be bygones and they made it down the aisle. Both of them still teach at William Ocean High School. In fact, Cocker is now the principal!

*(Light goes down on MR COCKER and MISS BRANNIGAN. A Pin spot comes up on KIRK and ALF.)*

The guys and I – well, we still see each other. We try and play golf once a fortnight. A couple of years ago, Kirk married a girl he met at Disneyland. Alf on the other hand, seems destined to be a bachelor to the grave.

*(The light goes down on KIRK and ALF. Finally, COREY SNR walks towards COREY JNR and TIFFANY who are Centre Front. A Pin Spot slowly fades up on them.)*

And as for Tiffany and me? Well, we didn't get married as I'd always hoped. In fact, I haven't heard from her for about two years – I went to her wedding in Chicago a few years ago. She has two beautiful girls, both the spitting image of her.

And me – I'm happy, and healthy...and I'm still not married. At the moment, I'm dating a fashion designer, so we'll see how it goes.

It's funny you know – life moves pretty fast, and it takes all of us along with it. Sure, things didn't pan out the way I thought they would at seventeen. I didn't marry Tiffany - and I don't live in a bachelor pad with Alf and Kirk having wild parties every night. But you know what – that's okay! I still love looking back on my High School days. And while they are all distant memories now, thankfully, those memories of how we used to be at school will be in here forever *(He taps his finger on his head, and then looks at COREY JNR and TIFFANY and smiles)* Have fun guys.....