Class of 1957
United States Military Academy
60th Reunion

Class Dinner
Saturday, April 29, 2017
Hotel Thayer
West Point, New York

PROGRAM

Welcome
Paul Schwehm/Bill Ray

Pledge of Allegiance
Bill Ray

Invocations
Joe Tedeschi

Toasts
Class Board

Announcement of Class Medal
Bob Gadd

Dinner
Romaine Lettuce with Caesar Dressing
Woodland Mushroom Tart
French Cut Chicken Breast with Pancetta Chip, Spinach, Fresh Mozzarella, Sage, and White Wine Sauce
Or
Pan Roasted Salmon with Sauce Vierge
Chef’s Selection of Starch and Vegetable
Rolls and Butter
New York Cheesecake
Remarks
Gerry Galloway “Shadows across the Plain: What we saw in 1957
Intro by Bill Ray

Entertainment
‘57 FOLLIES

Master of Ceremonies
Hank Hatch

Performers
Bill Webb, Ann Zabriskie, Former Glee Club and Choir members

Musical Numbers
(Ex-glee club and choir members come forward and lead the class in singing the following songs directed by Bill Webb and accompanied by Ann Zabriskie.)

BENNY HAVENS, OH!
Come fill your glasses, fellows, and stand up in a row,
To singing sentimentally, we’re going for to go.
In the Army there’s sobriety, promotion’s very slow
So we’ll sing our reminiscences of Benny Havens, Oh!
(Chorus)
Oh Benny Havens, Oh! Oh Benny Havens, Oh!
We’ll sing our reminiscences of Benny Havens, Oh!
To our kind old Alma Mater, our rockbound highland home
We’ll cast back many a fond regret, as o’er life’s sea we roam.
Until on our last battlefield, the light of heaven shall glow
We’ll never fail to drink to her, and Benny Havens, Oh! (Chorus)
May the Army be augmented, promotion be less slow
May our country in the hour of need, be ready for the foe.
May we find a soldier’s resting place, beneath a soldier’s blow
With room enough beside our graves, for Benny Havens, Oh! (Chorus)
ARMY BLUE
(Bill Webb sings verse 2)

We’ve not much longer here to stay,
   For in a month or two,
We’ll bid farewell to Kaydet Gray
   And don the Army Blue.
(Chorus) Army Blue, Army Blue,
   Hurrah for the Army Blue!
We’ll bid farewell to Kaydet Gray
   And don the Army Blue!

(2nd Verse Bill Webb)
To the ladies who come up in June,
   We’ll bid a fond adieu,
Here’s hoping they’ll be married soon,
   And join the Army Blue. (Chorus)

GOD BLESS AMERICA
(Introduction by Bill Webb)

God bless America, land that I love.
   Stand beside her, and guide her
Through the night with a light from above.
   From the mountains, to the prairies,
   to the oceans white with foam.
God bless America, my home sweet home,
God bless America, my home sweet home.