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Goodbye Mad Hatter, you will be missed.

-Lori Brown, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology & Social Work

John Creagh was an extremely talented teacher and actor. John saw all of the world as a stage and entertained us with his uncanny impersonations and sense of humor. He had a big impact on his students and colleagues and he will be missed immensely.

-Carla Ross, Associate Professor, Department of Communication

John Creagh was one of three colleagues who stood in a packed faculty meeting in April 1994 to urge passage of a resolution on sexual orientation brought by Faculty Council. The resolution stated an idea that we take almost for granted today, that a person's sexual orientation has no bearing on hiring, tenure or promotion decisions for faculty. John spoke forcefully and, as always, from the heart. I will always remember and be thankful for John's courageous action. The resolution passed.

-Brent A. Pitts

John was one of those people with whom you feel comfortable immediately. He was open and inviting. He went out of his way to make me feel included in this community, from the first time I met him. We tried to teach together but our schedules always seemed to conflict, so I never had the opportunity to participate in one of his classes. His untimely death reminds me, more than I'd like it to, that every moment

we have on earth is precious and we should try our very best to make each opportunity count. I often forget this as I get caught up in my own work. Relationships are what life is all about -- it is my belief that it is in the moments where humans connect that we can see and know the possibility of God. I am grateful that I had a few of those moments with John, that in our meeting, our conversing, our connecting -- there was God.

-Margarita Suarez

Last year, I met John for the first time. He had submitted a request for assistance with an email issue. So, I went to his office to offer my assistance. The issue was quickly resolved. However, I lingered for awhile to discuss a few other technology related topics. Then our conversation broadened to his favorite topic- his students. By the time I left, a good 30 minutes later, I had tears of laughter running down my face. That is how I will remember John Creagh.

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-Cheryl Todd

Peacefully, sleep comes to a dear, beloved heart. Quietly, we understand the time has come to part.

Tenderly, the love shines on...a never ending light. Gratefully, we feel its warmth and say, "Sweet dreams, good night."

There is a scholarship being offered in Dr. John Creagh's memory. Memorial gifts in memory of Dr. John Creagh may be made to The John Creagh Memorial Scholarship Fund at Meredith College.

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and

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