Dear Class of 1994,

I just finished filling out the Bio pages on the CIU Homecoming website. Have you submitted one yet*? Maybe I am getting ahead of myself. I probably should have started the letter with a quippy salutation inviting you to our 20th year reunion on October 30 – November 1, 2014. And it would have been helpful to have told you beforehand where to find the CIU homecoming website with all the info you need to know about the event (http://www.ciu.edu/alumni/hc14). Then it might make more sense when I mentioned the “progress report” bio pages (http://ciu.me/hcprofile). But I figured if you were reading this letter, you also received a copy of the audio invite (http://ciu.me/1994reunion) or were already on the website...well, let’s do this invite correctly...

Class of ’94...HOWDY!
It is time for that Shindig we call our 20th year reunion
Thursday, October 30 – Saturday, November 1, 2014

Twenty years...many miles traveled, changes in life, and changes of heart have taken place. One thing for certain, we share common ground. There are memories to relive, tales to tell, stories to share, and practical jokes to admit to pulling off – these are the beautiful reasons to gather together. Many of your fellow classmates are excited to hear about you and God’s story in your life* even if it isn’t big screen worthy. And of course we would LOVE to hear about it if it WAS big screen worthy – how cool would that be?

Please visit the aforementioned website and fill out the Bio pages*. You guessed right if you think I was a bit sassy in my answers. When was the last time you had to list the highlights of the past 20 years? My life makes a better stand-up comedy routine than a highlight reel*. But it was a great exercise to think back to 1994, ask myself the questions* and reflect.

Come let your voice join the many others in Shortess Chapel one more time. Come let your heart be encouraged by the Word of God in a place where He has met you before. Come be that old person the 18 year old freshmen look at funny!

With fondest regards,

Katherine Louthan for the Reunion Committee (members below)

Keri Lyn Ladd
Visual Director
& Memorabilia Coordinator

Bruce Ladson
Audio Expert
& Energy Source

Katherine Louthan
Excited Extrovert
& Comic Relief

*shameless plugs for the Bio page http://ciu.me/hcprofile