



## Letters

### Prejudices offend Yale

To poke fun at the preppies is one thing, but to say that all those who did not go to Harvard or Yale "despise" those who did (as Bob Greene said in his Oct. 7 column) is another.

The statements "We hate them. We don't want them around" are not only a sign of childishness, prejudice and rudeness but also show the inability to love and accept.

I'm a Yale and proud of it. I'm also on the faculty of the UNL College of Nursing and I'm proud of that, too. Greene needs to apologize to all those who went to Harvard or Yale. Perhaps we can help him to move beyond his narrowness and inability to accept those not like him.

Joan M. Monchak,  
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### Coverage is hypocritical

In the Oct. 6 editorial titled "Evangelists and hecklers without class," the Daily Nebraskan attacks two evangelists because they use shocking statements and fanaticism to draw crowds. The editorial then says the crowd is "dumb" to give them that attention.

Why then, did the paper devote a front page picture and an entire column of the editorial page to those evangelists they had criticized for using unacceptable means of attracting attention? It seems to me that the paper is just reinforcing the evangelists' belief in their methods.

Furthermore, I feel the Daily Nebraskan has a tendency to dwell on the negative, especially about Christianity. When a class performer like illusionist Andre Kohl visits the UNL campus, draws 600 people and presents the gospel in a socially acceptable manner, not one word is written about it in the Daily Nebraskan. Cindy Las-

siter and Sister Pat draw 75 rowdy and heckling spectators, and she gets front-page attention.

As a Christian, I feel the Daily Nebraskan misrepresents me and other Christians on campus by continually reporting Christianity in a negative light.

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### Students object to group

As UNL students we are concerned with the article appearing in the Oct. 5 Daily Nebraskan about the Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles. The article seems to stress that CARP is not a front for the Unification Church.

From family experiences, we have found that CARP is closely related to the ways of the Unification Church. We hope that students will recognize that involvement with this organization could lead to association with the Unification Church. As stated in the article, the group must have a faculty adviser to be officially recognized by UNL.

If faculty members are aware of our concern and the problems that may be caused, we trust they will refuse the position of adviser for CARP. If CARP is to become a recognized group at UNL, we hope that students, too, will understand the principles as related to the Unification appearing in the Oct. 5 Daily Nebraskan about the Church.

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## Promises . . .

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once again by restating this promise while planning to raise the Nebraska sales tax rate in January of 1983.

When state revenue collection figures were released Oct. 7 by the state Department of Revenue, Thone held a press conference to institute new "economy measures" in an attempt to lessen the grim effects of the critically low revenue returns.

The combination of Thone's "economy measures" and the expected call of a special session of the Legislature to slash approximately \$20 million from the 1982-83 budget has resulted in a Thone projection that state books will be in balance by June 30, 1983, the end of the current fiscal year. Thone's deception surfaces in his utilization of a 3.5 percent sales tax rate which he applies throughout the remainder of fiscal year 82-83.

Was it not Thone who authorized the resumption of a 3 percent rate for January 1983? If, in fact, Thone intends to reinstate a 3.5 percent sales tax rate for the second half of fiscal year 82-83 in his attempt to balance the state budget is he not again raising state taxes?

Candidate Gov. Thone has yet to concede that he is responsible for last year's increase in sales, corporate and private income taxes. It has become apparent that Thone also refuses to take responsibility for the already scheduled increase in state sales tax for the second half of fiscal year 82-83.

If our governor refuses to take responsibility for his past actions is it reasonable to assume he will take responsibility for his actions as a second term governor in Nebraska? He has already given the voters sound reason to believe he won't.



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