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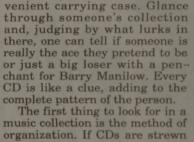
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COLUMNIST

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parts of the country, a collection with more than two Garth Brooks albums is grounds for divorce. But around here, excessive country compilations are more prevalent. Though concessions must be granted for locale, much can be inferred by a music collection where one comes face to face with George Strait and Randy Travis on a habitual basis. Where one finds extensive country gold, three other things are sure to be scattered around as well - empty Pearl Light cans, Copenhagen-ring-aroundthe-Wranglers, and a nasty dog that constantly scratches itself. If the focus of someone's collection relies heavily on the sound of the fiddle, you should be fo-cused on something else, how to make a quick escape without slipping on the sawdust.

But what about the per whose collection is chock-MTV buzz bands and gr that have a stranglehold of Weekly Top 40? Under that layer of Mossimo Fear apparel reveals a so simple as a Hootie and thel fish concept album and an tude as refreshingly juveni the average Bush fan. Tho people in this category are reason the Goo Goo Dolls of they are generally harm creatures; unless, of course, stand between them and the

est trend. Also, look out for the mu collection firmly grounded in '60s and the '70s. These CD or ers merely want to get back the day when the "music re mattered, man." Not espec aggressive, the '60s and' fan's main hobby is relax eyes closed, dreaming about furbishing that VW Bug, somehow incorporating mon flow. But be warned. Spend too much time around the plete Doors and Pink Floyd lection can lead someone to sessively search for that per black light poster and deve an appreciation for tie-dye.

Perhaps the category t says the most is the one consists primarily of Brit downer music like The Smit Morrissey and Depeche Mo Whoever possesses albums more than one of these bands sure to be annoying in seve categories. One category is intense admiration of everyth British, from accents to twe jackets. To them, heaven of sists of sipping tea and watch Hugh Grant films. Even mo frightening is their obsess with the music, knowing inc sequential trivia facts about t artists, identifying with them a personal basis, and worst all, constantly singing alon even when the accompanying music stops.

Personalities trail music lections and vice-versa. Neveryone will fit into these rig categories, but if music is the soundtrack of our lives, the key is making sure the score wasn't composed by Barry Manilow."

Steven Gyeszly is a Class '99 finance and sociology majo

# HOOKED ON THE '80s

come an ob-Lsession. I am officially standing up right now and admitting need help. I wish there were a support group because I need to confer with others who share my



hooked on the '80s. I am not talking about Reaganomics, skateboards, slouch socks, side ponytails or even Reebok high-tops. It's the music It has invaded my head and will not let me out of its grasp.

Infomercials try to sell weak mind and bodied souls - my roommates and myself included - CDs that remind us of roller rinks, riding our skateboards down the street, and playing dodgeball during recess in ele-mentary school. They have defi-nitely targeted the right audience and are making a killing. My roommate ordered one such compilation just last week, and I am not ashamed to admit that I have about 10 nostalgic albums at home and at least five cas-

settes in my car. I don't know what the deal is. Were the '80s really such a great decade? Sure, most of us grew up during this time, but it was not that exciting of a decade compared to the '20s or the '60s. But the one thing the products of the '80s will always have is the music. Whenever a song from groups

like REO Speedwagon (which is on tour this summer), the Thompson Twins, Toto, Hall & Oates or the Bangles come on the radio, everyone knows the words, sings along, and usually has a story to accompany it. But perhaps the best band of

the '80s (in my opinion of course)

is Wham. Yes, the band that

brought us big bleached hair, George Michael, and songs like

"Wake Me Up Before You Go Go," deserve its own little spaces in music history.

My addiction with Wham be an in about 1985 while listen ing to Rick Dees In The Morn ing. My first musical purchas was Make It Big and I still own the album along with a tape and my roommate has the CD But what made my affection with Wham grow exponential was a little spring break trip to California last year.

While driving through the dusty no-man's-land of New Mexico, my roommates and were innocently bopping along with "Freedom" when we decid ed to switch the tape. Unfortunately for us, the Volvo — made tape deck decided it did not agree with our plans, and eight days and three states later, we had memorized every song forward and backward. But believe it or not, we were still somewhat

jovial and singing along. Even Pam (my buddy) was jamming to Wham on the way to New Orleans two weeks ago.

Normally, when someone has been forced to listen to a CD over and over and over again, they either kill someone or themselves just to make the music stop. Wham had the opposite affect on us. We continue to listen to Wham, sometimes nonstop. I found my Edge of Heaven tape at home, and I am content listening to the "Wham Rap" constantly while my friends debate whether or not to medicate me because of my condition.

So you may see me jumping around in my car dancing on Texas Avenue and wonder why I am singing "You can have my credit card baby, but keep your red hands off of my heart, baby," but at least I'm enjoying myself. I have not found a Wham Anonymous — maybe I should start my own program. But there must be other's out there like me. I hope.

> Kristina Buffin is a Class of '97 journalism major

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