





Photo finish



There was hardly a moment in the last 28 years at Boise State that wasn't caught by the lens of university photographer Chuck Scheer (AA, '65). From his first day on the job in 1974 until his retirement May 31, Scheer took approximately 360,000 photos that captured the ongoing pageant of events that is Boise State University. From the dismissal of a president to celebrity appearances to scholarship presentations, Scheer was there — night or day, weekdays or weekends. His camera captured our humanity, from our triumphs to our tragedies. His legacy is a collection of pictures that do indeed speak louder than words. And those images speak loudest in praise of the man who recorded them for us — and for posterity.

Clockwise, from bottom left: Shawn Beaton after the 1980 national football championship; the hot air balloon ScholarShip; the 1999 Humanitarian Bowl win over Louisville; the 2000 NCAA Women's Gymnastics Championships; Gene Harris; a red-tailed hawk from the Idaho Bird Observatory and the Friendship Bridge.

