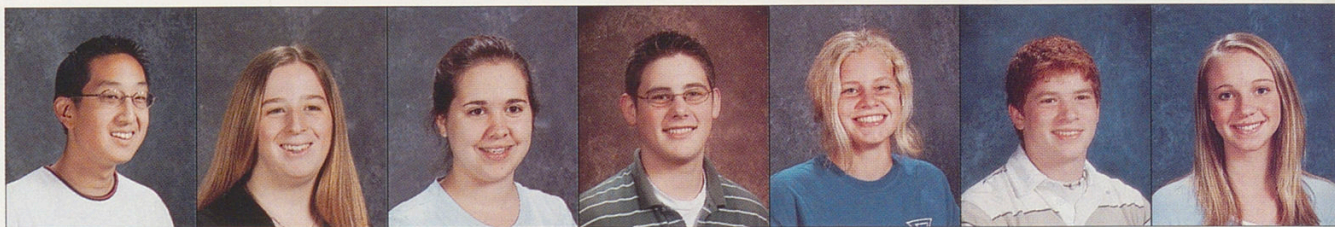


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# Destruction in the air

## stop to remember

"It was an awful tragedy and hopefully our technology will improve from it."  
Ali Newton, 10.

## What was your reaction to this terrible accident?

"It was a shock to Americans and Israelies all at once. Everyone's spirits were let down." Ayla Rapoport, 11.

"It's really tragic." Gerald Torres, 11.

"It is an unexplainable tragedy that is very sad and shouldn't have happened." Kayla Heral, 9.

"It is shocking that something like this could happen." Molly Finn, 11.

"I was scared because one of my friends wants to be an astronaut." Nicole Stowers, 10.

"It's startling to have something like this happen while I'm alive. You hear about other accidents that happened so long ago but you never think that they will happen in your life time." Stacie Klein, 9.

"It is pretty sad for everyone. But Israel especially because something was actually going well for them and then it just crashed." Jordan Cohen, 9.

"I thought it was a tragedy because it didn't have to happen. But it did because of budget cuts and they should have never even flown the shuttle." Matt Leach, 11.

"It is a terrible thing that happened and Nasa knew the shuttle was in poor condition and they still launched it." Jamie Wislocki, 10.

"I think it was a tragic event that NASA has to learn from and use it to improve their space program." Sarah Richards, 11.

"It is not only a national tragedy but a world tragedy." Jessica Zanger, 11.

"It's scary how something like 9/11 happened, then this, what is going to happen next?" Jen Witte, 11.

"It was an honor to have an Israeli on the shuttle and it was a milestone for the Jewish community." Johnathan Grossman, 10.

"It's sad that something like that happened. My prayers go out to all the families who lost loved ones." Jessica Lane, 11.

"I thought it was really sad that it happened and it was a tragedy for the families that lost someone." Laura Woolf, 10.

"There is so much in the news right now that it didn't seem to be as important as it probably should have been." Kim Thompson, 11.