

## Letter from Jim Healey Re His Baseball Card in Last Issue of FNews

Dear Mr. Trafford,

I was shocked to see my baseball card in the Nov.-Dec. '02 Fresh News, but I had to laugh too.

I sent it to Bangs when I bought a CD just to show him that my goal in life is to sing w/the Frosh. I thought I told him this was a card I got at the 1989 Giant's Fantasy Camp where you pretend to be a big leaguer for a week. The Giants gave us these cards as fun souvenirs. I always tell people they aren't real, but either I forgot to tell Bangs or he misunderstood or he's promoting the hoax. In any event, I wrote to him to clarify things, just as I'm doing with you.

I can't believe a day has gone by since the newsletter came and Bob Carey, my Frosh friend in Visalia, hasn't called yet to chastise me about this "phony claim" in the News.

Maybe your readers see this as an obvious April Fools kind of thing, but I'd feel better if you printed the real truth next time. Just don't forget that my goal is still to sing with the Frosh for at least one song. I'll even do it in my Giant uniform (another souvenir from the Fantasy Camp).

Wow! Talk about a scrapbook item - you certainly provided me with a great one.

Sincerely, Jim Healey

**Editor's Note:** You are an extremely honest man, Jim! Perpetrating fantasies is my specialty....and your baseball card really hooked me (and John, too). The next step is to have you sing with the Freshmen!

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