

## When it comes to Ashley, only one thing counts:

## The Size Of The Heart

What makes Ashley great? It's certainly not the size or location. It doesn't have bowling alleys or movie theaters, or even a McDonald's. Let's face it, it's not even very pretty. So what makes Ashley special? It can be summed up in one word: people.

There is an attitude here. It says, "O.K., I'll try." There is a special closeness, combined with a hyperness that produces offbeat and unique people.

You can feel the spirit in everything we do. Nothing half way. It's all or nothing. We have one of the smallest cheerleading squads and one of the losingest football teams, but we also have the loudest fans and the rowdiest band in the entire state of Michigan. It's been said that good things come in small packages. We think that applies to Ashley. Some people say, "Well, everyone knows everything about everyone." This is true, but on the other hand, not many big towns pull together the way Ashley does. What we lack in size and glamour we more than make up for in friendship and independence.