

Chunneling Our Way to Paris

Judy and I were in London, England one year and decided to visit Paris for a few days. We took the Eurostar (Chunnel) from St. Pancras station in London to Gare du Nord in Paris. We were soon traveling at 100 miles per hour, 250 feet under the English Channel. We traveled from the centre of London to the centre of Paris in 2½ hours. I recognized a young fellow sitting in a seat in front of us but didn't know from where. My memory couldn't place him during the train ride.

We arrived in Paris and everyone disembarked and spread out in different directions. I headed to the queue for a taxi and was in line right behind the young fellow that I couldn't place. I told him that his face was familiar but I couldn't recall his name. He said, "Hello! My name is Simon MacCorkindale". Simon MacCorkindale? Who the hell is Simon MacCorkindale? I now knew his face and his name and still had no idea where I knew him from.



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It was a long while later when I remembered who he was. He starred in a TV series called "Counterstrike" with Christopher Plummer that ran from 1990 to 1993. The series took place in Paris and I really enjoyed it. After having met him briefly I found it amazing the number of times that I saw him on TV from that time on. I was very saddened to hear of his death on October 14, 2010 at the age of 58. Another light gone out on a star

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bradley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Brad McInnes
YMASC President 1970 - 1971

