

**24th NCAA Division III Wrestling Tournament**  
**At Ohio Northern - 3/7/1997 to 3/8/1997**

1997

**Team Champion** Augsburg - 122 Points

**Outstanding Wrestler** Aaron Fitt - Lycoming

**Top Ten Team Scores**      Number of Individual Champs in parentheses.

1	Augsburg	122 (2)	6	Manchester	41.5
2	Wartburg	80 (2)	7	Lycoming	41 (1)
3	College of New Jersey	65.5	8	Wisconsin-La Crosse	37.5
4	SUNY-Brockport	54.5 (1)	9	St. John's	32.5
5	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	48 (1)	9	Springfield	32.5

**Champions and Place Winners**

<b>118</b>	<b>1st: Henry Gerten - Augsburg (7-4)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Neil Rodak - Chicago University (5-2) <b>5th:</b> Jerry Boland - Lycoming (FFT) <b>7th:</b> Mike Walker - College of New Jersey (3-2)	<b>2nd:</b> John Gemmell - Ithaca <b>4th:</b> Abdul Shabazz - Western New England  <b>8th:</b> Darren Torsone - Ursinus
<b>126</b>	<b>1st: Tom Smith - Wartburg (3-2)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Brian Jones - Augsburg (4-0) <b>5th:</b> Atterbury, Anton - College of New Jersey (Med FFT) <b>7th:</b> Jeff Hoopes - Delaware Valley (16-4)	<b>2nd:</b> Joel O'Brien - St. Thomas <b>4th:</b> Jason Goldman - SUNY-Binghamton <b>6th:</b> Matt Colucci - John Carroll <b>8th:</b> Eric Gould - Springfield
<b>134</b>	<b>1st: Dusty Rhodes - Wartburg (7-2)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Chad Veenendall - Wisconsin-La Crosse (6-4 OT) <b>5th:</b> Jaimie Heglund - Wisconsin-Stevens Point (9-2) <b>7th:</b> Ryan Muzykoski - Heidelberg (4-2)	<b>2nd:</b> Vinnie Santaniello - College of New Jersey <b>4th:</b> Josh Hardman - Manchester <b>6th:</b> Don Spaulding - SUNY-Oswego <b>8th:</b> John Hatfield - Simpson
<b>142</b>	<b>1st: Ron Vosburg - SUNY-Brockport (6-4)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Jerry Grammes - Wilmington (11-5) <b>5th:</b> Dan Ambroziak - Mount Union (3-2) <b>7th:</b> Ryan Schweitzberger - Buena Vista (3-0)	<b>2nd:</b> Andy Goodwin - Springfield <b>4th:</b> Wade Johnson - Augsburg <b>6th:</b> Breeding Greg - Central College IA <b>8th:</b> Kevin Miller - Wartburg
<b>150</b>	<b>1st: Aaron Fitt - Lycoming (10-2)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Brett Stamper - Wisconsin-Stevens Point (2-0) <b>5th:</b> Chris Nord - St. Olaf (5-4) <b>7th:</b> Dan Tschudi - St. John's (7-2)	<b>2nd:</b> Jessie Bakalyar - Augsburg <b>4th:</b> Eric Vandervest - Wisconsin-La Crosse <b>6th:</b> Joe Maiani - Ohio Northern <b>8th:</b> Greg Halsor - Wartburg
<b>158</b>	<b>1st: Ricky Casarez - Loras College (4-3)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Brian Roberts - Wartburg (5-4) <b>5th:</b> Jason Kessen - John Carroll (6-4) <b>7th:</b> Jason Miller - Heidelberg (5-1)	<b>2nd:</b> Justin Hahn - Augsburg <b>4th:</b> Dan O'Cone - College of New Jersey <b>6th:</b> Ryan Kalman - Springfield <b>8th:</b> Matt Ryan - St. John's
<b>167</b>	<b>1st: Matt Hamill - RIT (7-0)</b> <b>3rd:</b> John Newman - St. John's (3-2) <b>5th:</b> Brian Unkert - College of New Jersey (WBF 4:27) <b>7th:</b> Jim Peterson - Augsburg (10-9)	<b>2nd:</b> Jason Dell - Gettysburg <b>4th:</b> Tom McAleer - York <b>6th:</b> Justin Kerr - John Carroll <b>8th:</b> Tom Ciezki - Loras College
<b>177</b>	<b>1st: Paul Elsen - Wheaton (9-3)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Etahn Brownback - Delaware Valley (13-2) <b>5th:</b> Scott Steepe - Montclair State (6-1) <b>7th:</b> Joe Rens - Wisconsin-Stevens Point (Med FFT)	<b>2nd:</b> Ryan Birt - Upper Iowa <b>4th:</b> Lance Baden - WPI <b>6th:</b> Chris Ortner - Augsburg <b>8th:</b> Mark Winters - SUNY-Cortland
<b>190</b>	<b>1st: Dan Lewandowski - Augsburg (4-1)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Ryan Reasland - Cornell Iowa (3-1) <b>5th:</b> Brandon Novak - St. John's (Med FFT) <b>7th:</b> Jeff Birschbach - Wisconsin-La Crosse (5-5 TB)	<b>2nd:</b> Tom Murphy - SUNY-Brockport <b>4th:</b> Ryan Finney - Manchester <b>6th:</b> Matt Yonkin - Lycoming <b>8th:</b> Garth McGraw - Simpson
<b>275</b>	<b>1st: Perry Miller - Wisconsin-Stevens Point (4-1)</b> <b>3rd:</b> Jason Spector - SUNY-Brockport (3-1) <b>5th:</b> Derrick Levake - Wisconsin-Whitewater (4-1) <b>7th:</b> Mike Bucci - SUNY-Cortland (2-1)	<b>2nd:</b> Nick Primozic - Manchester <b>4th:</b> John Pena - Augsburg <b>6th:</b> Jeremy Whalen - Simpson <b>8th:</b> Barrett Cervetto - Montclair State