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For over 25 years, it has been an annual tradition that Joe began every banquet program with a toast. In keeping with tradition...

Our 2005 Toast

We said goodbye to some friends of ours,
and toasted our teams in countless bars.
We froze with the Cubbies and saw the Sox, too,
and we honored a gal: Hello, Mary Lou.
Some North Siders said we'd
committed high treason

when we cheered on our White Sox
in a World Series season.
And Cub fans all had a cry in their beer while
The Old Timers approach our 90th year.
To our teams and to Andy and our own Mary Lou,
We're proud of you all and This Bud's for you!