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YOUTH CONFERENCE

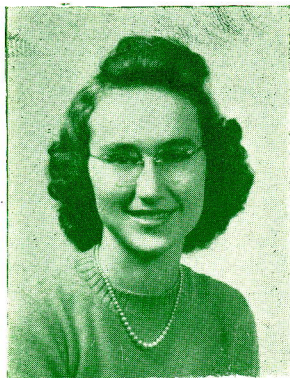
*Looking unto Jesus the author
and finisher of our faith...*

Hebrews 12:2

TAYLOR UNIVERSITY
UPLAND, INDIANA

MARCH 12-14, 1948

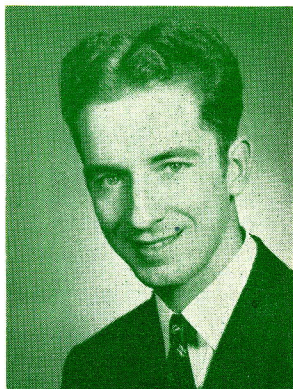
MEET OUR CO-CHAIRMEN



Ruth Ellen Shugart

A wonderful change has been wrought in my life since I accepted Christ as my Savior and later yielded myself wholly to Him. As I have faithfully followed Him. He has led me step by step; and my life has been far better than I ever thought possible. I'm glad that I counted the cost and was willing to forsake all for my Lord. My heart's desire is to please Him and to help others find the source of my joy. I am trusting that many of you shall find the help you need and desire in the Youth Conference this year.

I have found the promises in His word to be unfailing. Since the time Christ first spoke peace to my heart, I have had the joy of fellowship with Him and a sense of the Holy Spirit's direction in my life. When I consider the life of Christ and His provision of a free salvation to "whosoever will," I am challenged anew to help others know the peace and happiness that can be found only in a life surrendered to Him. As we look toward Youth Conference, let us pray that many young people will find a personal friend in Christ and bring glory to His name.



Robert L. Morris

WHAT YOU CAN DO

PRAY. The earnest intercession of God's people in behalf of this work will be a vital factor in the success of the Conference. Remember, "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of."

ADVERTISE. Tell your pastor, your friends, and your neighbors. Pass around the publicity which you have received. We are depending upon this assistance from you.

COME. Plan now to let nothing keep you from this spiritual feast. Make plans early; arrange a carload, or come by bus or train. Your presence is needed to help make this Youth Conference a success.

● A WORD TO THE PASTOR ●

We know that you rejoice when you see youth all out for Christ. Every year after Youth Conference, reports come back to us of youth who have found Christ here and have gone home, not to let the experience die, but to tell others and to organize youth groups. We have offered thanks to God because of such results. We know that you feel the same way, and would be willing to cooperate in helping us. Perhaps you would be interested in bringing a group of your young people to our conference; or, if we cannot have the pleasure of your presence on our campus, would you encourage some of your congregation to come? Rest assured that we would count it a blessing to have you with us in our fellowship.

● A WORD TO THE YOUTH ●

We at Taylor are genuinely concerned about the spiritual welfare of youth. We feel the need of getting together in fellowship with Christ. And so our campus is the scene of a great get-together every year, a meeting marked by inspiring talks, discussions, singing, and incidentally, a great deal of fun. But our purpose (and we do not care of what denomination you are) is to get youth better acquainted with Jesus Christ. All other aims are subordinated to that.

INFORMATION

PURPOSE. The purpose of the Youth Conference is to introduce young people to the reality of the Christian life. It seeks to lead youth into a life-transforming experience with Christ, and not only this but into a relation with Christ that will render their lives empowered and filled with the Spirit. Further, it is aimed to give youth a vision of the multitudes of people who have never heard the gospel of Christ. The generation of tomorrow needs to realize the obligation that has fallen to it. Consecrated Christian youth are urgently needed to carry the message of Redeeming Grace.

TIME AND PLACE. From Friday, March 12, 7:00 p.m., to Sunday, March 14, 4:00 p.m., at Taylor University, Upland, Indiana.

ACCOMMODATIONS. Meals will be served in the College Dining Hall at the minimum price of five meals for \$2.75. (Three on Saturday and two on Sunday.) Rooming accommodations will be provided at the rate of 50¢ per night. Mattresses will be provided; whatever else is needed must be furnished by the guests themselves.

REGISTRATION. A registration fee of \$1.00 must be paid by all attending the conference. This fee and the registration blank which is a part of this folder must be sent to the YOUTH CONFERENCE REGISTRAR, TAYLOR UNIVERSITY, UPLAND, INDIANA by MARCH 1, 1948. If you need more registration blanks, send for them immediately.

REGISTRATION LIMITATIONS. Due to an increase in the enrollment at Taylor this year, it will be necessary to limit the number of registrants for this year's Youth Conference. To help meet this problem, IT HAS BECOME NECESSARY TO SET AN AGE LIMIT OF 15 TO 25 inclusive, excepting those who accompany groups as chaperones. However, all over the 25 age limit not requiring overnight accommodations are urged to drive in for as many services as possible.

TRANSPORTATION. If you come by bus to Marion or Hartford City, there will be busses to Upland. If you come by train to Upland, there will be cars provided to take you to the college.

FEATURES

● SPEAKERS ●

The speakers for this year's conference are not only personally of solid Christian character but are also servants of the Lord who are deeply concerned with the problems of youth.

VERNER S. MUMBELO, D.D. Rev. Mumbelo is pastor of the Church of the Savior (Methodist) in Cleveland, Ohio. His varied experience will enable him to bring thought-provoking and challenging messages adapted to the needs of youth.

JAMES DeWEERD. Rev. DeWeerd is an alumnus of Taylor University, a graduate of the class of 1937. He served as a chaplain in the U. S. Army and has been referred to as the most seriously wounded chaplain to come through his experiences alive. Apart from army service, Rev. DeWeerd has been engaged in the ministry of evangelism and will have a genuine appeal to young people.

G. ARNOLD HODGIN, D.D. Dr. Hodgin is president of the National Holiness Missionary Society and will bring the missionary messages of the conference. A former member of the faculty of Asbury College and at present the president of Cleveland Bible College, Dr. Hodgin is in close touch with youth and their problems.

● MUSIC ●

One of the highlights in our Youth Conference is the inspiring music. The congregational singing, interspersed with special vocal and instrumental numbers, will thrill you and bless your soul. "...I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also."
—I COR. 14:15.

● DISCUSSION GROUPS ●

As a very vital part of Youth Conference, the discussion groups offer spiritual guidance and inspiration. Subjects concerning Christian Birth, Growth, and Problems will be studied together in the light of the Word of God.

REGISTRATION BLANK

To Youth Conference Registrar

Taylor University, Upland Indiana

Enclosed find one dollar for Registration (). Non-transferable.

I expect to take Friday evening (), Saturday (), and Sunday () meals at the College Dining Hall.

I have attended () previous Youth Conferences.

If Lodging is needed, check here: Friday night (), Saturday night ().

Miss

Name: Mr.
Mrs.

Age

Street Address or Rural Route

City or Town

Registration Limited — Mail at once

THIS REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS ALL OF THE REQUESTED INFORMATION, INCLUDING AGE, IS SUPPLIED.