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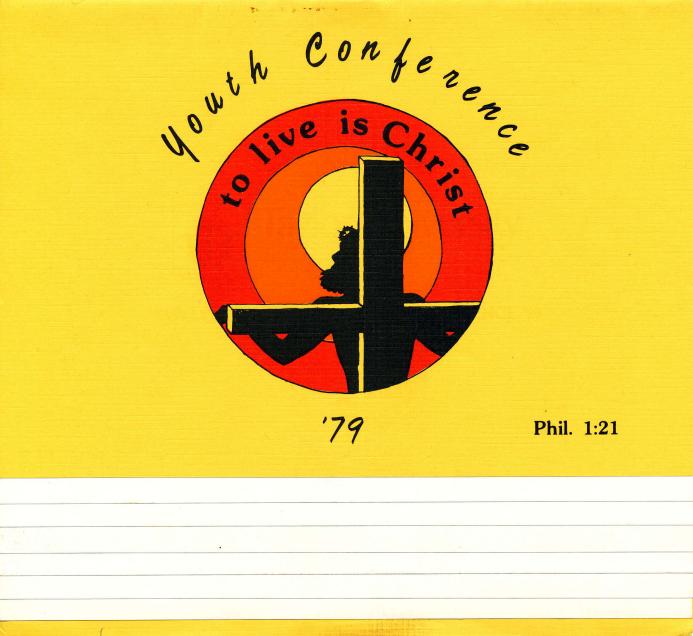
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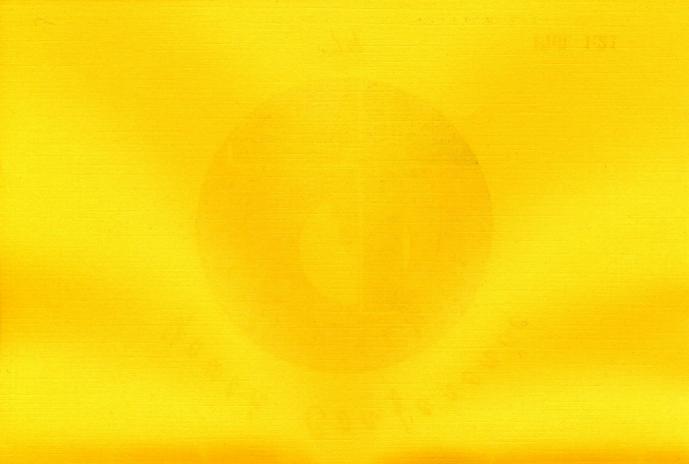
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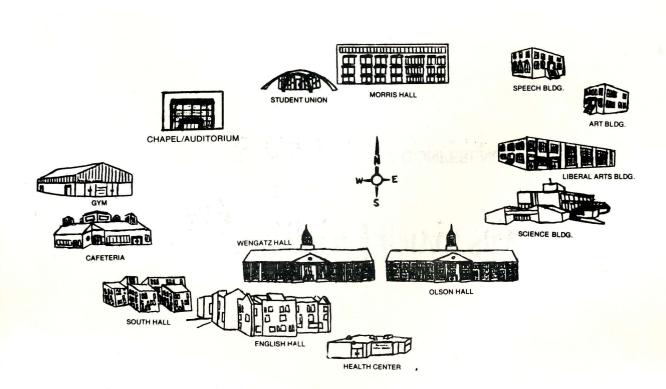
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WELCOMES YOU TO YOUTH CONFERENCE '79





MESSAGE FOR YOUTH CONFERENCE

Welcome to Taylor. I am delighted that you have joined us for the 1979 Youth Conference and trust that this year's theme "To Live is Christ" will become more meaningful as you participate in the activities of this weekend. It is my prayer that the singing together, the messages, and the opportunities of sharing with other Christian young people will encourage your growth as a child of God.

Robert Baptisto

Robert Baptista President



"For me to live is Christ and to die is gain." (Phil. 1:21) The apostle Paul penned this famous phrase while sitting in a jail cell. To Paul, the word "live" had a much deeper meaning than to simply exist. To live, for him meant that that everything he said or did was a reflection of Christ. To live meant that Christ was dominant in his thoughts. I believe that this should be our attitude as well. Our lives should be so centered on Jesus Christ that to live really is Christ. As you participate in this weekends's activities, it is my prayer that this attitude of Paul's will become yours as well.

Dave Miles

For me, "To live is Christ" implies that Jesus Christ must be the focal point of my existence. I must strive to exemplify His characteristics and attitudes in every aspect of my life. The apostle Paul wanted every minute of his life to count for Christ no matter how adverse his conditions were. I, along with each of you, hope to be able to say my life counted for Christ because I lived for Him.

Karen Remington



1979 YOUTH CONFERENCE CABINET

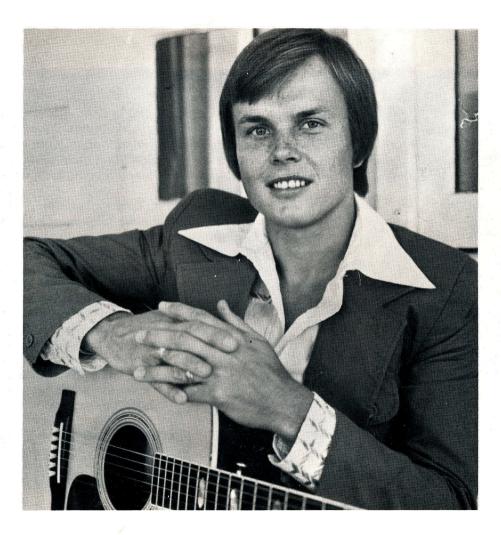
A WORD ABOUT OUR SPEAKER ...

Mr. Kesler, a 1958 graduate, is presently the President of Youth For Christ, International. This organization

Mr. Kesler began working with YFC as a local director of a group in Marion, Indiana. During his tenure with YFC, he has served in many capacities including Crusade Staff Evangelist, Director Illinois-Indiana region, Director of College Recruitments, Vice President for Personnel, and Vice President for Field Coordination. He has served in his present capacity as President for a number of years. Even with his busy schedule, Mr. Kesler manages to devote some of his time to writing. He has written numerous books and articles, and his advice column, "I Never Promised You a Disneyland," appears regularly in Campus Life magazine.

The Kesler family makes their home in West Chicago, Illinois. Jay's wife Jane is also a Taylor alumnus. She graduated in 1959. Presently, two of their three children, Laura and Bruce, are attending the university. A second daughter, Terri, still resides at home.





As an added attraction, Youth Conference 1979 will have Mr. Pete Carlson, Christian musician, composer and singer in concert.

Pete Carlson is a 1972 graduate of Taylor University. Following graduation, Pete and his wife, Cindy joined forces with Olde Towne Ministries of Philidelphia, Pennsylvania, a media productions venture.

Sensing God's direction and guidance, Pete turned his attention toward a full time music/concert ministry. Since that time in May, 1975, he has traveled throughout the United States, sharing his ministry. His talents also include songwriting which includes such favorites as "Jesus, Your Name," "Inner Strength," "Your Were There" and "In This Quiet Hour." Pete records on Tempo records and tapes.

SCHEDULE OF WEEKEND

Friday

- 12-7:00 Registration
 - 7:00 Sing Along
 - 7:45 Jay Kesler
 - 9:00 Pete Carlson
 - 11:00 Residence Halls Present ...

Saturday

- 7-8:00 Breakfast
 - 8:30 Jay Kesler
- 9:45 Discussion Groups
- 11-1:00 Lunch
 - 1:00 Sponsor Workshops
 - 1-3:00 Talent Show Auditions
 - 2:00 Group Activities
- 5-6:00 Dinner
 - 7:00 Talent Winners Sing Along
 - 7:45 Jay Kesler
 - 9:00 "Special" Events
- 10:45 "Suds and Salt"

Sunday

7:30-8:30 Breakfast
8:45-9:45 Devotions and Discussion
10:00 Jay Kesler
11:15-1 Lunch

Places to go Answers to questions Where to call if - - -

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Lost and Found	South Hall 392
D.C.	024
Union	305
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Pastor Hills Office	205
Y. C. Office	394
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English	288
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