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Fort Wayne Bible College

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GOOD NEWS GREETS FORT WAYNE BIBLE COLLEGE STUDENTS

As students began a new academic year at Fort Wayne Bible College, they were greeted with several items of good news!

Coming on campus, it was plain for students to see that construction had started on the new Activities Center. Construction began Monday, August 8, with completion projected for fall of 1989. The Activities Center will serve as a multi-purpose facility, and its 41,000 square feet of area will house a gymnasium/convocation along with much needed physical education facilities. The cost of the building will be approximately $1.2 million.

The construction of the Activities Center marks the final phase of the College's $3.2 million Capital Campaign. At this writing approximately $110,000 is needed to close the campaign. It is college officials' hope to have the remaining funds by the end of the year.

The September 21, 1987 award of a $500,000 matching grant through the Lilly Endowment's Dream of Distinction Competition drastically helped the funding of the Capital Campaign's final stage. The College is very pleased to announce that the entire $500,000 has been matched through gifts and pledges from individuals, businesses, and foundations.

God is graciously meeting the needs of Fort Wayne Bible College!

Construction of the Activities Center is well underway!
HOMECOMING/ PARENT'S DAY '88
By Bill Gerig, Alumni/Church Relations Director

How do you spell REUNION? You spell it HOMECOMING/PARENT'S DAY. Alumni re-united with classmates, "old" professors, and friends. Parents re-united with their FWBC off-spring who are "thrilled and excited" about college life.

Over 300 people enjoyed the fellowship and the activities of this very special reunion day. The activities began in the morning with the Lady Falcons volleyball team challenging Kentucky Christian, Moody, and Concordia College. Although our women did not win their matches, they continue to gain experience and to improve. There is only one returning player from last year's team, so this year will be a rebuilding year.

Next came reunions for the recent classes of 1978, 1983, and 1987. Gordon, 1978 Class President, and Beth Smith, came all the way from Coon Rapids, MN and had a great time visiting with their classmates who returned for the day.

Beginning at 2:00 p.m., the men's soccer team had a hard fought contest with Concordia College from Ann Arbor, MI and came out on the short end of a 1-0 battle.

The "spectacular" FWBC marching kazoo band thrilled us all with their unusual half-time "performance."

After sharing a special barbequed chicken dinner on the lawn in front of the library, we all headed across town to the Blackhawk Baptist Church Convocation Center for an evening piano concert by Dina. Over 1,100 people packed the auditorium for this time of entertainment and inspiration.

Next year we hope to have our Homecoming/Parent’s Day Concert in our new Activities Center on Saturday, September 23, 1989.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW FOR THAT SPECIAL DAY!

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Gordon Smith, 1978 class president, came from Coon Rapids, MN to welcome his class to Homecoming.

Tom (78) and Holly (81) Wilson enjoy the Bar-B-Q with their family.

Freshman Van Duitsman was joined by his parents for Parents' Day.

Jennifer Perkins (L) and Tia Ross gave a kazoo concert to any one who would listen. (Above, right) Visitors enjoyed a great soccer game on South Campus. (Beside, right) Mildred Eicher (L) and Joyce Gerig (R) help visitors select FWBC memorabilia.
CHANGE OF FORT WAYNE BIBLE COLLEGE FOUNDING DATE

At the September 16 Governing Board Meeting, it was agreed to change the founding date of Fort Wayne Bible College from 1904 to 1895! FWBC’s predecessor, Bethany Bible Institute of Bluffton, OH was founded on November 1, 1895. Bethany Bible Institute was re-opened in Fort Wayne as the Fort Wayne Bible Training School in 1904. More history and details to come in the February issue of Summit Record.

NEW FACULTY AND DIRECTORS

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ENROLLMENT UPDATE

The Bible College's fall enrollment is up 4.5% from last year! Last fall's new student count totalled 156, with this fall's being 163.

Many exciting projects are in the making in the Enrollment Department. Efforts to expand computerization have been accelerated by a generous grant from the Lilly Endowment. Computer software has already been installed for a letter-flow system that reaches individuals by levels of interest. Also, a computer managed telemarketing plan has been funded to assist student phoners, professional staff and faculty.

GRADUATE STUDIES PROGRAM

Fort Wayne Bible College - Trinity Evangelical Divinity School
by Dr. Richard Dugan
V.P. for Academic Affairs

You need a graduate education for ministry, but you do not live near a seminary. You are unable to leave your present ministry. What can you do?

In Fort Wayne there is an answer. Trinity Evangelical Divinity School will begin offering graduate classes at the Fort Wayne Bible College campus on October 14, 1988.

As one of North America's finest and largest evangelical seminaries, with over 60 regular and visiting faculty, Trinity is committed to the authority of the Bible and to the preparation of men and women for Christian ministry. Trinity's graduates enter leadership roles within the pastorate, missions, and in a variety of professional, scholarly, and lay ministries worldwide.

The initial offerings in Fort Wayne will be modest. Grant Osborne, professor of New Testament at the seminary (B.A., Fort Wayne Bible College; M.A., Trinity Evangelical Divinity School; Ph.D., University of Aberdeen), will teach the opening course, NT 719 Pastoral Epistles. The course will meet for five weekends (Friday evening and Saturday morning) and will offer three graduate credits.

The plan is to offer the entire first year of seminary studies. This 36-hour Certificate in Biblical Studies Program can be applied to the Master of Divinity (M.Div.) or some M.A. programs. There also will be one or two Doctor of Ministry (D. Min.) courses offered each year.

FAREWELL TO SEMESTER ABROAD STUDENTS

On Wednesday, September 28, FWBC friends and families said farewell to 15 Bible College students, Professor Gerald Steele, his wife, Miriam, and their son, Joel, as they began their journey to Brazil.

The group makes up the Bible College's first Semester Abroad Program! For the next two and one-half months, the students will be living individually in Brazilian homes, attending classes, learning Portuguese, and participating in real life field situations.

The students will return to the United States mid-December. The Semester Abroad Program will be featured in the February issue of Summit Record.
Dr. Clyde W. Taylor  
1904 - 1988

"He had one foot in our heritage ... one foot in our future."

Dr. Clyde Taylor, world-known Christian statesman and a Fort Wayne Bible College Governing Board member for 39 years, died June 3, 1988, after a long illness.

Locally, the death of Dr. Taylor is greatly felt. He served the Missionary Church, headquartered in Fort Wayne, and was a valued member of Fort Wayne Bible College's Governing Board. His 39-year Board tenure is the longest Board tenure in the College's nearly 100 year history. His service to the College was well summarized by President Don Gerig during his remarks at Dr. Taylor's funeral.

"With the sort of schedule Clyde kept all his life, his faithful commitment to his responsibility on our Board seemed nearly miraculous. His involvement was never passive. He had a wonderful way of keeping one foot planted in our heritage to be sure we never strayed from our mission. But, he also kept one foot planted in the future, insisting that we never allow ourselves to be out of touch with the realities of a changing world."

In 1981, the Clyde Taylor Endowment for World Mission was established at the Bible College. The Endowment currently provides funding for scholarships, campus lectures, faculty involvement in missionary travel, and missions education programs.

Dr. Taylor graduated from Nyack Missionary College in 1924. He earned his Th.B. degree from Gordon College in 1931 and his M.A. degree from Boston University in 1942; he received the D.D. from Western Baptist Theological Seminary in 1951 and an LL.D. from Houghton College in 1960. He was ordained to the ministry in the Baptist church in 1930.

Dr. Taylor lived a life strongly characterized by servitude. During his early career, he served three terms as a missionary in South America with the Christian and Missionary Alliance... first among the Inca and Campa Indians of Peru and later in an un-evangelized area of Colombia where he founded the Bethel Bible Institute.

Since 1944, Dr. Taylor engaged in evangelical interests in Washington D.C. His years of service included secretary of public affairs and general director of the National Association of Evangelicals, executive secretary of the Evangelical Foreign Missions Association, special representative for the World Relief Corporation, and chairman of the World Evangelicals Fellowship's U.S.A. board until his death.

Dr. Taylor is survived by his wife, Ruth; four children: Darlene Tate, Orletta Gillikin, Carolyn Thompson, and Clyde Donald Taylor; ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

A memorial service for Dr. Clyde Taylor was held June 8 at Heritage Baptist Church in the greater Washington D.C. area.
From the Chairman...

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
- Winston Churchill

I can clearly see the point of Churchill's words by taking a glance at Fort Wayne Bible College's 1987-88 fiscal year. I distinctly see many individuals who have characterized their lives with the gift of giving!

It has been a great experience to serve as the Chairman of the Governing Board this year. Along with my colleagues, we have seen the College take major steps of growth as a result of competent administrators, well-trained and caring faculty, and thousands of individuals who have made Fort Wayne Bible College a priority!

God supplies all of us with opportunities to serve. I am thankful He has provided me the opportunity to serve at Fort Wayne Bible College. I am also thankful He has provided the opportunity for you to serve the College in your special way...whether it be by praying, giving, or actively participating.

Thank you for begin part of a great year. It is my prayer that you will continue to serve with us in the 1988-89 fiscal year.

Paul A. Steiner
Chairman of the Board

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"PRESIDENT'S PERSPECTIVE"

This past year I have travelled literally thousands of miles preaching in churches, participating in conferences, visiting FWBC supporters, sharing with alumni, and talking with prospective students. I come away from those experiences convinced more than ever that the ministry of Fort Wayne Bible College is crucial to the work of God's kingdom! There is a stirring in the church that is encouraging. Younger people, in particular, are concerned about kingdom work. Questions about spiritual vitality and dynamics...the right questions...are being asked in our churches.

"What a great time to be involved in the task of educating people for ministry and service!"

Gift income was strong for this past year. While we were still in deficit we were able to cut our operating losses by almost 50% from the previous year. Our expectation is that this coming year will see that trend continue and lead us to our first balanced year in some time. We praise the Lord for that prospect!

Of special significance this past year has been the wonderful movement in our Capital Campaign. By the time this report is published, pledges and gifts for that campaign will have reached a level sufficient to begin the building of our new Activity Center.

"I have been encouraged with the level of enthusiasm I find for our work among our constituents."

As I have met many of you I hear a consistent theme..."We thank God for FWBC and trust you will remain true to your vision!" Let me assure you that that is our intention. As we have worked through a revision of our mission statement, we have strengthened our commitment to the concept of the Bible core in our curriculum. We have sought to position ourselves, more than ever, in tandem with the ministry of the church. We want to challenge our students and our constituency to have a renewed vision for reaching our world for Christ. We understand that this will involve the need to keep methodology current with the needs of the world as it really is today. We also understand, however, that the message we take to that world is still the unchanging good news of Jesus Christ.

Thank you for your continued support of our work. In this issue we salute the hundreds of you who are our partners through your prayers and gifts. I trust you will all share a sense of satisfaction in knowing that you are part of a strategic ministry preparing tomorrow's Christian leaders.

Dr. Donald D. Gerig
President

IMAGINATIVE ACADEMICS

"A university is imaginative or it is nothing at all...at least nothing worthwhile," was the challenge to the Fort Wayne Bible College faculty on retreat in 1988. This call to innovation is especially relevant to the Bible college which, having a focused purpose, has no place to hide.

In the academic year just completed, our faculty did accomplish or initiate imaginative projects.

First, we have continued to develop our internship program. Dozens of budding pastors, educators, and counselors have worked long hours with seasoned professionals. The program in world mission has developed an internship that will take twelve students with Prof. and Mrs. Gerald Steele to Brazil for two months where the students will live in Brazilian homes and assist in church planting.

Second, we have initiated a college-wide program of curriculum review with the goal of updating for the twenty-first century. Two grants make this study possible. The first is providing temporary faculty, staff, and consultants. We are contracting national leaders representative of each

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FinancIal Perspective

The fiscal year ending June 30, 1988, clearly represented a financial turning point for Fort Wayne Bible College. Enrollment turned upward, staff was pared, expenditures were brought under tighter control, and current fund operating losses were cut by over $250,000.

The present fiscal year looks even more encouraging as enrollment has increased, costs are continuing under tight control, and tuition rates have been increased for the first time in two years. All of this translates into a realistic balanced budget for the year, and hopefully a small surplus will be available to offset prior year losses.

Overall, in spite of continuing losses from operations, the financial condition of the College has improved. This is principally due to successful capital campaign drives for both WBCL and our new multi-purpose Activities Center now under construction. Though the financial condition improved, much remains to be done to return the College to the fully healthy and debt-free financial condition the Governing Board, Administration, and others all desire.

Though financial limitations have caused many maintenance projects to be deferred during the past several years, we praise the Lord that we were able to accomplish all essential projects. We especially want to thank all the volunteers from the Central District Men's Organization of the Missionary Church who assisted with much-needed replacement of sidewalks. As a whole, facilities are in good condition thanks to many dedicated people who have achieved outstanding results with limited funds.

Presently, we are excited about our new multi-purpose Activities Center under construction, adjacent to the WBCL building. This facility will allow the College to significantly enhance athletic, spiritual, educational, recreational, and cultural services to students, faculty, and the community-at-large. Funding for this outstanding new facility was nearly 90% complete before construction began.

We are enthusiastically looking forward to reporting a significantly improved financial result and condition by the end of this fiscal year.

Imaginative Academics

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Discipline who will make recommendations for improvement. Already we have modified the mission statement to allow for study centers away from our Fort Wayne base. The second grant has provided funds for Prof. Eunice Conrad to develop a course in contemporary world literature, specially focusing on Third World writings.

Third, new techniques are being tried in the classroom. Prof. Jon Swanson was seen projecting a computer monitor onto a screen for group interaction. The music department has contracted a Chicago specialist in contemporary instrumentation to teach in their program.

Fourth, several faculty members are gaining practical experiences. Dr. Doug Barcalow (Christian Education) spent the summer at a camp in Wisconsin. Prof. Dave Biberstein (Pastoral Ministries) is interim pastor at a local church. Prof. Ron Scharfe (Biblical Studies Division) studied in Greece and taught in Bermuda. Prof. Wava Bueschlen (Director of the Library) took a course in library computerization. The Vice President for Academic Affairs has accepted appointments to the Standards Commission, the Commission on Accreditation, and the Nominating Committee of the American Association of Bible Colleges. These appointments should help to develop the imaginative view points of both Fort Wayne Bible College and the association. He also is studying institutional marketing through a Wheaton College graduate course.

A Bible college that is imaginative . . . curriculum, teaching styles, relationships . . . is something. We are something worthwhile!


COLLEGE DEVELOPMENT MEANS PARTNERSHIP

Wesley Wilmer in his book on institutional development observes:

"Small colleges are unique to American higher education. They have a rich heritage of commitment to the individual, to teaching quality ... to flexibility and innovation, to affordability, and to community service."

Because of partnerships with alumni and friends, Fort Wayne Bible College has served its students and constituencies by educating individuals for careers of service. A report on such support is valuable.

FOUNDATIONS

The 1987-88 fiscal year may well be known as the "year of the grant." On September 21, 1987, the College received word of a $500,000 matching grant from the Lilly Endowment. This award dramatically advanced our "Bridge to the Future" campaign. To assist in matching this grant, the College has received significant foundation and corporate support from the Journal-Gazette Foundation; Byron H. Somers Foundation; Krouse, Kern and Company; Knight Ridder Foundation; Trinity Wholesale Distributors; McMillen Foundation; Magnavox Government and Industrial Systems; Lincoln National Bank; and the Crowell Trust.

In addition, the College has benefitted from a $25,000 Lilly Endowment institutional development grant to assist and advance enrollment initiatives. Further, the curriculum of the college will be assessed and evaluated under a $42,900 grant from the Endowment’s curriculum development program.

ANNUAL FUND

Annual Fund gifts are the lifeblood of any college. These timely gifts enable the college to maintain operations, provide services, offer institutional scholarships and support programs. Some are as little as $5.00. Others are gifts of $5,000 or more. Each is important.

Again, for 1987-88, the College's annual fund gifts have moved forward. Such gifts totaled $639,341. Combined with restricted gifts of $514,004, total giving to the College exceeded $1,150,000. Each donor had a part in this marvelous record of success.

On the average, small colleges must spend between $.25 and $.40 of budget dollars to raise $1.00 in gifts. At FWBC this past year, our budget expenses of $328,317 indicated a cost of $.28 to raise $1.00. This suggests stewardship, partnership, and efficiency.

A particularly valuable element of our annual fund is direct mail gifts. This past year $92,422 was raised through such direct contacts. Based on the data at hand, it appears that for each $1.00 the College invested in direct mail, it received in excess of $20.00 in gifts. This regard is noteworthy and speaks strongly of the partnership of our donors.

ANOTHER CLASS

Students are the reason for which any college exists. The turnaround in enrollment which began in 1986-87, strengthened in 1987-88. The head count for Fall term was 356 vs. 351 in 1986. Spring term head count was 343 vs. 326 in 1987. The effective management of enrollment combined with the support of the Lilly endowment to salaries, advertising, and publications has significantly advanced this vital area of the College.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

With the arrival of earth-moving equipment in August, the final phase of the "Bridge to the Future" campaign began. Construction of the multi-purpose Activities Center is underway. The goal of $3.2 million is within site. About $100,000 remains to complete the cost for the building, and $200,000 in gifts will bring us to the celebration of the campaign's closure. Our distinctive dream -- and certain goal -- is that at the building's dedication this campaign will be fully concluded.

ENDOWMENT

For any small college, endowment is a significant element. At FWBC, our endowment's growth is a concern. In September 1987, the Serving the Future Endowment campaign began seeking $1.5 million in charitable insurance contracts. The most recent report shows more than 65% of that goal achieved. In addition, cash contributions and transfers to current fund endowment have been made. These gifts will make possible a more secure future for the great ministry of FWBC.

In conclusion, partnership with foundations, corporations, alumni, and donors makes possible the fiscal success of Fort Wayne Bible College. 1987-88 has been a memorable year. The partnership of each constituent is valued and appreciated.

David G. Lalka, PhD
Vice President
Development
Snapshots taken of students on campus during the 1987-88 school year picture scenes such as the students worshiping in chapel, off campus students eating pizza in Leightner, cafeteria workers cleaning up in the "dish pit," students diligently studying in the library, dorm groups intently discussing what it means to rejoice, and Falcon fans cheering the soccer team to victory. The album would overflow if all the meetings, classes, and events were pictured. Many smiles, some tears, lots of hugs, and notes of encouragement are included to adequately picture the school year.

Fifty-four percent of the student body lived on campus in Schultz, Lexington, and Bethany. The married students comprised 22 percent of the student body.

Throughout the school year the theme of "Obedience," based on I John 5:2-3, was emphasized. A chapel series on the Ten Commandments challenged the College community to consider the freedom available to those who follow God's commandments.

Opportunities to look at world and urban ministries were presented by Spiritual Emphasis speaker J. Robertson McQuilkin, President of Columbia Bible College. More aspects of ministry were presented during chapels sponsored by SMF (Student Missionary Fellowship) and Missions in Focus '88 meetings with Dr. Thomas Hermez, President of World Gospel Mission. Many students indicated a willingness to follow Christ's call to the mission field.

Homecoming-Parent's Day was an exciting day on campus. The weather was "made to order" for the Falcon soccer team's win over Michigan Christian. Enjoyed by all was the musical float during halftime, the tasty chicken barbecue picnic on Witmer lawn, and the concert by Oasis in the evening. The balloon release during halftime was a physical example of how high the enthusiasm was on that day!

Youth Conference '88, with the theme, "Master-Peace," based on John 14:27, was planned and directed by students. Resident students hosted 130 high school conferees for the weekend.

In an effort to increase use of the Student Union, the snack shop area was redecorated. After chapel one could find several married students eating donuts and drinking coffee in the snack shop. During the lunch hour, off campus students occupied snack shop tables in groups, or some sat alone using the time to study and eat.

On Sunday nights student government sponsored "Koinonia" in Leightner to build and encourage the College community through concerts, group singing, and sharing.

Open halls for each resident hall were held regularly. Themes for these nights included "the dating game," "puttin' on the hits," and "miniature golf." For on campus women an opportunity for accountability, sharing requests, struggles, and prayer was provided through matching prayer partners.

Praise and appreciation were expressed to student leaders during the Leadership Banquet. Awards were given to four students who demonstrated excellence in their leadership roles on campus. The recognized students shared what their positions had meant to them.

Emerging from the 1987-88 academic year was both satisfaction and struggle. Education took place both inside and outside the classroom. Personal growth took place in the lives of students. Dissonance, determination, dependence on the Lord, along with support from members of the College community made growth possible. The final picture in our 1987-88 scrapbook is of a student body growing, influencing one another, and desiring to follow Christ.
"Action" is the word to describe what takes place at WBCL round-the-clock. Whether providing on-the-air programming or planning for the many events and activities that happen away from the microphone, the WBCL staff never uses the word "bored."

This first year in WBCL's new facility has been filled with activity and change. We said goodbye to three staff members: News Director, Joyce Russell, who moved to Iowa where her husband, David, accepted a position with Iowa State University; Management Secretary, Jennifer Farnsworth; and Utility Director, Bev Wagner, who each left to follow other pursuits.

We welcomed News Director, Jim Stanley, from Moody Radio in Chicago; Nitelite host, Keith Holmes, from Van Wert, Ohio; Receptionist, Doris Billiard, who transferred from FWBC's Registrar's Department to WBCL; and Management Secretary, Judy Freeman, from Huntington. We celebrate these new team members which God has brought to us.

During the summer, satellite equipment was installed to provide higher quality transmission of Focus on the Family, Insight for Living, and other programs. The satellite service will also be used to enhance WBCL's news with a more balanced package of Associated Press National News, followed several times a day by the Rest of The News, a Christian Perspective.

This year marked the 10th Anniversary of A Day Away, the women's seminar held each October and March for 1,500 women. Party balloons decorated the auditorium as we celebrated God's blessing on A Day Away, and the 25,000 women who have attended since its small beginning in 1977 with 250 women.

WBCL has made application for a station in Archbold, Ohio. Currently, the FCC is considering our application, engineers are completing necessary studies, and we are praying that God will give continued direction for an exciting outreach to potential listeners in a 15-25 mile radius of Archbold.

Once again, we pause to thank God for you, our listeners. It is your commitment which enables us to reach out to thousands. Daily the mail bag contains letters that tell the story of WBCL's pertinent involvement in the lives of so many. We praise God that we can be there when people are hurting and need the right words to ease the pain; when people are discouraged and just the right program gives hope; when people are floundering in trouble and anguish and they hear that Jesus is available for their every need.

To our marvelous Lord, we daily dedicate our gifts and abilities for His use and glory that listeners will be uplifted 24 hours a day.
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AFTER OVER 25 YEARS, OLD ACQUAINTANCES HAVE GREAT TIME TOGETHER!

When Steve g64 and Char (Miller) Binkley g65 learned that Bill g64 and Ceclia (McCrea) Ashley g64 from Phoenix, AZ, would be visiting Ohio and Indiana this summer, they decided it was time to get some of the 1960's FWBC gang together.

Over 30 were able to attend the party held at the Binkley’s Ossian home on Saturday, August 13; while many others responded with notes of greeting.

Throughout the afternoon and evening, the continuing comment was, "Why don't we do this more often?" It was agreed that the group would not wait another 25 years to get together.

Other alumni in attendance were: John and Lois Steiner, Hugh and Pat Gushiken, Anita Lamos, Alice Joy Weddle, Janet and Rama Wakenight and daughter, Jerry and Karin Cramer, John and Joyce McAhren, Jim and Elaine Larnard, and Arlan and Sally Birkey and daughters.

Those who sent greetings were: Keith and Dolores Sholl, Larry and Naomi Heidelberg, Ron and Janet Hege, Grant and Nancy Osborne, David and Joleen Biberstein.

In addition, Cec and Char’s dorm mom, Joy Gerig, joined in the festivities as did Miriam and Herald Welty since Herald served as registrar during the days that this gang attended FWBC.

ALUMNI NEWS REPORT

We would like to know what is happening in your life. Complete and send this form to: Alumni Office, Fort Wayne Bible College, 1025 W. Rudisill Blvd., Fort Wayne, IN 46807.

Name __________________________ Name/Spouse __________________________

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(Please put information to share on another sheet of paper and enclose.)

For Your Information!

QUESTION? Are Christian Counseling majors from FWBC able to find places of employment and ministry?

ANSWER. We have been very pleased with the opportunities for service and the demand for FWBC graduates. One hospital here in Fort Wayne, Charter Beacon Hospital, has had eleven of our alumni on its staff: Karen Beukema fs68, Mark Condrey g87, Terry Cooper fs 83,86, Scott Cunningham g88, Randy Georgi g80, Rene Gerber g88, Dave Kinningham g88, Laura Skees g88, Scott Stombaugh g88, Deb Stout g88, Ian Yorstan g86.

Do You Need A Transcript?

The Registrar keeps on file the permanent record of all credits earned by each student. Official transcripts of a student's academic record will be released upon request, providing the student has been properly cleared from the College. A fee of $2.00, payable in advance, is charged for each transcript.
1940

Esther (King) g44 and Andrew Rupp g44 traveled by bus from Fort Wayne to Gallup, NM for the dedication of a mission chapel in memory of Esther’s sister-in-law. While waiting in the Albuquerque, NM bus station, a lady sitting next to Esther, who was also on their bus, mentioned that she was once approached in this station by a purse snatcher. Therefore she was going to be very protective of her bag since it contained her Ryrie Study Bible. This comment led to the startling revelation that this lady, Irene (Kimbel) Hey g44, was a classmate of the Rupps at Fort Wayne Bible “Institute” in 1944. They had not seen each other in 44 years.

Don g48 and Faythe (Ringenberg) Rohrs g48 have resigned from the Oslo Missionary Church and are living in the country near Wakarusa, IN. Although Don has officially retired they are making plans to be actively involved in evangelism and some form of missions outreach.

1950

Jerry g55 and Mary (Chrisman) Carey g55 have served as tour guides for seven different overseas tours sponsored by the American Institute for Foreign Studies. Their most recent tour was this last summer to England and Scotland. Jerry helped organize and has served for 17 years at the Lincoln Trail (Community) College in Robinson, IL. He is presently the Dean of Student Services. The Careys are active in the Hudsonville United Methodist Church.

1960

Roger fs61-62 and Suzanne Doriot are home from Irian Jaya on an unexpected furlough due to the serious illness of Suzanne’s mother. They are living in Rancho Cordova, CA and will visit supporting churches while they are home. Roger recently was involved in a helicopter outreach to remote villages and landed at the Piringgum Village --the first contact from the outside world.

Kae Linnet Sprunger g63, while on furlough from medical missionary service in Sierra Leone, was presented the Outstanding Nursing Alumnus Award for Nursing Service by Ball State University in May. Kae has served many years in clinical nursing in a remote village and recently has developed a rural health program.

KEY
g = graduate
fs = former student
ps = present student

1960 cont.

Alice Joy Weddle g64 continues as Professor and Program Director of Teacher Education at FWBC. On top of her busy schedule she is very active in the Fort Wayne Area AIDS Task Force as a member of the Speaker’s Bureau and in direct services to persons with AIDS.

Joy (Garner) fs 65-66 and John Anderson g66 have worked for 22 years among Indians with Wycliffe Bible Translators. Most of their career has been spent doing the New Testament with the Northern Pointe Indians of Nevada. Joy recently had an article published in Evangelical Missions Quarterly (July, 1988) entitled “Reaching Minorities: Takes Cultural Acceptance”. The Andersons are presently in Nairobi, Kenya.

Susan Breiner g68 has moved to Indianapolis, IN to become Director of Pastoral Services at Larue D. Carter Hospital.

Helen Inman g68, Educational Coordinator for SIM in Liberia, West Africa, is home on furlough this year. She was asked to present a missions education workshop at a number of the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) conferences, the first at South Bend, IN, on October 6-7.

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William Greenwood fs 71 is the new pastor at the Murray Missionary Church located just outside Bluffton, IN.

Sheryl (Evert) Lance g72 and her husband Peter (married August 30, 1987) live in Pasadena, CA. Sheryl has been a part-time instructor in the Business Department at Pasadena City College and for the Institute of Financial Education, the educational arm of the savings and loan industry.

Martha Buss g72 and Norma Sassaman g74 have both returned home for furlough after another term of missionary service with the Christian and Missionary Alliance in Colombia, SA. When not traveling on deputation, Martha will be living at 419 E. Third St., Dover, OH 44622, and Norma will be at 28089 Maple, Roseville, MI 48066.

Esther (Gabriel) fs 73 and Bob Lewis g73 are living in Orlando, FL where Bob is a Lieutenant, Chaplain in the U.S. Naval Reserve. He is currently the chaplain at the Naval Nuclear Power School providing ministry to 2,300 students, staff, and their dependents. He recently received the Naval Achievement Medal for "providing counseling to the wives and families of USS Stark subsequent to the Iraq missile attack, and, later, to the ships crew at Fujairah, United Arab Emirates."

Arnold Doi g74 graduated with a MA in Theology from Fuller Theological Seminary in June 1988. He and his wife, Sandy g73 and their children, Chad 10, and Shari 8 have moved to 6050 Temple City Blvd, Temple City, CA 91780. Arnold has taken a position as Associate Pastor of Mission Valley Free Methodist Church in San Gabriel, CA.

Phil g74 and Fran Mortensen are pastoring Love Church in Fort Wayne. The church is reaching people who are homeless and have little to live for.

Flossie (Johnson) g76 and Russ Epley returned to Japan in August for their second term of missionary service with TEAM. They are thrilled with the Lord’s provision of a special teacher for their hearing impaired daughter, Christy.

Shayne g79 and Karen (Wilson) Looper g79 live in Coldwater, MI where Shayne is Senior pastor at Lockwood Community Church. They have three sons: Joel 5, Brian 3, and Kevin 16 months. Their new address is 219 E. Lockwood Road, Coldwater, MI 49036.

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IMPORTANT CORRECTION

Joy Ayabe g82 continues her Bible translation ministry with the Saposa people off the Northwest Coast of Bougainville in Papua, New Guinea. Joy is a Missionary on Loan from the Missionary Church serving with Wycliffe Bible Translators.

Sharon Ayabe g86 is serving in Japan with LIFE ministries. In our last issue we reported information about Sharon but had Joy’s name (Sharon’s cousin) listed with the information. We apologize to Joy and to her supporters who were questioning her “move” to Japan. Joy has continued faithfully in her translation efforts in Papua, New Guinea.
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Jan Hoffman g83 has completed all her course work for the Doctor of Clinical Psychology degree from Rosemead School of Psychology. She has begun a one year internship at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Cleveland, OH.

Shirley Faith Souder g83 while continuing her private counseling practice in Auburn, IN, has added a number of other responsibilities. She is Human Resources Consultant for Marquart/Carpenter Marketing and Advertising Agency; has written a book "Shedding the Cocoon of Fretting, Fussing, Stewing, and Steering;" and is President of the Miss America preliminary pageant in Dekalb County.

Norm Nielsen g84 started a new position with the IRS as a Revenue Officer on May 23, 1988. He lives at 533 North 50th Place, Phoenix, AZ 85008.

Rose Marie McMinn Watkins g84 is a Teacher's Assistant at Bunche Elementary School in Fort Wayne.

Lori (Wyatt) fs 86-87 and Joe Butora g87 have moved to Lowell, MI where they are both child care workers at Honey Creek Christian Homes. Joe is supervisor in a cottage for boys.

Greg Glutzbach g87 has moved to Bloomington, IL where he is the social worker at Home Sweet Home Mission.

Sue Boklaga g88 will be an instructor in General Studies at Ivy Tech in Fort Wayne, IN.

Thomas Olney g88 has accepted the pastorate of the Mountain View Missionary Church in Latrobe, PA. His address is R.R. #3, Box 483AA, Latrobe, PA 15650.

Lyn Schwarz g88 returned to campus for the Alumni Soccer Reunion. He is beginning a traveling ministry with the "Caleb Project." The team is composed of young men and women who travel across the US promoting the cause of missions on college campuses and challenging students to become involved.

Brad Ulrich g88 is the new Minister of Education and Youth at the Missionary Church in Wakarusa, IN.

Carolyn S. Usher g88 is employed at Park Center in the Daybreak Children's Shelter Department, Fort Wayne.

WEDDINGS

Sonja (Pierce) g81 and Michael Bowden. May 14, 1988 in Foster Park, Fort Wayne, IN.

Alberta (Lubberts) g81 and Steven E. Knudsen. May 27, 1988 in Bethany Fellowship Chapel, Bloomington, MN.

Julie (Reece) ps 88 and Ken Shields g81. May 28, 1988 in Kendallville, IN where Ken is Associate Pastor at First Christian Church.

Wendy (Stoner) and Mike Badgerow fs 80-84. March 5, 1988 in the Chapel of Founders Memorial on the campus of Fort Wayne Bible College. Mike is on the staff of WBCL.

Tamara (Rice) and Shawn Fingerle g84. May 21, 1988 at Grace St. John's United Church of Christ in Fort Wayne, IN.

Angela (Widmark) g85 and Scott Davis g85. July 9, 1988 in the Cable Road Alliance Church in Lima, OH.

Pamela (Postel) g85 and Jeffrey Werling. At Trinity English Lutheran Church in Fort Wayne, IN.

Janna (Schlatter) g86 and Randy Worthman. August 6, 1988 in the Avalon Missionary Church, Fort Wayne, IN. Their address is 820 Pinetree Drive, Fort Wayne, IN 46819.

Margaret (Kaholi) g87 and Donald Booth. July 23, 1988 at Manoa Valley Church in Hawaii.

Cam (Christen) fs 87-88 and Doug Harle. July 30, 1988 at Brookside Evangelical Mennonite Church in Fort Wayne, IN.

Lisa (Gregold) ps 88 and Thomas Foster g88. June 11, 1988 in Mansfield, OH at the Berean Baptist Church. Tom is part-time Youth Pastor at Aboite Missionary Church in Fort Wayne, IN.

Lisa (Stashele) g88 and Robert Heck ps 88. May 28, 1988 in Fellowship Missionary Church in Fort Wayne, IN.

Janice Lynne (Miller) g88 and Mark Wright. June 11, 1988 in the First Baptist Church, Allegan, MI.

Toni (Jackson) ps 88 and Rob Witzig g88. July 30, 1988 at the Evangelical Mennonite Church in Grabill, IN.

BIRTHS

Becky (Hirschy) g77 and David Cox. Daniel Jordan, May 10, 1988. Their address is 31522 Taylor, Wayne, MI 48184.

Vicki Wright g78 and Dwight Fogley fs76-77. Kenneth Ryan, April 2, 1988. Their address is Box 3, Palu, Sulawesi Tengah, Indonesia.


Sharon and Gary Ringenberg g79. Jonathan Duane, June 3, 1988. Their address is 120 N. Richmond St., Fleetwood, PA 19522. Gary is pastor of the Fleetwood Missionary Church.

Debra (Lehman) g80 and Alan Shaw g81. Allison Joy, August 17, 1988. Their address is 4007 Indian Hills Drive, Fort Wayne, IN 46809.

Teresa (Nussbaum) g81 and David Unkefer. Rebecca Lauren, May 22, 1988. They live at 2120 Easter Lane, New Orleans, LA 70114.

Susan (Patrick) g81 and Cal Rychener g81. Jonathan Calvin, January 5, 1988. He joins his sister, Kathryn 2/12. P.O. Box 160, Grabill, IN 46741 is their address and Cal is Pastor of Evangelical Mennonite Church in Grabill.

Lori and Wesley Wiederkehr fs 82-84. Jacob Wesley, born August 31, 1988 in Fort Wayne, IN. Their address is 4803 Wayne Trace, 46806.

Diane (Copeland) g83 and David Gruber g85. Kristen Ruthann, July 29, 1988. They live at 725 Nutman Avenue, Fort Wayne, IN.

IN MEMORY

Ail Komula g36 May 30, 1988

Alice (Schreckenb) Golden g41 June 3, 1988.

Samuel James Spencer III November 14, 1987, husband of Noretta (Holovar) Spencer g68. Rev. Spencer was pastor of the Community Church of God in Lake Placid, New York.

Denise Hauser fs 82-84 August 11, 1988
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