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HARDING

WINTER 1993





David B. Burks,
President

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to the pages of HARDING magazine

Did you notice anything different? We certainly hope so. This is the first issue of our new magazine, which will replace the *Harding Bulletin* you have been receiving. As the old publication takes its place in the Harding archives, this new one will find its way into your home in the months of January, April, July and October each year. The publication will be either 24 or 32 pages in size, depending on the amount of news and features we have available.

Changing to the magazine format is just another attempt in our efforts to upgrade the University's publications. The *Harding Bulletin* was always the flagship publication of the school, and now the HARDING magazine will assume that role. The magazine will be mailed to more than 40,000 addresses throughout the nation.

Since 1969 the *Harding Bulletin* had been printed in the tabloid, or newspaper, format. Through it we shared with alumni and friends the news about what was happening on the Harding campus. The magazine will continue this informative tradition and will even expand upon it.

Our new publication can best be described as a news magazine with some of the same sections that you've become accustomed to reading in the tabloid. Those section names have changed, however. General news is found in the "Around Campus" section. Alumni news is in the section called "Connections." News from the sports scene is in the section appropriately labeled "Athletics." The calendar of campus activities is found in the "Events" section. The magazine format also gives our writing staff additional ways to highlight many of our projects and programs through feature-length articles.

One of the areas in which we've attempted to maintain as much continuity as possible is in the "Connections" section. The magazine devotes the same number of pages to news about alumni. Alumni news is our most widely read section, and the staff will continue to emphasize this area of the magazine.

We hope the magazine format will give our publication a longer shelf life. The very nature of the old newspaper in tabloid format led to the publication being discarded after it was read. We

hope the more attractive magazine format will encourage you to display the publication at home, take it to an office reception area or share it with a friend or relative.

Your input is important to us. If you have ideas for interesting features, or if there are areas in which you believe we could do a better job of reporting the news, please write Tom Buterbaugh, editor, and convey your ideas to him. Our goal is to produce a quality publication that all our alumni and friends will be anxious to receive and just as anxious to display.

In this inaugural issue of HARDING is a special report that summarizes the University's Strategic Plan for 1993-1998. The article provides an overview of the plan the board of trustees approved at its Oct. 30, 1992, meeting.

The plan embodies our goals to remain committed to providing the highest-quality, Christian liberal arts education; to developing the whole person by emphasizing Christian service, world missions and a servant-leadership-ministry lifestyle; to keeping the Harding experience affordable even to students with limited means; to maintaining our emphasis on classroom teaching; and to providing an academic environment through facilities and technology that promotes intellectual stimulation and growth.

The Strategic Plan, "The Dream Continues," defines a shared vision of what Harding must do to prepare to enter the 21st century. The vision encompasses the thoughts of trustees, administrators, faculty, students, staff, alumni and donors. It is a plan that prioritizes the use of available resources, but it is also a visionary plan that calls for the best efforts of all our constituencies to raise the resources necessary to meet our goals and challenges.

I hope you'll take time to read this article and to catch a glimpse of the vision we have for Harding during the next five years. I also hope that you will share in our vision for the future because, with your help, the dream *will* continue.

David B. Burks

On the cover. "Fiddler on the Roof" was this year's homecoming musical and featured leads Bob Ritchie as Tevye, Amy Sheppard as Tzeitel, and Kim Scott as Golde. Approximately 6,100 people viewed the three presentations of the musical in the Benson Auditorium. (Photo by Jeff Montgomery)

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Pollard publishes article, chapter

Dr. Paul Pollard (Bible) had an article published in October's *Restoration Quarterly* titled "Recent Trends in Biblical Interpretation." He also has a chapter, "Women in the Early Philippian Church in Recent Scholarship," included in the new book *The Role of Women in the New Testament*.

Each year at homecoming, Harding honors an outstanding alumnus from each of its five schools and one distinguished alumnus that represents the University overall. In October six outstanding alumni were named, including two from the College of Arts and Sciences. They were officially recognized at the annual Black and Gold Banquet during homecoming weekend festivities.

This year's recipients of the outstanding alumni awards are Dr. Vicky Clark Bowden, School of Nursing; Dr. Billy Ray Cox, School of Business; Margie Clark Wood, School of Education; Dr. Gary Walker, College of Bible and Religion; and Virgil Lawyer and Claudette DuBois Jones, College of Arts and Sciences. The distinguished alumnus of the year is Pat Bell.

Bowden is a 1979 nursing

education at UCI Medical Center in Orange, Calif. Involved in numerous research projects, Bowden is also a part-time faculty member at California State University in Los Angeles. She and her husband, Greg, have one son.

Cox, class of '58, worked for Harding in numerous positions from 1964-1979, including faculty member, director of the American Studies program and executive vice president. While at Harding he received the Distinguished Teacher Award and coached six national championship business teams. He is now chairman of the board at Dal-Tile Group, Inc., in Dallas. Cox is also director of DTM Investors, Inc., and is serving as a visiting professor at Southern Methodist University's Graduate School of Banking. He and his wife, Patricia, have three children.

Wood graduated from Harding in 1962 with a degree in elementary education. She has been a schoolteacher in Little Rock and Hope, Ark., and received her master's degree in special education from Henderson State University in 1975. Wood now works with the Arkansas Department of Education as administrator of the Compliance and State Program Development

Section, and she is a member of the Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators. She is married to Bennett Wood, a 1960 Harding alumnus, and they have three children, all of whom have attended Harding.

Walker received his bachelor's degree in Bible from

Harding in 1970 and then studied at the University of Central Arkansas, where he received his master's in counseling. He then received his doctorate from the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences in Bangalore, India. His mission work throughout the years has been overseen by the Sunset Church of Christ in Lubbock, Texas, where he is also a graduate of their School of Missions. In 1978 he served as Harding's visiting professor of Bible and missions. Walker and his wife, Kathy, have three sons and reside in Lubbock.

Lawyer is a 1946 Harding alumnus. After graduation he spent five years as a missionary in Japan, where he helped establish Ibaraki Christian High School and College. In 1955 he received his master's in history from North Texas State University. He was on the original faculty at Lubbock Christian University when it began in 1957, and in 1961 he came to Harding to serve with the administration as dean of students and director of admissions. In 1972 Lawyer began teaching in the history department, where he taught until he retired in 1989. He and his wife, Lou, live in Searcy.

Jones, a native of Jackson, Miss., is a 1960 Harding graduate with her bachelor's in English. She is also a graduate of Harding Academy. She has been a teacher of third-, seventh- and ninth-grade English and has also taught remedial English classes for adults. She is active in her local congregation, where she has written the Bible school curriculum for the cradle roll

DAVID HICKMAN



Honorees. Alumni award recipients recognized at the Black and Gold Banquet are Dr. Billy Ray Cox, Margie Jones Wood, Dr. Gary Walker, Pat Bell, Dr. Vicky Clark Bowden, Virgil Lawyer and Claudette DuBois Jones.

graduate who received her master's degree from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and her doctorate from the University of San Diego. She has worked as a staff nurse in pediatrics for more than nine years, and she is presently assistant director of nursing and director of nursing

department, and speaks at retreats, workshops and seminars. She is married to Jerry Jones, also a 1960 alumnus, and they have three children.

Bell grew up in Central Arkansas and received his bachelor's degree in accounting in 1958. One year later he received his master's from the University of Arkansas. He has worked in various positions with the accounting offices of Ernst & Young since 1959, most recently as managing partner of the Alabama offices in Birmingham and Huntsville. He retired Sept. 30, 1992. Bell is a member of various professional, service and civic organizations, including the American Institute of CPAs and the Alabama Society of CPAs, and he serves as an elder at the Homewood congregation in Birmingham. He and his wife, Mary, class of '59, have three daughters and four grandchildren.

Minor prophets chosen as theme for Lectureship

The valuable lessons found in the Old Testament books of the minor prophets will be the focus of study at the 70th annual Harding Bible Lectureship, according to Dr. Don Shackelford, dean of international studies and director of church relations.

The Lectureship, scheduled for Sept. 26-29, will use as its theme "Today Hear His Voice: The Minor Prophets Speak." The theme follows the example set for the last five years of studying specific books or series of books.

"This theme was chosen because we really believe that often the prophetic part of the Old Testament is overlooked, in particular the minor prophets," Shackelford said. "Because of that we miss its important lessons about social injustice, righteousness, one's relationship with God, the coming of the Messiah and His kingdom, and many issues that we deal with today."

The format for the Lectureship will be similar to years past. A keynote theme speaker will present his lesson each night, classes dealing with the different prophets will be offered during the day, and special groups will focus on youth, women, leadership, the Bible school and preaching. Numerous dinners, choral performances and other activities will round out Lectureship Week activities.

Pryor elected association secretary

Dr. Neale T. Pryor, vice president for academic affairs, was elected secretary of the Arkansas Deans Association at its October meeting. As a result of his election to the position, Pryor will become president-elect next year and will be president the following year. The association is composed of all deans from both private and public universities in Arkansas.

Homecoming '92 filled with activities

Once the reunion parties, football game, musical production and dinners were over, Homecoming 1992 was deemed "fantastic" by Doris Coward, assistant director of alumni relations.

The Harding campus came alive with activity Oct. 29-31 as visitors flocked to Searcy for a "Sentimental Journey," the theme for Homecoming '92, hoping to see familiar faces and rejuvenate friendships. Nearly 900 guests officially registered, but it is estimated that more than 1,200 guests actually were on campus.

Key homecoming functions were well attended, with more than 500 people present at the annual Black and Gold Banquet and 211 at the Golden Circle Dinner, which is strictly for those alumni who gradu-

ated 50 or more years ago.

More than 100 students, faculty and staff members presented three stellar performances of "Fiddler on the Roof," this year's homecoming musical. One of the shows was shown to more than 3,000 Searcy-area schoolchildren, and the other two were well attended by Homecoming guests.

The Harding Bisons soundly defeated the University of Arkansas-Monticello 29-14 at the afternoon football game. Junior Jana Stegall of Durant, Okla., was crowned Homecoming Queen in Friday chapel ceremonies.

Coward said plans are already under way for Homecoming weekend '93, scheduled for Oct. 28-30. Make plans to attend.



Royal Smile. After receiving her crown in chapel ceremonies, 1992 Homecoming Queen Jana Stegall is congratulated by Rosemary White. She was attended by Monica Chapman of Panama City, Fla., and Monica Kimbrell of Huntsville, Ala.

JEFF MONTGOMERY

Long, Williams present papers

Dr. Larry Long (English) presented a paper, "On Thoreau's 'Walking,'" at the Southwest regional meeting of the Conference on Christianity and Literature in Shawnee, Okla., Sept. 25. Also attending from Harding were Dr. Ken Hammes, Dr. John Williams and Dr. Dennis Organ. At the Arkansas Philological Association in November, Williams presented a paper titled "Rediscovering the Power of Literary Texts: The Old and New Cultural Critics." The association's meeting was held in Eureka Springs.

Spring American Studies speakers named

The American Studies

Institute Distinguished Lecture Series has five speakers, ranging in scope from sports, business and political figures, scheduled for the spring semester.

Sidney Moncrief, one of the most beloved athletes in the history of Arkansas, will speak Feb. 2. Moncrief's discipline and style began to emerge his senior year in high school and led him to a distinguished career, followed by 10 years as a professional player for the Milwaukee Bucks.

Moncrief led the University of Arkansas basketball team to three Southwest Conference championships. A five-time NBA All-Star, Moncrief is second only to Kareem Abdul-

Jabbar as the leading play-off scorer in the Buck's history.

Paul Craig Roberts, a member of Harding's American Studies Institute National Advisory Board and chairman of the Institute for Political Economy, will deliver his address Feb. 4. Roberts is also a senior research fellow in the Hoover Institution at Stanford University and has the William E. Simon Chair in Political Economy at the Center for Strategic and International Studies in Washington, D.C.

He is a former editor and columnist for the *Wall Street Journal* and is currently a columnist for *Business Week* and the *Washington Times*.

Harding alumnus Gerald Ebker, IBM vice president and

president of its Federal Sector Division, will speak Feb. 25. Ebker is responsible for IBM's operations with the federal government, including custom systems integration and aerospace solutions and commercial product offerings. The division has major contracts with the Department of Defense, NASA and the Federal Aviation Administration.

Ebker received his B.A. in mathematics from Harding. He received his master's degree in the same subject from Kansas State University.

Cal Thomas, a 30-year veteran of broadcast and print journalism, will speak March 25. Thomas writes a twice-weekly, nationally syndicated newspaper column distributed to more than 200 newspapers.

Thomas has appeared on "Donahue," "Nightline," "Good Morning America," "CBS This Morning" and the "Today" show. He is also a frequent guest host for CNN's "Crossfire." He is a graduate of American University in Washington, D.C., and is the author of eight books, including the 1983 best seller *Book Burning*. His most recent book is titled *Uncommon Sense*.

Jim Burnett, past chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB), will speak April 29. Burnett served three presidentially appointed terms as chairman during 10 years with the federal agency.

Burnett's efforts while with the NTSB became instrumental in creating federal rules addressing intoxication by railroad workers. In 1986 the National Commission Against Drunk Driving awarded him the Government Initiative Award for being in the forefront of the NTSB's effort to reduce the threat alcohol abuse poses to the safety of the nation's transportation system.

Scholarship fund honors Williams

The faculty of the department of physical science has initiated a scholarship fund honoring Dr. W.D. (Bill) Williams, who recently retired from that department. Williams taught chemistry at Harding for 38 years and chaired the department from 1960-1988.

The W.D. Williams Scholarship Fund will result in an endowment from which income will be used to help deserving incoming freshman students who desire to major in chemistry or biochemistry at Harding. The faculty of the department of physical science has already contributed or pledged \$5,740 toward this fund, representing 100 percent participation on their part.

Dr. Williams will be notified of any gifts toward the fund. Dr. Don England, distinguished professor of chemistry and chairman of the physical science department, urges contributors also to send him letters written to Dr. Williams, which he will mount in an album and present to Dr. Williams on an appropriate occasion.



Bison Pointers

During a time-out in an Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference basketball game, Harding mascot Bobby Bison gives referee Glen Siler some tips on how to call the game. The photograph was taken by alumnus Randy Reeves, B.S. '77.

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Brackett Library's on-line catalog now available for use by friends, alumni

Remember the days when you would walk into the library, pull out the heavy, wooden drawers of the card catalog one by one, searching for just the right books you needed for your assignments, only to be frustrated because you never seemed to be able to find the right subject cards?

Those days are over for Harding students, according to Library Director Suzanne Spurrier.

With the new interactive computer system at the Brackett Library, students may walk up to a computer terminal, type in the subject, author or book title they are searching for, and they then are directed to the books' locations in the library. Although this process may not seem any more beneficial than a standard card catalog, the new system, produced by Data Research Associates, offers the library patron much more.

Using the automated, on-line card catalog, students may also search for books using a "keyword." If a student is uncertain as to the specific subject, title or author he needs to enter, he may enter a general word or series of words related to his subject, and the system will list every publication that uses that word or series of words in its description.

Bibliographic descriptions for nearly 130,000 publications, or more than half of those books checked out most often, are now stored in the on-line catalog. Bibliographic records of the Brackett Library's holdings are purchased and downloaded into the system as funds are made available; others are input by hand by library staff members. The goal is to get all of Brackett Library's 366,000 volumes loaded onto

the automated catalog.

In addition, periodical and journal indexes are stored on CD-ROMs and are accessible by the students at individual microcomputer stations.

Many faculty and staff members also have access to the catalog via the computers on their desks. But this new technology is not limited to on-campus use. The Brackett Library's on-line card catalog system may be accessed by anyone with a computer and modem.

"Making our books and Christian literature more accessible to Harding's friends is one of the by-products of the ongoing library automation projects for our students," Spurrier said. "In this way the system can benefit the entire brotherhood."

To access Harding's on-line catalog, set your modem with VT100 emulation to 2400 baud, and dial (501) 279-4043. Your computer will be logged on to the computerized catalog, where you can conduct author, title, subject or keyword searches. Once a title is located, the computer will indicate whether the item is currently available or, if it is checked out, will indicate its due date. When you are finished searching, type QUIT or EXIT, and you will be disconnected from the on-line catalog.

If you are unable to find the book you need at your local library, you may then borrow it from Harding by taking advantage of the interlibrary loan program. Simply go to a local library, and complete an interlibrary loan request form. The library will then forward the request to Harding. We will send the book to your library, usually within two weeks, and

you may then check it out for up to two weeks.

Hundreds of requests are made each year for interlibrary loans from the Brackett Library. Some books, however, because of their demand on campus or other reasons, are not available for the loan program.

Recordings held in the Claude Rogers Lee Music Center library and many of the holdings in the L.M. Graves Memorial Library at the Harding University Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tenn., also are included in the automated catalog. For more information contact Suzanne Spurrier, library director, Box 2267, 900 E. Center, Searcy, AR 72149-0001.

Debate team claims tournament victories

Harding's nine-member debate team has captured several victories during the '92-'93 season. The team, debating the topic resolved that the current welfare system worsens the problems of the urban poor, had three debates scheduled for the fall semester.

At a tournament at Sam Houston State University in Texas, the team won second in novice debate, second in junior debate and first in Lincoln Douglas debate by defeating Rice University in the finals. During a second tournament at Southwest Missouri State, the team took second- and third-place honors in Lincoln Douglas debate. Results from the team's third debate at Vanderbilt University had not been determined at press time.

For the spring semester the squad will participate in several regional tournaments, including competition at debate nationals to be held in Maryland.

Nichols elected president-elect

Dr. Jim Nichols (Education) was elected president-elect of the Arkansas Association of Teacher Educators at the fall ATE/AACTE state meeting in October. He will become president of ATE in September 1993. "I appreciate the leadership he gives to both our teacher education program and to this organization," said Dr. Bobby Coker, dean of the School of Education.

Librarians attend state meeting

Suzanne Spurrier and Mary Binkley (Library) attended the state meeting of the Arkansas Library Association Oct. 4-6. Spurrier now serves on the association's future conference site selection committee, and she was appointed chairperson of the publications committee for 1993.

Society elects Yeakley president

Dr. Flavil Yeakley (Bible) was installed as president of the North American Society for Church Growth Oct. 15, 1992, in Los Angeles. Yeakley helped organize and begin the society in 1984 and drafted its constitution. During his one-year term, he will assist in publishing the *Journal of Church Growth*.

Bell member of ACU library visitors board

Winnie Bell (Library) has accepted an invitation from Royce Money, president of Abilene Christian University, to be a member of the board of visitors for the library at ACU. During her three-year term, Bell will be visiting with faculty members and committees in an effort to evaluate the university's overall library effort and its future needs.

Alpha Chi offices dedicated, induction held

New offices for the national headquarters of the Alpha Chi college honor society were dedicated on campus after the formal induction of new members into the local chapter in October.

Alpha Chi is a national honor scholarship society with active chapters at 289 colleges and universities. About 10,000 new members are inducted each year, each of them representing the top 10 percent of junior and senior classes. The organization established its national headquarters at Harding in 1983, when it appointed Dr. Joseph Pryor, professor of physical science emeritus, to the position of executive director. Dr. Pryor is the first person to hold this position in the organization.

Dr. Pryor will retire from the executive director's position in December, and at that time Dr. Dennis Organ, Alpha Chi associate executive director and chairman of the Harding English department, will assume the position. The executive director is responsible for registering student members, mailing supplies to the different chapters and keeping financial records. The new national headquarters are appropriately located in the Joseph E. Pryor Science Center.

Officiating at the dedication ceremonies were Dr. Robert Sledge of McMurry University in Abilene, Texas, president of the executive committee of the society's National Council; Dr. Gayle White of Southern Arkansas University in Magnolia, immediate past president; Dr. Otis McCowan of Belmont University in Nashville, Tenn., Alpha Chi vice president; and Dr. Walden Freeman of Schreiner College in Kerrville, Texas, Alpha Chi secretary.

Before the dedication of the new offices, more than 50 new

members were inducted into Harding's Arkansas Eta chapter of Alpha Chi, bringing the total number of active members on campus to about 125.

Students serving as officers for the Arkansas Eta chapter during the 1992-93 school year are Ryan Richardson, president; Cecilia Parra, vice president; Ellen Gullick, secretary; Jay King, treasurer; and Brian Mitchell, student representative to the national convention of Alpha Chi.

Dr. Don England, distinguished professor of chemistry, serves as head sponsor of the Arkansas Eta chapter. Dr.

Organ and Dr. Larry Long, English professor and director of the Honors Program, are student-elected assistant sponsors. Serving as assistant sponsors appointed by Dr. England are Dr. Neale Pryor, academic vice president; Arthur Shearin, professor of music; and Patty Barrett, housing director.

The Alpha Chi honor society began Feb. 22, 1922, on the campus of Southwestern University in Georgetown, Texas. The organization now covers 45 states, including the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico. The national convention will be April 1-3 in Chicago.

62 students included in Who's Who

Sixty-two students were selected for inclusion in the 1993 edition of *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*.

Considered as national outstanding leaders, those selected were nominated by faculty members and the Student Association. After nominations were accepted, a vote of the faculty resulted in the 62 individuals selected. Editors of the annual Who's Who directory accepted the nominees on the basis of their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Students selected from Harding include Darrell Amy, Richard Edwin Bankhead, Ana Carolina Bonilla, Shelley Renee Brazell, Stephen Ashley Burks, Jennifer C. Carger, Jill Creighton Childers, Tracy Alan Childers, Janet Lyn Clark, Tyler Lee Cutshall, Kristy Kay Dawdy, Katrina M. Deys, David Arthur Diffine, Stacie Sue Evans, Steven Gordon Fitzhugh, Jennifer Carol Fly, Eric B. French, Kimberly Denise Gooch and John

Mark Hays.

Also on the list are Brent D. Holland, Kirk Michael Hollis, Stephen Alan Horne, Beth Ann Howard, Nathan Dale Howard, Amy Lynn Johnson, Melanie Beth Johnson, Tracey LeeAnn Johnson, Monica Lynn Kimbrell, Jason Eric King, Jason Derrick Knight, Robert Thomas Lawrence, Sonya Jeanne Leek, Beth Renee Martin, Kelly Jean McBride, Leslie Kay McDowell, Marla Lewis Miller, Clifton Wayne Mims and Brian Dennis Mitchell.

Completing the list are Marshall Vernon Munch, John Dee Niblett, Jacqueline Annette Nichols, Rebecca Jane Norton, Maria Cecilia Parra, Jonathan Samuel Picklesimer, Melissa Ann Plummer, Michelle Ponds, Shauna Lee Queen, Jennifer Lynne Randolph, Desiree Rees, Veronica Reulbach, Ryan Donald Richardson, Kristy Roe, Davilyn LeAnn Samuel, John Thomas Scott, Kimberly Ann Scott, Scott Allen Shappard, Thomas Edward Simmons, Sondra Ann Smith, Jennifer Cochran Swinea, Aaron Lanier Tucker, Christy Anna Tucker and Stephanie Joy Wilson.

Youth Forum/Spring Sing dates set

Thousands of guests are expected to flood the campus April 9 and 10 for the largest single annual event geared toward prospective students — Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend.

“No other event during the year allows high school students to see and learn more about the Harding experience than Youth Forum/Spring Sing

Sing hosts and hostesses promise a lot of entertainment for the ticket price of \$6.50. Hosts and hostesses for this year’s 20th annual Spring Sing production are Kaci Bolls, a junior voice major from Murray, Ky.; Shannan Horner, a junior elementary education/early childhood development major from Dexter, Mo.; Chuck Roe, a senior music education/theater

major from Springtown, Texas; and Lee Langston, a sophomore voice major from Tabernacle, N.J. Horner was a Spring Sing hostess last year as well. “Once again we have every reason to look forward enthusiastically

to a very creative, very entertaining production,” said Dr. Jack Ryan, Spring Sing coordinator and chairman of the department of communication. “Visitors can expect to see a remarkable display of talent by everyone involved.”

Student participation in Spring Sing is quite generous, as 26 social clubs and nearly one-third of the entire student body are involved. Performances are scheduled for Thursday, April 8 at 7 p.m.; Friday, April 9 at 7 p.m.; and Saturday, April 10 at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sweepstakes awards to club-show winners will be presented after the Saturday evening performance.

Also planned for the weekend is a production of Oliver Goldsmith’s “She Stoops to Conquer,” which will be directed by Morris Ellis, professor of communication. Ellis described the play as “a prime example of the ‘laughing

comedies’ of the 1700s. It has popular appeal because it is like a sit-com, only set in a different time period.” This is the second consecutive year a play has been presented in conjunction with Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend. The success of last year’s play, “The Miracle Worker,” prompted this year’s production.

For more information about Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend, contact the Office of Admissions Services at (501) 279-4407 or toll free at 1-800-477-4407. For Spring Sing and “She Stoops to Conquer” ticket information, call (501) 279-4255. For ticket orders, please use the convenient ticket order form in this magazine.

UPLIFT scheduled for June 20-25

UPLIFT ’93, the 10th annual week-long Bible camp for young people, has been scheduled for June 20-25. Organizers anticipate about 1,500 campers to attend.

During UPLIFT, campers attend Bible classes, hear motivating speakers, worship together and enjoy Christian fellowship with other young people from around the country. Daily schedules guide the campers’ activities, but they are allowed ample recreation time, all of which is supervised by counselors. UPLIFT is open to young people entering eighth through 12th grades.

Speakers scheduled for this year’s program are Mike Cope, Jeff Walling, Monte Cox and Jerome Williams. Campers also will be treated to two performances by the music group Acappella.

For more information write Director, UPLIFT ’93, Harding University College of Bible and Religion, Box 2280, Searcy, AR 72149-0001.

Suit presents paper; nurses go to convention

Dr. Louise Suit (Nursing) presented a paper at the 14th Southeastern Conference of Clinical Specialists in Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing in Lexington, Ky., in September 1992. Her presentation was titled “Cognitive-Behavioral Strategies for Chemical Dependency.”

Dr. Cathleen Shultz, Dr. Helen Lambert, Dawn Chapman and Jackie Harris, all of the nursing faculty, attended the Arkansas Nurses’ Association Convention held in Little Rock in October.



1993 Spring Sing Hosts and Hostesses. Chuck Roe, Shannan Horner, Kaci Bolls and Lee Langston.

Weekend,” said Mike Williams, director of admissions.

Activities for the weekend will include campus tours, chances to attend actual University classes on Friday, an academic fair, four Spring Sing performances, four performances of the play “She Stoops to Conquer,” and four inspiring talks by Jeff Walling, popular youth speaker and minister of the Mission Viejo, Calif., Church of Christ. Visiting high school students also will have the opportunity to talk with campus officials about admissions requirements, financial aid and campus housing, and to ask any questions they may have concerning their futures at Harding.

Spring Sing has traditionally played to crowds of more than 12,000 each year. Nine dazzling shows, produced by members of social clubs, intermingled with entertainment from the Harding Jazz Band and Spring

Bucy appointed assistant dean, baseball coach

Jess Bucy, former 21-year head basketball coach, has been appointed assistant to the dean in the School of Education and assistant baseball coach. Next year he will begin serving as head baseball coach. For the past two years, he has served as cooperative education coordinator.

James speaker at convention

Dr. Mike James (Communication) spoke at the South Regional Convention of Alpha Epsilon Rho, the national broadcasting honor society, Nov. 6-7. His lecture was titled "Hypermedia is Here."

Church Relations announces spring seminars

Three upcoming spring seminars are announced by the Office of Church Relations.

The Religious Education Seminar, "Curriculum," is scheduled for Feb. 26 and 27 in the American Heritage Center. The host for the seminar will be Dr. Ken Miller, associate professor of Bible.

Dr. Flavil Yeakley, the foremost researcher in church-growth studies among churches of Christ, will host the Preaching and Church Growth Seminar, "Preaching for Progress in the Kingdom," March 8 and 9 in the American Heritage Center Liberty Room. Speakers

will be Yeakley, Eddie Cloer, Ken Neller, Bill Lambert and Tom Alexander.

The third seminar planned for the spring semester is the Church Leadership Seminar May 7 and 8. Meeting in the Bernard Peyton Auditorium in the American Heritage Center, the seminar will be hosted by Will Ed Warren, associate professor of Bible.

The seminars are three of several that are presented on campus each year covering the subjects of church growth, church leadership, religious education, preaching and computer usage in congrega-

tions. Specific seminar topics reflect suggestions made from church leaders around the country, and each seminar is hosted by a different faculty member in the College of Bible and Religion. Speakers for the seminars are among the brotherhood's most respected and most highly qualified to lead discussion about the subjects presented.

Registration for all seminars will be in the Heritage Center lobby. For more information contact the Office of Church Relations at (501) 279-4660, or write Box 754, 900 E. Center, Searcy, AR 72149-0001.

Graduate School of Religion offers extension courses

While most recognize the value of graduate education, many cannot engage in full-time graduate work. For that reason, the extension program of Harding's Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tenn., is designed to help ministers and other church workers enjoy the benefit of graduate education without interrupting their present work.

This spring the school has extension courses planned in Atlanta; Beaumont, Texas; Chicago; Detroit; Durham, N.C.; Houston; Knoxville, Tenn.; Kosciusko, Miss.; Little Rock, Ark.; Parkersburg, W.Va.; and West Monroe, La.

These graduate education courses provide new skills and sharpen old ones. "Our effort in providing these courses will help people stay fresh and current in our ever-changing world," said Dr. Edward Myers, dean.

In Atlanta, Dr. Barry Blackburn will teach a two-day study on the Gospel of Mark. An introductory graduate study of basic Hebrew will be taught in Beaumont by Dr. James Priest, and in Chicago Dr. Earl West

will lead a study on the Restoration Movement in America. West is one of the leading Restoration Movement historians in the country.

Dr. Phillip McMillion will teach a course in Detroit titled "Wisdom Literature." It will focus on the wisdom writings of Egypt and Mesopotamia as found in the books of Job, Ecclesiastes and Proverbs. Gary Shelby's Expository Preaching course in Durham will feature extensive exercises in sermon preparation and cover the methods of expository preaching.

Dr. Ken Neller will teach a thorough exegetical study of Paul's letters to the church at Corinth. His study, "Corinthian Letters," will be held in Houston. A course on hermeneutics taught by Dr.

Philip Slate will be taught in Knoxville. It will provide an introduction to the interpretation of Scripture.

Other courses include "Systematic Christian Doctrine," taught by Dr. Steve Williams in Kosciusko; "Basic Counseling," taught by Dr. Allan Isom in Little Rock; "Church Growth," taught by Dr. Flavil Yeakley in Parkersburg; and "Genesis," taught by Dr. Charles Myer in West Monroe.

All courses are offered one week-end per month over a four month period. Classes may be taken for credit or may be audited at a specially reduced fee of \$80. Registration information is available through Robert Brady, director of admissions for the Graduate School. Call collect (901) 761-1352 for additional information.

Extension courses are planned for the following cities:

**Atlanta,
Beaumont, Texas,
Chicago,
Detroit,
Durham, N.C.,
Houston,
Knoxville, Tenn.,
Kosciusko, Miss.,
Little Rock, Ark.,
Parkersburg, W.Va.
and West Monroe, La.**

Computer teams sweep state contest

Harding's two computer programming teams earned first and second place at the state programming contest held October 29 in Little Rock. The event was sponsored by the Arkansas Society for Computer and Information Technology.

The competition included 21 teams from 12 different schools. Harding competed against the University of Central Arkansas, University of the Ozarks, Ouachita Baptist University, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, John Brown University, Henderson State University, Arkansas State University, Arkansas Tech University, Westark Community College and the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff.

The competition involved six different problems to be solved within a time limit of five hours. Harding's two winning teams solved five of the six problems. A team from University of Central Arkansas was the only other school to solve five of the problems, resulting in a



Computer Teams: Front Row: Sponsor Ron Pacheco, Tyler Cutshall, Brad Choate, alternate Harry Garner. Second Row: Christopher Robinson, Joel DeYoung, Alcides Viquez. Back Row: Alternate Dave Anderson, Jason Jewell, sponsor Tim Baird.

third-place finish.

Steve Baber, professor of math and computer science, helped organize the competition. Baber said each team submitted its results on a disk at the end of the competition. Baber, along with Ron Pacheco and Tim Baird, served as faculty sponsors for the two Harding teams.

Members of Harding's first-place team were Joel DeYoung, a junior computer science major from Williston, N.D.;

Alcides Viquez, a senior computer science major from Costa Rica; and Brad Choate, a junior from Winona, Miss., majoring in computer information systems.

The second-place team consisted of Tyler Cutshall, a senior computer science major from Houston; Christopher Robinson, a senior computer science major from Jacksonville, Ark.; and Jason Jewell, a junior from Searcy majoring in computer science.

National Council of Nursing to meet on campus in April

The National Council of the State Board of Nursing will meet at Harding April 2 to discuss a new testing method that will soon be enacted for the nursing licensure exam.

The meeting, which has been titled "CAT 101: Computerized Adaptive Testing for Licensure," is being co-sponsored by Harding's School of Nursing and the Arkansas State Board of Nursing. Nurse educators and those who employ nursing personnel will be in attendance.

Beginning in 1994 the nursing licensure exam will be converted to a six-hour computer exam. It is now a two-day written test offered twice a

year. The new format will enable a student to take the exam 30 days after graduation. Graduates must now wait for one of the two scheduled test dates.

Representatives from the 51

Sigma Theta Tau

Nursing honor society to hold research day

Three university chapters of Sigma Theta Tau, the national nursing honor society, will meet on campus Feb. 11 for a research day. Angela Barron McBride, president-elect of the American Academy of Nursing and a distinguished professor of nursing at Indiana University, will provide the keynote address for the event.

different nursing agencies throughout Arkansas are expected to attend, as are people from bordering states. This will mark the first time the national council has conducted a meeting in Arkansas.

Chapters of Sigma Theta Tau from Arkansas State University, the Eta Theta chapter; University of Central Arkansas, the Kappa Rho chapter; and Harding University, the Epsilon Omicron chapter, are sponsoring the event.

McBride will also perform the induction ceremonies scheduled for that evening.

International studies director appointed

Dr. Don Shackelford (Bible) has been appointed director of international studies. He will continue his teaching duties and his responsibilities as director of international campaigns and the Harding University in Florence (HUF) program.



Six inducted into Athletic Hall of Fame

A quintet of former Bison athletes and a former coach were inducted Nov. 14 into the Harding University Athletic Hall of Fame.



Joe Boyle



Ed Burt



Steve Celsor



Don Sinuefield



Brent Taylor



Ray Vaughn

Recognized were Joe Boyle ('69), Steve Celsor ('77), Don Sinuefield ('69) and Brent Taylor ('81). Honored posthumously were Ed Burt, bowling coach, and Ray Vaughn ('39).

Joe Boyle was a junior college All-American distance runner before transferring to Harding, where he continued his stellar performances in both track and cross country.

On successive weekends at the close of the 1969 cross country season, he finished 18th at the NAIA national meet, 13th in the USTFF race and 25th in the national AAU championships. For 15 years Boyle's 4:11 mile time stood as a record at the Kentucky Relays.

He was an Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference champion in the mile and half-mile in 1969. The NAIA All-American has coached at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point and in New York and Texas high schools.

Boyle owns an insurance agency in Houston.

Ed Burt coached four NAIA national championship bowling teams in 1970, 1971, 1972 and 1975. His teams won 13 conference titles and 17 NAIA district championships.

Not only did Burt's Bisons win three straight national titles, his teams also produced the singles champion each year in Charles Burt (1970), Mark Poteat (1971) and Dave Hudson (1972).

He joins his son, Charles, as a member of the Hall of Fame. Charles was inducted in the

inaugural year of the honor group in 1989. They are the only father/son duo to be honored with membership.

Burt died in 1991 after a lengthy struggle with cancer.

Steve Celsor had a major impact on Harding's track program in the '70s. For four years he dominated the AIC high jump competition and also competed successfully at the national level.

He won three conference high jump crowns and was named All-American twice. In 1975 he placed third in the NAIA national indoor meet and won the national outdoor title with a jump of 6-11. He is only the fourth Bison athlete to win an individual national championship in track and field.

Celsor graduated from the School of Nursing and now lives in Little Rock, Ark., where he is an emergency room supervisor at Baptist Medical Center.

Don Sinuefield was Harding's first All-American football player in 1968. He averaged 16 tackles a game during his junior and senior years.

In addition to being named All-American in 1968, Sinuefield was named honorable mention All-American in 1966 and 1967. He was an all-conference player in 1967 and 1968.

At 5-ft-11 and 208 pounds, he was not a big lineman, but he certainly made his presence known to opposing running backs. He was named the team's Defensive Player of the

Week in 16 of the 20 games he played during his junior and senior years.

He is now a senior sales representative for NewCo Homes in Spring, Texas.

When Brent Taylor came to Harding, he ushered in a new era for Bison golf teams. In his first and second years, the team moved from the AIC cellar to third place, and then on to a string of four consecutive AIC championships.

Taylor is Harding's only All-American in golf, receiving the honor in 1981. That year he was the top golfer in the AIC and finished fifth at the NAIA national tournament.

He lives today in his hometown of Bartlesville, Okla., where he is in the residential construction and development business.

Ray "Foots" Vaughn was a pre-war basketball standout in the 1930s at Harding. He later went on to coach at the high school and college levels for 40 years. He coached more than 60 athletes who were recognized as All-Americans.

He developed Oklahoma Christian University's athletic program into nationally ranked powers in basketball and track.

Recognized as one of the country's experts in the decathlon, he received numerous coaching assignments from the U.S. Olympic Committee with international teams and coaching schools.

The new track facility at Oklahoma Christian was recently named the Ray Vaughn Track. He was a 1969 inductee into the NAIA Hall of Fame and was recently named a charter member of the Oklahoma Christian Hall of Fame.

Vaughn died in 1980, a victim of cancer.

Football team reaches NAIA play-offs

The Bison football team used a strong finish, winning five consecutive games, to finish second in the conference and seventh in the nation, earning a national play-off berth.

The spot among the nation's elite eight schools was bitter-sweet. It was only the second time in Harding's history that a Bison grid team had made the play-offs, the first coming in 1989. It was the first time for the Bisons to host a play-off game.

Harding drew the number-one ranked Central State of Ohio Marauders as its first-round opponent. The Marauders came into the game 9-1 and used a potent offense and a stingy defense to subdue the Bisons 34-0.

Harding began the season with a 2-3 start, but then put together the string of five victories.

En route to the 7-4 finish, Harding downed Ouachita Baptist University, 28-0; Iowa Wesleyan, 21-14; the University of Arkansas-Monticello, 29-14; Henderson State University, 29-10; and Southern Arkansas University, 26-7.

Five of Harding's 10 opponents were ranked in the top 20 when they played the Bisons.

Harding ranked second in both total defense and total offense. The Bisons gave up 292 yards per outing and gained 355 yards per game.

Eleven Bisons received post-season honors. Senior tackle Richard Proctor, sophomore end Paul Simmons, junior linebacker Eric Howell, and junior safety John Newby were named to the All-AIC first team defensive unit.

Second team defensive selectives were senior lineman Troy Foster and sophomore



Play-off Action. Bison Richard Holmes eludes a Central State Marauder defender during the Nov. 21 game at Alumni Field.

defensive back Lorne Latiker.

Five Bisons were selected to the second team offense. Chosen by the league coaches were sophomore quarterback

Paul Mann, junior wide receiver Ron Sparkman, sophomore lineman Bryan Wansley, junior fullback Amos Washington, and senior tailback Richard Holmes.

Cross country women finish first, men second in conference races

Junior Shauna Queen from Ogalalla, Neb., led the women's cross country team to its seventh consecutive conference title, and the men's team took runner-up honors in the conference meet held Nov. 10 on the Harding course.

In the women's race Queen covered the course in 18:47, or 47 seconds faster than her season best. Harding runners also captured second, fourth, fifth and eighth places in the race. All five runners were named All-AIC and All-NAIA

District 17.

Sophomore Ketty Jensen, senior Edna Duran, junior Keri Hutchison and junior Mandy Crider along with Queen were the top Lady Bisons to cross the finish line.

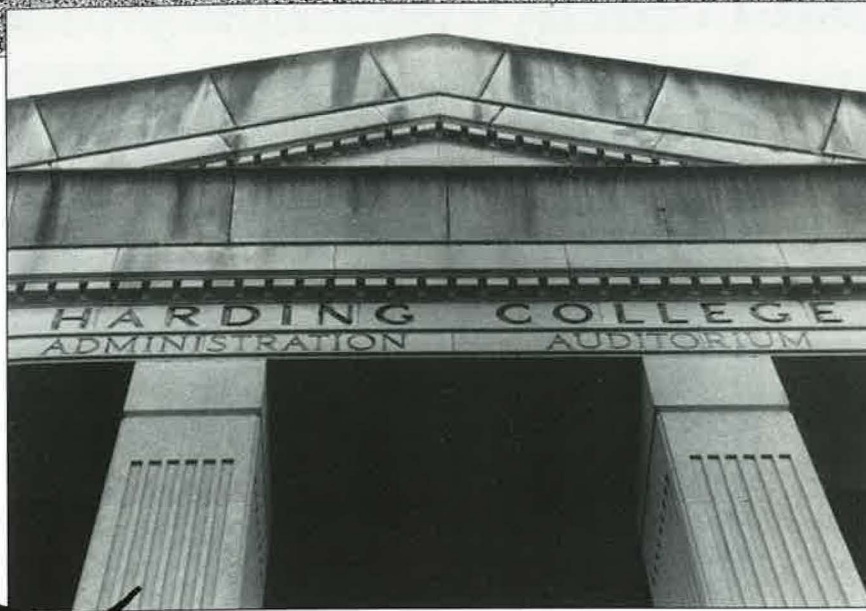
Damon Work of Flemington, N.J., was the fastest runner on the men's team, covering the five-mile course in 26:23 to finish third. Senior Nathan Mills finished behind Work in fourth place and was the only other harrier to crack the top 10 runners.

Volleyballers fourth in AIC

The Lady Bison volleyball team finished fourth in the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference with a 5-5 record.

In a rebuilding year, the team struggled to an overall record of 16-25. Sophomore Amy Duel of Tualatin, Ore., was named All-AIC and All-District, and Junior Kathleen Basshaw of Kilgore, Texas, was named All-District.

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THE DREAM CONTINUES

BY PRESIDENT DAVID B. BURKS

For me, the board of trustees, the faculty, the staff and the student body, the strategic plan for 1993-1998 is the culmination of more than nine months of study, evaluation and intense scrutiny. The result is a plan, or more descriptively, a road map, for the next five years.

Harding is traveling down the road toward the 21st century. The road it follows during the next five years is critically important in positioning Harding for great roles of service in the first decade of the new century. Harding's strategic plan for 1993-1998 has appropriately been titled "The Dream Continues."

While it is a road map, it is more importantly a shared vision. It is a vision formulated and refined by literally hundreds of faculty, staff, students and alumni, and ultimately adopted by the board of trustees on Oct. 30, 1992.

It is important that all of Harding's constituencies realize that the University cannot do everything. Priorities had to be set with the realization that every project or goal must fit into the overall mission of the school.

As we began the strategic planning process, Harding's mission was reaffirmed. That mission is to provide a quality education that will lead to an understanding and philosophy of life consistent with Christian ideals. This educational process involves:

- The integration of faith, learning and living.
- The development of Christian scholarship.
- The promotion of Christian ethics.
- The development of lasting relationships.
- The promotion of wellness.

"The Dream Continues" is a clear, shared vision that propels the institution to the threshold of the 21st century.

- The promotion of citizenship within a global perspective.

Harding has deliberately chosen to be a liberal arts university that emphasizes excellence in teaching and scholarship while making a firm commitment to Christian values. As

we have gone our own distinctive way, Harding has become recognized as a leader in private higher education in Arkansas, in the South and in the nation.

Building upon the accomplishments of previous years, particularly those achieved between 1987 and 1992, our strategic plan outlines some ambitious goals for maintaining and strengthening the curriculum, for faculty development and for enhancing instructional facilities. During the next five years, key strategic priorities will be addressed as Harding University:

1. Continues to emphasize spiritual-growth opportunities, academic excellence and service.
2. Pursues a limited growth option with tuition increases limited, when possible, to the annual inflation rate with an operational deficit goal of \$2,500,000 per year.
3. Builds the Jim Bill McInteer Bible and World Missions Center.
4. Implements master of arts, doctor of philosophy and master of science in marriage and family therapy programs into our curriculum and provides for needed library resources.
5. Adds new faculty and staff on a limited basis.
6. Increases library holdings and/or accessibility to library holdings

through improved technology.

7. Plans cooperatively to install and maintain a campus-wide fiber-optic network to include a student information system, on-line academic advising and the library.
8. Develops a systematic policy for maintaining and updating equipment/technology on an annual basis.
9. Substantially increases endowment and investment funds for the University.
10. Maintains faculty salaries at or above the average national level of all religiously related colleges, and takes steps to increase staff salaries.
11. Increases enrollment for graduate Bible programs and financial support for the Memphis campus.
12. Establishes a preschool program at Harding Academy as a cooperative effort with the University's Home Economics Department and the School of Education.
13. Provides for systematic maintenance of campus facilities.
14. Studies the possibility of increasing scholarships for students, especially need-based scholarships.
15. Expands Career Planning and Placement Services for all students.
16. Works to increase Harding Academy enrollment and faculty salaries at the Academy.
17. Adds faculty offices, graphics and computer labs, and a gallery to the Stevens Art Building.
18. Expands and renovates the Claud Rogers Lee Music Center.
19. Makes capital improvements on the Ezell Bible Building, the Olen

Hendrix Building, the Ganus Athletic Center, Rhodes Memorial Field House, and constructs eight new tennis courts.

20. Builds a new gym for Harding Academy to free up Rhodes Memorial Field House for additional University intramural use.

To fully implement each of the

strategic priorities will require annual giving of at least \$8.6 million per year or a total of \$43 million over the period 1993-1998. Capital expenditures account for \$12.5 million of the five-year total.

There is no question that this strategic plan is an ambitious program. Securing resources is absolutely crucial if we are going to achieve the goals we have set for the University.

Harding will reach new levels of service, will achieve higher levels of excellence and increase its important role in ministry when this strategic plan is implemented.

"The Dream Continues" is a clear, shared vision that propels the institution to the threshold of the 21st century. It is a vision built upon the foundation of more than six decades of "educating for eternity." ❏

New Bible Center to be named for McInteer

Harding's board of trustees have named the school's proposed new classroom building the Jim Bill McInteer Bible and World Missions Center.

President David Burks made the announcement Oct. 30 during a chapel assembly attended by the board of trustees; faculty; students; McInteer and his wife, Betty; and guests on campus for Homecoming activities.

Construction on the \$6.5 million building is scheduled to begin in the 1993 spring semester as soon as initial funding for the project is secured.

McInteer's association with Harding spans more than five decades. He is a 1942 alumnus of the school. He was elected to the board of trustees in 1950, and since 1980 he has served as secretary.

In 1964 McInteer was named the school's Distinguished Alumnus, and in 1991 he was awarded an honorary doctorate from Harding.

McInteer, a Nashville, Tenn., resident, preached for the West End Church of Christ for 30 years before his retirement. He is now president and publisher of the 21st Century Christian Foundation.

In making the announcement Burks cited McInteer's service "to Harding as a member of the board of trustees and as an alumnus and for his exemplary life as a minister."

Harding is beginning a fund drive to raise \$7.5 million to build and endow the Jim Bill McInteer Bible and World Missions Center. The 63,000-square-foot facility will contain the Center for Church Growth, a missions research and teaching area, offices for Church Relations, offices for the Harding School of Biblical Studies, a video/audio studio, 47 faculty offices and 14 classrooms. The three-story structure will also house the school's

new marriage and family therapy program, which will include 10 state-of-the-art counseling rooms.

The new building will be located across a pedestrian mall from the George S. Benson Auditorium and adjacent to the Hammon Student Center. The cost to build the facility will be \$6.5 million, and an additional \$1 million will be raised to endow the maintenance and upkeep of the structure. ❏



Chapel Presentation. Jim Bill McInteer addresses the chapel audience as Pat Garner, David Burks and Paul Carter share the stage.

The face of America's college student is changing: It is getting older.

As a matter of fact, about 45 percent of the nation's total undergraduate enrollment consists of students 25 years or older. This means that almost half of today's college students fall into this "non-traditional" category. The U.S. Census Bureau's 1989 figures reported that 320,000 Americans over 50 were enrolled in college courses, and of those, 65,000 of them were at the graduate and professional levels.

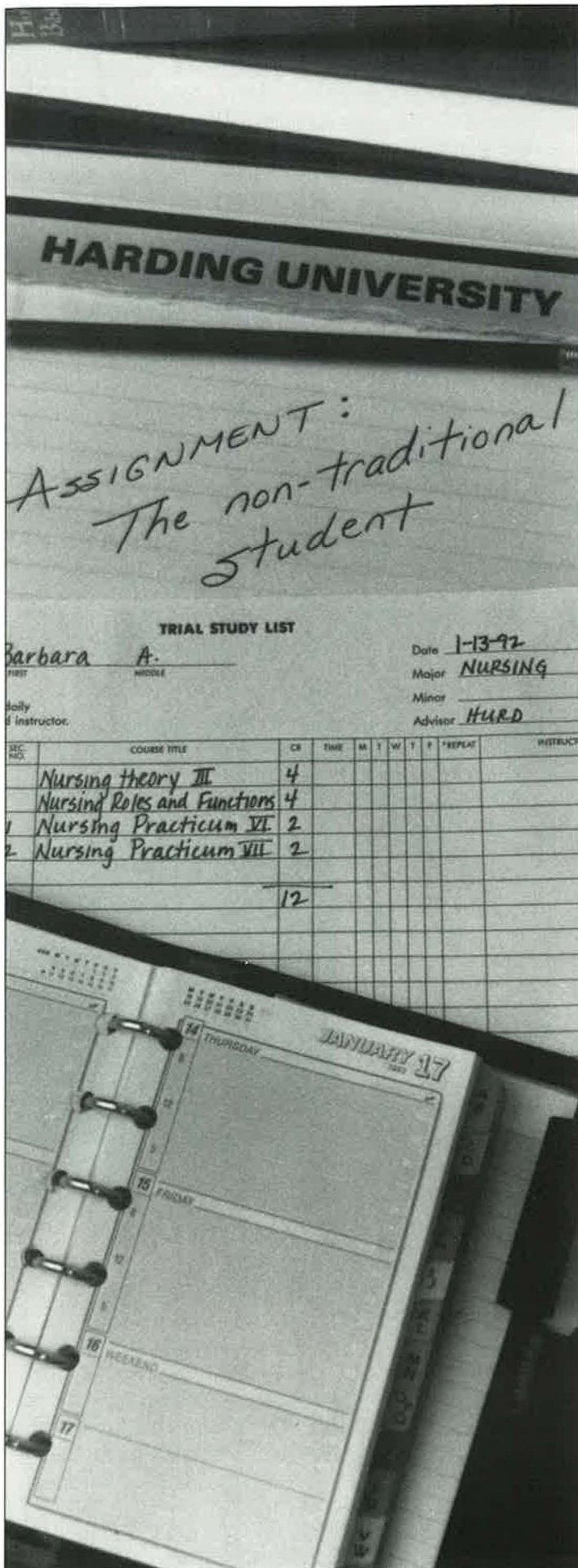
So what has happened to yesterday's traditional, 18- to 22-year-old, fresh-out-of-high-school college student? Although they seem to be a slowly diminishing breed on a national scale, this has had little effect on most college and university enrollment figures. During the 1980s, while high schools graduated 25 percent fewer seniors, college enrollments across the United States went up 12.5 percent to 13.5 million. This illogical outcome is explained by the increased number of older students who are returning to college.

Most sources say that older America's return to college is a trend that will not soon end. The College Board reports that adult learners, 60 percent of whom are women, will be a majority on college campuses across the country within a decade. The U.S. Department of Education confirmed this in a February 1991 report.

Harding University is no exception among the colleges and universities that are reaping the benefits of the older student. From 25-year-old Mary Craig to 64-year-old Wallace Arensmeier, Harding's nontraditional students have joined the fight in combatting the naysayers who cry, "You're just too old to go to college!" About 410 students age 25 or older were enrolled either full time or part time at Harding's Searcy campus during the fall 1992 semester — representing nearly 12 percent of the total enrollment.

Why are so many older adults making the decision to return to college? National statistics say that 85 percent of them have reached some point of transition in their lives, such as loss of a job or spouse, and desire a college education to help change their situations.

Harding's older students tend to fall in line with these statistics. Some have lost jobs and desire to improve their skills before tackling today's tough job market. Some are widows or widowers who are looking for more personal fulfillment in life. Some have been through the trauma of divorce and are looking for new hope and better means of supporting their families. And some have become part of that growing group of Americans who have retired but cannot live off their retirement incomes and must seek a new direction.



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Tom and Jill Holaday fall into this latter category. Tom, 46, and Jill, 45, both attended Palm Beach Junior College in the '60s and '70s. Thomas then worked for Southern Bell Telephone Company in Florida for 27 years and was three years from retirement when he decided to accept an early retirement distribution. Too young to quit working, and not able to live off Tom's retirement income, Tom and Jill decided to move their family to Searcy and both enroll as full-time students at Harding.

The Holadays have five children, ages 13, 15, 17, 21 and 24. Their oldest daughter, Kelly Brackett, was married in 1988 and graduated from Harding in 1989. Their son Daren



Jill and Tom Holaday plan to be vocational ministers.

is a junior professional sales major now at Harding. But although two of their children had already chosen Harding, they were unsure as to their own

college choice. It was the Searcy community and Harding's Bible program that finally led them to their decision.

"We considered other schools," Jill said, "but after comparing communities, economic opportunities and the Bible programs, we chose Harding. It has been good for our kids still in middle and high school, too. The public school system in Searcy is excellent, and many of our kids' teachers are Christians, which we are grateful for. The move was a good decision for the entire family."

Tom is a former Army paratroop sergeant, and he and Jill both became Christians while he was stationed in the Panama Canal zone in 1968. Since that time the Holadays have searched for a way in which they could support themselves and serve the church as well.

"We've prayed more than 20 years for a door to open for us that would allow us to be vocational ministers, and this seemed to be the right time," Tom said. He and Jill are both elementary education majors, and he also plans to certify in special education and is considering Harding's popular vocational ministry program as a second major. They plan to use their educations to support themselves in the secular marketplace while helping struggling congregations grow. They also have considered going overseas to teach missionaries' children or work with the Peace Corps.

"It just depends on where the Lord opens the door," Tom said.

Now enrolled in their third semester of full-time study, Tom works part time with handicapped children for Easter Seals of Arkansas, and Jill is a student worker in the Brackett Library. Jill admits she was a little worried about how the teachers and younger students would react to them because they were older, but she found that her worries were needless.

"I've never encountered any bad treatment from anyone on this campus," Jill said. "The kids here are tremendous.

Being here is truly a unique experience that I wish every Christian could experience."

The teachers at Harding are what have impressed Tom so greatly. "I've never had teachers who took a personal interest in every student," he said. "Each one takes it personally how well you do in his class — not only academically but spiritually. Overall, I've met some of the finest people in the world here. I almost feel like Will Rogers: I can't think of anyone I've met here who I don't like!"

The chance to better his life spiritually is what brought Rick Trujillo, 37, back to college, and he has truly become a Harding success story. Originally from Aurora, Colo., Rick made two unsuccessful attempts at being a student at Harding in 1972 and 1977. Because of a drinking problem and other difficulties that had consumed him for many years, he was unable to perform well and did not complete his education.

Fortunately, Rick's third chance at Harding was a charm. Rick said that he was on the way to straightening out his life when he made the decision to return to Harding in the fall of 1988. He had no definite plan of action; he did not even know if he would finish one semester. All he knew was that he wanted to be at Harding. He credits Dr. Mike James, assistant professor of communication, and many others who cared about him for guiding him through his return to school — and for making him stay.

"They wouldn't let me quit!" Rick said. "Mike and my other friends will never know how much they helped me. From the time I came back here in '88, my life's been an incredible journey, and I wouldn't trade places now with anyone in the world."

Rick received his bachelor's degree in radio/television in August 1991, and he is now a full-time graduate student working toward a degree in education with an emphasis in mass communication. During his study at Harding, he has become an accomplished television photographer, winning several regional and national college photojournalism awards.



For Rick Trujillo the third time was the charm.

Professionally, Rick has already achieved some impressive credentials. He has worked as a news photographer with the NBC affiliate in Little Rock and as a production assistant for the NBC affiliate in Garden City, Kan. He also has worked as a free-lance photographer for the award-winning program "The Arkansas Traveler" for Arkansas' PBS network, as well as for the VH-1 cable network in New York City and Burger King Corp. in Miami. Most recently, he worked as a free-lance photographer with the Fox network in Washington, D.C., in tracking activities during the Clinton presidential campaign and covering election night in Little Rock for them, and he has shot several celebrity interviews. The day we spoke with

him, he was to shoot an interview with Charlton Heston later that day.

Rick hopes to continue his work in broadcasting as a photojournalist when he leaves Harding. He explained, "Something I heard once impressed me: 'A photographer is one who goes to an event, records it and shows the people who were not there what happened. A photojournalist is one who goes to an event, records it and lets the people who were there know what they missed.' In other words, he's a storyteller. That's what I want to be."

A profound change has occurred in me since I've been here.

And how does Rick feel now about his choice to return to Harding?

"A profound change has occurred in me since I've been here. Coming from my background, this was absolutely the best environment for me to be in because I needed to be with spiritual people. Friendships have been critical to my recovery.

"I've learned how to learn; I didn't know it was in me before. But I haven't just learned academically. I've learned how to make friends — how to be a human being — and I will take that with me. All the emotional things I should have worked out when I was a kid, I worked through in my mid-30s. I did it, but I don't recommend it!"

Rick has excelled academically, just as he has in his work experience. This is not unusual. Most older students fare better academically than many traditional-age students.

"Time management is the biggest hurdle," Rick said. "You learn from your mistakes in life, and you know how precious time is. When you decide at a later age to make a commitment to come back and try again, discipline is not a question. You simply must approach your studies differently."

Rick's approach seems to work.

Barbara Turner received her training as an L.P.N. in the mid-'70s and worked in that position until 1988, when the hospital where she was working closed. That sudden change in her life gave her the chance she needed to fulfill her dream of furthering her education and receiving an R.N. degree.

Having grown up in nearby McCrory, Ark., Barbara, 37, was familiar with Harding and its nursing program, but she did not fully realize what her Harding experience would mean to her when she enrolled in the spring of '89. Now, four years later, Barbara will graduate in May.

"God has blessed me so much here," she said. "I came here wanting to improve my life and better provide for my family, but I gained so much more. The Christian atmosphere on this campus is wonderful, I've gained lifelong friendships, and I'm well prepared to continue my career."

Before Barbara came to Harding, she believed as many do — that she was too old to go to college. Although she always had the aspiration to do it, she did not have confidence in her abilities. Married with two children, time also was a concern for her. The loss of her job pushed her into

making the decision to enroll.

She admits that she struggled at first, but the fact that Barbara had no previous college experience did not stop her. She finished her first semester with a perfect 4.0 grade point average — an average she has very nearly maintained after four years as a full-time student. How has she kept going?

"I set goals, and I stay focused on them," Barbara said. "But I owe a tremendous amount of gratitude to my instructors, who are always encouraging and motivating. They have done all they could to help me achieve my goals, and it's been exciting absorbing knowledge from them. I remember my first Bible class with Ross Cochran. He lifted my spirits every day, and I was encouraged to go on, telling myself, 'You can do it!' If I had to do it all again, I'd definitely come back to Harding."

Juggling classes and family responsibilities is never easy, but Barbara did find ways to make her schedule a little less hectic. By taking advantage of Harding's convenient summer sessions, she was able to complete seven or eight hours of study each summer for three years, thereby allowing her to cut down her rigorous fall and spring schedules.

"The summer courses helped me considerably," she said. "More students should consider the advantages of summer study. With my family, studies and other responsibilities, it made my life less strenuous — rather than feeling that I was in over my head with 18 hours in one semester."



Barbara Turner sets goals and meets them.

Part of Barbara's education that she believes has helped her considerably is Harding's clinical program, in which students usually spend four entire semesters

getting actual hands-on experience at local hospitals, including many large ones in Little Rock. Through this program, the students explore their nursing career options and decide for which area of nursing they are suited. Barbara has decided that she enjoys emergency-room and intensive care work.

"The vast scope of nursing work is experienced at Harding, especially in the clinicals," Barbara said. "It's a very sound program; through it my skills have been greatly increased."

Barbara has excelled academically in Harding's nursing program, but she believes her biggest accomplishment is the fact that she has done something she never thought possible — go to college.

"I'm proud of the fact that I've been able to do this. I used to think that you had to be a genius to go to college, but now I know that if you just keep focused, anyone can do it. I just didn't know I had it in me!" III

(Fact sources: *Newsweek*, Nov. 11, 1991; *USA Today* magazine, May 1991; *Modern Maturity*, August-September 1991.)



'42 **Ken Davis Jr.** and wife, **Betty McDaniel** ('59) **Davis**, have been missionaries in Romania since April 27, 1992. Dr. Davis states, "We can use all the help we can have in this work. If you know of anyone who has any time they can contribute to this work, please let us know or get them in touch with us. We have had 26 baptisms." (CP 40 Oficial PTTR No.1, 2200 Brasov, Romania)

'47 **Barbara Brown Lewis** and husband, **Ray**, have moved from Calgary, Alberta, Canada, to Tyler, Texas, to care for their daughter, **Leslie**, who is ill with cancer. Ray is resident engineer with United Oil Products. (836 Newport Road, Ft. Worth, TX 76120)

'50 **Clarence L. Richmond** (BS) recently retired from Bendix/Kding Air Transport Avionics Division of Allied Signal Aerospace Corp. He has been working the past three years in installation and certification of collision avoidance equipment that is required for all airline aircraft flying into U.S. air space. Before that he had been with American Airlines for 32 years. He is married to the former **Valle Horton** ('52). (7520 S.W. 14th St., Plantation, FL 33317)

'52 **Jack Hazelbaker** (BA) is minister of the Hendrix Chapel Church of Christ in Florence, Ala. He retired in June 1990 after 34 years in education as a guidance counselor. He and his wife, **Norma**, live in Florence. (Route 5, Box 98, Florence, AL 35630)

Mattie Lou Geer Robinson (BA) retired June 5, 1992, from teaching the third grade at Knoxville Christian School, Knoxville, Tenn., after 14 years. She helped open and establish the school, having served as acting principal and third-grade teacher for the first three years and then as third-grade teacher for the past 11 years. Her husband, **G.C.**, retired June 30, 1992. (11021 Thornton Drive, Knoxville, TN 37922)

'53 **Thomas B. Baird** (BA) was honored Oct. 10, 1992, with an Alumni Merit Award during the University of Missouri-Rolla Alumni Association's Award Banquet. Baird received the master of science degree from U.M.R. in 1963, the same year he joined the faculty. He is now an associate professor in computer science. He has served as chairman of the Citizens Advisory Commission on Long Range Planning for the Rolla Public Schools. He is married to the former **Lovera Jackson** ('54). (HCR 35, Box 349, Rolla, MO 65401)

Kay Moser (BA), who is minister for the Church of Christ in Ottumwa, Iowa, has published a new book, *Postscript To 'Be A Man, Son.'* He is married to the former **Annabelle Johnston**, who was Volunteer of the Year in area states for her work with Good Samaritan Nursing Home. (1903 Asbury Ave., Ottumwa, IA 52501)

'57 **Ann Etta Cooper Moore** is a realtor with Crye-Leike Realtors, Memphis, Tenn. She is #17 in a real estate agency of 650-plus agents and a million-dollar seller beginning with her first full year, 1988. Her husband, **Billy**, is employed with Witco Chemical. (1098 Fair Meadow, Memphis, TN 38117)

'59 **August J. Garver** (BA) is professor of mathematics and statistics at the University of Missouri-Rolla. The Missouri Section of the Mathematical Association of America conferred upon him its Award for Distinguished College or University Teaching of Mathematics in recognition of extraordinarily successful teaching in 1992. He and his wife, **Norma**, have two children, **David** and **Ruth**. (Route 3, Box 26, Rolla, MO 65401)

'62 **Janet Pace Cybulski** (BA) retired June 1992 after 30 years with the Flint, Mich., Board of Education. She served as vice president of the United



Teachers of Flint Negotiation Board and the Grievance Committee.

She is a member of the Delta Kappa Gamma — Mu Chapter of the Society of Women Educators. She is also a volunteer of the Food Bank and Hospice. Her husband, **Harry**, also retired in June. (939 Alvord St., Flint, MI 48507)

'63 **Ray D. Dearin** (BA) is professor of speech communication at Iowa State University. He was recently given a courtesy appointment as professor of political science there. He served as an alternate delegate from Iowa to the 1992 Republican National Convention in Houston. He is married to the former **Sharon Shipman** ('65), and they have two sons. (1000 Kennedy St., Ames, IA 50010)

'67 **Suzanne Learned Bennett** (BA) is assistant professor in the nursing division of Mississippi University for Women, Columbus. She holds a B.S. degree in nursing and an M.S. degree in family nursing. She and her husband, **Sherrill**, have been on medical mission trips to Guyana, Romania, Bulgaria and Albania. (4466 Ridge Road, Columbus, MS 39701)

'68 **James Dennis** (BA) is a social worker with St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tenn. His wife, the former **Judy Owens** (BA '67), LCSW, BCD, was re-elected to the board of directors for both Depression After Delivery-National and Postpartum Support, International. Mrs. Dennis is the founder and facilitator of the Memphis Depression After Delivery Support Group. She is a licensed clinical social worker in private practice. They have a son, **Jason Stuart**. (4552 Gailwood Ave., Memphis, TN 38122)

'70 **Richard G. Hilton** (BS) is employed with Oktibbeha

County Hospital as associate administrator/CFO. He advanced to "fellow" status July 26, 1992. His wife, **LaRue**, is coordinating the efforts of Family Life Missions, Inc., which provides primarily Honduran adoption assistance services. They have seven children: **Amber**, **Whitney**, **Heath**, **Noah**, **Eli**, **Hannah** and **Lucas**. (103 Apache Drive, Starkville, MS 39759)

Robert Wallace (BA) is director of the Division of Marine Biomedical Research of Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute, Fort Pierce, Fla. Formerly, he was professor of pharmacology at the University of Alabama at Birmingham Medical School. He was also research scientist for Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals and has written more than 100 scientific publications and abstracts. He and his wife, the former **Lana Mimms** (BA), have two sons, **Wade** and **Kreg**, who are both college students. (3100 N. Highway A1A, Unit 801, Ft. Pierce, FL 34949)

'72 **Ken Lair** (BS) is attending Colorado State University in Fort Collins, working toward the doctorate in plant science. He is employed with the government and is an area ranger conservationist for Eastern Colorado. He is married to the former **Martha Denewiler** (BA '74), who graduated in June 1992 with a degree in paralegal services. They have two children, **Michael**, 16, and **Christy**, 13, and live in Loveland, Colo.

'73 **Jhonnette Hammett Burke** is accounts receivable manager at Tulane University, New Orleans. Her husband, **John**, is an accountant. The couple has one son, **Matthew James**. (5227 Coliseum, New Orleans, LA 70115)

'75 **Emily Kathryn Morris McGinn** is a pre-school teacher at Discovery Depot Childcare Center. Her husband, **Mike**, is employed with Hughes Aircraft Co. They have

two children, Cody and Sarah. (4531 Loganlinda Drive, Yorba Linda, CA 92686)

Joel A. Byrd (BA), Navy chief petty officer, recently returned from a six-month deployment to Okinawa, Japan, and from participating in exercise Cobra Gold '92. He is married to the former **Charlene Jones** ('76).

'76 Harry Hutchison (BS) holds the master's degree in health care administration from Trinity University. He is employed with the Medical Center of South Arkansas as assistant administrator for finance, El Dorado. He is a C.P.A. and fellow in the Health Care Financial Management Association. He and his wife, Laurie, have three children: Daniel, Richard and Andrew. (120 Lindell, El Dorado, AR 71730)

Ronda Evans Johnson (BSW) is a teacher's assistant for the Harvey, Ill., public school system and serves as secretary of the Harvey Band Parent Assoc. Her husband, Fred, is general manager of Spark's Computerized Car Care. They have a daughter, Tessa Julianna. (15114 Halsted St., Harvey, IL 60426)

'77 Jim (BS) and **Susan Cannon** (BA) **Edmonds** left June 8, 1992, to begin a two-year mission stay in Bratislava, Czechoslovakia. Jim was assistant head of the Division of Business at Freed-Hardeman University, Henderson, Tenn. Susan was an admissions representative with the university. They are taking advantage of the Czechs' new-found religious freedom to further the message of Christ. (Dubova 4, 81104 Bratislava, Czechoslovakia)

'78 Marcine Lay Lanier (BS) works part time as human resource analyst with Louisiana School for the Deaf. Her husband, Jody, works for Georgia-Pacific. They have a daughter, Katelyn. (6625 Pride-Port Hudson Road, Slaughter, LA 70777)

J. Steven Barber (BBA) is chief financial officer with Dorminy Medical Center, Fitzgerald, Ga. He is married to the former **Sherri Ann Scott** (BA). (118 Quail Trail, Fitzgerald, GA 31750)

Linda Tipton Walker (BA) and her husband, Wimon, are missionaries in Africa. They have lived there since May 1985, working with a team. The group has planted six congregations. They have three children: Martin, Marcella and Marissa. (P.O. Box 69, Shakawe, Botswana, Africa)

Penny Anne Bates Hale works part time as a teller at Bank of America, Santee, Calif. Her husband, Steve, works as a lab analyst for San Diego Gas & Electric. They have two children, Alaina and Jordan. (10528 Santana St., Santee, CA 92071)

Michael E. Purdom (BS) is a C.P.A. and works for the state of Arkansas, Division of Legislative Audit, as field auditor. He is married to the former **Kathryn Dewberry** (BSMT), and they have five children: Wade, Emily, Lydia, Anna and Nathan. Kathryn homeschools the three older children. (Route 1, Box 181, Springdale, AR 72762)

'79 Clay Connell (BA) is assistant manager of Wal-Mart in Union City, Tenn. He has two daughters, Catie and Emily. (734 High St., Union City, TN 38261)

Aubrey L. Scott Jr. (BS) is a pediatrician. His wife, Elizabeth, is a physical therapist with Pro-Rehab. They have a son, Christopher Andrew. (4139 Fourth Ave., Meridian, MS 39305)

David Enlow (BA) is a science/math teacher and women's basketball coach at Greater Atlanta Christian Schools, Arlington campus. He and his wife, the former **Janice Milford** ('84), have two children, Corey, age 7, and Keith Laurence, born July 19, 1992. (115 Stonemount Court, Sharpsburg, GA 30277)

'80 Brad Watson (BA) has been named field marketing representative for TPI Restaurants, Inc., the nation's largest franchisee of Shoney's and Captain D's restaurants. He will be responsible for local marketing for 38 Shoney's restaurants throughout Memphis, West Tennessee and Arkansas. He is married to the former **Julie Graham** (BBA'84). (3780 Isherwood Cove, Memphis, TN 38125-2118)

Jerry Honea (BBA) has been appointed assistant manager of Dillard's at McCain Mall in North Little Rock, Ark. He is married to the former **Sonya Quandt** (BS'81). (1900 Martha Drive, Little Rock, AR 72212-3843)

Mat Waites (BS) is employed with REN Corp. as software project leader. He and his wife, the former **Danette Trammell** (BA), have two children, Wil and Elizabeth. (1700 Kenesaw Drive, Nashville, TN 37215)

Dr. Jeffrey K. Garner (BS) is the cosmetic dentistry consultant to *Pageantry* magazine. He is author of an article in each edition titled "That Winning Smile." "Entertainment Tonight" recently spotlighted him during an internationally syndicated feature about the beauty pageant industry. He lives in Little Rock, Ark., with his wife, Judy, and two daughters, Laura and Annalea. (13005 Crabapple Place, Little Rock, AR 72209)

Brenda Nash Owen (BS) is employed with Aladdin Industries, Inc., as payroll manager/compensation specialist. She serves as vice president of the Greater Nashville Chapter of the American Payroll Assoc. In July 1992 she received the Certified Payroll Professional designation. She is a member of the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans and the National American Payroll Assoc. Her husband, Alan, is administrative specialist with First American National Bank.

(5734 Stonebrook Drive, Brentwood, TN 37210)

'81 David T. Sayle (BSN) was activated during the Gulf War from the Air National Guard and remained on active duty until his current assignment. He is a pediatric nurse practitioner in the U.S. Air Force. He is married to the former **Melinda Skaggs** ('82), and they have three children: Tim, Mike and Rachel. (1230-B Redwing Drive, Albuquerque, NM 87118)

Julia Rose Phelps Edwards (BA) is now a homemaker after being an elementary teacher. Her husband, Robert, is an environmental engineer with the U.S. Department of Energy. They have three children: Amanda Ann, 5; Kristi Lynn, 3; and Erica Leigh, who was born June 26, 1992. (516 Oakcrest Drive, Paducah, KY 42001)

Bryan Reeves (BA) is a postal supervisor with the U.S. Post Office. His wife, the former **Ann Haas** (BA), also works for the Postal Service. They have two sons, Bryan Christopher, 3, and Kyle Robert, 1. (518 N. Main, Eureka, IL 61530)

Norma Goodin Greer (BBA) is employed with Northern Telecom/Bell Northern Research as senior financial analyst. She and her husband, Craig, have a son, Joshua Scott, born April 17, 1991. They worship with the Buckingham Road Church in Garland, Texas. (3201 Toler Road, Rowlett, TX 75088)

'82 Nancy Henley (BBA) is working toward the master's degree in education administration at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. She completed course work for a teaching certification in business education. After eight years as special projects manager for North American Van Lines, she began work with Pattonville School District as financial assistant in August 1992. (3761 Three Oaks Drive, Bridgeton, MO 63044)

'83 **Randy H. McKnight** (BS) was recently promoted to investment administration manager with Travelers Realty Investment Co. He holds the master's degree in insurance from the University of Hartford. He is married to the former **Lisa Negas** (BA'85), who teaches physical education in the city schools. (61 Deer Run Trail, Manchester, CT 06040)

'84 **Nancy Hughes Caldwell** is a legal secretary for her husband, Daniel, who is an attorney. They have a son, Brandon Paul. (604 Warren, Thermopolis, WY 82443)

Lori Henley Kruse (BA) does private tutoring. Her husband, Dr. Rod Kruse, is a chiropractor. They have one son, Jacob Paul. (410 Kratz Road, Monticello, IL 61856)

Judy Mount Yates (BA) is an elementary teacher at Central Arkansas Christian Schools, North Little Rock, Ark. Her husband, Douglas, serves as youth minister for the Northside Church of Christ in Benton, Ark. Their two children are Kristen and Daniel. (2111 Northshore Drive, Benton, AR 72015)

Lynn Alley Fox (BA) is employed by Memorial Medical Group, Long Beach, Calif. Her husband, William, serves with the Long Beach Church of Christ as worship/assimilation minister. (509 E. 37th, Long Beach, CA 90807)

Ellen Pilkenton Costello is a homemaker. Her husband, Peter, is a pilot in the U.S. Air Force. They have a son, Peter IV. (2802 Willow Wood Circle, Valdosta, GA 31602)

Mike Vaughn (BBA) is an accountant with AT&T. He received his C.P.A. licensure in 1992. His wife, the former **Amy Jordan** (BA'89), received an associate's degree in nursing in 1992 from Guilford Technical Community College. She is a nurse at Alamance Health Services, Burlington, N.C., and received the R.N. licensure in 1992. (2024 Fox Run Road, Burlington, NC 27215)

Brian Casey (BA) is loan

adjustor with Delaware Trust Co. He is a member of the Newark Symphony and assistant conductor of the First State Symphonic Band, and he coordinates and leads activities of the worship team of the Cedars Church. His wife, the former **Mariann Cox** (BA), has been promoted to senior legal assistant of a British-owned chemical company, ICI Americas, Inc. She was elected to the board of directors of Delaware Paralegal Assoc., and serves as newsletter editor. (170 Diminish Drive, Newark, DE 19713)

'85 **Tamara Cline Richards** (BA) is payroll supervisor for the City of Dallas. She and her husband, Robin, have a daughter, Holly Nicole, born May 8, 1992. (1309 Lanemar Drive, Mesquite, TX 75149)

'86 **Gary R. Cupp** (BBA) is a farmer and houseparent with his wife, the former **Christy Gallahar** ('89), at Children's Home, Inc., Paragould, Ark. They have a son, Aubrey, and six foster children. (450 Apple, Paragould, AR 72450)

Dana Sullivan Smith (BS) just completed the Ph.D. program in nutrition from Texas A&M University. Her husband, Stephen, is a professor there. The couple has a daughter, Ellen Christine. (2914 Colton Place, College Station, TX 77845)

Lance Holsonbake is employed with California Children's Services as case manager. His wife, the former **Cheryl Eslick** ('84), works for Dallis Higdon & Associates as appraisal assistant. They have two children, Micah Blaine and Luke Stephen. (2813 Baylor St., Bakersfield, CA 93305)

Mike Saegert (BBA) is vice president of G&S Shoes. He was recently appointed a deacon for the Eastgate Church of Christ. His wife is the former **Gayla Hughes** (BA), and they have three children: Ashley, Karye and Anthony. (223 Rodric Drive, Siloam Springs, AR 72761)

Ben Shields (BS) is quality manager at Miller Transporters in Jackson, Miss. His wife, the

former **Sheila Wood** (BA'89), is a pre-kindergarten teacher in the public school system. (4612 Meadow Ridge, Jackson, MS 39206)

David Stills (BA) is a physician in family practice at the University of Arkansas Medical Center. His wife, the former **Kelley DuVall** (BA'89), is a homemaker. They have a son, Jordan. (2116 Hickory Nut Court, Little Rock, AR 72211)

Patrick Peck (CCP) is an evangelist in Wellington, Kan. His wife, the former **Melissa Young** ('89), is an Avon sales person and co-director of Birthright, a crisis pregnancy counseling center. They have three children: Amy Nicole, Jeremy Patrick and Matthew Henry. (1414 N. Olive, Wellington, KS 67152)

John Goodspeed (BBA) is an accountant with Pennzoil in Houston. His wife, the former **Shannon Tungate** (BA'89), teaches fourth grade at Westbury Christian School. (1103 Dulles Ave., #102, Stafford, TX 77477)

Gerald Hinson (BBA) is a systems analyst with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in St. Louis. His wife, the former **Jina Kell** ('89), holds the B.M.E. degree in vocal music from Webster University. She is a homemaker and sings with the St. Louis Chamber Chorus, a 40-member a cappella chorus. The couple has a son, Levi Thomas. (2926 Wingate Court, Rock Hill, MO 63119)

'87 **Jim Porter** (BA) is on the biology faculty at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. His wife, the former **Melita Diles** ('89), is a homemaker. They have a son, Logan James. (2211 Amber Cove, Bryant, AR 72022)

Ralph W. Williams (BA) is managing partner and art director for Forum Associates advertising firm, Memphis, Tenn. He is married to the former **Twyla Lock** ('91), and they have two children, Serena Sue and James Elwyn. (729 N. Willett, Memphis, TN 38107)

John Gilreath (BS) is a

computer programmer with Autozone in Memphis, Tenn. His wife, the former **Dawn Helm** (BA'89), is an elementary teacher in the Millington public school system. (5888 Third Cove, #7, Memphis, TN 38134)

Bonnie Richards Jacoby (BBA) has recently been promoted to senior account executive with Arkansas Business. She and her husband, Casey, have a son, C.J., born Jan. 19, 1992. (10616 Stoneridge Court, Sherwood, AR 72120)

'88 **Brent L. Abney** (BBA) serves as youth minister for the McGregor Church of Christ, Fort Myers, Fla. His wife, the former **Heather Armstrong** (BA'89), teaches second grade in the public school system. They are preparing to be missionaries to Uganda in 1994. (1629-24 Red Cedar Drive, Fort Myers, FL 33907)

Kirk Johnson is service advisor for Monroe Auto World. His wife, the former **Tracie Wiles**, attends Northeast Louisiana University and works as an accounting clerk with Poly Processing Co., Monroe, La. (439 Birchwood Drive, Monroe, LA 71269)



J. David Dearin (BA) teaches French at Mars Hill Bible School, Florence, Ala. He was named

in 1992 to "Who's Who Among American Teachers" for the second consecutive year. His



wife, the former **Christy Cox** (AA'89), works for Tennessee River, Inc., and received

"Employee of the Month" honors in August 1992. (2401 Dubin, Florence, AL 35630)

Timothy Brister (BA) is a student at the University of Central Arkansas. His wife, the former **Amelia Kaye Baker** (BA'89), teaches French and English at Bradford High School, Bradford, Ark. (802 N.

Sowell, Searcy, AR 72143)

Charles "Rusty" Windle (BBA) is a C.P.A. with Vantine & Nystrom, Eureka Springs, Ark. His wife, the former **Tiffany Kramoski** (BBA'89), works for the Bank of Eureka Springs in customer service. (16 Chickasaw, Eureka Springs, AR 72632)

Bryan R. Truex (BBA) is a senior consultant with Price Waterhouse-Office of Government Services. In 1991 he received the status of Certified Information Systems Auditor. He serves as treasurer for the Arlington Church of Christ. (1801 N. Danville St., Arlington, VA 22201)

James Mayes (BA) is enrolled in the physical therapy program at the University of Central Arkansas. His wife, the former **Joanna Harrelson** (BA'89), works in the business office of Central Arkansas Hospital, Searcy. They have a son, Garrett James. (32 Stoneybrook Lane, #1, Searcy, AR 72143)

Keith Miller (BBA) is in the U.S. Air Force. He serves as air weapons controller/systems training officer. He is married to the former **Rena Danielson** ('90). (3070A Concord St., Hill AFB, UT 84056)

Todd Jones (BBA) is a sales representative for Traber Brothers, Inc. His wife, the former **Laura Leah Carter** (AA'89), works as a clerk in the post office in Searcy, Ark. They have a daughter, Savannah Cheyenne. (224 Ernie Wood Road, Rosebud, AR 72137)

Susan Hainzinger Morgan (BA) was promoted to coordinator of information technology education in the Education Center of Reda in September 1992. In this new capacity, she will be responsible for the coordination, development and presentation of information technology courses. Her husband, Pat, works for Metal Goods Mfg. (Route 1, Box 95, Havana, KS 67347)

Joel Reed (BBA) is an attorney with Haynes & Boone in Dallas. His wife, the former **Lori Adams** ('89), is junior

high history teacher at Dallas Christian School, Mesquite, Texas. (9959 Adleta Blvd., #1703, Dallas, TX 75243)

Lyle Hayes (BBA) is an assistant manager for Wal-Mart Stores. His wife, the former **Jana Payne** (BA'89), works for Ross & Yerger Insurance as financial institutions assistant, Jackson, Miss. (203 W. Lawson, Clinton, MS 39056)

Greg Tolleson (BA) is associate statistician with Midwest Research Institute in Kansas City, Mo. His wife, the former **Susan Arnette** (BA'89), works as associate editor with Burns & McDonnell Engineers-Architects-Consultants. (7701 Walnut, Kansas City, MO 64114)

Ken Porter works at Wal-Mart Distribution Center in Searcy, Ark. His wife, the former **Tammy Miller** ('89), is employed with First Security Bank. They have a daughter, Elizabeth Rowena. (215 Oak Forrest Loop, Searcy, AR 72143)

'89 Timothy Creel (BBA) is a staff accountant with First Federal of Osceola, St. Cloud, Fla. He is married to the former **Kelly Young** (BA'90), who teaches kindergarten in the public schools. (4718 Kilt Court, St. Cloud, FL 34769)

Susan Traugher Whitehurst (BS) is an art teacher at Walton Ferry Elementary School, Hendersonville, Tenn. Her husband, Mickey, is an assistant manager for Sherwin Williams. (1413 Apache Lane, Madison, TN 37115)

Marvin L. Tapp Jr. (BBA) is senior auditor with Ernst & Young, Ft. Wayne, Ind. He is married to the former **Tamara Carter** ('85), and they have two children, Meghan and Jonathan. (7001 Salge Court, Ft. Wayne, IN 46835)

Traci Kennedy (BA) is a freelance artist and designer. (1915 Richmond, #131, Texarkana, TX 75503)

Carl A. Collins (BBA) is a claims representative with Allstate Insurance Co., Tulsa, Okla. His wife, the former **Melinda Bray** (BBA), is an

office manager with State Farm Insurance Co. (2601 W. Montgomery, Broken Arrow, OK 74012)

Laurie Hodges is employed with Trinity Management Corp. as administrator of physician services, Ft. Worth, Texas. (7724 Sable Lane, North Richland Hills, TX 76180)

Lance Bailey (BA) is serving in the U.S. Navy as a naval aviator in Milton, Fla. (1250 Berryhill Road, #6-G, Milton, FL 32570)

David A. Melson (BSN) is an operating-room nurse at Emory University Hospital. He and his wife, Brenda, live in Lawrenceville, Ga. (960 Avalon Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30244)

Lisa Thompson Oakes is an independent beauty consultant with Mary Kay Cosmetics. Her husband, Bret, works for Woolpert Engineering in business development. They have two children, Kristan and Alexander. (3004 Moore St., Ashland, KY 41101)

Kristen Swenson (BA) holds the master's degree in social work from the University of Pennsylvania. She is a medical social worker at Chestnut Hill Hospital, Philadelphia. (514 W. Main St., #3, Norristown, PA 19401)

Bryan D. Burks (BBA) is senior accountant with R & R Uniform, Nashville, Tenn. He is also working toward the master's of business administration degree at Middle Tennessee State University. He is married to the former **Laura Ann Hendon** (BA), and they reside with their daughter, Emily Ann. (6072 Bradford Hills Drive, Nashville, TN 37211)

Dennis S. Rice is employed with Coventry Corporation Information Systems as systems and data integration analyst, Fort Worth, Texas. His wife, Mae Beth, works for Millers Group Insurance. They have two children, Jami and Joseph. (4720 Waterway Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76137)

Bonita Hood Laughard (BBA) is an accountant with Shields Co., Inc., Hope, Ark. Her

husband, Robert, works for the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (Route 1, Box 438, Fulton, AR 71838)

Pamela Winstead Smith (BSN) is patient care coordinator with Americare Home Health, Savannah, Ga. Her husband, Joey, is owner of Crossroads Pawn & Sales. (104 Blockade Lane, Savannah, GA 31410)

Sandra Kelsey Bryant (BA) is an elementary teacher in the Louisville, Ky., public school system. Her husband, Mark, works with handicapped people at Seven Counties Services, Inc. They have a son, Hunter. (6600 Outer Loop, #82, Louisville, KY 40228)

Rachel Ann Williams is a high school science teacher at Oak Ridge Central Schools, Ravenden Springs, Ark. She holds B.S. and B.A. degrees from Arkansas College and the M.S.E. degree from Arkansas State University. She was voted "Favorite Teacher" for '91-'92 by the students at Oak Ridge Central High School. (P.O. Box 65, Cherokee Village, AR 72525)

Donna B. Thomas (BA) is employed with Baptist Medical System as financial assistant, Little Rock, Ark. (701 Green Mountain Drive, #1205, Little Rock, AR 72211)

David C. Preston (BA) is a stockbroker with Chelsea Street Securities, Irving, Texas. His wife, the former **Gina Verkler** (BA'90), is a therapist with Dallas County Mental Health/Mental Retardation. (4439 Westway Ave., Dallas, TX 75200)

Kate Chastain Clifton (BA) teaches fifth grade at Christian Home and Bible School, Mt. Dora, Fla. Her husband, Drew, is a sales representative with Specialty Foods Co. (715 Hemlock Drive, Apopka, FL 32703)

Mittie Parks Greening (BA) is a speech pathologist with West Fork Public School, West Fork, Ark. Her husband, Bruce, is an engineering major at the University of Arkansas. (502 E. Franklin, Siloam Springs, AR 72761)

Kathy Petrich is a middle and high school music teacher at

River Rouge Public School, River Rouge, Mich. She is also a private voice teacher. (32600 Concord Drive, #615, Madison Heights, MI 48071)

David G. Buskirk (BA) is a professor of Bible at Sekolah Alkitab Sidang Jemaat Kristus, a Bible school operated by the Church of Christ in Indonesia. (Kotak Pos 112, Serui, Irian Jaya, Indonesia)

LaDonna Howell Rogers teaches fifth grade at Thayer Elementary School, Thayer, Mo. Her husband, Earl, is self-employed with his father at Rogers Conoco. (401 Beatrice St., Thayer, MO 65791)

Christy Lynn Castner (BSW) is a family therapist at Edgewood Children's Center, Webster Groves, Mo. (8735-B Rankin, St. Louis, MO 63144)

Paulette Dickerson Cathwey (BBA) works in the informational and referral department of Senior Citizen Services, Memphis, Tenn. Her husband, Damon, is a student at Memphis State University in the master's program. (2792 Madison Ave., #4, Memphis, TN 38111)

Brooks Davis (BBA) is employed with First National Bank of Rogers, Ark., as a commercial loan officer. He is a member of the Adult Development Center board of directors. He is married to the former **Jill Smith** (BA'90), who teaches math at Elmwood Junior High School. (1924 S. 18th, Rogers, AR 72756)

Merritt Mahoney Rowe (BA) is a legal assistant at Pepperdine University. Her husband, George, is a law student there. (11850 Coral Reef Lane, Malibu, CA 90265)

Kevin L. Hardcastle is a self-employed pilot. (2102 Barnhill Road, Paragould, AR 72450)

Julie Bashaw Henry (BA) is a first-grade teacher in the public schools in Beebe, Ark. Her husband, Russ, is manager of Don's Auto Parts. (209 N. Main, Beebe, AR 72012)

Sande Brents (BA) holds the bachelor's degree in physical therapy from the University of

Texas-Southwestern Medical School at Dallas. He is employed as a physical therapist at Baptist Medical Center, Little Rock, Ark. (701 Green Mountain Drive, #1205, Little Rock, AR 72211)

Cynthia Nutgrass Lauen (BBA) is a claims examiner with Arkansas Blue Cross Blue Shield, Little Rock, Ark. Her husband, Ryland, is a fireman with the Searcy Fire Department. They have a daughter, Melissa Lynn. (908 W. McRae Ave., Searcy, AR 72143)

Mark L. Sartin (BBA) is an intelligence analyst in the U.S. Army. He is in a year-long Vietnamese language course. He is married to the former **Penny Treat** (BBA), and they have two children, Nicholas and Ky Braeden. (2-E Woodruff St., Ft. Bragg, NC 28307-1912)

Caroline Gist Milner (BS) is secretary for Alabama Power Co., Birmingham, Ala. Her husband, Mark, is a marketing analyst with Allied Lime Co. (2002 Summerchase Drive, Birmingham, AL 35244)

Brandon W. Morgan (BBA) is general manager of Morgan, Trevathan & Gunn, Inc. (1118 Jefferson St., Paducah, KY 42001)

Amy Griggs Cottrell is a registered nurse and is working toward her master's degree at Vanderbilt University. Her husband, Joe, is owner of Furniture World. The couple has a son, Joe Marshall III. (244 Boxmere Place, Nashville, TN 37215)

Andy Seay (BS) is a helicopter pilot in the U.S. Marine Corps. He received the naval aviator "Wings of Gold" July 24, 1992, in Milton, Fla. He is married to the former **Rae Anne Carr** (BSW), and they have two children, Sarah Joanne and Michael Andrew. (13208 Myford Road, #337, Tustin, CA 92680)

Michelle May Creamer (BBA) is employed with Memphis Light, Gas and Water. Her husband, Chuck, is a military specialist with Nike. They have a daughter, Jordan Leigh. (5932 Rensselaer, Memphis, TN 38135)

Brent R. Paulger is a senior

medical student at Texas Tech. He serves as vice president of his medical class and is a member of Alpha Omega Alpha medical honor society. His wife, Sherissa, works at an antique and gift shop. (5326 20th, Lubbock, TX 79407)

Brad E. Noffske (BBA) is employed with Searcy Industrial Laundry. He and his wife, the former **Janda Harlow** (BBA), have a son, Ivan Perry. (700 N. Pierce, Little Rock, AR 72205)

Laura Ruggles (BA) works for Robertson Enterprises, an advertising and events promotion agency in Little Rock, Ark. She serves as events coordinator and national sales manager. (3518 Loch Lane, North Little Rock, AR 72116)

Michael W. Lum (MAR) serves as associate minister for the Alameda Church of Christ, Norman, Okla. He and his wife, Lori, have twin boys, Jonathan Marcus and Kyler Lucas. (2608 Dalewood Place, Norman, OK 73071)

Marilyn Stevens Brewer (MED) is an elementary teacher in the public schools. She was included in the 1992 edition of "Who's Who Among American Teachers." She and her husband, Ben, have two children, Estellia and Cameisha. (P.O. Box 93, Kensett, AR 72082)

Thomas "Te" Howard III (BA) is sports coordinator for Redlands College in Australia. He is married to the former **Chris Miller**, who is a probation officer for Queensland Corrective Service Commission. (8 Sandringham St., Alexandra Hills, QLD 4161, Australia)

Thomas Allen Land (BS) is senior programmer/analyst with Deltek Systems, McLean, Va. (2276 Pimmit Run Lane, #1, Falls Church, VA 22043)

Roger K. Imoto (BA) is employed as a marketing associate with Northwest Airlines, Inc., St. Paul, Minn. He is married to the former **Julie Gallagher** (BA), and they have a son, Rollie Tobias. (1108 158th St. W., Burnsville, MN 55337)

Richard K. Niland (BA) received the M.S.E. in 1990 in computer science and the B.B.A. in 1991 in computer information systems from Harding. He is manager of Advanced Computer Support in Australia and does vocational mission work with the Ballina Church of Christ. He is married to the former **Ruth Cumming** ('83), and they have three children: Jennifer, Heather and Bonnie. (Riverbank Road, Pimlico via Ballina, N.S.W. 2478 Australia)

Richard W. Lockhart (BS) is an officer with the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department. He is married to the former **Shirley Pollard** (BA'90), who is a kindergarten teacher at Shawnee Mission Medical Center. (3719 N.E. 48th, Kansas City, MO 64119)

David L. Jenkins (BA) serves as associate minister for the Church of Christ in Brooklyn Center, Minn. He and his wife, Jana, have a daughter, Sophia Marie, born July 1, 1992. (6219 N. Dupont Ave., Brooklyn Center, MN 55430)

Doug Pace (BA) works for Cook-Fort Worth Children's Hospital as patient advocate (emergency room), Fort Worth, Texas. (7005 Silber Road, #1309, Arlington, TX 76017)

Michael Dana Anderson (BA) is youth minister for the Southside Church of Christ in Tacoma, Wash. He married



Amy Jo Swangel (BA'91) Aug. 15, 1992, in Marshalltown, Iowa. Amy is finishing her

certification to teach in the elementary schools in Washington. (5544-B Cheyenne Loop Road S., Tacoma, WA 98409)

Michael S. Allen (BA) is an executive officer with the U.S. Air Force. He is married to the former **Cheryl Waite** (BA'88), and they have a daughter, Marilyn Kate, born Aug. 12, 1992. (117-3 Chevy Chase, Minot AFB, ND 58704-1208)

Paul M. Shields (BFA) teaches

art at York College, York, Neb. He and **Shalee O'Rourke** ('94) were married July 24, 1992, in Memphis, Tenn. (802 Burlington, York, NE 68467)

David L. Stevens (BA) is an assistant squad leader/electronic warfare signal intelligence analyst in the U.S. Army. He has received the Army Achievement Medal, Good Conduct Medal and non-commissioned officer professional development ribbon. He and his wife, the former **Bonnie Holdren** (BA'88), have two children, Jonathan and Samuel. Bonnie teaches in the public schools. (107 Booker St., Fort Ord, CA 93941)

John Barton (BA) is a student at Harding University Graduate School of Religion, Memphis, Tenn. His wife, the former **Sara Gaston**, (BA'91), is a high school teacher in the Memphis public school system. (1587 Cherry Road, #2, Memphis, TN 38117)

Wade Poe (BA) serves as youth minister for the Barrow

Road Church of Christ, Little Rock, Ark. His wife, the former **Ranell Hunt** (BA'91), is a special education teacher in the public school system. (27 Park Haven, Little Rock, AR 72205)

Janet L. Brown (BBA) is a C.P.A. and senior auditor at Arthur Andersen and Co., Houston. (6012 Winsome Lane, #49B, Houston, TX 77057)

'90 **Samantha Farrar** (BA) is secretary for Collegium Internationale Neuro-Psychopharmacologicum at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn. (1208-B Grandview Drive, Nashville, TN 37215)

Mark Brackett (BBA) is managing partner of Helgevold, Brackett, Demers Investment Properties, Inc., in Vero Beach, Fla. His wife, the former **Kelly Holaday** (BS'89), is a physician's lab technician. (P.O. Box 5142, Vero Beach, FL 32961)

'91 **Jennifer L. Visser** (BSN) is a nurse in the cardiovascular intensive care unit of St.

Vincent Infirmary Medical Center, Little Rock, Ark. (1502 Green Mountain Drive, #256L, Little Rock, AR 72211)

Gray Dillard (BBA) is a staff accountant with Baird, Kurtz and Dobson, Little Rock, Ark. His wife, the former **Elizabeth Doyle** (BA'91), is employed at Arkansas Children's Hospital as a child life outreach specialist. (2002 Cedarwood Cove, Bryant, AR 72022)

Kim Hickerson (BSW) is a caseworker at Children's Homes, Inc., Paragould, Ark. (5515 Old Walcott Road, Paragould, AR 72450)

Robert Friberg (BS) is a doctoral student at Baylor College of Medicine, Houston. His wife, the former **Becky Maynard** (BS'92), is a home-maker. (6220 Alder, #4013, Houston, TX 77081)

'92 **Patricia Hutchinson DeYoung** (BA) is studying for her master's degree in reading at Harding with an emphasis in administration. (Box 592, 900

E. Center, Searcy, AR 72149-0001)

Tom Watson (BBA) is a staff accountant with Baird, Kurtz & Dobson, Little Rock, Ark. He passed the C.P.A. exam in May 1992. He is married to the former **Leigh Anne Lutrell** (BBA). (11800 Pleasant Ridge Road, #269, Little Rock, AR 72212)

David Wooddell is senior cost accountant with Smith Industries, Inc., in Houston. His wife, the former **Pamela Fore** (BA'89), teaches third grade in the Houston public school system. (14545 Bammel N. Houston, #1008, Houston, TX 77014)

Marriages

Randy Kiihnl (BA'81) to **Amanda McDonald** ('90), June 20, 1992. (119 Covington, Searcy, AR 72143)

Rosten F. Head (BA'66) to **Ruth Landry Ware**, Feb. 27, 1992. (6610 Terrell, Groves, TX 77619)

Nena Rose Hays (BA'68) to **Bill Valentine**, Oct. 7, 1991. Bill is the general manager for the

FOCUS ON THE FUTURE

The language of wills

BY DONALD KEE

Why "Focus On The Future"?

In this inaugural issue, I would like to explain the title of this series of articles on financial and estate planning. This column is designed to provide accurate and authoritative information regarding financial and estate planning from the reader's perspective. The reader will be the primary beneficiary in ensuring that their estate plan accurately reflects his or her desires. Harding will also benefit should friends and alumni include the University in their estate plan because of their desire to secure the future of Harding and its mission. One way friends and alumni of Harding may

secure the future of the University into the 21st century is by providing gifts through bequests by wills.

Sample Language in Wills

Harding University gratefully accepts gifts for the future of the University by bequest by wills. You may wish to use the sample language provided below when you create a bequest for Harding in your will. Although it is not required, we ask that you send us a copy of that portion of your will making Harding a beneficiary. This serves two purposes: first, to ensure that Harding will be able to use your bequest as you intend and, second, to allow Harding to plan its future with greater confidence. Even if you do not

presently intend to include Harding in your will, make a will as soon as possible for your family's sake. All correspondence is in strict confidence.

The following are suggested forms for bequests that may be used by testator or lawyer when writing a bequest to Harding University.

The Unrestricted Bequest

"I give, devise and bequeath to Harding University, Inc., an Arkansas non-profit educational corporation, located at Searcy, Arkansas, ___ percent (___%) of my estate as an unrestricted gift."

Bequest for General Endowment

"I give, devise and bequeath to Harding University, Inc., an Arkansas non-profit educational corporation, located at Searcy, Arkansas, the sum

of ___ dollars (\$___), which sum shall be added to the general, unrestricted permanent endowment funds of the University, so that the income derived therefrom may be used for general University purposes." **Bequest for a Specific Purpose**
"I give, devise and bequeath to Harding University, Inc., an Arkansas non-profit educational corporation, located at Searcy, Arkansas, ___ percent (___%) of my estate, to be used for the ___ Endowed Scholarship Fund."

This article is designed to provide accurate and authoritative information regarding the subject matters covered. Neither the authors, publisher, nor the institution is engaged in rendering legal or tax advisory services. For advice or assistance in specific cases, the services of an attorney or other professional advisor should be obtained. State law governs wills, trusts, powers of attorney, living wills, contracts and many other areas. Additional information about one of these or other matters is available through the Office of Financial and Estate Planning at (501) 279-4210 or 1-800-279-4213.

Arkansas Travelers baseball team. Nena does part-time computer work for the Travelers. (15 Blue Ridge Circle, Little Rock, AR 72207)

Paige Ellen Staggs (BA'86) to Jeffery Paul Brown, Sept. 5, 1992, in Dallas. (4909 Haverwood Lane, #2204, Dallas, TX 75287).

Susan Rebekah Fisher ('88) to Greg Anding, Aug. 22, 1992, in Monroe, La. Susan is a senior pharmacy student at Northeast Louisiana University School of Pharmacy. (204 Pope St., Monroe, LA 71201)

Catherine Hays ('89) to Perrin Rowsey, Sept. 26, 1992, in Sardis, Miss. Catherine is a pharmacist at Baptist Memorial Hospital East, and Perrin is a pharmacist at Baptist Memorial Hospital Medical Center, Memphis, Tenn. (6492 Falling Mist, Memphis, TN 38141)

David Preston (BA'89) to **Gina Verkler** (BA'90), Aug. 29, 1992, in Jonesboro, Ark. Dave is a stockbroker and received his master's in finance from Texas A&M University in August 1992. Gina is a social worker for Dallas County Mental Health. (4439 Westway Ave., Dallas, TX 75205)

Scott Robert White (BS'92) to **Jennifer Marlene Brandon** (BA'92), June 27, 1992, in Huntingdon, Tenn. Scott is a graduate instructor for the chemistry department at Purdue University. (9 S. Seventh St., #2, Lafayette, IN 47901)

Janis Elizabeth Glenn (BA'91) to Jerry Dwayne Gaines, Sept. 12, 1992, in Indianapolis. (2132 W. 76th St., Indianapolis, IN 46260)

Leslie Anne Thompson (BS'89) to Aubrey Walton Ziegler, Oct. 10, 1992, in Little Rock, Ark. Leslie is in medical school at the University of Arkansas.

Births

To **Jim** (BS'80) and **Ann Canaday** (BSN'80) **Clardy**, a daughter, Rachel Katherine, Aug. 10, 1992. She has a brother, Ben, and sister,

Hannah. (3603 Wyatt Lane, Texarkana, TX 75503)

To Joe and **Susan Garcia** ('81) **Minkiewicz**, a daughter, Rebekah Lynn, Feb. 24, 1992. She joins a sister, Veronica Elizabeth. Susan is a student at the University of Michigan working toward the master's in social work degree; Joe is employed with Kelly Services as manager of data communications. (11347 Lois Court, Warren, MI 48089-1034)

To **Phillip** (BA'79) and **Carole Lacefield**, a son, Micah Thomas, April 21, 1992. He joins Heather and Zachary. Phillip is an insurance agent and division manager. He is director of the junior and senior high education department for Sycamore View Church of Christ in Memphis, Tenn. (3342 Durford Wood Cove, Memphis, TN 38128).

To James and **Carolyn Rogers** (BA'79) **McAdams**, a son, Grant Matthew, May 25, 1992. (609-B Woodale Terrace, Greenwood, IN 46142-3951)

To **Marty** (BS'88) and **Glenda Greer** (BA'88) **Spears**, a son, Joshua Tyler, Sept. 3, 1992. Marty recently completed the doctoral degree in statistics at Rice University. He is assistant professor at the University of Houston, Clearlake. (12515 Versailles Drive, Houston, TX 77015)

To **Eddie** (BBA'79) and **Debbie Jewell** (AA'80) **Blackshear**, a daughter, Kelli Ann, March 26, 1992. They have two other children, Marci and Jami. Eddie is owner of an automotive parts and scrap-metal recycling business. (6162 Duclay Forest Drive S., Jacksonville, FL 32244)

To **Michael** (BA'80) and **Laura Payne** ('81) **Roden**, a son, Aaron Crawford Raymond, July 30, 1992. He joins a sister, Bethany. Michael is assistant U.S. attorney, and Laura is a dental hygiene instructor at Meharry Medical College. (904 Cadillac Ave., Nashville, TN 37204)

To **John** ('84) and **Leah McClain**, a son, Brandan John, Aug. 24, 1992. He joins Jordan

Wesley. John is president of Ultra Play Systems, Inc. (5178 Westwood Drive, Carmel, IN 46033)

To John and **Beth Wells** (BA'79) **Thompson**, a daughter, Elizabeth Mae, June 15, 1992. She joins a sister, Emily. John is a flight surgeon with the U.S. Army. (204 Autumn Trail, Anniston, AL 36206)

To Eric and **Murice Miller** (BA'86) **Shelton**, a son, Aaron, June 17, 1992. He joins a brother, Eric Matthew. Both Eric and Murice work for the State of California as employment program representatives. (5 Ruiz Court, Sacramento, CA 95823)

To **Mark** (BA'88) and **Mary Aebi** (BA'87) **Daughety**, a son, Brandon Mark, July 31, 1992. Mark and Mary both teach in the public school system. (Route 1, Box 251-A, Vincent, OH 45784)

To **Philip** (BS'83) and **Melanie Harris**, a daughter, Caroline Elizabeth, July 22, 1992. Philip is a chemist with Jowat Corp. Melanie is an audiologist with Forsyth Head & Neck Hearing Center. (2804 Big Oak Court, High Point, NC 27265)

To **Steve** (BA'82) and **Susan Aston** ('85) **Awtrey**, a daughter, Madeline Susan, Aug. 15, 1992. She joins Adam, 5, and Aaron, 2. Steve is pursuing a master's degree in counseling at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. He is youth/family minister for the Mid-County Church of Christ. (18 N. Iola, St. Louis, MO 63119)

To **Clark** (BS'86) and **Dawn Mason** (BA'87) **Sutherland**, a son, James Thomas, Dec. 20, 1991. He joins a brother, Benjamin. (509 N. Pomona Ave., Fullerton, CA 92632)

To Roland and **Rebecca Bryant** (BA'85) **Howard**, a son, Roland Benjamin, Aug. 5, 1992. He joins John and Sara. (507 Foxhill Road, Hampton, VA 23669)

To **Chris** ('90) and **Lynnita Walker**, a daughter, Jessica Laurie, Aug. 20, 1992. (705 N. Pine St., Searcy, AR 72143)

To **Tim** (BBA'84) and **Kay Goree** (BA'84) **Walker**, a son, William Richard, Oct. 18, 1992. (614 Maple Top Drive, Antioch, TN 37013-4016)

Deaths

Beverly Moody Culp (BA'68) died Sept. 1, 1992. She was the wife of **Bill Culp** (BA'67). (12433 Lynndale, Wichita, KS 67235)

June Wyatt (BA'64) died Sept. 26, 1992, in Houston. She is the sister of **Wayne Wyatt** (BS'69).

James Berry ('43) died Feb. 18, 1992.

Richard Walker (BS'50) died July 29, 1992, in West Plains, Mo. He was a professor in the communication department at Harding, where he had served since 1953. He received his master's and doctoral degrees from Louisiana State University.



Walker was a past president of the Arkansas Speech and Hearing Association, a former district governor of Civitan International, and a former member of the board of directors of the Arkansas Association for Retarded Children. He is survived by his wife, the former **Nancy VanWinkle** (BA'54), and three children: **Ellen Ruth** (BA'81) of Little Rock, Ark.; **Timothy** (BBA'84) of Nashville, Tenn.; and Joseph of Searcy.

Josephine Cleveland died Dec. 1, 1992, in West Palm Beach, Fla. A former Harding



professor of English from 1966-1983, she was a recipient of the Distinguished Teacher Award. Upon her retirement the English faculty named the annual student creative writing contest after her. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Looker; two daughters, Candy Waring of Jupiter, Fla., and Carole Cleveland-Miller of Ocean Ridge, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

EVENTS



JANUARY

- 22-23** • Harding University Graduate School of Religion extension courses offered in Atlanta; Chicago; Detroit; Houston; Beaumont, Texas; Durham, N.C.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Kosciusko, Miss.; Little Rock, Ark.; Parkersburg, W.Va.; and West Monroe, La.
- 25** • Final day to enroll for spring semester

FEBRUARY

- 2** • Sidney Moncrief, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, 7:30 p.m., Administration Auditorium
- 4** • Paul Craig Roberts, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, 7:30 p.m., American Heritage Auditorium.
- 25** • Gerald Ebker, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, 7:30 p.m., Administration Auditorium
- 26-27** • Religious Education Seminar, American Heritage Center

MARCH

- 5-6** • Harding University Graduate School of Religion extension courses offered in Atlanta; Chicago; Detroit; Houston; Beaumont, Texas; Durham, N.C.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Kosciusko, Miss.; Little Rock, Ark.; Parkersburg, W.Va.; and West Monroe, La.
- 8-9** • Preaching and Church Growth Seminar, Liberty Room, American Heritage Center
- 12-21** • Spring recess
- 25** • Cal Thomas, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, 7:30 p.m., Benson Auditorium

APRIL

- 2** • National Council of State Board of Nursing meeting
- 2-3** • Harding University Graduate School of Religion extension courses offered in Atlanta; Chicago; Detroit; Houston; Beaumont, Texas; Durham, N.C.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Kosciusko, Miss.; Little Rock, Ark.; Parkersburg, W.Va.; and West Monroe, La.
- 9-10** • Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend
- 14-16** • Harding Business Team competes in the International Collegiate Business Policy Competition, Las Vegas
- 29** • Jim Burnett, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, 7:30 p.m., Benson Auditorium

MAY

- 7-8** • Church Leadership Seminar, Bernard Peyton Auditorium, American Heritage Center
- 7-8** • Harding University Graduate School of Religion extension courses offered in Atlanta; Chicago; Detroit; Houston; Beaumont, Texas; Durham, N.C.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Kosciusko, Miss.; Little Rock, Ark.; Parkersburg, W.Va.; and West Monroe, La.
- 10-14** • Final examinations
- 15** • Graduation exercises, 10 a.m, Benson Auditorium

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