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# HARDING

WINTER 1994





David B. Burks,  
President

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

The fall 1993 semester was really an exciting time for Harding University. The Bible Lectureship was exceptional, and student morale is extremely high. Students have been involved in some significant service projects, and Homecoming drew the largest crowds in our history.

The regular Oct. 29 meeting of the board of trustees was significant, as goals for the new "Dream Continues" Campaign were adopted. The goal for the five-year campaign is \$52 million, compared to the \$42.6 million raised in current and deferred gifts during the "Beyond Excellence" Campaign just completed.

The new campaign includes four components: \$12.5 million for general fund gifts, \$12.5 million for building fund gifts, \$16 million for endowment and deferred gifts, and \$11 million for restricted gifts. To date, more than \$13.4 million in gifts and pledges has already been secured toward the \$52 million goal.

"The Dream Continues" Campaign represents a tremendous challenge for Harding, but it is one that I believe is attainable. The campaign is the result of intensive strategic planning that identified areas and programs for which Harding has the greatest potential for expanding its services for students. Campaign projects have been prioritized and will be implemented as the funds become available.

We will continue to emphasize annual fund gifts in this campaign. \$2.5 million per year, or \$12.5 million during the campaign, is needed for general fund gifts that will be used to balance

our operational budget. This budget provides scholarships for students, equipment for classrooms and salaries for faculty members.

The first major project of the building program in "The Dream Continues" Campaign is the construction of the Jim Bill McInteer Bible and World Missions Center. The building is well under way and is scheduled to be completed in August 1994; we plan to celebrate with a dedication of the building Oct. 29 during the week of Homecoming. The 71st annual Bible Lectureship will immediately precede Homecoming, as will a number of other activities.

The board of trustees also approved the converting of existing tennis courts into parking for the new Bible Center and Benson Auditorium. Twelve new tennis courts will be constructed this summer just east of the Jerry Moore Baseball Field. Also approved was an expansion of our preschool program and its move from the Olen Hendrix Building on campus to Harding Academy. In conjunction with the Bible Center project, the portion of Center Street between Benson Auditorium and the new McInteer Center will become a plaza with an amphitheater.

Thanks again for your complete support of our program at Harding, which makes our progress possible. I continue to see the lives of our students being changed as a result of their experiences at Harding University. IH

*David B. Burks*

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#### **On the Cover.**

A woodcut by senior graphic design major Allan White of Fort Collins, Colo., depicts the devastation caused by last summer's flooding in the Mid-West. More than 700 Harding students were instrumental in providing relief to many of the people affected by the flood waters. See story beginning on page 10.

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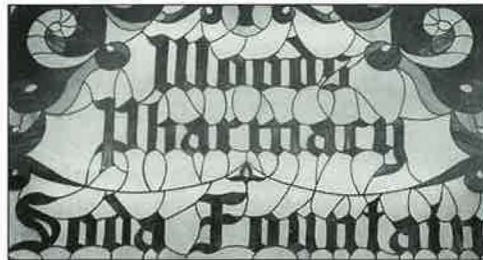
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## Myhan named coordinator of health missions

Jerry Myhan (nursing) has assumed additional duties as health care missions coordinator for the School of Nursing. He will arrange and implement the School's mission trips and recruit students interested in this area of service.



**Sadie, Sadie.** Fanny Brice (Jessica Pell) receives advice from Mrs. Strakosh (Rachel Brewer).

## Adams' painting proves popular

Daniel Adams (art) recently exhibited one of his paintings, "Rahab's House," at the Biblical Arts Center in Dallas during its "Women in the Bible" exhibit. The center's curator reported more than 7,500 attended the showing, at which Adams' entrant proved to be the most popular piece.

# Record number come "Back Home to Harding"

GUESTS TURNED OUT IN record numbers for October's Homecoming Weekend, "Back Home to Harding," hoping to see old friends and relive memories.

According to Doris Coward, assistant director of alumni relations, more than 1,200 people — the most ever — officially registered for the event, although she estimated that more than 1,400 actually were in attendance.

Attendance was high at featured Homecoming events as

well. More than 500 attended the annual Black and Gold Banquet, and nearly 150 attended the Golden Circle Dinner, which is given for alumni who graduated 50 or more years ago. "Funny Girl," 1993's Homecoming Musical, was seen by more than

4,500 guests in

its three performances. Junior music education major Jessica Pell and her Streisand-like Fanny Brice stole the show, along with a supporting cast of unforgettable student players. More than 100 students were involved in the project, which utilized the most extensive set design ever constructed for the Harding stage. Those attending Friday evening's performance were surprised as they exited the auditorium to see snow falling in October — a first in recorded Arkansas history.

Saturday's bitterly cold weather did not keep die-hard Bison fans from attending the afternoon football game with Arkansas Tech University at Alumni Field. Their enthusiasm

paid off, as the Wonder Boys were defeated 26-24 by the Bisons. Sophomore nursing major Camie Lewis from Shreveport, La., who was crowned Homecoming Queen in Friday chapel ceremonies, took her place of royalty on the sidelines. Her court included junior Kristi Hood of Canton, Texas, and senior Stephanie Smith of Cartersville, Ga.

Presentations of the annual Distinguished Alumnus and Outstanding Alumni Awards were made during Friday's Black and Gold Banquet.

The recipient of 1993's Distinguished Alumnus Award is a familiar face to more than three decades of Harding graduates. Dr. Kenneth Davis Jr. served on the Harding faculty and directed the A Cappella Chorus from 1953 until his retirement in 1988. As a tribute to his leadership, the name of the choral group was also retired by the University in 1988. Dr. Davis formed the Belles and Beaux performing group and traveled with the students through the Orient, Caribbean and Europe to present shows. He directed the A Cappella Chorus in programs in 49 states and many European countries.

Dr. Davis holds degrees from North Texas State University; Westminster Choir College, where he sang with the famed Westminster Choir; and the University of Indiana. Dr. Davis was unable to receive his award in person because he and his wife, Betty, were in Romania, where they are active in mission work.

The recipients of the six Outstanding Alumni Awards were David E. Smith, M.D., and Alvin and Georgia Hobby, representing the College of Arts and Sciences; Dr. Carl Brecheen, College of Bible and Religion; Gerald Casey, School

of Education; David W. House, School of Business; and Marcia Moore, School of Nursing.

After receiving his bachelor's degree in chemistry from Harding in 1967, David E. Smith went on to receive his M.D. degree at the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Medicine. A fellowship brought him in 1974 to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, where he now is on staff and is a clinical assistant professor. He also works on the active and consulting staffs at six other Little Rock hospitals.

Active as a deacon at Pleasant Valley Church of Christ, Smith serves on Harding's Development Council and is a past president of the Alumni Association. He also is a member of the Graduate School of Religion's Dean's Council. He is founder and president of both the Cardiac Diagnostic Clinic in Little Rock and Haiti Christian Development Project Inc.

Alvin Hobby, a 1937 alumnus, and Georgia, a 1938 alumna, left soon after graduating from Harding to help open a Christian elementary boarding school in Northern Rhodesia, Africa. Alvin served 20 years there as principal and was involved in considerable translating work, including an English-Tonga translation of the entire Bible. Georgia taught in a school for missionary children. The Hobbys then returned to the States to study nursing; Alvin received his R.N. degree, and Georgia obtained her master's in nursing.

The couple then went to Zambia, where they taught at Namwianga Christian Secondary School and operated an out-patient clinic. Their last eight years were spent working with the church in Livingstone, Zambia, where Alvin taught at a preacher training school and



**Alumni Award.** Dr. Dean Priest presents Dr. David Smith with his Outstanding Alumni Award from the College of Arts and Sciences. Accepting with Smith is his wife, Linda.

Georgia taught daily Bible lessons in Livingstone public schools. They retired to the United States in 1982, 44 years after first going to Africa. Their five children attended Harding.

Dr. Brecheen received his M.A. and M.A.R. degrees at Harding in 1955 and 1956, respectively. In 1961 he joined the faculty of Abilene Christian University, where he serves as professor of Bible and director of the annual Bible Teachers Workshop. He directed the ACU Bible Lectureship from 1969-1993 and was chosen Outstanding Teacher of the Year by the board of trustees in 1970. His other awards include ACU's Distinguished Service Award and Herald of Truth's Family Ministry Award.

Since 1974 Dr. Brecheen has become most well known for the 10-hour Marriage Enrichment Seminars he has presented with Dr. Paul Faulkner to more than 70,000 people in 30 states and seven foreign countries.

Gerald Casey received his bachelor's degree in English and physical education from Harding in 1961 and his M.A.T. in English education in 1965. He is now field services coordinator of the International Reading Association in Newark, Del., but served 30 years as a secondary teacher and administrator. During those years he was English Language Arts Coordinator for a district of 24 schools, a high school English department chair, athletic and intramural sports director and

coach.

Casey has held office in several professional organizations and has received several educational awards. He has served the Cedar Church of Christ as song leader and teacher, as a deacon and as an elder.

A Delight, Ark., native, David W. House received his bachelor of science degree from Harding in 1974 and subsequently became a certified public accountant. He worked for Ernst and Young until 1979, when he joined Samson Companies. He is now president of Premier Gas Company, the marketing affiliate of Samson Investment Company, which is the largest independent natural gas producer in Oklahoma. He is chairman of the Natural Gas

## Number of applications skyrocketing

SPACE IN NEXT FALL'S FRESHMAN CLASS IS BEING FILLED AT a much faster pace than last year's. The Office of Admissions Services reports almost a 23 percent increase in the number of applications received this year as compared to last year. A 49 percent increase in the number of applicants already accepted has also been noted, with more than 280 applications still pending.

Contributing to the interest high school students have in Harding is the fact that the University was notified in November that it has been listed in *Peterson's Competitive Colleges* for the fifth consecutive year. The University is also listed in *The 150 Best Buys in Higher Education*.

"We feel there are many things working together to create an interest in Harding," said Mike Williams, director of admissions. "In addition to being considered one of America's top college choices, our staff is working very hard. The interest shown in each of their regions has skyrocketed past where it was at this time last year."

Admissions counselors are encouraging students who desire a place in the 1994 freshman class to apply for admission immediately. Only 790 positions can be filled, and more than 600 applications have already been received. Those needing applications may call 1-800-477-4407.

Committee, serves on the board of the Oklahoma Independent Petroleum Association, and is past president of the National Gas Association of Oklahoma. He has testified before the U.S. Senate Energy Committee and the House Natural Resources Committee.

Marcia Moore received her B.S.N. degree from the School of Nursing in 1979 and her master of theology degree in biblical languages and textual studies from Harding Graduate School of Religion in 1985. She served as a staff nurse for hospitals in Abilene, Texas, and Memphis, Tenn., until 1989. While at Harding Graduate School, she served as a Hebrew and Greek assistant to three professors.

Moore began working as an adjunct instructor of undergraduate Greek at Abilene Christian University in 1991, and she has been writer for the regular column "It's Greek to Me" in *Christian Woman* magazine since its beginning in 1985.

Homecoming Weekend 1994 is set for Oct. 27-29. Make plans now to attend!

## Priest appointed to mathematics task force

Dr. Dean Priest, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, has been appointed as one of the 30 members of a national task force for the American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges. Funded by Exxon and the National Science Foundation, the task force will develop national standards for mathematics curriculum and instruction at two-year colleges.

## Long's articles to be published

Dr. Larry Long (English) has written four articles that will be published in an upcoming volume titled *Encyclopedia of Transcendentalism*, which will be published in 1994. Long's articles include topics, people and places related to the religious and literary American Transcendental Movement.

## Suit makes two presentations

Dr. Louise Suit (nursing) presented a continuing education program for alcoholism counselors at Bridgeway Hospital in Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 25. She also presented a program Sept. 15 in Little Rock titled "Evaluation," which was designed to help psychiatric nurses pass the American Nurses Association psychiatric certification exam.

## Art faculty receives awards

Don Robinson, Dr. John Keller, Beverly Austin and Paul Pitt (art) entered the Grand Prairie Festival of Arts Exhibit in Stuttgart, Ark., in September. All entrants received awards, with those by Austin and Pitt taking first-place honors in their respective categories.



**Quartet of Crooners.** The 1994 Spring Sing hosts and hostesses are Lee Langdon, Kaci Bolls, James McDuffie and Tracy Falwell.

# Youth Forum/Spring Sing scheduled for April 1-2

YOUTH FORUM/SPRING Sing Weekend, Harding's largest single annual event designed for prospective students and their families, is scheduled for April 1-2.

Planned activities for the weekend include campus tours, chances to attend University classes on Friday, an academic fair, four Spring Sing performances, three presentations of the play "I Do! I Do!" and four inspiring messages given by popular youth speaker Jeff Walling, minister of the Mission Viejo, Calif., Church of Christ. Information will also be shared with guests concerning admissions procedures, financial aid and campus housing.

"There's a great excitement on the Harding campus today, and high school students have a great chance to catch some of that excitement at Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend," said Mike Williams, director of admissions services. "At no other time during the year are our prospective students offered such a special time of entertainment, spiritual instruction and information about Harding. It's definitely a comprehensive weekend of fun!"

The 21st annual production of Spring Sing, with its dazzling

social club shows and music from the Jazz Band and the hosts and hostesses, will highlight the weekend. Crowds of nearly 12,000 traditionally attend the production, which involves nearly one-third of the entire student body. Hosts and hostesses for 1994 are Kaci Bolls, a senior music major from Murray, Ky.; Lee Langdon, a junior vocal music major from Tabernacle, N.J.; Tracy Falwell, a junior Spanish and communication disorders major from Camden, Ark.; and James McDuffie, a senior music major from Benton Harbor, Mich. Bolls and Langdon performed with the hosts and hostesses last year as well.

Serving as Spring Sing directors are Producer Dr. John H. Ryan, professor of communication; Spring Sing Coordinator Robin Miller, associate professor of communication; Host and Hostess Music Director Steve Holder, music teacher in the Arkansas public schools; Host and Hostess Staging Director Dottie Frye, adjunct instructor of communication; Jazz Band Director Dr. Warren Casey, professor of music and director of bands; and Sound Director David Woodroof, director of media services.

Spring Sing is scheduled for Thursday, March 31 at 7 p.m.; Friday, April 1 at 7 p.m.; and Saturday, April 2 at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sweepstakes awards for best costumes, originality, choreography, music, participation and overall performance will be presented after the Saturday evening performance.

"We anticipate with great excitement our 21st production of Spring Sing," said Ryan, producer. "Without a doubt the superior talents of our students will provide once again an outstanding and entertaining musical extravaganza."

Also planned are three performances of Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt's play "I Do! I Do!", which will be directed by Dr. Morris Ellis, professor of communication. The play, based on "The Four Poster" by Jan de Hartog, is a two-person musical that centers on a married couple, their relationships and their lives together. Show times during the weekend are Friday at 7 p.m., Saturday at 3 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. "I Do! I Do!" marks the third consecutive year a play has been presented in conjunction with Youth Forum activities.

Those needing overnight accommodations are encouraged to make arrangements to stay in dormitory rooms with friends or make reservations at the on-campus Heritage Inn or another Searcy hotel as early as possible. Other on-campus accommodations for high school students and their adult sponsors will also be available upon arrival on a first-come, first-served basis.

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 "I Do! I Do!" ticket information, call (501) 279-4255. For ticket orders, please use the convenient ticket order form in this magazine.

# Ashby takes over presidency – for a day

ON OCT. 15 HARDING announced a new president—but it only lasted one day.

Senior communications major Kim Ashby of Osceola, Ind., was given the honor of trading places with Dr. David Burks for one day. Her name was chosen in a "President for a Day" drawing at the fall Ricky Walters concert sponsored by the Student Association (SA).

Ashby rolled onto the Benson Auditorium stage in a long, sleek limousine for chapel, accompanied by several bodyguards. During chapel Ashby assumed the presidential seat as she showed a promotional video of herself and Dr. Burks, performed the duties of crowning Mr. Sadie Hawkins, and presented the day's announcements.

"I liked making announcements. That was my favorite part of chapel," said Ashby. "It was neat to trade places and have Dr. Burks sit in my chapel seat," she added.

Ashby spent the rest of the day in Burks' office. She accepted visitors, gave executive tours, visited with faculty members, and hosted a catered luncheon for 12 of her friends.

"It was lots of fun being in the office. Both Dr. Jimmy Carr and his son, Vice President Dr. Jim Carr, came by and offered their services, and for lunch I got to eat Dr. Burks' favorite dish, poppy seed chicken with jelly sauce," said Ashby. "It really says a lot for Dr. Burks when he shows interest in knowing the student body and allows us to do activities like this."

Burks began his day as an official Harding student by sitting in Ashby's chapel seat and chatting with her friends. His student responsibilities included attending her daily schedule of classes, where he had to participate in class discussion, take notes and com-

plete two tests. That evening the TV-19 news team was given a special treat when Burks agreed to act as weather person, which is Ashby's traditional job on weekdays.

Burks has not been a student since he finished his doctoral studies at Florida State University in 1972.

"I took notes, listened and thoroughly enjoyed it. Nothing is much different from when I was a student, except that students are less formal and more free to ask questions," said Burks.

Burks believes that the "President for a Day" activity is a positive experience and should be continued in the future.

"Projects like this help keep

a partnership with the students as we work together," Burks said. "I feel I have a great relationship with SA leaders. This type of activity helps break some barriers and encourages

students to see that the administration wants to work with them."

By the end of the day, Ashby had decided that being president was a good learning experience, but that she would rather go back to her job as student.

"I had a lot of fun, but I also realized what a dif-

ficult job Dr. Burks has. He has so much responsibility, and he has to be very visible," said Ashby. "His student days are behind him, and now he does a good job as president."

JEFF MONTGOMERY



**Presidential Entrance.** Escorted by her bodyguards, Kim Ashby arrives in Benson Auditorium to perform chapel duties.

## International program in Greece approved to begin in fall 1994

A NEW INTERNATIONAL studies program was approved by Harding's board of trustees Oct. 29, resulting in an opportunity for students to study abroad in Greece.

The new program will offer a curriculum in global literacy, Bible, humanities and Greek. Educational tours including a 10-day tour of Asia Minor, a four-day cruise to the Greek Isles and Turkey coast, and a one-week tour of Israel will supplement studies. These tours will take students to Ephesus, Laodicea, Sardis, Istanbul and Thessalonica. At the close of the semester, travel options to Italy and Western Europe will be offered.

The program is offered under the oversight of Dr. Don Shackelford, dean of interna-

tional studies, who also oversees the University's international program in Florence, Italy. Dr. Ray Muncy, distinguished professor of history, will serve as the first Harding faculty member to teach in the new program. Other faculty members will be hired on an adjunct basis in Greece.

Forty students will stay in a recently constructed hotel in Glyfada, Greece, a suburb of Athens. Each hotel room offers a private balcony overlooking the Aegean Sea with ancient ruins within walking distance. Classes will be held in the hotel's conference rooms, and meals will be provided in a hotel dining room.

The debut of the semester-long program is Aug. 29-Nov. 23.

## Organ executive director of Alpha Chi

Dr. Dennis Organ (English) has assumed duties as executive director of Alpha Chi, the national scholarship honor society. Since 1992 he has served as associate executive director, and he has worked as editor of publications for the society since 1976.

## Butterfield attends institute

Dr. Lou Butterfield (communications) was one of 20 professors from the Southern states selected to attend the Direct Marketing Professors' Institute in Dallas this summer. The institute exposed participants to professional aspects of direct marketing.



## Finley appointed to committee

Dr. Tony Finley (education) has been appointed to the Systematic Initiative Science Steering Committee, a statewide committee that makes recommendations in science and mathematics education for fifth and sixth grade public school students.

## Vaden selected outstanding student member

The Arkansas chapter of the Council of Exceptional Children named recent Harding graduate Gail Vaden as the state's outstanding student member of a college chapter. Vaden was instrumental in starting Harding's chapter of the council, which is the major national professional organization for people interested and involved in the education of exceptional children. She was presented the award Oct. 28 at the organization's state meeting in Hot Springs.

# Mabee Business Center updates, expands PC lab

HARDING'S PERSONAL computer (PC) lab in the Mabee Business Center has been updated and expanded, and is now providing students with faster ways to meet their

computing needs.

The improved lab, now located on the second floor of the Mabee Center in a more spacious room, was completed in time for the beginning of classes in August. It includes 24 486-processor PCs that are networked together through a file and print server. This means that all application programs and storage files are in one location, rather than in 24, therefore making it simpler to update software or perform other file maintenance. One change on the file server



**Laboratory Learning.** Students in the improved Mabee PC lab receive help from Associate Professor Jim Behel.

## Seminars scheduled by Church Relations Office

FOUR SPRING AND SUMMER seminars with topics ranging from faith development to church mission statements are planned by the Office of Church Relations.

The seminars are four of several that are presented on campus each year covering the subjects of church growth, church leadership, religious education, preaching and computer usage in congregations. The seminars' specific topics are suggested from church leaders around the nation, and each seminar is hosted by a different faculty member in the College of Bible and Religion.

The Religious Education Seminar, "Achieving Excellence in the Educational Ministry of the Church," is scheduled for March 4-5 and will be hosted by Dr. Ken Miller, associate professor of Bible. The seminar's keynote speaker is Richard Rogers, an instructor for more than 20 years at Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock, Texas. He also is a prolific writer and seminar speaker

and has extensive experience in curriculum development. His wife, Barbara, is a well-known ladies' speaker and is an interpreter for the deaf. She will present a lecture about developing curriculum for ladies' Bible classes.

Other speakers for the Religious Education Seminar include Dr. Duane Warden, professor of Bible; Ross Cochran, assistant professor of Bible; Barbara Neller and Cindee Stockstill, who worked together for several years in conducting and writing material for vacation Bible schools in Lexington, Ky.; and Marilyn Dowdy, Church Relations secretary, who has created and coordinated a children's Bible hour. Their "how-to" topics include a textual study, faith development in the home and church, creating a homespun vacation Bible school, organizing a children's Bible hour, and the effective use of puppets.

The Church Growth Seminar, "Restoring the Evangelistic Mission: Developing or Revis-

affects each of the terminals.

All students across campus, regardless of major, have access to the new lab for word processing, spreadsheets, data base management and a variety of other applications. Dr. Steve Baber, director of academic computing, said that the lab is becoming increasingly popular and is already in high demand because of the machines' speed, increased memory and storage capacity, and better color features.

Baber said the lab's cost was about \$65,000, including funds for the salaries of the seven students who work as lab assistants.

The new PC lab is only one of eight student computer labs on campus. Including the computers and terminals in these labs and in faculty and staff offices, more than 600 computers are now in use at Harding.

ing a Mission Statement," is scheduled for March 25-26. The presenter will be Dr. Flavil Yeakley, who is a professor of Bible, director of Harding's Center for Church Growth Studies, and director of the Office of Outcomes Assessment.

This seminar is designed to be a practical, hands-on experience in which help is offered in developing and revising mission statements, five-year plans and other congregational planning documents. Yeakley also will emphasize how these documents can help a congregation clarify its purpose and restore its New Testament emphasis on evangelism.

Also planned by the Office of Church Relations are the Church Leadership Seminar, scheduled for May 6-7, and the Church Computer Usage Seminar, scheduled for Aug. 12-13.

Registration for all seminars will be in the American Heritage Center lobby. For more information contact the Office of Church Relations at (501) 279-4660.

## Art Gallery hosts 18 exhibitions during 1993-94

WORKS FEATURED IN THE Stevens Art Gallery during the fall 1993 semester ranged from student exhibits to a show that tied in with the fall Bible Lectureship.

In addition to the five shows by seniors and faculty members, the gallery featured a show by Sheila Parsons, a Conway, Ark., watercolor artist, and the Lectureship art show in October featured works based on the minor prophets by faculty members from Lubbock Christian University, Abilene Christian University, Ohio Valley College and Harding. Paul Orlando, an Art Department alumnus, also conducted an exhibit of his works.

The spring 1994 semester promises to be busier than the fall, with 10 different exhibits featured. Among them will be a show featuring works of the Art Department faculty, the White County Art Teachers exhibit, a juried show featuring works from White County high school students, and a show displaying current works of all Art Department majors.

Six senior seminar art shows are also scheduled. Mandy Crider of Fort Collins, Colo., will conduct her show Feb. 6-11, and Tammy Widel of Savannah, Mo., will exhibit her works the next week, Feb. 13-18.

The four remaining student art shows will be held near the close of the semester and include the works of Allan White of Fort Collins, Colo., April 3-8; Cara Walker of Moulton, Ala., April 10-15; Patti Parrish of Orlando, Fla., April 24-29; and Angel Israel of Aloha, Ore., concluding the semester with her show May 1-6.

Nearly 100 students have majors in the Art Department. The senior art show is a requirement before graduation.

## Nursing society receives two awards

EPSILON OMICRON, HARDING'S CHAPTER OF SIGMA Theta Tau International nursing honor society, has been awarded the Chapter Key Award and the Ethel Palmer Clarke Founders Award for 1993.

The Chapter Key Award is given internationally to one chapter each year to honor its activities that increase membership involvement. Harding's chapter activities included organizing formal presentations related to professional careers, providing chapter awards and scholarships, stimulating chapter communication through newsletters and newspapers, and collaborating with other chapters and nursing organizations.

The Ethel Palmer Clarke Founders Award is given for excellence in chapter programming. Harding's program activities included formal presentations related to professional career and research development, a high percentage of member involvement in chapter functions and committees, and a very specific outcome-oriented chapter strategic plan for 1993-1998.

Both awards were accepted Dec. 2 at the 32nd biennial convention in Indianapolis by Dr. Cathleen Shultz, chapter president and dean of the School of Nursing. President-elect Trish Frazier and Treasurer Paige Wimberley accompanied Shultz as chapter delegates.

## Computer team places fourth in regionals

HARDING'S COMPUTER team competed Oct. 14 in state contests in Little Rock and went on to the regional competitions Oct. 30 in Springfield, Mo.

The team finished in fifth place in state competition. They then took fourth place overall in the regional division and third place in the regional undergraduate division. The regional competition included college teams from Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky and Tennessee.

The competition involved six problems for which the team was required to write programmed solutions. As the team solved the problems, they submitted their conclusions to judges, and credit was earned for each problem answered correctly. The event was also timed so that competing teams that solved the same number of problems could be judged on the length of time taken to solve them.

At the regional competition,

Harding's team solved four of the six problems. "They came within an eyelash of getting credit for a fifth problem, but their solution didn't get past all the judges before time elapsed," said Dr. Steve Baber, faculty sponsor for the team. Credit for that fifth problem would have earned the team a second-place finish and an invitation to the international finals.

"But we're glad we did better this year than last year," said Baber, who added that the team has ranked fourth, fifth or higher for the past several years.

Seventy-five teams competed in the regional competitions. Some teams defeated by Harding's included Ohio Wesleyan, Loyolla University and Vanderbilt University.

Members of Harding's programming team were Joel DeYoung, a senior from Williston, N.D.; Brad Choate, a junior from Winona, Miss.; and Mark Henman, a sophomore from Garden Grove, Calif.

## Morgan, Owens and Sutherlin make presentation

Dr. Jan Morgan, Dr. Lina Owens and Dr. Gordon Sutherlin (education) delivered a presentation titled "Creating a Partnership Between Public Schools and Higher Education: the Bald Knob-McCrory-Harding Experience." It was presented Oct. 19 in Little Rock at the state meeting of the Arkansas Association for Colleges of Teacher Education.

## Music educators elect Ganus

Dr. Cliff Ganus III (music) is president-elect of the Arkansas Music Educators Association and will be responsible for the annual conference attended by music educators throughout Arkansas. Ganus recently completed six years as editor of the association's journal, *SEGUE*.

## Four librarians attend meeting

Suzanne Spurrier, Henry Terrill, Mary Binkley and Ann Dixon (library) attended the annual meeting of the Arkansas Library Association Oct. 10-12 in Hot Springs. They attended lectures and seminars covering a variety of topics, including "New Trends in Interlibrary Loans" and "Extending the Library Electronically."

## Wilson chairs health committee

Dr. Ed Wilson (chemistry) has served the past two years as chairman of the Allied Health Committee and as liaison officer between Harding and the Arkansas Space Grant Consortium Program. During this time he has generated more than \$15,000 in student fellowships and faculty enrichment funds for the University.

## Shearin attends music meeting in San Francisco

Dr. Arthur Shearin (music) attended the annual meeting of the National Association of Schools of Music in San Francisco Nov. 19-22 and participated in a special seminar on the construction and renovation of music facilities.

## Peck speaks at state conference

Dr. Jeanine Peck (education) attended the Arkansas State Reading Council's Annual Conference Nov. 19 in Little Rock, where she made a presentation titled "Portfolio Assessment: What Is It?"

# Phonathon nearing \$1 million mark

SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER were busy months as administrators, faculty, staff, students and friends of Harding spent more than 1,000 man-hours dialing for dollars.

Calling on each of 36 evenings between 6 and 10 p.m., the phonathon volunteers contacted 4,868 households and raised \$912,000 in gifts and pledges. The total included more than \$77,000 to be received in matching gifts from employers of donors. The total also included \$220,000 in phonathon gifts for the Graduate School of Religion campus in Memphis, Tenn.

The goal for the phonathon is \$1.5 million. Approximately 12,000 households will be contacted before it is completed during the spring semester.

The phonathon is being conducted to help meet the requirements for a \$2 million challenge grant from the Harvey and Bernice Jones Charitable Trust of Springdale, Ark. The challenge from the Jones Trust was issued on a two-for-one basis. Harding has until February 1994 to raise \$4 million in gifts and pledges.

To date during the phonathon, 2,075 (43 percent) of those contacted have made a three-year pledge or a one-time gift to the project. The actual calling was done by 115 different volunteers.

The average pledge was \$657, and the average one-time gift was \$40. Each person contacted was asked to consider making a three-year pledge totaling \$1,080.

Bill Harris, manager of the on-campus Heritage Inn, raised the highest total in pledges and gifts with \$61,712, and he completed the most calls with 180. Dr. Randy McLeod, an associate professor in the School of Business, had the highest percentage of positive response with

100 percent of his calls resulting in gifts or pledges.

"The Dream Continues" phonathon was coordinated by Doug Campbell, director of

alumni gifts in the University Advancement Office. It has already surpassed the 1988 phonathon, which raised \$582,653 in gifts.

## Tax code changes affect receipts

A CHANGE IN THE U.S. TAX code in 1994 will affect the way Harding provides receipts for some donors, as well as require additional documentation for them. The changes are part of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993.

The modification in the Internal Revenue Code requires that a charitable deduction not be allowed for any individual contribution of \$250 or more unless the taxpayer substantiates the contribution with a written receipt from the non-profit organization receiving the gift. The effective date for this change was Jan. 1.

The code states that the receipt from the non-profit organization must be received before the taxpayer files his return, including any extensions that may be received.

Traditionally, the University's

Advancement Office has mailed a letter to donors at the beginning of the calendar year indicating their total gifts from the previous year. This practice will continue.

The office also mails an acknowledgment to donors for each individual contribution of \$250 or more. Donors should keep these acknowledgments as verification of their gifts.

The change in the tax code is not limited to contributions to educational institutions like Harding. The requirements for documentation include all individual gifts of \$250 or more to all non-profit organizations, including churches.

If you have questions regarding these new regulations and procedures, call Rowan McLeod, director of office systems and staff, in the Advancement Office at 1-800-466-4312.

## Faculty and staff make record pledge

MEMBERS OF HARDING'S faculty and staff helped launch "The Dream Continues" campaign by pledging \$889,728, the largest amount ever pledged by Harding employees.

In 1988 the faculty and staff pledged \$702,297. The 1993 total represents an increase of approximately 27 percent.

During the four-week fundraising project, 469 faculty and staff members responded positively to the appeal for financial assistance. Those responding with a pledge included 94 percent of the salaried faculty and administrative staff and 64 percent of the hourly wage employees.

Eighty-two percent of all Harding employees contacted were able to make a pledge, with an average gift of \$1,897. The majority of those pledging are giving through the University's payroll deduction plan.

Lott Tucker, vice president for finance, and Dr. Dean Priest, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, coordinated the faculty/staff solicitation, which was one of the first steps of "The Dream Continues" campaign. Members of the Harding Board of Trustees and President's Council are also being asked to be a part of the five-year campaign.

# '93 Lectureship successful; plans for '94 under way

WITH THE SUCCESSFUL '93 Lectureship concluded, plans are already well under way for the 1994 event, scheduled during the week of Oct. 24-29.

People from 27 states and Canada attended the '93 Lectureship with its theme "Today Hear His Voice: The Minor Prophets Speak." More than 400 people registered for the event, but according to Lectureship Secretary Marilyn Dowdy, 531 individuals actually attended classes on the busiest day.

Dr. Don Shackelford, who has served as Lectureship director since 1990, said that many positive comments have been received about the 40 speakers and the messages they delivered.

"The speeches and classes were very well received because the presenters delivered a lot of information from the Old Testament and the Minor Prophets that is still applicable to our lives today," said Shackelford.

As Shackelford assumes his new responsibilities as dean of international studies, Dr. Allan Isom will now head the Lectureship program as director of the Office of Church Relations.

"We've got a great week planned for the '94 lectures," said Isom. A combination of activities will expand the Lectureship from its customary three days. It will now begin on Monday night and continue through Thursday night.

After the lectures conclude Thursday night, Isom said that Friday is planned as a day of special seminars concerning

family, youth ministry, education, counseling and resolving church conflict.

Harding's annual Student Lectureship will also be held simultaneously during the week with the other events. Then to finish out the weekend, Homecoming festivities will begin Thursday night and continue through Saturday.

The week, designated as "Fall Fest," will feature a particularly special event, the dedication of the Jim Bill McInteer Bible and World Missions Center Saturday morning.

Isom said the theme for the 1994 Lectureship, "To God Be the Glory - Ephesians' Call to Unity," was selected because it represents a timely message.

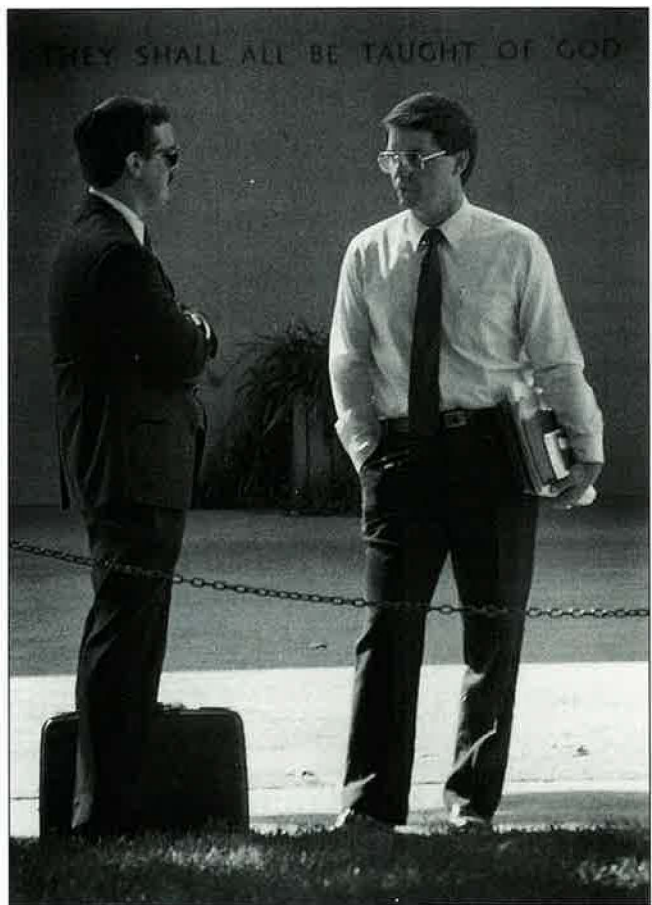
## Preachers' Forum studies worship styles

"STYLES OF WORSHIP IN Churches of Christ Today" will be the topic of the Annual Preachers' Forum April 12 at the Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tenn.

Scheduled forum speakers include Jack Reese, professor of Bible at Abilene Christian University; Lynn Anderson, minister of the Preston Road Church of Christ in Dallas; Jimmy Jividen, minister of the Baker Heights Church of Christ in Abilene, Texas; and Harold Hazelip, president of David Lipscomb University.

During the morning session Reese will discuss theological foundations for worship, and Anderson will speak about contemporary styles of worship. Jividen and Hazelip will conduct afternoon sessions titled

**"To God Be the  
Glory - Ephesians'  
Call to Unity"  
is the theme of the  
1994 Lectureship.**



**Lectureship Lingerings.** A Lectureship guest converses with Bible Associate Professor Ken Neller after a class session.

"We hope to show that God has planned to His glory that all cultures can come together in Christ."

"Traditional Styles of Worship" and "Maintaining Unity in All of This."

Two small-group discussions and a question-and-answer session featuring all four speakers will also be a part of the day-long event.

"Each year we try to address current issues of importance for the local church, and this year is no exception," said Dr. Bill Flatt, dean. "Our alumni officers have done a great job in putting together the forum on what I feel is a vital topic in our brotherhood right now."

The Alumnus of the Year Award will be presented at a special luncheon held during the forum. Those interested in attending the luncheon or the forum may obtain further information by calling (901) 761-1353.

## Papers presented by Williams

Dr. John Williams (English) presented a paper titled "Composing *Time* [Magazine]: An Approach to the Writing Process in Basic English" to the Arkansas Association for Developmental Education Oct. 8 in Little Rock. He also presented a paper at the Arkansas Philological Association's meeting Nov. 13 in Arkadelphia titled "The New Cultural Critics: Reclaiming the Power of the Literary Text."

# A FLOOD *of* HELP

**When more than 700 Harding students assisted in a  
Mid-West flooding clean-up effort, it changed their lives  
and the lives of the families they helped.**

BY PHILLIP TUCKER

ART BY ALLAN WHITE

PHOTOGRAPHY BY BRIAN HENDRICKS AND ALLAN WHITE

**A**s America focused its attention in recent months on the devastating flooding in the Mid-West, Harding students focused on doing something about it — and launched a major service project in September that united the campus.

The idea for the flood-relief project emerged last summer in response to the 1993-94 Student Association's mission theme for the year: "Let us consider one another, in order to stir up love and good works" (Hebrews 10:24). The St. Louis area was targeted, and SA President Rich Little, a senior Bible major from Capalaba, Queensland, Australia, then contacted the Arnold, Mo., Church of Christ and paid them a visit. Grady Miller, minister for the congregation, immediately went to work organizing the operation from his end, lining up specific worksites for the

students and planning meals and sleeping arrangements. He told Little the congregation could manage up to 120 students.

All that was then needed were workers. When Little made a chapel announcement asking for volunteers to go to Missouri for a weekend to shovel mud and load sandbags into trucks, he hoped at least 120 would come to the organizational meeting. He was overwhelmed when more than 600 students showed up.

"The student body showed an incredibly positive spirit through the entire project," Little said, "and we made a pledge that everyone who wanted to go could go."

Miller suggested that Little contact the other area congregations to solicit their help in accommodating all the students. He soon had the support of the O'Fallen, Mid-Rivers, St. Charles, Florissant and Maryland Heights churches.

The University offered two vans for the trip, and the College and West Side churches of Christ in Searcy pro-

vided buses. The week before the trip, more than 350 students received tetanus shots. All classes missed by student volunteers were excused.

**W**hen the Searcy caravan arrived at the Arnold Church after 1 a.m. Friday, Sept. 10, all arrangements had been made for the 530 volunteers who ultimately made the journey.

When they met at the church building for breakfast at 7, everyone was quickly assigned to a group and sent to a worksite for the day. The process was repeated Saturday morning as well.

Barby Smith, who serves with her husband, Dwight, as a campus minister for the College Church of Christ, accompanied the students on the trip and was impressed with the efficiency and organization of the project by the Arnold Church of Christ.

"Within 30 minutes of arriving in Arnold, everyone was dispersed to where they were staying," she said. "The whole congregation was so cooperative. They took care of meals and snacks, sleeping arrangements and scheduling, and they knew where everyone was at all times. They were wonderful."

The students were amazed at what they found upon arriving at the homes of the families they were to help: fields of mud, personal belongings scattered throughout neighborhoods, basements still filled with water, thousands of sandbags, and people who had lost nearly everything they owned. After sizing up the damage, they rolled up their sleeves and got to work.

Lines of students moved thousands of 60-pound sand-

"It's a very strange experience walking into someone's house to see their possessions lying around like a hurricane had hit it," Little said. "When you fill a house with muddy water, everything is lost. All you can do is throw it out. In some houses, all that was left were the beams."

"It was completely devastating, much worse than I imagined it could be," said Meg Feeney, a sophomore child development major from Chicago. "I just didn't realize how bad the damage was."

After working hard Friday and Saturday, each group returned in the evenings with its own stories of courage and love for those they had met and helped. Barbara Barnes, professor of kinesiology and director of the women's intramural program, also accompanied the students for the project, and she and Barby Smith both told about their emotional experience involving an 80-year-old man and his family.

Their group arrived at the man's home Friday morning. Smith described him as having "sad, hollow eyes" when they met him. He was emotionally drained and was very suspicious of the group's helping him, as were his daughter and grandson who were also at the house. His daughter told the group when they arrived that they were Catholic, expecting the students to turn away from helping them. Instead, they went right to work, cleaning out the house and removing

more than 8,000 sandbags that day.

That evening, when the man saw that the 5-foot wall of sandbags around his house had been removed, he told his family that he did not understand why he had been helped by strangers.



**Pulling Together.** Sophomores Jenny Foriest and Jenny Reed tear down soaked dry wall at an Arnold, Mo., house.

***"The student body showed an incredibly positive spirit throughout the entire project." — S.A. President Rich Little***

bags one at a time from the houses they surrounded to trucks waiting to take them away. Debris was collected, furniture and other ruined belongings were carried away, and soaked dry wall was removed from house frames.

"As we left," Smith said, "he was cheerful, looked wonderful and was outside talking to us. I've never seen such a turnaround in one day's time!" The feeling spread to his family as well. As the group left, the man's daughter asked

what time worship service began that Sunday at the Arnold Church.

Barnes said that some of the students became so endeared to the man and his family that they saved their money so they could buy Harding sweatshirts for the man, and for his grandson — who they eagerly tried to recruit to Harding!

"It was great to see how the people really appreciated what we were doing," said Clem Rosenberger, a freshman accounting major from Kittanning, Pa., who was a student volunteer in the same group. "When we went back Saturday to finish the work at their house, the man's daughter said he had kept talking about how great the help had been and how nice it was that young people still cared."

Smith also helped students remove from a house a wall of sandbags 15 feet high and 10 feet wide. The owners of the house had worked for weeks at a time, hardly sleeping, to put the sandbags up. Still the water poured over the wall and over the house, moving it 6 inches off its foundation and leaving it deep in mud. The house next door to it was like so many others in the area: Water had flooded the basement, and the basement had exploded because of the pressure.

**L**ittle told about a family who had been hit hard by flooding in the early '80s and, therefore, had not made any attempts to put sandbags around their house this time. The flood waters had risen so quickly that the family had not had time to take anything with them. Their first return to their home was when the Harding crew arrived. As Little and his group spent the day emptying the house of its possessions and tearing down dry wall, the man who owned the house sat outside and watched. The stench from the water that filled the basement was nauseating. When the frame of the house finally sat empty, the man announced that he was planning to build again.

"The spirit of the people we met in Missouri was amazing,"

Little said. "They treated the flood like an enemy that couldn't defeat them. You have to admire a spirit like that. It's something we sometimes have a difficult time comprehending."

The spirit of the student volunteers is what Barnes admired.

"You know how you can get irritable and fussy when you work really hard all day?" she asked. "Well, there was none of that from these students. Instead, they were singing and teasing each other, and that meant a great deal to me because it said a lot about the kind of young people we have at Harding. I mean, you're standing there in mud, smelling like sewage, and singing, "To God be the glory, great things He has done"! As hard as the work was, everyone was singing songs of praise and thanksgiving!"

Renee Rose, a senior Bible major from Wilmington, Del., enjoyed the fellowship of the relief experience. "I met lots of people I wouldn't have met otherwise, and the rewards of going were far better than I thought possible. We really received

far more from the project than we gave."

Wendi Taylor, a junior elementary education major from St. Helens, Ore., agreed. "The trip was a real eye opener for me because I didn't realize what major damage a flood can do. It really felt good to be able to help those people and to touch their lives in some way."

On the Sunday morning of the three-day trip, the Harding delegation crowded into the balcony of the Arnold Church's building for worship services. They then shared in heartfelt fellowship by singing to the congregation's members below, "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again" and "We Love You With the Love of the Lord."

"It was a wonderful and very emotional morning for everyone involved," Smith said.

After the September excursion to Missouri, the Student Association arranged three follow-up visits that included students who had previously been unable to go or who wanted to go again. Planned again with the assistance of



**Sandbag Toss.** Dan Norton, a freshman from Overland Park, Kan., helps to remove a wall of sandbags surrounding a flood-ravaged house.

the Arnold Church of Christ, 45 students along with a group from Freed-Hardeman University returned to Missouri the weekend of Oct. 15. Then 60 students returned Oct. 22. Finally, 120 students signed up for the third trip Nov. 5.



**“We really received far more from the project than we gave.” — Senior Renee Rose**

During the final weekend in Missouri, the volunteers were greeted by 20-degree temperatures and snow flurries. Although the weather complicated their efforts, most of the outdoor work remaining in the Arnold area was finished.

Response from the communities helped by the project has been tremendous. Articles were published in the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* and *St. Charles Post*, and many letters and cards of thanks were received.

An excerpt from a letter received from Sandy Harwood of Arnold expresses the graciousness of that community: “Those kids had a terrific spirit and a great attitude, which we admired greatly, and it was a pleasure to meet such fine, outstanding young men and women who conducted themselves as ladies and gentlemen. We fell in love with them! The most difficult part for me was in the goodbyes. The kids hugged me, kissed me, and told me they loved me and would be praying for us. It was so touching — total strangers — but they felt our need, love and compassion. They accomplished what we couldn’t.”

The project has also helped to boost the work of the Arnold Church of Christ.

“The St. Louis area has been a ‘closed shop’ to the church in many ways,” said Grady Miller, minister of the Arnold Church. “As a largely Catholic area, we often struggle for ways to gain visibility and let people know who we are, where we are and what we’re about. Although this flood was unquestionably tragic for the people in our area, it has become an open door for us. Now because of the truckloads of supplies and food that have

come in, the money that has been mailed to us, and the workers who have come in to help us from Harding and other groups, we’re in a better position than ever before for bringing people the Gospel here.”

Miller said that the Arnold Church now has 20-25 local

visitors per week. “Not all of them are people who have been helped directly, but we’ve helped their neighbor, or their grandmother, or a friend.”

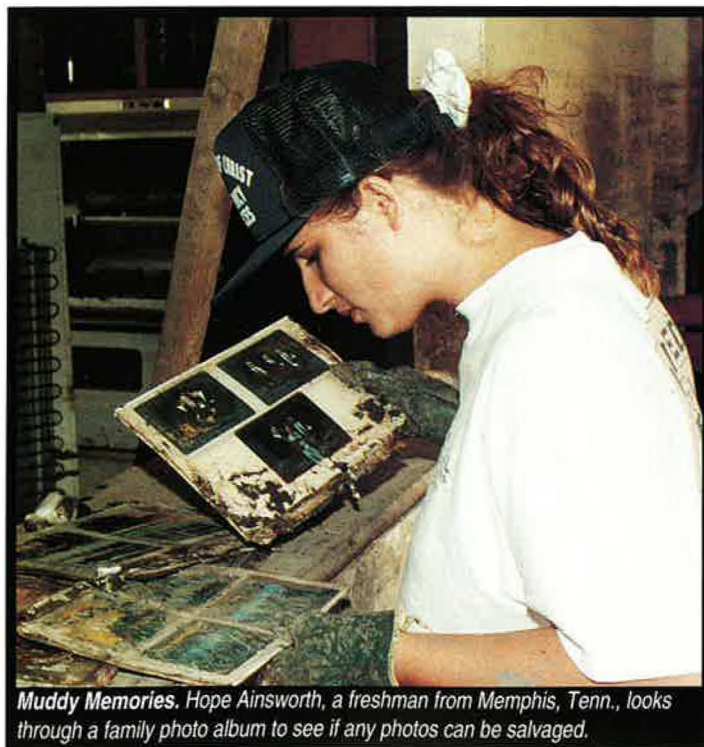
**F**or Barnes, the experience helped put things in perspective. “You know, we can get so busy,” she said. “We all live by deadlines at Harding, and those of us who work here are here because we made the commitment to be a part of this experience. But I think sometimes that idea can become just an intellectual thing. It’s like becoming a Christian: You get caught up in the excitement of it at first, and then you get

on with day-to-day living and can forget that excitement. This project was truly a blessing for me because it reminded me what a tremendous student body we have and why I’m here.”

“We in Arnold really owe a special debt of gratitude to Harding,” Miller said. “They did the work that no one else could do or would do. And they did it for days on end in four separate groups. They worked in both 90-degree weather and in below-freezing weather under spitting snow. They helped us tackle a much bigger project than we had anticipated.”

Rather than feel proud of themselves for helping their new friends in Missouri, Little simply hopes the students involved will learn from the experience.

“When the students who were able to be a part of this project confront their own problems, I hope they can gain strength by remembering the tremendous spirit of the people we met in Missouri. They’re the real heroes.” ■

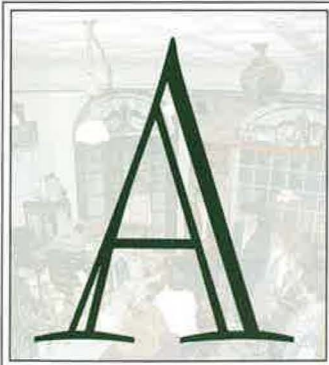


**Muddy Memories.** Hope Ainsworth, a freshman from Memphis, Tenn., looks through a family photo album to see if any photos can be salvaged.



Harding Student Annette Woods  
Designs a Dream





Stepping into Woods Pharmacy and Old Fashioned Soda Fountain in Mountain View, Ark., is like stepping into a picture postcard from the turn of the century.

## TASTE

The cast-iron fountain

stools are at least 100 years old, as is the authentic refrigerated candy display case with its many drawers. The marble fountain counter top once graced the interior of the old Marion Hotel, a former downtown Little Rock landmark.

The “regulars” who come in for coffee or a soda are also reminiscent of small-town life in America of years past. There’s the local quilt store owner who comes in every day for a brown cow, his favorite fountain drink, and the group of ladies who like to stop by after their weekly Bible study for a chat and a strawberry soda.

But business has been anything but slow-paced for pharmacist Dana Woods and his wife, Harding University sophomore interior design student Annette Woods, who own the store. Since opening their business four months ago, people from miles around have come to experience the sights — and tastes — of their salute to bygone days.

“We’ve worked very hard to make the place as authentic as possible,” Annette said, “and now we’re beginning to get a really steady clientele. It’s truly a dream come true for us.”

The Woodses had considered the idea of building an old-fashioned soda fountain for several years but did not have enough space in their previous location, which Dana had owned for 7 1/2 years. Once they finally decided to tackle the project, however, things moved rapidly. They purchased the only vacant lot that was left downtown, and within three months of breaking ground, their new store was open for business.

BY PHILLIP TUCKER

## YESTERDAY

Annette, 33, had the sole responsibility of designing the interior of the new store, and her attention to detail is obvious — from the beautiful stained glass displays and specially crafted tin ceiling tiles to the employee aprons decorated with triple-decker ice cream cones. Besides her training at Harding, she attended some design workshops and a practicum course at a home center. Other ideas came from Shannon-Ritter’s drugstore in Newport, Ark., which she remembered from her childhood.

“As a little girl,” Annette said, “my favorite thing at Shannon-Ritter’s was what they called a ‘cherry ice,’ or a phosphate. It’s just carbonated water and cherry syrup, but I loved them — and those old-fashioned sodas. Not

long ago a man came in here and asked if I remembered him. He turned out to be Mr. Ritter, the owner of that drugstore, and he had heard about our store. He just loved it, which I thought was really neat.”

The antiques that now adorn the building were procured from all around the country. The huge “back bar” behind the soda fountain counter was found amazingly intact at a pawn shop in Mountain Home, Ark. And an old, wooden wall shelf unit, which now offers the usual collection of aspirin, after-shave and paperbacks, came from the former C.G. Rosa drugstore there in Mountain View. In Nebraska Annette found a 25-pound can that once held Kraft malted milk, a glass gallon jug for Coca-Cola syrup, a 1932 box of straws and a set of black wrought-iron tables, which are now on the second-level outdoor observation deck. The building’s fancy brass doorknobs came from Tennessee, and the rusting tin wall signs, advertising such products as Pepsi, Whitman’s Chocolate and Fairmont Ice Cream, came from as far away as Michigan.

OF But not everything came from antique stores, malls and collectors’ catalogs. “A lot of things were given to us as gifts from people interested in the store,” Annette said. “The community’s been very supportive and interested in our work.”

Mountain View, a picturesque tourist town that is home of the popular Ozark Folk Center, enjoys a heritage of preserving the past, and Woods Pharmacy and Old Fashioned Soda Fountain just seems to fit right in. After all, it has the decor, the service, the mood — and the food.

The soda fountain menu features tempting homemade sandwiches (Reubens are the favorite), flavored coffees, ice cream sodas, banana splits, floats, phosphates, hand-squeezed limeade, hot fudge sundaes and the ever-popular hot fudge cake — every dieter’s nightmare and every chocolate lover’s dream. The Woodses have moved 40-50 gallons of ice cream per week since opening. The favorites? Vanilla, chocolate and strawberry, of course.

Annette admits that she, at first, was not sure how to prepare many of the dishes on the menu, but she had no trouble enlisting help from some of her older customers who remembered from personal experience their own soda fountain days. Coincidentally, a member of the National Soda Jerk Association, to which the Woodses have now applied for membership, dropped by the store two weeks before it opened and was also able to offer Dana and Annette some help.

Mountain View is located in north central Arkansas, about 75 miles from Searcy and 120 miles from Little Rock. The town is accessible by state highways 5, 9, 14 and 16. Woods Pharmacy is, appropriately, on Main Street, just off the town’s courthouse square.

If you’re in the area, consider heading out to Mountain View and paying a visit to Woods Pharmacy. But don’t rush — if time itself can slow down here, so can you. **HI**

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## More than 40 attend fall baseball tryouts

New Baseball Coach Jess Bucy welcomed more than 40 players to try out for the team in eight weeks of fall practice. The Bison hardballers resumed practice in January to prepare for the season opener Feb. 12 against the University of Arkansas at Little Rock.



**Pressing On.** Jeremy Fortner and Jay Hurt round a bend during the AIC meet.

## Golf undefeated in four matches

Coach Scott Ragsdale's golf team played impressively as it was undefeated in four home matches. Harding twice recorded 297 scores and defeated the University of Arkansas-Monticello twice, Ouachita Baptist University twice, the University of Central Arkansas, and old nemesis Henderson State University.

# Men's and women's cross country teams sweep AIC, NAIA District 17 championships

BOTH THE MEN'S AND women's cross country teams swept the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference and NAIA District 17 championships Nov. 4 at Arkansas College.

The Lady Bisons claimed their eighth consecutive crown by racing past teams from the University of Arkansas-Monticello, Arkansas College, the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff, University of the Ozarks and Southern Arkansas University.

Freshman Jessica Barraza led a one, two, three sweep for Harding with sophomore Ketty Jensen and senior Edna Duran following her across the finish line. Barraza's time was 20:37. Seniors Keri Hutchison (7th) and Mandy Crider (16th) rounded out the team score while newcomer Heather

Muir finished 19th.

The Bisons, dethroned by Ouachita Baptist University in 1992, roared back to defeat the Tigers 24-48 this year. Southern Arkansas (57), Arkansas College (105) and University of the Ozarks (133) were the other competing teams.

Senior Damon Work took first place and his teammates followed suit, coming across the finish line in fourth (sophomore Jeremy Fortner), fifth (freshman Jonathan Griffin), sixth (sophomore Jay Hurt), and eighth (sophomore Mitch Seim). Work's individual victory in 27:08 was his first in AIC

cross country.

Freshman Matt Quigley (16th) and senior Nathan

Howard (17th) were the other Bison runners on the seven-man team.



**Spike.** Regina Huddleston takes the ball up and over the net during a meet with the College of the Ozarks. Prepared for the return are Suzie Dalke and Tove Sporsheim.

## Volleyball team ties for AIC title

THE LADY BISON VOLLEYBALL team won eight of its last 11 matches to vault into a tie with Ouachita Baptist University for the conference championship with identical 6-2 records. Overall, the Lady Bisons were 19-17, earning a spot in the NAIA District 17 play-offs.

In four out of the last five years, Harding has won outright or tied for the AIC championship.

Seniors Larrie Maples and Robin Heasley overcame off-season knee surgery to play important roles on the team. It was the fourth championship for the team in Maples' four years of play, although she missed all of last year's competition. Kathleen Bassham, the

other senior, played a vital role but missed several matches due to an injury.

Juniors Amy Deuel, a strong outside hitter, and Angela Johnson, the team's setter, were keys in the championship. Deuel is an All-Conference, All-District player.

Four sophomores were major contributors for Coach Karyl Bailey. Regina Huddleston became a consistent hitter, and in the five-game win over UCA, had 42 kills. Tove Sporsheim played regularly by the end of the season as a setter. Marcy Winters and Casey Wolfe saw frequent action in every match.

Freshmen Shela Burns, Suzie Dalke and Shannon Massey also played in many of the matches.

JEFF MONTGOMERY

NATHAN HOWARD

## Lady Bison roundballers selected third in preseason polls

PRESEASON POLLS HAVE picked the Lady Bison basketball team to be the number-three team in the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference.

NAIA All-American Kymm Alexander will lead the Lady Bison attack. The 6-0 post player should become the team's all-time leading scorer

by mid-season.

Two juniors also return to give Coach Greg Harnden an experienced nucleus. Point guard Jama Fullerton (5-4) has been hampered for two years with a shoulder injury that appears to have been corrected with surgery. Forward Cindy Camp (5-11) has also been a

mainstay her first two years. Both members of the current junior class were on the AIC All-Freshman team two years ago. A third member of the junior class, Sissy Reaper (5-10), will miss this year to recover from knee surgery.

The squad has a mix of returning sophomores and talented freshmen. Sophomores Mindy Murphy (5-10) and Sarah Cullins (5-4) saw playing time as freshmen, and Murphy should challenge for a starting position. Center Heather Ash (6-0) saw limited playing time, and Camie Lewis (5-9) sat out the season after knee surgery.

Four freshmen with good credentials will have opportunities for playing time. Bridget Benson (5-11) and Angie Fouts (5-9) both played in the recent Arkansas High School All-Star game. Point guard Diana DeGrenier (5-7) from San Diego was recognized on area all-star teams and is also considered a good prospect. Tammi Conley (5-3) is a lightning-quick guard who started for a strong West Memphis, Ark., high school team last year.

## Morgan welcomes back nine players

COACH JEFF MORGAN HAS no illusions of grandeur about his 1993-94 basketball team, but he does know one thing: The team will be more aggressive and more physical on both offense and defense.

"I don't want anyone to look forward to playing us," he said. The team finished at 5-22 last year. Morgan is in his first year as Bison head coach.

Morgan and Assistant Coach Tim Kirby welcome back nine players from the 1992-93 squad plus four new players. Returning part-time starters include junior Sigmond Donelson (6-6), sophomore Jason Cooper (6-7), senior Tim Lewis (5-10), sophomore Thomas Norphlet (5-9) and sophomore Tiago Lewis (6-0).

Also included on this year's roster are four redshirts from the 1992-93 season. They include junior-college transfer Allen Bishop (6-6) and Octavius Henderson (6-1). Bishop is a threat inside, and Henderson is a talented point guard. Also returning are sophomores Tom Garner (6-4) and Darren Gowen (6-6).

Help will also come via the transfer route in sophomore Scott Webb (6-4), a threat from three-point range; in senior Tony Marion (6-6), a threat from inside 15 feet; and from senior Fabian Mina (6-7), a physical inside player. Rounding out the squad is senior Brian Bequette (6-4), who made the squad during fall tryouts.

## Gridders complete 6-4 campaign, place 13th in NAIA rankings

DISAPPOINTING LOSSES IN the final two games of the season put an end to Harding's bid for a return trip to the NAIA national football playoffs.

In the next to the last game, the University of Arkansas-Monticello handed the Bisons a 13-9 defeat. The next week Southern Arkansas University dashed any hopes of an NAIA berth with a 20-13 win.

The Bisons opened the season with a forfeit win over the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff and then dropped close

contests to East Central Oklahoma (21-20) and Delta State University (20-6).

Harding then put together an impressive five-game winning streak with wins over Southeast Oklahoma (21-12), West Georgia College (22-19), Northeastern Oklahoma State (26-10), Ouachita Baptist University (25-7) and Arkansas Tech (26-24).

The Bisons ended the season ranked 13th nationally and third in the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference.

Senior defensive back Kyle

City was named to the GTE Academic All-American Team. Junior quarterback Paul Mann broke his own single season record for yards gained and for pass completions.

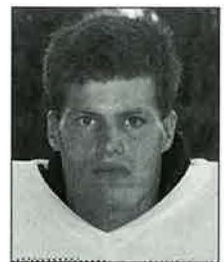
Seven Bisons made first team All-AIC including junior tight end Thad Hill, senior center Bryan Wansley, senior offensive lineman Eric Peters, junior defensive end Paul Simmons, senior linebacker Brooks Harrell, senior, free safety Jon Newby and junior strong safety Lorne Latiker.

## Tennis teams successful in fall outings

Both the men's and women's tennis teams had brief but successful tournament outings in fall play. In non-team scoring tournaments in Henderson, Tenn., Jonesboro, Ark., and Oklahoma City, Harding players won singles and doubles championships. The women defeated Southeast Missouri State University 7-2 for the first win ever over the Lady Indians.

## Indoor track begins Jan. 29

The track teams have utilized fall practice days to prepare for the indoor season, which opens Jan. 29 with a meet in the Ganus Athletic Center.



Kyle City



Paul Mann



**'38 Wanda Anglin Hollis** is a retired Arkansas teacher and administrator. She has done mission work since 1977 in Switzerland, Spain, Grenada, Jamaica, South Africa, Guyana and Romania. She also spent a year in Vancouver, Canada, teaching and serving as principal of Agape Christian School. (Route 5, Box 3910, Ruston, LA 71270)

**'58 Gene E. Rainey** (BS) is professor of political science at the University of North Carolina in Asheville. He is the author of two books and numerous articles and serves as chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Buncombe County, N.C. His wife, the former **Dorma Rogers** ('57), is president of Rainey Realty. (19 Reynolds Place, Asheville, NC 28804)

**'59 Perry S. Mason Jr.** (BS) is a professor of mathematics at Lubbock Christian University. His wife, the former **Lynn Merrick** (BS'60), received the Ed.D. degree in instructional technology from Texas Tech University and is a professor at LCU, teaching chemistry, cell biology and programming languages. (5411 26th St., Lubbock, TX 79407)

**'67 Charles W. McCullough** (BS) is president and general manager of Stateline Communications Inc., Thayer, Mo. He and his wife, Jo, have three children: Jennifer, Allison and Warren. (913 Chestnut, Thayer, MO 65791)

**'70 Carey J. Gifford** (BS) has been named membership development manager for the International Association for Financial Planning. He most recently managed Industrial Engineering and Management Press, the publishing unit of the Institute of Industrial Engineers in Atlanta. He has a master of divinity degree from Yale University and an M.A. and Ph.D. from Claremont Graduate School in California, and he has written book reviews appearing in the *Journal of Southern*

*History* and the *American Historical Review*. His wife is the former **Elice Gilbert** (BS). (5405 Cameron Forest Parkway, Alpharetta, GA 30201)

**'71 Tim Shoemaker** (BA, MA'73) is director of Birmingham Bible School for the Deaf. His wife, the former **Donna Stanfill** (BA'73), received her master's degree in education from the University of Alabama at Birmingham in March 1993. She teaches English and sponsors the school newspaper at Huffman High School in the Birmingham school system. Their children are Serge, 12, and Sara, 9. (5240 Jean Dr., Pinson, AL 35126)

**'72 Mitch Grubb** (BA) has begun his fourth year as president of Jefferson Christian Academy in Birmingham, Ala. He is married to the former **Martha Myers** ('78), and they have three children: Patricia Manning, April and Matthew. (1500 Heritage Place Dr., Birmingham, AL 35210)

**'73 Charlotte Blair Peveto** (BA) is a communications specialist for the Institute of Behavioral Research at Texas Christian University. She spent a week in July 1993 in Washington, D.C., serving as a volunteer for the Clinton Administration, where she was assigned to the office of the deputy director of correspondence. (1200 Marlborough Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76134-4437)

**'74 Robin Moss** (BS) has been promoted to data processing specialist III in the accounting services department of State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company's home office in Bloomington, Ill. Moss and his wife, the former **Claudine Gray** (BA'72), have three children, Karen, Adam and Laura. (1514 S. Bunn St., Bloomington, IL 61701-6923)

**'75 Bill Fowler** (BS) has been named chairman of the Accounting Department at Abilene Christian University. In

1992 he was named Accounting Teacher of the Year. Before teaching in the College of Business Administration, Fowler served as assistant vice president for finance. He and his wife, the former **Carol Kinnard** ('79), have two daughters, Lauren and Lindy. (834 Chaucer, Abilene, TX 79602)

**'76 Gary Mark Samuelson** (BA) received the juris doctor degree from Ohio Northern University May 16, 1993, and he passed the Bar Exam in Ohio and was sworn in Nov. 8. He is married to the former **Rhealyn Hershey** (BA'78), and they have five children: Jessica, Karyn, Rachel, Esther and Lydia Hope, born Sept. 13, 1993. (P.O. Box 131, Sulphur Springs, TX 75483)

**Bobby R. Orsburn** (BS) is an account representative with Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. He is married to the former **Sheila Smith** (BA'79). (602 Princeton Dr., Elizabethtown, KY 42701)

**'77 Eric Tyler** (BS) is a pediatrician. He is president of The Children's Hospital Alumni Association, contributing editor of a Children's Hospital publication, and received the President's Recognition Award for work done on behalf of the American Academy of Pediatrics. He is married to the former **Fran Till** ('79), and they have three children: Emily, Malley and Mollie. (1406 Parish Loop, Alexander City, AL 35010)

**Ward Wilson** (BS) is a CPA with Burt, Harrell & Co. His wife, the former **Karen Pirtle** ('79), is a secretary. Their children are Christopher, Patrick and Ashley. (8 Willow Lake Cove, Cabot, AR 72023)

**Tim McElroy** (BA) is athletic director, teacher and coach at Middle Tennessee Christian School, Murfreesboro, Tenn. His wife, the former **Linda Terrell** (BA'79), teaches second grade at the same school. The couple has two children, Lindsey and Sarah. (2407

Bennington Dr., Murfreesboro, TN 37129)

**'78 Robert Evans** (BA) is employed with Intervet as research coordinator in microbiological research. His wife, the former **Cindy Larson** ('79), is special education department chairman for the public schools of Salisbury, Md. They have two children, Nicholas and Maleasa Lynn. (7340 Walston Switch Road, Parsonburg, MD 21849)

**Eddie Pierce** (BS) is employed with American Oil and Gas Co. He and his wife, the former **Jo Grieb** (BA'79), have four children: Amanda, Emma, Anna and Julia. (13919 Taylorcrest, Houston, TX 77079)

**Wendell Glass** (BA) is a sales specialist with AT&T and has served as a Cub Scout master. He and his wife, the former **Rhonda Smythe** ('79), have two sons, Wendell III and Gregory. (2109 Balsawood Dr., Baton Rouge, LA 70816)

**Russell D. Scott** (BA) was recently appointed a deacon for the Waterview Church of Christ, Richardson, Texas. He and his wife, Kathy, work with Waterview's singles ministry. Russell is a systems engineer with EDS, and Kathy is controller of Keystone Mortgage Investments. They have two children, Christine and David. (1331 Chippewa Dr., Richardson, TX 75080)

**Raymond Hunter** (BA) is a computer literacy teacher in the public schools. He is married to the former **Sandy Hanson** (BS'79), who is director of Thursday School for the Midtown Church of Christ. Their children are Courtney and Abigail. (624 Canyon Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76179)

**Stan Granberg** (BA, MTh'83) and his wife, the former **Gena Catterton** (BSN'79), spent 10 years as missionaries in Meru, Kenya, East Africa. Stan is now serving as visiting missionary at Lubbock Christian University. They have four children: Erikson, Katie, Joshua and Laura.

**Dwaine Powell** (BA, MTh'82) received the doctor of ministry degree from Emory University in May 1993 and has been pulpit minister for the East Point Church of Christ since 1984. He and his wife, the former **Nancy Ganus** (BA), have three sons: Adam, 11; Jonathan, 8; and Michael, 3. (2515 Hogan Road, East Point, GA 30344)

**Paula Brumbelow** (BA, MED '81) is a staff attorney with East Texas Legal Services in Nacogdoches. She is a member of the board of directors of the East Texas AIDES Project, State Bar of Texas and College of the State Bar of Texas. (418 N. Mound, #6, Nacogdoches, TX 75961)

**Billy Cofield** (BA) is employed by Metroplex Pavillion Hospital as chief of psychology and clinical director of child and adolescent services, Killeen, Texas. He was deployed to Saudi Arabia during Operation Desert Storm, where he was appointed chief of the Mental Health Clinic. He was honorably discharged with an Outstanding Unit Award, a National Defense Service Medal, a Southwest Asia Service Medal, and an Air Force Commendation Medal. He and his wife, Christie, have three children: Haley, Heath and Chelsea. (607 Ash, Copperas Cove, TX 76522)

**David Pitts** (BS) is an ear, nose and throat specialist physician. He is director of Impact-L.A., a Christian medical group sponsored through the Los Angeles Church of Christ that screens and vaccinates children. He conducted a health fair for the Inner City Games last summer, which included 1 million children at the L.A. Sports Arena. (4525 Indiana Ave., La Canada, CA 91011)

**Marlin Moore** (BS, MTh'84), U.S. Air Force captain and chief of Dyess Psychological Services, has counseled thousands of USAF personnel and their families. He was selected in the spring of 1993 as 1992's Air Force Psychologist of the

Year. He and his wife, the former **Marcia Austin** (BSN, MTh'85), have two children, Meagan, 8, and Maxwell, 2. Marlin and his family moved July 17 to San Antonio, where he has been accepted into a post-doctoral program in behavioral health psychology at Willford Hall Medical Center.

**Phillip Lacefield** (BA) is regional manager for International Marketing Agencies Inc., Memphis, Tenn., and is listed as the company's highest personal producer (health insurance sales) in Tennessee. He serves as a deacon for the Sycamore View Church of Christ. He and his wife, Carole, have three children: Heather, Zachary and Micah. (3342 Durford Wood Cove, Memphis, TN 38128)

**Elaine Joy Boswell** (BSN) is a clinical nurse specialist with Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tenn. She is co-recipient of the 1992 American Association of Diabetes Educators' Allene Van Son Award. (675 Harding Place, F-7, Nashville, TN 37211)

**Eugene Conner** (BS) is internal auditor for the Saudi Arabian Oil Co. He received the Certified Internal Auditor certificate in May 1993 in Dhahran. (Saudi Aramco, P.O. Box 5369, Dhahran 31311, Saudi Arabia)

**John Baker** (BA) works for Dauphin Drywall as a commercial carpenter. He and his wife, the former **Carolyn Hall** ('77), have two children, Blake, 10, and Katherine, 2. (414 W. Daugherty Dr., Garland, TX 75041)

**Harry Lehman Jr.** (BS) is a lieutenant commander in the U.S. Navy. He recently completed an 18-month tour at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, Calif., where he earned a master's degree in management. He and his wife, the former **Anne Shields** (BS), have three children: Heather, 8; Harry III, 6; and Haley, 2. (12565 Ragweed St., San Diego, CA 92129)

**Cecil Price** (BA) recently moved to Liberty, Texas, to begin working for the church of Christ there as associate minister in charge of youth, music, education and family life. He and his wife, Nicky, have four children: Frank, John-Michael, Elizabeth and Cianna Nicole. (1900 Pine St., Liberty, TX 77575)

**'80 Dennis S. Slatton** (BS) is employed with Vought Aircraft Co., Dallas. He is married to the former **Becky Baker** (BA'79), and they have three children: Katie, Daniel and Rachel. Becky was a volunteer worker for Hearts and Hands, a church-run food bank, in 1992. (4910 Green Hollow Dr., Arlington, TX 76017)

**Shawn Brown** (BA) is employed with Eastern Illinois University as a computer systems programmer. He is married to the former **Robyn Blackmore** ('79), who received a B.S. degree in special education in May 1993 from Eastern Illinois University. She received a full-tuition academic scholarship and was a member of the Student Council for Exceptional Children. They have five children: Trevor, Ross, Mindy, Brian and Katrina. (1102 Monroe, Charleston, IL 61920)

**Keith Goree** (BA) is associate professor of applied ethics at St. Petersburg, Fla., Jr. College. He also works as an author and writer and has written a chapter, "Codes of Ethics," in the new textbook *Ethics Applied*. He recently signed a contract to write his first book, *The Ethics of American Life*, a high-school-level ethics textbook for public schools. He is married to the former **Anna Scears** ('83), who is senior admissions specialist with St. Petersburg Jr. College. They have two children, Leann and Michael. (4019 8th Ave. N., St. Petersburg, FL 33713)

**Thomas Cloninger Jr.** (BA, BBA'81) is senior marketing consultant with Acxiom Corporation, Conway, Ark. He serves as a deacon for the Levy

Church of Christ, working in the River City Ministry of North Little Rock's inner city. He is married to the former **Susan Smith** (BA'79, MED'81), and they have two children, Bevin and Megan. (18 Knights Bridge Road, Sherwood, AR 72116)

**Richard S. Lytle** (BBA), assistant professor of marketing at Abilene Christian University, has received the board of trustees' Outstanding Teacher of the Year Award. Lytle began teaching at ACU in 1991. He holds an M.B.A. from Oklahoma State University and is pursuing a Ph.D. at Arizona State University. He was named Outstanding Teacher of the Year in management sciences in 1992. He and his wife, Jeanne, have two daughters, Kelly and Hannah. (2202 Crestline, Abilene, TX 79602)

**'81 Paul Amos** is employed with V.F. Corporation as senior systems analyst. He and his wife, the former **Sydney Smith** (BA'79), have two sons, G.W. and Winston. (3520 Drawbridge Parkway, #112-0, Greensboro, NC 27410)

**James Thomas Cammack** (BS), M.D., chief resident of urology at the University of Texas, completed his six-year residency and began practice at Kerrville, Texas, in July 1993. He recently made a trip to the children's hospital in Ternopil, Ukraine, where he took medicine and equipment, gave consultations to physicians, lectured and performed surgery. The visit was conducted under the auspices of Slavik World for Christ (formerly Russia for Christ).

**David Cranford** is a police officer with the Little Rock, Ark., Police Department and is a member of the SWAT (Special Weapons and Tactics) team. He is married to the former **Rebecca McCauley** ('83). (2705 S. Johnson St., Little Rock, AR 72204)

**Laurie Robinson Hess** (BSW) is a homemaker and profes-

## Arkansas' Teacher of the Year

**L**ois Cooper Freeman, a 1969 education alumna, was named in October as Arkansas' Teacher of the Year at a special ceremony at the state Capitol with Gov. Jim Guy Tucker as host.

Freeman is in her 25th year of teaching, the last 15 of which have been at the first-grade level. She now teaches at University Heights Elementary School in the Nettleton School District in Jonesboro, Ark. She has also taught for schools in Batesville,



Lois Freeman

Jacksonville, and North Little Rock, Ark., and in Cooter, Mo. She is presently enrolled at Arkansas State University at Jonesboro completing work toward her master's degree.

Freeman was selected for the honor from among 32

teachers nominated for the award, which is sponsored by the Council of Chief State School Officers in Washington, D.C., and also by Encyclopaedia Britannica Inc. She will now be considered for the national Teacher of the Year Award, which will be given in March.

"I think this is wonderful, but to get an award for doing something you love to do is even more wonderful," said Freeman.

Freeman is a member of Harding's

President's Council and Associated Women for Harding. She is also a member of the Arkansas Education Association and the National Teacher Association. She is active in many community events, including fund raising for Arkansas Children's Hospital, volunteering for Special Olympics, and teaching a Sunday School class at her congregation.

"I believe teachers should be role models outside the classroom as well," said Freeman in explaining her chari-

table and community activities.

"The organizations that I belong to and the community services that I perform are important, but none of them are more important than my role as wife and mother."

She is the mother of two daughters: Julie, an elementary education major at Harding, and Kara, a high school sophomore. She is married to John Freeman, also a 1969 Harding graduate, who is president of Mercantile Bank in Jonesboro. ☐

sional singer with the Philadelphia Singers. The group performs symphonic works with The Philadelphia Orchestra and other professional orchestras at The Academy of Music in Philadelphia and Carnegie Hall in New York. She and her husband, James, have a daughter, Kristin Marie. (200 Candalwood Lane, Exton, PA 19341)

**Brett Organ** (BS) is employed with Lockheed Environmental Systems & Technologies as senior scientist. He serves as a board member of the Nevada Coalition of Concerned Citizens, a conservative lobbying organization. He and his wife, the former **Tonya Hesselrode** ('82), have three children: Kristin, Jerod and Madeline. (4708 E. Rochelle Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89121)

**Harold E. West** (BBA) is co-owner and sales manager of West Rutledge Printing Co., Nashville, Tenn. He is a CPA and a volunteer youth worker with the teens of his congregation. He and his wife, Teresa, have a son, Luke. (512 Meadowgreen Dr., Franklin, TN 37064)

**Scott Cody** (BA, MDiv '93) is an evangelist with the church of Christ in Herrin, Ill. He is married to the former **Brenda Jones** (BBA '82). (P.O. Box 451, Herrin, IL 62948)

'82 **Warren Alkire** (BS) is manager of administrative computing at Abilene Christian University. He is married to the former **Denise Kay** (BA '81, MEd '82), and they have two children, Heather, 8, and Joshua, 5. (949 E. N. 13th St., Abilene, TX 79601-3834)

**Andy Holder** (BA) received the master's degree in nursing administration in 1993 from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Little Rock. He is clinic manager of Arkansas Cancer Research Center and is a member of Sigma Theta Tau, an honor society for nurses. He and his wife, the former **Kerry Carter** (BA '81), have two children, Benjamin and Micah. (10812 Beverly Hills Dr., Little Rock, AR 72211)

**Charles Savage's** (BA) "Gloria," a composition for soprano, trumpet and handbells, was performed June 6, 1993, at Central Presbyterian Church in Zanesville, Ohio. (110

Parkwood Ave., South Zanesville, OH 43701)

**Robert E. Ballenger** (BBA) joined the Navy in 1987. He was deployed on the aircraft carrier USS Theodore Roosevelt for six months.

**David Nelson** serves as minister for the Dasher Church of Christ, Valdosta, Ga. He is married to the former **Sheryl Martin** (BS '79), who is music director at Georgia Christian School. Their children are Zachary, Cale, Chaeli and Benjamin. (Route 2, Box 344N, Valdosta, GA 31601)

**Mark A. Smith** (BA) received his M.B.A. degree from Lake Forest Graduate School of Management in June 1993 and works for Rand McNally's Book and Media Services Division as a purchasing manager. He is married to the former

**Ruthann Hudson** (BSN), who works part time as a senior staff nurse at the Lake Forest Pain Treatment Center. They have two sons, Matthew, 4, and David, 2. (983 Tylerton Circle, Grayslake, IL 60030)

'83 **Susan Broughton Ellis** (BS) is employed with PM Re-

alty Group/Jupiter Realty as senior advisor, Houston, and is a member of the Society of Female Executives and the United Way. She has two stepdaughters, Jessica and Hannah. Her husband, Bruce, is director of economic and financial planning at Antara Resources. (4720 N. Cashel Circle, Houston, TX 77069)

**Lynda Benton Saxinger** (BBA, MS '86) is senior auditor with Harrington Services Corp., El Monte, Calif. Her husband, Jim, is manager of Huntington West Properties. (1000 N. Hampton Place, Anaheim, CA 92801)

**Julia Henderson Gist** (BSN) is employed with EPIC Healthcare Group as clinical information systems project coordinator. Her husband, Michael, is an attorney with Conoco Inc. (12118 Hollystone, Dallas, TX 75219)

**Richard Newton** (BBA) is vice president of Trust Company Bank, Atlanta. (P.O. Box 54622, Atlanta, GA 30308)

**Teresa Heaton Atnip** (BSN) is head nurse at Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, Atlanta. Her husband, Collin, is software manager for Schlumberger

Industries. (1211 Noble Forest Dr. N.W., Norcross, GA 30092)

**T. Wayne Hood** (BA) has joined The Bank of Nashville as vice president-legal. A graduate of the University of Mississippi School of Law, he serves as in-house legal counsel and oversees all litigation handled by outside counsel. He also serves as compliance officer. Hood, his wife, the former **Kimberly Thompson** (BBA), and their daughters live in Franklin, Tenn.

**Alan Green** (BBA) and his family — wife, Terri, and children, Josh and Kayla — were selected as 1993's Farm Family of the Year for Howard County, Ark. (Route 5, Box 251-G, Nashville, AR 71852)

**Tina Martin Raibley** teaches art at Campbell Christian School. She and her husband, Tim, have three children: Amanda, Kara and Jacob Edward. (2433 Downing Ave., San Jose, CA 95128)

**Brenda Caughron South** (BA) is a homemaker and child-care provider. She and her husband, Kevin, have two children, Tia, 4, and Alexa, 1. (2303 Morning Vista, Memphis, TN 38134)

**Joe Taylor** (BA) serves as part-time minister for the Fairview Heights, Ill., Church of Christ and teaches speech at Belleville Area College. His wife, the former **Terri Tritschler** (BBA), is a homemaker. Their children are Todd and Kelsey Ann. (12 Lakeshire Dr., Fairview Heights, IL 62208)

'84 **Johnny O'Neal** is human resources manager for Poulan-Weedeater. His wife, Janet, is a dental hygienist. Their children are Abby and Emily. (Route 3, Box 688-M, DeQueen, AR 71832)

**Dawn Ochodnickay Hayden** (BA, MEd'88) is a homemaker. She and her husband, Mark, have two children, Andrew and Alex. (207 Shenandoah Road N., Brandon, MS 39042)

**Blair Bryan** (BBA) is vice president of The Staubach Co. He is married to the former **Karen Ann Slater**, and they have three children: Austin, Elizabeth and Alexandra. (25156 Calle Busca, Lake Forest, CA 92630)

**Tim Thrasher** (BBA) is president of Creations Inc. He is married to the former **Jana Davis** ('85), and they have a daughter, Nicole. (5249 S. Toledo, Tulsa, OK 74135)

**Dennis R. Brown** (BS) is a physician with the Northeast Arkansas Internal Medicine Clinic. He is married to the former **Ramona Dallas** (BME'86), and their children are Stephanie, 4, and Brittany, 1. (1614 Whitehaven Court, Jonesboro, AR 72401)

**Lisa Keele White** works for Trav-L-File Inc. as assistant to the vice president. She and her husband, Tim, have a daughter, Ashley Zane. (6890 Maury Dr., Olive Branch, MS 38654)

'85 **Pamela Tiner** is chief pharmacist at Dowling Pharmacy, Brownsville, Tenn. She participated in a Central American medical missions trip to Panama in the spring of 1993. (41 Stonebrook Place, Suite 222, Jackson, TN 38305)

**Brenda Bankhead Craig** (BBA) works for Tyler Gastroenterology Associates. Her husband, Don, is an engineering technician with Adams Consulting Engineers. (5207 Hollytree Dr., #922, Tyler, TX 75703)

**Marty Ninemire** (BA) teaches and coaches baseball and football at Highland Middle School, Hardy, Ark. He received Coach of the Year district honors in 1993, and his baseball teams won district championships in '86, '89 and '93. He is married to the former **Venita Trett** (BSN), who is nurse manager at Baxter County Regional Hospital, Mountain Home, Ark. She is also a Girl Scout leader. They have two children, Brooke, 9, and Billy, 4. (P.O. Box 812, Salem, AR 72576)

**Connie Hill** (BA) teaches English as a second language.

(1325 Greens Parkway, #45, Houston, TX 77067)

**Dale Buisman** received the BSN in nursing in 1993 from Lubbock Christian University. He is a neonatal nurse practitioner at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Texas. He and his wife, Luz, have two children, Heidi and Gerrian. (408 Ironton Ave., Lubbock, TX 79416)

**Richie Lynn** is employed at Diesel ReCon Co. as senior product engineer, Memphis, Tenn. (1085 Dove Hollow Dr., Cordova, TN 38018)

**Gregg Blackman** is co-manager of Winn-Dixie Stores Inc., Jacksonville, Fla., and he serves as a deacon for the Lake Forest Church of Christ. He and his wife, Melissa, have a daughter, Kaitlin. (481 W. 67th St., Jacksonville, FL 32208)

**Harold Hatton** (HSBS) is an industrial engineer with Servus Footwear, Rock Island, Ill. He and his wife, Janet, have three children: Julia, Jason and Jessica. (219 N. 6th St., Eldridge, IA 52748)

**John T. Smith** (BBA) is supervisor with Frost and Co., Little Rock, Ark. He is married to the former **Nancy Breazael** (BBA), and they have two children, Lindsey and John. (14501 Cecil Dr., Little Rock, AR 72212)

**Chet Douglas Brown** (BBA) is an air traffic controller. He and his wife, the former **Brenda Heinen** (BA), have two children, Cory and Cody. (4724 Sam Bratton Ave. N.W., Albuquerque, NM 87114)

**Les E. Keim** (BBA) is a computer analyst for Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis, Tenn. He and his wife, the former **Carol Westjohn** (BSMT'88), have a son, Logan Ethan. (1076 S. Perkins, Memphis, TN 38117)

**Harold Gentry** (BA) is manager of DAR Group Investments Inc. He is club president of Toastmasters International and is married to the former **Dawn McKamey** (BA), who is a sales consultant. Their children are Michael, 6, and Elizabeth, 1. (271 Burgess Ave., In-

dianapolis, IN 46219)

**Charles Ed Elliott** (BS) is president of Industrial Systems Design Inc., Johnson City, Tenn. He is married to the former **Melinda Whitlow** ('86), and they have three children: Terri, Glenn and Steven. (124 Tangency Dr., Gary, TN 37615)

**Earl Fonville** (BBA) is employed with Anthem Health and Life Insurance as internal audit manager. His wife, the former **Karen Doerr** (BSW '86), is a self-employed gerontological social worker who recently co-authored a book, *Social Work Practice in the Nursing Home Setting: a Primer*. The couple has a son, Corbin. (2905 St. Croix Court, Ft. Worth, TX 76118)

**Gordon Brent Gerbholz** (BBA) works for Systematics Inc. of Little Rock, Ark., and is now working overseas on a foreign assignment converting The National Bank of New Zealand to a new software package. His wife is the former **Melanie Earnhart** (AA'87), and they have a daughter, Jessalyn. (4 Raupo St., Hataitai-Wellington, New Zealand)

**Steve Hines** (BBA) is president of Southern Capital Resources Inc. He and his wife, Leigh Ann, have a daughter, Madeline Leigh. (520 Russet Valley Circle, Birmingham, AL 35244)

**Doug Phillips** (BS) is a computer programmer with Rockwell-Collins. His wife is the former **Chris Hawkins** (BSMT), and their son is Daniel. (530 Forest Dr. S.E., Cedar Rapids, IA 52403)

'86 **Kenneth Collins** (BS), M.D., has joined Family Doctors Clinic as a family physician. His wife is the former **Melissa Parker** (BA), and they have two children, Layne, 4, and Lucas, 2. (1609 Crestwood, Harrison, AR 72601)

**Cheryl Rainey** (BA) is a Ph.D. student at Vanderbilt University. She is specializing in voice disorders in speech pathology and is part of a research team attempting to find a way for



people with a paralyzed larynx to talk. (2116 Hobbs Road, Unit E-6, Nashville, TN 37215)

**Cheryl McCullough Walker** (BBA) is a homemaker caring for her son, Cole Robert, born July 18, 1992. Her husband, Mark, is a pilot with United Airlines. (13080 S. Stuart Way, Parker, CO 80134)

**Donald Curtis** (BBA) attends Harding and works as a security officer. His wife, the former **Cindy Yaeger** ('83), works at the Harding post office. Their sons are Ryan and Aaron. (611 E. Park, Searcy, AR 72143)

**Mike Baskett** (BBA) is loan underwriter for First Tennessee Bank, Memphis. He is married to the former **Cindy Morgan** (BS'85), and they have three children: Nathaniel, Sarah and Helen. (4175 Park Ave., Memphis, TN 38117)

**Kendal Evans Edmison** (BSW) is a day care provider. She and her husband, Roger, are involved in church activities that include a visitation/work program and vacation Bible school. Their children are Paige and Logan. (304 Austin, Effingham, IL 62401)

**Bryan Pruitt** (BS) has completed a five-year commitment with the U.S. Navy's submarine force and is in his second year of medical school. He is married to the former **Jan Coker** (BA'85), and they have three children: Caroline, Elizabeth and Jackson. (724 S. Sanders Road, Birmingham, AL 35226)

**Tom Wideman** (BBA) has been the chief pilot for American Eagle Airlines in San Jose, Calif., for two years. His wife is the former **Kathy Young** ('90), and their daughter is Sarah Elizabeth. (45 Southmar Court, San Jose, CA 95138-1833)

**Stephen P. Thomas** (BS) has been appointed specialist in the marketed products group of the Drug Regulatory Affairs Department by ZENECA Pharmaceuticals Group. Tho-



mas is responsible for the preparation and regulatory submission of marketed products to the Food and Drug Administration and foreign drug regulatory agencies. He is married to the former **Debbi Richards** (BA'84), and they have three children, Erica, Kelly and Brad. (639 Plum Run Court, Bear, DE 19701-3004)

'**87 Rachel Hunnicutt** is office administrator for Surf & Ocean News Network, Honolulu. She also attends Hawaii Pacific University. Her son, Ryan Christopher Russo, is 5. (1342 Kapiolani Blvd. #164, Honolulu, HI 96814)

**Rick Ralston** (BA) is a serials cataloger employed with Indiana University Medical Library in Indianapolis. He and his wife, the former **Karen Hoover** ('91), have a son, Kirk Jacob, 5. (1044 Eastlawn Dr., New Whiteland, IN 46184)

**Terry "Moby" Fletcher** (BS) received his Ph.D. in chemistry in 1993 from the University of Arkansas. He is now a post-doctoral research associate with the City of Hope, Beckman Research Institute, Duarte, Calif., where he performs neurological research on Alzheimer's disease. He and his wife, Elaine, traveled last summer to Europe, where Fletcher taught in Vienna, Austria, at International Christian University. (1450 E. Duarte Road, Duarte, CA 91010)

**John Madden** (BA) holds the J.D. degree in law and is foreign service officer with the U.S. Department of State. (American Embassy, Budapest Unit 25402, APO AE, NY 09213)

'**88 Christopher Lacy** (BS) is a medical doctor at the Medical College of Georgia. His wife, the former **Betsy Talbott** (BA'87, MSE'88), is a second grade schoolteacher. (2611 Oakland Ave., Augusta, GA 30904)

**Alan Morphis** (BA) is a chemist with the Texas Department of Agriculture. (Route 1, Box 74, Burton, TX 77835)

**David Beshirs** (BA) is em-

ployed with Geraghty and Miller Environmental Services as a risk evaluation scientist. His wife, the former **Jayne Lipford** (BA'91), works at First Citizens Bank. (3605 Epperly Court, Raleigh, NC 27604)

**Bill Baker** (BBA) is an accountant with Xetron Corporation. His wife, the former **Dru Denham** (BBA'86), is an accountant with Grear & Co., Cincinnati. The couple has a daughter, Marissa Danielle. (1728 Hunters Trace, Burlington, KY 41005)

'**89 Blair Reynolds Chitwood** (BBA) is assistant to the director of corporate training at Marion Merrell Dow Inc. Her husband, Scott, attends DeVry Institute of Technology. (11406 Blue Ridge Blvd., #15, Kansas City, MO 64134)

**Daniel Rosier** (BBA) is an accountant with Pennzoil Co., Houston. His wife, the former **Denise Crawford** (BA), is a paralegal with Mattingly & Marsh. (1931 Kelona Dr., Spring, TX 77386)

**Randy J. Wood** (BBA) has been promoted to vice president of Jim Wood Co. Inc. His wife, the former **Vanesa Diles** (BA'91), teaches first grade at Central Arkansas Christian School. (21 Connolly Court, Little Rock, AR 72209)

**Ronald Ritchie** (BS) is a physical therapist at Baptist Hospital, Nashville, Tenn. He is married to the former **Jana Thompson** (BA'88), who works for Bryan Pendleton Swats & McAllister actuary firm. (1209 Club Parkway, Nashville, TN 37221)

**Jeanne Lockhart** is employed with WLOS-TV as a graphics designer. (12 Larchmont, Asheville, NC 28804)

'**90 Mark S. Waters** (BBA) has been working with the church in Bucharest, Romania, since April 1992. (Str. Dristorului 104 Bl. 158, Sc. B Et. 10 AP. Sec. 3, Bucharest, Romania)

**Diane Davis Clark** (MED) works for Heritage Publishing Co., Sherwood, Ark., while her

husband, Craig, attends Harding. (410 Meadowlake, #1, Searcy, AR 72143)

**Todd Gilliam** (BBA) is regional sales manager of Data Graphics. He is married to the former **Tonya Moore**, who attends the University of South Carolina at Spartanburg. (200 Heywood Ave., #404, Spartanburg, SC 29307)

'**91 Kenneth Webb II** (BA, MSE'92) is manager of HealthCorp Wellness Center, Searcy. His wife, the former **Tracy Scourfield** (BA, MED '92), is a teacher at Building Block Preschool. (P.O. Box 8054, Searcy, AR 72143)

**Janis Glenn Gaines** (BA) is a tutor for Supplemental Educational Services. Her husband, Dwayne, works for MQS Inspection. (7232-B Rosehill Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46260)

**Rick Butler** is employed by the *Parkersburg News* as a sports writer. His wife, the former **April Cantrell** (BA), is employed by Cornerstone Promotions. (Camelot Apts., Route 7, Box 11, Parkersburg, WV 26101)

**Scott White** is automotive manager for Wal-Mart Stores, Belton, Mo. He and his wife, the former **Cheryl Clark** (BS '90), have two children, Nathaniel and Ethan. (7405 E. 130th St., Grandview, MO 64030)

'**92 Nona Wise Lacy** (BSN) is a nurse at Arkansas Children's Hospital in Little Rock. (2909 E. Moore, #4-5, Searcy, AR 72143)

**Julie Green Priest** (BA) is a student at Westark Community College. Her husband, Jason, is employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. (3109 S. 14th, #9, Fort Smith, AR 72901)

**Jon Arnett** (BBA) is a sales representative for Miles Laboratory. His wife, the former **Lori Adkins** (BA'93), teaches sixth grade in Smackover, Ark. (1105 Combs, El Dorado, AR 71730)

'**93 David Sproles** (BBA) is employed with Webb's Refreshments as customer service

representative. His wife, the former **Renee Webb** (BA'92), is public relations director for the same company.



**John Bingaman** (BFA) is a production artist at Cranford Johnson Robinson Woods, a Little Rock, Ark.-based advertising, marketing and public relations firm.

D.C. (7211 Leesville Blvd., Springfield, VA 22151)

**Crystal Hardy** (BBA'88) to John Moore June 19, 1993.

**Brad Sipe** (BA'93) to **Tracye Adams** (BS'92) June 19, 1993, in Memphis, Tenn. Brad attends the University of Arkansas School of Law, and Tracye teaches preschool at Francis Allen School for Exceptional Children. (500 Napa Valley, Apt. 1034, Little Rock, AR 72211)

**Manuel Aaron Centeno** (BA'93) to **Leigh Ann Parks** (BA'92) July 3, 1993, in Van Buren, Ark.

**Mary Jannece Clark** (BA'84) to Michael John Minard July 3, 1993, in Portia, Ark. (Route 2, Box 508-E, Bono, AR 72416)

**Martin Bedford** ('56) to **Wanda Adair Clements** ('59) July 10, 1993, in Las Vegas. (4100 N. Romero Road, Lot 99, Tucson, AZ 85705-2350)

**Ronald Lee Hogue Jr.** (BBA'91) to Dana Lynne Mosley July 10, 1993, in

Jonesboro, Ark. (P.O. Box 403, Weiner, AR 72479-0403)

**John Krantz III** ('90) to **Tracy Boyd** (BA'92) July 10, 1993, in Searcy. (6415 Shortland, Dallas, TX 75248)

**Karla Renee Olree** (BA'91) to Joel David Dalrymple July 10, 1993, in Fort Worth, Texas.

**Ashley Dawn Wales** ('93) to Christopher Bryan Taylor July 10, 1993, in El Dorado, Ark.

**John Creel** ('91) to Traci Jones July 17, 1993, in Eureka Springs, Ark. (1111 W. Main St., #4, El Dorado, AR 71730-5509)

**Steven A. Hinrichs** (BS'91) to **Bonnie Lynn Dunn** (BBA'91) July 17, 1993, in Monticello, Ark. (3909 Rusty Dell, Fort Worth, TX 76111)

**Patrick Norris McGaha** (BA'91) to **Sarah Esther Folkerts** (BBA'93) July 17, 1993, in Rochester Hills, Mich.

**Jay Allen Baker** (BA'93) to Andrea Marie Robertson July 24, 1993, in Searcy.

**Jeffrey R. Mills** (BBA'87) to **Karen Ann Koonce** (BBA'84) July 24, 1993, in Little Rock, Ark. (11702 Pleasant Ridge, #205, Little Rock, AR 72212)

**Kevin Charles Bishop** (BA'81, MTh'86) to **Lauretta Gale Hodges** (BBA'89) July 31, 1993, in North Richland Hills, Texas. (7724 Fable Lane, North Richland Hills, TX 76180)

**Sean Lee Hillard** (BBA'92) to **Angella Suzette Dawson** (BSN'92) July 31, 1993, in Pocahtontas, Ark. (6485-C Banner Lane, Norcross, GA 30345)

**Laurie Childers** (BA'93) to Gary Thomas Sept. 3, 1993. (3101 Heritage Court, #130, Manhattan, KS 66502)

**Doug E. Bethel** (BBA'92) to **Christy Anna Tucker** (BSN '93) Nov. 6, 1993, in Nashville, Tenn. Doug is co-manager of a Structure men's clothing store, and Christy is a registered nurse at Nashville Memorial Hospital. (2705 Bluefield Ave., Nashville, TN 37214)

## Marriages

**Philip "Trey" Judd III** (BBA '91) to **Ann Love Gill** (BA'91) May 29, 1993. Trey owns a jewelry store, and Ann is a graduate student at Arkansas Tech University. (311 N. Joplen, #6, Russellville, AR 72801)

**Linda Katherine Simko** (BSN'89) to Patrick J. McGuire May 30, 1993, at Brooks Museum of Art in Memphis, Tenn. Patrick is in the Coast Guard, and Linda is a nurse at Washington Hospital, Washington,

## FOCUS ON THE FUTURE

### Through the eyes of trust

BY PHIL DIXON

HAVING RECENTLY COME from a background in bank trust departments, I have had the privilege of working with many people in their retirement years. One of the common concerns of many of my clients over the past year was the impact lower interest rates had on their disposable incomes.

The lower interest rates have led many retired persons to make investments that have more risk associated with them in order to improve their incomes. With the rates on bank CDs and U.S. Treasury securities being so low, many of these people have felt that they did not have any other choice. We as Christians are to be good stewards of our money and, thus, would have an additional reason for being careful with how we manage our investments.

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## Births

To Kevin and **Brenda Caughron** (BA'83) **South**, a daughter, Alexa Renae, June 3, 1992. Their other daughter is Tia Marie, 4. (2303 Morning Vista, Memphis, TN 38134)

To **Stephen** (BA'90) and **Brenda Curd** ('92) **Loft**, a daughter, Korey Elizabeth, Aug. 17, 1992. Stephen is a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army, stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. Brenda is a nursing student at Columbus College. (6440 Gloucester Court, Columbus, GA 31909)

To **Brad** (BA'76) and **Marcia Mitchell** (BA'77) **Stroud**, a son, Joseph Mitchell, Dec. 14, 1992. His sisters are Jessica, 6, and Bonnie, 4. Brad is a teacher and coach for the Bryant, Ark., Public Schools. (15 Old Orchard Dr., Mabelvale, AR 72103)

To Tom and **Elaine Darrah** (BA'81) **Marcrom**, a daughter, Allison Carol, Feb. 6, 1993. Their son, Brian, is 6. Tom is a pharmacist with Marcrom's O.P.T.I.O.N. Care. Elaine is a part-time medical technologist at the Medical Center of Manchester. (Route 8, Box 8744, Manchester, TN 37355)

To **Jay** (BBA'87) and **Stacey Morrow** ('89) **Lockhart**, a son, Parker Denham, Feb. 20, 1993. His sister, Lindsay Jordan, is 3. Jay is a programmer/analyst for Burnham Services. (8318 Trafalgar Way, Columbus, GA 31904)

To Scott and **Jan Buchanan** ('82) **Osborn**, twin sons, Zachary Lane and Nicholas Hill, Feb. 20, 1993. They have another son, Alexander. Jan works part time as a legal assistant, and Scott is an attorney with the law firm of Adair, Morris & Osborn. (2520 Peavy Road, Dallas, TX 75228)

To **Mark** (BA'78) and Carolyn **Hayes**, a daughter, Amy Frances, March 28, 1993. She has two brothers, Alex and Amos, and a sister, Andrea. (604 Illinois Ave., Pratt, KS 67124)

To **Lyle** (BS'88) and **Jana Payne**

(BA'89) **Hayes**, a daughter, Marina Lynn, April 4, 1993.

To **Jon** (BA'88) and Cile **Partlow**, a daughter, Taylor Lucille, May 22, 1993. Jon is minister for the Tusculum Boulevard Church of Christ in Greeneville, Tenn. (229 Forest Hills, Greeneville, TN 37743)

To **Rusty** (BBA'88) and **Tiffany Kramoski** (BBA'89) **Windle**, a son, Benjamin Matthew, June 2, 1993. Rusty is a CPA with William B. Nystrom & Associates.

To Ron and **Terrie McCullough** (BA'83) **Evans**, a son, Ronald Matthew, June 11, 1993. His sister is Brittany Camille. (8605 S. 16th, Ft. Smith, AR 72903)

To **David** (BA'89) and **Suzette Huffaker** (BA'88) **Hall**, a son, Brent Davis, June 24, 1993. David is an optometrist. (202 Hickory Trail, Brownfield, TN 38012)

To **Ed** ('86) and **Cathy Moss** (BS'84) **Randle**, a daughter, Casey Leigh, June 25, 1993. (2186 Meadow Glade Lane, #2, Memphis, TN 38134)

To **Michael** (BA'84) and **Sandra Frazier** (BA'85) **Brown**, a son, Joshua Frazier, July 1, 1993. His brothers are David, 4, and Daniel, 2. (8303 Whitesburg Way, #211, Huntsville, AL 35802)

To **Tommy** (BBA'93) and **Terry McLeod** (AA'91) **Sledge**, a daughter, Victoria Ann, July 8, 1993. (135 Highway 11, Searcy, AR 72143)

To **Brooks** (BBA'89) and **Jill Smith** (BA'90) **Davis**, a son, Stephen Jace, July 10, 1993. (1924 S. 18th, Rogers, AR 72756)

To **David** (BA'85) and **Judy Hale** (BA'89) **Hall**, a daughter, Baile Elizabeth, July 20, 1993. (307 Carole Lane, Mt. Juliet, TN 37122-4126)

To **Kevin** (BA'84) and **Kathy Hannah** ('86) **Hall**, a son, Kyle Jonathan, July 21, 1993. (4312 N. Zimri Dr., Newberg, OR 97132)

To **Gary** (BBA'86) and **Laura White** (BA'86) **Eads**, a daughter, Emily Elizabeth, July 26, 1993.

To **David** (BS'80) and **Vanessa Brown** (BS'84) **Gilliam**, a daughter, Whitney Elise, July 26, 1993. Her brother is Cameron, 2. (15 Bergerac Lane, Little Rock, AR 72211)

To **John** (BA'89) and **Sara Gaston** (BA'91) **Barton**, a son, Nathaniel Gaston, Aug. 27, 1993.

To **Greg** (BA'87) and **Debbie Baker** (BS'86) **Smith**, a daughter, Kristin Mackenzie, Aug. 30, 1993. Her brother is Michael Eric, 2. Greg is an audio engineer and division manager for Masque Sound and Recording, Orlando, Fla. (3009 Colfax St., Eustis, FL 32726)

To **Dale** ('96) and **Stacy Scott** (BA'93) **Gaskin**, a son, Loren Scott, Sept. 16, 1993. (Harding University, Box 517, Searcy, AR 72149-0001)

To **Andy** (BBA'87) and **Laura Pittman** (BA'86) **Rowan**, a son, Caleb Andrew, Sept. 17, 1993. (126 Point West Circle, Little Rock, AR 72211)

To **Chris** (BS'90) and **Leigh Traisci** (BS'90) **Lawrenson**, a son, Michael Christopher, Sept. 21, 1993.

To Steve and **Becky Baker** ('97) **Adams**, a son, Tyler Maitland, Sept. 23, 1993. (67 Sherwood Loop, Searcy, AR 72143)

To **Ross** (BA'79) and **Nita Allen** (BS'79) **Cochran**, a daughter, Hannah Catherine, Oct. 19, 1993.

## Deaths

**Edwina Wilson Cummins**, supervisor of Cathcart Hall dormitory from 1953-57, died Feb. 25, 1993, in Knoxville, Tenn.

**Stan Heiserman** ('49) died April 12, 1993. His wife is the former **Mary Beth Gordon** (BA'49). (1833 Hollyhock, Shreveport, LA 71108)

**Larry Farris** ('80) died May 5, 1993.

**James Clark Geer** ('51) died of a heart attack July 3, 1993, in Nashville, Tenn. He is the brother of **Carter Geer** (BS'50) and **Mattie Lou Robinson** (BA'52).

**Albert A. Gonce Jr.** (BA'43) died July 20, 1993.

**Pamela Collins Blankenship** ('33) of Belle Plaine, Kan., died Aug. 1, 1993. She is the grandmother of **David Blankenship** (BA'92) of Edmond, Okla.

**Ross Jones** ('37) died Aug. 8, 1993, in California.

**Gene Freeze** ('38) of Oklahoma City died Aug. 19, 1993.

**James D. Atkinson** ('50) died Aug. 22, 1993, of cancer in Little Rock, Ark.

**Verda Poindexter Hightower**, a former faculty member, died in Gunter, Texas, Sept. 4, 1993. She was the mother of **Joe Hightower** (BS'59) of Houston and **Edwin Hightower** (BA'60) of San Antonio.

**Virgil Morrison** ('42) died in October 1993 in Searcy.

**Harry Cowan** ('40) of Arab, Ala., died Oct. 6, 1993. He is the brother of **Wesley Cowan** ('40) of Jonesboro, Ark., and **Omogene Farley** (BA'66) of Hot Springs, Ark.

**Hubert McReynolds** (BS'35) died Oct. 8, 1993, in Austin, Texas. He was the husband of the former **Juanita Fields** ('37) and the father of **Miriam Hand** ('62). He is also survived by a brother, **Guy Dale McReynolds** (BA'35).

**Earl Bowman** ('61) died Oct. 19, 1993. He was the father of **Angela Cook** ('69) and the step-father of **Charles Posey** (BA'80) and **Greg Posey** (BBA'82).

**Dallas Roberts** ('30) died Nov. 2, 1993, in Searcy. He was a retired faculty member and is the father of Cliff Roberts (BA'70).

**Carol Joyce Carter**, a Harding freshman from Barnhart, Mo., died Nov. 17, 1993, after suffering injuries from an automobile accident in Searcy. She was an elementary education major and a member of Delta Gamma Rho social club. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carter and the sister of **Laura Carter** (BA'88, MED'89) and **Christine Carter Dahlberg** ('92).

# EVENTS

## JANUARY

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- 11 • School of Biblical Studies classes begin
- 12 • Spring classes begin
- 24 • Final day to enroll for spring semester
- 26 • Students leave for Harding University in Florence, Italy

## FEBRUARY

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- 8 • James Humes, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series; Leadership Seminar: "The Sir Winston Method: Language of Leadership"; 7:30 p.m., Administration Auditorium

## MARCH

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- 4-5 • Religious Education Seminar (Office of Church Relations); theme: "Achieving Excellence in the Educational Ministry of the Church"
- 5-12 • Spring recess, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 13-19 • Spring recess, Main Campus
- 14-19 • Short Courses, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 15-22 • Doctor of Ministry Course, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 24 • Fred Barnes, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series; 7:30 p.m., Administration Auditorium
- 25-26 • Church Growth Seminar (Office of Church Relations); theme: "Restoring the Evangelistic Mission: Developing or Revising a Mission Statement"

## APRIL

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- 1-2 • Youth Forum/Spring Sing Weekend
- 10 • Elderhostel
- 12 • Preachers' Forum, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 14 • Dan Quayle, American Studies Institute Distinguished Lecture Series; 7:30 p.m., Benson Auditorium
- 22-23 • President's Council meeting
- 22-23 • Annual convocation and meeting of the Science and Nursing Development Council
- 24 • Elderhostel
- 30 • Big 3 Bible Bowl

## MAY

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- 2-6 • Final examinations, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 6-7 • Church Leadership Seminar (Office of Church Relations)
- 7 • Graduation exercises, Graduate School of Religion, Memphis
- 9-13 • Final examinations
- 14 • Spring graduation exercises, Main Campus; 10 a.m., Benson Auditorium
- 16-31 • Intersession
- 19-21 • Arkansas Special Olympics, Harding campus



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