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You *can* go home again. Every year alumni return to the campus to pay tribute to a place that changed their lives forever.

The 25th and 50th reunion classes took a ride to the past in automobiles of their era during Reunion Weekend. The Class of 1966 piled into Scotty Billings' 1966 Pontiac Bonneville (front cover), while the Class of 1941 reminisced in a 1940 Chevrolet Coupe owned by Phillip Stokes.

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**T***he Class of '41  
shuffles more cards  
and gets fewer  
speeding tickets.*

Most of the Class of '41 and '66 who came to Reunion Weekend are teachers or former teachers who can swim. The Class of '41 plays more bridge and gets



## Class of '41 Reunioners

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fewer speeding tickets than the Class of '66. But both like to play the piano.

**W**e gleaned these and other imponderables from a not-so-scientific survey completed over lunch Reunion Saturday by the attending members of both classes, the 25th and 50th reunioners. No one, by the way, spilled food on their survey, which made compiling the data fairly easy. We appreciate it.

Before we go to the, ah, meat of the survey, some background:

Fifty years ago, in 1941, *How Green Was My Valley* was the year's best movie, Franklin Roosevelt was president, and Germany invaded Russia. The war in Europe became World War II that December when Japan bombed Pearl Harbor. Cheerios was first marketed, and the Lincoln Continental and Packard Clipper were introduced.

By 1966 the world had changed. Lyndon Johnson was president, US involvement in Vietnam was escalating, and *A Man for All Seasons* was the year's best movie. The Miranda ruling curbed police power, and the

Beatles performed their last live concert. Bell bottoms and mini-skirts were in.

## ***Now let's dig in.***

Both classes care for dogs and cats on an equal basis, but many more members of the Class of 1941 have no pets at all. Too much responsibility?

Running for public office is not a popular activity.

Almost half the Class of 1966 listens to "oldies" on the car radio — dreaming of sock hops, Bass weejuns, ponytails, and '57 Chevys.

In both classes the majority live in towns with populations between 100,000 and 500,000.

About half the Class of 1966 have graduate degrees; 36 percent of the Class of 1941 went on to advanced education.

Typically, the marriages of the older class are more stable than their younger sisters — 96 percent of those married members of the Class of 1941 are in their first marriage; 80 percent of the Class of 1966. Sixteen percent of the Class of 1941 are single, compared to 9 percent of the Class of 1966.



The overwhelming majority of both classes don't smoke today, but about half did at one time. It's called "kicking the habit."

Thirty-six percent of the Class of 1941 feel that abortions should

# '41

## **Reunion Report**

by Anne Braswell Rowe

responsible for the "baby boomers."

From a class of approximately 340, 102 attended our reunion — a record number. Our class has prospered, been extremely active in community affairs, and sent our children to college and graduate school. Several of our members have been Alumni Service Award recipients. Margaret Coit Elwell won a Pulitzer Prize for her biography of John C. Calhoun.

Spending the night in North Spencer Hall and "chatting" until the wee hours was fun. Seeing men on the hall was surprising, but not alarming!

A beautiful clock tower located in a circle west of Jackson Library and near the Dining Hall will be our gift to the University. It will be in place for the 100th anniversary celebration of the University in 1992. Approximately \$30,000 of the total cost of \$45,000 has been raised. With the help of us all, this goal will be accomplished.

Mildred Younts and Helen Fondren Lingle, our efficient co-chairs of the reunion, were on hand to see that all went well.

All of us agreed that we received an outstanding education at a great institution. We are proud of The University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

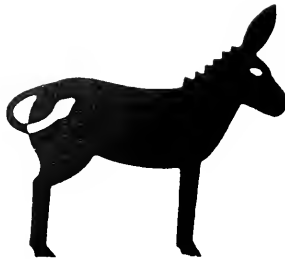
With nostalgia and pride the Class of 1941 remembers our graduation — having our names called one by one, being congratulated by Dr. Frank Porter Graham, and receiving our diplomas from none other than Dr. Walter Clinton Jackson! Fifty years ago? Not so! Aycock Auditorium? So small now, so large then.

Our 50th took place on May 9-10, 1991; smoothly I hope, because the Everlasting Treasurer presided in place of the President, Vice President, and Secretary. Our beloved President, Elizabeth Patten Bradford, died in 1972; competent and capable Elizabeth "Buzz" Falls Heisler became ill last December; and Frances Daniel Sweet was unable to preside at this occasion.

"Buzz" came and attended all functions. She was a source of courage and determination. Hopefully, she will lead us at our 55th, 60th ... reunions.

Our class was made up of children of the Depression. We, of course, were quite naive, and most came from similar backgrounds. Few smoked, and "drinking" was a "shipping" offense. Our future husbands were drafted for a year and a day, yet stayed in service for four or five years. Then we were

be available on demand, but 57 percent of the Class of 1966 believe in abortion rights.



Gun control is overwhelmingly favored, maybe because both classes perceive the world as being more dangerous than when they graduated.

**T**he probability of surgery increased in proportion to age: 86 percent of the Class of 1941 have gone under the knife, 62 percent of the Class of 1966.

Almost everyone has learned to swim.

The younger alumni have heavier feet on the gas pedal — more have received recent speeding tickets.

Eight percent of the Class of 1941 favor the legalization of marijuana; but 26 percent of the Class of 1966 are in favor.

The musical instrument of choice for both classes is the piano. Fifty-three percent of the Class of 1941 play no musical instrument at all; 38 percent of the Class of 1966.

UNCG's tie to education is obvious — 76 percent of the Class of 1941 and 71 percent of the Class of 1966 have presided over a classroom at one time or another.

No religious diversity here — 90 percent of respondents are Protestant.

Daily perusal of a newspaper is a ritual in both eras.

In line with North Carolina's political heritage, 65 percent of the Class of 1941 and 60 percent of the Class of 1966 are registered Democrats. However, mirroring the 1988 presidential elections results, 58 percent of the Class of 1941 and 56 percent of the Class of 1966 voted for George Bush.

Members of the Class of 1941 produced an average of 2.6 children, while the Class of 1966 produced 1.8 — a decline in the birthrate with the advent of "The Pill"?

The Class of 1941 gives rising medical costs the highest priority among national issues, followed by

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## Class of '66 Reunioners

Martha Smith Allen, Billie McKeown Baynes, Louise Avett Bazemore, Joan Sharp Bowen, Helen Matthews Bridgers, Nancye Baker Bryan, Eliza Burton, Marie Howard Cates, Becky Kasuboski Cook, Claudia Crooks Curry, Carol Packer Dague, Ann Chrislip Dale, Stella Barton Day, Emily Burton Dike, Betty Hobgood Eidenier, Joanne Tripp Emerson, Carolyn Black Ferree, Alexey Fabbri Ferrell, Nancy Clark Fogarty, Nadine Winton Fox, Beth Garriss, Rita Tueche Gauer, Maria Moore Griffin, Agness Wiggins Gunter, Betsy Forrest Harrington, Carolyn Harris, Pat Hielscher, Nancy Reinheimer Hughes, Sherry Rudisill Huss, Lida Jones, Edith Lane, Carolyn Saunders Lohr, Lois Steeneck Maloney, Jean Meyer Martin, Anita Robinson Metcalf, Beverly Moore Musten, Virginia Gunn McElroy, Linda McLeod, Anita Brown Nicholls, Jane Ayers Nunn, Margaret Bowden Rawi, Donna Reiss, Mary Lou Riddle Rix, Sandra Winstead Rutledge, Bonnie Flinchum Saunders, Marty Hesser Schmidt, Rachel Self Smith, Mary Ellen Guffy Smyth, Annette Thompson, Cynthia Casey Thompson, Nan Rufty Tilley, Carolyn Simpkins Turner, Jane Helms Vance, Shirley Saleeby Willett, Lynn Habich Wolf, Kakkie Jordan Yelverton



poverty and homelessness. The Class of 1966 rates the environment as America's most pressing problem, followed by drug abuse, the economy, and education.



Playing bridge is a broader pastime for the Class of 1941 — 41 percent sit down at the card table regularly, compared to only 11 percent of the Class of 1966.

Keeping fit takes up the time of both classes — 72 percent of the Class of 1941 exercise at least three times a week, and 62 percent of the Class of 1966 are into fitness.

The average family income for both classes was the same: between \$50-75,000 — definitely upper middle class.

Like most Americans, most UNCG alumni don't speak a foreign language. But 22 percent of the Class of 1966 do have that ability compared to just 10 percent of the Class of 1941.

Do the reunioners believe in life after death? Eighty-one percent of the Class of 1966 do; 90 percent of the Class of 1941. Both classes think that higher taxes on tobacco and liquor is an answer to the state budget crises. The Class of 1966 favors a lottery more than 1941 — 54 percent to 11 percent. Other alternatives mentioned were toll roads and income and gas taxes. If state spending must be cut, both classes targeted the arts, social services, and highway construction. Beaureaucratic waste and high salaries were also cited.

So, what do these figures and observations mean? We don't know, but doing the survey was sure fun.

# '66

## Reunion Report

by Donna Reiss

How many UNCG graduates can fit into a '66 Bonneville convertible? More than twenty of the fifty-three women who gathered for their twenty-fifth reunion squeezed into and onto the sleek yellow car for photographs. That Saturday afternoon was a time for laughing reminiscences of mixers in freshman parlors and teas in Elliott, back in the days when we wore stockings and skirts everywhere (except, of course, to eight o'clock classes, where we wore little more than raincoats).

Earlier, Aycock Auditorium rang with the strains of "Vive le '66," several women warding off the chilly morning with their green class jackets. In the absence of our class banner, we marched proudly with a jacket on a pole. By mid-afternoon, we had plans for a new banner to carry at our thirtieth reunion in 1996. The occasion evoked memories of a long ago contest for shades of green: Should our jackets be lime or kelly or chartreuse?

Several faculty members joined our reception and dinner, many alumni lingering after closing to catch up on a quarter century of marriages, remarriages, children, grandchildren, travel,

careers, and community service. We reminisced about meetings in the quad, protests against the speaker ban, and choruses of "The Male Came Lately" in the Junior Show.

We had come from New York and New England as well as every corner of the Carolinas; our children were in high school, medical school, law school, some of them students at UNCG or UNC-CH. Some of us had acquired advanced degrees; some were still pursuing them.

Enthusiastic support for our alma mater was apparent in the speedy sell-out of class T-shirts and mugs, and most important, in the raising of \$17,000 for the 1966 Scholarship Fund.

Some of us took memory lane back to our freshman dorms and then to our upperclass residence halls, revisiting the room we shared, and hearing the halls abuzz with "telephone for —," or "anybody want to play bridge?" or, from time to time, "Man on the hall!"

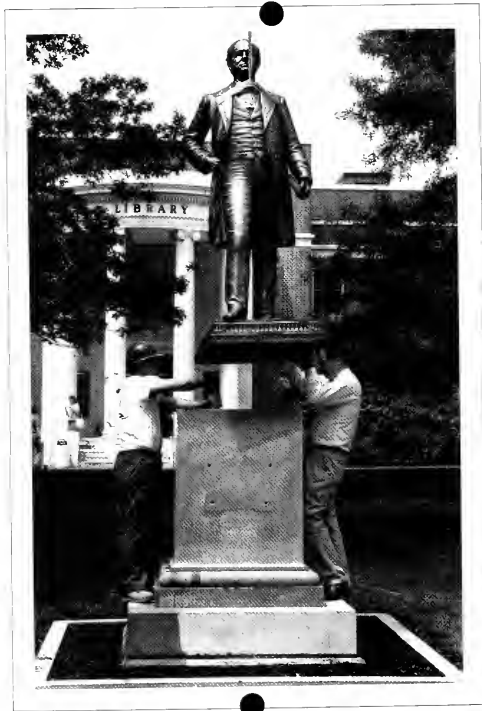
We parted, thankful for the education that had sustained our intellectual lives and our careers as well as for cherished friendships — and we promised to return for our thirtieth reunion in 1996.



Stepping out to recreate the Class of 1951 Junior Show were can-can girls (l-r) Nellie Adkins Finch, Dot Hallenbeck Touchstone, Betty Lou Mitchell Guigou, Hilda Wallerstein Fleisher, and Joycelyn Coats Beggs.

# Reunion 1991

After a six month sabbatical Dr. McIver returned to his rightful place.







Lindsay Lamson '71 was the first male Student Government President.



Among the 50th Reunion celebrants was Margaret Coit Elwell '41, the University's only Pulitzer Prize-winning graduate.



Newly appointed Director of Alumni Affairs Brenda Meadows Cooper '65 escorted Hermene Warlick Eichorn '26 to her 65th Reunion.

# 1991

## **Alumni Distinguished Service Awards**

*Alumni Distinguished Service Awards are presented to alumni of the University who have made significant contributions to the liberal arts ideal through service to others.*

*The Alumni Service Awards Committee reviews nominations and determines which candidates will be recommended for consideration by the Board of Trustees of the Alumni Association. The Trustees make the final selections.*

*Presentations of the awards are made during the proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association in May.*

*The first Alumni Service Award was presented in 1960 to Laura Weill Cone '10. In 1991 five alumnae join the one hundred and ten previous recipients of the award.*



**Ann Flack Boseman '51**  
Wilmington, NC

Ann earned her degree in elementary education and did further study at the University of South Carolina and at UNC-Chapel Hill. She has been a teacher, homemaker, mother and volunteer in service to her alma mater and community. She chaired the New Hanover County Alumni Chapter, was co-chairman of the Alumni Annual Giving Campaign in her county, and served on her area's Alumni Scholars Committee.

Ann is a founding member of the New Hanover County Domiciliary Board. She and other members of the board visit homes that care for elderly and disabled people to be sure that the needs of those people are being met and to help preserve the rights of those who are unable to defend themselves. Domiciliary Board members are described as "the closest things to advocates that the state has." She has often provided for nursing home residents' personal needs at her own expense and has championed their right to fair and humane treatment. Such advocacy is not without opponents, and she has been threatened and harassed for her trouble. Apart from the emotional strain such service involves, Ann suffers from a painful arthritic condition which makes her volunteer work all the more physically demanding and remarkable.

In 1989 she was named "Citizen of the Year" by New Hanover County and by the North Carolina Human Relations Commission. Cited by the Governor of North Carolina for "spending a major part of her time fighting to see that nursing home residents' rights are not violated," she was presented the Service to Mankind Award by the Wilmington Sertoma Club.



**Evon Welch Dean '42C**  
Greensboro, NC

Dr. McIver's earnest belief that women with families could play a prominent role in service to the state and to education is borne out well by Evon's life.

She began her career in 1942 as Clara Booth Byrd's "Girl Friday" in the Alumnae Office. She continued in the Alumni Office with Miss Byrd's successors, Betty Jester and Barbara Parrish. When the University established a Development Office, Evon took a new position as assistant to the vice chancellor for development and university relations.

During the period of service to her alma mater, she married and became the mother of three children. Evon was president of her children's school's PTA for five years, member of the Guilford County PTA Council for twenty years, and its president for four years. Evon was elected to the Guilford County Board of Education, serving as its chairman for four years. At the end of her school board service, the Guilford County PTA Council established in her honor an annual service award.

Evon was co-chair of the first Arts Festival in 1989. Currently she is a member of the Board of Trustees of Guilford Technical Community College and the GTCC Foundation. Since 1989 Evon has been co-chair of the NCACCT Trustee Orientation/Education Committee. In 1990 she was elected to honorary membership in the Gamma Epsilon chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa and received the Outstanding Service to Education Award from the Triad NC chapter of Phi Delta Kappa.

Evon believes that, in her words, "School boards should work to make it easier for teachers to teach."



**Frieda Boger Lane '44**  
New York, NY

After earning her degree in music, Frieda did a stint as a secretary in the military, then became an Army wife. She continued for two decades to keep in touch with her alma mater and to support it generously while raising her family. She served as president of the parents' association at her children's school and for five years on her local school board. She also served eleven years on her Community Planning Board.

Twenty-five years ago, Frieda emerged from a comfortable, well-ordered existence on the verge of retirement to work with Plays for Living, a non-profit organization which explores and addresses crucial problems which affect the lives of all of us, such as illiteracy, alcohol abuse, problem pregnancy, mental illness, and crippling diseases. Frieda began as a secretary and rapidly moved on to assignments with administrative responsibility; a decade later she was named chief administrator.

Frieda's dedication was rooted in an early awareness of the changing needs of our society. She recalls, "Even back in the '40s and '50s, the coming crises were taking shape. Poverty, drugs, broken homes, [and] illiteracy came into the picture — all problems that occur when there is too little time, too little money, too little education, and too many hardships in a home, often a broken or one-parent home."

In 1989 the Governing Board of Plays for Living presented her with a jewel box inscribed, "...in appreciation for devoted service."



**Helen Fondren Lingle '41, '66 MEd**  
Osprey, FL

With a degree in education, Helen began teaching in Troy, NC. She formed Troy's first Girl Scout troop, though she had not been a Girl Scout herself, and began a relationship with scouting that would continue over four decades.

Her first professional assignment was as a field director in Columbia, SC. Helen returned to Greensboro to serve as director for the Piedmont Girl Scout Council and as director of Old Mill Camp. In time "Piedmont" Council became the "Tarheel-Triad" Council, and she became director of field services. In 1975 she received the Thanks Badge, the highest award given for adult contributions to Girl Scouting. When she retired in 1986, she was identified as "one of the best-loved people in the Piedmont."

Throughout her career she worked for positive changes. In the early 1960s she pressed for the integration of Girl Scout camping and for the development of camps in North and South Carolina. She was instrumental in the creation of Daisies, a Scouting group for five-year-olds.

Today Helen is president and executive director of the National Consortium on Alternatives for Youth-At-Risk, an important national and international clearinghouse for programs which may serve as alternatives to detention for youthful offenders.

We honor an alumna who believes in young people. Hundreds have been helped and influenced by the friend and supervisor they know as "Fondy."



**Eloise Ward Phelps '31**  
Pueblo, CO

With an inborn desire to learn, Eloise worked through the obstacles to a college education and earned her degree in library science. Her first few working years were spent organizing school libraries in Currituck County and driving a book truck. She had become dean of students at High Point Senior High School by 1938.

Realizing she needed more training, Eloise obtained a scholarship, an assistantship, and a job at UNC-Chapel Hill, and earned a master's in education in 1940. In what was a very progressive endeavor for a white person of that period, she spent two summers teaching library science at what is now North Carolina Central University. She then accepted the position of dean of women at Lamar (CO) Junior College.

After seeing her children well on their way in school, Eloise went back to work as head counselor at Pueblo County High School. She then returned to her first vocation as head of reference services at the University of Southern Colorado Library, retiring in 1976.

Asked to fill in for the dean of the evening college at Pueblo Community College in 1984, Eloise broached the idea of an open house and classes for senior citizens. She developed the Lifelong Learning Center and became its coordinator, reaching out to "the retired but not tired." She retired a second time a few years later, but she continues her lifelong work as volunteer to Hospice, Elderhostel, and community development projects.

# ON CAMPUS

## Alumni Awards



Dr. William Purkey

Dr. William Purkey and Dr. Lyn Lawrance were awarded Alumni Teaching Excellence Awards at the annual Honors Convocation in April. Dr. Keith

Cushman was awarded the Research Excellence Award. Each received a \$2,000 check from UNCG's Annual Program.



Dr. Lyn Lawrance

Dr. Purkey, a professor of counseling and specialized educational development in the School of Education, developed a teaching model

known as "invitational education," which focuses on helping students develop to their fullest capacity.



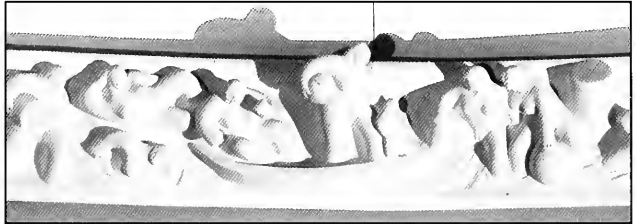
Dr. Keith Cushman

Dr. Lawrance, an assistant professor in the School of Health and Human Performance's department of public health education, was cited as "...a

gifted and skilled teacher whose poise, sincerity, and sensitivity in the classroom earns the confidence and respect of her students."

Internationally recognized for his study of D.H. Lawrence, Dr. Cushman is a professor in the English department.

## A Gift to the Gallery



"The Frieze," an edition of the art installation created by nationally-known sculptor Tom Otterness, was given to the Weatherspoon Art Gallery by Jack and Sarah Warnath of Greensboro, long-time supporters of the Gallery. The piece is dedicated to the memory of Sarah's parents, Henry Worsham and Sarah Ford Dew.

Installed in April in the gallery's atrium, "The Frieze" is a series of seven-teen cast hydrocol panels which depict "the battle of the sexes" as it unfolds left to right.

## Retiring Faculty

Nine faculty members were honored in May by the UNC Board of Governors for their distinguished careers of teaching at UNCG. Those who retired at the close of the 1990-91 academic year were:

**Dr. Jack Bardon**, Excellence Professor  
Counseling and Specialized Educational Development  
15 years of service

**Dr. Jean Buchert**, Professor  
English  
34 years of service

**Dr. Richard Dixon**, Professor  
Communication and Theatre  
21 years of service

**Dr. Margaret Hunt**, Associate Professor  
Political Science  
30 years of service

**Dr. Rebecca Smith**, Professor  
Child Development and Family Relations  
32 years of service

**Dr. Christopher Spencer**, Professor  
English  
21 years of service

**Dr. Lucille Wakefield**, Professor  
Food, Nutrition, and Food Service Management  
12 years of service

**Dr. Elisabeth Bowles**, an Associate Professor in the Department of Pedagogical Studies and Supervision, retired December 31, 1990, after thirty-three and a half years of service.

**Dr. Elaine Burgess**, a Professor in the Sociology Department, retired June 30 after thirty years at UNCG.

## Deans Appointed

On June 1 the College of Arts and Sciences and the Bryan School of Business and Economics were placed under the full leadership of their acting deans after national searches were conducted.



*Dr. Walter Beale*

Dr. Walter Beale, former English department head, was appointed dean of the College, responsible for eight-teen departments and about 300 faculty. He joined UNCG in 1971 after receiving his PhD from the University of Michigan. He is

a Wake Forest graduate and has received a UNCG Alumni Teaching Excellence Award.



*Dr. James Weeks*

Dr. James Weeks, a Methodist College alum-nus, received his MBA from East Carolina and his PhD from the University of South Carolina. He has been a faculty member and administrator at UNCG since 1976. The Bryan School is UNCG's largest professional school with about 2,200 undergraduate majors.

## New Major

The Women's Studies Program will begin an academic major beginning this fall, administered through the College of Arts and Sciences. The program, which began in 1974, will lead to a bachelor of arts degree.

Three courses in women's studies are required: "An Introduction to Women's Studies: The American Woman," "Women in Developing Countries," and "Introduction to Feminist Theories." Other requirements are in the areas of history, literature, and the social sciences.

Director of the program is Dr. Jodi Bilinkoff, an associate professor of history. She said, "...we have designed a major that is strongly grounded in the basic liberal education of students. The courses from which students can choose in the major are those which foster critical thinking and analysis."

## The 99th

On May 12 the Greensboro Coliseum was the site of UNCG's 99th commencement exercises. About 2,200 students received their diplomas — 1,717 undergraduates and 579 graduate students.

Dr. Robert Connor, president and director of the National Humanities Center at Research Triangle Park, spoke to the crowd of 10,000, telling them, "What you learn, you must honor. What you say, you must mean. What you do, you must do well. Those you meet, you must treat with decency."

In his remarks Chancellor Moran emphasized ethical awareness, saying, "...as alumni...your sensitivity...will be widely noted as will your choices on moral issues. In this way you are teachers of others....You are more likely to be good teachers for having had good teachers."

## Go Spartans!

On September 1 UNCG sports teams will begin competing in Division I of the NCAA— just six days before the men's soccer team opens the season by hosting Campbell University in the new lighted stadium.

UNCG will compete independently in 1991-92, but will continue negotiations for a conference affiliation. Opponents this year include NC State and Ohio State in men's soccer, UNC Chapel Hill and Virginia in women's soccer, Wake Forest and Maryland in men's basketball, and Michigan State and Duke in women's basketball.

## New Division, New Coach

Mike Dement, former men's basketball coach at Cornell University, will take the men's basketball team into Division I status this fall. In his five years at Cornell, Dement posted a 67-67 record and won the 1988 Ivy League championship, losing to Arizona in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

Athletic director Nelson Bobb chose Dement on the basis of his ties to North Carolina and his experience in Division I basketball. An East Carolina graduate, Mike was an assistant there in 1985-86.

Dement replaces Bob McEvoy, who spent seven seasons at UNCG.

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## ■ By Fred Chappell

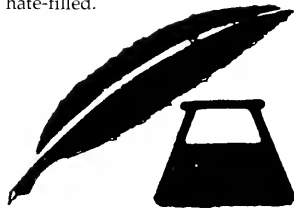
Fred Chappell is Burlington Professor of English at UNCG and an award-winning poet, novelist, and short story writer

**T**he *New Yorker* admired the artful restraint of *The Ragged Way People Fall Out of Love*, the second fine novel by Elizabeth Cox (MFA '78), and was correct to do so. Cox's restraint brings such tension to the story that a reader finds it hard to let go. It is a story of divorce, of two adults growing apart from one another, and of the changes this event brings about. These changes are not always irremediable disasters. In this novel, the family is still a unit, even after divorce; it is still a unit whose bonds of affection are stronger than its passions.

Molly Hanner is the heroine of the story. She struggles to understand herself and her loved ones. Studying astronomy, she searches for order in a universe that seems suddenly to have lost its order. But as her marriage comes apart little by little, Molly learns to live without depending upon the possibility of order. Her need for order has betrayed her, she feels, as she comes close to losing her son Joe in an automobile accident and as the sad intrusion of a stranger, Isaac Belcher, leaves her powerless to give aid or comfort. She begins to value each separate moment with her loved ones, to cherish the individualities of everyone she knows, and to try to draw closer to them, to understand and engage with their points of view.

This kind of theme, thoughtful and delicate, is a difficult one for a novel to undertake. It is ill adapted to our time of slogans and posturing. It was probably

predictable that the harshest criticism *The Ragged Way* would receive would come from commentators who believe that amicable separation is impossible, that divorce has to be strident and hate-filled.



**A** similar kind of bullying obtuseness brought about the determination of Eve Shelnett (MFA '73) to put together a collection of twenty-six essays by women writers who speak of their own writing and how it came about. Having heard too many stories told by good old boy male writers stubbornly proud of their self-destructive impulses, Shelnett decided to give women writers an opportunity to talk. A very different kind of story resulted, described by the editor as "often quietly bemusing...with wry humor and, at times, a kind of weariness accompanied by an equally quiet strength."

Shelnett contributes her own fine essay to the volume, and there are wonderful pieces by two other UNCG graduates, Pam Durban (BA '69) and Kelly Cherry (MFA '67). But all the essays are valuable and illuminating, and Shelnett has taken pains to include a wide variety of contributors from differing ethnic backgrounds,

writers engaged in different genres, who can express the important advantage of female perception.

Yet *The Confidence Woman* is by no means one of those predictable and tiresome feminist tracts. Each of the writers here shows an ardent respect for others, whatever their gender. Kelly Cherry speaks about the problem of the doctrinaire knee-jerk feminist: "I am sympathetic to the sense of disenfranchisement that these voices seek to correct, but for myself, it is exactly that maleness that I am unwilling to give up: I want a language that lets me think beyond myself. I want a language through whose agency I am able to transcend my own hungry ego. I want a wider view of the world than I can obtain through my own eyes. I want to know the Other."

These beautiful ambitions inform almost all the essays in *The Confidence Woman*, just as they also illuminate *The Ragged Way People Fall Out of Love*. Elizabeth Cox, and all the other courageous women represented here, will understand, quietly but with unwavering firmness, Kelly Cherry's heartfelt sentence: "I want, that is, to be a writer."

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### *The Ragged Way People Fall Out of Love*

By Elizabeth Cox MFA '78  
North Point Press, \$18.95.

### *The Confidence Woman:*

*26 Women Writers at Work*  
Edited by Eve Shelnett MFA '73  
Longstreet Press, \$17.95.

# ASSOCIATION NETWORK

## New Trustees and Officers



Anne Hayes Tate



Martha Smith Ferrell

New officers and trustees were welcomed to the Alumni Board at the Annual Meeting in May. Service began in July, although the new slate attended the June board meeting "to get their feet wet" in the work of the Association.

Anne Hayes Tate '68 will serve one year as President-elect, then her term as President follows for two years. Anne is the first president to have graduated from UNCG; earlier presidents graduated from the institution when it had other names. She may be the youngest alumna to serve as president. Anne lives in Smithfield.



Rosalyn Fleming  
Lomax



A. Elizabeth Keever

Martha Smith Ferrell '57 will serve a three-year term as Recording Secretary. Martha lives in Greenville.

Both Anne and Martha have served previous terms on the Alumni Board as trustees.

Trustees elected to North Carolina districts for the Board are Rosalyn Fleming Lomax '67 of Goldsboro, A. Elizabeth (Beth) Keever '72 of Fayetteville, Johanna Futchs Yopp '60 of Winston-Salem, and Jonathan Ray '81 of Conover. This year's out-of-state election went to David A. Jarvis '72 of St. Charles, IL.

The Class of 1991 elected Jacqueline Kayler of Charlotte as its class representative on the Alumni Board.



Johanna Futchs Yopp



Jonathan Ray



Charlie Pastorfield & The Believers will entertain Greensboro on September 20 at The Depot, the city's renovated train station. The event, co-sponsored by the UNCG Alumni Association, is part of the Friday at Five series. For several years Friday at Five has been an outdoor gathering point for Greensboro one Friday each month during spring, summer, and fall. Proceeds benefit the Streetscape Fund and the revitalization of Old Greensborough.

If you're within striking distance of Greensboro on September 20, come join other alumni at The Depot, 300 East Washington Street, from 5:00 to 8:00 pm. Admission is \$2.

## Archives Photo

A valued photograph in the University Archives has become the victim of water damage.

The photo is a one of the student body of 1921-22. It measures 7" by 39." An imprint indicates that it was taken by the Thompson Photo Company of Rahway, NJ. The number 8527 also appears on the imprint.

If you have a copy of this photograph, would you consider donating it to the University? If so, contact Emilie Mills '62, University Archives, Jackson Library, UNCG, Greensboro, NC 27412, or call (919) 334-5246.



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## Alumni Around the State

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*Several gatherings of UNCG alumni were held this spring.*

• **April 14**

Beethoven and Mozart were the honored composers at a special performance of the Greensboro Symphony Orchestra with the UNCG University Chorale and Symphonic Chorus. Alumni from Guilford, Alamance, and Forsyth counties were invited to the Sunday afternoon event held at the Greensboro Coliseum's War Memorial Auditorium. An alumni reception followed in the Blue Room.

• **April 25**

Winston-Salem alumni met at the Sawtooth Center for a reception and dinner. A special guest was Dr. William Purkey, UNCG professor of counseling and specialized education, whose topic was "Beyond Excellence: A Special Invitation to Greatness." Katy Gilmore Bell '70 spearheaded the event, leading a committee of fifteen Winston-Salem/Forsyth County alumni.

• **May 17**

Alamance County alumni went "stargazing" in May right in their own backyard. UNCG, A&T State University, and Guilford College jointly manage the Three-College Observatory in southern Alamance County. UNCG alumni were treated to the stars, with guidance from Dr. Stephen Danford and Dr. Robert Muir, UNCG associate professors of physics and astronomy. The 32-inch telescope at the Three-College Observatory is the largest in North Carolina.

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## Young Alumni Cookout



*Taylor Garden came alive on June 28 for the Young Alumni Cookout. Begger's Holiday provided the music; band member Lester Gross (right) is a 1980 graduate. Special guests were UNCG's athletic coaches.*

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**Homecoming and Centennial Kickoff**

No matter when you graduated, you certainly won't want to miss this year's Homecoming festivities. Along with the traditional Homecoming events — picnics, parade, soccer games, and an alumni foot race — will be the kick-off of the University's Centennial Celebration. October 4-6 are the dates. Clear your calendar, and watch for details of these special events.

**Friday, October 4**

- 11:30 am Alumni Luncheon Buffet
- 2:15 pm Centennial Convocation
- 4:30 pm Laying of a Wreath at the McIver Statue, Opening of the 50th Anniversary Box
- 5:30 pm Class Reunion gatherings
- 6:00 pm Alumni Supper
- 8:00 pm Alumni/Student Talent Show

**Saturday, October 5**

- 8:00 am - 11:00 am Alumni Recreation Activities
- 9:00 am Alumni Coffee-Brunch
- 9:30 am Spartan "Race for the Gold"

- 10:00 am - 2:00 pm UNCC Showcase at City Stage (downtown Greensboro)
- Noon - 1:00 pm Alumni Lunch: Yum Yum Hot Dogs and Ice Cream
- Noon - 2:00 pm Alumni Reunion Class Parties
- 2:00 pm - Alumni Soccer Match
- 4:00 pm Homecoming Parade
- 5:00 pm Homecoming Picnic
- 6:00 pm Women's soccer game vs. Dayton
- 8:00 pm Men's soccer game vs. Ohio State
- 8:00 pm Glasnost Ballet and the North Carolina Symphony

**Sunday, October 6,**

- 11:00 am Worship Service
- 12:30 pm Alumni Picnic on the Grounds

The classes of 1971, 1976, 1981, 1986, and 1991 will celebrate their traditional class reunions, and alumni of the University Chorale and Spartan soccer teams will be invited to special reunions.

The soccer games on Saturday night will be played in the new lighted soccer stadium, now under construction.

**Attention!**

*Classes of 1941 and 1942*

Were you involved with the closing of the time capsule at the University's fiftieth anniversary? The sealed box will be opened during the Centennial Kickoff Weekend, and the contents will be displayed in Jackson Library during October.

The Fiftieth Anniversary Box will be opened at the Wreath Laying Ceremony on October 4, 1991, at 4:30. The ceremony will be held on the Jackson Library lawn at the McIver Statue.

If you were a student here during the fifty-year celebration of the Woman's College, then you'll be interested to see what items from your college days have been preserved.

An Anniversary Box will be sealed in 1992 to be opened at the University's Sesquicentennial in 2042. Any suggestions for what should be included?

**Distinguished Service**

The nomination of worthy alumni for Alumni Distinguished Service Awards may be made until November 30. The awards, to be presented at the 1992 Annual Meeting, recognize outstanding volunteer service in one's community, notable achievement in one's profession, and/or significant contributions of service to the University. Nomination forms are available from the Alumni Office.

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## Alumni Centennial Show

Those of us who graduated early enough to remember Junior Shows will delight in the plans under way for a special Alumni Centennial Show at Reunion 1992. Judy Wolfe '65, producer of the tribute to Barbara Parrish at the 1990 Annual Meeting, is at her keyboard again, this time creating a Centennial extravaganza.

Judy requests your help in collecting any scripts, scores, lyrics, audiotapes, or films of previous Junior Shows. She's also interested in the names of Junior and Senior Show directors. If you have material to share, please send it to the Alumni Office. Photocopies are welcomed, but originals will be returned to you.

Want to be on stage again? Judy is looking for volunteers, especially singers for the chorus in the Alumni Centennial Show. Submit your name to the Alumni Office, too. The performance will be on May 16, 1992, during the Reunion festivities.

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## Calling Graduate Economics Alumni

The Economics Department is looking for its MA graduates and degree candidates. A newsletter is planned, so send your personal and professional news to the Bryan School of Business and Economics in care of Don McCrickard (919-334-5338) or Stuart Allen (919-334-5463).

## Commemorative Watercolor

Only one building on campus has the distinction of greeting every graduate of our alma mater — the Foust Building. Built in 1891-92 to greet the first students arriving on the ten-acre campus, the Foust Building now symbolizes a century of our University's existence.

To commemorate the

Centennial, the Alumni Association has commissioned alumnus William Mangum BFA '75, MFA '81 to create a watercolor of the Foust Building. The full-color, limited edition reproduction is available for sale.

Interested alumni may obtain a brochure and order blank from the Alumni Office.

## MBA's Form Alumni Association

■ by Brad Kirkman '91 MBA

A group of MBA graduates and current students have taken what they believe is an important step in strengthening the Master of Business Administration program by forming their first alumni association. The students have the support of the University's Alumni Association as well as the dean and the faculty of the Joseph M. Bryan School of Business and Economics.

Although the association is still in its infancy, the organizers agree that the mission of the group should reflect that of the Bryan School and the University's motto: Service. The association will promote service to the Bryan School, the University, the alumni, and to the surrounding community through its activities.

An alumni awareness

campaign started this summer and will culminate in the first MBA alumni dinner during the fall of this year. A guest speaker will be invited from the business community.

Alumni organizers believe that ties between the School and its former students will best serve the future of the MBA program and is certainly in the interests of MBA students themselves. The association hopes to draw on the valuable input from the many UNCG MBA alumni in the area.

Class representatives will be recruited by the association for all years since the program first began in 1971. Alumni interested in attending an organizational meeting may contact the MBA Office at (919) 334-5390 for more information.

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## FROM THE PRESIDENT

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*Ann Phillips McCracken '60,  
President of the Alumni Association,  
lives in Sanford.*

### ***Another Alumni Reunion Weekend has come and gone, but we still have the wonderful memories...***

**A**ll of the reuniting classes seemed to enjoy being back on our campus, as lovely as it has ever been. And, as usual, the elegant Alumni House was the site for so many activities. In addition to the careful planning of Brenda Cooper and her staff, how nice of Carolyn Maness, Association House Committee Chair, to provide the beautiful flower arrangements all over the House.

On Saturday, the "starring" class, the Class of 1941, made a triumphal entry into the Association's Annual Meeting in Aycock. What a generous gift this class made to the University — funds for a clock tower that has been designed and will be built near the new University plaza.

Another highlight of the Annual Meeting was the presentation of the Alumni Distinguished Service Awards. Congratulations to these impressive recipients who make us all so proud.

And, as always, I found singing the College Song a bit difficult because of the lump in my throat.

How sad for all of these happy events to be followed so soon by Barbara Parrish's death. Although she had retired as Alumni Director, her "special touch" was still there at Reunion. And that is what we will remember and be grateful for — her unique personality and her contributions to the alumni, to the Alumni Association, and to the University.

So, welcome to all Centennial events, and come to as many as you can. I especially look forward to our gathering on October 4 and 5 as we launch our lovingly planned and eagerly awaited celebration.

See you soon...

# CLASS NOTES

Class Notes are based on information received by personal letters, news clippings, and press releases.

Alumni are listed in Class Notes in the year when their first degree was earned at UNCG. Information in parentheses indicates that an advanced degree has been earned at UNCG. A "C" following a class date identifies a Commercial class; an "x" indicates a non-graduate. City and county names not otherwise identified are located in North Carolina.

## '20s

**May Shearer Stringfield** '23 lives at the Presbyterian Home, Box 188, High Point 27261. She wants to keep in touch with her classmates.

Formerly of Lincolnton, **Oeland Putnam Reece** '26x writes that she is living in a retirement home in Tampa, FL, to be near her family.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Frances Welch Cridlebaugh** '26 of High Point whose husband, Edward, died January 16, 1991.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Martha Jenkins Marsh** '27 of Salisbury whose husband, Frank, died March 19, 1991.

## '30s

**Lib Uzell Griffin** '38 of Durham and her husband, W. Kimball, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary last December with their nine children. In March the North Carolina Association of American Mothers named her their 1991 Mother of the Year.

**Emily Harris Preyer** '39 ('77 LLD, Hon.) of Greensboro is a member of the board of trustees of the North Carolina Nature Conservancy.

## '41

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Jane Cook Mollenhoff** of Lexington whose husband, Clark, died March 2, 1991.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Mary Lewis Smith** of Whiteville whose husband, Burwell, died in March 1991.

## '42

**Lucille Darvin Maurer** of Silver Spring, MD, was re-elected Maryland State Treasurer for a second four-year term. Her husband, Ely, is an assistant legal advisor with the US State Department.

## '44

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Jean Cantrell Taylor** of Greensboro whose husband died in February 1991. Survivors include their daughter, **Faye Taylor Shinn** '80 of Houston, TX.

## '45

**Julia Taylor Morton** of Linville is a member of the board of trustees of Lees-McRae College.

**Margaret Clark Simmons** of San Diego, CA, was one of two 1990 Volunteers of the Year named by Project Concern International, an organization working to improve health and decrease infant mortality rates.

## '46C

**Katherine Hamm Mabry** of Wilson, who retired January 31 from BB&T as vice president and business services officer, was named to the bank's city board of directors.

## '48

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Ruth Murphy Blaylock** ('58 MEEd) of Rocky Mount whose husband, Stanton, died May 19, 1991.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Dorothy Foster Wannamaker** of Greensboro whose daughter, Dorothy Fishburn, died March 31, 1991.

## '50

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Helen Hicks Gant** of Burlington whose husband, Cecil, died April 24, 1991.

## '52

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Bessie Surratt Young** of Lexington whose son, Jim, died January 29, 1991.

## '53

**Anne Ward Martin** of Bermuda Run has retired after teaching for seventeen years in North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia.

## '54

**Frances Jackson Butler** of Roanoke Rapids is director of the Halifax County Department of Social Services.

**Clara Morris Hedberg** and her husband, Carl, live in Charlotte. She is an assistant principal at Graham Junior High.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Margaret Pritchett Howell** of Charlotte whose husband, Earl, died May 6, 1991.

## '55

**Zora Daniel Bunin** of Greensboro is a portrait artist.

**Vira Rodgers Kivett** ('60 MS, '76 PhD), a professor in UNCG's department of child development and family relations, has been approved as a fellow in the behavioral and social sciences section of the Gerontological Society of America.

## '56

An agent with Ruby Braswell Realty, **Mary Lib Scott Wordsworth** of Rocky Mount was named the company's 1990 Broker Associate of the Year.

## '58

In June **Margaret Tillett Williams** retired from teaching in the Virginia Beach, VA, Schools.

## '59

**Jane Johnson Bird** of Waynesville, principal of North Canton Elementary, was named Haywood County's Principal of the Year.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Inez Curtis Spence** of Greensboro whose husband, Ben, died March 28, 1991.

# Class of '26

## REUNION REPORT

by Eleanor Vanneman Bennett

Thank you, all of you in the Alumni Office, for planning our reunion so well. Although there were few of us, we had a wonderful time reminiscing and catching up and eating all the goodies.

Hermene Warlick Eichhorn, Greensboro, lives in her own home but is planning to go to the Wellspring Retirement Center when it is built.

Vail Gray Saunders lives in a retirement home in Wilmington.

Sallie Harrison Atkinson lives in her own home in Lumberton.

Elizabeth Reinhardt Love, Iron Station,

was here with her husband, Edgar (Cap). He was full of stories and jokes and kept us all entertained. They live in her restored family home, built in 1825.

Ellen Stone Scott, Danielsville, GA, was here with her daughter, Leona Scott Finch '52.

Leta Warren Berry, Wilmington, lives in her own home.

Hilda Weil Wallerstein lives at Abbottswood in Greensboro.

Eleanor Vanneman Bennett lives at Friends Homes in Greensboro.

**Reunioners:** Sallie Harrington Atkinson, Eleanor Vanneman Bennett, Leta Warren Berry, Hermene Warlick Eichhorn, Ruth Henry, Elizabeth Reinhardt Love, Frances Vail Gray Saunders, Ellen Stone Scott, Hilda Weil Wallerstein

### '61

Reunion  
1996

**Hannah Abernethy Frenier** lives in Anchorage, AK, where she works with "at risk" teenagers at SAVE II High School, an alternative academic and vocational program. She's also a consultant for the State Department of Education and travels to remote villages to instruct teachers and native teacher aides.

### '63

Reunion  
1993

**Wilma Patrick Morgan**, a fourth grade teacher at Cone Elementary, received one of three Greensboro Public School Fund 1991 Teaching Excellence Awards.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Anne Tate Christopher** of Greensboro whose husband, John, died April 7, 1991.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Judith Salko Murray** of Greensboro whose husband, James, died April 2, 1991.

### '64

Reunion  
1994

**Hinda Bershtein Berkelhammer** of Greensboro creates custom-designed jewelry. Her business is called Designs by Hinda.

### '65

Reunion  
1995

**Alice Smith Felts** lives in Cary and is food service manager at Rex Hospital, Raleigh.

**Molly Dotson Morgan** of Reidsville received her divinity degree from Duke University and is interim associate pastor at Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church, Southern Pines.

**Sue Richardson Spencer** ('68 MEd, '80 MLS) is director of instructional media with the Randolph County Schools.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Katherine Burkhart Craver** of Lexington whose husband, Leonard, died in August 1990.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Helga Hutten Howell** of Greensboro whose husband, James, died March 27, 1991. Survivors include their daughter, **Kristin Howell-Seme** '79 (MBA) of Wilmington.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Billy Payne** (MEd) of Asheboro whose wife, Geraldine, died February 9, 1991. Survivors include their daughter, **Donna Payne Ferguson** '78 of Asheboro.

### '66

Reunion  
1996

**Carole Moss Carlson** lives in Crystal, MN, where she is coordinator of placement and industry advisory committees with Hennepin Technical College. Her husband, Lyndon, teaches and is a state legislator.

**Jane Meyer Martin** is with Morgan Stanley in New York City, where she manages investment portfolios for private clients.

**Bruce Parcell Shook** ('82 MLS) is a media specialist at Mendenhall Middle School, Greensboro.

### '67

Reunion  
1992

**Kelly Cherry** (MFA) of Madison, WI, has had a book, titled *The Exiled Heart: A Meditative Autobiography*, published by the Louisiana State University Press.

**Frances Tomlin Dudenhoeffer** is director of intramurals at New Mexico State University-Las Cruces.

**Carolyn Nelson Messick** is graphic designer with Booker MediaLinks, Ltd., Greensboro.

**Emma Pugh Routh** (MEd), principal of the Franklinville School, was named Principal of the Year by the Randolph County Schools.

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**'68**Reunion  
1993

**Hazel Jarvis Carroll** (MEd) of Pleasant Garden has retired and is caring for her granddaughter, Whitney Jones, who was born October 21, 1990.

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**'69**Reunion  
1994

**Barbara Wesley Baker** is choral conductor at Roosevelt High School in Greenbelt, MD.

Associate principal at Eastover-Central Elementary, science coordinator for the Cumberland County Schools, and president-elect of the NC Science Teachers Association, **Fred Beyer** (MEd) of Fayetteville has written a book, titled *North Carolina: The Years Before Man*, a *Geologic History*, published by Carolina Academic Press.

Attorney **Carolyn Burnett Ingram** is in private general practice in Kenansville.

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**'70**Reunion  
1995

**Wilsonia Cherry** and Robert Williams were married in March in Washington, DC. She is a senior program officer with the National Endowment for the Humanities, and he is an associate professor of biochemistry at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences.

**Kim Ketchum** is president of the UNCG Theatre Angels, the UNCG Theatre support group.

**William** (MEd) and **Rebecca Webster Graves** (MEd) live in Burlington. He is principal of Newlin Elementary School and is 1991 Principal of the Year for the Burlington City Schools. She teaches academically gifted classes at Grove Park and Eastlawn Elementary Schools.

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**'71**Reunion  
1991

**Thomas Gunn** (MEd) is director of the library at the University of Jacksonville (FL).

**Anne Hathaway** ('78 MLS, '83 EdD) of Monroe has been appointed dean of the School of Education at Wingate College.

**Linda Kelly-Arnold** of Hartford, CT, is general counsel for Connecticut National Bank.

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**'72**Reunion  
1992

A faculty member in the department of counseling and specialized educational development in the School of Education at UNCG, **L. DiAnne Borders** was promoted to associate professor. Last spring she received the NC Association for Counseling and Development's 1991 Professional Writing and Research Award.

**Donald DeVore**, manager of corporate public relations, is a vice president of NCNB Corp.

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**'73**Reunion  
1993

**Jim Best Jr.** (MA) of Ararat, VA, has his own speech pathology practice.

**Isabelle Reedy Powell** (PhD) is the 1991 winner of the NC Sociological Association Award for distinguished contributions to sociology. She recently retired from Greensboro College as an assistant professor of sociology.

**Melinda Eudy Ratchford** (MEd) of Belmont is director of media services with the Gaston County Schools.

**David Shelton** (MEd, '80 PhD) of Wilkesboro is vice president of store operations for Lowe's.

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**'74**Reunion  
1994

**Jane Grant McKinney** ('78 MM, '89 EdD) won the National Outstanding Dissertation Award competition of the Council for Research in Music Education. An assistant professor of music education at Greensboro College, Jane is director of the Stage Band and division chair of fine arts.

**William McKinney** (MEd), a chemistry teacher at Grimsley High, received one of three Greensboro Public School Fund 1991 Teaching Excellence Awards.

**Ruth Watson Scheuer** of New York, a Falk visiting artist, exhibited her tapestries in March at UNCG's Weatherspoon Art Gallery.

Peter Carl, son of **Frances Sink** and Ed Schork of Wilton, CT, was born September 26, 1990.

**Madeline Gray Swaney** ('90 EdD) teaches at Greensboro's Joyner Elementary School.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Margel Putney Graham** of Greensboro whose husband, Thomas, died February 21, 1991.

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**'75**Reunion  
1995

**Alice Perry Osborne** of Liberty teaches health, wellness, and weight management classes at Randolph Community College. Last February she was honored at the Girls and Women in Sport Day for her contributions to the Liberty Parks & Recreation Department where she teaches aerobics.

**John Purvis** is assistant to the controller at the University of Nevada-Las Vegas.

**Deborah Molloy Silva**, husband, Tim, and children, Lindsay and Marielle, live in Richmond, VA. She is a pharmaceutical sales representative.

**Vicki Sutton** of Cramerton received Distinguished Alumni Award from UNCG's School of Health and Human Performance. She is vice president of King's Entertainment and general manager of Carowinds.

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**'76**Reunion  
1991

**Donna Benson** of Durham is associate vice president for academic affairs with UNC General Administration.

**Nancy Simmons Brown** is office manager of Booker MediaLinks, Ltd., Greensboro.

A book by **John Marshall Carter** (MA), titled *Ritual and Record: Sports Records and Quantification of Pre-Modern Societies*, was published by Greenwood Press. He teaches history and education at Oglethorpe University in Atlanta.

**Andrew Craig** (MA) of Black Mountain is the first full-time director of the Shaw University CAPE (Center for Alternative Programs of Education) in Asheville.

**Lynn Highfill Donovan** is director of marketing, promotions, and development of the Music Center of City Arts in Greensboro.

**James Fisher** (MFA) of Crawfordsville, IN, is an associate professor of theater at Wabash College.

**Sharon Hodgkin Gritz** of Ft. Worth, TX, is the author of *Paul, Women Teachers, and the Mother Goddess at Ephesus*, published by University Press of America.

A faculty member in UNCG's School of Music, **Patricia Sink** ('79 MM) was promoted to associate professor.

# Class of '31

## REUNION REPORT

by Annie Lee Singletary

Fourscore years — how ages-old it once sounded! But for twenty members of the Class of 1931 gathered for their 60th, the years melted away in joyful greetings and reminiscence.

Carrying their banner high and wearing their red and white aprons ("For this I spent four years at NCCW!"), they marched proudly to "reserved" seats down front in Aycock Auditorium for the general Alumni Meeting.

Jane Wharton Sockwell, everlasting president, is due our everlasting gratitude for holding us together for so long. She presided at a brief class meeting at which the Dr. Ruth Collings Scholarship in biology and related subjects was reported in healthy condition with a good prognosis for the future. Betty Brown Jester arrived at the luncheon by wheelchair to warm greetings.

Food, at both the dinner (served in a dining room new to some) and the luncheon in Cone Ballroom, was served beautifully from buffet tables and deco-

rated in flowers and ice sculpture. Some recalled that it contrasted strongly with the grapenut ice cream and raw peanut with cabbage salad of Depression days.

Present pictorially, if not personally, was Eloise Ward Phelps, whose face and achievements were projected on wide screen to announce her selection as one of five alumni to receive the Distinguished Service Award for 1991.

Catherine Harris Ainsworth and her husband probably came from the most distant point, Buffalo, NY, where she was associate professor in English at Niagara Community College.

And history does seem to repeat itself. Jessie Middleton Blue, who reported the greatest number of great grandchildren among those present for the 50th reunion, retained her title at this one.

And was it the same husband who remarked at the 50th that "You all look a lot better than I expected you to" who was heard to make the same comment this time?

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**Reunioners:** Catherine Harris Ainsworth, Jessie Wiggs Middleton Blue, Bernice Apple Cross, Mary Frances Misenheimer Darden, Lydia Cohoon Elliott, Selma Stegall Flinn, Lorene Meares Gibson, Louisa Hatch, Margaret McCormick Hurley, Mary Delia Rankin Jarman, Betty Brown Jester, Mildred Turner Lee, Catherine Wharton Montague, Sallie Moring, Martha McGee, Vera Nancy Cox Schaeffer, Annie Lee Singletary, Sara Henry Smith, Jane Wharton Sockwell, Tillie Robinson Sugg, Mary Fowle Perry Vance

### '77

Reunion  
1992

**Barbara Hardy Bunn** is marketing manager of the Raleigh-Durham district with Browning-Ferris Industries.

**James Carter** (EdS) is community-schools coordinator with the Mount Airy City Schools.

**Patricia Carol Corns** ('88 MEd) and Dan Douglas Gabriel were married June 22, 1991. Among her attendants were **Dee Gabriel Hammond** '80, **Jill Dorsett Kieser** '82 (MLS), and **Julii Coulter Parker** '82, '83 (MM). Pat teaches in the High Point City Schools, and Dan works for Dust-Tex in Greensboro. After a Caribbean cruise, they are living in High Point.

An assistant professor of history at Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH, **Thomas T. Taylor** ('79 MA) was given the Omicron Delta Kappa Award for outstanding teaching by a faculty member employed less than five years.

**Martha Thomas** and Phillip Terry were married in Coleridge in March. She is with the Gaston County health department, and he is with Terry's Home Improvements.

**Deborah Troutman**, daughter of **Mary Abernethy Troutman** '54, and Billy Williams were married in April in Hickory. Both are employed in the rehabilitation division of Broughton Hospital.

**Anne R. Williams** is coordinator of resources development at Catawba Valley Community College.

**Janice Howell Williams**, a teacher at College Street Elementary in Sampson County, was selected by *The Sampson Independent* as Person of the Week for her dedication and hard work.



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**'78**Reunion  
1993

**Kathleen McCann** ('89 MEd) lives with her husband, Roger Webster, and daughter, Rebecca, in Greensboro. She is project coordinator in the school health training center, department of public health education, at UNCG. She is also a member of the board of directors of the NC Association for the Advancement of Health Education

**Elizabeth Stalder Parr** (MLS) of Columbus, GA, is director of Christian education at St. Luke Church.

**Alan Pike**, a vice president of First Union National Bank, is commercial banking officer at the High Point office.

**Earle Smith** and Stacy Adler were married in Greensboro in March. He is with T.R. Goforth.

**Sylvia McKinney Williams**, Branch Banking & Trust Co.'s western region audit manager, has been promoted to vice president.

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**'79**Reunion  
1994

**Peter Cieslak** of Greensboro is general manager of the Brick Association of North Carolina.

**Dee Mabe Farrell** ('83 MBA) of Winston-Salem, manager of direct marketing in marketing services, is a vice president with NCNB.

**Keith Martin** ('84 MFA) is managing director of the Charlotte Repertory Theatre.

**Sylvia Valetich Meisner** (MLS) is media specialist at Greensboro's Allen Middle School.

**Ellen Boles Olson** (MPA) is executive director of Planned Parenthood of the Triad.

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**'80**Reunion  
1995

**Mack Arrington** ('82 MA) and Luanne Aminfar were married in April in Greensboro.

**Donald Hamilton Jr.**, marketing officer in the business credit department, was named vice president by NCNB National Bank of Florida, Tampa.

**Lydia Huskins** and Derek Widenhouse were married in April in Gastonia. She is a commercial artist with Radiator Specialty, and he teaches at East Gaston High.

**Dana Holton Jenkins** (MA), husband, Jeff, and children, Rachel and John Homer, have moved to Henderson.

**Betty Stanford Morrow** (MLS) is a librarian at UNCG's Jackson Library.

**Patricia Dole Pearl** (MLS) lives in Richmond and is working for the Virginia House of Delegates.

**Stanley and Dawne Grimes Smith** live in Asheboro with their daughter, Sarah. He is an assistant vice president with First Southern Savings Bank.

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**'81**Reunion  
1991

**Frostenia Maye Smith** (MSN) is director of nursing at Moses Cone Memorial Hospital in Greensboro. She's also an avid bowler who rolled a perfect 300 game last summer.

**Kathryn Parsons** and Robert Baker were married in April in Charlotte. She is a training officer with First Charlotte Bank and Trust, and he is president of Baker Construction.

**Anita Tesh** (MSN, '90 EdD) received the Outstanding Dissertation Award for qualitative research from the American Educational Research Association.

**Joni Varner** and Ellsworth Chou were married in High Point in May. She is creative services producer with WFMY-TV, and he works in the motion picture industry.

**Ellen Wood** is a senior vice president with Wachovia Corporate Services in Nashville, TN.

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**'82**Reunion  
1992

**Michael Allred** (MEd, '87 EdS, '90 EdD) is a middle school principal in Thomasville.

**David and Rowena Burgess Deaton** live in Hilton Head, SC. He is an assistant vice president of Citizens and Southern National Bank of South Carolina.

**Robin Fogleman** and James Perreault were married in May. He owns International Motors in Raleigh.

**Gwen Frazier** and James Shannon Jr. were married last August in Charlotte. She teaches in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools, and he is with the Charlotte Transit Co.

Formerly associate library director at Guilford College, **Damon Hickey** (MA) is director of the library at The College of Wooster (OH).

**Theodore Labosky** ('90 MLS) and his wife, Jennifer, live in Winston-Salem. He is a librarian at the Forsyth County Public Library, and she is chair of the paralegal department at Davidson County Community College.

Michelle Ann, daughter of Bill and **Jeana Murray-Nieporte** of Kilmarnock, VA, was born February 5, 1991.

**Robert W. Smith** (MPA) is vice president of resource development with the United Way of Greater Greensboro.

**Barry Taylor** and Jane Siler, a Duke graduate, were married in May in Greensboro. He is a computer consultant.

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**'83**Reunion  
1993

After ten years at Gardner-Webb College, **Miriam Ash-Jones** (MLS) is teaching at Draytonville Elementary in Boiling Springs.

**Cathy Beazlie** and Marvin Miller were married in April in Raleigh. She is a nurse at Rex Hospital, and he is with the State of North Carolina.

**Beverly Currence** is a rehabilitation counselor with the NC Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services in Chapel Hill.

**Amy Howard** and Scott Hovermale were married in February in Apex. She teaches at St. Timothy's School, and he is with Creative Printworks.

**Dalphine Crowder Mays** ('90 MBA) and her husband, Michael, live in Reidsville. She is a programmer/analyst, and he is with the American Tobacco Co.

**Leslie Michalak** and Curtis Reeves were married in High Point in March. Both are with Moses Cone Memorial Hospital.

**Keith Nance** and Martha Rowden were married in April in Greensboro. He is with East Texas Distributing.

Director of the Madison-Mayodan Recreation Department since 1983, **Dixie Hendrix Penn** was awarded a SHEPERD Award by UNCG's School of Health and Human Performance.

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**'84**Reunion  
1994

UNCG graduate student **James E. Cook** and Joyce Baker were married in Valdese in March. She teaches at Mt. Pleasant High School.

**Mary Johnson** received her MD degree from Wake Forest University in May. She is training in pediatrics at NC Baptist Hospital.

# Class of '36

## REUNION REPORT

by Margaret Smith Hunt

When we got together on the steps of Aycock Auditorium to have our class picture made, there were sixteen of us — the Class of 1936. We had returned in stages, four for overnight in North Spencer, nine arrived in the rain on Saturday morning, and three in time for the Alumni Meeting.

In our own independent way we had found our sign and seats in the special section at the front of the auditorium where seeing and hearing are most advantageous. The Classes of '26 and '31 had escorts to help them find their places while the younger classes came in singing their class songs, trying to be heard above the hubbub of conversations.

The luncheon in Elliott Center was delicious, the ice sculptures and flower arrangements spectacular. Louise Bell Moffitt, our enthusiastic, dependable, and friendly class president, expressed her pleasure at seeing us and her hopes for a big get-together in five years. In spite of her references to hip-joint replacements and by-pass surgery, we agreed to make every effort to return and to urge others to do the same.

The campus is moving westward. There is the Plaza between the new dining hall and dorms on the quadrangle where a clock tower is to be built by the Class of

1941. A new Student Recreation Center is in the making on the edge of the golf course just beyond the enormous (compared to Rosenthal) gymnasium. The Yum-Yum is 'way down Spring Garden Street near the Business and Economics Building.

Dr. McIver is gleaming in his place in front of Jackson Library after a cleaning to make him presentable for the Centennial Year. There are bicycle racks in front of the dorms. And in the directions for the weekend was a note that said, "Dorm closing time on Friday and Saturday nights will be 2 a.m." Good heavens!

Alumni President Ann McCracken in her report to the Association said, in effect, that the University will continue to offer the opportunity for the best education in the State of North Carolina. We expect that to be so. As the slide presentation that concluded the meeting showed, the State Normal and Industrial School began in the horse-and-buggy days in a muddy field. We have come to co-education and one-way streets and a soccer field on a beautifully landscaped campus. Times have changed, students have changed, and we must change (or bend a little) with them even as we pledge unflinching loyalty to our University.

**Julie Leidy and David Bradsher '86**, son of James and **Virginia Bass Bradsher '59**, were married in Greensboro in May. They live in Arlington, VA. She is with Abramson Associates, and he is with Deloitte-Touche.

US Air Force Captain **Joseph Roberson**, a database section chief, is stationed at Tinker AFB in Oklahoma.

**Amber Shelton** and John Wagner were married in Greensboro in March. Both are with American Wholesale Beverage. Members of the wedding party included her sister, **Tonda Shelton '86** of Madison, and her brother, **Tom T. Shelton Jr. '90**.

**Janet Lynch Thompson (MEd)**, her husband, Dean, and son, William, live in Mebane. She teaches at Western Middle School.

**Thomas and Betsey Donald Wells '85** live in Greensboro. He is southeastern regional credit manager with Thomasville Furniture, and she is graphic designer with the University Publications Office at UNCG.

**Scott Wilson (90 MEd)** of Mount Airy is with North Surry High School.

**SYMPATHY** is extended to **Janet Parris Gray** of Jamestown whose husband, William, died April 12, 1991.

**Reunioners:** Betty Griesinger Aydelette, Julia Rice Chalmers, Mary Motsinger Evans, Elise Monroe Hendrix, Helen Jones Hernden, Carmen Austin Hogan, Margaret Smith Hunt, Bibbie Yates King, Pat Knight, Carolyn Weill LeBauer, Margaret Mayhew, Louise Bell Moffitt, Frances Boyette Morton, Martha Thomas Read, Elizabeth Shore Reece, Mary Rives, Mable Farmer Seawright, Sarah Ambrose Wise

**Elizabeth Ball-Miller** of Wilkesboro is marketing specialist for lighting products with Lowe's Companies.

**Sidney A. Blake** received his MD degree from Wake Forest University in May and will train in internal medicine at the Orlando (FL) Regional Medical Center.

**Miriam Blackwelder Fields** is director of alumni affairs at Greensboro College.

**Robin Heathershaw** and **Michael Davis** were married in Greensboro in May. She is a computer programmer, and he is manager of the user support center at Ciba-Geigy. Attendants included her sister, **Beth Heathershaw Shope '80** of Greensboro.

Now living in Detroit, MI, **Joni McMillan** and **Tyrone Davis** were married in April in Charlotte. She was a corporate spokesperson for Duke Power. He is a district manager with Warner-Lambert.

**Kim Foster Mims** and her husband, **Derrick**, live in Reidsville. She is coordinator of Job Training Partnership Act programs with Regional Consolidated Services in Yanceyville. He is with Burlington Industries.

**Jane Preyer (MS)** resigned as women's tennis coach at Duke and is a graduate student at UNC-Chapel Hill.

# Class of '46

## REUNION REPORT

by Edna Flynn Lane

What fun we all had at our 45th reunion! Of the fifty-eight who signed up, some had attended previous reunions, and some of us had not seen most of our classmates since graduation. Sis Queensbury Hogan came the farthest — all the way from Hawaii. When we looked at each other's nametags (with large green lettering) and then zeroed in on the faces, time seemed to slip away.

For those of us who stayed in the dorms, it was easy to fall into the patterns of our college days — the sense of camaraderie, picking up on conversations as if we had seen each other the day before, and, of course, talking, talking, talking. Would you believe air-conditioned rooms and boys and girls on the same floor? Since we had some husbands on our floor, we were right in step with the times. Our class stayed in North Spencer, and we walked through the "catacombs" trying to find (and sometimes losing) our way to the dining halls.

The Greensboro gals did a super job of planning for our class events. Nancy White arranged a lovely luncheon at the Greens-

boro City Club, and Virginia Ford Zenke and her husband, Henry, graciously entertained us at their fascinating old home. The husbands who were brave enough to attend the reunion seemed to have a good time, too. The Alumni House staff arranged for students to help us get our luggage to our rooms, and vans and cars were available to help us get around campus and to our various functions. That was great!

As several of us sat on the library steps at dusk on Saturday, we discussed the beauty of the campus, the good food, the spirited (?) singing of our class song, as well as the problems of the University — including the loss of faculty and increased class sizes due to reduced funding. The accomplishments of the five women honored at the Alumni Meeting were "mind-boggling" as well as those of many of our classmates.

All in all, it was a grand occasion, and if you were not there, we missed you. Begin now to make your plans to attend our 50th in 1996.

**Reunioners:** Janie Pearce Amis, Sue Smith Applewhite, Virginia Atkins, Carolyn Hollingsworth Austell, Haldane Bean Ball, Caroline Summerlin Barbee, Jerry Jones Beadle, Mary Frances Hunter Boyd, Liz Davenport Browder, Marge Burns, Phyllis Freeman Campbell, Orrell Moody Clark, Virginia Allen Cobb, Betty Sarratt Cowan, Jane Austin Cunningham, Jean Dunlap Dickinson, Ruth Michael Dickson, Nancy Brame Dumbell, Rachel Fleming Edwards, Helen Thompson Eland, Jane Severance Fry, Irene Graham Galloway, Fannie Sowers Green, Nancy Edmunds Hannah, Martha Hearn, Musa Queensbury Hogan, Enulie Cobb Huffman, Marilyn Jackson, Beryl May Jaynes, Dot Perkins Johnson, Agnes Manson Jones, Jane Linville Joyner, Nancy Williard Lambert, Edna Flynn Lane, Betty Yost Little, Mickey Ottinger Lundgren, Carolyn Jones Maness, Mary Allen Monroe, Marjorie Smith Morris, Margaret Prongay Mulvey, Eleanor Younts McCall, Julia Spence McDaniel, Mary Whitener McLaughlin, Jean McMichael, Billie Phipps, Jean Stockton Piner, Carol Raper, Phyllis Vreeland Roberts, Betsy Ivey Sawyer, Evelyn Spencer Smith, Jane Stafford Sporleder, Bennie Lowe Stedman, Lib White Stroup, Carolyn Warren Sumner, Ruth Cooke Thomassen, Nancy Loyd Vernon, Lolly Cochrane White, Nancy White, Marceline Weathers Wood, Marguerite Smith Wood, Frances Yount, Virginia Ford Zenke

# Class of '46C

## REUNION REPORT

by Mary Irvin "Fuzzie" Thompson Reavis

The Class of 1946C reconvened on campus last May with the same spirit of camaraderie as in past years. We shared our latest pictures and listened and laughed at the tales and recollections of tugging mattresses out into the halls, setting alarm clocks and hanging them over Mrs. West's window, and other such things that seemed funny at the time. We strolled the campus, awed by the physical changes, and tried to remember how it all looked then.

Hey! We learned something this time. Husbands can come and stay in the dorms overnight, so no excuses, now, that you can't leave hubby behind. Husbands of Reba Pipkin Cowell (Talmadge) and Betty Hayes Robinson (Tom) came Friday and had dinner with us that night. Certainly a new experience for them, and we applaud their efforts.

Surprise! Surprise! We learned that

next year's reunion will be May 17 and will not fall on Mother's Day...one of the rare times. The gals all want to do a repeat in hopes more of you can come. Really, you have to come to know what you've been missing. We're a very unique and special class, and we truly hope those of you who have been coming will continue to do so and that those of you with good intentions will make a concerted effort to be with us. We miss you.

We updated the alumni computer listing as best we could. We need your help to keep contacts, so drop me a line when you become aware of any news or address changes (2530 Lullington Drive, Winston-Salem, NC 27103), and I'll be sure it's passed on to the Alumni Office. Our thanks to the Alumni Office for their help and for always making us feel welcome. See you in '92!

**Reunioners:** Rosa Mac Coghil, Reba Pipkin Cowell, Kathy Tilley Hinkle, Doris Ward Huff, Ethlyn Barnhardt Kearns, Betty Jo Kirby Kidd, Louise Daniels Miller, Edna Freeman Murray, Mary Thompson Reavis, Betty Hayes Robinson, Wanda Willard Tilley, Louise Stegall Tripp

**Phoebe Routh**, daughter of Donald Routh of Franklinville and **Patty Hardin Routh '64** ('72 MEd) of Asheboro, and Anthony Patterson were married in Greensboro in May. She is assistant controller for State Street Partners, and he is an account rep for Sonoco Products.

**Amy Senter** and George Pope were married in February in Raleigh. She is an administrative dietician with the NC Department of Corrections, and he is a sales representative with Lumenergy Lighting.

**Martha Sherrill** and Gregory Barrier were married in Greensboro in May. She is with SIM-USA, and he is with Campus Crusade for Christ. Attendants included her sister, **Sandra Sherrill Womble '81** of Winter Park, FL.

**Lee Willoughby** of Cary is assistant marketing manager with Duke University Press.

## '86

Reunion  
1991

**Scott Culclasure** (MEd), a High Point Central High School history teacher, is the National Endowment for the Humanities/Reader's Digest Teacher-Scholar for North Carolina for 1991.

**Mary Farley** and Scott Van de Linden were married in Greensboro in March. He is with the Estee Lauder Company.

**Karen Thorsen Greeson** is executive director of Greensboro's Voluntary Action Center.

**James Herring Jr. and Jodi Doss '90** were married in Burlington in April. He serves on the UNCG police force, and she is program coordinator with Ralph Scott Homes.

**Lori Hodgin Mills** is a mental health specialist with Charter Hospital of Greensboro.

**Charles Keith** is a customer services representative with Graybar Electric.

**Rebecca Mills** and Steven Yarbrough were married in April in Greensboro. Both are with AT&T.

**Beth Reichardt** ('89 MLS) and Michael Lucas were married in March in Star. She is reference librarian at Valdosta (GA) State College, and he is with Walt Disney World.

**Ann Smith Swift** (MEd) has a psychotherapy practice in Greensboro.

**William Welder** began his medical internship in Greenwood, SC, in May.

## '87

Reunion  
1992

**Elizabeth Bouldin and Charles Hall '90** were married in Greensboro in February. She is with Ciba-Geigy, and he is with Logen Enterprises.

**Lynn Hawthorne** and Allen Rails were married in Greensboro in May. She is a quality engineer with Konica Manufacturing USA, and he is a physical therapist with National Rehabilitation Centers, Inc.

**Kari Jennett** and Lieutenant Robert Baker Jr. (USN) were married in Winston-Salem in March. She is with MacThrift Office Furniture. Attendants included her sister, **Colleen Jennett Oldham '87** of Kernersville.

**Eve Johnson** and John Roser Jr. were married in February in High Point. She is with The Talent Connection, and he is with Roser and Gregory, Furniture Designers.

**Queenie Kittrell** is a banking officer with Wachovia Bank & Trust in Mebane.

**Jeanna Lawing** and David Bullins were married in Hickory in May. She is with Culp, Inc., and he is with the Greensboro Fire Department. Honor attendant was **Joelle Lawing** '89 of Hickory.

**Kimberly Luther** and Clyde Parker Jr. were married in Greensboro in March. She is with the High Point City Schools, and he is with the CAP Care Group.

**John Parrish** and **Gretchen Raliff** '90 were married in Reidsville in March. He is a senior telephone service rep with American Express, and she is a business educator with the Caswell County Schools.

Principal of Reidsville High, **Julia C. Williams** (EdD) was named 1990 Principal of the Year for the Reidsville City Schools.

**Shannon Woolfe** of Carrboro is development secretary with the North Carolina Nature Conservancy.

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## '88

Reunion  
1993

**Richard Brinegar** and **Ava Hunter** were married in April in Pilot Mountain. He is employed by Forsyth County, and she is with the Triad United Methodist Home.

**Sandra Charles** (MEd) and Douglas Tucker were married in Alva, FL, in March. She is an education coordinator with Eckerd Family Youth Alternatives, and he is a salesman with Beebe Brothers. She was escorted by her brother, **Craig Charles** '84 of Lexington.

**Seth Cole**, a graduate student in piano at UNCG, was among the winners of the Young Artist Auditions of the Greensboro Music Teachers Association. He is also choral director of Vandalia Presbyterian Church and the Tri-City Junior Academy in High Point.

**Dianne Daniel** (MM) is a music instructor at Brevard College and co-director of the School for Gifted Students in the Arts.

**Bonnie Drye** of Thomasville is president of the MBA Association at UNCG.

**Tammy Hill** and Kenneth Roundtree were married in Durham in April. She is a patient account rep with Coastal of Greensboro, and he is a territory manager with Roche Labs.

**Lisa Holler** and Timothy Warren were married in Statesville in April. She is a nurse at Iredeil Memorial Hospital, and he is with Warren's Repair Service.

**Jonathan Jobe**, branch operations manager at Thomasville's North Office of Wachovia Bank & Trust, was elected a banking officer with the firm.

**Theresa Olczak** and Derek Murphy were married in Winston-Salem in March. She teaches in the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools, and he is with Gilbarco.

**Angela Puckett** and Billy Gibbs Jr. were married in Clemmons in April. Both are with Puckett Enterprises.

**Neil Rice Jr.**, a microcomputer applications designer, is operations officer at Wachovia Student Financial Services in Winston-Salem.

**Kevin Robinson** (MBA) and Martha Eskridge, both employed by First Wachovia, Winston-Salem, were married in Burlington in April. He is a vice president, and she is an operations officer.

**Meredith Sparks** and Michael Parker were married in March in Greensboro. Both are with the City of Greensboro.

**Ruby Waters** (MEd) and Todd Homer were married in Topsail Beach last December. She teaches at Coastal Carolina Community College, and he is with Windows, USA.

**John West**, son of Warren and **Georgia Nicholas West** '54, and Ann Preuitt were married in March in Winston-Salem. He is collections manager for the Reynolda House Museum of American Art, and she is a law student at Wake Forest University.

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## '89

Reunion  
1994

**Toni Asbill** and Charles Welch II were married in March in Asheboro. She is an income maintenance caseworker with the Randolph County Department of Social Services, and he is a fabric purchasing agent with Klausner Furniture Industries.

**Maria Ayers** and Thomas Hoth were married in Winston-Salem in April. She is a nurse at Moses Cone Memorial Hospital, and he is a loan counselor with United Guaranty Corp.

**Susan Bateman** and Richard Ingram Jr. were married in May in Burlington. She is assistant manager with the Paragon Group, and he is with McGladrey and Pullen, CPAs and Consultants.

**Jill Cagle** and **Clinton McElroy** were married in May. She is with Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, and he writes for the *Daily Independent* in Kannapolis.

**Donna Gilliam Camp** (MEd) is with Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Forsyth County.

**Jane Mathew Dressler** (DMA) is an assistant professor of voice at Kent (OH) State University.

**Sarah Fletcher** and Daniel Keane, both employed by Tumblebees Gymnastics and Dance, were married in April in Durham. She is pre-school program director, and he is a team coach.

**John Horne** (MBA) and Deborah Hanson were married in February in Highland Park, PA. He is with Geriatrics and Medical Centers, and she is with Glasrock Home Health.

**Elsie Cureton Leak** '89 (EdD) is principal for instruction at High Point Central High School.

**Tammy Leonard** and Stuart Holder were married in Greensboro in February. She owns Leonard Home Daycare, and he is with McKinney Furniture.

**Janice Macopson** (MSN) of Marion is director of nursing for the ICU/telemetry unit at Grace Hospital.

UNCG graduate student **Jan Simmons Maher** will have photographs of her quilts published in *Fiberarts Design, Book Four*.

Writer **Ruth Morris Moose** (MLS) is reference librarian at Pfeiffer College in Misenheimer.

**Jill Mortimore** and Kevin Martin were married in May in Greensboro. She is a nurse at Moses Cone Memorial Hospital, and he is manager for Wolf Camera & Video.

# Class of '51

## REUNION REPORT

by Jaylee Montague Mead

If you missed our 40th reunion, you also missed an event worth coming to Greensboro to see: a recreation of our Junior Show! Authentically costumed can-can dancers Joycelyn Coats Beggs, Dot Hallenbeck Touchstone, Nell Adkins Finch, Betty Lou Mitchell Guigou, and Hilda Wallerstein Fleisher demonstrated that you can still be beautiful and coordinated at 60 plus! A lively chorus, accompanied by Helen Sarles Allred on piano, performed some of the songs from the show. Mimi Temko Stang emceed just as she did in 1950, and Betty Alice "Bones" Godwin Ulrich and Ann Goudelock Stone did their tap dance, but this time sitting down. Without Nellie Bugg Gardner's slouching in the UNCG Library Archives, however, we would not have had the music and other information from the original show. Thanks, Nellie. (We missed you.)

Class President Nancy Blanton Smith asked the usual questions which resulted in

these facts: Ann Goudelock Stone had come the greatest distance — California; Beth King McPherson has the most children — eight — although Fran Fulcher Phillips is a close competitor with seven of her own and three more from her second marriage; Ginger Smith Hornig has had the most husbands — three; the only CEO in the group is Gerry Pearce Dunham; and about half the attendees are still holding paying jobs.

The Reunion Booklet of biographical sketches was invaluable in bringing us "up-to-date" on news of each other. Unfortunately, two additional names were added to the twenty-four listed in the necrology for our class — Nell Richardson Duke and Ann Brothers Currin.

This reunion was so enjoyable that we started planning for the fiftieth by setting up a fourteen-person committee to report in 1996 on ideas for a gift to the University in 2001 (that year has a special ring), suggest what color we will wear to the Annual Meeting (not white), and other plans. It's impossible to describe what you missed, so do come next time and see for yourself.

**Reunioners:** Inza Abernathy, Helen Mae Sarles Allred, Evelyn Dearman Andrews, Kathryn Sink Ayers, Em Ranson Baesel, Ann Linville Bailey, Jane Swindell Barringer, Cecelia Morriss Batchelor, Marie Averitt Baucom, Mary Weatherspoon Beard, Joycelyn Coats Beggs, Maria Carroll Bernot, Ann Flack Boverman, Barbara Mangum Bowland, Bulow Bowman, Rosemary Barber Braun, Lilian Zachary Brookshire, Dorothy Martel Brown, Doris Lyerly Buchanan, Ann Camlin Caldwell, Betty Jane Young Calhoun, Nellie Joyce Callaway, Kathleen Deans Cartland, Marylynn Robeson Coghil, Enid Ayers Cope, June Rose Curtiss, Jane Bledsoe Davidson, Mary Andrews Dickey, Bett Outlaw Dinkler, Gerry Pearce Dunham, Nancy Whitley Estes, Patsy Fowler-Farrior, Jeanette Christian Faulconer, Jean Hogshead Few, Nell Adkins Finch, Hilda Wallerstein Fleisher, Peg Montgomery Freeze, Peggy Rimmer Goldstein, Irene Goodwyn, Dee Banner Griffith, Betty Lou Mitchell Guigou, Nancy Burton Hockett, Edith Hendrix Horne, Ginger Smith Hornig, Carmen Pope Hoyle, Francie Lynam Huffman, Jo Brooks Hughes, Martha Phillip Johnson, Ann Cragan Johnston, Ann Fowler Jones, Joan Austin Keirstead, Ann Ingram Kirk, Kitty Holly Kirkman, Dot Stanfield Lambeth, Eleanor Annis Lucas, Carolyn Pickel Lynch, Addie Williamson Mann, Sara Barker Marshburn, Jaylee Montague Mead, Nancy Pritchett Miles, Carroll Christian Miller, Jeanne Montgomery, Katherine Kilgore McAdams, Jean Hester McMullan, Betty King McPherson, Elizabeth Parker McPherson, Dorothy Norfleet O'Briant, Dot Stother O'Brien, Ann Young Oakley, Tempe Hughes Oehler, Mary Jane Ross Oliver, Fran Fulcher Olson, Mildred Orrell, Ora Lee Scott Parker, Anne Powell, Bonnie Ashe Rance, Eleanor Griswold Reuer, Peggy Sutton Reynolds, Bobbie Haynes Rowland, Frances White Sargeant, Emma Mills Sherrill, Dot Elliott Sink, Ann Slate, Cornelia Kuykendall Smith, Jeannette Lambertson Smith, Nancy Blanton Smith, Mimi Temko Stang, Ann Goudelock Stone, Evangeline Coker Swain, Naida Lyon Swain, Alma Johnson Templeton, Raine Gallagher Thompson, Dot Hallenbeck Touchstone ('52), Flora McIver Trulove, Betty Alice Godwin Ulrich, Lurah Dobson Vanpoole, Jean Hart Walters, Wendy Ward, Cloise Williams, Faye Quinn Williams, Lois Stephens Wilson, Eileen Osheroff Zanar

**Holly Beck Perryman** is an accountant with the firm of W.H. Phillips & Co., Henderson.

**Deana Sherrill** and **Randal King** were married in April in Raleigh. She teaches in the Greensboro City Schools, and he is with NCNB National Bank.

**Roger Shuford** and **Lisa Sawyer** were married in Asheville in May.

**Patricia Black Spicer** (EdD), principal of Bessemer Elementary, was selected as the 1990-91 Administrator of the Year for the Greensboro City Schools.

**Kellie Wilder** and **Jerome Daley Jr.** were married in Greensboro in March. Both are a master's degree candidates at Columbia Biblical Seminary. He is also minister of music at Grace Church. Attendants included her sister, **Nancy Wilder Gordon** '83 of Greensboro.

## '90

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**Karen Andreas** and **Thomas Bronson** were married in April in Greensboro. She is a private clarinet instructor, and he is with B&B X-ray.

**Rhonda Baity** and **Richard Finney** were married in East Bend in February. He is an electronic technician with Dorsett's.

**Kimberly Baumgartner** and **Edward Courtney** were married in Thomasville in March. She is with Line Design Graphics, and he is a teacher and coach at Thomasville High.

**Shannon Cagle** of Carthage is food service manager at Manor Care.

# Class of '56

## REUNION REPORT

by Marion Osborne Thornton

**Alan Cash** is a staff accountant with Dixon-Odom's Sanford office.

**Linda Chilian** (MLS) is an assistant technical information specialist with Glaxo in Raleigh.

**Raymond Covington** (MEd) and his wife, Mona, live in Elon College. He is associate director of planned giving at Elon College.

**Hilda Barker Fish** (MLS) and her husband, James, live in Louisiana. She is a reference librarian with the Franklin County Library, and he is retired.

**Penny Glasgow** and Marshall Downey Jr. were married in January in Durham. He is a zoning technician with the City of Concord.

**William Halberstadt** and **Deirdre Hebert** were married in Charlotte in March. He is a buyer with Hoechst Celanese, and she is with the Charlotte Marriott Executive Park.

**Sharon Holland** and Joe Dixon were married in Greensboro in April. She is with the Guilford County Schools, and he is a Greensboro police officer.

**Lisa Hughes** and US Army Captain Kevin Lech were married in February in Trinity. She is with Central Transport, and he is serving at Ft. Jackson, SC.

**Raynetta Ingool**, daughter of Orville and **Betty Leonard Ingool** '62, and Nolan Joines were married in Greensboro in May. She is with Covington Diesel, and he is with Steel Bar.

**Jacqueline Krieger** and Eric Morgan were married in Greensboro in February. She is with First American Savings, and he is president of Morgan Surveying & Design.

Memories, renewal of old friendships, stories of family and careers, and plans for the future — that's what reunions are made of. The 35th reunion of the Class of 1956 was no different. We graduated on a chilly day in June 1956 in front of Jackson Library, our minds full of plans for careers and marriage. Now here we were thirty-five years later (Can it really be that long?) returning for another reunion weekend. Some of us have been back for every reunion. For at least two it was their first reunion. (Now that you know what you've been missing, plan to be back every five years from now on!)

We came from as far away as California, Texas, Michigan, New York, Florida, and Missouri. On Friday evening we gathered at the home of Reba Winkler Ward-Gundersen for a barbecue. As each new group arrived, we anxiously scanned the faces (and name tags) for friends and acquaintances, wondering if they had changed much in five years, wondering if they would think we had changed much. (Of course not!) There was even a mini-

reunion of Greensboro Senior High alumni, Class of 1952. Miss Cunningham, advisor to our class, was a special guest. Thanks, Reba and Bill, for hosting us.

At our class meeting on Saturday, the passage of time was made evident by the changes in topic of conversation from past reunions. Talk was primarily of plans for retirement and grandchildren rather than of careers and accomplishments of children as in times past. Some were counting the days until retirement; some had already reached that stage. Some had as many as four or five grandchildren; a few were anticipating the arrival of their first. Most impressive was hearing how many of our classmates are actively involved in service to their community, thus carrying on the tradition of UNCG alumni committed to the words, "Our motto, 'Service,' will remain, and service we will do."

It was a great reunion. See you again in five years. If you missed this one, plan to be there next time.

**Reunioners:** Anne Misenheimer Adamson, Billy Mitchell T. Allison, Judi Hall Anderson, Carol Dawson Andrews, Ruth Geiger Andrews, Virginia Marshall Axtell, Edith Foster Baxter, Alice Cash Bishop, Kathryn Clay Bodeen, Louise Butts Brake, Ouida Brown Brown, Delania Underwood Buehler, Romaine Barnes Campell, Patricia Turner Clark, Judy Ellison Couch, Betsy Doughton Dillon, Jane Deans Ferguson, Sybil Crotts Gray, Reba Winkler Ward-Gundersen, Belmar Gunderson, Miriam Flake Hendricks, Evelyn Adams Hieb, Anne Hill, Beverly Annis Howard, Beverly Campbell Hufford, Judy Rosenstock Hyman, Marie Hopkins Isley, Betty Splawn Johnson, Shirley Brown Koone, Edwina Barnett Langford, Frances Linville Marlow, Betty Yeapanis Marshall, Betsy Dunn Mebane, Sybil Terry Monsell, Martha Fulcher Montgomery, Mary Falls Moody, Bonnie Williams Morrah, Barbara Stephens Morris, Yvonne Britt Murphrey, Jody Meacham McAllister, Nancy Jim Quinn McCoy, Lucinda Lanning McDill, Becky Bowen Newell, Carolyn Newsome Pittman, Nancy Reynolds, Fran Turner Ross, Nancy Stafford Settlemyre, Janet Brooks Sheffield, Helen Jernigan Shine, Tina Baty Smith, Esther Benedict Starke, Virginia Lawler Stepanek, Marion Osborne Thornton, Betty Lee Tobert, Margaret Rose Wagner, Helen Pate Williams, Eleanor Martin Winfrey, Marion Prescott Wray, Ann Carlton Wylie, Joyce Young, Kitty Crawley Young

# Class of '61

## REUNION REPORT

by Emily Herring Wilson

Veterans of class reunions and first-timers thought the thirtieth was the best ever. Diane Chambers Pemberton's expressed sentiments as a first-timer made us all cry a little, as we did again when we watched the fiftieth class reunioners proudly march into Aycock. It was a weekend for "feelings."

We talked together — thirty-five of us — sitting in a lounge in Elliott Center on Friday evening, after we had supper with other alumnae in the recently completed complex of dining rooms (an impressive reconstruction out of what we remember, keeping the shape and the high windows, but modernized) — and the food was great. The green campus looked really beautiful — the daisy chain dell in front of Foust is artfully landscaped, the lawns and beds are well maintained, and there is a rather dramatic brick terrace in front of the dining halls.

We spent the night in Mendenhall — which still looks good — and woke up Saturday to a rainy morning such as we remembered from our college days. (Yes, Virginia, there were Saturday classes back then.) It was nice — the rain — because it felt familiar and helped take us back.

Which is why there's a reunion, homecoming, anyway. Even though we heard of UNC's great successes (a new women's studies major, new graduate programs, more students), truthfully we

were more interested in the past than the present. Each of us probably came back for a somewhat different reason and remembered Woman's College somewhat differently. But each classmate likely came to see herself, how she used to be, how she is now in relation to other women our age. And it was so confirming.

So we came to decide at the Friday meeting that this was the best reunion because at our half-century we had gotten to the place where we know ourselves better, can measure where we are and where we came from, and have achieved some goals (careers, families, relationships).

While we were reliving the campus experience, Mary Katsikas was living it for the first time. A day student originally, she spent her first night in a dorm. And she and we couldn't stop laughing at her jokes. (Didn't she used to be shy?)

All in all, it really was just wonderful to rediscover each other and ourselves. In 1996 we hope you'll all come. If you don't, you'll never have any idea of how special it can be. Meanwhile, we'll be writing to you about ideas for a class fund raiser. We do want you to know that we wrote out checks for more than \$350, which we gave to Friends of the Library in the individual names of our classmates who have died. Our class name will go with theirs on the bookplate.

**Judith Bryan Mauney (MEd)** is art teacher at Carnegie Middle School, Raleigh.

Now living in Hickory, **Mechele McNeely** and **Robert McCormack** were married in April. She is with the Burke County Schools, and he deals in real estate investment.

**Michael Pace** and **Cheryl Pint '91** were married in Greensboro in May. He is employed by Guilford County.

**Teresa Peters** and **Michael Linticum** were married in February in High Point. She is with Carolina Repro Graphics, and he is with American Express.

**Gayle Wimberly Scott (EdD)** of Greensboro is director of technical administration with Genetic Design.

**Jhane Reynolds** is an associate with Reynolds Lamps and Interiors in Southern Pines.

**John Stevenson III** of Greensboro has joined the staff of Cannon & Company, Winston-Salem.

**Kathleen Williams** and **Thomas Hyatt** were married in Greensboro in February. She is with Jefferson-Pilot Insurance, and he is with Shamrock Gravure Products. Attendees included her sister, **Patricia Williams Laing '87** of Greensboro.

## DEATHS

### FACULTY

**Alice Youngblood Gentry** of Roxboro, a lecturer in UNC's department of mathematics from 1980-88, died February 5, 1991. Survivors include her husband, Dr. Karl Gentry, an associate professor in the same department.

**Reunioners:** Shirley Kelley Bear, Anne Rogers Curner, Jo Ann Davis, Kathryn Ferebee Fagg, Sally Lynn Atkinson Fisher, Sandra Green Frye, Nancy Britton Fulghum, Jill Game, Dolores Grayson, Janice Graham Hall, Shirley Bernau Hamilton, Shirley Brinson Hartness, Kitty Wagoner Hayes, Emily Higgins, Laura Goldin Hirsch, Zona Quinn Jenkins, Carolyn White Judd, Mary Katsikas, Mimi Needels Keravuori, Carol Christopher Maus, Carroll Walker Miller, Jo Gardner Phillips, Selly Robinson, Janet Self, Mary Thompson Shayler, Barbara Cauble Simpson, Daphne Wingate Skidmore, Harriet Schnell Sloan, Becky Rhodes Smothers, Louella Kidd Stinson, Jo Todd, Diana Williams Walker, Emily Herring Wilson



## DEATHS

### ALUMNI

Retired teacher **Rochelle Pippin Strowd** '14 of Zebulon died April 30, 1991.

The Alumni Office was notified of the January 24, 1991, death of **Mabel Smith Draper** '18 of Boykins, VA.

**Clara Purcell Whitted** '19x of Burlington died February 23, 1991. She was a retired teacher.

**Annie Preston Heilig Fearrington** '20 ('34 MA) of Smyrna, GA, died April 20, 1991. She was head of the foreign language department at Reynolds High School, Winston-Salem, from 1929 until her retirement in 1964.

**Reid Parker Ellis** '21 of Winterville died in March 1991.

The Alumni Office was notified of the March 5, 1991, death of **Mabel Eure Crevensten** '22 of Charlotte.

**Hazel Worsley** '22 of Rocky Mount died February 19, 1991. She retired from the Rocky Mount Public Schools and was a private piano teacher.

The Alumni Office has learned of the February 13, 1991, death of **Daisy Anderson** '23 of Asheville.

Retired Chatham County Schools' teacher **Berta Coltrane McBane** '24 of Pittsboro died May 8, 1991. Survivors include her daughter, **Rebekah McBane Gunn** '63 of Pittsboro.

**Beulah Fleming Shore** '25 of Pilot Mountain died April 23, 1991. She retired from teaching with the Mt. Airy City Schools.

**Thelma Getsinger Barden** '28 of Plymouth died February 18, 1991. She was a retired teacher. Survivors include her daughter, **Mary Alice Barden Goodwin** '67 of Plymouth.

# Class of '71

## REUNION REPORT

by Anne Hathaway

Twenty years had passed when members of the Class of 1971 convened "under the tent" behind the Alumni House to eat and drink, renew friendships, reminisce, and catch up on marital status, children, and careers.

Forty-seven class members and a few venturesome spouses came and went at various times during the weekend, offering variety and providing many opportunities for different conversations. Topics of discussion ran the gamut and included, among other things, the opening of Phillips-Hawkins, painting "Charlie," the Junior Show, halting the printing of *Coraddi*, ending class government, electing the first male president of SGA, and Pat O'Shea's jump into the spaghetti.

Dinner in the Dining Hall revealed a totally renovated and redesigned facility with a plaza area, a closed street between the Dining Hall and the Quad, and no bridges to cross. Located near the Dining

Hall was "The Rock" — the item to paint. "Charlie," newly cleaned and restored, was returned to his place in front of Jackson Library during Reunion Weekend. Class members could only lament the loss that current undergraduates must experience by not being able to elude the Campus Police and paint "Charlie." Surely, the adventure of painting "The Rock" is devoid of excitement, danger, and bonding of classmates.

Discussion among class members generated a great desire to have a second 20th reunion during Homecoming, October 4-5, 1991. The class meeting, therefore, focused on this possibility and addressed the steps to take to set up another reunion weekend this year.

Sated with food, drink, friendship, and conversation, the Class of 1971 dispersed to come together again in October. See you there.

**Reunioners:** Betty Allen, Jean Harman Branch, Elaine Sechrist Brown, Cherry Mann Callahan, Jane Cameron Darwin, Cathy Salmons Fergen, Ann Zimmerman Harper, Anne Hathaway, May Hedgepeth, Susan Wright Hendrickson, Penny Hovis, Lindsay Lamson, Alice Young Lunn, Ann Rutledge Marion, Kathy Messick, Joan McCallister, Jim McKee, Donna Davis Neel, Susan Broussard Nolan, Sue Ruzicka, Barb Scarborough, Kathleen Batten Seawell, Mavis Coe Sebastian, Beverly Davis Strayhorn, Anne Mereness Strupp, Martha Perry Tallent, Beverly James Williams, Ruth Haney Williamson

Former High Point teacher **Frances Hubbard Casey** '28 of Thomasville died February 17, 1991.

Retired home economics teacher **Jane Mann Ferguson** '28 of Pittsboro died February 21, 1991.

**Martha "Polly" Johnston** '28 of Pineville died February 1, 1991. She was a retired teacher and school principal.

**Allene Whitener Worsfold** '28 of Hickory died February 16, 1991. She was a librarian at New York's Union Theological Seminary and in the Virginia State Library's ancient documents section.

**Ruth Pinner Cochrane** '29 of Skyland died February 9, 1991. She was a retired teacher with the Buncombe County, Henderson County, and Asheville Schools.

**Elizabeth Ehringhaus Tyson** '29 of Virginia Beach, VA, died in March 1991.

**Frances Hampton Goodridge** '30 of Chevy Chase, MD, died March 2, 1991. She taught at Chevy Chase Elementary in the 1950s.

**Alma Hopper Hodnett** '30x of Martinsville, VA, died January 23, 1991.

**Cecile Lindau Thomas** '30 of Greensboro died April 25, 1991.

Mayor of Stem from 1973-79, **Myrtis Harris Gooch** '31 died March 24, 1991. She formerly taught in the Warren County Schools, Stem High School, and the Murdock Center, Butler. Survivors include her daughter, **Linda Gooch Boulden** '64 of Castalia.

**Anne Boger Starrett** '34x of Morganton died February 15, 1991. She was a well known artist, educator, and former columnist for *The News Herald*.

The Alumni Office was notified of the October 28, 1990, death of **Drusilla Martin Cathell** '36 of Raleigh.

The Alumni Office has learned of the January 4, 1991, death of **Ruth Weitzel King** '37 of Wilson.

The Alumni Office was notified of the December 24, 1990, death of **Rachel Nye Kilts** '38 of Cleveland, OH.

**Helen Kleemeier** '38 of Asheville died April 20, 1991. She was a former executive with the Girl Scouts of America.

**Gladys Taylor Jackson** '39C of Durham died April 20, 1991. At one time she was executive secretary to the president of Burlington Industries.

**Mary Stanton Parker** '39 of Richmond, VA, died January 24, 1991. She served in the WACs during World War II and taught at Burgaw High School. Survivors include her sister, **Catherine Stanton Lewis** '40 of Homestead, FL.

The Alumni Office was notified of the March 1991 death of **Mildred Vreeland Gamber** '41 of Hamlet. She was a retired teacher with the Richmond County Schools.

The Alumni Office has learned of the death of **Elizabeth Gill** '41.

The Alumni Office has learned of the December 1989 death of **Barbara Washington Jerald** '41 of Brattleboro, VT.

The Alumni Office was notified of the death of **Madeline Pitts Corn** '43C of Charlotte.

**Dora Stroupe Boyette** '44 of Orange Park, FL, died December 12, 1990.

Artist **Marie Tillotson Wall** '45 of Pilot Mountain died February 26, 1991.

**Annette Patton Clifton** '46 (MA) of Greensboro died March 5, 1991. She formerly taught in the Guilford County Schools.

The Alumni Office was notified of the death of **Ruth Breazeale Perrige** '47x of Sunbury, PA. She was the author of a children's book and an artist. She had been employed by Lippincott Book Publishers.

**Hattie Ratcliffe Boyette** '51 of Charlotte died February 10, 1991. She taught first grade for eleven years at Myers Park Elementary School.

**Ann Brothers Currin** '51 of Durham died April 28, 1991.

Retired teacher **Sara Staley Brower** '55 (ME) of Liberty died March 8, 1991.

**Harold L. Walters** '56 (ME) of Statesville died April 19, 1991. He had been principal of both Harmony and South Iredell High Schools.

**Emma Bowman Busick** '60 of Gibsonville died April 13, 1991. For twenty-nine years she was a teacher in the Burlington City Schools.

**Julia Cromartie Greene** '63 (ME) of Winston-Salem died March 24, 1991. She was a retired teacher who was a pioneer in special education for autistic children.

Retired registered nurse **Matha Makedonas** '63 of Greensboro died March 31, 1991.

The Alumni Office was notified of the January 1991 death of **Judy Pearce Herring** '66x of Asheville.

**Gail Weber Fox** '67 of Greensboro died March 28, 1991. She was a self-employed computer consultant.

**Clara Young Woodall** '70 (ME) of Charlotte died March 25, 1991. For twenty years she taught in the Wake County Public Schools, at Wake Community College, and at Central Piedmont Community College.

Former Winston-Salem teacher **Sara Hege Conner** '71 (ME) of Elizabeth City died March 12, 1991. She was media coordinator at Northside Assembly of God Church.

The Alumni Office has learned of the October 31, 1990, death of **Pat Zobel DiBella** '72 of West Greenwich, RI.

**Carolyn Searcy Mast** '74 (ME) of Lexington died May 14, 1991. She was a retired media specialist with the Lexington City Schools.

**David Sellars Jr.** '76 of San Francisco, CA, died February 22, 1991.

Former high school biology teacher **Charles P. Calligan** '77 (MA) of Gibsonville died May 2, 1991.

**Ronald L. Walker** '77 (MLS) of San Francisco, CA, died February 22, 1991. He was an implementation support specialist with Tera Information Engineering.

USAir pilot **Robert Arzonico** '78 of Winston-Salem died February 7, 1991, in a plane crash in Colorado. Survivors include his mother, **Doris Robbins Arzonico** '48 of Winston-Salem.

Librarian **Augusta Carver Younger** '79 (MLS) of Greensboro died May 18, 1991.

**Carolyn Holt Beyer** '81 (EdD) of Greensboro died April 19, 1991. She was professor emerita of history and political science at Greensboro College and co-owner of the restaurant Fran's Front Porch.

**Jeffrey M. Chance** '83 of Poughkeepsie, NY, died March 21, 1991. He was a chemistry professor at Vassar College. Survivors include his sister, **Sally Chance Ingold** '80 (ME) of Greensboro.

**Robert A. Williams** '83 of Greensboro died March 2, 1991. He worked for USAir and was minister of music with the Johnny Settle Youth Ensemble.

Retired college professor **James T. Morris Jr.** '84 (PHD) of Reidsville died March 26, 1991.

# In Memoriam



**Barbara Ellen Parrish '48**  
**1926 - 1991**

With the unexpected death of Barbara Parrish on May 27, 1991, the Alumni Association lost its dearest friend and strongest advocate, closing an exceptional chapter in its long and unique history.

No other person in the last thirty-five years can be credited with preserving the University's traditions as much as Barbara Parrish. It was she who placed the magnolia wreaths at the graves of former chancellors every Founders Day, she who rang the University Bell at Homecoming, she who asked that daisies be planted in the gardens surrounding the Alumni House.

While some could call her "Bobbie," most of us would only say "Miss Parrish" to her face. The respect we willingly bestowed was based on an indisputable judgment that this woman was someone special — someone whose love for her college was honest, someone the University was privileged to employ, and, above all, someone we sought to know better, if she would let us.

She captured our spirits. She caused us to rethink what we thought we already knew. And

she warmed our hearts when she remembered our children's names, asked about our trip abroad, or offered a beribboned surprise on our birthdays.

Barbara loved people, even if she was not gregarious. Scorning the limelight, she worked the details of her position to make every alumna feel special. She gave every graduate preferential treatment.

No one refused when asked by Barbara Parrish to serve the University.

If she drew a line between her personal and professional lives, it was hard for us to notice. The light in her cluttered but organized office stayed on well into the night and on most weekends. Her hours were devoted to alumni work of the most thoughtful kind.

When she enrolled at the Woman's College in 1944, Barbara could not have known how her life would entwine with the campus. After her 1948 graduation, she worked in student affairs at Limestone College for two stints; sandwiched between was a year at W.C. as Resident Counselor in Hinshaw Hall. Her alma mater called her back as Alumnae Secretary in 1955, a position she would hold for thirty-four and one half years.

In her term as Alumni Secretary she is known and loved for establishing the Alumni Scholars Program, the Alumni Distinguished Service Awards, the Alumni Tour Program, and McIver Conference. Barbara received the Gladys Strawn Bullard Award in 1987 and an Alumni Distinguished Service Award in 1990.

"Barbara Parrish's death has ended a life of committed service to a University she loved without qualification or reservation," said

Chancellor William E. Moran. "No lesser event — certainly not retirement — could have brought such a commitment to conclusion.

"Perhaps above all else she will be remembered for a ceaseless effort to convey to students and alumni the personal nature of their connection to the institution that took them in and educated them. It is a comfort to all of us who knew her that the good effects of her tenure are unchanged by what has happened."

"The sadness felt by Barbara's death, of course, is overwhelming to all UNCG alumni," said Ann Phillips McCracken '60, President of the Alumni Association. "But when we can, we will cherish our memories of this wonderful and unique woman whose special spirit helped keep the best of UNCG's traditions alive for us. The alumni and the University will be forever grateful for the loyal and devoted service of Barbara Parrish."

A memorial fund has been established to honor Barbara Parrish. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alumni Association through the Alumni Office.

Others may wish to recall special moments about Barbara. A collection of personal stories about how Barbara touched our lives will be assembled by the Alumni Office. Your written contribution will be appreciated.

Dr. Gail Hennis, faculty emeritus as well as a friend and neighbor of Barbara, delivered the eulogy at a Service of Remembrance on May 30. "We will never forget," she concluded, "what she did for love — a gift that was ours to love."

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