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CALENDAR INSIDE

THE CREATOR. THE CREATOR.

When you pull out the 1996-97 Calendar from the center of this magazine, you will see the creative product of several Southern College students and Publications staffers. I hope you enjoy their gift month by month as you follow campus happenings.

The creator crafts with
canvas
camera
computer
clay.

The Creator used
command alone
But for His masterwork
carved and sculpted
clay and bone,
and now scribes LOVE
on hearts of stone.

by Doris Burdick

PAVING THE WAY AND SURFING THE WEB

Response to the "Pave the Way" project for the Hickman Science Center is fantastic! Some are having their own names inscribed on a paving brick. Others are honoring family and/or friends. The appeal is bringing a universal response from all ages. The class of 1996 bought a large brick, and we've heard from members of most other classes.

The honor walk promises to be an extremely popular spot on campus year round. Students and visitors alike will be reminded of those who have made Southern what it is.

If you haven't already sent your order for a brick in this exciting project, please do so.

It's not too late to call the Alumni Office at 423-238-2839 if you need an order blank.

Two new computer workstations are now in use by students wishing to send and receive electronic messages or to surf the World Wide Web to obtain information from this rapidly expanding network.

Parents of enrolled students generously gave the money for these workstations. The new stations include Internet hookup, equipment, desk, and security devices. Located in the main hallway outside Information Services, they receive almost constant use during the day.

Uses range from writing a Student Missionary to exploring job openings through WWW.

Thank you to the parents who gave to help provide these significant experiences for the upgrading of our students' lives.



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99 YEARS AND 1000s OF MILES

by Scott Guptill



Ninety-nine years and thousands of miles later, Rose Meister Allen is back nearly where she started: the Chattanooga area. A 1921 graduate of what is now Southern College, she is the oldest known graduate. Many of those 99 years were lived on the other side of the globe, as a frontier missionary to India and Thailand.

Rose Meister was born in Wisconsin on January 20, 1897. In 1900 her Methodist farming family packed up their belongings, hired a boxcar, and rode the train first class all the way to Chattanooga, then settled on a dairy farm near Cleveland.

One day her father was on his way back from delivering milk to Chattanooga when he saw a tent. "Well, not a lot went on in Cleveland back then," says Allen, "and he was attracted to the music." As he approached, someone invited him to the meeting.

That night all nine family members filed in and sat on the front row. Soon four families, including hers, were baptized in a creek at the Meister farm and joined the Seventh-day Adventist Church. "All four families are all still in the truth," says Allen.

Rose's life changed. She started going to church school. She didn't go very far, because the teacher boarded right in her home.

She continued her education at Southern Junior College and remembers living in the women's dormitory while it was still being built. 1918, it was. (The girls did much of the lathing and lumber-measuring themselves. The dorm was located between the present Garden of Prayer and Lynn Wood Hall.) Before that, it was tents and outhouses. "If you stood up, you could see people coming and going," says Allen. In fact, she remembers one bold student who stood up in her humble stall and was mortified to see the college president walk by. "Well, there was nothing the girl could do except say Hello, so that's what she did."

Southern had an agricultural farm. Everyone worked. Hay and grain was raised for over a dozen mules and horses and 50 cows. In 1920 a 16-acre peach orchard eventually yielding as many as 3000 bushels was set out, near where Collegedale Academy now is. The boys worked on the farm and Rose helped the girls can beans and peaches, among other things.

Allen remembers graduating in the newly completed barn. Bales of hay were seats for many. One could hear cowbells in the background and smell familiar barnyard scents. The motto her class of five chose? "Where Thou callest."

It was a small college and everyone knew each other.

Through her physics teacher she met Ivan Lawrence. Shortly after they were married, Ivan was killed when his truck, loaded with lumber, crashed on Signal Mountain. While still grieving, she got a call to teach at a mission school in India. She says, "I moved to India to try to get over my sorrow, but, you know, you never do."

In spite of it all, she stayed eight years and became a great asset to Vincent Hill School. "Those were wonderful days," says Allen. "The mountains around the school were so beautiful." She ended up spending seven more years at various missions around India.

During her furlough in 1950, she decided to get her master's degree in education at Peabody College. It wasn't long before she began soliciting books to take back to India for yet another "tour of duty." She was instrumental in establishing the library at Spicer College in India. With her new degree in education, she taught many a student how to be a capable teacher.

In 1960 Allen went to Bangkok but had to return (against her will, she insists) because she was very ill. Once she was well enough, she returned to Bangkok for another four years. After many years of service, her mission days overseas were coming to an end and she moved to Meister Hills near Deer Lodge, Tenn.

Rose did find love again at 73. (It is never too late for love.) She married a long-time friend who was now a widower, Leonard Allen. They moved to California and then to Florida and spent nine happy years of marriage together.

When he died she returned to her hometown of Cleveland, Tenn. She is now living in the home of her niece and looking forward to her 100th birthday next January.

About overseas service she says, "If I were able, I'd go again tomorrow."

Scott Guptill was taking a feature article class from Dr. Lynn Sauls when he wrote this. Photography is another of his interests. His missionary parents currently live in Singapore.



WHERE'D ALL THE WATER GO

by Christina Hogan

THREE GALLONS OF WATER AND A CHIMNEY BRICK



It was class 101 in the summer of '94, and the guards at Walden Pond weren't going to let Dr. Wilma McClarty, laden with three one-gallon jugs, into the park.

"That's what *they* thought," she says with a mischievous smile to her Survey of American Literature class. She and her husband, Jack, had driven to Walden Pond straight from Southern.

"It's 1,062 miles," she says in a way that makes her class want to scribble down the fact. Dr. McClarty has made the pilgrimage to Walden Pond five or six times. Each time Walden Pond decreases by three gallons. And she wasn't about to leave this time without three more gallons.

So she had accomplice Jack drive her around to the other entrance. The guard didn't look twice as she walked on by with her gallon jugs. Jack even took pictures documenting the moment so her class will believe the water is authentic.

"Now before you seal the lid, make sure you dip your finger in the water like this. I got it at great personal risk," she says as she hands out vials of authentic Walden Pond water to all the students. Each label reads, "From Dr. Wilma King McClarty and Henry David Thoreau."

But Dr. McClarty isn't done yet. In great ceremonial manner, she excitedly unwraps a plastic-covered item. It is a chimney brick with mortar still on it from Thoreau's cabin. Jack found it while digging in the dirt, and there's a picture to prove that, too.

"You can come up and touch it if you like," she offers. "Now there's only 999 left."

She keeps a close eye on the most-prized item in her collection as students timidly run their hands across the brick.

THE "INTERVIEW"



At 8:00 Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, Dr. McClarty comes to class, bubbling with energy and enthusiasm. She usually has something "authentic" to share—bark, twigs, rocks, or maybe an autographed book.

She has fascinated me for a long time, and when I discovered her passion for collecting literary memorabilia, I decided to find out just how extensive her collection is.

Monday, 9:30 a.m. I have an appointment with Dr. McClarty. She's going to give me a glimpse of her memorabilia showcase. I'm prepared. I have my list of questions written out neatly and in logical order. No problem.

"I'm really interested in your collection of American lit memorabilia," I say. "How extensive is it?"

The words are barely out of my mouth before she grabs a blank sheet of paper and a pen and begins scribbling furiously. Dr. McClarty does nothing slowly.

"OK, we'll make this Roman numeral one," she says, jotting something down.

"Next is sources: Jack, my students, my own trips . . . Roman numeral three would be types of collections: 700 magnets, music boxes, gnomes/wood spirit carvings, and then literary memorabilia." I suddenly realize that I am no longer in control of this interview.

But I have no desire to interrupt Dr. McClarty. In fact, I'm finding this to be much more interesting than I had imagined. So I sit back and let her finish her outline.

"You can do whatever you want with it," she says, still writing. She then breaks down literary memorabilia into sub-categories. Water, bricks/stones, plants/dirt/trees, and last, "commercially produced" collectibles such as her "zillions of postcards."



THE COLLECTION

With the rough draft of her outline now complete, Dr. McClarty takes me over to her showcase. Through the glass I see

pieces of bark, bottles of water, some rocks and twigs, etc. Each item is identified according to its literary or historical significance.

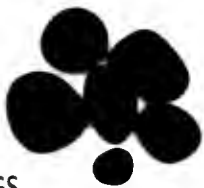
One by one she removes the treasures she has collected over 15 years.

"You might want to write these down," she tells me. I do.

And that's just the beginning of her collection.

Maybe collecting items such as twigs, rocks, and water doesn't make a lot of sense to some people, but to Dr. Wilma McClarty her treasures possess deep significance.

"They provide a sense of continuity. They were there when [the authors] were there. They are visible connections to the past," she explains.



MORE THAN ROCKS AND TWIGS

But besides gathering significant items from nature, she also collects signed books. Her husband started her on that collection with an Edna St. Vincent Millay book which he found after two years of hunting. Now Dr. McClarty has 80 autographed books. Her most valued signature is that of Robert Frost.

Dr. McClarty is quick to point out that she doesn't just collect literary memorabilia. She has a pen used by Joe DiMaggio to sign autographs. She also collects historical treasures, especially those from the Civil War.

She travels extensively. From Alaska, where Robert Service lived, to Key West, home of Hemingway, if it has literary significance, she has been there. Her favorite place is Concord, Mass., "where history and literature merge."

Besides instilling the love of American literature in her students, Dr. McClarty ties religion into her classes.

"The Bible is the greatest story ever told. You can't understand Western

thought without understanding the Bible," she says. "It was the basis for our country, and I tie it in whenever I can."

As I leave her office, I have an even deeper respect for Dr. Wilma McClarty and for the way she makes literature come alive.

Years from now I probably will have forgotten all the symbolism of Melville's *Bartleby*, but I will never forget Dr. Wilma McClarty.

And if Walden Pond ever goes dry, I'll know where all the water went.

Christina Hogan was enrolled in Magazine and Feature Article Writing at the time she wrote this story. This past school year she was the student newswriter in the Publications Media Relations Office, and this coming year she will co-edit the *Southern Accent*. A senior, her home is in Albany, Ga.



THE COLLECTION

- bark and dirt from T. S. Eliot's home.
- a pen used by Eudora Welty to sign autographs.
- water from the Bay of Fundy (Longfellow's *Evangeline*).
- Mississippi water (Mark Twain).
- Walden Pond water (Henry David Thoreau).
- water from Helen Keller's well.
- a hinge from Carl Sandburg's front porch.
- a leaf from Pearl Buck's home.
- bark from Sherwood Anderson's birthplace.
- bark from Mark Twain's Hartford home.
- a piece of a brick from Ernest Hemingway's Key West home.
- a rock from the Alcotts' foundation.
- a stone from Jack London's home.
- a rock from Vassar College where Edna St. Vincent Millay attended.
- a pine cone from William Cullen Bryant's home.

SOUTHERN PEOPLE

- Sixty-three Student Missionaries and Task Force volunteers are leaving the campus this summer for service assignments in 22 countries. Their destinations range from Australia and China, to New Guinea, Ecuador, and Romania. Many will teach on islands in the Pacific.
- Stacy DeLay, a graduating senior, won a \$3,000 award as the only Scripps Howard Foundation scholarship recipient selected last summer in Tennessee. She was one of 137 winners chosen from over 700 applicants.
- An Outstanding Achievement in Science Education award was presented to Dr. Carl Swafford, associate professor of education, by the University of Tennessee-Knoxville this spring.
- Vinita Sauder, assistant professor of business administration, has accepted additional part-time responsibilities as director of institutional effectiveness and research at Southern College. She will continue to teach two marketing classes a semester.
- Dr. Cliff Olson, associate professor of business, received his new title of address from Colorado State University with the successful defense of his doctoral dissertation in the area of human resource development and sales training.
- For the final E. O. Grundset Lecture of the school year, Michelle Erwin, a junior biology major, told about her experiences with dolphins and the research and public programs of the Dolphin Research Center, a nonprofit educational and research facility at Grassy Keys on the Gulf of Mexico. This summer is her fifth stint of working with the dolphins, a total of 11 months.
- A \$2,500 Harvard Medical School Research Fellowship for study of brain cancer was awarded to Docile Saguan, a junior biology major. The competitive award covers six weeks of summer study in Boston under the supervision of alumnus Dr. John Hensen, at Massachusetts General Hospital.
- Dan Rozell has been appointed by Governor Don Sundquist to a four-year term on the Tennessee Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators. The board administers the NAB exam four times a year and approves the candidates who sit for this exam. The board also sets policy and metes out discipline to problem nursing home administrators.
- Bert Ringer is the new admissions adviser for the state of Florida. Formerly a pastor in the Kentucky-Tennessee Confer-

ence, he had been in private business for the past few years. Prospective students or their parents may arrange a visit with him by calling 407-786-4889 in Orlando.

- Tom Roberts will be presiding over the 1996-97 Student Association. Aaron Raines was elected executive vice president and Sheryll Hamilton, social vice president. Publication editors are Heidi Boggs and Christina Hogan, *Southern Accent* (newspaper), and Merrilyn Carey, *Southern Memories* (yearbook). The Strawberry Festival (year in multimedia) will be produced by Zachary Gray and Ruthie Kerr. Appointments include Kelli Chalker, finance director; Cheri Brumagin, secretary, and Kim Fenton, public relations.

- Krystal Bishop, '75, an experienced classroom teacher, is leaving her job as associate superintendent of education for the Florida Conference to be an assistant professor of education at Southern. She is working on her dissertation for her Ed.D. in special education administration. She has developed and presented "Gently Leading" and "Intimate Encounters With God" seminars. She and her husband, Charles, '75, have a daughter.

- Dr. Kenneth Caviness, '82, is joining the faculty as chair of the Physics Department. He previously taught at Southwestern Adventist College and in Rwanda. His doctorate is from the University of Massachusetts at Lowell. He and his wife, Claryce (Sarr), have two children, Larissa and Eric. Dr. Ray Hefferlin, who joined the Southern faculty in 1955, is shifting his emphasis more toward research, as much as possible of it with Southern undergraduates, and toward expanded contacts with colleagues around the world.

- Dr. Ann Foster, '79, is a new assistant professor of biology at Southern. This past year she taught biology classes at Cape Fear Community College in Wilmington, N.C. Prior to that she was a scientist at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Medical Sciences Research Institute in Herndon, Va., and at the University of North Texas



GRADUATES EARN SOUTHERN SCHOLAR DISTINCTION

Besides their diplomas, five Southern Scholars—Kristin Whitehead, Christine Sager, Karen Phillips, Kim Day-Camp, and Lisa Clark—received medallions recognizing completion of special honors curriculum involving interdisciplinary studies, honors courses, and independent study.

in Denton, Texas. The supervision of undergraduate student research is one of her special interests.

- **Dr. James Hanson** comes to the Department of Music from Thiel College in Greenville, Pa. He has also taught at Auburn Academy and Andrews University. His doctor of musical arts degree is from the George Peabody College of Vanderbilt University. Besides teaching vocal and choral music, Dr. Hanson has directed music festivals, guest conducted, and soloed in oratorios as a tenor.

- **Denise Michaelis** is coming to Southern as an assistant professor of education. Since 1993 she has been director for the Center for Academic Success at Atlantic Union College. Prior to that, she taught and was a principal in Sonoma County, California. Her master of arts degree at Sonoma State University emphasized special education.

- **Stephen Ruf** brings more than a decade of broadcasting experience to the classroom in his new role as assistant professor of journalism and communication. Since 1958 he has covered local government, politics, and environment as a reporter for WDEF-TV in Chattanooga. He has also anchored and reported for WDEF AM-FM in Chattanooga, WKGN, WNOX, and WKNX in Knoxville, and WSMC-FM in Collegedale. He and his wife, Jodie (VandeVere), '83, have two daughters, Sarah and Amanda.

- **Dr. Bruce Schilling**, formerly a research scientist with Argonne National Laboratory and Amoco Corporation (both in Illinois), is joining Southern's faculty as an associate professor of chemistry. He earned his Ph.D. in physical chemistry at the California Institute of Technology. He and his wife, Nancy (Habenicht), have two sons, Jonathan, 8, and David, 5.

- **Jon Wentworth**, '76, is joining the Department of Business as an associate professor following six years at Klabat University in Indonesia where he chaired the accounting department with its 450 accounting majors. A CPA, he also has over



FACULTY HONORED AT COMMENCEMENT

Dr. Jack Bianco, left, a 13-year religion faculty member at Southern, received the Distinguished Service Medallion in May. Nominations noted his spiritual and department leadership and his global mission orientation, as well as the Scripture paraphrase he undertook to enrich his personal devotions. Now published as *The Clear Word*, its royalties are contributing to a scholarship fund.

Dr. Art Richert, center, professor of mathematics, also received the Distinguished Service Medallion at commencement. The presentation cited his high expectations for students, his academic integrity, his sense of humor, and his personal concern for students at Southern over the past 26 years. A student commented, "His ability to explain the most complex concepts make him a natural teacher."

A teacher appreciated for his approachability, sense of humor, supportive attitude, and application of spiritual concepts to classroom materials was presented the 1996 Zapara Award for Undergraduate Teaching Excellence. Dr. Bob Egbert, professor of psychology, also received \$1,500—a \$1,000 gift from Thomas and Violet Zapara supplemented by \$500 from Southern. Students have also appreciated Egbert's skill in counseling and his willingness to set aside time to meet student needs.

10 years in public accounting. His MBA, with an accounting emphasis, is from the University of Tennessee. He and his wife, Sheryl (Nelson), '76, have three children: Jennifer, and twins Thomas and Traci.

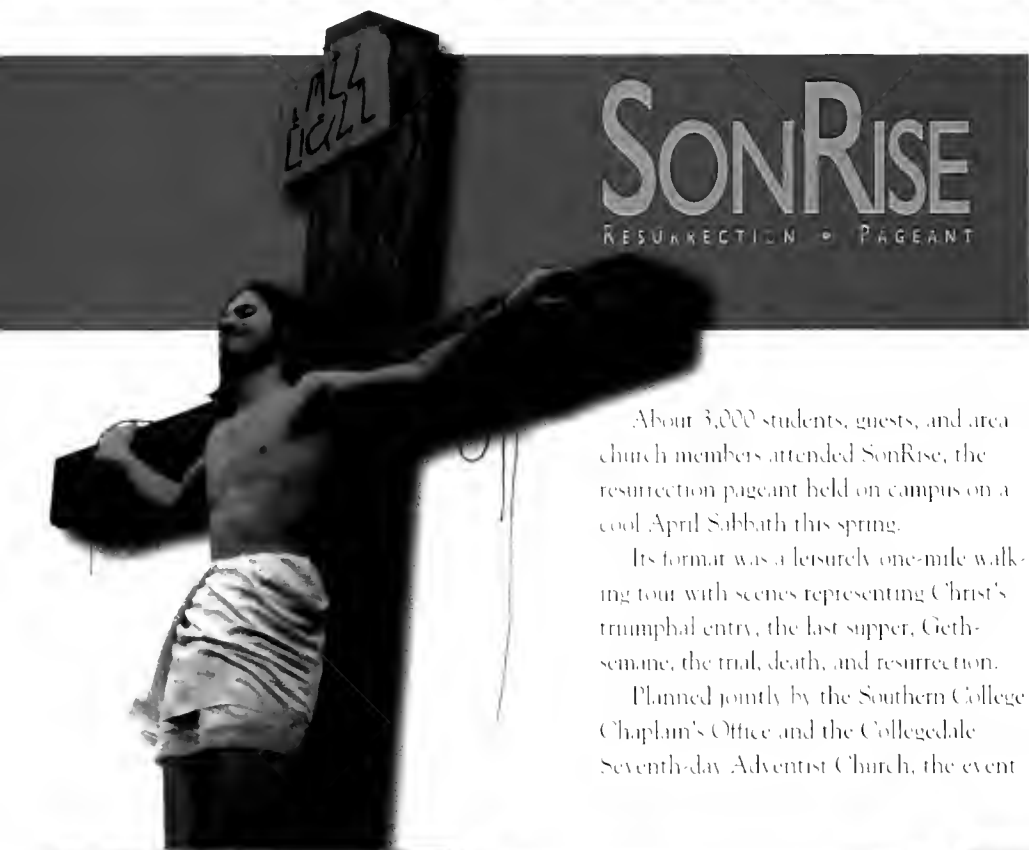
- **Dr. Derek Morris** was chosen as the 1996 Adviser of the Year. Each student at Southern has an adviser. Dr. Morris was one of 19 advisers eligible for the award on the basis of having six or more advisees

and a rating by advisees of 4.4 or higher on a 5-point scale. He joined the Religion Department faculty in 1987. Sharon McGrady, assistant director of advisement, comments, "He cares about his students and it shows by the many favorable comments on their evaluation forms, such as 'He is always there ready to talk when I need it,' 'I really appreciate the support and prayers,' and 'the best!'"



SAULS SAYS FAREWELL

At the commencement of his retirement after 43 years of teaching, Dr. Lynn Sauls, '56, left, shown with President Don Sahly, gave the commencement address to more than 300 seniors, including six proteges from the Journalism and Communication Department he has chaired for seven years. His wife, Helen (Braat), '52, '63, is also retiring this year from her post as associate professor of education.



SONRISE

RESURRECTION • PAGEANT

About 3,000 students, guests, and area church members attended SonRise, the resurrection pageant held on campus on a cool April Sabbath this spring.

Its format was a leisurely one-mile walking tour with scenes representing Christ's triumphal entry, the last supper, Gethsemane, the trial, death, and resurrection.

Planned jointly by the Southern College Chaplain's Office and the Collegedale Seventh-day Adventist Church, the event

was "an incredible success" because "it moved observers to think about the real significance of these events," said Dr. Ed Wright, senior church pastor.

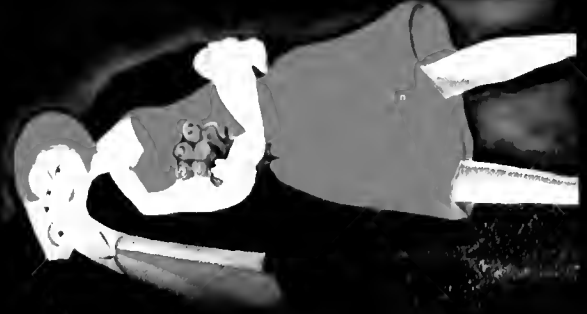
Seven groups at half-hour intervals from 9:30 a.m. Sabbath morning to 12:30 p.m. set out for the 90-minute step back in time. A colorful cast of more than a hundred students and church families wore costumes made for the occasion or loaned by several youth camps. Hundreds of others helped with props, ran sound, assisted with tickets and parking, greeted guests, provided refreshments or radio communication, or transported animals. Goats, lambs, chickens, and a donkey lent authenticity to the Jerusalem street scenes.

The presentation was so well received that plans are under way to repeat it on March 29, 1997.

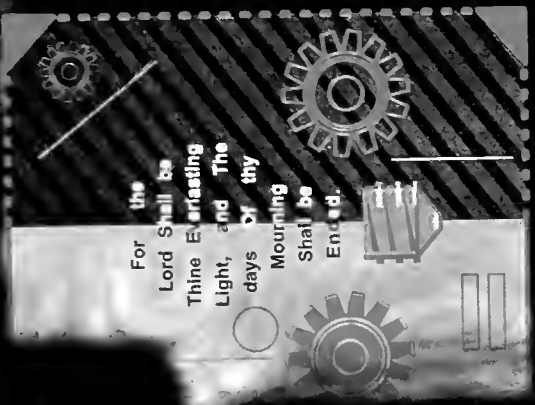
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Southern College of Seventh-day Adventists



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96-97 Calendar

Scott Gupta



Bangladeshi School Girls



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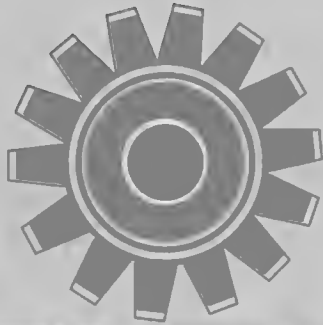
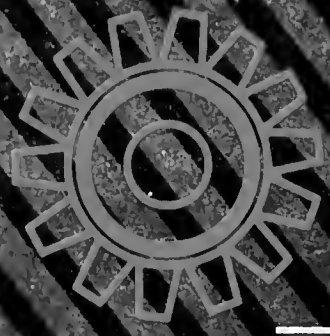
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4	Residence hall worship 7:00	5	Residence hall worship 7:00	6
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6	Freshman orientation 7:00	7	Assembly, 11:00, Ackerman	8
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8	Vespers, Wilma McClarty Sunset 8:36	9	Church service, Ed Wright	10
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11	Residence hall worship 7:00	12	Residence hall worship 7:00	13
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13	Freshman orientation 7:00	14	Faculty/staff picnic	15
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15	4th session withdrawals receive "F" after today Faculty Colloquium—August 16-18 Vespers, Concert Sunset 8:28	16	Church service, Dwight Herod	17
15	4th session withdrawals receive "F" after today Faculty Colloquium—August 16-18 Vespers, Concert Sunset 8:28	16	Church service, Dwight Herod	17
18	Wellness assessment Residence hall worship 7:00	19	Wellness assessment Residence hall worship 7:00	20
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21	4th session ends Campus Shop book buy back, 9:5	22	Vespers, Victor Czerkasij Sunset 8:20	23
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25	Freshman orientation Softball and tennis sign up	26	Freshman orientation Softball and tennis sign up	27
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27	Classes begin Late registration fee applies 4th session grades due 9:00	28	Assembly, 11:00, Church, Bill Wohlers	29
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Samuel Johnson

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The Great Lightgiver

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

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Faculty meeting 4:00 Neal Ramsay, saxophone, 8:00, Ackerman	Last day for 70% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)	Last day for 70% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)	Assembly, 11:00, SA	Vespers, Steve Jaacks Sunset 7:31	Church service, Ed Wright Evensong 7:30 All night softball	Church service, Ed Wright Evensong 7:30 All night softball
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Margaret Ramsey



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1	Last day for 60% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
2	Assembly, 11:00, Iles, Chuck Jolly
3	David Wolkwitz (Religion Retreat - Oct. 4, 5) Vespers, CARE Sunset 7:21
4	Church service, Ed Wright Organ/orchestra, 3:30, Church Evensong 7:00 Pizza/movie
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6	LSAT
7	Last day for 50% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop) PAW Health Fair
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9	Assembly, 11:00, Iles, Zach Wamp
10	Vespers Sunset 7:12
11	Church service, Hymnfest Callbook fair, Student Center Evensong 7:00 SA Talent Show
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13	GRE Senate 3:30 Volleyball sign up Cynthia Clawson 8:00, Church (double credit)
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15	Last day for 40% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop) Volleyball sign up
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17	Midterm Break, no classes Sunset 7:01
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19	Church service, Ed Wright
20	GMAT
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22	Last day for 30% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
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24	Assembly, 11:00, clubs and departments
25	Vespers, Mike Pettengill Sunset 6:54
26	First service, Ben Maxson Second service, John Thurber Lawn concert 3:00 Heralds Quartet, 3:00, Iles Evensong 6:30 Wedgwood Trio, 8:00, Iles
27	Faculty meeting 4:00 PRAXIS NTE & PPST
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29	Last day for 20% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
30	Malcolm Bilson, forte piano, 8:00, Ackerman
31	Assembly, 11:00, Iles, Tennessee bicentennial Last day to drop a class and automatically receive a "W" Barn party

Alumni Homecoming

Matthew Ryan



Maasai Elder



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Concert Band 8:00, Iles Faculty boat ride 4:00	Senate 3:30 PRAXIS SUBJECT & PPST	Blood Assurance	Blood Assurance	Assembly, 11:00, Church, Gary and Rae Patterson	Vespers, Gary and Rae Patterson Sunset 5:35	Church service, World missions Evening 5:30 Symphony concert 8:00
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International Food Fair 12:00 Church Fellowship Hall	Senate 3:30 PRAXIS SUBJECT & PPST	Blood Assurance	Assembly, 11:00, CABL	Vespers, CABL Sunset 5:32	Vespers, CABL Sunset 5:32	Church service, Celebration of Thanks Evening 5:30 CABL Party
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Faculty meeting 4:00	Faculty meeting 4:00	Thanksgiving day	Thanksgiving day	Thanksgiving day	Sunset 5:30 Vacation	Church service, Ed Wright

Flowered Pot



Edmond M. Lang



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	Christmas Tree Lighting with Jack Daniels Silver Cornet Band Home-town Christmas (double credit)		Assembly, 11:00, SA	Withdrawals after today receive 'F' Vespers, CARE Sunset 5:29		Church service, Ed Wright Evensong, 5:00, CA Madrigals Classic Film Series
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Senate 3:30 LSAT			Assembly, 11:00, Clubs and departments	Vespers, Christmas program, Music department Sunset 5:30		Church services, Collegedale schools music program Christmas program, Music department, 3:30, Church Christmas parties
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
GRE	Campus Shop book buy back, 9-5	Last day to make up W96 and S96 incompletes Campus Shop book buy back, 9-5	Campus Shop book buy back, 9-3	Sunset 5:32		Church service, Ed Wright
Semester exams						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Semester grades due 9:00	Candlelight program, 6:00, Church	Christmas day		Sunset 5:36		Church service, Randy Harr
Vacation						
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5 Enrollment for preregistered students only 3-5
 Basketball and racquetball sign up
 ACT 8:00

6 Classes begin
 Late registration fee applies

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8 Assembly, 11:00, Church, Don Sahly

9 Vespers, Ken Rogers
 Sunset 5:47

10 Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 5:30
 Warren Miller's "Snowriders," 8:00, Iles

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12 Last day for 100% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop) and to make changes without charge
 Senate 3:30

13 Order graduation announcements (through January 31)

14 Assembly 11:00

15 Order graduation announcements (through January 31)

16 Assembly 11:00
 Health Careers Fair

17 Vespers, Philip Samaan (Religion Renewal) - Jan. 17, 18
 Sunset 5:54

18 Church service, Ken Rogers
 Evensong 5:30
 SA midwinter party

19 Last day to add class and for 90% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
 Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock
 GMAT

20 Senior organization
 Blood Assurance

21 Family night, 6:00, Church

22 Assembly, 11:00, Iles

23 Vespers, Alan and Deirdre Martin
 Sunset 6:01
 Classic Film Series

24 Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 5:30

25 Last day for 80% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
 Faculty meeting 4:00
 Meeting 7:00
 Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock

26 Super Bowl

27 Assembly 11:00 (double credit)
 Meeting 7:00

28 Assembly 11:00 (double credit)
 Meeting 7:00

29 Family night, 6:00, Church
 Meeting 7:00

30 Assembly 11:00 (double credit)
 Meeting 7:00

31 Last day to order graduation announcements
 Vespers
 Sunset 6:08

1 New Year's day

2 Sunset 5:41
 Vacation

3 Church service, Jim Herman

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Student week of spiritual emphasis

The Traveler



Rachel Weisbaum

January 1997

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2 Symphony Concerto, 8:00, Church (double credit)
OAT

3 Last day to return textbook to Campus Shop and last day for 70% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
Floor hockey sign up

Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock
PRAXIS NTE & PPST

4 Floor hockey sign up

5 Family night, 6:00, Church
SA election petition deadline

6 Assembly 11:00

7 Vespers
Sunset 6:15

8 Church service
Evensong 6:00
Pops Concert, 8:00, Ills

March 1997

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Black History Week

9 Valentine's banquet

10 Last day for 60% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
Senate 3:30
Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock
LSAT

11 Family night, 6:00, Church

12 Assembly, 11:00, Ills, SA election speeches
Opportunities Career Fair

13 Valentine's day
Vespers, CARE
Sunset 6:22

14 Church service, Ed Wright
Evensong 6:00
Classic Film Series

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17 Last day for 50% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock

18 Family night, 6:00, Church

19 Assembly 11:00
Rees Series

20 Vespers, Talge Hall
Sunset 6:29

21 Church service, LeClare Lichtfield
Evensong 6:00
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24 Last day for 40% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
Faculty meeting 4:00
Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock
Anderson Quartet, 8:00, Ackerman

25 Family night, 6:00, Church

26 Assembly, 11:00, Ills, College Bowl finals

27 Spring break
Sunset 6:35

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Midterm grades due 9:00

Spring break

Church service, Dwight Herod

Sunset 6:41

Church service, Jim Herman

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Last day for 30% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
 Soccer sign up
 Senate 3:30

Anderson Nursing Workshop
 Soccer sign up

Assembly, 11:00, Church, Erwin Lutzer, Staley Lecture Series

Vespers, Destiny Drama
 Sunset 6:47

Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 6:30
 Pizza and movie

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Last day for 30% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
 Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock
 GMAT

Blood Assurance

Last day to drop class and automatically receive a "W"
 Assembly 11:00

Withdrawals through April 18 receive "W" or "WF"
 Vespers, Jan Haluska
 Sunset 6:53

Church service, Gordon Bretz
 Evensong 6:30
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Academic Profile Test through April 4
 Last day for 10% tuition refund (\$100 fee/total drop)
 PRAXIS SUBJECT & PPST
 Faculty meeting 4:00
 Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock

No tuition refund for withdrawal

Assembly, 11:00, Iles, SA

Phi Follert (Ministerial Consecration—March 28, 29)
 Vespers
 Sunset 6:59

Sonrise Resurrection Pageant
 Evensong 6:30
 Classic Film Series

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Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock

Easter

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Work Boots



May 1997

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6 DAT Set clocks forward
 GymMasters Memorial Auditorium
 Preview/Southern

7 Senior progress grades due and senior deadline to finish incompletes, correspondence courses, etc
 Anderson Lecture, 8:00, Brock

8 Choirs of Wales, 8:00, Church (double credit)

9 Assembly, 11:00, Clubs and departments

10 Student mission retreat April 11, 12
 Vespers, CARE
 Sunset 8:10

11 Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 8:00
 Concert Band, 9:00, Iles

12 Church service, Ken Rogers
 Evensong 7:00
 Classic Film Series

13 Senate 3:30
 GRE

14 Withdrawals after today receive "F"
 Vespers, Southern Singers
 Sunset 8:15

15 Assembly, 11:00, Clubs and departments

16 Assembly, 11:00, Clubs and departments

17 Vespers, Southern Singers
 Sunset 8:15

18 Church service, Ed Wright
 Lawn concert 3:00
 Evensong 8:00

19 Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 8:00
 Die Meistersinger, 9:00, Ackerman

20 MCAT
 Symphony Guild dinner concert
 Strawberry Festival

21 Faculty meeting 4:00

22 Last day to make up F96 incompletes
 Campus Shop book buy back, 9-5

23 Semester exams
 Preregistration for 1st session

24 Campus Shop book buy back, 9-5

25 Vespers, Student missions
 Sunset 8:21

26 Church service, Ed Wright
 Evensong 8:00
 Die Meistersinger, 9:00, Ackerman



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Sunset Over Lookout Mountain

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1 Senior Consecration, 8:00, Iles
 Sunset 8:26

2 Church service, Baccalaureate
 Education/psychology dedication,
 4:00, Church
 Senior nurses dedication, 7:30, Church

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4 Commencement

5 2nd semester grades due 9:00
 1st session begins

6 PRAXIS NTE & PPST

7 Last day to add 1st session class

8 Sunset 8:32

9 Church service, Dwight Herod

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11 Mother's day

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15 Last day to drop class and auto-
 matically receive "W"
 Sunset 8:38

16 Church service, Ed Wright

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18 Symphony Guild flea market

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22 Withdrawals after today receive "F"
 Sunset 8:43

23 First service, Ed Wright
 Second service, CA Baccalaureate

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27 Ga-Cumberland Camp meeting—
 May 28-31

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29 1st session ends
 Sunset 8:48

30 Church service

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Preregistration 2nd session

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and session begins		Last day to add 2nd session class		Sunset 8:52	Church service	
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Father's day				Withdrawals after today receive "F" Sunset 8:58	Church service	
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GMAT				2nd session ends Sunset 8:59	Church service	
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3rd session begins						

Preregistration 3rd session

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July 1997

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Independence day
Sunset 8:58

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Sunset 8:54

3rd summer session ends
Sunset 8:49

Church service

Church service

Church service

4th session registration, 3-5, 11es 27

4th session (SmartStart) begins 28

Preregistration 4th summer session (for returning students)

1997 Fall Registration:
August 25 and 26
(classes begin August 27)

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August: These vivid colors caught the eye of Scott Guptill (public relations major) while in a village on the northern border of Bangladesh. He says the girls were very excited to have their picture taken.

September: Daniel Willis (computer graphics major) digitally illustrated Isaiah 60:20 as part of a class assignment.

October: Acrylics were used to create the illustration by Elizabeth Ramsey (computer graphics major). Her concept: People are sometimes their own worst enemy.

November: Matthew Brass (theology major) used acrylic-watercolor to convey the contrast of the earth tones with the vividness of the primary colors he found in a photograph of an elderly Masal from east Africa.

December: This project was completed by Donna Garza (computer graphics major) in a fall 1994 ceramics class.

January: "Change" was created by Eric Hultquist (computer graphics major) to explore the capabilities of Kal's Power Tools software.

February: Rachel Williams (nursing major) created the oil painting based on an idea she got from an airline magazine.

March: Zachary Gray (computer graphics major) says hands and faces are the most striking and meaningful parts of the human. He wanted to leave the "dudes" featureless to accentuate poses rather than expression. He used Animation Master and Adobe Photoshop software.

April: In her Drawing I class, Autumn Ellison (English major) created these boots because they offered a unique and challenging composition.

May: Grady Sapp (architectural studies major) wanted to convey a sense of the beauty and power of God in this photo taken near Lookout Mountain.

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Calendar for 1997 showing months from January to December with days of the week and dates.

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SOUTHERN UPDATE

- The **Symphony Orchestra** left on graduation day for a two-week tour of England, Wales, and Scotland. The group planned to perform 10 concerts in various cities, including London. This is the seventh overseas tour for the orchestra since its conductor, Orlo Gilbert, joined the faculty 29 years ago.
- During spring break 14 students and 5 faculty members traveled to the Dominican Republic at their own expense to practice the principles taught in a new class, **Frontier Nursing**. They set up a clinic, provided free medical care, and gave health education lectures. Subsequently, air fare and open heart surgery in Chattanooga were arranged for two persons with heart abnormalities.
- **Actuarial studies** is the newest major on the menu. Offered by the Mathematics Department, the major is for those who enjoy math but don't want to teach. Professionally, it offers the first step toward becoming an Associate of The Society of Actuaries.
- Union College students joined their peers at Southern for the third **Adventist Collegiate Band Festival**, held in April. Clinician was Dr. Jared Spears, composer of over 250 original ensemble works as well as music for radio and television commercials.

- At the **Gym-Masters** show, *The Final Countdown*, at Chattanooga's Memorial Auditorium, the guest was June Scobee Rodgers, founding chair of the Challenger Centers for Space Science Education. One such center is in Chattanooga. She is the widow of *Challenger* shuttle commander, Dick Scobee.

- The first-ever **Edward Lamb Community Service Scholarship Lecture** brought Gilbert Burnham, M.D., '64, to campus to speak on *HIV/AIDS. The Local Picture Through a Global Lens* and on *Rwandan Refugees: Reality and Metaphor*. The scholarship lecture series purposes to provide humanitarian information by distinguished service-oriented people and to raise scholarships for service-dedicated students of promise.

- *Catacombs*, a gripping three-act story of faith, survival, and persecution, was presented by members of **Destiny Drama Company** as their home show in March.

- **Elderhostel** classes in organ music, the Civil War, and good nutrition were offered in March for 18 students age 55 or beyond. Similar events involve 265,000 students yearly at 2,000 sites. One participant summed it up, "This is one of the best Elderhostels I have attended, and I have gone to over twenty."
- Among **Artist Adventure Series** events for 1996-97 are saxophonist Neal Ramsay, the Anderson String Quartet, and Choirs of Wales. Programs last year included storyteller Bob Stromberg and folklorist Jean Richie.
- Southern received over 3,000 cash gifts in the '95-'96 fiscal year. Gifts exceeded \$2.28 million, the largest total in six years. Gifts-in-kind take grand total beyond \$2.4 million. Generous alumni and friends contributed to scholarships, the Science Center, student mission and alumni projects, and WSMC-FM.
- Southern hosted 200 participants from 16 schools for the **Southern Union Honors Music Workshop**. Guest clinicians were Jonathan Reed, choir; David Schaffer, band; and Stephen Framl, orchestra.



FIRST GRADUATE STUDENTS REGISTER

Dr. George Babcock tosses the first apple on June 3, a landmark day with 32 students enrolling for the first graduate study to be offered by Southern. Classes began the same day toward a master of science in education (M.S.Ed.) degree with three choices of emphasis—outdoor teacher education, multiage/multigrade teaching, and inclusive education. Plans are under way to expand graduate offerings to the areas of religion and business. Graduate classes have been offered in the past with Southern as an extension campus for La Sierra University or Andrews University. A graduate catalog (or the undergraduate catalog) is available by calling 1-800-SOUTHERN.



CONSTRUCTION OF SCIENCE CENTER ON SCHEDULE

Laws of math and physics—perhaps the other sciences as well—are being applied to the new home for scientific learning. Designed by architect Peter Vukshich, the 62,500-square-foot Hickman Science Center should be "dried in" before August, wired in September, and substantially completed by early fall. Occupancy in 1997 by biology, chemistry, computer science and technology, engineering studies, mathematics, and physics departments is projected. "The structure is being built with the future in mind," says Dr. Wayne Janzen, building construction coordinator. He adds that it will be well appointed and functional, with plenty of space for every department.

- Accreditation at the master's level has been granted to Southern by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) Commission on Colleges. A visit by a Substantive Change Committee to confirm ongoing compliance with the Criteria for Accreditation took place in mid-June.
- Two evangelism field schools are being held for ministerial students this summer. The first began May 11 in Columbia, S.C., with Ron Halvorsen, director of church growth for the Southern Union. The second begins in July in Murfreesboro, Tenn., with John Fowler, '64, secretary of the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference. Two adjunct teachers, Doug Bennett and Dr. Leo Van Dolson, are also working with Southern's students.
- The Alumni Association has designed an heirloom Southern College afghan which features favorite campus landmarks, with profits dedicated to the Century II Scholarship Endowment. The Alumni Association president, Mary Elam, is handling orders at 423-296-3210 and so is the alumni office at 423-238-2839.



SENIORS READY TO "TAKE RISKS"

• In February the College Board of Trustees voted to move ahead in offering a **master's degree in religion** with two areas of emphasis: advanced homiletics and church growth and evangelism. A summer program for pastors with at least six years of field experience, its classes would begin in 1997.

• The second annual conference on **Object Technology Centers (OTC'96)** was held in Atlanta in May, sponsored by COMSOFT which also sponsors the Software Technology Department at Southern. Southern's Dr. Tim Korson was the program chair, and Tom Kristek, head of IBM's OTC, gave the keynote address.

• About one thousand Adventist Retired Workers converged on the campus June 19 from all over North America for five days of fellowship and inspiration. Summer provides opportunity for the **Conference Center** (1-800-277-7273), residence halls, and cafeteria to host many groups and vacationing families. Some July bookings are Olympics-related, with Atlanta just a two-hour drive from the campus.

May 5 was a day of pomp and circumstance for Southern's 357 graduates.

Of that group, 52 received their B.S. nursing diplomas at an evening commencement in Florida.

On the Collegedale campus Dr. Lynn Sauls addressed 305 seniors, their parents, and friends, on "Taking Risks."

As class president, Ken LeVos responded on behalf of his peers.

Earlier, the Friday night consecration address, "Back to Our Future," was presented by Kendra Haloviak, assistant professor of religion at Columbia Union College. Baccalaureate speaker on Sabbath was Dr. Reo Ganson, associate director of education for the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

This year 16 graduated summa cum laude (a grade point average of 3.90-4.00). One of these was Kenneth Wright III, grandson of Kenneth Wright, college president from 1943 to 1955 and namesake of the administration building. The III doesn't actually represent the number of majors Ken completed, but it could. He graduated with majors in business management, market-

ing, and Spanish. His sister, Sharon, also graduated, with a major in music education (magna cum laude) specializing in organ.

Besides the Wright siblings, the class included three other brother-sister pairs, six sister pairs, a brother pair, and five married couples.



"International" also describes the class, with 29 graduates from 16 other countries. A world view and commitment to service is taking 20 of the 1996 seniors into a year of mission work as teachers or nurses for the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

So the scattering begins. Graduates take with them their Southern memories . . . and May Gorrie's words printed on the last page of their *Southern Memories* yearbook:

*Then will the flame burn bright
As you live close to Him
This is the fuel that feeds the fire
The flame won't then grow dim.*

THOSE WHO WALKED THESE HALLS

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Compiled by Andrea Armstrong and Amber Herren

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Jesse Cowdrick, '25, died May 23, 1996, at the age of 92. He had resided in Collegedale for the past 23 years, but enjoyed a recent trip West to visit his daughter, Eleanor Bankes of Park City, Utah, 4 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, and friends. His career in education included all levels from elementary through college, and for a time he worked with U.S. government publications. He was predeceased by his first wife, Lois (Ries), and his second wife, Grace (Shafter).

Mona (Devo) Strickland Dart, '24, died July 26, 1995. Her husband Merrill preceded her in death in December 1988.

William, '29, and **Theda (Hes) Kuester**, live in Thousand Oaks, Calif. William runs the Los Angeles Marathon (26 miles and 355 yards) each year. He's won two gold medals for placing first in his category.

Robert Leo Odom, acad '24, died April 14 at his home in Chattanooga. He was 94. His 60-year ministry for the Adventist Church included 17 years in Spain, Panama, and the Philippines. In Washington, D.C., he edited the Index to the writings of Ellen G. White. For 21 years he edited literature for Jewish readers. He taught university courses in Germany, England, Indonesia, India, Argentina, and the U.S. Declared legally blind in 1953, he continued to write articles and books with the aid of his wife of 67 years, **Martha (Montgomery)**, '24. These included a 300,000-copy Russian-language title in 1993. He was widowed by his first wife, **Lela (Perry)**, a classmate who died two years after they graduated and went to Puerto Rico as missionaries. Besides his wife Martha, survivors include sons Bob, of Black Rock, Ark., and John, of Chattanooga, 2 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

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Ed and Iva Barnes, both attended, live in Longwood, Fla. They took a trip to Italy not long ago.

Harry, '37, and **Erceel (Bradley) Bennett**, '36, live in Avon Park, Fla. Harry is a volunteer chaplain at Florida Hospital Heartland. Erceel does oil painting, volunteers at the hospital gift shop, and works in the church library.

Paul and Ruth (Beck) Boynton, '38, are still elated by the joy of reuniting in early 1994 with a Russian woman, Ludmila, whom they had taught in 1946 at the Iran Training School near Tehran. In 1947 as the 17-year-old returned to Russia with her parents, Paul encouraged her to attend if Seventh-day Adventists were ever able to preach God's Word in Russia. For the next 47 years he prayed for her. When Mark Finley held meetings in Moscow in 1993 she was present. The following April, Ludmila, who was visiting relatives in California, participated in a special service at the Thousand Oaks Church along with Paul and the Finleys.

Wilma (Benjamin) Hall, attended, passed away on April 6, in College Place, Wash. She is survived by her husband, **Tom**, attended, three children, and six grandchildren.

Thelma (Thomson) Hartwell, '37, enjoys oil painting and photography. She lives in Avon Park, Fla.

Wayne L. Massengill, attended, of Oklahoma City, Okla., died on March 7. While driving to Spokane, Wash., to visit his daughter and wife, he had a heart

attack. He was 75. He is survived by his wife, Peggy, two daughters, his mother, four brothers, five grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son, David, and daughter, Cynthia.

Art Perez, '39, and **Pearl (Davis)**, '36, live in Apopka, Fla. They have two children and three grandchildren.

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Lillie (Cramer) Fullerton, attended, has been retired for a couple of years after teaching business education at Columbia Academy in Washington State. She was widowed a year ago and keeps herself busy with three children, 10 grandchildren, community service work, and the Retired Workers Fellowship.

Jack Just, '48, and **Donna**, attended, live in Salem, Ore. Jack occasionally preaches and stays active in music — solos, choir, and orchestra.

John Keplinger, '43, lost his wife, Nellie, attended, on Feb. 25, 1996. They lived in Cookeville, Tenn. Her funeral was on the campus of the former Little Creek Academy, with burial in Knoxville's military cemetery.

Robert Roach, '48, is founder and current president of the Loma Linda Writers Guild. He also founded the University Stamp Club in Loma Linda. His cover article, "Using Stamps to Lick Boredom in the Classroom," appeared in the Oct-Nov 1995 issue of *The Journal of Adventist Education*. In Dec 1991 a cover story in the *Adventist Review* described ways in which postage stamps and special cachet envelopes are helping publicize the three angels' messages. He retired in 1991 as a health education consultant with the Department of Public Health in Riverside County, but remains active in the Colton SDA Church. His college role as president of the SMC chapter of the American Temperance Society is depicted on page 173 of *A Century of Challenge: The Story of Southern College*.

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Wallace "Buddy" Blair, '53, succumbed to cancer April 20 at his home. He was 65. A retired CIA and Korean War veteran, he moved to Collegedale from Madison, Tenn., 30 years ago. He was a church elder and member of the boards of Samaritan Center and the Advent Home for Boys. In 1994 he received the JC Penney Golden Deed Award for volunteerism. Survivors include his wife, **Elsie (Steele)**, of children, **Ken**, of Andrews, N.C., and **Lisa Peterson**, of Lenoir, Ill.

J. D. Bledsoe, '53, and **Margaret Jo (Urlick)**, '50 (editor of the 1950 Southern Memories), live in Apopka, Fla. J.D. is head organist at Forest Lake Church, as well as organist-choir director at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church. They occasionally play piano-organ duets. Margaret Jo has been asked to serve as elder. She directs First Impressions Ministry, overseeing 17 team leaders and 85 greeters for Sabbath Schools and three church services each week. She will direct greeters for Net '96, to be telecast in October from Forest Lake.



Wilfred Henderson, '54, and **Mary (Bennett)**, attended, live in Carrollton, Ga. They would like to hear from friends and can be reached at (770) 834-8745.

Jamille Jacobs, '51, and **Lois (Heiser)**, attended, live in Avon Park, Fla. They recently moved into the first house that they built together.

Harold, '53, and **Harriett Johnson**, attended, live in Avon Park, Fla. Harold is a chaplain for Florida Hospital and the USAF Auxiliary Civil Air Patrol.

Burton, '53, and **Dorothy (Porter) Keppler**, '51, stay busy with family and mission trips (Thailand and Russia). They live in Hendersonville, N.C.

Barbara (Eldridge) Klischies, '53, is a nurse at Florida Hospital in the Family Health Center. She and her husband, **Herb**, live in Orlando.

Carol (Maddox) Morey, '59, finally met her three older sisters last July after 58 years. Part of the time she had been living just four miles from them! She has also located her brother in Cincinnati. Their father separated from their mother, **Mary Gravitt**, before **Loretta** (renamed **Caryl** by her adoptive parents) was born in Winchester, Ky. **George** and **Alberta Maddox**, "the best parents any child could ask for," sent her to Southern for college.



Caryl, left, and reunited siblings

After graduation, she married **Keith Morey**, a minister and widower with five children. The Moreys moved from Georgia to her childhood home in Louisville after her adoptive parents died in 1989. At that time she began her search in earnest.

Robert Northrop, '53, works in trust accounting at Loma Linda University. His wife, **LaVerne (Hughes)**, '53, is on a leave of absence to complete her doctoral dissertation. They live in Loma Linda, Calif.

Betty Park, '51, has retired after working with children, youth, and young adults for many years. She lives in Brooks, W.Va.

James Peel, '58, and wife **Rae Reta** live in Ellijay, Ga. James pastors the Ellijay church. Rae Reta plays piano and organ there and at the Hope Lutheran church.

George, '50, and **Ruth (Smith) Petty**, attended, celebrated their golden anniversary in July of '95. George is retired from 37 years of ministry. Ruth is retired from 30 years of teaching but occasionally substitutes. They live in Tryon, S.C.

Fred Sanburn, '51, of Nevada, Iowa, passed away January 6, of a heart attack. He was 68. His wife, **Karen**, survives. He was a high school principal for 23 years and vice principal of Oak Park Academy for a year.

Walter Schwab, '50, is semi-retired and works part time at Scotty's. He lives in Orlando.

Alvin Tripp, '54, accepted a call to the Holbrook Mission School in Arizona after his graduation. Prior to his 1985 retirement, 28 years of teaching and administration took him to the Florida and Georgia-Cumberland conferences. He and his wife, **Anne**, now live in Ooltewah.

Richard, '59, and **Phyllis (Flesher) Young**, attended, live in Longwood, Fla. Richard owns his own business, and Phyllis works in the office.

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Ken Brown, '67, is assistant principal at Pine Ridge Middle School/High School in Florida.

Rosemary (Haves) Brown, '62, received a M.S. in gerontological nursing from the University of Cincinnati in 1977. After marrying in 1979, she worked primarily in long-term care nursing. Following her husband's retirement, she and her husband moved to Ninety-Six, S.C.

Rodney Craig Bryant, '67, practices medicine in Woodbury, Tenn., with his father Dr. William Bryant, and brother, Dr. Gary Bryant. Rodney's wife, Deborah, is a nurse. Their daughter, Ann Virginia, is 8. He has three sons: Craig, 26, Emery, 22, and John Arthur, 16. He also has stepsons Stefan, 16, and Korben, 13.

Larry Caviness, '65, and his wife, **Linda (Bryant)**, attended, live in Reno, Nev. He is president of the Nevada-Utah Conference, and she is principal of Reno Junior Academy.

Bob DuBose, Sr., '64, retired January 1 after serving as a pastor and conference evangelist in Florida. He and his wife, Joyce, live in Avon Park.

Mel Eisele, attended, is the newly elected president of the Gulf States Conference and a new trustee on the Southern College Board. He had been conference treasurer since 1993, and previously had pastored in Missouri and Kentucky. He and his wife, Phyllis, have two sons who graduated from Southern in 1993: **Melvin** (married to **Julianne Werner**, '93) and **Kenneth** (married to **Beth Edgmon**, '94).

Ingrid (Christiansen) Flowers, '66, teaches at John Nevins Andrews School. She is married to Finis L. Flowers. They live in Silver Spring, Md.

Grant D. Gunter, '60, passed away on Feb. 24, 1995. He and his wife, Kathleen, attended, worked in evangelism for 15 years. Besides their service in the Southern Union, they worked in Canada and the Chesapeake and Texas conferences. His last pastoral assignment was at the Houston Central Church.

Joe Hodges, '68, and wife, **Mary Helen**, have opened a 22-resident assisted living retirement home named Quiet Oaks, near Graysville, Tenn.

Geraldine King, '63, is a perinatal outreach nurse in East Cleveland, Ohio. Her husband, Harold, pastors the Madison and Willoughby Churches in Ohio.

Don R. Keele, '60, died April 20. He was the education director for the North Pacific Union and had previously served in the same position for the Mid-America Union. Survivors include his wife, Della, and four grown children: Pamela Cress, Don Jr., Edward, and Michelle Potter.

Walter Kirst, '63, is a radiologic technologist at Florida Hospital Heartland in Avon Park.

Bill Nelson, '66, is an acquisitions librarian in the Library of Congress music division, currently helping organize the Leonard Bernstein and Irving Berlin collections. He has lived in the Washington, D.C., area for 25 years, including 11 as a Congressional legislative assistant.

Stephen Patrick, '68, has taught for 27 years, the last 22 at Forest Lake Academy in Apopka, Fla.

Felicia, '65, and **Lamar Phillips**, '63, have spent 22 years in foreign service and are now in Haiti working with ADRA. Their son, **Chuck**, attends Southern.

Tui Pitman, '65, is principal at Bass Memorial Academy. His wife, Faye, is a nurse. They live in Lumberton, Miss. Their sons are in Loma Linda.

Sylvia T. Stanford, '65, is a librarian and media specialist at Clark School of Mathematics and Science in Mobile, Ala.

Barbara (Foster) Starnes, '62, is a school administrator for Seminole County public schools in Florida and is married to Dick Starnes. She has three daughters who have attended Southern, **Lisa Beall**, '90, **Lori Beall**, '96, and **Leslie Beall**, attending.

Allen Steele, '67, was elected chairman of International Communications Research for Evangelization, a consortium of Christian broadcasters, at the group's annual meeting in England in February. He is program director for Adventist World Radio. He and his wife, **Andrea**, live in England. AWR, with about 1,000 hours of broadcast time weekly, is on the air more hours than any other international religion broadcaster.

Mariellen (Davis-Silverstein) Sutton, '67, is executive director for Ohio Presbyterian Retirement Services in the Lanfair Retirement Community. Her husband, **Bob**, is director of medical education at Kettering Medical Center. They live in Cincinnati.

Pat Tygrett, '64, is a family physician in Calhoun, Ga. He has a son, Sean, and a daughter, Kim.

W. Freeman "Buddy" Ward, '64, is director of computer and telecommunication information services at PUC. His wife, **Jeanie (Hamel)**, attended, is a home maker. She previously worked as a legal and administrative secretary at the General Conference.

Woody Whidden, '67, was promoted to full professor at Andrews University last summer. He teaches in the religion department of the College of Arts and Sciences. The Review and Herald published his book, *Ellen White on Salvation*, in the spring of 1995.

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Larry Bicknell, '72, practices dentistry in Yuma, Ariz. He is back to practicing full time after a three-year sabbatical.

Beverly (Benchina) Brett, '78, is the department admissions coordinator for the social work MSW program at Loma Linda University. She and her husband, Andrew, have two daughters, Alanna and Zara.



Joy (Beagles) Brown, '79, her husband, Jeff, and children, Beth and Zach, live in Madison, Tenn. Joy will resume nursing part time in the fall. Jeff is youth pastor at the Madison campus church and teaches freshman Bible at Madison Academy.

Ron Brown, '72, is director of practice development at the Florida Physicians Medical Group. He lives in Longwood.

Cindy Campbell, '78, works for Kaiser Permanente as the women and children's coordinator for northern California. She lives in Sacramento with her partner, two cats, and a dog.

Barbara Choi, '75, and alumna of the year in 1991, is heading up a collaborative public health education

program in the People's Republic of China. She left for Beijing last November. The new program is a collaboration between Loma Linda University (where Barbara is an assistant professor in the School of Public Health), the World Health Organization, and the Chinese Ministry of Health. It also involves universities in Beijing, Shanghai, Chungdu, Kwantung, and Xian, with month-long, twice-a-year conferences in each region to train health educators.

Jim, '79, **Myrna (Litchfield) Closser**, attended, and son, Jimmy, live in Nashville, Tenn. Jim and Myrna are active with music, the church, and community organizations. Jim recently led a Fundmaster seminar for the Far Eastern Division hospital CFO and development personnel in Penang, Malaysia.

Larry, '75, and **Terrilynn (Cochran) Dunford**, '77, live in Fort Myers, Fla. Larry is a prosthodontist, and Terrilynn is an RN. They have two sons.

Cheryl Figg, '77, is a branch director at Olsten Kimberly Quality Care. She lives in Brunswick, Maine.

Lynda (Eadie) Fowler, '72, owns a home medical supply company. She and her three children, Bryan, Nicky, and Brooke, live in Duncan, S.C.

Mike and **Sharon Harrell**, both attended, are active in Disabilities Ministry for the Florida Conference. They have two children and live in Port Charlotte. Sharon is a teacher's aide at the Adventist school there, and Mike is assistant director of cardiopulmonary services at a Punta Gorda hospital.

Ray and **Jeanne Hartwell**, both '78, share Team Ministry at the Columbia, S.C., First SDA church. Jeanne has contributed to two women's devotional books and presented seminars at women's retreats. Ray has a local, weekly TV ministry. He serves on the Southern Union Executive, Carolina Conference Executive, and Conference Personnel committees. They have two children, Josh and Abby.

Garv Hill, '71, has been in the real estate development business since 1972. He and his wife, Bonnie, have three children. They live in London.

Elven Hudson, '71, is active in prison ministry at the DeSoto Correction Institution. He is also a public school teacher in special education and the Church School Board chairman in Arcadia, Fla.

Doug, '73, and **Lanell (Crump) Jacobs**, '79, have two daughters, Janell and Katie Beth, and live in Avon Park, Fla. Doug is senior pastor at Walker Memorial church, and Lanell is the director of psychiatric services at Memorial Hospital in Tampa.

Joanie (Miller) Loftin, attended, lives in Cleburne, Texas. Her husband, Lward, is president of Tree of Life. They have a son, Brian, and will celebrate their 18th anniversary this year.

Mearle, '79, and **Bonnie Meyer**, attended, live in Untco, Tenn. Mearle is a CRNA in general surgery and women's center, and Bonnie is an RN in labor and delivery in Johnson City. They have two children, Jeremy and Jennifer.

Lillian Mitchell, '79, started a nutrition counseling business in 1994. She lives in Ringgold, Ga.

Rebecca (Mauler) Payne, '78, is a staff nurse at the Harry S. Truman VA Hospital in Columbia, Mo. She also has her own business with Mary Kay Cosmetics. She has a son, Dennis, 13.

Fern Kathleen (Snider) Perrin, '70, works in San Francisco as the director of a home health agency. She has two children at Walla Walla College.

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Frank, '79, and **Cindy (Wilber) Potts**, attended, are proud to announce the birth of Catherine Mary Lynne, their first child after 17 years of marriage. Cathy Lynne was the first in Alabama and the third in the U.S. to be conceived using a new in vitro procedure. Frank is a managing partner of Potts & Young Attorneys in Florence, Ala. His wife, Cindy, has taken a leave of absence from the Internal Revenue Service where she is a field agent. They have five cats.



Sharon (Swinson) Priest, '71, teaches at New Port Richee SDA School in Florida. She has two daughters. **Cherie** is attending, and **Becky** will attend in the fall.

Earl Schrock, '79, is an MRI/X-ray technician in Avon Park, Fla. He has two grown children. **Wendie** is in the Navy, and **Jerome** is in the Airforce.

Peggy (Davis) Smith, '75, married **Harold Elkins**, '66, on April 20. Harold is a CPA who owns a tax accounting firm in Knoxville. Peggy is an assistant professor of office administration at Southern.

James Steen, '71, and his wife, **Sandra**, recently ran in the Bay State Marathon and the Boston Marathon. They live in Boston, Mass.

Dennis, '78, and **Debra (Gilson) Timms**, '81, have three children and live in Claremore, Okla. Dennis is an information services manager at Blue Line's HMO, and Debra teaches at a Tulsa preschool.

In 1991, **Dave**, '77, and **Becky (Norskov) Weigley**, attended, were the first American evangelists to visit the former Soviet Union in over 70 years. Dave is the Washington Conference executive secretary, and Becky works in the education department. They have two children, **Christy** and **Jon**, four horses, and five dogs. They enjoy backpacking, hiking, skiing and traveling. They live in Snohomish.

Linda (Gadd) White, '78, and her husband are remodeling their house in Rolla, Mo. Linda is a church organist and Cradle Roll/Kindergarten leader.

Roger, '76, and **Ruth (Earle) Wichn**, '76, have two children, **Brian** and **Heather**, and live in Punta Gorda, Fla. Roger teaches and is vice principal at Port Charlotte SDA School, and Ruth is a home health nurse.

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Dan Adels, '86, is an ordained minister and pastor of four churches in the Superior, Wis., district.

Rachel Adema, '89, is attending the Florida Institute of Technology in Melbourne, Fla. She is studying toward a master's degree in environmental science with specialization in toxicology. Rachel purchased her first home last summer in Indalantic, Fla.

Patti Aguas, '85, is assistant director of advancement at Forest Lake Academy.

Mark, '85, and **Mitzie (Acosta) Bame**, '86, live in Tappahannock, Va. Mark is a self-employed chiropractor. Mitzie is a full-time mother and part-time writer.

Gregory Barrow, attended '87, died May 12 of injuries from a motorcycle accident. He was 28. Burial was in Collegedale Memorial Park. He had just completed classwork for a master's degree in law enforcement.

ment from the University of Alabama. Greg was the youngest of four sons in the family of Southern's vice president for admissions, Dr. Ron Barrow, and his wife, Colleen.

Laila (Paulsen) Beecejac, '84, is a full-time teacher at Thames Valley University in England.

Charles, '81, and **Wanda Beck**, '79, live in Springfield, Tenn. Charles is the machine shop instructor at Tennessee Technology Center in Nashville. Wanda teaches grades 3 and 4 at Greater Nashville Jr. Academy. They have two children, **Brian** and **Hannah**.

Bruce Benway, '80, has an MA and Ph.D. in English from the University of California at Berkeley. He works in advertising in New York.

Beth Best, '80, teaches adults in the ABE department at Chattanooga State Technical Community College.

Kathy Brummett, '83, lives in Orlando, Fla., with her husband, **Jim**, and son, **Tyler**, 2. She works part time in nursing education at Florida Hospital and is returning to school for her MSN.

Dennis Ciuffardi, '87, is an attorney in the Air Force. He has served two years at Moody AFB, in Georgia, and one year in Korea. He will spend the next two years in Germany.

Vera (Howard) Cooper, attended, retired in 1992 to the Pacific Northwest after serving in England, Wales, Scotland, Hong Kong, Sri Lanka, and Tennessee. She lives in Newman Lake, Wash.

Ellen Crosby, '88, has completed her master's in education at UTC in community guidance and counseling. She has founded Hilltop Christian Center for Girls, a home for girls in Collegedale.

Kalani (Lowery) Dodd, '89, lives in Nowata, Okla., with **Benjamin**, '90, a paramedic, and daughter **Kaitlynn**.

Karl H. Doerner, '83, is association secretary and trust services director for the Texas Conference. The Doerners have two children, **Nona**, 28, **Ben**, 20, and two grandchildren. They live in Keene.

R. Brian, '88, and **Jennifer dos Santos**, '88, live in Renton, Wash., where Jennifer runs a daycare business. Brian designs airplanes at Boeing.

Wayne Dysinger, '82, lives in Hopkinton, N.H. He teaches community and family medicine at Dartmouth Medical School. His wife, **June**, works as a certified nurse-midwife. They have a son, **Stephen**, 3.

Wayne Goffin, '84, lives in Port Charlotte, Fla. He and his wife are expecting their first child in July.

Frank Gonzalez, '81, is associate speaker for *La Voz de la Esperanza*, Spanish radio program produced at the Adventist Media Center. Previously he coordinated the Spanish work in the Pennsylvania Conference.

Darryl, '89, and **Cheryl (Styvesant) Hosford**, '85, live in Grove City, Pa. Darryl is working on a doctorate in physical therapy at Slippery Rock University. Cheryl works in home health at United Community Hospital.

Joyce (Gohde) Kimbel, '81, is married to **Tory Kimbel**. They live in Woodburg, Tenn. Joyce teaches grades 5-8 at Murretsboro SDA Church School.

Jerry Kiser, '87, and his family have returned to Chattanooga after teaching in Guam and then Valley Grande Academy in Texas. He is now principal of the Hixon Adventist School.

Patty (Edwards) Knapp, '80, husband **Randy**, and sons **Brady** and **Corey** live in Medford, Ore. Patty works part time at the Adventist Book Center. The family enjoys white water rafting.

Eugene Korff, '88, works as a district director for the General Conference Auditing Service. He is married to **Monika Andonova**. They live in Silver Spring, Md.

Scott Kuhlman, '81, lives in Asheville, N.C. He is employed with Life Care as business manager. His wife, **Chloette**, is a psychologist with Henderson County Public Schools. They have three children, **Tracie**, **Brian**, and **Brandon**.

Russell, '84, and **Jeanne Laughlin**, '82, live in Cleburne, Texas, where Russell is youth pastor of the Keene SDA Church at SAC. Jeanne stays home to care of **Andrew**, 5, and **Emily**, 3.

Jeff Lingerfelt, '82, works for Life Care Centers of America, based in Cleveland, Tenn. As an avocation, he co-hosts a weekly radio program on WSMC called "Cowboy Jubilee," a delightful mix of contemporary cowboy music and imaginative commentary.

Barry, '87, and **Clarissa (Maksimowich) Manzella**, '84, live in Bolingbrook, Ill. Barry works as a sales representative for General Medical which caters specifically to nursing homes. Clarissa devotes part of her time to work as a medical technologist, and the rest of her time to **Anthony**, 3, and baby **Olivia**.

Mike, '80, and **Nancy (Hyatt) Martling**, attended, live in Spangle, Wash. For three years Mike has taught 10th and 12th grade history at Columbia Academy. Nancy is a secretary at Thunderbird Furniture.

Heidi (Snider) Moon, '84, is an administrative representative at Hutcheson Medical Center in Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. Her husband, **Skip**, works in custom software development.

Keith Mosley, '81, was in Chattanooga in March to officiate at the Southeastern Conference Women's Basketball Tournament held at UTC. He teaches public school in Asheville, N.C. Southern's HPER Department is proud of him, not only because he was invited to officiate at 25 NCAA Division I games this year, but because of his principled stand for the Sabbath.

Norman Neal, '89, is completing his family practice residency in Rome, Ga. He and his wife, **Kimberly**, plan to move to Collegedale in September where Norman will practice at the Collegedale Medical Center. Kimberly plans to attend Southern to complete her nursing degree.

Tony, '82, and **Susan (King) Newsome**, '81, live in Asheville, N.C. Tony is vice president of the Hutton Companies, Inc. Susan teaches kindergarten. They have a daughter, **Hannah**.

Wilfredo Nieves, '84, lives in Lake Mary, Fla., and is completing a Ph.D. in education at UCF.

Mark and **Kathy (Rogers) Penno**, both attended, live in Burleson, Texas. Mark is administrative director of support services at Huguley Memorial Medical Center. Kathy is temporarily retired from teaching to stay home with **Kaitlyn**, 2, and baby **Ariana**.

Kevin C. Pires, '81, is a nurse in the lab at Hamilton Medical Center. He also sings second tenor for the Blessed Hope Quartet. He lives in Dalton, Ga.

Jim, attended, and **Nina (Wollard) Roberts**, '81, live in Stevensville, Mont. Jim works with Riggung International. Nina has two home businesses. They have three children, **Thaddeus**, **Matthew**, and **Cara**.

Kevin, '86, and **Laura (Stewart) Sadler**, '86, live in Orlando, Fla., where Kevin is a senior accountant at Sunbelt Health Care Centers. Laura is a homemaker, and works part time at a fabric store. They have a daughter, **Angela**, 6.

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Ed Santana, '89, married **Amy Holback**, '91, on June 9, 1996. He pastors a church in Vero Beach, Fla., and was ordained to the ministry on June 8.

Tim Sheridan, '89, pastors in the Carolina Conference. He and his wife, **Brenda**, have two children, **Stephen** and **Rachel**. Another is due in August.

David, '84, and **Sandra Shields**, attended, are physicians at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C. They are practicing hematology and anesthesiology/pain management, respectively.

Janie (Jones) Simon, attended, is working for Boeing Company as director of human resources for Information Services (Defense & Space) Division in Washington, D.C. On May 29, 1994, she married Commander **James R. Simon**. They live in Sterling, Va.

Lee, attended, and **Carol (Midkiff) Skillin**, '83, live in Davie, Fla. Carol has completed her second year of teaching at South Broward Christian School. Lee teaches sixth grade at Greater Miami Academy. They both plan to take classes at Southern this summer.

M. Janelle (Stratton) Tingle, '80, is married to **Randy**. They have 2 children, **Stratton Lee** and **Kaelyn Eva**. Janelle works at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau, Mo., as a staff diagnostic medical sonographer. Randy works as a sonographer in the Heart Institute.

Charlene (Marshall) Thiry, attended, and her husband, **Duane**, live in Manhattan, Kan. Charlene is department manager of cardiac rehab at Community Hospital in Onaga.

Tammv (Miller) Turnbull, '83, has been married to **Jeff Turnbull** for six years. Their children are **Joshua**, 4, and **Victoria**, 1. Tami is a full-time homemaker.

Eric Vincent, '85, is married to **Marla**, whom he met while attending Kettering College. Their children are **Eric**, 10, **Alex**, 8, and **Andrea**, 7. Eric is vice president of Just 4 Kids, a children's apparel shop.

Steve, '88, and **Cherry (Cabus) Vogel**, attended, live in Cleburne, Texas. Steve was named administrator of Town Hall Estates, a 130-bed nursing home.

Grayson, '81, and **Mandy Warren**, '81, live in Portland, Tenn. Grayson is assistant head nurse at Tennessee Christian Medical Center, and Mandy is a nurse practitioner. They have two children, **Emily** and **Ben**.

Judy Weeks, attended, lives in Las Vegas, Nev., and works at Sunrise Hospital in the neonatal intensive care unit doing staff and transport nursing.

Sharon (Flemmer) Welch, attended, is a hostess for a retirement center. Her husband, **Donald**, does CT scans at Shawnee Mission Medical Center. They live in Olathe, Kan.



Karen Wilcox, '83, recently completed a master's degree in family therapy. She is an ICU nurse and is starting a practice in the Orlando area.

Eilene (Whitaker) Hazel, '80, does medical transcription at home, and **Jim** is vice president at Hamilton Medical Center in Dalton, Ga. They have been married 18 years and have a daughter, **Hanaleigh Sara**, 6.

Daniel, '84, and **Lisa Whitlow**, attended, live in Bryant, Ala. Dan is pastoring on Sand Mountain in North Ala., and is Pathfinder Council chair for the Gulf States Conference. Lisa works part time in Chattanooga in ICU at Parkridge Medical Center. Their children are **Andrew**, 7, **Anthony**, 4, and **Amanda**, 1.

Candace Albury, '91, lives in Deltona, Fla. Her daughter, **Charla (Albury) Haverly**, also '91, has a new baby son, born in May.

Christopher Blake, '94, has spent two years in Chattanooga working as an estate planner. He is working on a master's in finance with CPA certification and expects to open an accounting firm soon.

John Caskey, '91, has combined his long-standing interests in military history and war games to design and oversee development of a computer game, *Road to Moscow*, scheduled for release by Arsenal Publications this fall. He lives in Cedar Lakes, Mich.

Arthur Chamberlain, '93, recently graduated with a master's in mass communication and lives in New Port Richey, Fla.

Duane Chesnev, '90, is the music director at Heritage Academy (successor to Little Creek Academy). He also teaches Bible and American history.

Lisa Clark, '96, has received two fellowships. One is a full-tuition scholarship plus \$6000 annual stipend for graduate study in history at the University of Chicago, renewable for four years. She plans to study popular religious movements in English history. For this summer she also was accepted into the Pew Younger Scholars program at Notre Dame. This program encourages academically gifted students from Christian liberal arts colleges to consider academic careers. For three weeks Lisa will join a small group studying with **Harry Stout**, a prominent church historian from Yale University. The Pew Foundation covers all expenses plus a \$750 stipend. Lisa graduated magna cum laude and as a Southern Scholar.

Eugene Constantine, '92, is a mechanical engineer at Stan and Associates, Inc., in Ohio. Recently he volunteered as a missionary at an orphanage in Romania for REACH International. He lives in Centerville.

Ken Cushman, '95, lives in Harrison, Tenn., and works at North Park Hospital in emergency. He hopes to start his own business soon.

Donna Denton, '94, teaches physical education and drama at Forest Lake Academy.

Rebecca Dubose, attended, lives in Madison, Tenn. She graduated with a natural resource management degree from Volunteer State Community College in May of '95 and works in the Warner Parks in Nashville, Tenn. She's engaged to **Tim King**.



Linda Erwin, '96 summer, is in Santiago, Chile, completing a 500-hour field practicum for her social work major. ADRA/Chile (Adventist Development Relief Agency) has a contract to provide care for 600-800 foster children. Linda is getting hands-on training with an international perspective.

Danielle R. (Sawtell) Dick, '95, works at Memorial Mission Hospital in Asheville, N.C. She is married to **Thomas Dick**. They are involved in church leadership and mission programs at Foster Memorial Church.

Thomas A. Diller, '95, graduated with his B.S. in nursing and works at Shady Grove Adventist Hospital in Gaithersburg, Md.

Steve, '90, and **Kathy (Hampton) Durkac**, attended, live in Augusta, Ga., with daughters **Stephanie**, 9, and **Karhleen**, 5. Steve is a rooms executive with Radisson Hotels, and Kathy is a manager with Waldenbooks.

Michelle (Elliot) Fontaine, '91, is operations manager for an engineering/design firm. She married **Nelson Fontaine** on June 6. They live in Marietta, Ga.

Esther (Eirich) Farley, '95, married **Ira E. Farley** on Sept. 17, 1995. They began work in China in March 1996 teaching conversational English and they also hope to do some medical work.

Julie (Jacobs) Fuller, '91, married **Gregory J. Fuller** on September 3, 1995. They live in San Diego, Calif.

David Graham, '93, received his master's degree at Andrews University and is now associate pastor at the Tampa First Church in Florida. **Sarah Ashley Graham** was born on March 7, 1994.

Jeff, '90, and **Janelle (Lea) Grange**, '90, live in Colton, Calif. Jeff is completing his emergency medicine residency at Loma Linda University Medical Center. Janelle works as an ER and ICU nurse at Loma Linda.



Aldo Hernandez, '95, works as a mental health therapist in New York City.

Jil Hines, '91, teaches at La Sierra Academy and is completing a master's degree in education.

Donna Jensen, '92, a Ph.D. student in biology at Virginia Tech, was named one of two Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistants. Faculty members request her as a GTA and students elect to take her labs, according to a university newsletter, because she "lectures clearly and concisely and makes a point of getting to know her students." Her research program is in microbial genetics. She has made presentations at regional and national scientific meetings. She lives in Christiansburg, Va.

Michelle (Robinson) Kligopoulos, '95, lives in Orlando, Fla. with her new husband, **Paul**. They were married in September 1995, and recently welcomed a baby girl, **Alexia**.

David, '94, and **Marquita Klinedinst**, '94, Marquita is a case manager registered nurse for First American Home Care. David is an area representative with the ministry of Christian Record Services for the blind/deaf. They live in York, Pa.

Julie (Bietz) Kroll, '92, graduated with her master's in physical therapy in June of 1995, and now works full time at Redlands Community Hospital. She is married to **Peter Kroll**, '93, who is a junior medical student at Loma Linda University.

Eric, '94, and **Jill (Spangler) Lawinsky**, '94, were married on November 27, 1994. They live in Napoleon, Ohio. Eric works at Defiance Medal Products, and Jill does accounting at Campbell's Soup Company.

Jamie Lewis, '92, is doing radiology nursing at Florida Hospital in Orlando.

Boyd and Joella (Lawhead) Lundell, both attended, live in Spring Lake, Mich., and pastor two churches. Joella teaches at Grand Rapids Academy and is completing her degree at Grand Valley State University.

Holly Sue Miller, '92, is working at Weimar Institute full time as a massage therapist and resource center assistant with the NEWSTART Lifestyle program.

Chris Moore, '94, is a second-year medical student at the College of Podiatric Medicine & Surgery. His wife, Joy (Kitchen), works as an emergency medical technician. They reside in Des Moines, Iowa.

Garv, '91, and Laurie Moyer, attended, live in Bertin Springs, Mich. Gary is in the Seminary at Andrews University. Laurie is waiting to receive a double-lung transplant due to her worsening condition (cystic fibrosis). He is trying to raise \$250,000 for transplant related costs. Checks can be made payable to "NHATE-Friends of Laurie Moyer" and sent to NHATE P.O. Box 258, 6 Bryn Mawr Ave, Bryn Mawr, Pa. 19010

Brenda Poolev, '93, works at Portland Adventist Medical Center in the philanthropy services department. She is engaged to marry Brian Ermshar. She lives in Battle Ground, Wash.



Regina Rector, '93, is majoring in aviation maintenance and engineering technology at Andrews University and hoping to graduate in June of 1997.

David Lee '94, and Becky Eileen (Ladd) Rodman, '91, live in Apopka, Fla. David is a reimbursement accountant in the corporate office of Sunbelt Health Care Centers. Becky works on-call for human resources at Florida Hospital now that baby David Lee Rodman II was born Oct. 21, 1995.

Amanda Sheffield, '93, majored in English and is living and teaching near London, England.

Robert K. Spilovs, '90, '92, died abruptly in East Ridge, Tenn., on March 31. Services were at the Standifer Gap SDA Church, and burial in Collegedale Memorial Cemetery. The family suggests that memorial contributions may be made to the Southern College Student Endowment.

If you provided alumni information which has not yet appeared, please feel free to resubmit so that it will be current for the next issue.

ALUMNI PATENT NEW DENTAL/MEDICAL NEEDLE

A new needle design which could revolutionize dentistry has been created and patented by two alumni. Dan Zunitch, '82, and Michael Wing, '91, began studying the problem of the commonly used "bent needle" technique in their sophomore year at Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. When giving local anesthesia in hard-to-reach parts of the mouth, dentists will often bend the needle slightly with a gloved finger before injecting. While this technique is usually successful, it has two risks: breakage and contamination.

After discovering over 500 articles about needle breakage, and surveying 1500 dentists, the two men set about designing the Variable Angular Syringe (VAS) needle. The device allows for conventional straight injection, while also giving the operator the option of pivoting and fixing the syringe needle up to a 55 degree angle without touching it. The VAS needle is now patented and can be manufactured similarly to the conventional needle now on the market. Universal in use, it can also be of benefit to medical doctors and veterinarians.

Dan and Mike worked on this project outside their regular schedules of classroom and clinical projects. They both graduated from the LLU School of Dentistry in 1995. Dan has joined the dental practice of Robert Kirk in Chattanooga. He and his family live in Rome, Ga. Mike has begun a residency training program in oral and maxillofacial surgery at LLU.



SPECIAL REUNIONS HOMECOMING '96

- Honor classes - '26, '36, '46, '56, '66, '71, '76, and '86
- Nurses, pre-nurses
- Band and brass ensemble
- WSMC radio station employees

At rest

Kenneth C. Baize, '51, died Feb. 12, 1996. He was 73. From 1951 to 1956 he taught accounting at Southern and was accountant for College Enterprises. He and his wife, Pearl (Koger), attended, served at Mount Pisgah Academy for 11 years, then he was assistant treasurer for the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference for 15 years. Ken's funeral was in Charleston, S.C., following a memorial service at the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference office. Pearl recently moved back to Charleston from Hendersonville, Tenn.

Willis Elzie Cushman, '94, passed away on Feb. 6, 1996. He had been employed at the Southern College book bindery when it was still in business, then after retirement was self-employed as a financial planner. Survivors include his wife, Thelma Cushman, who is an associate professor emerita of home economics. He sleeps in Collegedale Memorial Park until Jesus comes.

Lou (Bowen) Hoar, '91, died in Ontario, Canada, on Feb. 6, 1995. She taught secretarial classes at Southern and was the president's secretary from 1951-60, while her husband, Paul, was principal of Collegedale Academy. Later she taught and retired at Kingsway College. Survivors include her husband, daughter Barbara Tami, and grandsons John and Tim Arena, attending.

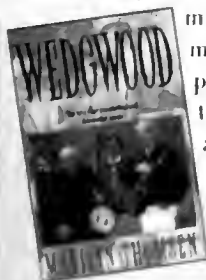
Allison Roberta Titus, '20, a junior public relations and print journalism major, died Jan. 27, 1996, in a hiking fall in the Cherokee National Forest. She was born March 15, 1975. She was Student Association public relations director and sports editor for the Southern Accent. Her parents, Alan and Jane Titus, and brother, Brett, of Bolingbrook, Ill., as well as both sets of grandparents survive.

Jonathan Christopher Walker, '20, died from injuries sustained in a traffic accident on May 8, 1996, near Rock Springs, Wyo., enroute to California. He had just completed his second year at Southern College. His immediate family are parents Leonard and Betty Walker of Brownsville, Calif., and a sister, Jodi. The family had been missionaries in Africa. Jon was a nephew of Maxine and Richard Center (an SC trustee). Jon's girlfriend, Nancy Beal, attending from California, survived the accident and had been released from a Salt Lake City hospital by presuicide.

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