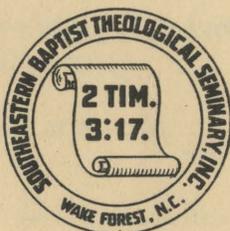


FIRST
ANNUAL
COMMENCEMENT
PROGRAM



APRIL, 1954

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 3:00-5:00 P.M.
President's Reception for Graduates
and their Families
President's Home

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 8:00 P.M.
Commencement Sermon and Exercises
Recognizing the First Faculty
WAKE FOREST BAPTIST CHURCH

DR. W. PERRY CROUCH
President of the Board of Trustees
Presiding

Organ Prelude — "Chaconne".....*Couperin*
DR. PAUL ROBINSON, Organist
Processional — "Rigaudon" *Campra*
Invocation.....DR. J. GLENN BLACKBURN
Pastor, Wake Forest Baptist Church
Hymn No. 413—"How Firm a Foundation" . . . J. E. Wade's *Cantus-Diversi*
(Congregation will stand)
Scripture and Prayer.....DR. J. ALLEN EASLEY
Professor of Religion and Acting Dean of the
School of Religion, Wake Forest College
Expression of Appreciation of the First Faculty
On behalf of the Student Body.....REV. FRED A. DUCKETT
President of the Student Body
On behalf of the Board of Trustees.....DR. W. PERRY CROUCH
President of the Board of Trustees
Commencement Sermon.....DR. S. L. STEALEY
President, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Hymn No. 456 — "Faith of Our Fathers".....*Henry*
(Congregation will stand)
BenedictionDR. S. L. STEALEY
Recessional — "Now Thank We All Our God".....*Karg-Elert*

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 7:30 A.M.
Senior Breakfast
Community House

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 10:30 A.M.

Graduation Exercises

WAKE FOREST BAPTIST CHURCH

PRESIDENT S. L. STEALEY
Presiding

Organ Prelude — "Benedictus" *Rowley*
DR. PAUL ROBINSON, Organist

Processional — "Psalm XIX" *Marcello*

Doxology

Invocation.....REV. DOUGLAS BRANCH
President, North Carolina Baptist Convention

Hymn No. 469 — "The Son of God Goes Forth to War" *Cutler*
(Congregation will stand)

Scripture

Old Testament.....DR. J. LEO GREEN
Professor of Hebrew and Old Testament Interpretation

New Testament.....DR. EDWARD A. McDOWELL, JR.
Professor of New Testament Interpretation

Commencement Address.....DR. J. W. STORER
President, Southern Baptist Convention

Conferring of Degrees

Charge to the Graduates.....PRESIDENT S. L. STEALEY

The Seminary Hymn.....*McDowell*
(Tune: *Germany*, "Where Cross the Crowded Ways")

Ordained of God, His Prophets rise, They seek not gain nor earthly prize, They heed the challenge of Christ's call, They ask to give and spend their all.	The rights of man we shall defend, Our strength to justice ever lend, The sins of greed, of caste and war, Bring men and nations to abhor.
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Anointed heralds bold to speak, But in our ways like Jesus meek, In lowly place or distant land, We go forth now to take our stand.	We thank our God for kindly years, For fellowship through joy and tears, For learning and for friendly toil, For faith to sow in every soil.
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Our message be the gospel plain, Our joy its power o'er sin's dark stain; Born from above the sinner lives, New life in Christ the Spirit gives!	Bind us in brotherhood, we pray, As from this place we go today, And keep our feet in paths made light, By Jesus' truth and glory bright!
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Benediction.....DR. S. L. STEALEY

Recessional — "Te Deum Laudamus" *Claussmann*

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

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William Franklin Askins.....Hartsville, S. C.
 Cecil Hartzog Beard.....Bamberg, S. C.
 Charles C. Bettis.....Cumming, Ga.
 Alvin Floyd Boone.....Newberry, S. C.
 Robert Henry Bruhn.....Brooklyn, N. Y.
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 Reese Eugene Kyzar.....Bogue Chitto, Miss.
 Paul Edwin Lemons.....Raleigh, N. C.
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 Van Hinton Porter.....Williston, S. C.
 Roy Albert Propst, Jr.....Shelby, N. C.
 Aubrey T. Quakenbush.....Graham, N. C.
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 Sherrill Gardner Stevens.....Wendell, N. C.
 Donald Jackson Stoner.....Dovesville, S. C.
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