

# Graduation Program

Prelude ..... William Mathias Fanfare ..... Three Settings of the Advent Hymn Johann Sebastian Bach "Savior of the Nations, Come" ...... Partita, "How Brightly Shines the Morning Star" .. Michael Burkhardt \*Processional, "Tuba Tune", Opus 15 ...... C. S. Lang James W. Good, Organist Professor of Church Music \*Invocation .... Professor of Missions and World Religions/ Director of Doctor of Ministry Program Greeting ...... President Hymn 142 "There is a Fountain"...... CLEANSING FOUNTAIN Scripture Readings Old Testament: Psalm 23 ...... Paul Carlisle Jr. Assistant Professor of Pastoral Care and Counseling David L. Puckett New Testament: John 10:11-16 Associate Professor of Church History Conferring of Degrees ..... President Patterson L. Russ Bush III Vice President for Academic Affairs/Dean of the Faculty . Bailey Smith Prayer of Dedication Evangelist Solo, "Cross Medley" ..... J. Daniel Rosser Graduating Senior M.A./C.M. Charge to Graduates ..... James B. Henry President, Southern Baptist Convention Pastor, First Baptist Church, Orlando, Florida \*"The Seminary Hymn" ..... GERMANY (See Back Panel) \*Benediction .... Professor of Christian Theology \*Recessional, "Toccata" (Symphonie V, Opus 42)..... C. M. Widor

### The Seminary Hymn

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.

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 together now, we pray, As from this place we go today. And keep our feet in paths made light, By Jesus' truth and glory bright! Amen.

- E. A. McDowell Jr., 1898-1975 Professor of New Testament, Emeritus

Faculty Marshals

Delos Miles, Chief Marshal Fred A. Grissom

#### Student Marshals

Douglas M. Nalley, Senior Marshal Jane Wooten Ayers Richard Gregory Whiteside

# Candidates for Graduation

#### Associate of Divinity

Ronnie Lee Aldridge	Shelbyville, Kentucky
Sherian Ann Aldridge	
Jonathan Scott Palmer	$\sim$
Master of Arts in C	bristian Education
Frederick Cardoza II	Oneida, Tennessee
Jeffrey Williams	
Master of Arts in	1 Church Music
J. Daniel Rosser	Augusta, Georgia
Master of	Divinity
Kyung Jun Ahn	
Roger Lee Banner*	
Mark Timothy Billington*	
Bruce Lee Cullers*	
James Patrick Davidson	Tucker, Georgia
James Tyler Davis*	
Brett Ryan De Young	
Kenneth A. Hardin*	
even Kerry Love*	Edwardsville, Illinois
John Edward McKinney	
Larry Michael Morris	
M. David Myers	East Bend, North Carolina
Christopher Scott Peterson*	
Bradley Doyle Reynolds*	
Michael Ray Selby	

#### Master of Divinity with Christian Education

.... Raleigh, North Carolina

.Seoul. Korea

.... Atlanta, Georgia

Bristol, Tennessee

... Union City, Georgia

... Trinity, North Carolina

Etowah, North Carolina

...... Chatham, Virginia

Granite Quarry, North Carolina

Franklin LaVern Baggett Jr	
Lonnie Marlin Bowling	Arab, Alabama
Garry Monray Foskey	New Bern, North Carolina
Angela Tia Huskey	
Alwood H. Thigpen Jr.*	

#### Doctor of Ministry

## Jim Henry - Guest Speaker

Dr. James B. Henry is the pastor of First Baptist Church in Orlando, Florida, and currently serves as the president of the Southern Baptist Convention. He received a B.A. degree from Georgetown College and B.D. and M.Div. degrees from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, where he was president of the student body. Dr. Henry has served in numerous capacities within Southern Baptist life, including trusteeships at the Sunday School and Foreign Mission Boards as well as president of the SBC Pastor's Conference and a membership on the SBC Peace Committee. His pulpit ministry reaches beyond the walls of the church to the citizens of Central Florida via a weekly television broadcast. Dr. Henry and his wife, Jeanette, have three children: Kitty, Betsy, and Jim II.



# Academic Regalia

The hoods, gowns, and caps worn in academic ceremonies today are modified versions of clothing worn by ecclesiastics and students in the 12th and 13th centuries. They wore gowns and hoods to their lectures, probably for warmth in the damp, unheated halls where classes were held.

The designs and colors of these costumes have come to symbolize the level of academic attainment and the institution attended.

Robes - The bachelor's robe has an elaborate yoke but is otherwise a plain garment with a closed, pleated front and long, full-pointed sleeves. The master's robe is identifiable by its sleeves, cut for the arm at the wrist and just above the elbow, which have a distinctive oblong back and are squared at the ends. The doctor's robe, full cut and with voluminous long sleeves, is distinguished by its rich velvet trim. Robe-length front panels and velvet sleeve bars are either black or symbolize, by their color, the field in which the doctorate was obtained.

Caps - Graduates of American colleges and universities wear a stiff mortarboard that matches the robe in color and material. European universities are somewhat less rigid in the style of their caps. Tassels are usually black but may represent the degree held by the wearer. Tassels worn by doctors may be black or gold.

Hoods - The color or colors symbolize the college or university granting the degree, and the velvet trim denotes the field of study. A long hood with velvet trim represents a doctor's degree. The hood trim colors most frequently seen are signified by the following:

Scarlet Theology	Purple Law
Light Blue Education	
White Arts, Letters, Humanities	Pink Music

Richard P. Shannon Jr. ....

John David Shields ....

Steven Wayne Smith .....

Joel Edwin Story ...

Byron Keith Sherman\* ......

John Chonghwan Shin\*.....

Christopher Steven Talton .....

Kenneth Gene Welborn\*...

Timothy Sean Wiles\* ..

