

# Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary

*THIRTY-NINTH*

*SPRING*

*COMMENCEMENT*



"Taking the WORD to the World"

*May Fifteenth and Sixteenth  
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Two*



# Commencement Worship

Friday, May 15, 1992

8:00 p.m.

Binkley Chapel

L. Russ Bush III, *presiding*

*Vice President for Academic Affairs/Dean of the Faculty*

Prelude - Improvisation sur le "Te Deum" ..... *Charles Tournemire*  
Symphony II ..... *Louis Vierne*  
III. Scherzo  
Final ..... *Cesar Franck*

Burke Raper, *Organist*  
*Adjunctive Instructor of Church Music*

\*Processional - "Trumpet Tune" ..... *David German*

\*Invocation ..... *Robert H. Culpepper*  
*Professor of Theology*

\*Hymn 2 "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... *NICAEA*

Scripture and Prayer ..... *Stephen J. Andrews*  
*Assistant Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew*

Old Testament Lesson: II Kings 2: 1-15

New Testament Lesson: I Corinthians 2: 1-5

Welcoming Remarks ..... *Lewis A. Drummond*  
*President*

Acknowledgments,  
Presentations of Awards and Recognitions ..... *L. Russ Bush III*

Solo, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings" ..... *Samuel Liddle*  
*George Harold Roach Jr.*  
*M.A.C.M., Graduating Senior*

Commencement Sermon ..... *Lewis A. Drummond*  
"Where Is God?"

\*Hymn 390 "We Are Called to Be God's People" ..... *AUSTRIAN HYMN*

\*Benediction ..... *Donald E. Cook*  
*Professor of New Testament*

\*Recessional - Toccata in D (Dorian) ..... *Johann Sebastian Bach*

\*Congregation please stand.



# Graduation Program

Saturday, May 16, 1992  
10:30 a.m.

Binkley Chapel

Lewis A. Drummond, *presiding*  
*President*

Prelude - Toccata and Fugue in F, S. 540 ..... *Johann Sebastian Bach*

Chorales ..... *J.S. Bach*

"Dearest Jesus, We Are Thine", S. 731

"Rejoice Today, Ye Christians All", S. 734

Elegy ..... *Sir C. Hubert H. Parry*

Chorale Prelude, "St. Anne" (Hymn 73) ..... *Sir C. Hubert H. Parry*

James W. Good, *Organist*  
*Professor of Church Music*

\*Processional - "Tuba Tune," Opus 15 ..... *C. S. Lang*

\*Invocation ..... *Lewis A. Drummond*

Welcome ..... *Lewis A. Drummond*

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Jeremiah 23: 1-4 ..... *T. Furman Hewitt*  
*Professor of Christian Ethics*

New Testament: I Peter 5: 1-7 ..... *C. Michael Hawn*  
*Professor of Church Music*

Doxology (Hymn 253) ..... *OLD 100th*

Conferring of Degrees ..... *Lewis A. Drummond*

Charge to Graduates ..... "On Becoming Care-Givers" ..... *Albert L. Meiburg*  
*Professor of Pastoral Theology*

Litany of Mission (see page 6)

\*The Seminary Hymn ..... *GERMANY*  
(see page 7)

\*Benediction ..... *J. Dudley Davis*  
*President of Student Council*

\*Recessional - Postlude

Carillon de Westminster, Opus 54/IV ..... *Louis Vierne*

\*Congregation please stand.

# Candidates for Graduation

## Associate Of Divinity

Marsha Rand Anderson ..... Raleigh, NC  
 Mitchell Floyd Anderson ..... Conway, SC  
 Roger M. Armstrong ..... Virginia Beach, VA  
 Paul Daniel Beach ..... Memphis, TN  
 Kenneth Dae Benton ..... Winnabow, NC  
 Kenney Damon Bledsoe ..... Dunwoody, GA  
 Glennis Debora Watts Butler ..... Savannah, GA  
 Enoch F. Foy ..... Jacksonville, NC  
 Rand William Freer ..... New Paltz, NY  
 Erik Ole Garthe ..... Miami, FL  
 James Allen Guffee ..... Belmont, NC  
 Aubrey Wayne Heath ..... Scottsburg, VA  
 Daniel Grey Justice ..... Hampstead, NC  
 Clifton Richard Kesterson ..... Washington, DC  
 James Troy Lamb Jr ..... Lake Wales, FL  
 Clarence Allen Mahan II ..... Nanjemoy, MD  
 Jerry Ray Millwood Sr ..... Bessemer City, NC  
 Don Maland Phillips ..... Roanoke Rapids, NC  
 Hugh Donald Pollard Jr ..... Erwin, NC  
 James Wade Pulley ..... Wake Forest, NC  
 Curtis Richard Taylor ..... Columbus, OH  
 Alton Byrnes Watkins ..... Wilmington, NC  
 Barry E. Whitworth ..... Mt. Airy, MD  
 Frederick Lee Williams ..... Norfolk, VA  
 T. Peter Zlomek ..... Wake Forest, NC

## Master Of Arts In Christian Education

Sherry ReNae Burnette Foskey ..... Hickory, NC  
 Lois Herren McCoy ..... Raleigh, NC  
 Charles P. Newman ..... Melbourne, FL  
 Terri Rae Yarbrough ..... Miami, FL

## Master Of Arts In Church Music

George Harold Roach Jr ..... Greensboro, NC

## Master Of Divinity

David Owen Anderson Sr ..... Myrtle Beach, SC  
 Joey Todd Anthony ..... Hurt, VA  
 George Ellis Atkins ..... Phenix City, AL  
 Carl Eric Back ..... Edmonton, Alberta, Canada  
 Dennis Edward Bean ..... Gastonia, NC  
 Marvin E. Bee ..... Satellite Beach, FL  
 Daniel Leroy Black ..... Rutherfordton, NC  
 Hazel Pearson Boyd ..... Dallas, NC  
 Gregory Daniel Brinson ..... Greensboro, NC



Sharon Van Hoy Buck *	Wendell, NC
Lester L. Burleson	Gauley Bridge, WV
Jeff Robert Burns	Lebanon, VA
Timothy Lee Burpee	Atlanta, GA
John Michael Check	Wilson, NC
Serenus T. Churn Jr	Winston-Salem, NC
Stephen Gary Crouse	Graham, NC
Steven Frasier Davis	Concord, NC
Marcus Lawrence Dodson	Pickens, SC
Ricky James Ewing	Gretna, VA
Shawn Leigh Feeny	Virginia Beach, VA
John Edwin Fromm *	Wausau, WI
Todd Kinard Hadley	Columbia, SC
David Preston Haley	Cheraw, SC
Dannie Ronald Hayes	Hamlet, NC
Eric Lee Hayes	High Point, NC
Thurman Rawls Hayes Jr *	Suffolk, VA
Almond T. Holley	Spring Hope, NC
David Bruce Horton	Hillsville, VA
Bill S. Ingram II	Jamestown, NC
David Joe Jones	Roanoke, VA
John Robert Jones Jr	Kinston, NC
Anthony Boyd Joyce	Sandy Ridge, NC
Dawn M. Keller *	Rolesville, NC
Randal John Klocke *	Coon Rapids, IA
Richard E. Leader	Winter Park, FL
Thomas Meade Long	Harrisonburg, VA
David Kelley Mann	Cullman, AL
James Frederick McDaniel	Buckingham, VA
Mark Stephen McDill *	Portland, OR
Lewis Charles McDonald	Atlanta, GA
Glen Keith Menshouse *	Ashland, KY
William M. Monroe	Albany, GA
Sandra Dee Pate	Nanjemoy, MD
Eric Grant Pfeifer	Cherryville, NC
William Thomas Pillow Jr	Charleston, SC
Charles Timothy Robbins	Lexington, NC
Lacy Edward Simpson Jr	Fayetteville, NC
David Culver Smith	Worcester, MA
Douglas Bryan Spivey	Kelford, NC
Clinton Wesley Sweatman	Mableton, GA
Andrew Alan Wade *	Dover, FL
Mitchell Bryan Watson	Hudson, NC
David B. Wiedenman *	Lancaster, PA
Michael Scott Williams *	Suitland, MD
Robert Lewis Wrenn	Chase City, VA
Gregory Scott Young	Hendersonville, NC

### Master Of Divinity With Church Music

Samuel Kevin Brown	Warner Robins, GA
--------------------	-------------------

### Master Of Divinity With Christian Education

Daniel Clark Carter	Kingstree, SC
Winfred Kevin Davis	Lumberton, NC
Sam Reyes Evangelista	Metro Manila, Philippines
Alfredo B. Granillo	Bluefield, GA
Lynn Ann Porter Horne *	Farmville, NC
Raphael Osbert James	St. George, Grenada
Randall Jay Speer	Plant City, FL
Kristen S. Choi Suh	Charlotte, NC
Janine S. Welch	Gibsonville, NC

### Master Of Theology

Dondi Mark Pace •	Wilmington, NC
Thesis: <i>The Kingdom Of God And Religious Pluralism: Savior And Heaven In Mahayana Buddhism</i>	

### Doctor Of Ministry

David Woodbury Cox	Spartanburg, SC
Project: <i>Equipping The Saints: Suicide Intervention In The Local Church</i>	

Walter L. Farmer	Ft. Bragg, NC
Project: <i>Equipping Associational Leaders To Respond Redemptively To Crises In The Local Church</i>	

William Albert Harkins	Canton, NC
Project: <i>Building Covenant In A Rural Church</i>	

Victor Joseph Lujetic	Henrietta, NY
Project: <i>Southern Baptist Church-Based Evangelism Within A Predominantly Roman Catholic Community</i>	

Walter Barry Nealy	Greensboro, NC
Project: <i>Evangelism In Apartment Communities: Launching Cultivative Activities</i>	

• Graduating in Absentia

\* With Languages

### Faculty Marshals

Marvin L. Reid, <i>Chief Faculty Marshal</i>
George W. Braswell Jr, <i>Faculty Marshal</i>
Stephen J. Andrews, <i>Faculty Marshal</i>

### Student Marshals

J. Dudley Davis, *Chief Student Marshal*

David Coburn	Mark Leonard Lail
Kaye Frances Cook	Jeffrey W. McKinney
Sharon B. Haigler	Ronald Lee West



## *Litany Of Mission*

- Leader: You who are gathered here today as graduates are not here by a simple accident of circumstance.
- Graduates: Whether by sudden insight or gradual understanding, we have heard the same word that came to Isaiah saying, "Whom shall I send and who will go for Us?" (Isaiah 6:8). And we each have answered, "Here am I, send me."
- Congregation: You have come to this place in order that you might be "equipped for every good work" (II Timothy 3:17).
- Leader: But it is not enough simply to become equipped, for the work lies before you. This, too, is the word of the Lord: "In Christ, God was reconciling the world to Himself, not counting their sins against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation."
- Faculty: "...So we are ambassadors for Christ, God making His appeal through us. We beseech you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God" (II Corinthians 5:19-20).
- Graduates: But we go forth to a world skilled at building walls. In such a world, how do we declare this message of reconciliation?
- Faculty: "Have this mind among yourselves which was yours in Christ Jesus, who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a servant..." (Philippians 2:5-7).
- Graduates: As ministers of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, we are called to serve in His name and by His example.
- Leader: The same journey of faith that led you here, now leads you to other places around the world. You go to exercise the gifts that God has given to you and to employ the knowledge gained through study. But even this will not be enough.
- Congregation: Jesus said, "This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you" (John 15:12).
- Graduates: "Let us not love in word or in speech but in deed and in truth" (I John 3:18).
- Faculty: "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things" (I Corinthians 13:7).
- All: "Faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love" (I Corinthians 13:13).

Peggy Haymes  
M. Div. 1985

## *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.

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.

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!

The rights of all we shall defend,  
Our strength to Justice ever lend,  
The sins of greed, of caste and war,  
Bring every nation to abhor.

For freedom Christ has set us free,  
Breaking the chains of captivity.  
Bound but to God we go forth whole,  
Free from the shackles of mind and soul.

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.

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.

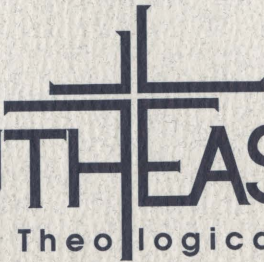
*-E.A. McDowell Jr., 1898-1975  
Professor of New Testament, Emeritus*

*Verse Five ADDENDUM, 1987  
W. Randall Lolley 1957 and  
Robert Mullinax 1957*



*Autographs*





**SOUTHEASTERN**  
Baptist • Theological • Seminary

“Taking the WORD to the World”