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# LETTERS

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## A Time to Change? No!

We have received many letters in response to one that appeared in the Jan. 2 issue of the GLEANER regarding so-called sexist language in the Scriptures. Following are excerpts from some of the letters received.

The response has been overwhelmingly opposed to the suggestions of the writer. With the letters in this issue, we close discussion on this topic. We feel the comments by Pastor Don Reiber provide an excellent summation.

... For me such words as man, men, mankind, and he will continue to be generic, especially when used in a theological sense. As used in the Bible and the writings of Ellen White, the meaning so obviously includes all of us that we shouldn't have to do some kind of "mental somersault" to make it meaningful. If some do find it difficult, perhaps their own minds have become somewhat rigid and inflexible in that area. ...

Lynette Bramlett  
Castle Rock, Wash.

... Why should we use feminine images of God? God is not feminine. God is the Father of Jesus Christ. Mary became pregnant by Him when He sent the Holy Spirit to her. To have done this, God had to be male. ...

Lede Snyder  
Vancouver, Wash.

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... Because of the seriousness of the times in which we now live, what a waste to dwell on such matters as women's lib within the church, when we should be dwelling on the soon return of our Lord and Savior. ...

Emma Watson  
Vancouver, Wash.

... I do not believe we should rewrite the Bible to please anyone and that is what we would have to do ... according to my understanding we are not to change the Word of God in anyway. I am sure it would really change it if we were to start the Lord's Prayer with Our Mother or Our Parent. ...

Glen E. Dinnis  
Cleburne, Texas

Since God created me and knows what is best for me, I feel that His love is my greatest security. If He wants me to be subject to my husband, who also loves and cares for me, that's what I want too, as long as it doesn't violate my standing with my God. God is my Father, Christ is my Brother and I have no right nor do I want to make any change.

Myrtle Penner  
College Place, Wash.

God made male and female to complement each other — neither is complete in themselves. We need each other and should not belittle either one — and we certainly do not want to become just neuter gender.

God illustrates His desires as "husband of

## What Mean These Terms?

On the winds of change we can hear the moan of voices lamenting the sexist terms used in Scripture. "Let them be purged," is the cry. It is alleged that removing such terms will make the gospel more attractive and appealing to the modern woman. Targeted for removal are Father and Son.

Ignoring the voices will not make them go away, nor will launching an attack solve the matter. This would only provoke outcries more strident and intensify the battle.

Rather, let us seek to understand *why* Jesus taught us to address God as "our Father which art in heaven." What insights did He wish to emphasize or unveil?

How startling it must have been to hear this Galilean rabbi assert that the mighty Yahweh (Jehovah) was to be called "our Father"! Why, His name was so sacred it was not pronounced aloud! How dare this awesome Being be addressed in such familiar terms?

That is precisely the point. Jesus wanted all people to understand that God seeks a personal, intimate relationship with each of His creatures simply because each one is a component of His creation.

Centuries earlier the Psalmist had compared the pity of God to that of a father's (Psalms 103:13), but there is a difference between being *like* a father and *being* a father. As Creator, God is our father in a technical sense, but Jesus wanted to make sure that we understand He has a deep, personal interest in His creatures. Just as deep and personal as one's own father.

The best insight into the father image Jesus had in mind is the patriarchal model. In that era the father was the provider and protector, his was the responsibility for training and discipline, and above all he was the spiritual leader of the household. This model was still in vogue in Christ's day. If it is less in vogue today,

we may be the poorer for it, but God as a father after the patriarchal model is very much in vogue — or should be, if we are to grasp the meaning Jesus intended.

If heavenly truths are best illustrated and understood by earthly symbols — and the incarnation of Jesus Christ is the proof and towering example of this — would we not risk impoverishing the gospel by removing the terms Father and Son?

The most poignant reason for keeping Father and Son in the scriptures is rooted in the sacrificial system. Devotees of ancient religions believed the attention of their gods could be secured by sacrifices. If you really wanted a god to stand up and take notice, sacrifice your son. Nothing else would gain divine favor so quickly or quench divine wrath so effectively. In a culture where a male descendant to perpetuate the family name was a vital concern, the sacrifice of a son, especially if he were the only son, was the ultimate sacrifice.

From this perspective, the terms "our Father which art in heaven" and "only begotten Son" should gleam like diamonds in the sunlight. We do not have to offer some ultimate sacrifice to secure God's attention. We already have it. In fact we are the center of it! Deity does not desire our sons as sacrifices; He gave His "only begotten Son" as the ultimate sacrifice for us.

Even though the sacrificial system no longer forms a part of our liturgy or ritual, we experience the cost of our redemption most vividly in its context.

To scrub "Father" and "Son" decreases the gospel rather than enhancing it. Those who advocate scrubbing them out don't understand what is involved. The appropriate response would seem to be, "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do."

Don Reiber, Pastor  
Heppner-Condon-Spray, Ore.

## About the Cover

Photographer Jan Edwards, Fromberg, Mont., took the cover picture of an unusual rock formation on a rocky ridge about four miles northwest of Bridger. She is a homemaker and writes that the family spotted this formation while on a Sabbath afternoon hike. She waited for a sunny afternoon to return and take the picture. She uses an Olympus Camera with Kodachrome 64 film.



the church." He is our Lord, our King, our Father, and as our Creator we should accept His image of Himself. He uplifts the feminine part of our race by likening His love to that of a mother.

The highest honor ever given a human being was given a female — Mary, mother of Jesus. The mother has the greatest, most elevated position that God could give her — shaping the little ones in the likeness of their Savior. Hers is the greatest, most important work on planet earth, but she needs the help and encouragement of her husband and others.

Ioma Connell  
Coos Bay, Ore.

... I fail to understand why some Adventists are disturbed about sex-oriented language. Why be troubled about languages that refer to the sexes? Isn't it time to change and stop becoming converted to the world? (8 *Testimonies* p. 119) Isn't it about time to learn the kind of language that will convert us to God? This type of language will set the world on fire, turn the world upside down, and unify His people in the world to "see eye to eye and be of the same mind and of the same judgment." (3 *Testimonies* p. 361) Within the influence of these changing times, what language only will prepare us to live in the presence of God? It is none other than "the language of heaven." (*Great Controversy*, p. 543). . . .

John G. Hoffman  
Bothell, Wash.

... "The gospel of Jesus Christ can not be reduced to human logic simply because of a human problem relating to terminology. Christ's gospel is not sexism. According to Galatians 3:28 there is neither male nor female, but we are all one in Christ Jesus. So why make a distinction? . . .

Stephen Serafin  
Chimacum, Wash.

### From the Editor

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE! We received this letter recently from one of our advertisers: "We would like you to discontinue our ad for 10 acres for sale. . . . We sold it immediately as a result of the first ad and have received over 70 letters so far inquiring about it. Don't bother with refunding the remaining insertion. We just can't afford the time for answering more letters now that we are moving."

**CORRECTION:** In the Dec. 12 issue of the *GLENER* in the Milestones section the article said Ernest and Dorothy Booth had two children, Lowell and Marsha. Marsha is Lowell's wife while the daughter's name is Laurie.

**BACKLOG:** If your article hasn't appeared, it isn't because we don't like what you have written. We have a huge backlog of articles on hand and do the best we can with them.

### Comments on Plan F

... The enrollment in our academies has been decreasing for years. Very few, in the past or present, have failed to enroll because of the choice of schools available, but because of the high cost and the inability to pay for it.

The blame does not rest on Plan F but on the rapidly increasing costs of operating our schools and the general lack of interest by the members of the conference. If the one percent plan were followed, we would not have to close any of our schools. . . .

Gary Davis  
Grants Pass, Ore.

My response is that he must be overlooking our excellent SDA self-supporting schools. I thank God that He has given us these schools where our children can live and learn of Him in a closer family atmosphere and in smaller groups. Here the Bible is the main textbook, and nature with agriculture is the second.

My feeling is that Elder Boyd should not feel that all of the children not attending academy are in public school. I have two who are not and I am so thankful for the self-supporting school they attend.

Joanne L. Seavey  
Portland, Ore.

... The day of the constituency meeting regarding our Oregon schools I could do very little but pray that if it was the Lord's will somehow every school be allowed to remain in operation. I couldn't see how it could be done. When my husband left for the meeting we felt there was "no hope" for Milo. All day I prayed while the constituents debated this way and that. It wasn't until late that night when my husband returned and told me the results that I could relax and praise the Lord for the miracle. So many times I heard people say it was a wasted trip and meeting. I say definitely the Lord's hand was in it.

Jan Atkins  
Waxhaw, N.C.  
(A recent Oregon transplant)

Time, money and energies have been spent these long months by a few who try and convince us God was wrong in instituting Plan F. I can't believe He would lead us astray in this vital area that affects our boys and girls so much. I can only tell how my original opinion was altered to an open-minded attitude after much prayer and after discussions with others; and, finally, to the vote I made after hearing basic facts that were presented by credible leaders.

M. Ellen Montgomery  
Portland, Ore.

## News at Presstime

### Adventists

The March issue of *The Saturday Evening Post* will contain an article about Seventh-day Adventists. The new *Post*, with a circulation of more than 700,000, accentuates Christianity and health. Although the cover of *The Saturday Evening Post* appears the same to old readers, changes are apparent in editorial policy. In this same issue, the *Post* underscores its commitment to health by stopping all cigarette advertising.

One of the editors came across the book *Diet and Your Religion* by John Cook. The chapter "The Seventh-day Adventist Church: Health, a Way of Life" caught her attention, because of the magazine's interest in health. Howard B. Weeks, president of the Woodbridge Press, which published the book, says that the author, John Cook, was a reporter for *The Los Angeles Times*.

The article gives a brief history of the health message with special emphasis on Mrs. White's contributions. He says that "She was, in short, what people would call a natural-food enthusiast and the good effects of her tireless evangelism have spread throughout the world."

Research on vegetarianism done by a team headed by Dr. Roland L. Phillips in Loma Linda led the author to conclude that it is a factor that helps

Adventists to live longer, and healthier lives.

The March issue of *The Saturday Evening Post* is scheduled to be on the newsstands Feb. 7.

### It Is Written Miniseries

A three-part "It Is Written" miniseries, "The Truth About Seventh-day Adventists," will soon give television viewers across America a close look at the message, ministry and mission of a caring church.

"The Truth About Seventh-day Adventists" will air March 11, 18 and 25 during regular "It Is Written" time slots. Major advertising in *TV Guide* and other publications will give the church an audience of millions it has never reached before.

The series is being produced in an investigative, documentary format. Programs will answer questions such as, is Adventism a cult? Why do Adventists live, on the average, up to six years longer than the general population? Why do they give more per capita to their church than any other religious body? Short "location" segments featuring Adventists active in medicine, education and other professions will enliven each program and keep viewer interest high.



# Getting to Know the North Pacific Union Conference Many Northwest Members Are Involved In Activities of the Personal Ministries And Sabbath School Departments

By Morten Juberg

Probably more Adventist church members have some involvement with the Sabbath School and Personal Ministries Departments than any other area of church work.

Lewis Shipowick, who heads these departments in the Union Conference, sees his role in dealing with this large number of people as falling into five general categories. He lists these as coordination, training, planning, promotion and development of materials.

## Coordination

"One of our main functions is to coordinate and conduct all Union institutes and councils so as to maintain a balanced program," he said. "When more than 600 Lay Bible Ministers met in the Tri-Cities in April, there was a unity of purpose and achievement for God that would not have been possible if each conference had their own program."

Shipowick notes that it is "exhilarating" to see the laymembers who "are eager to move out for God."

"I am grateful for this united thrust in our union," he added. "I am thrilled to see the enthusiasm shown in this outreach for God."

## Training

Another of Shipowick's responsibilities is the training and orientation of new men who come into local conferences as Sabbath School and Personal Ministries directors.

"Sometimes we are able to get a person from another conference with experience to come to our union, but many times this isn't the case," he said. "At times like this we look for a pastor who has been active in soul winning and has promoted the involvement of laity in these areas. One of my duties is to assist these men in the various duties of their new responsibilities."

## Planning

One of the forward developments of

the last decade on the West Coast has been the emergence of United Services through the cooperation of the Pacific and North Pacific Unions. An annual meeting brings together Sabbath school personnel from the two areas plus visitors from almost every union conference in North America.

"At these meetings, as an example, we look at different materials and supplies and decide what we will use in our Sabbath school outreach the next year," Shipowick stated. "When we make a decision on materials that we feel will enhance the total outreach, we may assign a number of churches or a conference to pilot test the materials that have been proposed."

"If these tests are successful, we are able to recommend a workable tool or program and we are able to place large orders for North America, which cuts down the cost of materials in a phenomenal way."

Out of these councils have come some top-grade materials such as the *Religious Education Series*, which includes the *Successful Sabbath School Leadership Series* (*Superintendent, Secretary, Investment, and Teaching*

*Techniques*), plus materials for the pastors' Bible classes, one of which, *Profiles of Jesus*, has been in use for some time. *Profiles of Prophecy* is now being printed, and this will be followed by other study materials to be used by pastors. One of the latest has been "Discipling New Member Ministry."

At the beginning of the church year, conferences hold planning sessions for the Sabbath School and Personal Ministries officers. Shipowick comes to these sessions as a resource person.

When he attends workshops and discusses soul winning, it isn't from a detached point of view. He practices what he advocates and sees men and women baptized from contacts that he and his wife make.

## Development of Materials

Shipowick is a member of the General Conference Ingathering Editorial and Literature Guidance Committee, which has several responsibilities.

"This committee prepares materials for the annual Ingathering Campaign and leads out in the preparation of radio and TV spots," he said. "We also study attractive small literature that can be



Louis Shipowick and his secretary Darlene Clark look over a mock-up of the new *Signs of the Times*. The missionary journal is a combination of *These Times* and *Signs of the Times*.

Morten Juberg is Editor of the *GLEANER*.



used in personal contacts."

Another function of this committee is to decide on the missionary book of the year. The group decides on the topic and picks an author to develop the book.

Shipowick is also on the Pacific Press Signs Planning Council, which provides suggestions for the missionary journal, *Signs of the Times*. This is now being combined with *These Times*, and the new publication will be known as the *Signs of the Times* and be published by the Pacific Press in its new location in the Boise, Idaho, area.

### Promotion

Almost every facet of the Personal Ministries and Sabbath School Departments need what is generally termed promotion, though information might be a better title.

"United Services has provided a manual for church Investment leaders, as well as posters and other informational material to help them promote mission giving," he added.

In his work Shipowick wears many hats. He may go out with a lay person on some business Ingathering contacts, or it may be a visit to a Community Serv-

ices center. His travels may take him to one of the scores of Revelation Seminars which are being planned for this year. He will be the guest speaker at a Dorcas Federation session, or he may talk about missions from a firsthand experience during a Sabbath school mission period.

In all of this activity there is one underlying motive for Shipowick. "My desire is to see the greatest number of God's people opening the Word of God to others." This theme permeates his thinking, preaching and counseling wherever he visits. ➤

## North American Pathfinders to Attend 1985 Camporee in Colorado

By C. Elwyn Platner

Plans for the biggest Pathfinder Camporee in world history are now being unveiled by North American Youth Ministries leaders, and Pathfinders across the continent are gearing up to attend.

When the event begins July 31, 1985, more than 10,000 youngsters between ages 10 and 16 and their club leaders will flood into historic Camp Hale in a three-mile-long valley near the continental divide in Colorado.

The site was the training base of the U.S. Army's 10th Mountain Division during World War II and some of its members will be featured in the programming for the week-long event.

The Camporee theme, Adventures in Service, will be woven into programs and activities with focus on not only national pioneers and heroes of Canada and the United States, but also Adventist pioneers, frontier mining adventurers and space adventurers.

Many exhibits and an Honors Midway featuring more than 200 Adventist Youth Honors will spark an interest in earning or beginning work toward completion of one or more honors during the camporee. Honor achievement tokens are presented to club members achieving skills or knowledge in various fields of interest such as crafts, camping, recreational activities and other areas.

Pathfinders will be able to participate in at least eight theme trails. These trails will feature such subjects as an Indian

village with games and skills, a handicap awareness trail which will demonstrate special needs of the handicapped, and a braille nature trail. There will also be a conservation trail, the John Hancock History of Pathfinders trail, a wagon camp, an operating mining town, a wilderness camp and a walk-through model of the wilderness tabernacle of ancient Israel.

These and other events too numerous to list will require extensive preparation as well as an operating staff for the duration of the camporee, says the camporee coordinator, Norm Middag, associate director, Youth Ministries Department, North American Division.

"To make it all come together and succeed, we will need hundreds of volunteers with a wide variety of skills," he

says. "We have already contacted Maranatha Flights International for assistance in erecting some of the facilities.

"The valley has only a river running through it, a few roads and no buildings. So just to provide the basic utilities such as water, power and sanitation, will require major preparations. And when we are through with the camporee it must be removed," he adds.

Scores of volunteers will be needed during the camporee for parking and security, fast-food service, on-site transportation, communication, maintenance and a host of supervisory and operational details.

Volunteer workers will also be needed to staff a store, a first-aid and medical headquarters, the camp treasury, the sanitation department and a hospitality center.

Applications for volunteer workers are available from the local conference Youth Department. All applications should be submitted through either the conference Youth Department or the local club director by April 1984, if possible, so that assignments can be made by October, Middag says.

However, all positions will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis according to qualifications of applicants. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance by February 1985, so that they may complete their plans to attend.

In all, nearly 1,000 volunteers may be needed, Middag speculated. If you are interested in this once-in-a-lifetime event, be sure to get an application in immediately. ➤



Mapping out sites for Pathfinders who will attend the 1985 North American Division Camporee in Colorado are, from left, camporee coordinator Norm Middag, associate director, Youth Ministries, NAD; Ed Peterson, former Youth director, Columbia Union Conference, and recently retired from the periodical department, Review and Herald Publishing Association; and Melvin Northrup, associate, Education Department, Mid-America Union Conference.

C. Elwyn Platner is Director of the Oregon Conference Department of Communication.



# Biblical View Presents Contrast To Film Depicting Nuclear Destruction

By Harold Kurtz

*Editor's Note: Recently the ABC-TV network showed a film, The Day After, which focused the attention of Americans on the probable aftermath of a nuclear holocaust. The program suggested the complete breakdown of civilization as we know it today. In this article Pastor Kurtz gives a Biblical view.*

God's remnant people have a special obligation to show forth their faith and steadfastness in times of fear, apathy and crisis. The members of the Remnant Church have been schooled to "lift up their heads" (Luke 21:28) in times of danger because they know that "no weapon that is formed against" them shall prosper.

We have the opportunity to use the prophetic faith of our fathers in the Holy Scriptures concerning last-day events, defined by the Spirit of Prophecy, to bring comfort to the fearful ones around us.

The current fear and perplexity may lead many to become interested in, and to study the final events of earth's history as outlined by the Bible. These events do not include global annihilation by man-made agencies of destruction.

As God has indicated by the prophet Daniel in the second chapter that there will not be a fifth world empire, so He has indicated Biblically that there will be those who are looking for Christ's second coming and those who are calling for rocks and mountains to fall on them to protect them, not from nuclear explosions, and implosions, but to protect them from the . . . face of Him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb." — Revelation 6:15-16.

The *Desire of Ages*, p. 763 and *Great Controversy*, pp. 544, 545 associate one of David's Psalms with the state of the earth after it has been purified by the fire of Revelation 20:9 which comes "down from God out of heaven" — not from man-made agents of destruction. David says: "For yet a little while, and the wicked shall not be: yea, thou shalt diligently consider his place, and it shall not be." Psalm 37:10 See *SDA Bible Commentary*, vol. 3, p. 723.

*Harold Kurtz is a retired pastor living in Reedsport, Ore.*



## The Earth Remains

In Genesis Moses quoted the Lord as saying: "While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night shall not cease." Genesis 8:22.

During the fourth plague of the seven last plagues the sun scorches people with heat. "And men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, who hath power over the plagues. . . ." Revelation 16:8, 9. At the time of the seven last plagues there are people on earth; they have not been wiped out by nuclear blasts, or by Carl Sagan's fallout-blackness of nuclear winter, when temperatures would purportedly drop below biologically compatible levels in the world-wide "greenhouse effect" veiling the sun.

According to Bible prophecy our sun is not going to "nova" — that is: burn itself out into enormous size; the earth as a planet is not going to break up, but is going to be renewed — made new: Isaiah 65:17, 66:22; Revelation 21:1-5, II Peter 3:13.

Christ speaks specifically to the point when He refers to a later event, the principle of which may be applied to the fears and apprehensions of *The Day After*. But He speaks of a time of *real* danger, *real* happenings — unavoidable endtime events. There will be distress of nations with perplexity caused by nature's upheavals, allowed by God, to take place before the second coming of Christ.

These catastrophes do not destroy

whole populations, for Christ says there will be *nations*. Perplexity (aporia) is a much used descriptive word: It means to be without solutions, to be in doubt, to hesitate, to be in a state of quandry, not to know which way to turn, and to be at a loss mentally; for, hearts are failing for fear. But to His remnant people Christ says when these things begin to come to pass: ". . . then look up and lift up your heads. . . ." Luke 21:25, 26, 28.

## God Is in Control

While this series of events refers to a later time, we may apply the comfort to ourselves and those around us now at a time when fear, apathy and crisis are causing concern about something over which the God of heaven has perfect control: "And after these things I saw four angels standing on the four corners (four directions of the compass) of the earth, holding the four winds of the earth, that the wind should not blow on the earth, nor the sea, nor on any tree." Revelation 7:1 (See *SDA Bible Commentary*, vol. 7, p. 781 and vol. 4, p. 598.)

God is in control of the destructive forces.

## Previous Example

During the early part of World War II all seemed lost; the opposing forces seemed to have their way in the islands and waters of the Pacific; and there was fear, apprehension, and hopelessness in the hearts of the service-personnel and civilians. Then there arose a Seventh-day Adventist chaplain, Floyd E. Breesee, who was stationed in the South Pacific. He preached a sermon on Daniel 2 one weekend to the unit to which he was assigned.

He emphasized that according to Bible prophecy there would not be a fifth world empire — no nation would alone rule the world. This sermon brought a ray of hope to the men and women of that local unit of American Forces in the Pacific waters and islands. A commanding general heard about this chaplain and his amazing message of prophetic faith. That chaplain was invited by one military unit after another to preach that Daniel 2 message of hope.

It is our privilege to join that chaplain in presenting a prophetic message of hope to our friends and neighbors. ➤



# Dillon, Mont., Members Mark Another Advance With Church Dedication

By Morten Juberg

When members of the Dillon, Mont., Church dedicated their sanctuary recently, they omitted the customary mortgage burning ceremony. The reason? There was no mortgage.

During the years, various articles in the GLEANER have characterized this as "a miracle church," which is true. But it should also be noted that miracles occur in response to prayer and a willingness to do God's will and work for Him. A little history will reveal how these miracles happened and why there was no mortgage.

Longtime member Kay Cote recalled that in the early 1960s Pastor Wayne Moore, then in Butte, put her in touch with two ladies in Dillon who worshiped in a home. From these small beginnings came the organization of a company in 1965.

Membership continued to fluctuate as the members met in rented quarters. Finally there were only two ladies, Mrs. Cote and Ruth Berthelsen. Rather than giving up, the pair decided to move forward.

"We determined it was time to quit renting and buy something permanent," Mrs. Cote told the audience at the dedication. As the two ladies looked around Dillon, they found that lots were scarce and expensive. Then Mrs. Berthelsen discovered a small house for sale for \$6,000.

With help from many quarters, the congregation purchased the house and remodeled it as a church. A garage became the sanctuary, and the other rooms served the Sabbath school departments. This continued for three years.

The lot which had been purchased had ample room on the front of it for a building, and it didn't take too long until a church shell graced the site.

About two years ago the Butte pastor, William Jensen, looked for someone to be the assistant pastor and to finish the church construction. He thought immediately of his friends Charles and Florence Templin from Arizona, better known as "Bus and Flo." They responded to the appeal and began to work. A year ago the members moved into the main floor of the sanctuary while work continued on the basement.

Work had almost reached an impasse some months back when the plumbing and heating work needed to be done.



The newly dedicated Dillon Church.



Montana Conference President Paul Nelson has the attention of youngsters as he tells them a story at the beginning of the morning worship service.



"We prayed earnestly that God would help us with the plumbing and heating," Templin recalled. "You can't tell me God doesn't answer prayer, as a week later a visitor with these skills showed up in our church on Sabbath."

Walt Bender, a plumbing and heating contractor, and his wife decided to retire in Twin Bridges, some 30 miles northeast of Dillon. When the couple attended church they found a project waiting for them.

Many members helped with the completion of the church, and on dedication day everything was complete and first



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Templin have given many hours of volunteer work in the Dillon Church.

class. Most unusual was the financing, which no one says much about, but which must represent a great deal of sacrifice on the part of all.

As funds were needed, God supplied through His followers, and the Dillon Church had no debt to pay and consequently no mortgage to burn.

Guests for the occasion included Conference President and Mrs. Paul Nelson and Treasurer Eugene Starr. H. J. Harris, who is secretary, represented the North Pacific Union Conference.

## Korean Congregation With 50 Members Organized in Vancouver

*By C. Elwyn Platner*

Oregon Conference's second Korean congregation was organized into a company in Vancouver, Wash., recently.

With nearly 50 charter members the congregation is meeting at the Open Bible Church at 110th and Elsworth Streets near the I-205 Freeway. It had formed initially with seven families as a part of the Orchards Church when Al Oetman was pastor, in March 1982.

The energetic congregation has already conducted four weekend revivals, one of which was held by Pastor James Lee of Loma Linda, Calif., a retired minister who had served in Korea.

Another retired minister, Nae-Hyun Bon, is currently serving as pastor. All church services are conducted in the Korean language although most of the younger members also understand English, says Dr. Robert Chung.

S. I. Ro, another retired minister, is first elder. Dr. Chung is choir director and reports that the choir has performed regularly for the church service as well as on several occasions for the Orchards church.

The congregation includes a fellowship dinner following every church service, Chung says. They have followed this practice ever since the congregation formed in 1982. The Sabbath on which the company was organized was no exception and more than 200 persons were served a meal which featured a variety of Korean cuisine.

Edwin C. Beck, conference president, who conducted the organizational

service with John Todorovich, conference secretary, admonished the members to move forward in an aggressive

way to share the gospel with the 10,000 Korean-speaking people of the metropolitan Portland-Vancouver area.



Choir members, many of whom were dressed in traditional Korean costume, presented music for the organizational service of the new Korean company in Vancouver, Wash.



Nearly 50 Korean church members and their families met Dec. 10 for the formation of a new company in Vancouver, Wash.





# The Inexhaustible Store of Blessings

Thoughts on Stewardship

By Mel Rees

## Go! Team! Go!

I still get goose bumps when I remember the day I was invited to play baseball on the town team. How I had envied those players with the big block letters across the front of their uniforms — now I had one! And that first game. I can't describe the feeling as I raced to my position and finally heard the umpire shout — play ball!

The team made mistakes (so did I), but it was always the team, win, lose or draw. When someone muffed a play, we would yell our encouragement. When we won, we were on cloud nine; when we lost we all felt it — but it was always the team.

Christians are on a team too: the team of Jesus Christ. Sometimes they make mistakes (who doesn't?) — the team suffers; when it succeeds — everyone shares. Why then are so many prone to complain, find fault? Is it because they don't understand (or forget) the spirit that actuates these inappropriate outbursts? Possibly.

All the faultfinding started in heaven (of all places) because someone didn't like the policies and the way they were administered. Here we are, thousands of years later; we see and feel the terrible results. Consider them.

Who gets hurt by negative thinking? Everyone, to some extent. If one member is careless in taking care of his financial obligations, the group will suffer. (See *Testimonies*, vol. 5, p. 179) If the group comes under censure, each member suffers. Usually the group will survive, but what about the individual member who alienates himself, either physically or in attitude?

No one can afford the luxury of bitterness; it adversely affects the mental, physical and spiritual being. A person tempted to harbor feelings of discontent or resentment, should immediately ask himself, "What will this do to me?" (It is amazing how many limbs can be pruned from a tree and it still remains healthy.)

A man in South Africa roundly accused the conference, of which he was a member, of wasting money; he said he was sending his tithes and offerings to an adjoining field.

"I suppose," I suggested, "you have someone there who carefully audits the use made of your funds."

"No, why should I?"

"How do you know they are being used more efficiently there?" I didn't wait for a reply; I had another question.

"Do you think God is wise?"

"What kind of question is that?" His irritation was evident.

"Don't you think He is wise enough to manage His own money?" He chose not to reply.

Part of a person's stewardship is transferable. Once the tithes and offerings are placed in the Lord's treasury, it becomes someone else's responsibility; there is only one additional responsibility for the donor. If he has information which would lead him to believe the funds are being misused, he must call this to the attention of the proper authorities. This should be done openly, in the right spirit. Once this is done, let the Lord handle it. (In His way) (See *Testimonies*, vol. 9, p. 249)

What a beautiful illustration we have in the experience of Caleb and Joshua.

These two spies carried the oversized bunch of grapes; they saw the beauties of the land God had chosen for His people — how they must have wanted to leave the desert and

move into their new homes! "We are able," they exclaimed, "God will be with us. Go! Team! Go!"

But the complainers (a majority this time) could see only high walls and giants. "No way," they yelled.

Caleb and Joshua rushed around trying to stir up enthusiasm and almost got stoned for it. The entire group braced their feet. As a result, these men had to wander around in the sand for 40 years, but not one unkind, critical word is recorded — not one. They had to suffer along with the group. Finally, when Israel crossed the Jordan River, these were the only two of that original throng who went into the Promised Land. What an example; what a reward for cooperation.

The ancient Greeks employed a battle tactic for their infantry called the phalanx: close ranks and file, joined shields and spears overlapping. It was impossible to penetrate; if one warrior fell, another took his place.

A person may choose to join (or not join) a group. Once he has chosen to join, there is no further choice (except to leave); he has obligated himself to the total effort of the group. If he refuses to cooperate, the company would be better off without him; his poisonous attitude would only infect other members.

Today, of all time, we need to use the plan of the Greeks: close ranks and file, joined shields and spears overlapping. We fight a crafty and merciful foe, one who will stop at nothing to cause disunity. His motto has always been: Divide — Fragment — Conquer! Our only hope of success lies in unity under the blood-stained banner of our Leader.

Certainly we will make mistakes (who doesn't?), but the team will win and each member will win — with the team.

Mel Rees, "Mr. Stewardship" for the Adventist Church, writes from Woodland, Wash.



# Northwest Seminarians Hone Evangelism Skills at Training Center

By Ed Schwisow



All students in class at Kent Church, with Jay Gallimore.

There have been many changes in the training of Adventist pastors during the years, the most recent being the establishment of the Northwest Ministries Training Center which came into existence in 1981.

Under the direction of Jay Gallimore, who also pastors the Kent Church, 15 pastors from North Pacific Union Conferences, spent about four months at the center.

After graduation from the theological course at an Adventist College, the pastors spend a period of time in a church, generally working as an assistant pastor.

After the completion of their advanced degrees covering eight quarters of school work, the pastors come back to NMTC for additional training.

As Gallimore notes, "We're stressing the practical areas of pastoring. We're discussing and then practicing everything from how to run a board meeting to how to train church members for outreach. And we've even talked about funerals."

He is also a staunch supporter of the Lay Bible Ministries program and of the absolute necessity for the pastor to train members for outreach.

"The purpose of the ninth quarter, among other things, is to teach the seminarians the information they must pass on to their members," he said.

The climax of the quarter's work came with a major evangelistic campaign in the Kent Commons. The



Kent Church



Roscoe Howard (right) discusses the meeting topic with guests following the evangelistic presentation. (Roscoe is now pastor of Oak Harbor Church, Washington Conference.)

seminarians did hundreds of hours of visitation and lay training of members before the campaign began. During the meetings their assignments included greeting, public address, lighting and projection.

A special thrill came to the young pastors as they participated in the baptism of 25 new members. They had the privilege of baptizing those they had given studies to and had watched their spiritual insight develop during the weeks. Another 25 interests are studying.

Those from the various conferences included the following: Alaska, Norman Yergen; Idaho, James Berglund; Montana, Greg Brothers; Oregon, Don Barnt, Larry Gibson, Phil Muthersbaugh, and Randy Wisbey, Upper Columbia, Ron Bacon, Steve Blotske, Joseph Kidder, Jeff Kinne, and Don McKay; Washington, Gaylan Herr, Roscoe Howard and Terry Mason.



Students Phil Muthersbaugh and Larry Gibson. Muthersbaugh is now assistant in Springfield/Fall Creek; Gibson is at Lincoln City/Grand Ronde/Sheridan.



Using two rear projection screens, a spotlight evangelist explains the mysteries of Revelation.

Ed Schwisow is assistant editor of the GLEANER.



# PEOPLE IN TRANSITION

## WWC

**Henning Guldhammer** has joined the Walla Walla College Church pastoral staff to coordinate church administration and to direct the collegiate ministry for college-age youth not attending Walla Walla College.

Guldhammer, who begins work at the church in February, most recently served as district leader of the Spokane Countryside and Davenport churches in the Upper Columbia Conference. He has also been an associate pastor at the Milton-Freewater Adventist Church.

He holds a bachelor of arts in psychology from Columbia Union College and master of divinity from Andrews University. He has also studied with Francis Schaeffer.

Guldhammer's wife **Kristy** holds a bachelor of arts in elementary education from Columbia Union College and a master's degree in reading education from Andrews University. The Guldhammers have two children, **Adam**, five, and **Tina**, three.



**Kristy and Henning Guldhammer and children, Tina and Adam.**

**Dr. Charles V. Bell**, dean of engineering at Walla Walla College, has accepted an invitation to join the ranks of Pacific Union College in Angwin, Calif., as vice president of academic affairs.

Bell joined the staff as assistant professor of physics from 1960 to 1962. He



**Dr. Charles V. Bell**

then worked as section head of microwave electronics for Hughes Aircraft in Fullerton, Calif., for approximately 10 years. In 1972, he returned to the Physics Department and was asked to chair the Engineering Department in 1974.

Bell holds a bachelor of science degree from Mississippi State University and a master's and doctorate degree in engineering from Stanford University.

Walla Walla College will also lose the teaching services of Bell's wife **Peggy**, who has taught flute lessons for the Music Department since 1972.

The Bells have performed with the Walla Walla Symphony for the past 12 years; Charles as principal oboist and Peggy as principal flutist.

## CONFERENCE NEWS

### MONTANA

#### Many People Participate in Coronary Risk Program

Three hundred and four people recently participated in a Coronary Risk Evaluation Screening Program in the Ronan and Polson area. The program was sponsored by the Ronan Adventist Church and the Lake County community health agencies.

Each participant received explanations and an individualized report which was reviewed at an evaluation meeting held about a month later.

Area Drs. Jay Ballhagen, Mark Genich, Mary Stranahan, Charles Noggle, Terry Lanes, Peter Phillips and Stephen Irwin participated.

Other area organizations which contributed to the success of the program were St. Luke's Hospital with their loan of a centrifuge, St. Ignatius School for the rental of a computer printer, and the Ronan and Polson Senior Citizens for the use of their facilities. Gary and Alice

Laabs donated many hours compiling the computer printouts.

Heartcheck coordinators Jackie Slater and Donna Lowe wish to thank all who participated in any way.

Walt Largent  
Communication Secretary



**HELENA DISTRICT BAPTISMS.** Pastor Russell Johnson poses with members John and Debbie Wise and daughter Tammy. Mrs. Wise was baptized earlier and Tammy looks forward to baptism when she is older. Photo credit Russell Johnson, Pastor.



**Baptisms in the Boulder area** include front row, from the left, Joshua Ryan, Priscilla Thomas and Elvena Christensen. In the back are Pastor Johnson and George Christensen. Mr. Christensen is mayor of Boulder.



**Arlene and Bob Tiffin studied with Helen Brewer, center, before she was baptized.**





**GREAT FALLS BAPTISM.** Through the friendship of Great Falls member Elsie Walker, Barbara Kariala was baptized recently by Pastor Gerald Schultze.

Neighbors since 1978, Elsie and Barbara's friendship grew, with Elsie's interest in Barbara's four children having much to do with it. It began with the exchanging of house keys and a promise to "keep an eye" on each other's house. And it culminated in Barbara's attending a series of meetings held last spring by Ben Green.

Unfortunately, Elsie was not in Great Falls on the day of Barbara's baptism, but church members welcomed her with open arms.

Bonnie Hooker  
Communication Secretary

## WASHINGTON

### Bremerton School to Be Site of Evangelism Series

Evangelist Dick Rentfro will open a major evangelistic campaign for the Bremerton area at 7 p.m., Friday night, March 9. The meetings will be held in the Kitsap School Auditorium, 5088 N.W. Taylor Road in Bremerton.

Rentfro has just returned from a tour of Israel and Egypt and will show slides of recent archeological discoveries. These include findings from the noted archeologist Nahman Avigad who directed excavations of the Jewish Quarter in Jerusalem.

Until the Six-day War in 1967, this area was covered by Arab homes. The residences were removed and under



Evangelist and Mrs. Dick Rentfro



Paul Coleman, grandson of Evangelist Rentfro, holds a 5000-year-old Mammoth tooth which will be on display during the Bremerton meetings.

them the team made some of the most significant discoveries of the 20th century.

"Never have such archeological treasures been discovered from the time of Herod the Great and the Savior Himself," Rentfro said. "Artifacts include exquisite mosaics, coins, furniture, plastered walls and fresco fragments of beauty and design which were admired at the very time Jesus walked the earth."

Admission for the opening lecture will be by ticket only and may be obtained by mail up to within one week of the opening date by addressing a letter of request to the pastor explaining the number of reservations one shall require! A self-addressed and stamped envelope should be enclosed, please. Also, if you have friends and loved ones in the area who should receive a special invitation to this "full-message" series, kindly also notify the pastor. Topics for the first couple of weeks in this five-week series will be:

Friday, March 9, 7 p.m., "I Can Prove Other Worlds Are Inhabited!" Unbelievable screen pictures taken from outer-space!

Saturday, March 10, 7 p.m., "Almost Armageddon." Pictures taken by the speaker just weeks ago at ancient Megiddo will be screened!

Wednesday, March 14, 7 p.m., "Russia in Bible Prophecy" — The truth about flight "007"!

Thursday, March 15, 7 p.m., "What and Where Is Heaven?"

Friday, March 16, 7 p.m., "How to Make Prayer Really Work!"

Saturday, March 17, 7 p.m., "When the Sabbath Was Changed From Saturday to Sunday." — Visit, with colored slides, with Pastor Rentfro, his recent

visit to Qumran, on the shores of the Dead Sea, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found!

Pastor Andrew Wolcott  
4913 N.W. David Rd.  
Bremerton, WA 98312

### Mount Vernon Congregation Continues Strong Activity

The Mount Vernon Adventist Church, located on the I-5 corridor in the fertile Skagit Valley of northwest Washington, meant a lot to me as I was a child there. I can remember when I was a third-grader at what is now North Puget Junior Academy, the Mount Vernon Church had only a handful of members. My brother, sister and I were about the only children under the age of 12.

After three years my folks moved our family to Olympia due to employment reasons. I then spent the next 20 years at grade school, Auburn Academy, Walla Walla College, and teaching in Montana and the Olympic Peninsula. I knew full well that I would return some day to the Skagit Valley where I had fond memories as a child. My wife Heather and I moved here in October 1980 along with our newborn son, Jacob.

In visiting all the churches within 40 miles of our home, we finally chose Mount Vernon as, we reasoned, it was the smallest and needed the most help. Since 1980 the church has grown to beyond its physical capacity, and the talented and varied membership has been involved in numerous outreach endeavors.

Vacation Bible School, lead by Fran Fletcher, was involving 80 children. One visiting neighbor girl faithfully attended all classes and when she was met at the door by the leader the last day she was asked, "Now that VBS is over, are you sad?" Ten-year-old Dottie replied excitedly, "No, I'll just keep coming to church every Sabbath!" VBS has not been forgotten, with Bible Clubs in the community and a recent VBS follow-up story hour Dec. 18. Also a Christmas supper and program was presented by the VBS children Dec. 21 at the school gym.

Christmas caroling was a great time with almost 100 percent participation from the active church membership. Brian Pryor led out with enthusiasm and organization.

The children's departments in the church are bursting at the seams. There seem to be more children in the Mount Vernon Church than there are adults.

A Family Day church service was held Dec. 10 emphasizing family to-



getherness. Two families presented their children to be dedicated to the Lord. Ray and Jackie Elliott presented their son and daughter, Mickey and Dehné, while Ken and Heather Leiske presented their daughter, Jenny Lynn.

Nutrition classes from Jan. 16 to March 5 will include topics such as weight control, nutrition, exercise, sunlight, skin care, stress control, and others of the Newstart-type information from Weimar Institute. Each call will be presented by different church members well-versed in the topic area. The classes are to be held at the downtown Freedom Inn.

All of these programs and experiences, along with last summer's church booth at the Skagit County Fair and the Stop-Smoking Clinic currently in progress, make Mount Vernon Church an exciting and constantly changing group. My wife, two children and I are glad to be a part of a growing, active and Christ-centered church.

Ken Leiske  
Communication Secretary

## Bellingham Juniors Have Good Investment Program

Investment goals should be made to include 100 percent participation. In the Bellingham Junior Department this has been stressed for several years. The juniors have taken it to heart and several have their own projects.

The goal for the 1983 calendar year was \$200 to be raised by approximately 20 juniors and leaders. The goal was exceeded and the total was \$237. Tony Anderson, decided to grow and sell potatoes.

In the spring the ground was worked up as usual but before he could get it planted, volunteer plants sprang up all over his patch. He just let them grow and harvested abundantly. Brenda Bixel, planted a garden and with her

mother's help, raised several different vegetables.

Each year the church has an Investment sale and auction. The various Sabbath school departments are allowed to sell food items, so many can buy their supper. In addition to the regular supper, one enterprising junior, Bob Langei, contacted a friend who owns a bakery and purchased sweet rolls for resale. After he took out his expenses, he turned in \$21 for Investment.

For those who have no projects, Loma Linda and Worthington labels are saved (2 cents apiece) and pennies are collected (\$18 worth). Everyone has a part in going over the goal.

Shirley Meitzler  
Communication Secretary



**APPRECIATION GIVEN.** Some still have a hard time with the name "Community Services" and inadvertently call our organization "Dorcas." Whatever it is called, the community as a whole benefits from the efforts of our Community Services organization. It warms the heart when appreciation is extended to the volunteers who put in so many hours.

Recently in a Sabbath morning service, the City of Bellingham officially recognized Billie Poradun, Community Services director. A certificate of appreciation was presented to Billie, which was signed by the mayor of Bellingham and officials of the Voluntary Action Center of Whatcom County.

Representative Doug Venn, left, read a letter of commendation and presented the certificate. Billie, in turn, gave all the credit to the church members for all their help. With them is Pastor Larry Zuchowski.

Shirley Meitzler



**NEW DESKS IN MORTON.** On Dec. 5 the students of Morton Adventist School reached their goal of \$1,150 towards purchasing new desks. The students have been anxious to replace the desks, which were three times hand-me-downs when the Morton Adventist School started eight years ago. Sheila Webb (pictured) represents the students who picked strawberries and nuts and did odd jobs to earn the entire money needed.

The students began by picking and selling fall-bearing strawberries. In October they picked filbert nuts at the DeVice orchard in Silver Creek, Wash. Picking filberts was crawling in the dirt or mud, picking, and sacking. Later several bags of cracked nuts were donated for the students to sort and sell. Besides group activities, the students did odd jobs, drew from their savings, and wrote letters to relatives and friends.

Interest in the project was kept high by Judy Heckman, Home and School leader, who searched for jobs and kept progress charts up-to-date.

Carleen Jones  
Teacher

## OREGON

### Work Grows Among Spanish In East Portland Section

"What do you know about Jesus and what more would you like to know?"

This was the key question Juan Gonzales of the Rockwood Church used to stir the interest of migrant workers in the Gresham, Ore., area into finding out more about Christ.

The studies, which began with one small group in the summer of 1982, have grown to include 88 men and boys in four separate areas, 19 of whom regularly study the Adventist Sabbath School Quarterly.

These Spanish-speaking farm workers have demonstrated interest in the study of God's Word to Juan, a computer technician, who until recently was their singular contact with Adventists. Morris Rivera and Victor Ramos have joined Juan in this ministry and are seeking ways to develop the outreach of the church to these workers.

It is hoped to eventually form a com-



Bellingham juniors went over their goal for Investment.





**These Spanish-speaking persons meet at the Rockwood Church every Sabbath morning to study the Bible lesson and every Wednesday evening for their own prayer meeting. Front row, left to right: Nemi Gonzalez; Lydia Rojas; Douglas Ramos; Ruth Ramos; Eugene Ramos; Thelma Ramos. Back row, Juan Gonzales who witnesses to migrant farm workers; Carlos DeJesus; Juan Gonzales Sr.; David Gonzalez; Victor Ramos who is helping with the Bible studies; Maxmillian DeJesus; Marcos DeJesus; Joel Tello; and Morris Rivera, class teacher who is involved in many regular Bible studies.**

pany, then a church, from the nucleus of Spanish-speaking folk who regularly meet every Sabbath morning at the Rockwood Church and who hold their own prayer meeting each Wednesday evening.

A recent workbee was held to lay sod around the Rockwood Church. The ranks were swelled and the job done quickly and efficiently by not only Rockwood members but 10 to 15 members of Juan's study group who wished to work at the "Jesus Church" to which Juan belongs. Though the verbal communication was hampered by the language barrier, the spirit of willingness and caring was demonstrated through actions. The sod was laid in record time. Recently when driving by the church, several of those who had assisted referred to the lovely landscaping of "their church."

Guadalupe, a Catholic and one of the workers, had begun studies with some of the men. At first he tried to undermine Juan's work but became increasingly interested in what he was seeing and hearing. He carefully examined the materials being used and asked many questions. Guadalupe now regularly attends prayer meeting and is enrolled in the Spanish edition of a Voice of Prophecy Bible course. He has indicated he would like to attend an Adventist college and become a minister.

Juan, Victor and Morris seem to be gaining credibility not only with this group, but with members of other churches who also have developed study groups with the migrant workers. After visiting Juan's discussion group, one gentleman, a member of another denomination, asked Juan to make a presentation at his church. This was arranged and afterward several members expressed their appreciation to Juan

and indicated they wished to know more about his Jesus. As a result, the son of the gentleman who met Juan at the labor camp is now enrolled in an Adventist school.

Juan and the others involved in this labor of love and sharing are seeking other Spanish-speaking members who would like to become involved in this outreach. They are in need of Bibles in Spanish to give to the workers as they study the lessons left with them each week.

Anyone interested in having a part in this witnessing experience may contact the Rockwood Church.

Erma Lee  
Communication Secretary

### **Astoria Members Unite in Prayer and God has Blessed**

The Lord is blessing the Astoria Church and the key to our blessings is prayer. At the request of the members recently, Pastor Chad McComas led out in a season of prayer. After the sermon was over the church members divided into groups and prayed for each other.

We were claiming the Bible promise in Matthew 18:19 and 20: "Again I say unto you, that if two of you shall agree on earth as touching any thing that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father which is in heaven. For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them."

We really felt the Lord's presence that day, and His presence made us feel united as a family.

Shortly after our prayer session, we began to see direct answers to prayer. David Hauge and his wife Michele had been studying with Pastor McComas and had accepted the Adventist mes-

sage and were baptized. Dave had taken a stand on the Sabbath, but his employer, Crown Zellerbach, did not want to give him his Sabbaths off from work.

As a church we prayed for Dave and the Lord answered our prayers in a wonderful way. Dave was given a 10-hour shift Monday through Thursday with Friday, Saturday and Sunday off.

The Lord didn't stop answering our prayers. He opened the hearts of many people who quickly and thirstily accepted the message. In one case, Mary Willard was attending our evangelistic multimedia series. She became so excited about what she was learning that she brought her friend, Rachel Taylor, to the next meeting which dealt with the Mark of the Beast. Much to the pastor's and Mary's dismay, they learned that Rachel was a Catholic. The Holy Spirit worked in miraculous ways because instead of turning Rachel away from the church, her desire to learn and study was kindled.

In the past seven months we have seen six baptisms: Dave and Michele Hauge, Mary Willard, Rachel Taylor and Lon and Debi Martin.

Not only have we seen answers to our prayers, but our seasons of prayer have unified our church. We have become a church concerned about each other. The Astoria Church motto is:

As Jesus cared, we care,  
As Jesus lived, we live,  
And as Jesus served, we serve.

As a church we are stepping out to tell others about Christ's soon return.

Have you ever heard the saying, "A church that prays together stays together?" The Astoria Church is asking in faith, believing in Him, and claiming His promises.

Jacque Spence  
Communication Secretary



**RECENTLY BAPTIZED at the Woodland, Wash., Church were Mike O'Conner, left, Matthew Lattig and Becky Fague, right. Pastor Reed Qualley stands in the center.**

Norma Brunson  
Communication Secretary





Twenty members of the North Coast District (Astoria, Ocean Park and Seaside) in Oregon received certificates for their completion of the 40-hour Skills of Communication Seminar. Their pastor, Chad McComas and his wife Debi, back and front rows, right, were the instructors. They received training last year at Gladstone Campground from Jim Campbell, Portland, author of the seminar.

## Many North Coast Members Study Communication Skills

Would you like to communicate better with your spouse? Are you desirous of improving your ability to convey your thoughts to others? Does your family understand what you really mean to say? Would you like to have better relations with your friends, business associates and church family?

Twenty members of the North Coast Adventist District in Oregon responded positively to these questions and participated in a Skills of Communication course given by Chad and Debi McComas. At first, many felt that they couldn't afford the 40 hours necessary to take the course, but at the completion all felt they had learned very valuable skills.

Jim Campbell, author of this seminar, has stated, "Many people spend significant amounts of money on cars, homes, recreation, entertainment and a host of other things that do not increase their personal asset value. But in this program you will learn how to *think* more efficiently. This will enable you to improve significantly the quality of life in your personal, family and professional relationships."

The Skills of Communication Seminar includes video presentations and lectures. Participants are taught that there is often a distortion gap between what we say and what we convey, and they are given the tools to reduce this distortion gap. Many church pastors and officials took the course last year at the Gladstone Campground.

Response in the North Coast District was so positive that Pastor Chad and Debi McComas are offering the seminar again in February.

Jacque Spence

## Hood View Pathfinders Are a Growing Organization

With 75 members and nearly 50 staff, counselors and teachers, the Hood View Pathfinder organization is growing and thriving.

There are two clubs, one for the juniors and another for the teens. Kathy and Gary Case are directors of the junior club and Doug and Kathy Nyseth head the teen section.

Both groups meet at the church every Wednesday from 6:30 to 8:30, plus holding about two extra activities each month such as campouts, fund-raising events, parties and community outreach.

Both groups participated in the recent Pathfinder Day at the church, taking over the adult Sabbath school and church service in the main sanctuary.

For Sabbath school, juniors led the song service, gave the scripture reading, prayer and special music. Then a candlelight induction ceremony followed.



Nicky Pickner lights candles in Hood View Pathfinder induction ceremonies as Jay Sleeth and Lisa Case look on.

Eight juniors lit the eight taper candles representing the eight laws of Pathfinding as they explained the meaning of each. Then seven more juniors lit the seven candles representing the seven facets of the Pathfinder pledge, again explaining each. Four more juniors lit the four larger candles representing the four class areas covered during their years of Pathfinding.

The Junior Pathfinders inducted 31 new members bringing their total membership to 48, ages 10-12. Six new members were brought into the teen group bringing their membership to 27, ages 13-17.

Lorraine Juberg  
Communication Secretary

## Correction

An article in the Oregon section of the Jan. 16 issue of the GLEANER erroneously indicated that the food service at Milo Adventist Academy is a Versitron industry. The service is operated by Gerry Bliven who is not associated with Versitron.

C. Elwyn Platner

## Oregon Sabbath School Evangelism Workshops

For Second Quarter, 1984

Sun.	Feb. 26	Conference Office	10 a.m.-12 noon
Sun.	Mar. 4	Medford Church	3-5 p.m.
Mon.	Mar. 5	Roseburg Church	7-9 p.m.
Tues.	Mar. 6	Coos Bay Church	7-9 p.m.
Wed.	Mar. 7	Springfield Church	7-9 p.m.
Thurs.	Mar. 8	Salem, Livingstone Jr. Acad.	7-9 p.m.
Mon.	Mar. 12	Bend, Three Sisters School	7-9 p.m.

We will have very interesting demonstrations for Cradle Roll through Juniors. Plan for all division leaders and teachers to attend.



# Revelation Panorama

comes to  
**Roseburg, Oregon**



Les Fowler

Saturday, March 10 — 7:20 p.m.

**THE FOUR MYSTERIOUS HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE** — Who is the Death Rider?

Sunday, March 11 — 7:20 p.m.

**MARCH ON MEGIDDO** — War and Peace in the Middle East — Armageddon — God's Plan for the Jews

Tuesday, March 13 — 7:20 p.m.

**HEYDAY FOR SATAN — OCCULT EXPLOSION** — Satan Is Alive and Well on Planet Earth

Wednesday, March 14 — 7:20 p.m.

**FATE OF THE EARTH** — How It All Will End — The Coming Nuclear War — The Common Market

Friday, March 16 — 7:20 p.m.

**REVELATION'S SEALED, WHITE-ROBED COMPANY** — From Great Tribulation — 144,000

**Roseburg-Winston Series Begins March 10  
at Roseburg SDA Church**

Mail Area Interest Names to Norman Martin or  
Dan McCulloch, 1109 N.W. Garden Valley Blvd.,  
Roseburg, OR 97470

## UPPER COLUMBIA

### Searcher Finds Answers During Goldendale Meetings

Karen Solie, a young Catholic housewife of Goldendale, was looking for a church straight from the Word of God and that would teach the Bible. In addition, her husband Mike was asking some pertinent questions about the Book of Revelation, which Karen could not answer. The Lord was leading, though, as they shortly received a Revelation Panorama brochure in the mail.

Subsequently, they attended Les and Jeffie Fowler's Revelation Panorama, where they could see that the Panorama study was directly from the Bible and that they could rely on this as the truth.

While attending they noticed that some friends, Vicki and Edwin Woodruff, were there, who were also study-

ing. They soon were studying the Bible with Vicki and Edwin. Karen asked a priest for information on how the Catholic church and its rituals originated and asked to borrow certain Catholic books. The priest answered that he did not have the authority to loan the books and encouraged her to have more faith in the church.

This experience caused Karen to question her church even more and opened her mind to the truths of the Bible. Convinced that the Adventist Church was based on the Bible, she started attending Sabbath school and church and continued studies with Pastor Roy Churchill and also with Vicki and Edwin, who had just recently been baptized themselves. Karen, hav-

ing given her heart to Jesus, was baptized on Dec. 31.

Elaine Kubler and Gail Froehlich  
Communication Secretaries

### Officers Named at WWVA

The names of the junior and senior class officers at Walla Walla Valley Academy have been announced. They include the following: president, Jaime Rodriguez; vice president, Lisa Jervey; chaplain, Joey Young; secretary, Sandie Gross; treasurer, Tracy Reu-Ben; public relations, Shelly Paulson and Karl Hall; sergeant at arms, Charlie Arias; music coordinator, Kathy Overbaugh; parliamentarian, Dale Smith.

Juniors — president, Bob Redman; vice president, Jonna Dybdahl; chaplain, Lowell Dickson; secretary, Nancy LeFore; treasurer, Lynette Walker; public relations, Monty Buell and Theresa Holmes; sergeant at arms, Craig Sutton.

Carolyn Czeratski  
Communication Secretary

### Change in Secretaries

Beginning with the new year 1984 a new secretary has been answering your phone when you call the Sabbath School Department. The voice will not be new; you have heard it many times when you have called the Personal Ministries Department. Sharon Fellows will be taking over the work responsibilities in the Sabbath school office to replace Jeanie Cook, who is no longer employed by the organization.

Sharon Fellows will be dividing her time between the Personal Ministries and Sabbath School Departments.

Eston L. Allen, Director  
Sabbath School Department



Karen and Mike Solie, daughter Elaine, along with Pastor Roy Churchill and Vicki and Edwin Woodruff and daughters.



**KINDERGARTEN INVESTMENT.** Investment is a special project for the kindergarten division of the Walla Walla City Church. In the last two quarters of 1983 the youngsters turned in more than \$60 for the project.

Beulah Griffith  
Kindergarten Leader



## Hermiston Church Is Host To Area Needy with Dinner

The Hermiston Adventist Church held its annual Christmas dinner for the community's needy recently. This year Darla Hanson, director of the Community Services Center, gave to volunteer church families names and addresses, and the members hand-delivered the invitations, assessed each family's needs and offered transportation to the dinner.

Sixty-eight needy families with a total of 163 children were invited, with approximately 100 happy faces showing up for the dinner; musical program by the Hermiston Junior Academy Band and Bell Choir; and rides by Santa Claus (Dr. Wendell Ford) on his tractor, which was filled with bags of candy that were passed out.

In addition, two reconditioned bikes and six new watches were given to some happy, lucky winners of a number draw conducted by Earl Brockman and Dr. George Ortiz.

These community outreach programs done at Christmas time were begun three years ago by Darla Hanson, with the first year seeing church families sponsoring a needy child and completely dressing him from head to toe in a program called "Dress a Living Doll for Christmas." The second year found members trying to buy for an individual's special needs — a pair of boots, a

coat, new dress, a robe. Gifts and a Christmas basket would also accompany the special items. This year's program added the "personal touch" with the invitations, dinner, Christmas program, and the children being able to choose their own presents.

These annual programs (and the resultant PR) combined with the weekly outreach work of the Community Services Center highlight the church's concern, interest, and work for the spiritual and physical welfare of the Hermiston area and also tend to make the church's Christmas caroling program highly successful.

Earl Brockman  
Communication Secretary

## Free Christmas Dinner Has Big Response of Gratitude

When Ken Noah offered his second annual free Christmas dinner to those alone or without a place to dine at Christmas, he little anticipated the response of gratitude he would receive.

"With my son Jerry and daughter Susan helping, we offered a vegetarian Christmas dinner through the bulletin at Spokane Central Adventist Church and a small mention in the paper. More than 25 folks came for Christmas day dinner at the fellowship hall. Some of our church members brought those without transportation," said Ken. "Everyone

had a nice time and a number of guests even helped with the dishes in the kitchen afterward."

That was the start of the response. Since then, guests have contributed clothing, food and furniture for the less fortunate. And donations are still being called in.

As Ken observes, "This is another example of soul winning and people expressing appreciation. Plans are already underway for our third annual free Christmas dinner. And we are looking forward to serving a lot more folks this year."

Alex LaCom  
Communication Secretary

## IDAHO

### Successful Revelation Seminar Concludes in Boise

One hundred eighteen individuals received certificates for completing all the lessons at the Revelation Seminar held in Boise. The series of meetings began Saturday night, Oct. 8 with Roland and Janice Lenhoff from It Is Written present for the first week.

Dr. Randy Andregg and Janice Lenhoff provided music for the meetings. When the Lenhoffs left, Leon Cornforth took over as the speaker for the series, except for the last three meetings, when the Lenhoffs returned.

On Friday evening, Dec. 2, three people were baptized — Karmen Maas and Larry and Lynn Hoag. On Sunday night, Dec. 4, the area churches planned a banquet as the final meeting. Lynda Dean did an excellent job of making the gym at Boise Valley Junior Academy look festive for the occasion and many other people worked behind the scenes to make the banquet a success.

The Gem State Academy Bell Ringers and the Maranatha Singers served the food under the direction of Lucille Mitchell and Shirley Achabal and also provided dinner music under the direction of Frank Kravig.

Before the banquet started there was a standing ovation when Nelly Sjoren, wife of the Boise pastor, entered in her wheelchair. This was the first time she had ventured out since she was seriously injured in a car accident while visiting people who were attending the seminar.

The meetings will continue on Friday evenings as a study group for those who want to study further and for those who want to make up lessons and receive their certificates of completion.

Wanda Krein  
Assistant Communication Secretary

## International Prophecy Crusade

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## Idaho Pathfinder Clubs Hold Annual Bible Retreat

It is becoming a really nice habit: The Idaho Pathfinder Bible Retreat, that is; and the Pathfinders come from all over the state to enjoy the weekend activities.

On a recent Friday evening, they began to arrive at the Eagle Church, and enjoyed special musical presentations by several clubs, as well as an evening of sing-along activities with the audience.

On Sabbath, they enjoyed a full day of scheduled activities beginning with Sabbath school. Milford Terrell, the Idaho Pathfinder coordinator, presented the Sabbath school lesson, and Leon Cornforth, the Idaho Conference Stewardship director, gave the sermon for church.

The afternoon program featured a Bible quiz led by Vontress Cockrum, the Pathfinder director at Kuna. Each Pathfinder club chose three Pathfinders from their club to represent them in the Bible Quiz. Each club was then asked a Bible question. Some of the clubs answered 10 questions correctly. The club that walked away with the blue ribbons for the day was Vale, which was represented by Kerrie Stroud, Cheri Hopper and Chuck Williams.

Several visitors who stopped by also included Bruce Johnston, Idaho Con-



Vontress Cockrum, the Kuna, Idaho, Pathfinder leader, led out with the Bible questions, at the recent Idaho Pathfinder Bible Retreat.



The grand prize winners at the Bible Retreat came from the Vale Church: Kerrie Stroud, Chuck Williams and Cheri Hopper.



A special visitor from the Boise Zoo came by on Sabbath afternoon. This is 3-month-old Xavier the Cougar.

ference president. Bob Aldridge, a local attorney, presented some ideas concerning morality and the law.

We also had a visit from Xavier the Cougar. What a celebrity he turned out to be! Kids were eager to get close to this 3-month-old "kitten" and just touch him. He was a delight! Sad to say, however, that he will not be able to travel around with a collar and leash for very long. "In just a few weeks," said his escort, "Xavier will be much too large and still too playful to handle. Xavier will weigh about 400 pounds and will be possibly 12 feet long including his tail, when he's full-grown!"

There were three classes attended by the Pathfinders also: one class on self-worth, another class discussing the unit officers' responsibilities, and the third class called Youth Witnessing. It was a busy afternoon, but enjoyed by everyone present.

Bob Reynolds  
Youth Director

## Two Gem State Students Place High in Scholarship

In the fall of 1982, more than one million students from 18,000 secondary schools entered the National Merit Scholarship Corporation's current Merit Program.

Gem State Academy would like to



Gem State Principal Wayne Wentland, center, chats with Karman Kopitzke and Stuart St. Clair. Both students placed high in the National Merit Scholarship program.

honor two members of the class of 1984 for their placement in this year's competition.

Stuart St. Clair, son of Drs. Duane and Evelyn St. Clair, qualified as a semifinalist. Semifinalists include the highest scorers in every state and represent the top half of one percent of this year's senior class. As a semifinalist, Stuart will receive \$600 in scholarship monies and has the opportunity to advance to Finalist standing by meeting additional rigorous standards.

Karman Kopitzke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kopitzke, has been designated as a Commended student. Karman will receive \$300 in scholarship monies for placing in the top five percent participants in the 29th annual Merit Program.

Carol Lynn Woodbury  
Administrative Secretary  
and Registrar

## ALASKA

### Committee Meets to Study Future of Camp Lorraine

A group of laymen and ministers from southeast Alaska met on Jan. 18 of this year to discuss the future of Camp Lorraine. Because of the high cost of operating the youth camp which is located on Vank Island near Petersburg, and the difficulty with transportation, the Alaska Conference Committee authorized a committee to come up with suggestions to guide in future decision making.

There were representatives from Juneau, Wrangell, Petersburg, Craig and Ketchikan, with Dale Kongorski, the youth director, from Anchorage present. This cross section of southeast Alaska had a lot to say in the meeting.

After discussing the apparent options, the committee came up with several suggestions to give to the Conference Committee. It is felt by those present that having a week of camp for the young people in southeast Alaska is really important and each felt, with the right decisions and planning, camp will be held. All agreed that there must be a cutting of expenses, and gave some suggestions for that as well.

All who were involved felt that the meeting was very positive. They were happy that the Conference Committee gave those in southeast Alaska the opportunity to have a voice in the decision and pray that the Lord will bless as the future of the camp is decided.

Michael Nickless, Pastor  
Ketchikan



# WALLA WALLA COLLEGE

## Financial Difficulties Don't Hinder Some Students

Cassie Ragenovich speaks enthusiastically as she talks of students who have graduated from Walla Walla College despite severe financial difficulty. And she should. As director of the college's student accounts and employment office, she knows that quality education at a Christian school does not come cheap. But she also knows not to look at financial obstacles as being insurmountable.

Take, for example, a married man with two children. He took classes and worked full time while his wife attended community college. Ragenovich says that "he had such a good spirit." With his work, loans and grants he was able to graduate with a clean account.

Another married man with two children was able to make \$5,747 during his senior year and graduated with \$700 credit.

Ragenovich also tells of a man from Africa who made \$2,100 his senior year. "He was a real hard worker," she remembers. "You could just see him beaming for Christ." And there was a young lady who came to WWC with no money, but she was able to obtain several thousand dollars in outside scholarships.

When students such as these come to Walla Walla College with no financial support even from family, Ragenovich

lege Place, as Andrews wanted to take some classes during his recovery.

Andrews recalls talking to the previous director of student accounts, telling her he wanted to register but had no money. He was turned down. Andrews says he was crushed but not deterred for long.

"Barbara worked diligently to get a job, and we raised \$200 toward tuition," he says. During this time two of the children were in Adventist grade schools, and the other was in day care. Barbara's job provided their only income. A local church helped pay one child's tuition.

After they had raised the \$200, Andrews went back to WWC and registered. That first quarter he didn't take a full load and found a job on campus where he was able to work a minimum of 20 hours per week. Deciding to stay in school instead of returning to Montana, Andrews says, "I applied for every means of aid and every scholarship even remotely fitting me. My objective and goal was to finish school; I took out every loan necessary. I had a family to support, so I had to get finished."

The next two years were a period of hard work and scrimping. Andrews concentrated on applying himself to the schoolwork, and those evenings of study at the library were rewarded with two scholarships. He also continued working and holding church offices. But there were many sacrifices financially and in time spent with family. "We were frugal in where we lived; we walked where possible to save gas; and we were on a strict budget," Andrews says. His family generally understood about his absences, and they spent "strong family hours together on Sabbath."

Andrews now has a private counseling practice in Walla Walla and is opening a branch office in Hermiston. He also gives lectures and seminars on gerontology. When asked how he had the energy to juggle school, work and family, along with a weakened physical condition, he responds, "There was no energy within me to be had. The good Lord provided me with what was necessary to respond to a new ministry. He gave me the power, provided the means, a school interested in me, and security with a family."

Andrews agrees with Ragenovich that if you really want to, there is no

reason why you can't get through school. "We have one of the best labor programs. There is more than enough work for students, though not always their first choice. And we have an excellent financial aid program," Ragenovich says. "I've never seen one student willing to do his or her part who couldn't meet the financial requirements, she states. "The Lord, the student, and WWC — with the three of us working together we can't lose."

Jenny Watters  
Journalism/Social Work Majors  
WWC

## COLLEGE COMING EVENTS Engineering Week

Engineering Week — As part of National Engineers' Week, Feb. 19-24, the Walla Walla College School of Engineering will again host the Egg Crash. The object of the Egg Crash is to drop a raw egg from the fourth floor of the administration building and have it land unbroken. To do this, students design protective devices and use various methods of descent to break the fall rather than the egg.

The Egg Crash, scheduled for noon Feb. 23, usually draws an enthusiastic crowd to cheer the contestants and moan over the breakages.

Organizers of the Egg Crash have established two general categories for which prizes will be awarded. Under the "successes" category, prizes will be awarded for the unbroken egg making the fastest descent to the pavement, the one surviving the maximum number of "crashes" and the one most closely resembling being laid by a chicken (the egg must roll free from the "hen" and remain unbroken). Awards under the "failure" category will be for the egg with the slowest descent with failure and for the egg with the most spectacular failure.

## Registration

Walla Walla College's spring quarter registration is scheduled for Tuesday, March 20, from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Alumni Gymnasium. Spring quarter begins the following day and concludes with graduation on June 3.

Financial aid and work opportunities are still available for students enrolling spring quarter. Those interested in financial aid spring quarter should contact the school's financial aid office immediately.

For more information, call toll free at 1-800-541-8900 (1-800-572-8964 in Washington state). From outside the continental United States, call (509) 527-2301.



John Andrews

emphasizes that they can make it. Another case in point is social work graduate John Brook Andrews. He was preaching in the Montana Conference when he became ill and went to the Total Health Foundation in Yakima for treatment. Then he, his wife Barbara and their three children moved to Col-



## Fine Arts Week

Two performances by baritone Thomas Hampson will highlight a special Fine Arts Week at Walla Walla College Feb. 26 to March 2.

Hampson, who has made appearances in opera and with symphony orchestras in the United States and Europe, will be accompanied by the Walla Walla College Choral Union in a performance of Faure's Requiem Mass on Feb. 28 at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts Center Auditorium. He will present an art song recital with pianist Leonard Richter, Thursday, March 1, at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

The Fine Arts Week also includes a free Brass Festival Concert Sunday, Feb. 26, at 3 p.m. in the Fine Arts Center Auditorium, a preview reception for a free duo exhibition in the Clyde and Mary Harris Gallery by college professors Tom Emmerson and Ken MacKintosh, Sunday, Feb. 26, from 7 to 9 p.m. and a free piano concerto competition in the Fine Arts Center, Monday, Feb. 27, at 7:30 p.m.

Admission will be charged for the Hampson programs and seating is limited. For ticket reservation information, call (509) 527-2561.

## Black Awareness Week

Guest speaker Delbert Baker will examine "The Potential Within" during Walla Walla College's annual Black Awareness Week Feb. 19 to 25.

Baker, pastor of the Ethan Temple Adventist Church in Dayton, Ohio, will examine "Beyond Mediocrity . . ." during a Tuesday, Feb. 21, chapel service at 11 a.m. in the College Church. "Insights on Beyond the End" is his title for a vespers program at 7:30 p.m. in the College Church Friday, Feb. 24, and he will discuss "Your Name, ID and Number" for the College Church worship service, Saturday, Feb. 25, at 11 a.m.

Baker's address for the College Church worship service can be heard live on KGTS-FM, 91.3 in the Walla Walla Valley, 88.1 in the Columbia Basin and 90.7 in Moses Lake, Wash.

the Adventist school at Marienhoehe. He began his ministry in Hamburg. Later he attended Andrews University, where he received his B.D. Degree. He then pastored in Michigan. Later he attended McGill University in Montreal, Canada. He then became chairman of the Bible Department of Canadian Union College, where he served until he was called to serve on the Biblical Research Committee of the General Conference.

At last year's meeting it was decided to divide the responsibilities of organization for this year's meeting between German-speaking people of College Place and the local members at Grandview and Sunnyside. The College Place members are responsible for the 11 o'clock worship service and the afternoon preaching service. The Grandview and Sunnyside folk are responsible for the Sabbath school program, potluck dinner organization, and musical program.

A special treat this year will be the Walla Walla College male quartet under the direction of Maynard Loewen.

We encourage all German-speaking Adventists and their friends from "anywhere" to attend this meeting. For further information with regard to the meeting you may contact Kathryn Smith, Smith Funeral Home, Sunnyside, WA 98944, or F. W. Bieber, 1056 Dove Lane, College Place, WA 99324.

Bring your "Zions Lieder" song book and a dish for the potluck dinner and enjoy a day of Christian fellowship and spiritual blessing with the rest of us who still enjoy hearing the "mother tongue." Remember the date, May 12.

F. W. Bieber

# GENERAL NEWS

## Plans Are Announced for German Camp Meeting

May 14, 1983, marked the 30th anniversary of the German meetings for the Northwest Adventists. A large number of German-speaking people settled in the Toppenish, Wapato, Yakima, Grandview, etc., areas of Washington during the early part of this century. Many moved into the area from the Midwest as a result of the severe drought conditions of the '30s. A large part of the Upper Columbia Conference membership in these areas consisted of German-speaking people.

The first special meetings were held primarily for the local German-speaking Adventist, but as word spread, people came from California, the Dakotas, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, British Columbia, etc.

The records show that the first German meeting was held in May 1953 in the Toppenish Church. Organizers of that meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Julius Krueger, Rebecca Taft, Jim Leiske and Lloyd Reisch. Pastor Henry Stoehr was the main speaker of the day. Over the years the place of meeting was changed. For quite a few years it was held in Toppenish; for a few years in Wapato; once in Yakima; once in College Place and now for three years in Grandview.

A newspaper article reporting on the May 16, 1970, meeting held at Toppenish states that more than 400 people were in attendance at this annual meeting. R. R. Bietz, a vice president of the General Conference, was the main speaker. The potluck dinner was served at the Olney Park in Toppenish.

While of recent years the attendance has been smaller, there is still much enthusiasm for these meetings. For several years Mr. and Mrs. Walter Werth, Kathryn Smith, Brother and Mrs. Jim Leiske, and many others have been responsible for organizing the meetings. The Grandview Church has been most gracious in allowing these meetings to be held in their facility. In addition to the church building there is a large gymnasium where the potluck dinner is served.

On May 12, 1984, the 31st annual meeting will be held in the Grandview Adventist Church, 110 N. Elm, with Sabbath school at 9:30, worship at 11, potluck dinner at 12:30, special musical program at 2, and preaching service at 2:45. The meetings of the day should be over by 4 p.m.

Herbert Kiesler of the General Conference will be the guest speaker. Kiesler was born in Dortmund, Germany. He was trained to be an interior designer and cabinetmaker; however, he felt a call to the ministry and attended

## Institutional Employees Support United Way Program

The employees of Portland Adventist Medical Center, Tillamook County General Hospital, Walla Walla College and Walla Walla General Hospital were among those at 53 Seventh-day Adventist colleges, hospitals and other church entities in North America who gave \$554,000 to the United Way in 1983. This represents a 26 percent increase over the previous record high of \$440,600 that employees gave to the United Way in 1982. Combined contributions from these four institutions in the North Pacific Union totaled \$29,750 last year.

Since the funding of a community drive began among Adventist institutions in Loma Linda, Calif., 30 years ago, employees have contributed more than \$3.5 million to the community-supported campaigns.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Addresses Needed

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the following people is asked to send the information to: Clerk, Grants Pass Seventh-day Adventist Church, 1360 N.E. 9th St., Grants Pass, OR 97526:

Janet Herinks, Vernon Miller, Dorothy Oliver, Janet Parrish, Debra Porter, Laura Reeves, Dennis and Marilyn Wendell, and the Robert Rauh family.

## World Day of Prayer

Kathy Corwin, wife of Pastor Harvey Corwin of the Portland, Mt. Tabor Church, has been asked by the Dallas, Ore., Ministerial Association to be featured speaker at the World Day of Prayer services in that community. People of various faiths will attend this occasion at 10 a.m., Friday, March 2, at the Dallas Adventist Church, 589 S.W. Birch St. Her topic: "Keeping Spiritually Alive."

## Gem State Class of '34

The class of 1934 of Gem State Academy would encourage all who attended school during the years of 1930-34 to join in celebrating the 50th year anniversary at the GSA homecoming, April 13-14. Fellowship dinner at noon on Sabbath in the Bible room. For more information call or write Ruby M. Griffith-Eastham, (Mrs. Chet) 1804 Beech St., Caldwell, Idaho 83605. Phone (208) 459-7647.

## Goldendale Seminar

Goldendale is hosting the Calling and Caring Seminar for the southwest area of Upper Columbia Conference and adjacent Oregon Conference districts on the following weekends, Feb. 10, 11 and 12; Feb. 24, 25 and 26. The seminar will be Friday evening, all day Sabbath, and Sunday on these two weekends. This is a course for training the laity to reach inactive and former members. The only charge will be for materials used in the seminar. Members of any church in the surrounding area will be welcome. Housing and food will be provided. Please make your reservations by calling (509) 773-5855 or (509) 773-3587.

## MFI Annual Meeting

The Oregon Chapter of Maranatha Flights International will hold its annual meeting Friday evening, March 9, and Sabbath, March 10, at the Canyonville, Ore., Church on Frontage Road. The chapter meeting arrangements are being coordinated by Clyde and Vernita Marriott of Canyonville, (503) 839-4461.

All members, friends and those interested are invited to attend.

## WWVA Homecoming

The Walla Walla Valley Academy Homecoming will be held at the academy, 300 S.W. Hussey, College Place, Wash., on April 7. Diane Forsyth ('59) will be the guest speaker. Melvin Derby ('42) is the Sabbath school superintendent. Tamara LeFore ('81) and Heidi Anliker ('81) are in charge of the alumni and academy talent program at 7:30 p.m. The day closes with an alumni business meeting and the alumni-student basketball

games. The 1934 class will have their 50 year reunion and the 1959 class will mark their 25th reunion. Other honored classes include 1939, 1944, 1949, 1954, 1969, 1974 and 1979.

## VOP Broadcast News

The Voice of Prophecy Sunday broadcast on KBOI, 670, in Boise, Idaho, is now heard at 6 a.m.

Cancelled is the VOP daily broadcast on KTI, Pendleton, Ore.

## Laurelwood Academy Alumni

Homecoming for Laurelwood Adventist Academy is planned for April 14. All alumni, former students and faculty and friends are invited to help celebrate the 80th year of serving young people. Dr. T. W. Walters will be the featured speaker. A special invitation is extended to the classes of '34, '44 and '64. For more information call Gene Lambert: office (503) 255-7300; home (503) 985-7860, or write Box 147, Route 2, Gaston, OR 97119.

## Video Programs at Mount Tabor

Mount Tabor School of the Bible adds a new video dimension. This new program begins in March. Each will be shown from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the Mount Tabor Adventist Church Sanctuary, 1001 S.E. 60th, Portland, Ore. Notice the following March schedule:

- March 3 — "Shaping the Will Without Breaking the Spirit" — Dr. James Dobson.
- March 10 — "Straight Talk to Families" — Dr. James Dobson.
- March 17 — "Sex and the Family" (adults only) — Dr. James Dobson.
- March 24 — "Grief Recovery Series" (First of five sessions).

## UCA Band Clinic

Upper Columbia Academy will sponsor and host an all-conference band clinic Feb. 23-25. Jerry Lange, founder and coordinator for the clinic, states that this clinic will be the largest in number of participants in the 10-year history of the clinic.

Dan Schultz, chairman of the Music Department at Walla Walla College, will be guest conductor of the clinic band. Guest clinicians from Walla Walla College and the Spokane Symphony will present workshops during the clinic session.

An invitation is being extended to all to attend the Clinic Concert on Saturday night, Feb. 25, at 7:30 in the UCA gymnasium.

## Off-Campus Center

Are you interested in broadening your knowledge of public health, but don't have the time to spend taking classes on a University Campus? An unusual opportunity is knocking at your door! Loma Linda University, in association with the North Pacific Union Conference of SDA, is proud to announce the offering of a Master of Public Health degree program that comes to you.

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## Swindoll Film Series

The Chuck Swindoll film series *Strengthening Your Grip* will be shown at the Milwaukie, Ore., Adventist Church, starting March 9 at 7 p.m. The films will continue on consecutive Friday nights until April 13. The church is located at 5197 S.E. King Road. All are welcome to attend.

## Out of Union Alumni

Atlantic Union College, April 8-13; Gobles, Mich., Junior Academy, June 8-10; Lake Nelson, N.J. School, May 12; Collegedale, Tenn., Academy, April 13-14; Blue Mountain, Penn., Academy, April 13-14.

## LAA Pianorama

Are you tired of the usual sort of Saturday night entertainment? If so, Laurelwood Adventist Academy has the program to spark your interest, on March 10 — the fifth annual Pianorama. And it's free!

Imagine 12 or 18 pianists playing at the same time. These are not easy pieces, but real "finger twisters" such as "Fiddle Faddle" by Leroy Anderson or "Original Rags" by Scott Joplin.

Two quartets will be featured, one a double duo of sisters playing "Nola." The other quartet will play a quodlibet entitled "The Fancy Blue Devil's Breakdown." The music is as exciting as its name!

John Boyd, piano teacher and director of the Pianorama, will be joined by Carol Boulden, piano teacher at Portland Adventist Academy, in a special Mozart duet. Other top composers presented are Liszt, Chopin, Prokofiev and Rachmaninoff. Raylene Zaugg and John Boyd will play a violin-piano selection by Beethoven.

Besides music to stimulate your ears, your eyes will also have a treat. Culminating the program which includes special lighting and explanatory slides will be "America the Beautiful," highlighted by Eugene Lambert's professional pictures.

Who will narrate the program? One year it was Beethoven; another it was Uncle Sam. Come and see!

Take Highway 47 from Forest Grove or McMinnville, cross the railroad tracks at the blinking light in Gaston and follow the signs to the Laurelwood gym. The program begins at 7:30.



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# MILESTONES

## UPPER COLUMBIA

### Ninety-Second Birthday Celebrated

Members of the Yakima, Wash., Fairview Church surprised Hattie Cloer on her 92nd birthday Dec. 6. She has been in the church for 10 years and is a charter member of the Fairview congregation.

A few days after the party she had surgery and her physician expressed some fears for survival because of her age. Mrs. Cloer assured her daughter, "My church family is praying for me." She survived the operation and is doing well.



Hattie Cloer

### Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Warren and Marguerite Anderson of College Place, Wash., were honored recently with an open house at their home to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

They were married in Everett, Wash., on Nov. 2, 1933. Their first home was in Stanwood, Wash., where Warren was a dairy farmer for 40 years. They were members of the Cedar Home Church. In 1972 Warren retired and they moved to College Place.

They have six children: Ralph Anderson of Oroville, Wash.; Betty Penner of Ponape, Caroline Islands; Lois Cornell of Portland, Tenn.; Marilyn Gepford of Estacada, Ore.; Doris Alderman of Chattaroy, Wash., and Marjorie Meidinger of College Place, Wash. There are 11 grandchildren.

The children and grandchildren hosted the open house.



Marguerite and Warren Anderson

### Fifty Years of Marriage

Pearl and Lawrence Wright of College Place, Wash., were married March 22, 1983. They marked the occasion with three special events during the year. The first was a reception on March 22 hosted by two of their children. The second was a family reunion on June 26 with family members present from a wide area. The third was a Christmas dinner to close the year.

The Wrights have four children: Phyllis



Pearl and Lawrence Wright

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# OBITUARIES

**ANDREGG**—Herman B. Andregg was born Oct. 10, 1908, in Dry Creek, Idaho, and died Jan. 19, 1984, in Boise, Idaho. He is survived by his wife Alta of Eagle, Idaho; a son, Gary, of Shelby, Mont.; a daughter, Dixie Porter, of Eagle; three sisters: Louise Reed, of Cambridge, Idaho, Mary Howie, of Meridian, Idaho, and Esther McKlusky, of California; five brothers: John and Jim, of Eagle, David, Daniel and Paul, all of Boise.

**ANDERSON**—Ruth May Anderson was born Dec. 14, 1896, in Wisconsin, and died Dec. 22, 1983, in Hood River, Ore. She is survived by a son, Darrell, Federal Way, Wash.; two daughters: Denzel Green, and Doris Hill; two brothers, Jesse Hutson, and Pete Hutson, all of Parkdale, Ore.

**BEGGS**—Earl W. Beggs was born Feb. 6, 1888, in Mansfield, Ark., and died Jan. 7, 1984, in Stayton, Ore. Survivors include two daughters: Bernice Whitson, of Scio, Ore., and Fern Jackson, of Corona, Calif.; one brother, George, of Lodi, Calif.; five sisters: Irene Taylor and Lenna Webster, both of Long Beach, Calif.; Corrine Sackett, of Irvine, Calif.; Lucille Leichtenwalter, Banning, Calif., and Beatrice Bea Van Holst Watson, of Beverly Hills, Calif.

**BROWN**—Anna Jane Brown was born Aug. 4, 1904, in Michigan, and died Jan. 3, 1984, in Walla Walla, Wash. She is survived by a daughter, Jane, of Glendale, Calif., and a sister, Inez Murphy, of Arizona.

**BUEHLER**—Katharina Buehler was born Oct. 2, 1892, in Simmonsfield, Russia, and died Dec. 9, 1983, in Walla Walla, Wash. Surviving family members are a daughter, Emma Keown, Walla Walla; and a sister, Emma Ullrich, of Vernon, B.C.

**CHAMBERLAIN**—Mary Ann Chamberlain was born Feb. 17, 1890, in Streator, Ill., and died Sept. 9, 1983, in Seattle, Wash. Survivors include three sons: Frank, of Paradise, Calif.; Dr. G. L. Chamberlain, of Paradise, and Dr. J. M. Chamberlain, of San Jose, Calif.; three daughters: Frances J. Taylor, Seattle, Wash., Nellie Rose Cashen, of Skykomish, Wash., and Jennie M. Taylor, of Ojai, Calif.; one sister, Clara, of California.

**CLEMENSON**—Louise E. Clemenson was born Jan. 26, 1915, in Portland, Ore., and died Jan. 6, 1984, in Longview, Wash. Survivors include her husband, Harvey, of Clatskanie, Ore.; two sisters: Lile Bauer, Cornelius, Ore., and Isabel Nagel, Vancouver, Wash.

**COOK**—Mabel May Cook was born Jan. 23, 1894, in Kansas, and died Dec. 23, 1983, in Oregon City, Ore. Immediate family relative surviving is a daughter, Marie Jenks, of Molalla, Ore.

**COTTEN**—Charles Donovan Cotten was born Dec. 21, 1917, in Knox City, Tex., and died Dec. 26, 1983, in Vancouver, Wash. Survivors include his wife Maxine of Battle Ground, Wash.; son, Don Cotten Jr., of Hawaii; a daughter, Joanne Ritchie, of California; sister, Imogene Allan, of Texas; brother, Fred Estes, of Tex.; stepson, Bill Roper, Battle Ground; four stepdaughters: Shir-lene Roper, Seattle, Wash., Sandy Crumpacker and Shelly Hubbard, both of Vancouver, Wash., and Terri Roper, of Denver, Colo.

**ELLERMAN**—George H. Ellerman was born Mar. 13, 1896, in Denver, Colo., and died Dec. 19, 1983, in Portland, Ore. Two daughters survive: Charlotte Null, of Portland, and Wilma Stuvenga, of Willamina, Ore.

**FRAZIER**—Merle Leah Frazier was born Feb. 23, 1896, in Par-deeville, Wis., and died Aug. 7, 1983, in Bremerton, Wash. Surviving are three daughters: Velma Newman, of Bremerton, Naomi Koch, Brooksville, Ill., and Almeda Herlein, of Hinsdale, Ill.; four sons: Norman Newell, of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., Orvil Newell, of Hollister, Mo., Warren Newell, of Vista, Calif., and Donald Newell, of Boulder, Colo.

**GARVER**—Irwin Milton Garver was born Sept. 15, 1923, in Ketchum, Okla., and died Dec. 26, 1983, in Eugene, Ore. He is survived by his wife Clea of Winchester, Ore.; a son, Carl Garver, Everett, Wash.; daughter, Gayle Cartree, Seattle, Wash.; two brothers: George, of Zelenople, Pa., and Gilbert, of Chandler, N.C.; a sister, Cleo Watkins, of Fayetteville, Ark.

**GANNON**—Jacque "Jack" Gannon was born May 4, 1893, in New Hampshire and died Dec. 30, 1983, in Medford, Ore. He is survived by his wife, Bernice, of Eugene, Ore.; two daughters: Carmen Todd, Medford, and Shirley Strong, of Tacoma, Wash.; two sons: Bruce, Eugene, Ore., and Gene, of Portland, Ore.

**HALLESON**—Dorothea Cristell Halleson was born July 10, 1918, in Pine Valley, Ore., and died Dec.

14, 1983, in Kent, Wash. Survivors include her husband Clyde of Kent; two sons: Gary, of Kansas City, Mo., and Larry, of Gresham, Ore.; a daughter, Bonnie Lewis, of Kent; mother, Birdie Weimar, College Place, Wash.; two sisters: Annabelle Eugliemelli, Palo Alto, Calif., and Donna Dunham, College Place.

**HANSON**—Gladys "Thelma" Hanson was born Oct. 29, 1915, in Ohio, and died Dec. 18, 1983, in Roseburg, Ore. Surviving are two sons, Glen Hanson, of Auburn, Wash., and Donald Hanson, Kent, Wash.; daughter, Margie Roark, of Roseburg; three brothers: Dorwin Grise, Baltimore, Md., Wayne Grise, Fair Oaks, Calif., and Thealen Grise, of Wilbur, Ore.

**HANSON**—Ellen Mary Hanson was born Sept. 27, 1909, in Chelan, Wash., and died Jan. 1, 1984, in Medford, Ore. She is survived by her husband Arther of Medford; two daughters: Delores McDonald, Bowdoinham, Maine, and Carol Lewis, of Dinuba, Calif.; a son, Milton Hanson, Alberta, Canada; two brothers: Mervin Shollenberg, of Medford, and Clinton Shollenberg, of Prineville, Ore.; two sisters: Dena Rae Morgan, Medford, and Velma A. Kellie, of Woodinville, Wash.; stepmother, Laura Shollenberg, of Medford.

**HARRIS**—Lincoln Medley Harris was born Aug. 11, 1895, in Rose Valley, Wash., and died May 5, 1983, in Pendleton, Ore. He is survived by his wife Ruth of Pendleton; two sons: Denzil Sprague, Eugene, Ore., and William Sprague, of Springfield, Ore.; three daughters: Donna Rasmussen, Pendleton, Violette Cover, Las Vegas, Nev., and Winona Weaver, Molalla, Ore.; one sister, Florence Anliker, Coos Bay, Ore.

**HEGSTAD**—Oscar N. Hegstad was born Jan. 13, 1897, in Heron Lake, Minn., and died Dec. 31, 1983, in Oregon City, Ore. He is survived by his wife Olive of Milwaukie, Ore.; two daughters: Virginia Rose, Casper, Wyo., and Beverly Bottsford, Jackson, Miss.; two brothers: Vern, and Rudolph, both of Portland, Ore. He served as associate publishing director for the Western Oregon Conference, as pastor in Ketchikan, Alaska, and as chaplain, in Madison, Tenn., San. and Hospital. He also served for a time, after retirement, as visitation pastor of the Portland Tabernacle Church.

**HOOVER**—Donna R. Hoover was born June 29, 1929, in Baker, Ore., and died Dec. 21, 1983, in Walla Walla, Wash. Three sons survive: Kent, of Kennewick, Wash., Hal, of Mesa, Ariz., and Scott, of Spokane, Wash.

**HOUX**—Robert Lee Houx was born Apr. 26, 1911, in Missoula, Mont., and died Jan. 7, 1984, in St. Regis, Mont. Survivors include his wife Ellen of St. Regis; daughter,

Lola Lile, Spokane, Wash.; stepson, Gene Collins, and stepdaughter, Thelma Nelson, both of St. Regis.

**HUBBS**—Edythe E. Hubbs was born June 20, 1909, in Ellsworth, Minn., and died Jan. 6, 1984, in Edmonds, Wash. She is survived by her husband Jack of Edmonds; two brothers, Herbert R. Reinelt, of Seattle, Wash., and Ernest E. Reinelt, of Portland, Ore.; a sister, Gladys Hay, of Portland. She was employed at the Walla Walla General Hospital for 33 years, both as a nurse and in the business office. Her husband served as administrator of that hospital for 17 years. Later they moved to Seattle, Wash., where her husband accepted the position of Health and Temperance Director for the Washington Conference and Edythe worked in two large medical clinics there. She was a tireless worker in her many church duties and supported her husband in 250 of the 5-day Plan to Stop Smoking clinics.

**JURGENSEN**—Lora Thelma Jurgensen was born July 24, 1912, in Cle Elum, Wash., and died Dec. 25, 1983, in Hillsboro, Ore. Survivors include her husband Henry of Deer Island, Ore.; a daughter, Ruth Loeks, Hillsboro, Ore.; two stepsons: John of Santa Maria, Calif., and David of Gaston, Ore.

**KELLOGG**—L. Grant Kellogg was born Jan. 30, 1894, in Santa Rose, Calif., and died Dec. 7, 1983, in Central Point, Ore. Surviving is his wife Betty of Central Point, Ore. Two sons preceded him in death.

**KENDALL**—Isabelle H. Kendall was born Dec. 10, 1898, in San Francisco, Calif., and died Jan. 1, 1984, in College Place, Wash. Five daughters survive: Lillian Anderson, of Australia, Lucille Van Horn, of North Dakota, Camille McNeilus, of Minnesota, Viola Jones, of India, and Bonnie Humphreys, of College Place; three sons: George, of Alabama, Paul, of Spokane, Wash., and Clarence, of Texas.

**LAPLANTE**—Mitchell Lee LaPlante was born May 12, 1966, in Portland, Ore., and died Dec. 23, 1983, in Oregon City, Ore., as the result of an automobile accident. Survivors include his father, Pierre (Pete) LaPlante Sr., of Vancouver, Wash., and brother, Pierre LaPlant Jr., of Amarillo, Tex.

**LARSEN**—Tiffany Marie Larsen was born Sept. 6, 1982, in Portland, Ore., and died Dec. 13, 1983, in Portland. Surviving are her parents, Marvin and Teri Larsen, sister, Monica, and grandmother, Edith Larsen, all of Portland, Ore.

**MARSON**—Evelyn Margaret Marson was born Nov. 14, 1917, in Lemoore, Calif., and died Jan. 9, 1984, in Deer Park, Calif. Survivors include her husband Hugh of Spokane, Wash.; daughter,



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**MORTON**—Elizabeth E. Morton was born Aug. 22, 1908, in Waitsburg, Wash., and died Jan. 18, 1984, in Yakima, Wash. Survivors include her husband Dallas of Yakima; one son, Clark, Billings, Mont.; a daughter, Phyllis Lugenbeal, of Pasco, Wash.

**NEWCOMB**—Olive G. Newcomb was born Sept. 27, 1893, in Black River, N.Y., and died Dec. 17, 1983, in Auburn, Calif. She is survived by a daughter, Ruby W. Hull, Meadow Vista, Calif.; a son, Paul, Turlock, Calif.; a sister, Emma Floyd, of Roseville, Calif.

**NILSSON**—Carl W. Nilsson was born July 6, 1901, in Sweden, and died Jan. 10, 1984, in Walla Walla, Wash. He is survived by his wife, Bertha; a daughter, Evelyn Lane of Woodinville, Wash.; three sons: Wilbert, of Walla Walla, Clarence, of Gresham, Ore., and Leslie, of Milton-Freewater, Ore.

**RUPERT**—Jan Fae Rupert was born June 10, 1943, in Auburn, Wash., and died Dec. 13, 1983, in Renton, Wash. She is survived by her husband J. B. Rupert, of Auburn; two daughters: Jill Noelle, of Auburn, and Jennifer Leigh, of Auburn; her parents, Emil and Elsie Bitzer, of Auburn; two sisters: Della Pulley, Walla Walla, Wash., and Darlene Smith, of Sumner, Wash.



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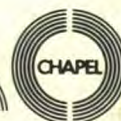
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#262

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Boise	6:27	6:35	6:43	6:52
Pocatello	6:13	6:21	6:29	6:38
Billings	5:53	6:02	6:11	6:21
Havre	5:54	6:04	6:14	6:25
Helena	6:06	6:15	6:25	6:35
Miles City	5:42	5:50	6:00	6:10
Missoula	6:14	6:23	6:33	6:43
Coos Bay	5:59	6:07	6:16	6:24
Medford	5:55	6:02	6:11	6:19
Portland	5:50	5:59	6:08	6:18
Spokane	5:27	5:36	5:47	5:57
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Wenatchee	5:39	5:48	5:58	6:08
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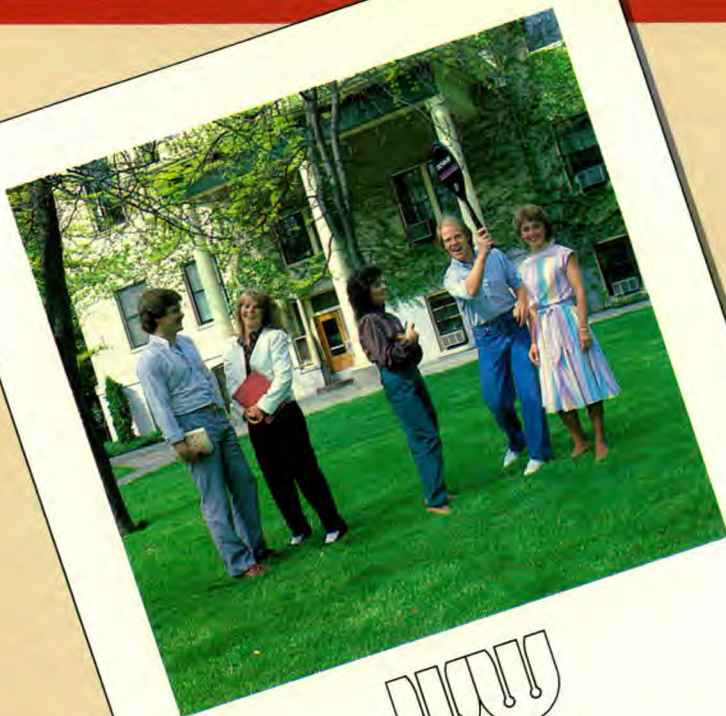
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