

Twenty-sixth

ANNUAL

COMMENCEMENT



*May Eleventh and Twelfth*

*Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Nine*

*Wake Forest, North Carolina*

Friday, May 11 - 8:00 P.M.

# Commencement Sermon

Binkley Chapel

Mr. W. Randall Lolley  
President  
*Presiding*

Prelude—*Offertoire sur Les Grands Jeux* ..... *Francois Couperin Le Grand*  
*Prelude on "Aberystwyth"* ..... *Young*

Mrs. Barbara C. Morrow, *Organist*  
Artist in Residence and Instructor in Church Music

\*Processional—*Rigaudon* ..... *Andre Campra*

\*Invocation ..... Mr. W. Randall Lolley  
President

\*Hymn No. 17—"All People That On Earth Do Dwell" *Kethe- Genevan Psalter*

Scripture and Prayer ..... Mr. James E. Tull  
Professor of Theology

Presentation of Gift to Seminary by Graduation Class—Mr. Ray N. Howell, III

Acknowledgement, Presentation of Awards,  
and Recognitions ..... Mr. Albert L. Meiburg  
Dean of the Faculty

Anthem—"Philippians 2:5-11" ..... *Bob Burroughs*  
Seminary Mixed Choir  
Mr. Ben Johnson, *Conductor*  
Professor of Music

Commencement Sermon ..... Mr. John W. Carlton  
Professor of Preaching

\*Hymn No. 202—"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" .... *Williams-Hughes*

\*Benediction ..... Mr. Richard A. Spencer  
Assistant Professor of New Testament

\*Recessional—*Trumpet Voluntary* ..... *Henry Purcell*

Postlude—*Suite from Opus 59* .... *Toccata* ..... *Max Reger*

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\*Congregation will stand.

Saturday, May 12 - 10:30 A.M.

# GRADUATION PROGRAM

Binkley Chapel

Mr. W. Randall Lolley  
President  
*Presiding*

Music for Worship—*Praeludium pro organo pleno*, S. 532a ..... J. S. Bach  
*Chorale Improvisations* ..... Paul Manz  
"Hyfrydol"  
"Lobet den Herren"  
*Cortège et Litanie*, Opus 19 ..... Marcel Duprè  
Mr. James W. Good, *Organist*  
Professor of Church Music

\*Processional—*Promenade* ..... Norman Coke-Jephcott

\*Invocation ..... Mr. George W. Braswell, Jr.  
Professor of Missions and World Religions

\*Doxology

Scripture—

Old Testament *Is. 12* ..... Mr. Claude Y. Stewart, Jr.  
Assistant Professor of Systematic Theology

New Testament *Eph.* ..... Mr. Luke B. Smith  
Professor of Supervised Ministry

\*Hymn No. 41—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" *Perronet-Rippon-Ellor*

Solo—"Eternal Life" ..... Olive Dungan  
Miss Phyllis L. Mayo

Conferring of Degrees ..... Mr. W. Randall Lolley

Charge to the Graduates ..... Mr. Ben C. Fisher  
Retired Executive Director-Treasurer  
Education Commission, Southern Baptist Convention

\*The Seminary Hymn ..... E. A. McDowell, Jr.

Ordained of God, His Prophets rise,  
They seek not gain nor earthly prize,  
They heed the challenge of Christ's call  
They ask to give and spend their all.

The rights of man we shall defend,  
Our strength to justice ever lend,  
The sins of greed, of caste and war,  
Bring men and nations to abhor.

Anointed heralds bold to speak,  
But in our ways like Jesus meek,  
In lowly place or distant land,  
We go forth now to take our stand.

We thank our God for kindly years,  
For fellowship through joy and tears,  
For learning and for friendly toil,  
For faith to sow in every soil.

Our message be the gospel plain,  
Our joy its power o'er sin's dark stain;  
Born from above the sinner lives,  
New life in Christ the Spirit gives!

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

\*Benediction ..... Mr. David Upshaw  
President, Student Council 1979-80

\*Recessional—*Symphonie 5* ..... C. M. Widor  
V Toccata

\*Congregation will stand.

# Candidates for Graduation

## ASSOCIATE OF DIVINITY

Mark G. Arrington, Jr.	Greenwood, S. C.
Deborah Lynn Batts	Surf City, N. C.
Harold Wayne Beagle	Chesapeake, Va.
Richard James Bruce	Durham, N. C.
Stephen Michael Buffkin	Willow Springs, N. C.
Kenneth Neal Bunch	Suffolk, Va.
Jesse S. Chance, Jr.	Inverness, Fla.
Robert B. Craig	Dixonville, Penn.
James Donald Dobey	Moorestville, N. C.
William Blake Ewing	Mount Holly, N. C.
Lon Thomas Graves, Jr.	North Augusta, S. C.
William E. Harrell	Johnson City, Tenn.
O. P. Hatfield	Powhatan, Va.
Raiford Wilson Hill	New Bern, N. C.
Joe Larry Judy	Greenwood, S. C.
Tross Thomas Kimmer, Sr.	Statesville, N. C.
Larry Wallace King	Fuquay-Varina, N. C.
Thomas William Loftus	Maple, N. C.
Allen Leo Lowery	Roxboro, N. C.
Farrell Harmon Miller	Rosie, Ark.
Douglas McArthur Musselwhite	Fayetteville, N. C.
Billy J. Reynolds	Greenwood, S. C.
Michael L. Rockwell	Norfolk, Va.
Thomas Johnson Vestal	Raleigh, N. C.
Carlos M. Vidal	Pangasinan, Philippines
Kenneth Durrett Wilbanks	Atlanta, Ga.
William Cecil Wilkes	Wendell, N. C.
Keith Franklin Williams	Bessemer City, N. C.
Robert Allen Wilson	Inman, S. C.
Clarence Neil Woodlief	Oxford, N. C.

## MASTER OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

F. Allen Batchelor, Jr.	Rocky Mount, N. C.
Jane Brogdon Best	Belmont, N. C.
Patricia Leigh Burchette	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Timothy Warren Burleson	Swannanoa, N. C.
Thomas Willard Catts	Mechanicsburg, Penn.
H. Bain Daniels, Jr.	New London, N. C.
Irene Marion Sightler Lawson	Easley, S. C.
Julia Carolyn Lovell	Conway, S. C.
Rosa Leigh Parks	Wilmington, N. C.
H. Ron Richardson	Asheville, N. C.
*Charles Lee Simmons, Sr.	Anchorage, Alaska
Jackie Green Simpkins	Birmingham, Ala.
Steve Allen Spangler	Vinton, Va.
Deborah Gayle Strickland	Olanta, S. C.
A. W. Talbert	Apex, N. C.
James Gordon Thurmond III	Anderson, S. C.
*Sarah Martha Vickery	Pickens, S. C.
*Alan C. Welch	Lake City, S. C.
Sheri Leigh Wheeler	St. George, S. C.
*Paul Jennings White, Jr.	Greer, S. C.

## MASTER OF DIVINITY

*Camille K. Adkison Adams	Inkster, Mich.
*James Samuel Ailor	Hampton, Va.
David Ronald Allen	Cherryville, N. C.
Larry Lee Arrowood	Mount Holly, N. C.
John David Attaway III	Anderson, S. C.
Joseph Norman Baird	Bangor, Northern Ireland
Robert Ward Baker	Graham, N. C.
Michael Franklin Barker	Camden, S. C.
John Eugene Barnhardt	Kannapolis, N. C.
Kenneth Eugene Batts	Surf City, N. C.
George Samuel Berry	Saluda, S. C.
Randy Allen Bishop	Cowpens, S. C.

\*In Absentia

Carolyn Sue Bledsoe	Blackwater, Va.
Henry Chisholm Boschen, Jr.	Richmond, Va.
Timothy Fred Bradley	Pelzer, S. C.
William Hal Britt	Louisburg, N. C.
Hugh Robert Brown, Jr.	Dunwoody, Ga.
John W. Brown, Jr.	Bowling Green, Fla.
Johnny Thomas Brown	Seagrove, N. C.
Larry Allen Burton	Vale, N. C.
Glen Barry Chambers	Roxboro, N. C.
Orvil Dwight Chapman	Carmi, Ill.
Deborah Knight Church	Fayetteville, N. C.
Carl Houston Clawson, Jr.	Greenville, S. C.
Robert Bissell Clemons III	Andrews, S. C.
James Robert Cline, Jr.	Fallston, N. C.
Russell Kenneth Cobb	Bessemer City, N. C.
John David Cochran	Elberon, Va.
David Harold Coggins	Rocky Mount, N. C.
Herbert Glenn Cole	Granite Falls, N. C.
Preston Allen Creech, Jr.	Augusta, Ga.
Larry Thomas Crowe	Owensboro, Ky.
Lester E. Curtis, Jr.	Remington, Va.
*Richard M. Dantzler	Eutawville, S. C.
Samuel Gene Darnell	Dresden, Tenn.
Lynn Scruggs Davis	Great Lakes, Ill.
Michael Ayers Davis	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Otis Wiley Davis	Greensboro, N. C.
Terry L. Davis	Riceville, Tenn.
Clyde Monroe DeLoach	Danville, Va.
Larry Keith Dixon	Siler City, N. C.
Bonnie Lynn Doughtie	Portsmouth, Va.
H. Wayne Dunn	Mt. Gilead, N. C.
Louis Thomas Edwards	Portsmouth, Va.
Allie Gilbert Ellington	Oxford, N. C.
John Wesley Elliott	Reidsville, N. C.
Danny Oneal Emory	Moore, S. C.
Gary Frederick Fisher	Kettering, Ohio
John M. Flowers, Jr.	Terry, Miss.
Perry Dean Floyd	Richardson, Tex.
*Robert W. Foland	Knoxville, Tenn.
Paul Edward Fowler	Leesburg, Ala.
Raymond A. Futch	Plant City, Fla.
Randy Cecil Gardner	Gaffney, S. C.
Wesley Thomas Garner, Sr.	Skipwith, Va.
Douglas Youell Gilfillan	Manassas, Va.
Paul Lawrence Godwin	Cheraw, S. C.
Boyd O. Gray	Newport News, Va.
Richard Kenneth Gunter	Stone Mountain, Ga.
Marvin Davis Guthrie, Jr.	Chase City, Va.
Ernest G. Hall	Boston, Mass.
William Terry Hall, Jr.	Raleigh, N. C.
Paul Steven Hardy	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Terry Layne Harper	Burlington, N. C.
Thomas Wright Harper	Ash Grove, Mo.
Wayne Clay Harrison	Franklin, Va.
Katie I. Hatcher	Raleigh, N. C.
Charles Edward Hayes	Rocky Mount, N. C.
Stephen Zachary Hearne, Sr.	Burlington, N. C.
Dennis James Hester	Kernersville, N. C.
DeForest Everett Hillyer, Jr.	Richfield, N. C.
Olar Thompson Hinton III	Pickens, S. C.
Betty Ann Hobbs	Hopewell, Va.
Mark Eric Holder	Troy, N. C.
Ralph Kinzel Hooker	Cleveland, Tenn.
Brant Reece Hoots	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Ray Nance Howell III	Hartselle, Ala.
Dale Howard Hughes	Woodstown, N. J.
Joseph Truett Hughes	Chesapeake, Va.
James C. Ingels	Birmingham, Ala.
Eddie Jo Vance Jarrett	Marion, N. C.
John Manley Jernigan	Middleburg, Fla.
Joseph Robert Johnson III	Lynchburg, Va.
Thomas Stuart Johnson	Belle, W. Va.
Charles Richard Jolley	Cliffside, N. C.
Rodney Steven Kerr	Charlotte, N. C.

\*In Absentia

Judy King	Clinton, S. C.
Kenneth Donnan Lawson	Easley, S. C.
Nancy Elizabeth Lee	Angier, N. C.
Dace Allison Lewis, Jr.	Burlington, N. C.
Robert Bryant Livingston	Oxford, N. C.
George Richard Lockhart	Buckhannon, W. Va.
*Dorothy Ann Elliott Lopez	Asheville, N. C.
*Michael Julian Lopez	High Springs, Fla.
*Robert Nelson Marchant	Baltimore, Md.
Alberto A. Saenz Martinez	Chile
George Covington Marsh	Raleigh, N. C.
Phyllis Lee Mayo	Stantonsburg, N. C.
James Smith McBride	Hillmeade, Md.
Grovan Martin McClellan	Iva, S. C.
Martha Jean McClellan	Iva, S. C.
Timothy Frank McCobin	Bristol, Tenn.
Sue Moody McDaniel	Raleigh, N. C.
Thomas Raymond McElhanev	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Laurel Diane McKee	Greenwood, S. C.
Harry Lampley Melton, Jr.	Lancaster, S. C.
Warren William Miller	Hickory, N. C.
Matthew A. Moffitt	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Eddie L. Morgan	Rock Hill, S. C.
Mark Allan Morris	Rocky Mount, N. C.
Mary Virginia Mothershed	Hickory, N. C.
Miller Blair Murphy	Rock Hill, S. C.
William Harold Murphy	Snow Hill, N. C.
Harvey Tildon Myers	Portsmouth, Va.
Maurice Earl Nason, Jr.	North Augusta, S. C.
Jonathan MBA Nduneme	Nigeria
Carol Frances Neese	West Columbia, S. C.
Victor Vance Nickerson, Jr.	St. Augustine, Fla.
*Ronald Gene Owen	South Boston, Va.
Ronald Kenneth Paige	Laconia, N. H.
Gary Edmund Parker	Greenwood, S. C.
George Ronald Patton	Halifax, N. C.
Thomas Lloyd Pendergraft	Davidson, N. C.
Patricia Carol Pepper	Cary, N. C.
Ronnie Alexander Pettit	Columbia, S. C.
Gary B. Phaup	Thomasville, N. C.
Charlene Horton Pierce	Apex, N. C.
Robert Franklin Pierce, Jr.	Ringgold, Ga.
Lewis D. Pritchard III	Asheboro, N. C.
Allen Raines	Wartburg, Tenn.
Brent Marshall Rector	Mt. Airy, N. C.
Stephen Wayne Richerson	Hampton, Va.
Ronnie Gene Ridenour	Aiken, S. C.
William Dale Robertson	Laurinburg, N. C.
*Carlos Preston Salyer	Elizabethton, Tenn.
Edwin Fisher Sansbury	Hartsville, S. C.
Dawne Elise Sarchet	Rolla, Mo.
David Ross Schell	St. Louis, Mo.
R. Keith Schrum	Newport News, Va.
Leon L. Scott	Richmond, Va.
John Bell Searcy	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Herman LeRoy Seibert	Amelia, Va.
Albert Marshall Sherbert	Greenville, S. C.
George James Simpkins IV	Camden, Ala.
Milburn White Simpson, Jr.	Monroe, N. C.
Neil Evans Smith	Henderson, N. C.
Robert Thomas Smith	Charlotte, N. C.
Randy Spaugh	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Dennis McLean Spivey	Hobbsville, N. C.
James Fred Staunton	Burlington, N. C.
James Garry Stegall	Alexandria, Va.
*Jane Shelton Stembridge	Columbia, S. C.
Eileen Ann Stone	Falls Church, Va.
Peggy Jean Stout	Siler City, N. C.
Robert Gary Strickland	Lumberton, N. C.
*Daniel Rudolph Suggs	Aiken, S. C.
Gwyn Paul Sullivan	Bakersville, N. C.
David E. Sumner	Dade City, Fla.
Thomas Brinton Supplee	New Holland, Penn.
William Clifford Tatum	Portsmouth, Va.

\*In Absentia

David Lawrence Thomas	Wewahitchka, Fla.
James Roy Thomason	Simpsonville, S. C.
Michael Vance Thompson	Whiteville, N. C.
John W. Trent	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Fredric Harold Troll	Mansfield, Ohio
Walter J. Turkowsky	Milwaukee, Wis.
George J. Vandenhengel, Jr.	Malvern, Penn.
Howard Malcolm Wansley, Jr.	Plant City, Fla.
Janet Murdoch Wengert	Wyoming, Penn.
John Douglas White	Knoxville, Tenn.
Ronnie Keith White	Windsor, N. C.
William Everette Wilkins	Nelson, Va.
Isaac Edward Williams	Suffolk, Va.
Clemon Owens Williams	Carthage, N. C.
Wayne A. Williams	Virginia Beach, Va.
John Richard Wilson	Fort Myers, Fla.
Constance Faye Wood	Ferrum, Va.
Roger Dillard Woodard	Raleigh, N. C.
*R. Stephen Woodfin	Dallas, Tex.
Michael Eliston Chris Woolridge	Smith's Parish, Bermuda
Jeffrey Lynn Wright	Danville, Va.
Richard Allen Wright	Cleveland, Ohio
Frank Ron Zedick	Dillon, S. C.

### MASTER OF THEOLOGY

Winston W. Cockburn	Jamaica, West Indies
Thesis: A CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF THE SCHOLASTICS' VIEWS ON THE "OMNI-ATTRIBUTES" OF GOD AS EXEMPLIFIED IN THE THEOLOGIES OF ANSELM, ABELARD, AND AQUINAS	
*Uriah A. McManus, Jr.	Montgomery, Ala.
Thesis: THE BREAKING OF BREAD: A SYMBOL FOR REALIZING THE PRESENCE OF JESUS	
John Russell Zeigler, Jr.	Hartwell, Ga.
Thesis: CARL F. H. HENRY'S THEOLOGICAL AND ETHICAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO EVANGELICAL CHRISTIANITY	

### DOCTOR OF MINISTRY

*D. Michael Avant	Mobile, Ala.
*Stephan Copeland Barton	Greer, S. C.
Isaac Block	Baltimore, Md.
Dennis Lee Burton	Mansfield, Ohio
Charles Alfred Casey	El Paso, Tex.
Robert Warren Dorr	Baltimore, Md.
G. Reid Doster III	Houston, Tex.
Ector Lee Hamrick	Alexandria, Va.
Isaac Baynes Horton	Goldsboro, N. C.
*Bobby Conrad Johnston	Charlotte, N. C.
John Harper LaRue	Galax, Va.
Jerry Leon Niswonger	Raleigh, N. C.
DeLane Marlin Ryals	Glen Ridge, N. J.

#### Marshals

Mr. John I Durham, *Chief Marshal*  
Mr. Claude Y. Stewart, Jr., *Faculty Marshal*

#### Student Marshals

David Upshaw, *Chief Student Marshal*

Marie Bean  
Elizabeth Barnes  
Jeff Burrell  
Linda Green

Dennis Melton  
Millie Potts  
David Shirley  
Susan Shirley

# *The Commencement Events*

Friday, May 11

2:00-4:00 P.M.

PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION FOR GRADUATES  
AND THEIR FAMILIES

*President's Home*

5:15 P.M.

SENIOR CLASS BANQUET

*Seminary Cafeteria*

8:00 P.M.

COMMENCEMENT SERMON

*Binkley Chapel*

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Saturday, May 12

7:30 A.M.

SENIOR BREAKFAST

*Seminary Cafeteria*

10:30 A.M.

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