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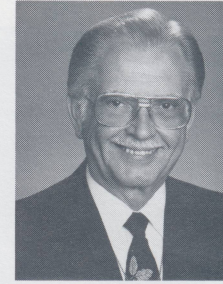


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From the President



Dr. D.V. Hurst
President

Dr. Ming To Assume Academic Helm At FEAST



Dr. J. Melvyn Ming

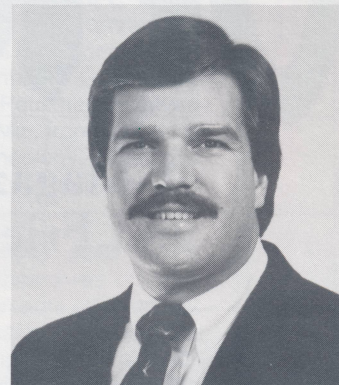
Vice President for Academic Affairs at N.C., Dr. J. Melvyn Ming has been appointed Academic Dean of FEAST (Far East Advanced School of Theology) in the Philippines. In accepting appointment to missionary service, Dr. Ming has resigned after twelve years of ministry at N.C., the last three years as Vice President for Academic Affairs. Dr. Ming is a popular teacher and speaker throughout the Western United States.

Dr. Ming received his educational training at Southern California College, B.A., Southwestern Baptist Seminary, MRE, and Drew University. D. Min., and has further doctoral studies at Seattle University. He has served in associate positions (youth minister and C.E. Director) in churches in Texas, California, Oklahoma, and Colorado.

Dr. Ming joined N.C. in 1976 and taught in the areas of Bible, Christian Education, evangelism, Pastoral Ministries and Youth Ministries. His responsibilities as Vice President for Academic Affairs included academic curriculum design, faculty supervision, Assemblies of God Graduate School, evening courses, summer school, and other education programs. He designed the first youth ministries major in an Assemblies of God college. He most recently supervised designing of the Elementary Education and Behavioral Science majors at Northwest College.

Dr. Ming and his wife, Martha, have two daughters, Hannah and Rebekah. Dr. Ming's enthusiastic ways, expert service and hearty laugh will be greatly missed at N.C.

Rev. Marshall Flowers To Become Vice President for Academic Affairs At N.C.



Rev. Marshall Flowers

President D.V. Hurst is pleased to announce that Rev. Marshall Flowers has been appointed Vice President for Academic Affairs. Marshall was raised in Springfield, Missouri, attended Central Assembly, graduated from Evangel College with an emphasis in Biblical Studies, and earned a Master of Divinity degree from Trinity Seminary in Deerfield, Illinois. He is candidate for

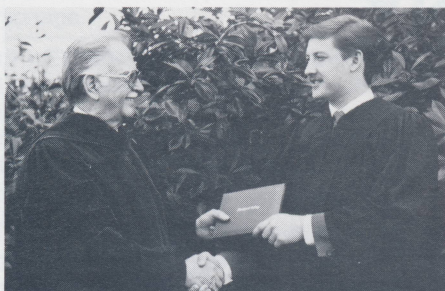
Doctorate in Higher Education at Claremont Graduate School, having commenced his doctoral program in 1983.

After studies at Trinity, he went to North Central Bible College where he served as Dean of Students for five years. From there he went to Southern California College where he again served as Dean of Students for five years. Currently, he is serving as Director for Advancement in Southern California College.

Marshall and his wife Linda have two children, Bret (five and one-half) and Lindsay (two and one-half). Linda's father is Music Department Secretary at Assemblies of God headquarters in Springfield and served for many years as Music Department Coordinator at North Central Bible College in Minneapolis. Linda was raised in that context. Linda, who has a Masters degree in Music and specializes in the flute, has taught in elementary school.

Marshall will join the administrative team at N.C. mid-summer.

YOUTH/C.E. PASTOR BECOMES NORTHWEST COLLEGE GRADUATE #4,000



Richard Tetley, Associate Pastor of Eastridge Christian Assembly in Issaquah,

Washington, was the 4,000th graduate in Northwest College history.

After living in Colorado most of his life, Rich moved to Kirkland at age 16 and graduated from Juanita high school. He recommitted his life to Christ during his freshman year at Western Washington University and came to N.C. as a transfer sophomore. He and his wife Jodi have a two month old son Ryan. Rich is an Associate Pastor in the area of Chris-

tian Education and youth with Pastor John Oletzke at Issaquah.

The number 4,000 has been very significant to Rich this year. During the Fall semester he received an anonymous gift of \$4,000 from someone in his church which cleared his school bill. Rich quit his job and took the position at Eastridge Christian Assembly on a partial salary. He said, "I did this to obey God and He supplied my every need!"

ARNI JACOBSON SPEAKS AT BACCALAUREATE

The Baccalaureate service held on the evening of May 6 at Northwest College featured Rev. Arni Jacobson as its speaker. Rev. Jacobson currently serves as Senior Pastor at People's Church in Salem, Oregon.



Rev. Arni Jacobson

Pastor Jacobson has a great vision for growth, as is evidenced in the churches he has pastored. Before coming to Salem he pastored Salt Lake Christian Center which averaged over 1,000 in attendance each week. This was an increase of 800 in five years. It is a goal of People's Church

to reach 6,000 in attendance within the next five years.

Pastor Jacobson said, "We are marching to the soft, but persistent, drumbeat of Jesus Christ. That rhythm has never ceased." He urged us to follow that drumbeat in the areas of righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience and meekness. Concerning righteousness he shared, "Just as the runner is characterized by speed and the weightlifter by strength, the Christian leader is characterized by righteousness." Concerning patience he shared, "A hero is not necessarily braver, he just stays in the battle longer."

ASSISTANT GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT ADDRESSES CLASS OF '88

The commencement address was brought this year by Rev. Everett Stenhouse the Assistant General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God from Springfield, Missouri. His commencement address entitled "Exodus" talked about "the road out"



Rev. Everett Stenhouse

and "the promise land" of the future. He encouraged graduates by saying, "I urge you...do not stop! Go straight to the land of promise! It will be so easy for you to...slip back quietly into the less demanding life of the wilderness. But you must be warned!...the bones of millions bleach on the sands of the wilderness." He also said, "You leave here today travelling light...you leave here to make history. Handle the opportunity well. You start with every advantage. I urge you to not pick up undesirable baggage along the way... you can yet choose your baggage. Choose well as you make your exodus from Northwest College!"

Faculty and Staff are Honored



Karisma dedicated to Dr. Amos Millard

Students honored Dr. Amos Millard as he concludes his full-time service to the college by dedicating this year's Karisma (the school annual) to him. The Board of Directors honored him by naming him Dean of Admissions and Records Emeritus. Dr. Millard's tenure of service at N.C. spans forty years all of them in the Registrar's Office and as a faculty member.

(Special Tribute next issue.)



Dr. Ray White Honored by Southern California College

S.C.C. surprised Dr. Ray and Ruby White when they attended alumni activities at their alma mater in the spring when it was announced that Dr. White was named "Alumnus of the Year." Dr. White serves at N.C. as coordinator of Elementary Education and does a superb job. Prior to coming to N.C., Dr. White served seven years as Director of Educational Services for the Association of Christian Schools International.



Jim and Faye Wilson Honored

At the All School banquet the students honored Rev. Jim and Faye Wilson with their annual appreciation award. It was a touching scene as the award was presented to staff personnel for the first time. The Wilson's came to N.C. from Montana in 1979. Jim supervises custodial services and is appreciated as among the hardest working on campus keeping facilities "ready" always. Faye runs the Snack Shack and the students love her "cooking".

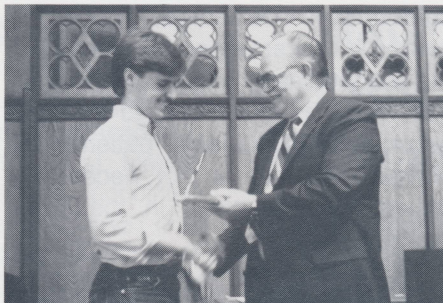
Student Achievements

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

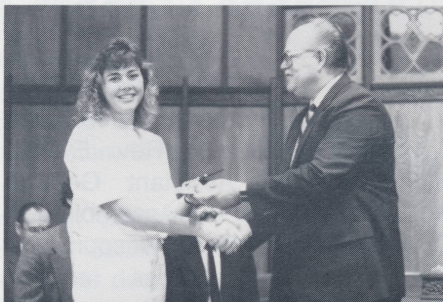


N.C. Girls Basketball Team (L to R) Kari Brodin - Assistant Coach, Debbie Stamper, Becky Capps, Aiyanna Marcus, Rachelle Jorgensen, Shelly Schu, Chris Montgomery and Head Coach Kristi Brodin.

They really did it. Real achievers! Invited to the National Christian College Athletic Association championship tournament in Joplin, Missouri, they played 125 minutes (three games and one five minute overtime period) of *full court press*, without let up. Four Northwest College freshman and two sophomores showed poise, persistence and great Christian character. In the championship game they overturned Moody Bible Institute, the defending champion, by fifteen points. Aiyanna Marcus was M.V.P. for the tournament.



Mike Ness receives the Student Life Award
Male Student



Angie Kavanaugh receives the Student Life Award
Female Student



Dr. Tex Rutledge presents the Student Life Award
Married Student to John Edwards



These students received special recognition for their achievement in academics, athletics, speech, preaching and student life in the end of year awards assembly. **Front Row:** Tami VerSteeg, Steve Hoskins, Jeff Safe, Becky Hodges, Diane Pedersen, Patricia Chacon, Darlene Barker, Toni DelBianco, Elaine Antilla, Amy Matsuda **Second Row:** Angie Kavanaugh, Fred Stevens, Mark Eide, Brent Molskness, Sharon Young, Rebecca Hansen, Julie Haas, Becky Henderson, Kristi Sundberg, Nicole Yoder, Melody Burtenshaw, Sally Barrett **Third Row:** Jay Anderson, Mike Ness, Julie Young, Nancy Harper, Craig Morgan, Brenda Lentz, Martha Ming, Mike Hallberg **Back Row:** Randall Kramer, John Ridge, John Edwards



Toni DelBianco with her husband Bob and granddaughter Lisa

WIFE. MOTHER. GRANDMOTHER. BUSINESS WOMAN. ACTIVE CHURCH MEMBER. STUDENT.

Trying to get all those pieces to fit together was a great challenge for Toni DelBianco upon her return to college. "I didn't think I could do it, and I was ready to quit after the first three weeks." At the end of her first semester, Toni had made straight "A's." Now, at the end of her degree program, she will graduate with high honors and has received the first Pastoral Ministries Departmental award earned by a woman. The pieces came together for Toni at Northwest College.

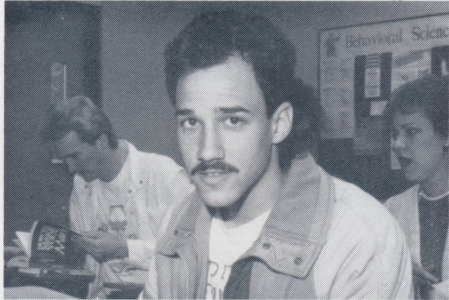
ACCREDITED. THEOLOGICALLY SOUND. CLOSE. PASTORAL MINISTRIES MAJOR.

When Toni began looking for a college to prepare for the ministry God called her to, these were the pieces she needed to have fit together. The pieces came together for Toni at Northwest College.

DIRECTOR OF WOMEN'S MINISTRIES. YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY LEADER. CHAPLAIN. EQUIPPER. PASTOR.

These are the pieces of Toni's life at the present. All of these opportunities for ministry have developed as she has responded to God's call and has prepared for effective service. When asked what she would say to someone wrestling with God's call, she replied without hesitation, "Get a good foundation. The Lord helped me put all the pieces together here. I'd suggest they come to Northwest College!"

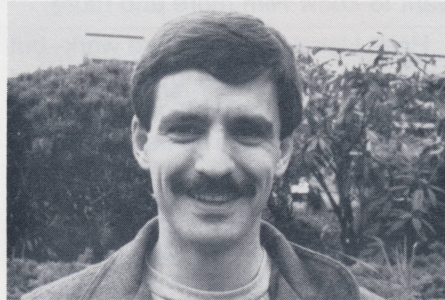
Students in Ministry



Joe Ferrazzi grew up in a non-Christian home near Chicago, Illinois. A young pastor pioneering a church in his hometown began to work out with his high school wrestling team. Through this pastor sharing Christ, Joe came to a saving knowledge of Christ and began to attend the Assembly of God church. He felt the call of God to full-time ministry and decided to attend Northwest College where he will be a junior this fall. Here at Northwest College he wanted to be involved in our Student Ministries program. In his words he tells of that experience.

"I was not quite sure what I was getting into when I first decided to become a part of the prison ministry. I certainly cannot say that I got involved because of the great need I saw in our local prisons. I was totally clue-less of what went on behind bars. I had my preconceived ideas of the guys in stripes busting rocks all day while chained to steel balls. But when I walked into the chapel and we started worshipping God, I saw these once cold, hardened men stretch their hands toward heaven in praise to God.

Since then I have made Monroe prison my church on Wednesday nights. The thing I enjoy the most is just seeing the openness and honesty of these guys. They realize that we're all just sinners saved by grace even though they are living in a place that is a constant reminder of their guilt. Yet through Jesus they find forgiveness, a truth that we can often overlook."



Tim Buckely began to rebel against family and authority when in his early teens. In trying to fill the void he sensed in his life he turned to drugs and then crime to support the habit. This led to arrest and prison. At first Tim thought he would be released quickly but the weeks turned into months. Slowly the hate changed to hurt and he felt an irresistible urge to find God. Tim asked for a priest and went to confession. This didn't change his feelings but he took a Bible and began to read it in his cell.

Slowly the truth of God's Word began to sink in and he prayed for forgiveness and eternal life. A strange peace filled his heart. In his words, "I was free and had a real purpose for being alive!" When the prison sentence was completed and he was released, Tim enrolled at Northwest College feeling God's call to ministry. He told God, "I'll go any place to minister except back to the prisons."

The freshman year at Northwest College was to change all of this. God spoke to Tim about being involved in the student led ministry. In his sophomore year he became the group leader and saw this ministry expand from the Washington State Reformatory at Monroe to the Twin Rivers Correctional Center and the Honor Farm.

During the year weekly services were held with 5 more than 400 men hearing the Gospel through this outreach. A regular discipleship program has an attendance of 50 and another 50 inmates are being reached through a pen pal program.

SUMMER MINISTRY TEAMS - 1988



"Witness" - Sandy Smith, Denelle Downs, Michelle Engen & Sharla Reeves will travel throughout Washington



"ACTS" - Jodi Baerbalck, Jerry Earl, Doug Gentry, Rich Haugo and Kelly Kuest traveling to Colorado, Montana and Eastern Oregon



"New Creation" - Lisa Hathaway, Mike Martin and Angie Bowdre will travel to Wyoming, Idaho, Eastern Washington and Alaska



"Sojourn" - Heidi Heimke, Mark Brown, Angie Mills and Dave Strepka travelling to Oregon and Western Washington

CHOIR NOTES

For years at Northwest College, the arrival of March has meant that the two traveling choirs would be out in ministry during Spring Break. This year was no exception. Northwest Sounds, a select group of fourteen vocalists and instrumentalists directed by Dr. Cal White, traveled east as far as Circle and Miles City, Montana, ministering in ten churches and one Christian school. Dr. Robert Swaffield directs the King's Choralons, a choir of forty which has been known for years for its outstanding music ministry. Choralons traveled through Washington and northern Idaho during Spring Break.



King's Choralons

Listen as some of the choir members tell what tour meant to them this year:

Debbie Lamm (KC) - Those ten days were packed full of wonderful ministry opportunities in churches, homes, and communities. The Lord united us in an incredible way as we worked to present our best efforts to Him. I'm thankful that N.C. provides ministry opportunities like this!

Bruce Murphy (NS) - I always wanted to be involved in ministry like the choir. It's great to see people's lives touched by our music and worship.

David Nitschke (KC) - Tour was one of the most meaningful times I've had at N.C. There was real sense of unity in the group. The prayer that began to burn within my heart was, "I want to know Jesus--deep within my heart I want to know Him more and more."

Heidi Heimke (NS) - Hard work--but extremely rewarding! I love to sing and this was the highlight of my school year. Being willing to be used by God--that was the key.

Brenda Lentz (KC) - Choralons tour was another opportunity to put into practice part of the ministry Northwest is preparing me for. We drew closer and ministered to one another's needs even as we sought God and ministered to congregations.

Mike Gunnarson (NS) - I feel that God moved in some mighty ways on tour, in the lives of the people we met, and in our lives also. It meant a whole lot to me to minister as a part of a team and see God move upon those who needed a touch from Him.



Northwest Sounds

Both choirs travelled in the state of Oregon during the week following Commencement. Pray that God's richest blessing and anointing will continue to rest on N.C.'s traveling music groups!

CHURCH MUSIC MAJOR REVISED FOR FALL '88

In an effort to meet the needs of our students and our constituency, N.C. has "re-tooled" its major in Church Music effective with the '88-'89 academic year. New courses have been added and many others have been revised and/or expanded in their scope. We went back to our music grads to get their opinions, and we also took into account the input we've gotten from pastors from time to time. A panel made up of the music faculty plus four other faculty members (two each from the Division of General and Ministerial Studies) worked long and hard on this project, and we're excited with the results!

In the new major students will have more choice of electives, both within the music area, and in non-music courses as well. However, each student will be required to take at least one course related to another field of ministry, such as Youth Ministries, Counseling, Christian Education or Pastoral Ministries.

New music courses include Aural Theory, Service Accompanying, Church Music Education, Special Topics in Music Ministry, and Piano Proficiency. Revised and expanded courses include Music and Worship, Conducting and Worship Leading, Advanced Conducting, Philosophy of Church Music, and Senior Recital.

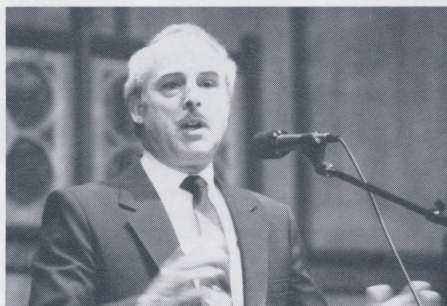


The class of 1988 is the tenth largest graduating class in Northwest College's history with 132 students completing their programs.

They come to us from many states of the union as well as foreign students from American Samoa, Canada, Finland, New Zealand, Sri Lanka and Sweden. A significant percent of graduates this year came from the state of Alaska, with one out of every thirteen being from our nation's largest state.

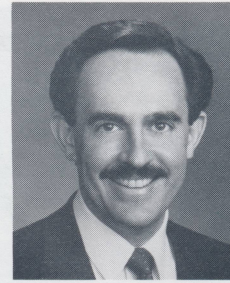


Dr. Amos Millard receives Delta Tau award after 40 years of service as Registrar and Faculty member



Rev. Duane Stewart has done a tremendous job as our Missionary In Residence the last two years. He and Sylvia will return to Malawi this summer

Alumni & Friends



Dr. Randy Barton
Vice President
for Development

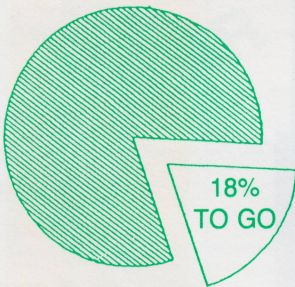
PROJECT S.H.A.R.E. NEARS 1987-88 GOAL

Project S.H.A.R.E., which stands for Student Helps and Residence Expansion, has almost reached its 1987-88 goal.

As of April 1, we have received in cash gifts and pledges a total of \$121,668, but we are running out of time to reach our goal.

**PROJECT S.H.A.R.E.
1987-88 GOAL
\$150,000**

\$121,668
Received



We need to reach \$150,000 by May 31, 1988. What can you do today to help fulfill our Project S.H.A.R.E. goal?

Our two-year goal is \$300,000. This level of support will allow us to begin construction on desperately needed 2-bedroom housing for your married families and provide financial resources for needy students.



Randy Barton and a young married family look at the site where construction is to begin.

ALUMNI HONORED AT COMMENCEMENT



Six alumni were awarded honorary membership into the Delta Epsilon Chi Honor Society. L to R George Johnson, David Cawston, Al Baunsgard, Joann Baunsgard, Phil Wayman and Rick Enloe (award received by Dennis Leggett)

OVER \$500,000 PLACED IN TRUSTS WITH PLANNED GIVING

The 1987-88 fiscal year has been a banner year for planned giving efforts by the Northwest College Development Office. Over \$500,000 was placed in trusts for Northwest College. We praise God for these planned giving commitments by friends of the College.

Trusts assist an individual by helping to avoid probate and providing for asset management...yet, allow an individual to maintain the income and control until death or disability. Protect your assets and your future with proper planning.

The Development Office is available to help you plan your estate with a probate saving trust. Call Randall K. Barton, Vice-President for Development, for an appointment, (206) 822-8266.

NORTHWEST COLLEGE ALUMNI & FRIENDS BANQUET FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 30, 1988

An Evening at the



Seattle, Washington

Mark your calendar now for this outstanding event!

One of the most historical and elegant hotels on the west coast will be our host for this special evening.

Class reunions will meet at the Four Seasons for:

- 1938 50 Years Bessie McMullen
Committee Chairperson
- 1948 40 Years Amos Millard
Committee Chairperson
- 1958 30 Years Dale Montgomery
Committee Chairperson
- 1963 25 Years Dennis Finch
Committee Chairperson
- 1968 20 Years Dave Cawston
Committee Chairperson
- 1978 10 Years Dennis Leggett &
Rick Enloe
Committee Chairpersons
- 1983 5 Years Rob Carlson
Committee Chairperson

Class Reunion Activities will be planned for the weekend of September 30 and October 1. Watch for additional details.



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beautiful young girl, a child, Kathy developed a brain tumor that led to her losing an eye and she was not expected to live. But the Lord healed her, giving her a message of hope and encouragement for others.

DARRYL ('86) AND DEBBIE ('88) JOHNSON accepted the pastorate of the Chapel of the Pines at Inchelium, Washington. Darryl was the former Recruitment Secretary at N.C.

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Family News

by Bessie Guy McMullen

ALUMNI NEWS

THE 1940'S

RUSSELL EMERSON ('49) For many years a missionary to the Far East, passed on to His eternal reward on March 11th, '88. He leaves to mourn, his wife and two children, Steve and Judy.

JONATHAN ('47) AND GWEN (Hodges) GLOVER have served as missionaries in Africa since 1962. Jonathan teaches at the East Africa School of Theology in Kenya.

THE 1950'S

LYLE ('55) AND DORENE THOMSON wrote from Belgium where they are training ministers overseas through ICI. They are doing followup work with those who were saved at the Euro Fire, '87 Conference.

THE 1960'S

DR. J.V. ROZELL, ('60) (former faculty), **AND WIFE ADEL** resigned from Bellevue Neighborhood Church to answer God's call to foreign missions service in the Far East.

BILL RANDOLPH ('61) AND WIFE JACQUELYN (Vaughn) RANDOLPH ('62) have made three trips to Fiji and Vanuatu in the last year doing Pastor's Seminars and helping rebuild after a hurricane damaged our Bible School there.

JERRY BOWERS ('69), pastor at Pe Ell, will soon have a completely remodeled parsonage.

JIM BELLMORE (former faculty) pastors Angle Lake Neighborhood Church and recently sent 16 workers to Ocean Park Peninsula Assembly, pastored by **RON ALMBERG ('60)**. They cleaned and waxed the mobile chapel and painted the parsonage.

RON KEYSER ('61) AND WIFE SHIRLEY ('61) are ministering in Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa. They are assisting Missionaries **BILL ('67) AND SHARON ('67) JOHNSTON** in the Bible School.

BUD HEINZIG ('68) AND WIFE PAT ('68) with children, Paul and Michelle, are in another phase of missionary preparation...learning the French language in preparation to reach Zairians for Christ. Their location for French study is Jonquiere, Quebec, Canada.

THE 1970'S

PAUL ('75) AND JOYCE ('73) (Brandt) **WILLIAMS** are pastoring at Cashmere, Washington Christ Center Church. Paul and Joyce have three children, ages 5, 8, and 11.

PAUL HAMAR ('71) AND WIFE MARGARET ('71) live in Kennewick, Washington, where Paul is senior pastor of Harvest Heights Assembly of God. Since graduation from N.C. Paul has received the M.A. degree and D/Min. from California Graduate School of Theology. Writing is another important part of Paul's life and ministry.

JERRY MADDICKS ('74) AND WIFE LOIS ('74) along with their three children were instantly killed in an auto collision last September, near Clarkston, Washington. The van exploded on impact when a head-on collision occurred with all occupants meeting instant death. The funeral was held at the Assembly of God church, Toppenish, Washington, where Jerry's parents, the Wesley Maddickses, pastor. Jerry and Lois Maddicks were nationally appointed Home Missions workers, itinerating for teaching ministries at Central Indian Bible College, Mobridge, South Dakota. Their three children were: Timothy Daniel (11), Rachel Ruth (9), and Alicia Mae (8). Lois Maddicks' parents are: the George Lindemulders, Columbus, Montana.

1980'S

RICK ('81) AND LAUREL ('80) (Devin) **ELLIS** have been reclassified from Missionaries-in-Training to general appointed status and will be transferring to the field of Ecuador from Chile, where there are 35 cities with populations between 25,000 and 100,000 with no evangelical church whatsoever. Rick and Laurel have a son, named Devin, nearly two years old.

MATT CHAMBERS ('85) is the pastor at South Whidbey in Clinton. He follows **PASTOR JON SKIFFINGTON ('71)** who is pastoring in La Conner, Washington.

RANDY GROSS ('81) is presently on staff at Spanaway Assembly of God as Minister of Music. Randy and Linda welcomed a son, Justin James on November 3, 1987. Justin joins brothers Joel, 3½ and Jordan, 2.

KATHY RICE ('80) travels much in ministry and is an exciting vocal artist with a

BRUCE MARTIN ('85) AND WIFE CHARLOTTE, pastors in Concrete, Washington, welcomed a son, Nathaniel Allen, on August 21, 1987, weighing 8 lbs. 2 oz. Congratulations!

MARGARET PASHLEY ('87) has been approved from Australia for missionary service in the Philippines.

MIKE ('81) AND SHARYL ('81) LANGFORD, plus daughters Sarah (7) and Sharla (4) have been approved for missionary service to the Far East.