

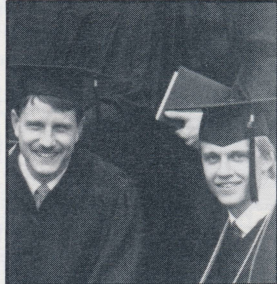
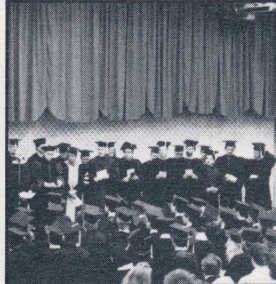
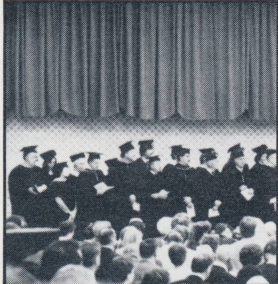
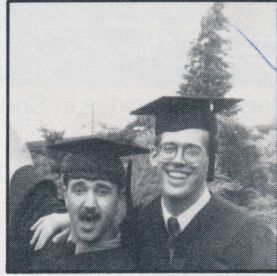
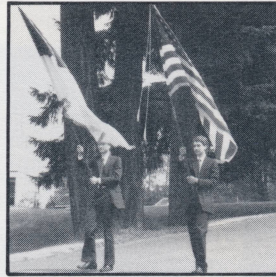
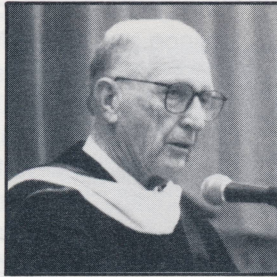
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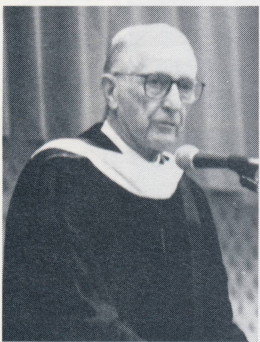


# 1989 Baccalaureate and Commencement

The academic year came to a close on May 5th and 6th with the activities of the fifty-third commencement at Northwest College. With 115 graduates, the total graduated from the College now stands at 4,119. This year's graduates represented 16 states, and 8 graduates were international students, having come to Northwest College from the following countries: Canada, Greece, Japan, Taiwan, West Germany, and Zambia.

The Baccalaureate Service, held on Friday evening, featured student speaker, Andreas Timm, from West Germany; a communion service for the graduates; and guest speaker, Rev. Paul Goodman, Superintendent of the Montana District. Timm challenged his classmates to fulfill God's purpose for their lives by serving their generation as leaders of God's people, and as witnesses to the lost (see accompanying article). "As leaders...we need to be concerned that all men would worship God and that his presence would pervade our lives," Timm said. Goodman encouraged the students to give God their best, because the world expects it, God's word requires it, love demands it, and God deserves it. Goodman asserted that, "I believe we have evidence here that there are those who are giving their best to God."

On Saturday afternoon hundreds of relatives, friends, and students joined with the graduates in the Northwest Pavilion for the Commencement ceremonies. It was an impressive sight with the Board of Directors, Administration, and Faculty all seated together on the new, expanded stage. Highlights of the ceremonies included music from the combined traveling choirs, Northwest Sounds and King's Choralons, the presentation of special awards and honors, the commencement address by Dr. J. Robert Ashcroft, and, of course, the conferral of degrees. Dr. Ashcroft is President Emeritus of Berean College and resides in Springfield, Missouri.



The Commencement address was delivered by Dr. J. Robert Ashcroft from Springfield, Missouri.

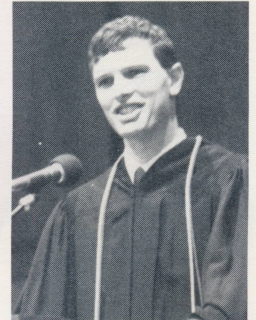
During the ceremonies numerous other awards and honors were given to graduates, alumni, former board members, and to one former administrator (see pages 3 and 6).

In his commencement address, Ashcroft admonished this year's graduates to allow the spark which has been ignited in their lives at NC to grow into a flame which will "get a great fire going." He stated, "When we know Jesus Christ, there is an illumination and discrimination between right and wrong, ugly and beautiful, and better and best." We are thankful for this year's graduates, and we pray God's best for them as they live out the call of God on their lives in the future and share in the Decade of Harvest just ahead.

# Student Speaker Shines

"Witness...witness...witness," said student baccalaureate speaker, Andreas Timm as he represented and greatly typified his fellow graduates. He, like they, had been called and led. He, like they, had responded to the growth opportunity at Northwest College.

Andreas was born to West German A/G missionaries in India. He was brought up there until age 16, attending boarding school with his three sisters. Andreas committed his life to Christ many times as a young child but, "I really began to live life as an overcomer after the age of 12," he says.



Student Speaker, Andreas Timm, told the Baccalaureate congregation that "As leaders...we need to be concerned that all men would worship God and that His presence would pervade our lives."

"At age 16 I was baptized in water in the swimming pool of the school! I had the choice of being baptized at home or at school and chose school because I wanted to witness to my school mates," he says, and continues, "It was a great experience!"

As Andreas began to consider full time ministry, he decided to attend an English-speaking Bible college and chose Northwest College on the recommendation of alumnus missionary, Ron Tuttle.

Andreas came to Northwest College three years ago and found everyone so friendly. When asked about his classes he replied, "The teaching is balanced...thorough and excellent. The professors have made me think. It has not just been spoon feeding but thinking...coming to my own conclusions. This is basically what has formed me." Andreas majored in Biblical Literature and minored in Pastoral Ministries.

**"The professors have made me think...It has not just been spoon feeding...This has formed me."**

Andreas left May 26 to return to Germany. He is looking forward to youth ministry and foreign missions with the German A/G MAPS program they're just starting. He is interested in teaching in Germany or overseas.

Andreas opened his remarks to his classmates saying, "Three years ago I flew in from Germany to study at Northwest College and the first day here I wanted to fly back home. Today, three years later, I don't want to leave. I'm going to miss this college...these have been some of the most formative years of our lives." Earlier Andreas had concluded his interview saying, "I'll send as many Germans back to NC as I can...as long as they don't stay in America." He had come to Northwest College with a sense of call and mission; he left with that same sense of mission...and prepared.



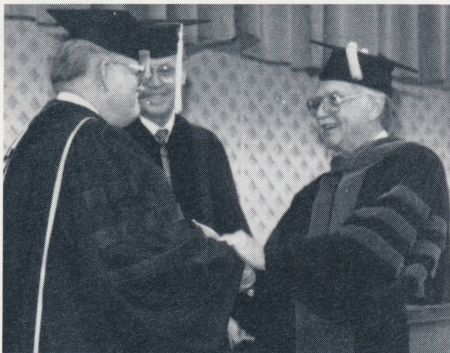
# From the President

## 1989 Commencement... A Time to Honor and Remember.

During this year's commencement over 35% of the graduates received academic honors. Many also were honored for leadership, for distinct contributions to their school and class and for many other reasons.

Many others were honored, too. Not only the graduates are on "exhibit" at commencement but the college, itself, and all who have made it what it is are, in effect, on "display," as well. Board members, former administrators and alumni were placed in "evidence" as examples of commitment and excellent service.

Former Dean Waymon "Tex" Rutledge received the faculty Delta Tau award, the faculty Order of Honor. "Tex" had served the college for over eleven years as Dean of Students. Joining him as a fellow recipient of the Delta Tau award at the vote of the faculty was Rev. Erwin Rohde, former Montana District Superintendent, who served on the college Board of Directors 18 years. He was the "candy man" for the Board, always bringing snacks to its meeting.



President Hurst presents the Delta Tau award to Rev. "Tex" Rutledge and Rev. Erwin Rohde.

Also honored at the commencement was former Superintendent Frank McAllister for his long and distinguished ministry. Upon the vote of the Board of Directors he received the honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity. In the citation read, he was commended for his long pastoral career serving churches in Alaska, Idaho and Washington; for district leadership first as Assistant and then District Superintendent; for his service to the college as Board member and Chairman; and for his service to our church nationally shown in so many ways. The citation identified his "sterling Christian spirit," a fact to which all who know him will attest.

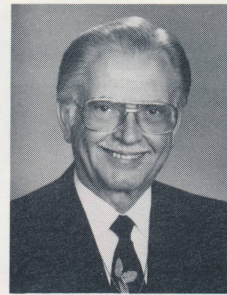


Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Marshall Flowers, adjusts the doctoral hood on Dr. Frank McAllister.

Honored in the Board of Directors luncheon were former members Jack Kuykendall of Eugene, Oregon who first joined it in 1975 and Rev. Lorin



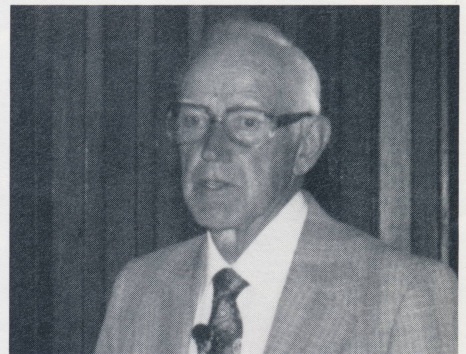
Rev. Lorin Short and Mr. Jack Kuykendall are given the President's award at a Board luncheon.



Dr. D.V. Hurst  
President

Short, who served eight years while serving as Superintendent of the Southern Idaho District. They were both honored as recipients of the President's Award.

Another very special feature this year during commencement was the Board of Directors "Reminiscence Lunch." Dr. R. J. Carlson, former Northwest District Superintendent, recounted the struggles and joys of locating the new campus for Northwest College in the late 1950's. He spoke with clarity and candor in reviewing the issues, the tests of faith, the mistakes and the "right decisions." Throughout



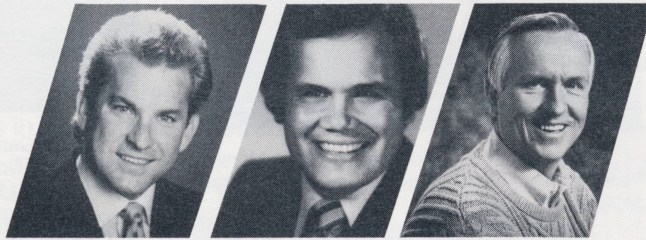
Dr. R. J. Carlson reminisces about the early days of Northwest College.

his address the providence of almighty God in bringing Northwest College to its present site and leading it to its current distinctions as an Assemblies of God higher education institution shined like a "gem." The insights and behind the scenes incidents which Brother Carlson shared were "eye openers" to some and a cause for careful thought by all. Praise to God rose spontaneously in heartfelt thanksgiving as he concluded his message. "New" Board members expressed appreciation for being so carefully informed and joined in praise to God for keeping Northwest College "on track" in fulfillment of mission.



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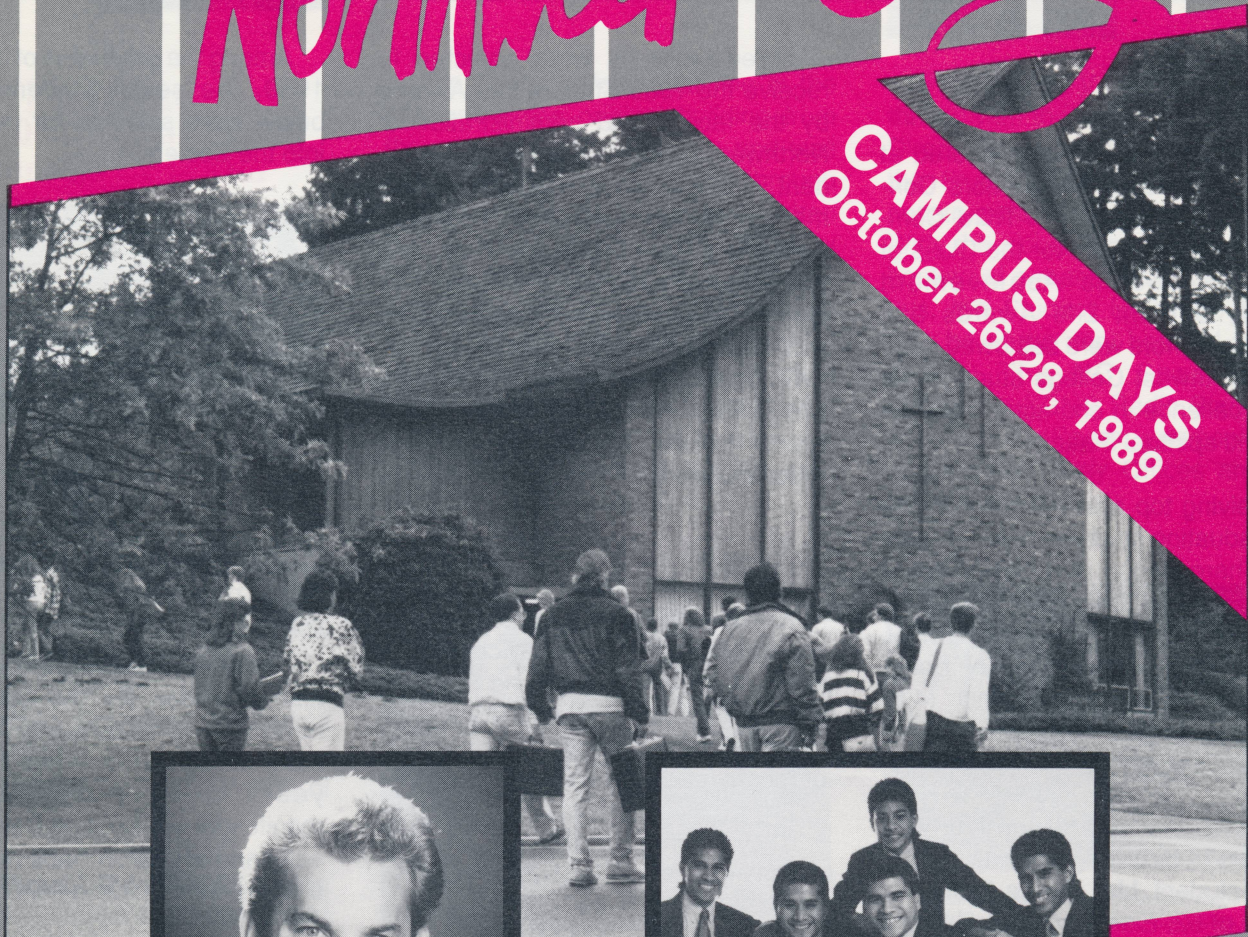
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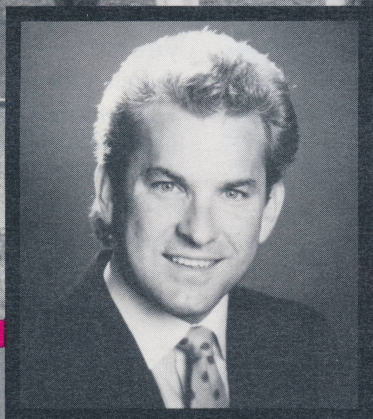


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# Academics

## Students are Honored at Year-End Activities

Seventy students were honored at the annual Awards and Honors Convocation and at the Fifth-Third Commencement exercises for the Class of 1989. Academic Achievement Awards, Student Life Awards and Graduate Honors were bestowed upon these Northwest College students for their excellence in character, scholarship, and spiritual maturity.

Receiving top academic honors for non-graduating students were: Freshmen--Sharon Foss (4.0 GPA), Joelle Piper (4.0 GPA), and Dawn Tienhaara (4.0 GPA); Sophomore--Norm Rempel, (3.984 GPA); Juniors--Rachel Peterson (4.0 GPA) and John Smith (4.0 GPA); and Senior--Rebecca Henderson (3.977 GPA).

The top graduate for the four-year Bachelor of Arts degree was a very special student, Mrs. Elaine Antilla. At the age of 52, Elaine graduated with a cumulative grade point average of 3.976. With a major in Biblical Literature, she has chosen to continue her studies toward the Master of Arts degree at the Assemblies of God theological Seminary.



Mrs. Elaine Antilla, while speaking to her classmates as a Senior Speaker, was quoted as saying, "Now this is just Mom talking to you."

Three students were selected to receive the 1989 Student Life Awards by the faculty and administration of Northwest College. A single male student, a single female student, and a married student were chosen for their exemplary service, leadership, and character as Northwest College students. The outstanding female student was Darlene Barker. The male student selected to receive the Student Life Award was Russ Tuttle. This year's married student honoree was Bruce Rosdahl.

## N.C. Students Selected for Who's Who

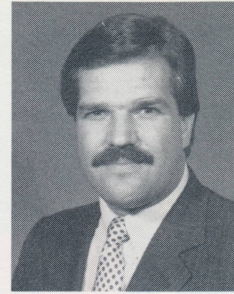
It is our pleasure to announce that twenty students have been chosen for listing in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges this year. Among them are a number of recent graduates.

They were selected on the basis of citizenship, leadership, scholarship, and promise of future usefulness. The 1989 Who's Who honorees is the following students:

Jay Anderson	Nathan Lashway
Elaine Antilla	Anne Leggett
Esther Batterman	Linda MacDonald
Vivian Burnett	Bruce Rosdahl
Brenda Chittim	Tammy Swant
Lorissa Chittim	Andreas Timm
Kandi Cotton	Russell Tuttle
Lyndon Glassgow	James Whitman
Heather Guerra	Paul York

## Delta Epsilon Chi Receives New Members

The Delta Epsilon Chi is an honor society among member schools of the American Association of Bible Colleges. Delta Epsilon Chi are Greek letters from the words meaning "approved in Christ." Persons chosen for membership are selected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, Christian character, and leadership.



Rev. Marshall Flowers  
Vice-President  
for Academic Affairs

Among the graduates of the Class of 1989, the seven students pictured below were selected for membership into the Society.



Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Marshall Flowers, looks on as President D.V. Hurst recognizes the seven new members of the Delta Epsilon Chi honor society. They are (left to right): Elaine Antilla, Esther Battermann, Anne Leggett, Tammy Swant, Andreas Timm, Russ Tuttle and James Whitman.

The Delta Epsilon Chi Honor Society also provides for the conferring of honorary memberships to alumni who have graduated from the college ten years or more ago, who have manifested outstanding Christian character and who have made recognizable achievement in some field of ministry.

Those honored during the 1989 Commencement ceremony were:

Mrs. Katharyn Stone Nicodemus, retired Missionary to Latin America, Class of 1939.

Rev. Carl Callihan, retired Assemblies of God College-Administrator, Class of 1949.

Dr. Amos Millard, Faculty Emeritus of Northwest College, Class of 1949.

Rev. Ed Brothers, pastor of the American Indian Congregation of Seattle, Washington, Class of 1959.

Ms. Cheryl Duerksen, Assistant Professor of Psychology, Southern California College, Costa Mesa, California, Class of 1979.



# Development

## For The Students \$150,000 Campaign Will Refurbish SUB And Athletic Field

At the May meeting the College Board of Directors announced the 1989-90 fund raising campaign for \$150,000. Gifts and contributions will renovate the Student Union Building and construct a multi-purpose athletic field for intramurals, soccer practice, softball and baseball.

It was announced that the \$150,000 campaign will begin on June 1, 1989, and that construction of the projects would begin immediately.

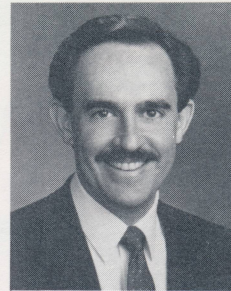
The College Bookstore located in the SUB will also get a "face-lift" this summer to better serve the needs of students.

Renovation of the Student Union Building is scheduled to be completed by the time students return to attend classes this fall. The athletic field will be completed and available for student use the following season.

The Student Union Building is the only remaining original building from the navy war housing days, and was previously renovated in 1960 through contributions from NC students when the campus moved from Calvary Temple in Seattle to Kirkland. The new construction will include a complete exterior renovation, placement of energy-efficient windows, development of a campus clock tower, construction of a plaza and porch entrance way, improvement of handicap access, and bookstore improvements.



Construction is well underway on the Student Union Building exterior renovation.



Dr. Randy Barton  
Vice-President  
for Development

President D. V. Hurst stated, "I am thrilled with the action of the Board of Directors in approving the renovation of the Student Union Building and the construction of the new athletic field. With the completion of the beautiful boulevard entrance way into the campus, the Student Union Building will now be at the very heart of the campus." The NC Snack Shack, Bookstore, KCNC Radio Station, Student Activity Room, yearbook office, and Student Body Offices are all located in the SUB.



Administrators Steve Emerson, Bob Foster, Dick Garrison, D.V. Hurst, Cal White, Marshall Flowers and Randy Barton help the Board break ground for the new entrance to the campus. It will be ready by this fall.

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Assembly of God in Jackson, Wyoming since May 1985. Dean is also District Men's Director and District Royal Ranger Commander. He works as the Teton County Deputy Coroner. They have two children: Andrew Dale (A.J.), born in 1986, and Angela Kate, born in 1988.

# Family News

by Bessie Guy McMullen  
**Alumni News**

## THE 1940'S

**LYDIA (Rich) RAMOS ('42)**, wife of Rev. Al Ramos, currently resides in O'Neill, Nebraska, and for many years they have been actively involved in full-time ministry. However, for the past year and a half, Lydia has been in and out of the hospital six times suffering from blood clots and also for back surgery. Any of the 1940 decade alumni may write Lydia at 218 West Fremont, O'Neill, Nebraska, 68763.

## THE 1960'S

**BYRON DITTY ('67)**, having completed his Master's of Counseling at S.P.U., is director of Plateau Professional Counseling, an extension ministry of Wabash Presbyterian Church, Auburn, WA. He is also acting director of the Chaplaincy Program at King County Detention Center. He and his wife, Verna (Ihrke), live in Enumclaw and have two grown children, Deanna and Mark.

## THE 1970'S

**RICK & CHERIE (Miller) RUCKTY ('70)** reside in Marysville, WA. They have two children, Katrina (16), an exchange student in Australia, and Darryn (12). Rick has his own remodeling business.

**SUE BEAMAN ('73)** is currently in language school learning Arabic and has tentative plans for departure in mid-June for North Africa to reach the Muslims in that country.

**BRUCE MORRIS ('77)** was married to **DONITA KIRSCHMAN ('89)** on May 6, 1989 at Calvary Temple. Donita is the daughter of Rev. & Mrs. Elmer Kirschman. Bruce is the pastor of Coulee City Assembly of God.

## THE 1980'S

**JONATHAN BUTCHER ('80)** was married on February 3, 1989 to Judith Ann Rice of Greenfield, Wisconsin. She attended C.B.C.

and graduated in 1983. Jonathan is Youth and Associate Pastor at West Layton Assembly of God, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

**ALITA (Hines) TUPOU ('80)** and husband Pila announce arrival of their firstborn child, Albert Latu, on September 17, 1988. The Tupous live in Kaneohe, Hawaii and attend Kailua Assembly of God. They met in Waikiki, Hawaii when Alita was on a MAPS assignment and were married in Fairbanks, Alaska in April, 1985.

**BERNIE & CAROLE SILVA ('81)** reside in Silverdale, WA where Bernie serves as Associate Pastor of Olympic View Assembly of God. The Silvas have two children, Russel (6 1/2) and Robyn (2 1/2).

**DR. JOHN CHOY ('81)** sent word that he is on Sabbatical Leave at present, taking a temporary rest from his duties as President of Ecclesia Bible College in Hong Kong.

**RICH ('82) & LISA ('81) (Palombo) SMITH,** formerly on staff at First Assembly of God in Marysville, WA, are now on staff with Discipleship Dynamics, based at Shoreline Community Church in Seattle. They are traveling doing evangelism and music ministry, and Rich is still playing the saxophone.

**ISAKU NAKAZAWA ('82)** pastors a church in Hanno-shi, Japan. He is taking M.A. studies from California Graduate School of theology, Tokyo Extension, with one year remaining in that program. This summer he will be interning in a Christian hospital in Taiwan as a part of his M.A. program. He was recently married to Michiko, who is a graduate of Covenant College in Tennessee. The wedding was April 1, 1989 (no foolin'!)

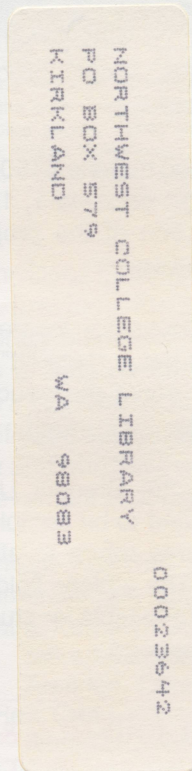
**JOY BREWER ('84)** was married December 30, 1988 to Scott Jensen, a graduate of North Central Bible College. The wedding was at Cedar Park Assembly of God in Bothell, WA. The couple reside presently in St. Louis Park, Minnesota. Scott has plans to attend Seminary. Joy is the daughter of **ROY ('62) & ARLENE ('62) BREWER.**

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**PAUL NELSON ('84)** was married to Gladys Wamba on June 18, 1988. They reside in Des Moines, WA, and are active in the Assembly of God church there which is pastored by the Eldred Nelsons, Paul's parents. Paul has been continuing studies at S.P.U. and works for United Parcel Service.

**DAVE ('83) & COLLEEN (Rozell) ('84) LANDIS** proudly announce the birth of their firstborn son, Joshua David, on March 8, 1989 at Bellevue, WA.