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Dr. E. Arthur (Woody) Self, the new Dean of the School of Business, and Dr. Don Argue, President of Northwest College.

The Miracles of 6710 A NEW BUILDING - A NEW MBA - A NEW DEAN

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By Don Argue, Ed.D

PRESIDENT

This past fall, the fall of 2002, we had a problem. Growth at the college was so strong, we had run out of room. There wasn't an empty classroom or office anywhere on campus.

The "space crunch" was particularly acute in what we called our LEAP program - Leadership Education for Adult Professionals.

This is the program that makes it possible for working adult professionals to earn a B.A. Degree by attending classes on evenings and weekends.

In addition, our first graduate program - the Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology – was attracting new students.

And there were new degrees in the works, both B.A. and M.A.

The First "Surprise of Jesus"

You may know that I like to

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CIRCULATION

DEBORAH SLATTERY Director, Advancement Information Systems talk about the Surprises of Jesus. Well, there was a big one right down the street!

Just a few blocks north of our campus, right on 108th Ave. NE, there is a Starbucks, which is visited regularly by our students, faculty and staff.

Across from this Starbucks is a new office building, erected at the height of the dot.com bubble.

But that bubble has burst, and there was a sign outside this building announcing that office space was available for rent.

One day our Vice President for Advancement, Dan Neary, saw the sign, and got an idea: "Maybe we could rent some space in this building as a short-term solution to our space crunch, until we construct our new Academic Center."

He called the leasing agent.

We thought that some space would be available. It turns out that all the space was available.

The major tenant, Captura, an international software firm, had been acquired by a competitor, Concur Technologies, which consolidated operations and vacated the space in Kirkland.

As a result, the owner of the

building couldn't make the mortgage payments, and the building had gone back to the bank.

The Lord seemed to give us a shot of faith, and we started to ask ourselves, "Rather than rent some space, should we try to purchase the entire building?"

It seemed outrageous at first. But it quickly began to make sense.

The building was priced significantly below what it cost to construct in 2000, and was of top quality. It was clearly a short-term solution to our need for space, and it also seemed to be an excellent longer-term investment.

We consulted our board, and they said, "Go for it!"

So members of our team rolled up their sleeves and got to work.

Lots of people deserve credit, including Dan Neary, who I've mentioned, Dan Schimelpfenig, our VP for Administrative Services, and Steve Sankey, our Director for Campus Planning and Construction.

We received vital input from George Reece, a real estate developer who is on our board. We can't thank him enough for his professional guidance.

We gave the bank a "lowball" offer - and they accepted it!

In December of 2002, the former Lakeview Office Building, 6710 108th Ave.

NE, became the Center for **Graduate and Professional** Programs at Northwest College!

It is 35,000 square feet of premium office space on 1.5 acres, less than half a mile from our main campus.

The first floor contains offices for recruiting coordinators for the LEAP and graduate programs.

The second floor contains offices and classrooms for LEAP and our graduate programs.

And the third floor contains administrative offices and conference facilities.

In the physical sense, we were root-bound. This building has relieved the pressure on our main campus, and it will provide room for expansion of our fastest growing programs!



ARGUE



NEARY



HERKELRATH

The Second "Surprise of Jesus"

On Feb. 28 we received a letter from the Commission on Colleges and Universities indicating that a Master of Business Administration Degree (MBA) is now included under our current accreditation status.

Perhaps this really shouldn't be categorized as a surprise, since we had already received accreditation for our Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology.

But the timing was a pleasant surprise.

This new degree is designed to prepare students for effective leadership in the 21st century. Students will be equipped with the technical and managerial skills to perform with competence. Students also will be chal-



OUTSIDE - 6710 108th Avenue NE in Kirkland

The former Lakeview Office Building is now the Center for Graduate and Professional Programs at Northwest College.



INSIDE - 6710 108th Avenue NE in Kirkland

Administrative and faculty offices are already in use, and classes are beginning to meet at 6710, including this M.A. class with Dr. Bill Herkelrath.



NEW APARTMENTS - Nearing Completion

Four new apartment buildings, containing a total of 32 apartments, are nearing completion. They are just east of the existing "Firs" Apartments.

A NEW DEAN... AND THE RETURN OF TWO OLD FRIENDS!





SELF

LOCKHART

lenged to think and grow as people of character and vision, so they'll be able to lead with compassion, courage, and integrity.

Classes for our new MBA will begin this fall.

By the way, our Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology is going well, under the leadership of **Dr. Bill Herkelrath**. At commencement activities in May, the first graduates of this program will receive the first-ever M.A. degrees from Northwest College.

The Third "Surprise of Jesus"

With the go-ahead on our new MBA, and with the resignation of Dr. Dan Anglin as the Dean of our adult degree-completion program, we needed a strong leader to come on board at 6710.

It turns out that this new Dean is an old friend of the college:

Dr. E. Arthur "Woody" Self.

Dr. Self has 27 years of experience in higher education and in business. He has held positions in community colleges and doctoral degree-granting institutions, and he has been the president of two institutions of higher learning: Malone College in Canton, Ohio, and Seattle Pacific University in Seattle, Wash.

The Governor of Washington



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During the 2000

presidential elec-

tion. Dr. Self was

a member of the

High Technology

Self to serve

Commission

He recently served as Professor of Business Management and Interim Dean for the Center for Adult Leadership Studies at Northwest College.

He and his wife Carol have two adult sons, Eric and Adam, who is married to our Director for Alumni and Public Relations, Tiffany Self.

Welcome back, Woody!

Another Old Friend Returns

We also are welcoming the return of **Jeff Lockhart**, as the Director of our Capital Campaign.

Jeff graduated from Northwest College in 1989, and served as a Youth Pastor at First Assembly of God in Centralia, Westminster Assembly in Seattle, and Valley Life Center in Dallas, Ore. He then served as Senior High Pastor at Life Center in Tacoma, Wash.

From 1996 to 1999 he served as Director of College Relations at Northwest College.

For the past few years, Jeff has managed a local branch office for a leading national brokerage firm.

His background in ministry and financial matters gives him the expertise and experience in this vital area. Welcome back, Jeff!

Opportunities = Hard Work

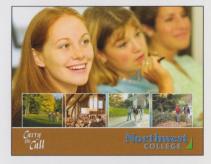
With the clear blessings of God evidenced in the new building at 6710 and in our growing number of academic programs, there is plenty of new work at hand.

There are fund-raising needs, which Jeff Lockhart will help address, working with Dan Neary and Joni Welk Campbell, our Director for Development.

The pressure is also on over on the recruiting side.

Our Associate Vice President for Enrollment Services, **Myles Corrigan**, heads up an expanded team of recruiters for traditional students, as well as for our adult programs and our two graduate programs.

Keep these people in your prayers – they have a big job!



We Rely on Your Referrals

Alumni and friends of Northwest College play a definite role in helping potential students find out if this is the place where God wants them to prepare.

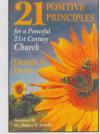
If you'd like a copy of our latest View Book, to help in your efforts to represent your college, we'd be glad to send one (or two or three) to you. Just call 800.669.3781.

Former Northwest President Publishes Book on the Church

Dennis A. Davis, a graduate of Northwest and its third president,

recently wrote a book entitled 21 Positive Principles for a Powerful 21st Century Church.

Every pastor should read this book—it's full of practical help!



It is available on the internet through *Amazon.com* and at *Barnes & Noble.*

Remember:

To find out more about Northwest College visit us online at

www.nwcollege.edu

The alumni behind the name on the Enrollment Center





Norma Greeley-Reece Nicole Russell Lorna Greeley Jeanell Reece-Russell

The opportunity to name the Enrollment Center was claimed by George Reece, who made a donation in honor of the 50th birthday of his wife, Norma Greeley-Reece. Northwest College is a tradition for Norma, who is a graduate. Her mother, Lorna Greeley, attended (as did her aunt). Her daughter, Jeanell Reece-Russell is currently attending, and her granddaughter, Nicole Russell, is in line for the class of 2020!

FACULTY FOCUS: BILL & JACQUI



When Bill Randolph came to Northwest, he fell in love. Twice.

He fell in love with the college, and then he fell in love with a student. And the second was more intentional than the first.

Because he didn't intend to come to Northwest College at all.

"My mom loaded me up with a friend who was coming to Northwest. They didn't even know I was coming," recalls Bill.

"This was the last year that the college was located at the old Hollywood Temple (since renamed Calvary Temple), and they had no men's residence halls. There was a lot of running around trying to find a place for me to live."

But he quickly fell in love with Northwest College.

"I was just a country boy with no real idea about college," he says. "I actually feel like I learned what it means to be a Christian by observing those around me."

Bill wanted to become a music evangelist. He sang and travelled with the concert choir, and he also joined a quartet.

The brother of a member of the quartet was dating a student

who had a younger sister... (you can see where this is heading).

"I knew of the family," states Bill. "And I heard the sister was coming to Northwest College. I planned for months – I wanted to be the first one to ask her out."

But in the meantime, there was work to be done.

Bill was a student when the miracles occurred that made it possible to acquire the college's current campus in Kirkland.

But his memories are of more than miracles – his memories are of hard, painful labor.

"During my freshman year, we had Student Work Days on the site of the new campus," Bill says. "For some of us, that consisted of clearing blackberry briars."

The summer was better.

"I sang first tenor in a quartet that spent 12 weeks in Hawaii," states Bill.

"When I came back to Northwest College in the fall, I felt I had a little fame – or notoriety – and I hoped that would put me in good standing when I met that younger sister."



Lipstick on wedding portrait was added by hand colorist.



Let him eat cake – the classic photo at their wedding on June 29, 1962.



With daughter Teresa in 1980. They also have a son, Jeff.



A surprising sense of style.



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RANDOLPH

The younger sister was growing up on a farm in eastern Washington, the third of five girls.

But she didn't have to arrive at Northwest College before she fell in love with the place.

"Northwest College was just it," she recalls. "We had all the music groups from the college visit our church, and I got all their records.

"One of the quartets consisted of Rollin Carlson, Gene Ness, Al Baunsgard, and Ken Lindgren... and I can still sing their songs!"

She arrived on campus and was invited to the practice of a certain quartet.

"After practice, I walked her back to the women's residence hall," remembers Bill. "There was going to be a big bonfire at a neighborhood church, and I was going to ask her to go with me.

"But when we got to the door outside Perk's, I forgot her first name. So I asked 'Miss Vaughn' if she'd like to go."

Miss Vaughn – Jacqui – didn't really know what to think.

"I was new to the big city," she remembers. "Maybe this is just what they did!"

More than 40 years have gone by, and Bill is still in love. With Northwest. And with Jacqui.

They have spent a lifetime as teachers: at Northwest and all over the world, from Fiji to Africa to Romania and Vanuatu.

The names many of us know from buildings, they know as persons: Crowder, Pecota, Fee, Rice, Butterfield.

It hasn't always been easy: "Every summer for 25 years, we drove farm machinery at Jacqui's dad's farm to support our teaching habit at Northwest College."

But it's always been worth it.

"I wanted to teach here because of what Northwest College did for me," says Bill. "And what it did for me, I wanted it to do for others."

The campus has changed, but the students, in one important respect, have not.

"I see the same intense desire to know and serve God," states Bill. "It's still there."

"With perhaps more openness than in our day," adds Jacqui.

"It's been sheer pleasure," says Bill. "There's no other way to describe it."



On missions trips, taking advantage of the opportunity to try out four-leg drive, and the epitome of "econo-box".

Alumni Weekend 2003

Friday, May 9, 2003

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

New Alumni Breakfast - Overlake Christian Church

First Annual New Alumni Breakfast – All Alumni, Graduates and Parents are invited to a Krispy Kreme and coffee tradition prior to Graduation practice (10:00 a.m.). This will be a morning of good food, interaction with young and experienced alumni, parents, faculty and administration.

\$ Grads and parents: \$0; Alumni: \$3/person, \$5/couple

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Class Reunions – Northwest Campus

These are the 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 55th, 60th and 65th reunions for both 2002 and 2003. Alumni Delegates are working hard to plan the reunions right now. Come catch up with past classmates and see the changes and growth happening at your alma mater!

Legacy Classes (40th, 50th, 55th, 60th) – 2002 ('37, '42, '47, '52, '62); 2003 ('38, '43, '48, '53, '63). **Prime Classes** (20th, 25th, 30th) –2002 ('72, '77, '82); 2003 ('73, '78, '83).

\$ No charge to alumni

7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Baccalaureate – Butterfield Chapel

Join parents, alumni, faculty, administration and the Board of Directors in celebrating God's faithfulness to the Class of 2003. **Dr. Joe Fuiten**, Senior Pastor of Cedar Park Assembly (Bothell, Wash.) will speak. \$ No charge

8:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Reception for Grads/Alumni - Dining Hall

Join us for dessert and coffee in the dining hall directly following Baccalaureate! **\$** Grads: \$0; Parents and Alumni \$3/person, \$5/couple

Saturday, May 10, 2003

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. President's Prayer Breakfast – Overlake Chr. Church

Alumni, meet with Dr. Don Argue for a continental breakfast and prayer before Commencement. This is a wonderful opportunity to pray for the College, its leadership and this year's graduates! \$\$3/person, \$5/couple

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Commencement - Overlake Christian Church

Celebrate with the Class of 2003! **Dr. Deborah Wildes**, Program Officer of the Scholarship Program for the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, will be the Commencement Speaker. **\$** No charge

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. BBQ on "The Green" - Northwest College Campus

Alumni, Friends, Graduates and Parents, join us for a full-fledged, old-time barbecue including good food (and lots of it!), games (old fashioned sack races, watermelon eating contest, etc.), entertainment, tours of the campus with updates of the Master Plan, and old-fashioned fun with family and friends. **\$** \$6/person. \$10/couple. \$20/family of four

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Family Fun Time – Butterfield Chapel

A special time for alumni and friends, grads and parents. Highlights will include: Worship, Entertainment from Summer Ministry Teams, Mock debate between current debate team and alumni debaters, and a State-of-the-College Address by Dr. Don Argue, Northwest President.

\$ No charge

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1930's

Geneva (Porter) Friand ('38) joined her husband, Louie ('37) in heaven on Dec. 25, 2002. Her classmate and matron of honor, Marie Slaughter ('35) went three days before her on Dec. 22, 2002. Geneva touched many lives through her motherly and prayerful heart and will be missed. She is survived by one sister, a sister-in-law, three daughters, one son, three grandchildren and three greatgrandchildren. Her daughter, Susan Friand, ('78) can be contacted for further information. E-mail: sfriand@juno.com

Mildred Gerhardt ('39) is grateful to the Lord for her good health. She is involved in Olympia Metro Assembly of God. She will be 89 years old on Sep. 18, 2003, and currently has seven children, 17 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

1940's

Leonard Lanphear ('46) and his wife retired to Spokane, Wash., after 35 years as Missionaries to Indonesia. Leonard spent over six years at their church in Spokane as the Senior Citizen and Visitation Pastor. The couple now lives in Mesa, Ariz., and attends Mesa First A/G Church. Leonard is one of the Ministers in the Mobile Park where they live. They have two sons, seven grandchildren, and 19 great grandchildren.

E-mail: lelmj@iglide.net

Lily (Oberg) Lanphear ('48) has spent the past years working in churches as a help-mate to her husband, Howard, who has pastored three churches. They are now at First Evangelical Free Church, Rockford, Ill. The couple has two children and six grandchildren. E-mail: *lilard48@aol.com*

1960's

Ronald Almberg, Sr. ('60) and his wife, **Loretta (Stalnaker**), ('59) are pastors at Bingen Assembly of God, Bingen, Wash.

Carol (Hansen) Robeson ('61) is traveling all over the world holding meetings, seminars, and retreats. She has just written a book entitled *The Gifts of the Holy Spirit are For You*. E-mail: carol6077@yahoo.com
Web: www.shilohpublishing.com

Sherry Harrison ('62) has a new e-mail address: *Nana2luke@aol.com*. Her husband, Dave's ('62) e-mail address remains the same. E-mail: *Brazil4Him@aol.com*

Calvin White ('66) is the founding Pastor of Redeemer United Methodist Church (1994). The church has begun their own building after using a school for the past nine years. E-mail: redeemerUMC@msn.com

Lois (**Davis**) **Shubin** ('68) has been married for 31 years. She has two grown married daughters and two grandchildren. She has been working on her M.B.A. and was to complete it in February, 2003. She works as a controller at a company in Fresno. E-mail: *Ifshubin@aol.com*

1970's

Vern Anderson ('70) will be retiring in September 2003 after 31 years of teaching. He thanks God for Northwest College and the role it played in his life. He is currently a church board member at Central Assembly Christian Life Center in Boise, Idaho. His wife is also an elementary school teacher and will retire on Sept. 1, 2004. E-mail: aanderson5@earthlink.net

Don ('72) and **Faye** (**Blohm**) ('72) **Smith** announce the arrival of their newly adopted daughter, **Mercedes Paris**, 8 months, from Guatemala. Mercedes joins seven siblings.

Alec Hill ('73) is currently the President of *Intervarsity Christian Fellowship*. His friend, **Doug Shaw** ('71), is President of *International Students, Inc.*, and his brother, **Grant Hill** ('73), is a professor at Long Beach State Univ. E-mail: ahill@ivcf.org

Keith Hixson ('73) is the Pastor of First Assembly of God, Ellensburg, Wash. E-mail: evanlorrie@usa.com

Sheryl (Rueck) Wiese ('73) has gone back to school to get her Associates Degree in Nursing. Her daughter is currently attending Northwest College and is working on getting her Bachelor's Degree in Nursing. E-mail: wiesehome@aol.com

Todd Myers ('74) is currently an accountant for a construction company and volunteers as a music pastor at Christ Community Church in Cumming, Ga. He has been married for 27

years to Diane (Di); they have two children and three grandchildren.
E-mail: todd@bowenconstruction.com

Steve ('75) and Karen ('75) Pecota, missionaries to Germany, are experiencing the joy of seeing their children join them in the ministry. Their daughter, Kathryn, recently traveled with their church youth group to the Ukraine, where they assisted a newly planted Pentecostal congregation. Their son, Kevin, is back in the U.S. and has started a one-year Master's Commission at Christ Church, Kirkland. The Pecota's would like prayer for buying a new building for their church and for their ministry. E-mail: franqomann@aol.com

Alan Norwood ('77) now owns his own CPA firm in Puyallup, Wash.

E-mail: alannorwood@sprintmail.com

Kathy Canales ('78) lives in California with her husband, Mel, and three children, the oldest of which just graduated from high school Kathy is still singing and has recorded a CD called He'll Find A Way. She also speaks for an organization called Stonecroft Ministries. She'd love to hear from former Sweet Salvation members: Connie, Coleen or Cheryl. E-mail: Mouse4me@aol.com

Evelyn (Dingman) Hamann ('78) and her husband of 12 years, Scott, were blessed on Aug. 12, 2002, with the birth of a son, Kael Emerson, weighing 7 lbs. 4 oz. Kael has two brothers, Sawyer, 9, and Hunter, 7. Evelyn retired from teaching in 1997 to stay at home with her family in Spokane. In her spare time, she writes for Guideposts Magazine.
E-mail: evham@hotmail.com

Debbie (Stevens) Christian (79) is married to Lynn (79) and has three children: one working, the second in college, and the third in Junior High. She works for Calvary Temple in Auburn, Wash., serves on several community committees, and is involved in *Kiwanis*. E-mail: djcfox6891@aol.com

Kim Fox ('79) married Jo-An in January 2002, and has been living in Nashville, Tenn. for just over two years. Prior to that he lived in Orange County, Calif., for 20 years. E-mail: ZOOOMWALD@aol.com

1980's

Eric Ogren ('80) and wife Patsy welcomed Laura Elizabeth, born Sept. 26, 2002. Laura joins big brother TJ (Thomas Joel) born Jan. 9, 2001. The Ogrens live in Olympia and are actively involved in Evergreen Christian Community Church. Eric is a District Manager for AFLAC, and Patsy is a stay-at-home mom and piano teacher.

E-mail: erictherev@attbi.com

Joy (**Brewer**) **Jensen** ('84) lives in St. Paul, Minn., where her husband, Scott, has been pastoring for the past seven years. Joy has worked at the Minnesota District Office of the A/G for 13 years now. The couple has three children, Kelsey, 11, Britt, 9 and Chase, 7. E-mail: jiensen@mndistaoq.org

Debby (**Stewart**) **Tzolov** ('84) traveled to Bulgaria in 1991 to organize a National Women's Conference where she met her future husband, Plamen Tzolov, who was her contact person at the time. They got married in 1995 and currently live in Sofia, Bulgaria, where they pastor New Generation Church. E-mail: flamemin@techno-link.com

John Martin ('85) graduated from Fuller Theological Seminary in June 2002 with his Doctorate of Ministry. He is currently the senior pastor of Calvary Christian Assembly (formerly Calvary Temple Seattle). John and his wife, Ronda, have two children, Rachel, 9, and Joshua, 7.
E-mail: johnm@ctseattle.com

Ben ('85) and Elaine (Bowe) ('85) Tolson served as Youth Pastors at Wasilla A/G Church in Alaska for three years after graduating from Northwest College. They then served as Youth Pastors in Bethel A/G Church in Chehalis, Wash. In 1996, they were called to pastor Sultan A/G Church in Sultan, Wash. They have been in a pay-as-we-go building program for the last four years that should be completed by Easter 2003. Ben and Elaine will celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary on June 4, 2003. Elaine is a housewife, mother, business owner and homeschool teacher. The couple has three children, Andrew, 16, Lauren, 14 and Elizabeth, 10. They would love to hear from Northwest College acquaintances.

Mark ('86) and Jennifer (Browning) ('86) Fagerstrom graduated from NC and went to work for The Salvation Army (TSA) in Alaska. After receiving their ordination in TSA, they worked in Aurora, Colo. for five years, then went to Moscow, Russia, for five years. They currently live in San Francisco, where Mark is the Divisional Youth Secretary, and Jennifer is the Divisional Donor Development Director for TSA. The couple has three children, Tyler, 15, Stephanie, 13, and Nicholas, 12. E-mail: mfagerstrom@msn.com

E-mail: pbent@integrity.com

John Stewart ('88) graduated from AGTS with an M. Div. in 1995. Then he and his wife Carolyn received an appointment with A/G World Missions. They have been in Indonesia since 1997, where they teach and oversee a Bible/Church planting school in Irian Jaya. E-mail: 103146.777@compuserve.com

Karen Wilson ('88) is teaching second grade in Kent, Wash. Karen and her husband, Robbie, have two boys, Chris, 9, and Caleb, 5. After teaching for 14 years, Karen is now working for a Master's Degree in Education. She'd enjoy connecting with college friends. E-mail: kmwilson65@hotmail.com

Brad Carlson ('89) and his wife, Susie, serve as Associate/Youth Pastors at Yelm Christian Center in Yelm, Wash. They have two boys,

Nathan, 6, and Andrew, 4. E-mail: pb-susie@juno.com

Greg A. Taylor ('89) is married to a Filipino nurse, and they have a six-year-old son. He is currently doing graphics for films. He would like any of his old roommates or friends to look him up in Southern California.

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1990's

Juli (Green) Carnes ('88-'90) passed away July 27, 2002 at the age of 32 after a six-year battle with breast cancer. Juli married Steve Carnes in 1991. They have a daughter, Laikyn, 8. Juli is survived by her parents, David and Carolyn Green, and her sister, Stefani. Before she passed away, Juli and Steve lost their son, Christian, at 14 months of age, to medulla blastoma.

Jerry C. Earl ('90) married Charlene in July 1999. They have two daughters, Michaela Elizebeth, 2, and Miah Grace, 6 months. Jerry has been a high school history teacher for the past few years, but now teaches fifth grade. E-mail: grayearl@pe.net

Bruce (**Buddy**) **Draper, Jr.** ('91) is currently the Pastor of Connell Christian Center. E-mail: buddyandfamily@hotmail.com

Regina Doll ('92) recently moved to Indiana and is working as a Registered Nurse. E-mail: rld71@tds-net.net

Cathy Gerhard ('92) just moved back to Kirkland after ten years and bought a house. She plans to work part-time and help grandsit three of her seven grandchildren. Eventually, she hopes to return to private practice as a mental health therapist (she earned her M.A. in Counseling and Community Psychology from St. Martin's College in 1998) or fulfill the requirements to become a hospital chaplain. E-mail: melonballcq@hotmail.com

Camille (Payne) Miller, ('92) and her husband, Jeff, attend the Word of Faith Church in Newberg, where they lead Children Church. E-mail: jeffrimiller@yahoo.com

Debra (Dummer) McBride ('93) married her husband, Mark, in 1994. The couple has three children; Brian, 6, Michael, 4, and Eden, 4 months. Debra and Mark are on staff at Gateway Worship Center in Clatskanie, Ore. E-mall: mdmcbride@clatskanie.com

Tim Ohai ('93) and his wife **Diana** (**Richards**) ('89) were blessed with a new addition to their family. Caelan Noelle joined her 2 1/2 year old brother, Connor, on April 15, 2002. The family is currently living in the Houston, Texas, area where Tim serves as the head of training for Shell Lubricants, USA. Diana and Tim have also launched a new young adult's ministry called *Oasis* at their church, Seabrook First Baptist. E-mail: *tdohai@yahoo.com*

Jeff ('93) and Michelle (Vanderlinda) ('97) Tangen proudly announce the birth of their second child, Noah Steve, born Aug. 28, 2002. Big sister Lexi, mom and dad could not be happier. Jeff still works as a Network Administrator for the Steilacoom School District, and Michelle works part time as a fitness trainer and teaches seminars at the Puyallup YMCA.
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Dean Coffman ('94) recently completed financing on a new semi-truck and leased it to Holland Enterprises in Fargo, N.D., as an independent contractor.

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Lisa (Delgatty) Goodman ('94), and her husband, Ron, live in Circle, Mont. Ron serves as a 7th - 12th grade principal and Lisa is at home with their two sons, Timothy, 2, and Ryan, 9 months.

E-mail: good@midrivers.com

Emily (Henneberg) Swope ('94) has been married to her husband, Randy, for 7 1/2 years. They have two children, Maxwell, 4, and Amanda, 1. The family has been living in Colorado for the past four years. E-mail: emilyswope@hotmail.com

Mark Gould ('95) has been away from Seattle for quite some time. He got married almost two years ago to Melissa, and now they have a five-month-old baby named Noah. They are now back in the Seattle area. E-mail: marknmissy@charter.net

Eiji Koyama ('95) has been pastoring a church called Sakae Shalom Church in Yokohama, Japan. The church has built a new building, and it was dedicated to God in June. He requests prayer for his church and for Japan.

E-mail: sakaeshalom@ttmy.ne.jp

Christian Morden ('95) married **Laurine Coleman** ('95) the semester before he graduated from Northwest College. They have three sons: Austin, 5, Jacob, 3, and Kyle, 1. They serve at Church of Living Water in Olympia, Wash., and are involved with a children's ministry called Kidbuilders and Planet 12. They would like to say "hi" to fellow classmates from 1993-1995.

E-mail: themordensx5@earthlink.net

Hilary (Wright) Bachelder ('96) married Brian Bachelder on Nov. 7, 1998. They are in the process of adopting their first child, Samuel has been in their home since August, 2002, and the adoption should be finalized soon.

E-mail: hilary789@wmconnect.com

Erin Curtis ('96) is living in Bakersfield, Calif., and is working as a stay-at-home mom with her three children. She graduated from the University of Wyoming in 1998 with a B.S. degree in Family and Consumer Science and a minor in Interior Design.

E-mail: icurtis@bak.rr.com

Rick Doucette ('96) has served at Bethany Christian Assembly in Everett for the past five years. He oversees their multimedia and video productions.

E-mail: rickd@bca-online.com

Brent Frederick Gibson ('96) studied Jazz Music Composition and Arranging from Vancouver Community College. He then graduated from Trinity Western University with an M.A. in Christian Studies and an emphasis in Church Ministries and the Bible. Now he is teaching music and worship part-time at Christ For the Nations Canada Bible College. He also works part-time at Ridgemont Assembly Church (PAOC) as the Minister of Worship and the Arts. The church was started in November 2001 by his family and others. Brent would like to hear from his old college friends and also from faculty members. E-mail: brent@cfni.bc.ca

Chad ('96) and **Colleen (Warman**) ('99) **Meyer** were married Aug. 16, 1997. They have been blessed with two boys, Brendan Alexander, 3 1/2, and Ethan Lane, 9 months. The couple serves as youth pastors for Abundant Life Christian Fellowship in Everett, Wash They would really like to hear from some of their college friends.

E-mail: bambam4jesus@hotmail.com

Heidi (Franco) Zweifel ('96) recently moved from Modesto, Calif. to Las Vegas, Nev. She and her husband, Mark, are College and Youth Pastors at the International Church of Las Vegas (ICLV). Mark, who graduated from Trinity Bible College in North Dakota, met Heidi when she traveled with the Summer Ministry Team, Imago Dei, to Wyoming. The couple has two children, Braxtyn Olivia and Braydee Rose. Heidi also teaches Music and Drama at the local Junior High School. E-mail: mzweifel@lvcm.com

Andrew Culver ('97) married **Mindy Alden** ('00) on Dec. 14, 2002.

E-mail: acculver@attbi.com

Charis (Marquis) Downs ('97) and her husband, Joshua, currently live in Bothell, Wash. Josh is finishing up his Computer Science Bachelors Degree at Henry Cogswell Technical Institute and is graduating this April. Charis has been working as a Senior Loan Specialist for Full Spectrum Lending for over four years. They would love to hear from their college buddies!

E-mail: Charis Downs@Countrywide.com

Mindy Galbreath ('97) has worked for the past several years as Assistant to Drs. Les and Leslie Parrot at the Center for Relationship Development at Seattle Pacific University. She is assisting them in their endeavor of teaching the basics of healthy relationships locally and nationally.

E-mail: MMtwins2@aol.com

Molly Galbreath ('97) obtained her B.S. in Family and Consumer Science in 1999 and

her MAT Degree (Master of Arts and Teaching) at George Fox University in 2000. She will begin her third year of teaching at Mountlake Terrace High School in Mountlake Terrace, Wash., this fall.

E-mail: mgalbreath@georgefoxalum.org

Christa (Roberts) Johnson, ('97), and her husband, Todd, would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Anna Kate, on Dec. 13, 2001. They would also like to announce their acceptance as career members with OMF International (Overseas Missionary Fellowship, previously China Inland Mission). They are aiming to leave next fall to a creative access nation in East Asia where they hope to bring the light of Jesus to unreached peoples. E-mail: christamay@yahoo.com

Tyrone Rinta ('97) married Amy Owings of Stanwood, Wash., in October 2002.

Joe Franco ('98) and his wife, Andrea, had their second child, Felicia Rae, Sept. 21, 2002. She joins their first child, Joey Franco III. Joe works at Portland Adventist Hospital as a Behavioral Analyst for the criminally insane. He also works part-time as a youth pastor. E-mail: babyfranco01@aol.com

Ramiro ('98) and Stephanie ('00) (Valentine) Hernandez had their first child, Kadyn Ramiro, on Jan. 13, 2002. Stephanie works as a Kindergarten/First Grade split teacher and Ramiro works for the Santa Barbara County as a CPS worker. They currently attend City Church in Arroyo Grande, Calif., and are thankful to God for His goodness. E-mail: goodngrace@yahoo.com

Dustin ('98) and **Kali** ('99) **Jensen** had a boy in August, 2002. His name is Dakota Paul and he weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and was 20 inches long.

E-mail: pastordustin@wildesideyouth.com

Jennifer Larsen ('98) is a 1st Lt. in the Marine Corps and has just finished her training. She lives in Florida right now but hopes to move to California soon. E-mail: <code>jenlusmc@msn.com</code>

Dave Weston ('98) is the Senior Pastor at a church in Bandon, Ore. His wife, **Priscilla** (**Hines**) ('99) teaches second grade at a nearby school.

E-mail: daweston@earthlink.net

Uyanga Batzogs ('99) lives in Ulaanbatar, Mongolia. She has two young children now and is working for USAID Funded Project as an accountant. She would love to hear from her old friends, and promises to visit the Northwest College campus again. E-mail: uyanga1358@hotmail.com

Tricia (Carlisle) Ezell ('99) married **Darrin Ezell** on April 6, 2002. They currently live in Phoenix, Ariz. E-mail: *ezelltk@hotmail.com*

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Jennifer ('00) and **Tim Cudmore** had a baby girl, Makayla Isabelle, on Sept. 24, 2002. She was born in Anchorage, Alaska, at 12:50 p.m., measured 21 1/4 inches in length and weighed 7 lbs 13 oz.

Jennifer Porter ('00) is currently in the testing process for police departments here on the Eastside of Washington, and she has begun the interviewing process. She is also helping with Antioch Adoptions, through Antioch Bible Church, where she helps to place children in homes for free.

E-mail: sunflowerjmp@yahoo.com

James Stewart ('00) is currently pursuing his Master's Degree in English at Western Washington University and is in line to receive a highly coveted teaching assistantship.

Andrew Huson ('01) is the Associate Pastor at Bethel Assembly in Oakdale, Calif. He just had his first baby, Judah Alvin, who he believes is the cutest child ever.
E-mail: captpmdaughter@aol.com

Leah Lamm ('01) is working at the University of Washington Medical Center, in Inpatient Psychiatry. She lives in the Wallingford area in Seattle.

E-mail: leahl@u.washington.edu

Melissa (Flateau) Speer ('01) is a high school English teacher and volleyball coach at Canyon High School. Her husband, Nathan ('01), is the head manager of a local coffee company, as well as a basketball coach for the NBC Basketball School, Varsity Academy. E-mail: mspeer@hartdistrict.org

Nick Caalim ('02) proposed to **Stacy Beach** ('03) on Oct. 21, 2002. She accepted and the happy couple will be married in the fall. E-mail: nick@kidworks.org

Matt Cuellar ('02) is currently working at AAA Insurance in Bellevue as a licensed Property & Casualty agent. He does general insurance advising as well as selling Auto and Homeowners Insurance. He is going to be attending UNLV in the fall of '03 to work on his M.A. in Communication Studies in order to prepare him to teach speech and debate at the college level.

E-mail: callysurfer23@hotmail.com

Jeremy Frank ('02) and his wife, Hollie ('03), moved to Boston, Mass. They had their first baby at the end of January. Jeremy is studying for a Master of Science in Finance at Boston College.

E-mail: jeremy.frank.1@bc.edu

Sally Voie ('01) graduated from the University of Washington's (Tacoma) Teaching Certification program on June 6, 2002. She is now job hunting and may possibly move. E-mail: s_voie@hotmail.com

Future Alumni

Mercedes Paris, 8 months, adopted from Guatemala by **Don** ('72) and **Faye** (**Blohm**) ('72) **Smith**.

Kael Emerson, born Aug. 12, 2002, to **Evelyn (Dingman)** ('78) and **Scott Hamann**.

E-mail: evham@hotmail.com

Laura Elizabeth, born Sept. 26, 2002, to **Eric** ('80) and **Patsy Ogren**. E-mail: erictherev@attbi.com

Kevin James, born May 22, 2002, to Rick ('87) and Sara Rudquist. Email: RRudquist@aol.com

Caelan Noelle, born April 15, 2002, to Tim ('93) and Diana (Richards) ('89) Ohai. E-mail: tdohai@yahoo.com

Noah Steve, born Aug. 28, 2002, to Jeff ('93) and Michelle (Vanderlinda) ('97) Tangen.

E-mail: chelle@transedge.com

Samuel Ian, 1, adopted by **Hilary (Wright)** ('96) and **Brian Bachelder**. E-mail: hilary789@wmconnect.com

Anna Kate, born Dec. 13, 2001, to **Christa** (**Roberts**) ('97) and **Todd Johnson**. E-mail: *christamay@yahoo.com*

Kadyn Ramiro, born Jan. 13, 2002, to Ramiro ('98) and Stephanie ('00) Hernandez.

E-mail: qoodngrace@yahoo.com

Makayla Isabelle, born Sept. 24, 2002, to **Jennifer** ('00) and **Tim Cudmore**.

Judah Alvin, born to **Andrew Huson** ('01). E-mail: *captpmdaughter@aol.com*

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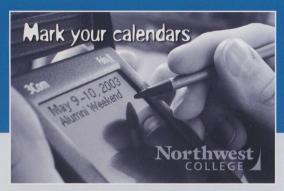
Kathy Canales ('78) would love to hear from any former *Sweet Salvation* PR team members, Connie, Coleen or Cheryl. E-mail: *Mouse4me@aol.com*

Charis (Marquis) Downs ('97) is looking for a way to get in contact with Chad Inks ('98). If anyone has any information, she would love to hear from you.

E-mail: Charis Downs@Countrywide.com

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Alumni Weekend

MAY 9-10, 2003

Alumni Weekend has been rescheduled to coincide with 2003 commencement. Inside this newsletter, you can review the entire schedule of all the exciting events. To register, fill out the attached response envelope or register online at www.nwcollege.edu.

Northwest Golf Classic AUGUST 11, 2003

The fifth annual tournament will help raise money to build the scholarship endowment fund at Northwest College.

'03 Spring Ski Dayz

The second annual *Spring Ski Dayz* saw 24 alumni, friends and current students join Don and Pat Argue in Sun Peaks, Canada. John Mohan of *Ski Mohan* led the skiers and snowboarders. The group also met Nancy Greene, Canada's Female Athlete of the 20th Century. *Plan to attend next year, March 8-11, 2004.*

Curry, Johnsen Elected To Executive Committee

This past fall you elected two new Alumni Executive Committee members: **Dean Curry** as the Vice President for Development and **Darrel Johnsen** as Vice President for Communications. Both are hard at work looking for better ways to help serve NC alumni.

For more information, please visit www.nwcollege.edu

Our First National Cha





The Women's Cross Country Team from Northwest College won the 2002 NAIA National Championship in Kenosha, Wisc., on Nov. 23, to confirm their ranking as number one in the nation. Holding the championship banner are, from left to right: Celia McLean, Elisa Bolling, Jenny Jensen, Kristina Proticova, Korinda Godwin, Head Coach Bill Taylor, Assistant Coach Tabetha Taylor, Kim Stone, Mandee Carlson, Heidi Peterson, Tiffany Stilwater, and Danyel Longmire. Not pictured are Amy Ellington, Crystal Evans, and Kristen Smith. Congratulations to our first national champs!



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