## The Staley Distinguished Christian Scholar Lecture Program

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Each year the student body at NORTHWEST COLLEGE enjoys the Staley Distinguished Christian Scholar Lecture Program. Guest speakers are invited from throughout the world for this significant time of spiritual renewal.

It is with deepest gratitude that the administration faculty, and the students accept the participation of the THOMAS F. STALEY FOUNDATION in sponsoring this event.

The Staley Distinguished Scholar series is a project of the Thomas F. Staley Foundation of New York.

This lectureship was established in the fall of 1969 by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Staley of Rye, New York, in memory of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Staley, and Judge and Mrs. H. H. Hays of Bristol, Tennessee.

The Thomas F. Staley Foundation is firmly persuaded that the message of Christian Gospel when proclaimed in its historic fullness is always contemporary, relevant, and meaningful to any generation. To this end the Foundation seeks to bring to the college and university campuses of America distinguished scholars who truly believe and who can clearly communicate to students.

Therefore, the Foundation is pleased to assist NORTHWEST COLLEGE in the sponsorship of this special lecture series featuring Dr. Russell P. Spittler.

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#### March 25-28, 1991 9:30 a.m., Butterfield Chapel LECTURE PRESENTATION

"FOUR MARKS OF CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY" Studies from First Corinthians

Monday: Unity
"All Things Are Yours"
I Corinthians 1-4

Tuesday: Discipline
"Drive Out the Wicked One From Among You"

I Corinthians 5

Wednesday: Love
"Knowledge Puffs Up, Love Builds Up"
I Corinthians 8-11:1

Thursday: Tradition
"We Have No Such Custom"
I Corinthians 11:2-16

### Related Events

Monday, March 25th. 7:00-8:15 a.m. Student Leadership Breakfast with Dr. Spittler, Faculty Dining Room.

Tuesday, March 26th, 2:45-4:00 p.m. Faculty Forum and Reception with Dr. Spittler, Faculty Lounge

Wednesday, March 27th, 10:30-11:20 a.m. Discussion on studies from I Corinthians with Dr. Russell Spittler; hosted by Professor Kowalski and the Pauline Epistles Course. Open to all students, Millard Hall (Room M-1 and M-2).

Wednesday, March 27th, 9:00-10:15 p.m. Student Forum and Reception with Dr. Spittler, "More on the Pauline Perspective of Relationships," Located in Millard Hall (Rooms M-1 and M-2).

Dr. Russell P. Spittler is a noted educator, author, and professor of New Testament at Fuller Theological Seminary. Having served at Fuller since 1976, his most recent leadership assignment has been as the director of the David du Plessis Center for Christian Spirituality.

Dr. Spittler began his commitment to Christian higher education as a professor at Central Bible College in 1958, after completing the M.A. degree at Wheaton Graduate School, and the B.D. (or more commonly known as the M.Div.) degree from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary. He accepted a faculty assignment at Southern California College in 1967. He received the Ph.D. degree from Harvard University in 1971. In 1973, he became the academic dean at Southern California College; a position he held until his departure to Fuller Theological Seminary.

His publications include The Corinthian Correspondence, Gospel Publishing House; Perspectives on the New Pentecostalism, Baker Book House; and God the Father, Gospel Publishing House. Among recent articles published are titles such as "Maintaining Distinctives: The Future of Pentecostalism," and "Charismatic Pastoral Care." New commentaries on 1 and 2 Thessalonians and 1 Corinthians are soon to be released.

Dr. Spittler is an ordained minister with the Assemblies of God and a Chaplain in the U.S. Naval Reserve. His wife, Bobbie, is a fourth grade teacher at Valley Christian School in Sun Valley, California.