

\* THE COLLEGE HYMN ..... Ferrell/Dykes

*Montreat, you stand in noble line, For learning with integrity,  
With those who strive for heart and mind, For truth imparted full and free,  
Who seek God's truth to teach and guide, For loving friendships cherished still,  
Who lift those virtues which abide. For heritage on which to build;  
For servanthood, both taught and lived, With Christ the Cornerstone of grace,  
Our honor and devotion give, Our Alma Mater we embrace.*

\* THE RECESSIONAL AND POSTLUDE  
"Toccata from Symphony 5" ..... Charles Marie Widor

*\*Please stand.*

*Refreshments will be served in front of the auditorium following the ceremony.  
The Campus Store, located on the first floor of the Belk Campus Center, will be open today until 3:00 p.m.*

# HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

The Rev. Dr. Roberta Hestenes

The Reverend Dr. Roberta Hestenes is the senior pastor of Solana Beach Presbyterian Church, a 2300-member church located just north of San Diego. She joined the Solana Beach church in November 1996 after serving as president of Eastern College, a Christian college in St. Davids, Pennsylvania, since 1987. While at Eastern, Dr. Hestenes was instrumental in founding Eastern's Center for Christian Women in Leadership and the Center for Excellence in World Missions. The college enrollment grew from 809 students to 2300 during her tenure. Prior to assuming the presidency of Eastern College, Dr. Hestenes served as an associate professor and founded the Christian Formation and Discipleship Department at Fuller Theological Seminary. There she taught the first seminary course on small groups and small group Bible studies in the church. She serves on the board of directors for both World Vision USA and World Vision International, serving as chair of the latter for seven years. Dr. Hestenes is an internationally known speaker and the author of six books, more than forty articles, and two tape courses. Dr. Hestenes was one of eight religious leaders featured in the public television series, "Searching for God in America," and was a participant in Bill Moyers' "Genesis" series which aired in 1996. Dr. Hestenes will receive the honorary Doctor of Letters.

David John Seel, M.D.

Dr. David John Seel, a resident of Montreat, serves as coordinator for U. S. affairs and consultant in oncology and research to the Presbyterian Medical Center, Chonju, Korea, where he was director from 1969-87. It was under his leadership that a large new hospital was constructed. This hospital complex has sent out about thirty medical missionaries to other countries. Dr. Seel's career as a medical missionary to Korea spanned 37 years from 1953-1990. Dr. Seel and his wife Mary were awarded the Bell-Mackay Prize for leadership in missions by Presbyterians for Renewal at the 1997 General Assembly. In June 1997, he received the Korea America Friendship Society Award, and also in 1997, Dr. and Mrs. Seel were made Honorary Citizens of the Province of Chollabuk-do, Republic of Korea. The author of four books, Dr. Seel's distinguished career has also included membership in a number of medical societies and on the boards of Yonsei University Medical School, Taejon University, Kwangju Christian Hospital, Korean Christian Hospital Association of which he was the founder, Presbyterian Home for Children in Black Mountain, King College, and Medical Benevolence Foundation of the Presbyterian Church (USA). In 1998, he received the Tulane Medical Alumni Association Lifetime Achievement Award. Dr. Seel will receive the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters.



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# MONTREAT COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

In the eighty-third year of the College  
Saturday, the fifteenth day of May  
Nineteen hundred and ninety-nine  
at eleven o'clock in the morning  
Anderson Auditorium • Montreat, North Carolina



# ORDER OF SERVICE

William W. Hurt  
President of the College  
Presiding

## THE PRELUDE

"Fantaisie in C Major" ..... Cesar Franck  
"Fugue in C Major" ..... Dietrich Buxtehude  
"Partita on *Crucifer*" ..... Charles Callahan  
Carla Sperry, Organist

\* THE PROCESSIONAL ..... Johanna Isenhour  
Bagpiper

- The Faculty Marshal
- The Commencement Marshal
- The President of the College
- The Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees
- The Honorary Degree Recipients
- The Vice President and Dean of Academics
- The Dean of Adult Education
- The College Chaplain
- The Director of Choral Groups
- The David L. Parks Distinguished Professor for 1998-99
- The Student Marshals
- The Faculty of Montreat College
- The Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts
- The Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science
- The Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Business Administration
- The Candidates for the Degree of Masters of Business Administration

"Amazing Grace" ..... Newton

\* THE DOXOLOGY ..... Old Hundredth  
Genevan Psalter, 1551

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\* Please stand.

\* THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER ..... The Rev. J. Edward Bonner  
College Chaplain

\* THE HYMN OF PRAISE  
"O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing" ..... Wesley/Gläser

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| (1) O for a thousand tongues to sing<br>My dear Redeemer's praise;<br>The glories of my God and King,<br>The triumphs of His grace!         | (2) Jesus, the name that charms our fears,<br>That bids our sorrows cease;<br>'Tis music in the sinner's ears,<br>'Tis life, and health, and peace. |
| (3) He breaks the power of reigning sin,<br>He sets the prisoner free;<br>His blood can make the sinful clean,<br>His blood availed for me. | (4) My gracious Master and my God,<br>Assist me to proclaim,<br>To spread through all the earth abroad,<br>The honors of Thy name. Amen             |

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INTRODUCTIONS ..... William W. Hurt  
President

THE ADDRESS ..... "From Fear to Faith" ..... The Rev. Dr. Roberta Hestenes  
Senior Pastor, Solana Beach Presbyterian Church

THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES ..... Rose Anne J. Gant  
Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees

THE SPECIAL MUSIC  
"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" ..... J. S. Bach  
Montreat College Faculty Ensemble - Soprano: Beth Braboy, Education, Kim McMurtry, English; Alto: Carmen  
Copenhaver, Human Services, Molly Johnson, Music; Tenor: Tom McMurtry, Technology, Mark Johnson, Music;  
Bass: Joe Hagan, Athletics, Gary Van Brocklin, Bible and Religion; Accompanist: Eunice Stackhouse, Music.

THE STUDENT ADDRESSES  
Traditional Program ..... Allie Nicole "Nikki" Sitts  
School of Professional and Adult Studies ..... Brenda G. Blount

THE PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES ..... Dr. Don W. King  
Vice President and Dean of Academics

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES ..... President William W. Hurt

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS ..... Dr. Don W. King

\*THE PRAYER FOR THE CLASS OF 1999 ..... Dr. Abiola Fapetu  
Associate Professor of Business  
1999 David L. Parks Distinguished Professor

\* Please stand.



Faculty Service Award  
Shellie Jessica Bowser

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

Delicia S. Baker	Zoë Kindle Palmer	Joshua David Schatzle	David Winston Swanson
Lorie J. Buckius	James Carl Parsons	Kelly Wray Spivey	Jeremy Patrick Toomey
Harry Bynum	Phillip Charles Quinn	Scott Sutton	Melissa Ann Valentine

Alpha Chi Honor Society

Zhanna Goroshko	Shane David Sullards
Joshua David Schatzle	Jeremy P. Toomey
Allie Nicole Sitts	

Pinnacle Honor Society

Myra Renae Adams	Roberta T. Golden	Mark Andrew Miner	Kevin Scott Sutton
Teresa Sapp Allen	Edward Haley Griffin	Shirley Byrd Mungo	Gary Michael Tompkins
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Denise Fae Cook	Teresa Harward Jones	Anne Green Ramey	Donna Hall Williams
Ben Allen Cox	Cheryl Cook Joyner	Karen Ann Shafer	Cathy-Jo Hope Willis
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David Glen Dilallo	David Steve Larkin	Tony Ray Smith	Tracy Robinson Wimmer
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Tina Ross Franks	David Douglas Moore		

THE COLLEGE SEAL

The seal of Montreat College is composed of concentric circles surrounding the open book of learning and the Word of God. The words "Montreat College" encompass the ideals of strength, beauty, and truth above the Latin motto meaning "to be rather than to seem." The date of the founding of the College, 1916, completes the emblem.

THE MACE AND THE BANNER

The College mace symbolizes the authority of the President and is present in all official College convocations. The Montreat mace is of walnut and silver, representing the simplicity and strength of the Cross of Christ, the open Bible, and the lamp of knowledge, transcendent over the seal of the College. The College banner features an arched window opening onto the mountains, framing heaven and earth. The Montreat College logo inside the arch rises over symbols of the College's purpose: the Bible represents the foundation of the College's Christ-centered education; the globe atop it represents the worldwide scope provided by education and the development of a Christian world view based upon the Bible's teaching. The books represent the beauty and strength of scholarship and the variety of disciplines offered by the College. The candle embodies the illumination that education and faith bring to the individual and the world.

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Magna Cum Laude

Cum Laude

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