

The Thirty-third Commencement
of the
STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE
at
SALISBURY, MARYLAND



BACCALAUREATE SERVICE
Sunday, May the Twenty-ninth
Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five
Three O'Clock

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
Friday, June the Third
Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five
Ten-thirty O'Clock

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College Auditorium

Baccalaureate Service

Processional: "Let Music Wake" ----- Elliott

The Invocation

"Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" ----- Bach

Hymn: "Not Alone for Mighty Empire" ----- Austrian Hymn

Responsive Reading ----- Genesis 2:18-25

And the Lord God said, It is not good that the man should be alone I will make him an helpmeet for him.

And out of the ground the Lord God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought them unto Adam to see what he would call them: and whatsoever Adam called every living creature, that was the name thereof.

And Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but for Adam there was not found an helpmeet for him.

And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept: and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof:

And the rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, made He a woman and brought her unto the man.

And Adam said, This is now bone of my bone, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man.

Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.

And they were both naked, and the man and his wife, and were not ashamed.

"Ave Maria" ----- Bach-Gounod

Suzanne Meintzer, soprano

Jessie L. Fleming, violin

Joanne Little, piano

Sermon: "Thank God, man is not alone.
Praise God, man is not a solitary being."

The Reverend Ralph L. Minker, Jr.
St. John's Methodist Church, Fruitland

"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" ----- 17th Century German
The College Chorus

Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" ----- Beethoven

Benediction

Recessional: "The Spacious Firmament on High" ----- Haydn

Commencement Program

Processional: "Land of Hope and Glory" ----- **Elgar**

Invocation ----- The Reverend Charles McGinley
St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

"Serenade" ----- **Schubert**
The College Chorus

Address ----- Mr. Robert Hillyer,
Department of English,
University of Delaware

"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp Along the Highway" ----- **Herbert**
Harold Anderson, baritone
Russell Miles, trumpet
The College Chorus

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees ----- Dr. T. J. Caruthers

Conferring of Degrees ----- President J. D. Blackwell

Awarding of Diplomas ----- Mr. Jerome Framptom, Jr.
Vice-President, State Board of Education

Welcome to Profession ----- Dr. Thomas G. Pullen, Jr.
State Superintendent of Schools

"Alma Mater" ----- **Black**

O, Alma Mater, standing wise and stately,
We dedicate our song to thee . . .
A song of praise, a song of deep devotion,
A song of love and endless loyalty.
Salisbury College, school of gracious beauty,
Thy portals stand, an open door
Through which we enter lives of deeper wisdom
O, we shall love thy name forever more.

Benediction ----- Father McGinley

Recessional: "Gaudeamus Igitur" ---- **14th Century Student Song**

Music under the direction of Dr. Jessie L. Fleming

Miss Joanne Little, accompanist

Candidates for Degrees

Bachelor of Science (Four Year)

George William Anderson
Shirley Ann Bowdle
Leslie Duane Bradley
Walter German Brittingham, Jr.
Patrick Dudley Cahall
Donald E. Collins
Irving Whitfield Custis, Jr.
Robert Denston
Harriett Lee Dickinson
Andrew Jennings Dickerson
Anne Millar Dickson
Marion Conaway Dryden, Jr.
Ralph Marion Dryden, Jr.
Bowyer Ernest Forsythe
Patricia Jane Gardner
Sylvia Ann Givans
Josephine Hudson
Carolyn Leister Godfrey

William James Hastings
Emory LaMonte Hilghman
Frances Regina Johnson
Carolyn Bennett Kniceley
Janice Marshall
Alfred Coleman Moran
Frank Hutches Pierce, III
Werner Rebstock
Oliver Francis Rhine
Margaret Louise Richards
Bettie Lee Smith
Ingrid A. Esterson Stoops
Mary Louise Horsey Truitt
Lois Hall Webster
Bonnie Ree Wood
Richard Hanson Wootten
Shirley Mae Young
Alvin Medford Younger

Honor Student

Shirley Mae Young

Associate in Arts (Two Year)

Harold James Anderson
James Ellsworth Brodes
William Jackson Bundick
Thomas Lee Comer

Nicholas Thomas Evans
Charlotte Hopkins Hardesty
Jacquin Fay Moore
William Edward Tawes, Jr.

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