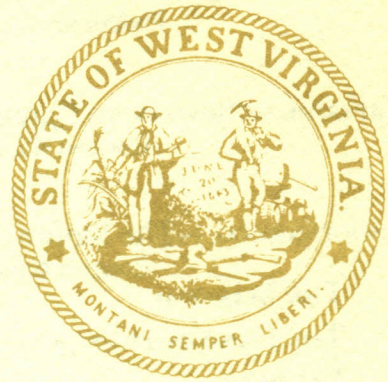


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NINETY-FIFTH YEAR OF
WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE
INSTITUTE, WEST VIRGINIA

Mid-Year
Commencement

DECEMBER THE TWENTIETH
FLEMING HALL

A.D. NINETEEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE

AT SIX THIRTY O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING

Order of Exercises

Dr. Thomas W. Cole, Jr.
President, West Virginia State College, presiding

PRELUDE—"Seventeen Come Sunday" *R. Vaughan Williams*
Concert Band—Michael Newman, Conductor

PROCESSIONAL—The Sinfonians *Clifton Williams*
Concert Band—Michael Newman, Conductor

THE MARSHAL

THE CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

FACULTY

THE PLATFORM PARTY

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Concert Band

(The audience will remain standing until after the invocation.)

THE INVOCATION James Cushman
Executive Presbyter, Presbytery of Greenbrier

SPECIAL MUSIC—Variations on a Shaker Melody *Aaron Copland*
Concert Band—Michael Newman, Conductor

THE INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER Thomas W. Cole, Jr.
President, West Virginia State College

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS D. Wayne Smith
President of The Friendship Force

SPECIAL MUSIC—Coronation March from "The Prophet" *Giacomo Meyerbeck*
Handbell Ensemble—Truman Dalton, Director

THE CONFERMENT OF SPECIAL HONORS—

AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Jo L. Blackwood

Major Simms

SERVICE AWARD

Gladys Lucille Walker

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AWARD OF HONORS James D. Thomas
Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

HIGHEST HONORS

Joyce Ellen Coon Shirley Gayle Panucci

HIGH HONORS

Evelyn Kay Bowling* Nancy Jo Casdorff

HONORS

Virginia Ruth Alger*	Kay Lynette Holmes	Claude William Sigman
Kim R. Wood Allison*	Linda M. Mechling*	Cherie Lynn Sizemore
Teresa Louise Barnett	Elizabeth E. Settle	Lynda Dawn Nolley
Saundra Kay Birurakis*		

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Karen A. Condaras	Nancy Lea Joseph*	Teresa Silvia Lucero*
Shari Morgan Dunbar	Hazel V. McKinney Lincoln	Kimberly Jo Young

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Michael Chase Bowers	Eric Frank Pauley	Steven W. Spencer
Garry Lee Cunningham	Jacqueline Anne Rollyson	Lisa Dawn Zickefoose
Donna Jo Goldberg	Robert A. Sheets	

CUM LAUDE

Debra Lynn Arvon*	Miral Kay McKisic Gibson	Debra Lynn Roberts
Lois Gay Adkins Asbury	Jack C. Marcum	Sherry Lynn Setser
Stephanie Ann Burroughs	Dennis Warren Moses*	Judy R. Smart
Garland Lenn Eary*	Randolph L. Reed, Sr.	Nancy Carol White

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THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES—

The Candidates for Degrees will be presented to Dr. Ancella R. Bickley, Vice President for Academic Affairs, in the following order:

Candidates for Associate Degrees by Dean Harry V. Scott

Candidates for Bachelor of Arts Degree by Professor Helen Cropley

Candidates for the Bachelor of Science Degrees by Professor Barbara Oden

After the conferring of the degrees by President Cole, the names of graduates will be announced by Mr. John L. Fuller, Registrar.

Candidates[†]

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE

Virginia Ruth Alger*	Gary Alan Hutchison	Lisa Jo Powell
Kim R. Wood Allison*	Randall Lee Johnson	Teresa Mae Rhodes
Ronald Wayne Blevins*	Lori Lynn Kloman*	Teresa G. Asbury Roderick
Simon F. Borlabi Bortey	Cathy Ann Lockard	Stephen Clark Rohrbough*
Evelyn Kay Bowling*	Kim David Lowe*	Laura A. Schultz
Jeffrey Allen Burnette*	Barry Scott McClanahan*	Elizabeth E. Settle
Roberta L. Burns	Sally C. Marcus	Mark David Shouldis*
Nancy Jo Casdorff	Robert Bruce Mattox*	Claude William Sigman
Sandra Kay Casto	Linda M. Mechling*	Cherrie Lynn Sizemore
Joyce Ellen Coon	Roger Stanley Minner	Gerald Mark Sodaro
Judith B. Curtiss	K. Gayle Miracle	Francis Eugene Starkey
Annette Louise Dotson*	Shaaran Laverne Morris	Benton Thomas Thompson, III*
Mary Elizabeth Feldhaus	Melody Diane Morton	Malcolm Daniel Truett
Doris A. Foster	Cheryle Yvette Moyer	Richard Mark Veazey
Anita Ann Fulks*	Judy K. Nelson	Paul Kent Wakefield
Gregory Scott Gibson*	Lynda Dawn Nolley	Beatrice Marie Williams
Kay Lynette Holmes	Shirley Gayle Panucci	Helen Elaine Williams**
Kathy Ann Hudnall*	Nancy Ann Petrie	

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Saundra Kay Birurakis*

[†]A name on the program does not assure that final degree requirements have been met.

*Completed degree requirements in August 1985.

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE IN CHURCH MUSIC

Teresa Louise Barnett

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Loretta Ann Bostic	John Daniel Farmer, IV	Barbara Lynn Salyers
Rebecca Lena Casdorff	Hazel V. McKinney Lincoln	Nina Light Shinaberry
Nachette Annette Classens	James Derek O'Brien	Rebekah J. Snyder
Gilbert O. Colley, Jr.	Mary Sue F. Richardson	Steven W. Spencer
Barbara Jean Corbett	Jacqueline Anne Rollyson	Bruce Alan Tincher

FOR THE REGENTS BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE

Eloise Bagley*	Valerie Leigh Honaker	John Carlton Poindexter*
Marsha Ann Casdorff	Robert Lee Johnson	Linda Kay Richards
Judy Lucinda Codling*	Keith Mansfield Jones*	Myrtle A. Smith
Karen A. Condaras	Jeannette Pence Joslin*	Carl W. Steele
Donald Page Conner	Doris Mae King	Marianne L. Sydenstricker
Katherine A. Daniels	Thomas Cecil McLaughlin	Gloria Jean Tyler
Truus Hermine Delfor-Broner	Jack C. Marcum	Ella Jo B. Walker*
Thomas W. Eynon	Joyce Hartsfield Marlowe	Sandra Jo Westfall
Miral Kay McKisic Gibson	Malcolm Keith Nichols	Fred Bishop Woods*
Douglas R. Grant*	Steven Eugene O'Dell	Charles Wright, Jr.
Jeffrey Stephen Greathouse	Donald Burton Paitsel	Douglas Alan Yanak
Thomas William Griffith	David E. Pauley	B. J. Zotter
John Steven Halley	Jackie Andrews Petrella*	

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Garry Lee Cunningham	Nancy Lea Joseph*	Philip Allen Simmons
Joseph Leonard Davenport*	Harry Frederick Mangus*	Donna Lynn Teuscher*
Joseph Charles Doran	Stefan Kent Mierau	Linda Kay Woodson
Karla Lea Drenner*	Eric Frank Pauley	Kimberly Jo Young

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Timothy Allan Bailey	Gary Wayne Hendricks	Robert A. Sheets
Stephanie Ann Burroughs	Judith Renee Hurd	Gary Quintin Sheff
Michael Lee Conley*	Jay Clark Kight*	Andrew Frederick Stec
Thomasthene Love Davis	Terry Harold Lucas*	Robert Whitney Swartz
Robert Lee Dawkins, Jr.*	Teresa Silvia Lucero*	James Robert Tardy*
Maureen Elizabeth Dillard	Katherine Yvonne Chaffin Moore	Susan Lori Thompson
Gerald Kenton Edwards	Mary Dykeman Myers	Michael Stephen Trahan
Brian Edward Elliott	Mark Edward Parsley*	Sammie Lee Truelove, Jr.
Leon Brent Ervin	Rebecca Susan Reynolds	Jerry Michael Turner
Donna Jo Goldberg	Daniel Clark Reed*	James Andrew Waddell*
Nancy Lee Gooding	Timothy M. Rowan	Jon Mark Watkins
John Daniel Hambrick	Ann Maria Rudinsky	John Cole Winter
Cheri Ann Harpold		

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATIONS

Eric Eugene Flemons	Alaric Vincent Robinson
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FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Margaret Grace Christenson	Patricia Alyson Hendrick	Dale Mitchell Reese*
Louis Steven Dodd	Terence Lee Kizer	Larry Donell Smith
Lorne James Harvey	Ed Lee Ravenell, Jr.	

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Debra Lynn Arvon*	Alice Lee Green	Debra Lynn Roberts
Lois Gay Adkins Asbury	Flora Jean Hall	Jacqueline Renee Ryan
Debbie Kay Atkins	Donna June Hanshew	Robin Lyn Saulton
Michael Chase Bowers	Kimberly Ann Higginbotham	Sherry Lynn Setser
Lois Fay Casto*	Judy Lynn Jones	Geneva Sue Shaw
Kimberly Dawn Clemons	Virgil Waldo Jones, Jr.	Beverly Ann Sheldon
Lisa Dawn Cox	David Lee Kessell	Ann Burmeister Shilling
Shari Morgan Dunbar	Kelly Ann Kinsolving	Carol Antoinette Shepherd
Garland Lenn Eary*	J. Linders McGill, III	Judy R. Smart
Oscar Harrison Faulkner*	Dennis Warren Moses*	David Wayne Stone
Kimberly Kay Foster	David Earl Peters	Michael Allen Weeks*
Jodie Melissa Frazier	Cathy Lorraine Poston	Nancy Carol White
Kathy Ann Gibson	Randolph L. Reed, Sr.	Lisa Dawn Zickefoose

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Franklin Dewayne Parsons*

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN RECREATION SERVICE

Veronica Ann Kunkel

Teresa Riley Valentino

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SOCIAL WORK

Semona Monique Atkinson

Kimberly Lynn Young

Order of Exercises

COMMISSIONEES IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES
LTC Quewanncoii C. Stephens, Professor of Military Science

GRADUATING OFFICERS

KIZER, Terence L, Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Columbus, Ohio

HARVEY, Lorne J., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Lake City, South Carolina

ROBINSON, Alaric V., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Newton, Mississippi

SMITH, Larry D., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Orlando, Florida

TRUELOVE, Sammie L. Jr., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Caledonia, Mississippi

WOODSON, Linda, K., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Charleston, West Virginia

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COMMENTARY President Thomas W. Cole, Jr.

THE STUDENT RESPONSE Karen A. Condaras

THE ALUMNI PLEDGE P. Ahmed Williams
President, West Virginia State College Alumni Association

To join hands with other alumni in perpetuating the ideals of my college, nurturing its growth and promoting its program, to serve with honor in my chosen profession and to make of myself a symbol of the best traditions of my college—this is my commission and my challenge.

MUSIC—*Alma Mater* *Spencer-Wade*
P. Ahmed Williams, Conductor

RECESSIONAL—The Kensington *Paul Whear*

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ELECTED TO ALPHA KAPPA MU—NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Garry Lee Cunningham Hazel V. Lincoln Kimberly Jo Young
Virgil W. Jones, Jr.

ELECTED TO ALPHA DELTA MU—NATIONAL SOCIAL WORK HONOR SOCIETY

Kimberly Lynn Young

ELECTED TO ALPHA KAPPA DELTA—NATIONAL SOCIOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY

Mary Sue Richardson Rebecca Lena Casdorff Rebekah J. Snyder

ELECTED TO ALPHA MU GAMMA—NATIONAL COLLEGIATE FOREIGN LANGUAGE HONOR SOCIETY

Hazel V. Lincoln

ELECTED TO BETA KAPPA CHI—SCIENTIFIC HONOR SOCIETY

Eric Frank Pauley Garry Lee Cunningham

ELECTED TO KAPPA DELTA PI—AN HONOR SOCIETY IN EDUCATION

Lois Gay Adkins Asbury Randolph L. Reed, Jr. Nancy Carol White
Virgil Waldo Jones, Jr. Sherry Lynn Setser Lisa Dawn Zickefoose
David Earl Peters Judy R. Smart Jodie Melissa Frazier

ELECTED TO PHI ALPHA THETA—INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY IN HISTORY

Garry Lee Cunningham
Lois Gay Adkins Asbury

Shari Morgan Dunbar

Sherry Lynn Setser

ELECTED TO PI SIGMA ALPHA—AN HONOR SOCIETY IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Gilbert O. Colley, Jr.
Rebekah J. Snyder

Steven N. Spencer

Bruce A. Tincher

ELECTED TO PSI CHI—NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY IN PSYCHOLOGY

Loretta Ann Bostic
Karen A. Condaras

Jacqueline Anne Rollyson

Nina Light Shinaberry

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ACADEMIC DRESS COLORS

One of the colorful aspects of a college commencement ceremony is the colors of the academic dress. These colors have a significance deeply rooted in the tradition of the academic life.

The colors of the tassels worn by candidates for baccalaureate degrees represent the fields of knowledge in which the degrees will be conferred. At West Virginia State College the following colors are used to designate the various fields of study.

Bachelor of Arts	White
Bachelor of Science	Yellow
Business Administration	Drab
Communications	Yellow
Criminal Justice	Velvet Blue
Education	Light Blue
Industrial Technology	Orange
Recreation Service	Yellow
Social Work	Citron
Associate Degrees	White

The colors of the hoods of faculty and guests are those of the institution conferring the degree.

GRAND MARSHAL—

Associate Professor Thomas R. Cabbell

ASSISTANT MARSHALS—

- Associate Professor R. Charles Byers
- Associate Professor Clyde P. Campbell
- Associate Professor Odaris Farmer
- Associate Professor Charlotte Finney
- Associate Professor Rosa Pickel
- Associate Professor Roland Sevy
- Associate Professor Steven West

ALMA MATER
OF WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE

ERNEST WADE '30

MARTHA SPENCER '31

There is a place we love so dear—
Its name we'll ever praise and revere
'Tis West Virginia State we love—
Just one more step from there is Heav'n above.

REFRAIN:

West Virginia's praise we'll sing—
Lift our voices 'till heavens ring—
As we gaily march along—
We'll sing a song—
For Alma Mater
How we love her
Pride of all our loyal hearts—
From her we will never part—
Thoughts of thee will ne'er be few
Alma Mater we love you.

We'll love her more as days go by,
And send her praises to the sky;
To place her over all the rest,
And keep her e'er the dearest and the best.

Shadowed 'neath a deep blue sky;
Is STATE for whom we'll live and we'll die—
Arise! O men of God and sing;
We're loyal, and to her we'll always cling.

