



60th ANNIVERSARY

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FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL LECTURESHIP

**I KNOW THE LORD
WILL MAKE A WAY...**

Great Leaders



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Elders - Graduation Class 1996
L/R D. H. Kirby; Floyd Hayes;
Bert Embry; James Bobbitt



Danny Braddock



Tony Callahan



Warren Davenport



Greg Mangrum



Harold Mangrum



Keith McAlister



Eddie F Ray III

Great Facilities



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Floor designed by Joe Nichols

Class 1969 - Foyer of new school building

OPENING OF NEW FACILITIES CELEBRATED

A wonderful crowd of over 300 people saw the inauguration of the new addition to the building which houses the Memphis School of Preaching on Saturday, February 27, 1988. Most of those present stayed for the "Preview for Prospects" activities which followed. One of the Knight Arnold elders, who oversees the School, described the events as "a truly great day in the history of the School."

The "Open House" started with a delicious breakfast prepared and served by Knight Arnold men, after which Robert R. Taylor, Jr., Ripley, Tennessee, commended the work of Knight Arnold and the School, as well as the new facilities. After Harold Mangrum, elder, spoke concerning the history and work of the School, Floyd Hayes, elder, made special presentations to A. C. Carpenter, Eddy G. Hagstrom, James Houston, and Thomas Watson, former Airways elders, who helped make the new building possible. He also presented a plaque to sister Stoy Pate, in honor of brother Pate's many years as a great gospel preacher.

The audience then toured the much needed new facilities. They include additional offices, a greatly enlarged library, a planned radio/television studio, storage, and a large meeting area which can seat 550 at tables and which doubles to accommodate very large classes. The new addition contains nearly 10,000 square feet of space.

The "Preview for Prospects" program followed. It was very exciting and well attended. Many prospects and friends were present from numerous states. After introductions to the work of the School, six current students delivered lessons.

Following a delicious lunch prepared and served by Knight Arnold ladies, Garland Elkins, Getwell, delivered a great lesson on the glories of preaching. The program was concluded by Roger Jackson, alumni president, who delivered an exciting message on the activities of the Memphis School of Preaching Alumni Association.



Great Faculty

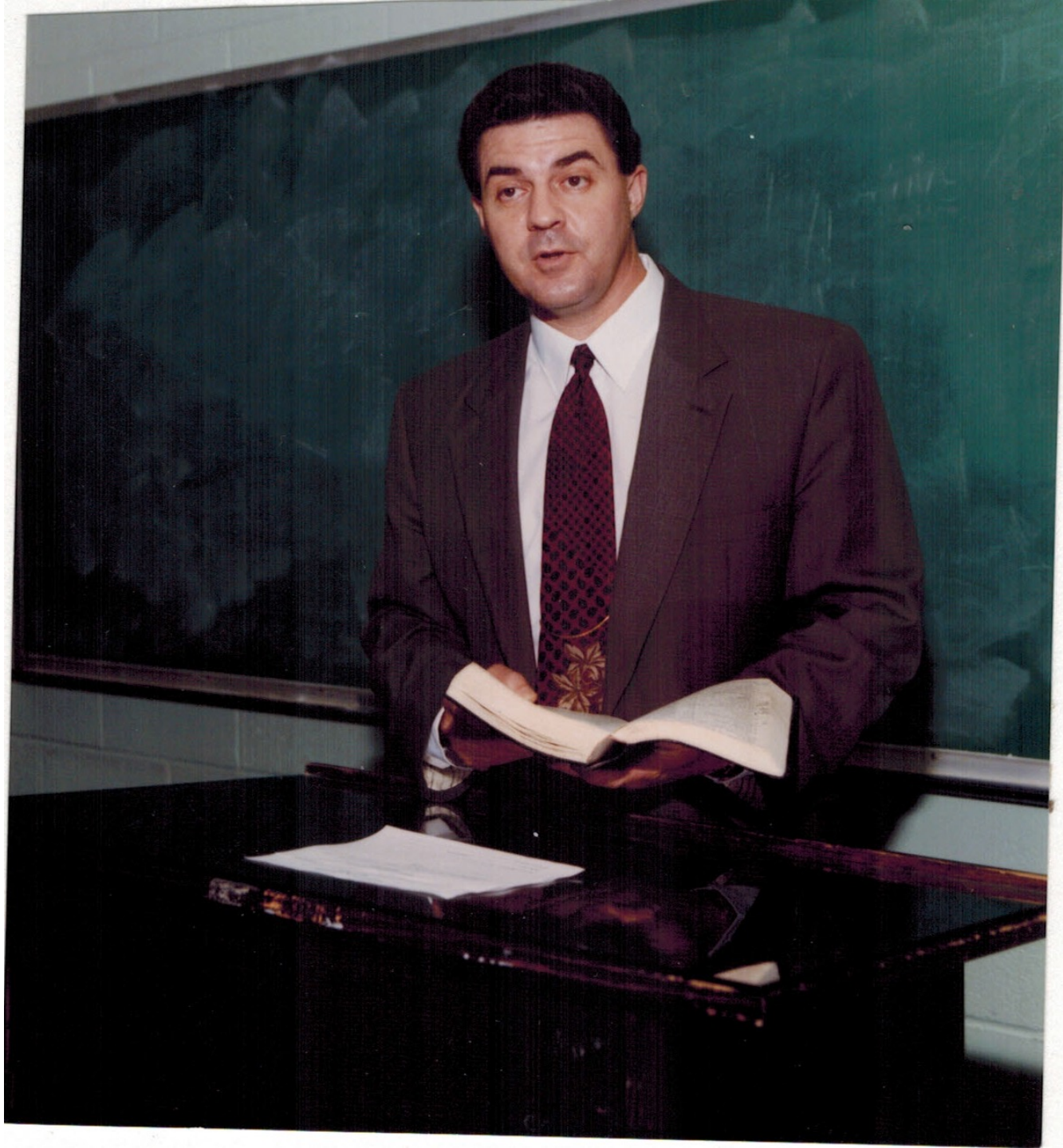
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Rod →

Faculty - MSOP





Richard Curry

Jeff Clark - 1985



Jeff Frame 1986
John Renshaw - Instructor



Great Events



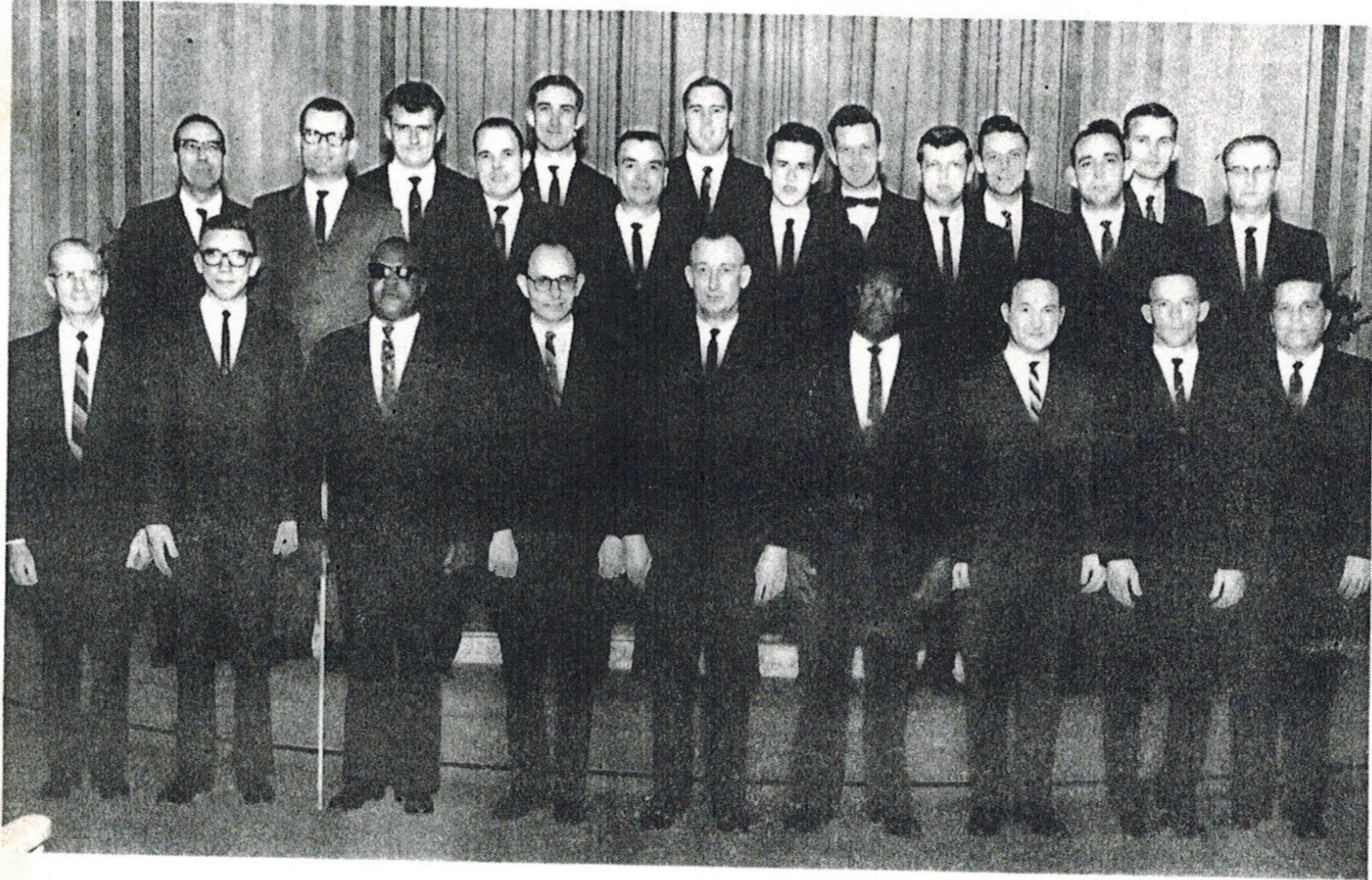
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Memphis School of Preaching



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GRADUATION PROGRAM

JUNE 25, 1972

Opening Prayer..... D. H. Kirby

Song Leader Danny Joiner

No. 129 - Throw Out the Life-Line
No. 103 - Seeking the Lost

Invocation F. M. Hayes

Song: No. 85 - I Need Thee Every Hour

Presentation of Speaker E. L. Whitaker

Sermon and address Robert R. Taylor
Evangelist, Church of Christ, Ripley, Miss.

The Lord's Invitation Robert R. Taylor

Invitation Song: No. 157 Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

Prayer J. A. Bobbitt

Presentation of Class R. L. Curry

Presentation of Certificates Roy J. Hearn

Congratulations to Students Elders
J. A. Bobbitt; F. M. Hayes; D. H. Kirby

Expression to Congregation .. Edward F. Allard, Jr.

Song: No. 51 - Soldiers of Christ, Arise!

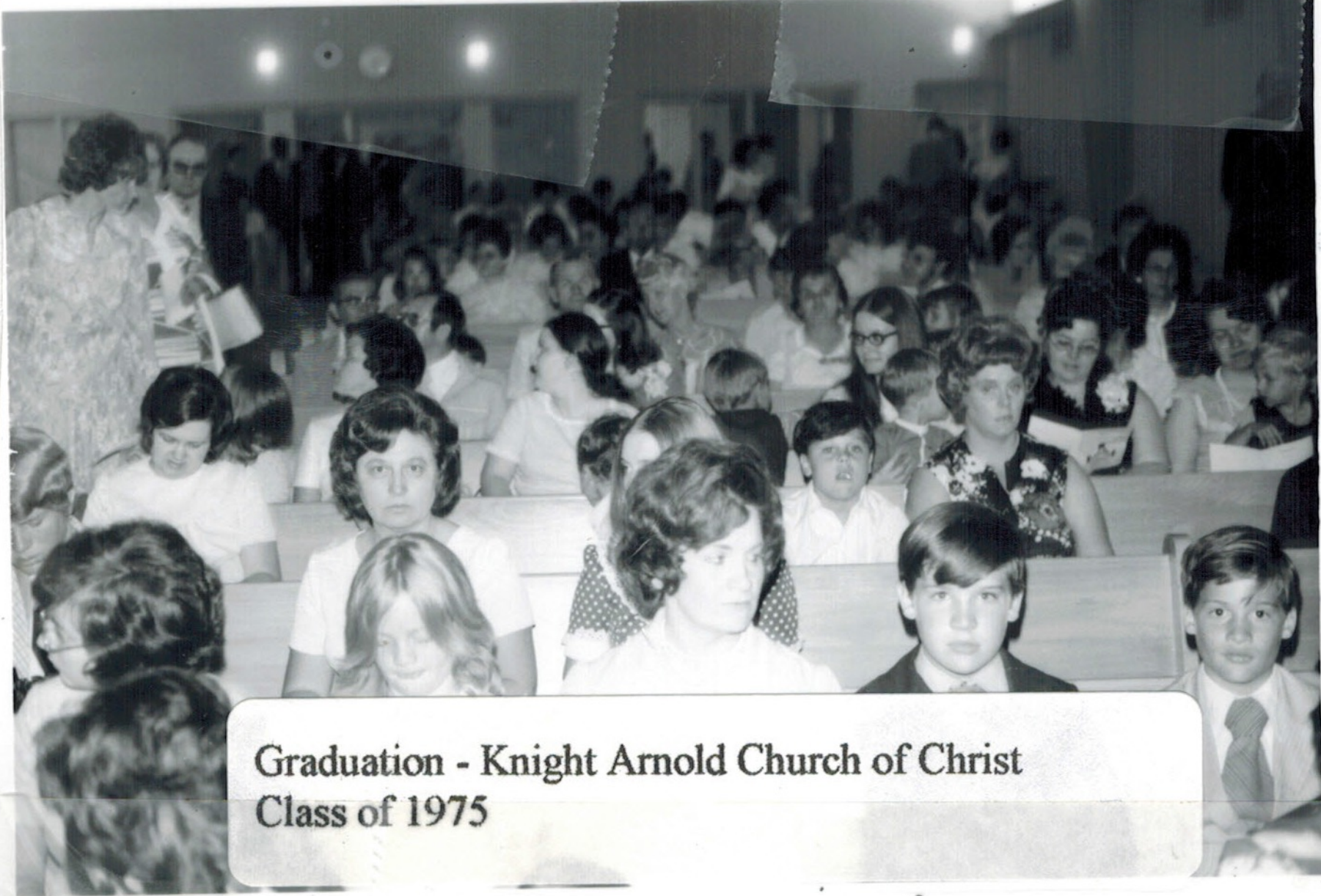
Benediction Malcolm Siler

MSOP Graduation 1972
Knight Arnold church of Christ





Graduation 1975



Graduation - Knight Arnold Church of Christ
Class of 1975

The
Memphis School of Preaching
ALUMNI
proudly present
the first annual
"PREVIEW for
PROSPECTS DAY"

February 27, 1988

Let's Get Acquainted

M.S.O.P. – Its History

This "oldest school of preaching east of the Mississippi River" will soon enter its *twenty-third* year (1988-1989) of training men to preach the "power of God" (Romans 1:16).

Fifteen men from seven states enrolled in the first class in 1966. Since then, nearly three hundred fifty have graduated and entered the battle for truth.

The elders of the Knight Arnold Church of Christ and the faculty believe in the verbal, plenary inspiration of the Bible, Restoration principles, and are opposed to radicalism and liberalism.

The school desires to send out men who love the Word of God and who are set for the defense and proclamation of the gospel of Christ.

Why This Event . . . ?

The Memphis School of Preaching Alumni Association has felt for some time that their exists a need to acquaint interested brethren with the school, its faculty, and its facilities. We want all to know the good being done and the means that are available to the school for training men (and their wives) in the Word of God.

Each alumnus of this school has known the closeness of fellowship while in class and after graduation. We want others to realize that a school exists where God's Word is exalted and where *eternal* friendships are begun.

This "Preview for Prospects" day is our way of letting others know how much we love and appreciate the school, and how much we desire all who would preach to have opportunity to attend.

What Will We Do During This Special Day . . . ?

February 27, 1988

- 8:00 A.M. Buffet Breakfast
10:00 A.M. CHAPEL
Welcome! Elders: Knight Arnold
Church of Christ
Director: Curtis A. Cates
Academics: Keith A. Mosher, Sr.
Student Affairs: Rod Rutherford
Communications: Jim Dearman
10:30 Class presidents to speak: "How Much I Enjoy the School"
10:45 Break
11:00 Oratorical Presentations – Current Students
12:00 Lunch will be served in the new building.
1:00 Guest Speaker: Garland Elkins
1:30 Roger Jackson: The Alumni
1:45 Discussion with faculty
2:15 Chapel
2:30 Dismissal

Great Staff



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Rachel Welbain Jennifer Fugua,
and Jeon Taylor 1985





Super MSOP
Secretaries

Super Busy!

Super MSOP Secretaries—Super Busy



Super MSOP Secretaries—Super Busy!





Graduation Tea
1986

Tony
Belcher

*Great
Workers!*



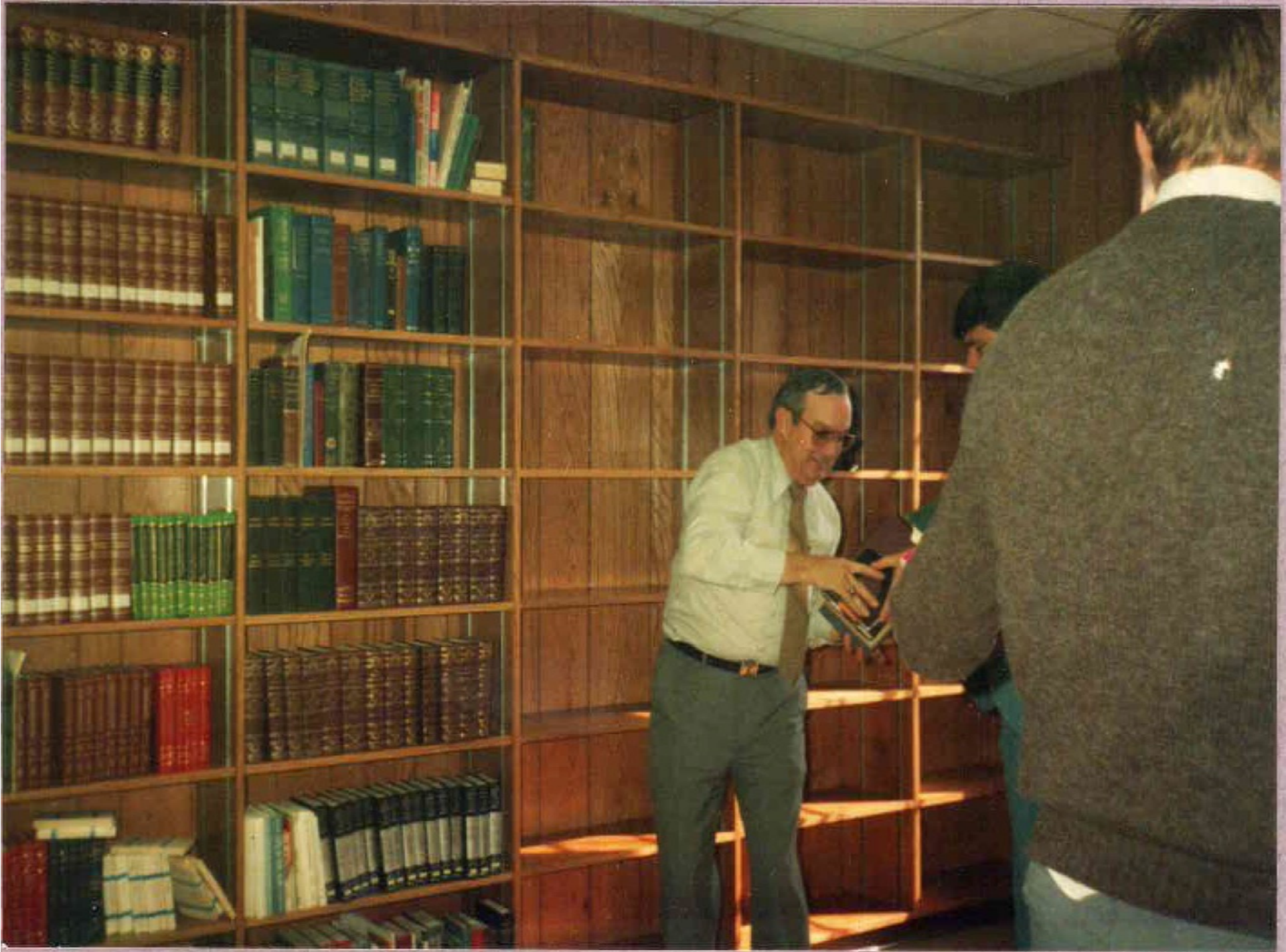
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Also, among the duties of the student wives is that of baby-sitting every day. This includes nursery and school age. On Tuesday night they also decorate for the Alumni Banquet.







Great Students



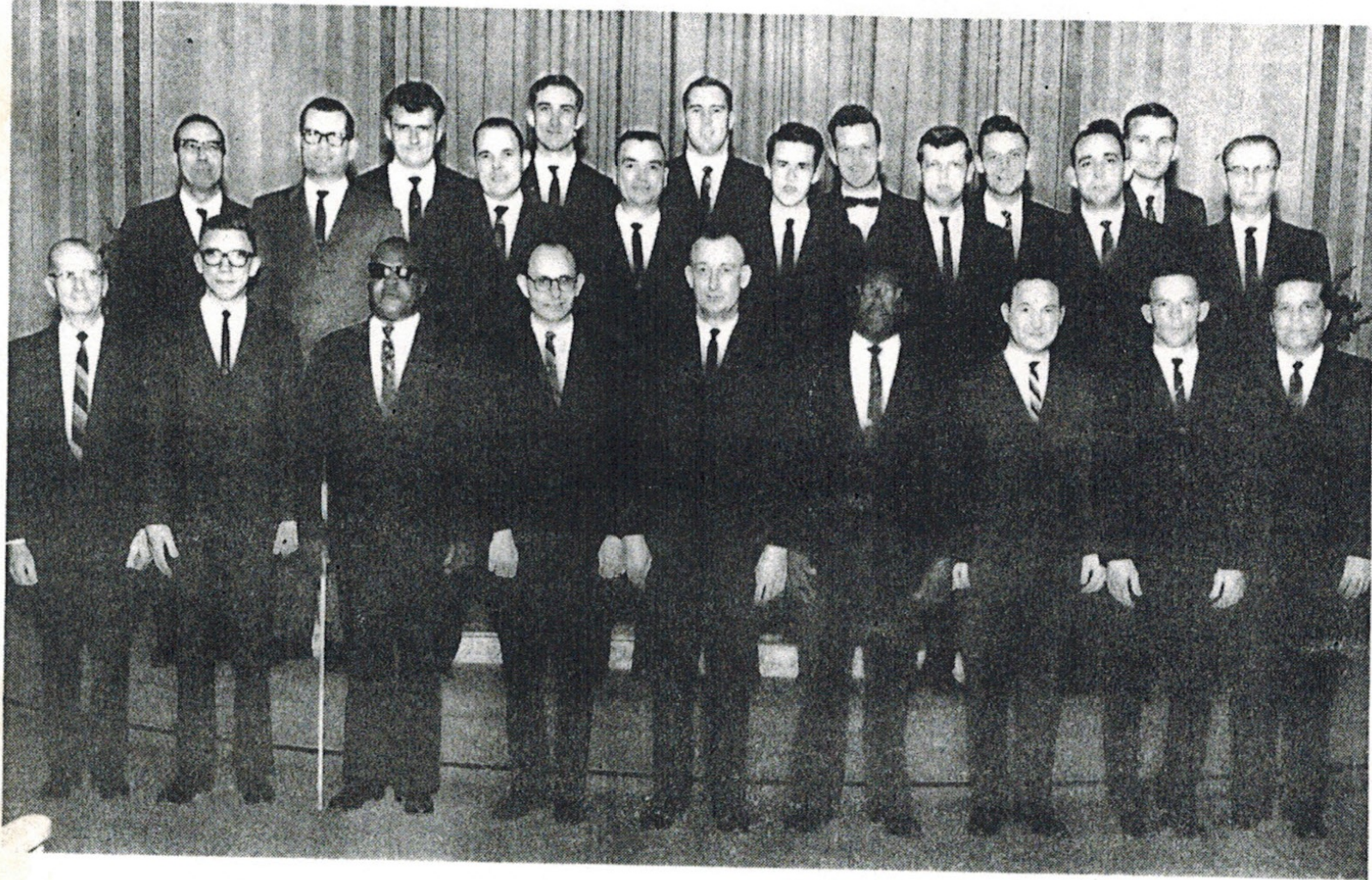
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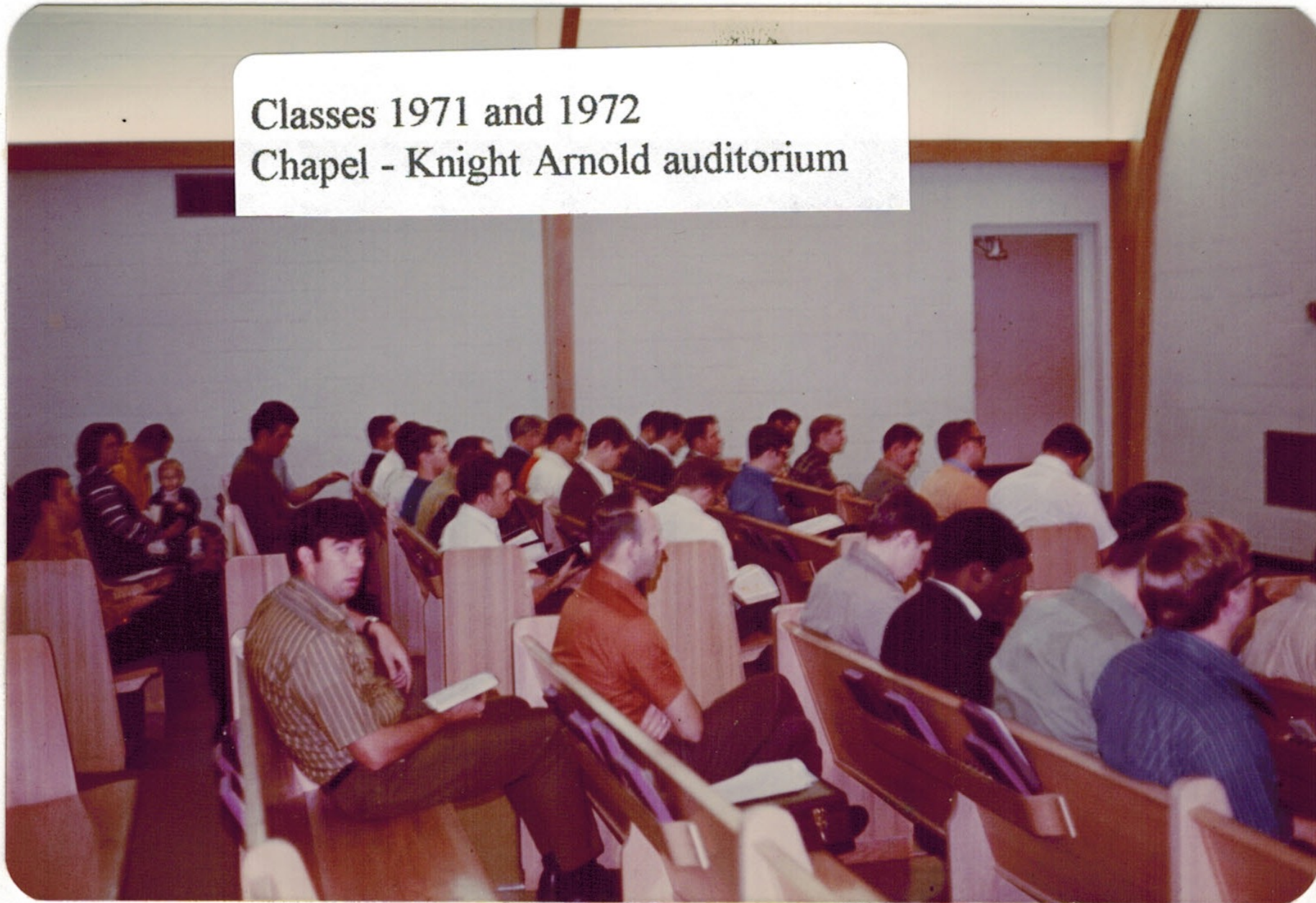
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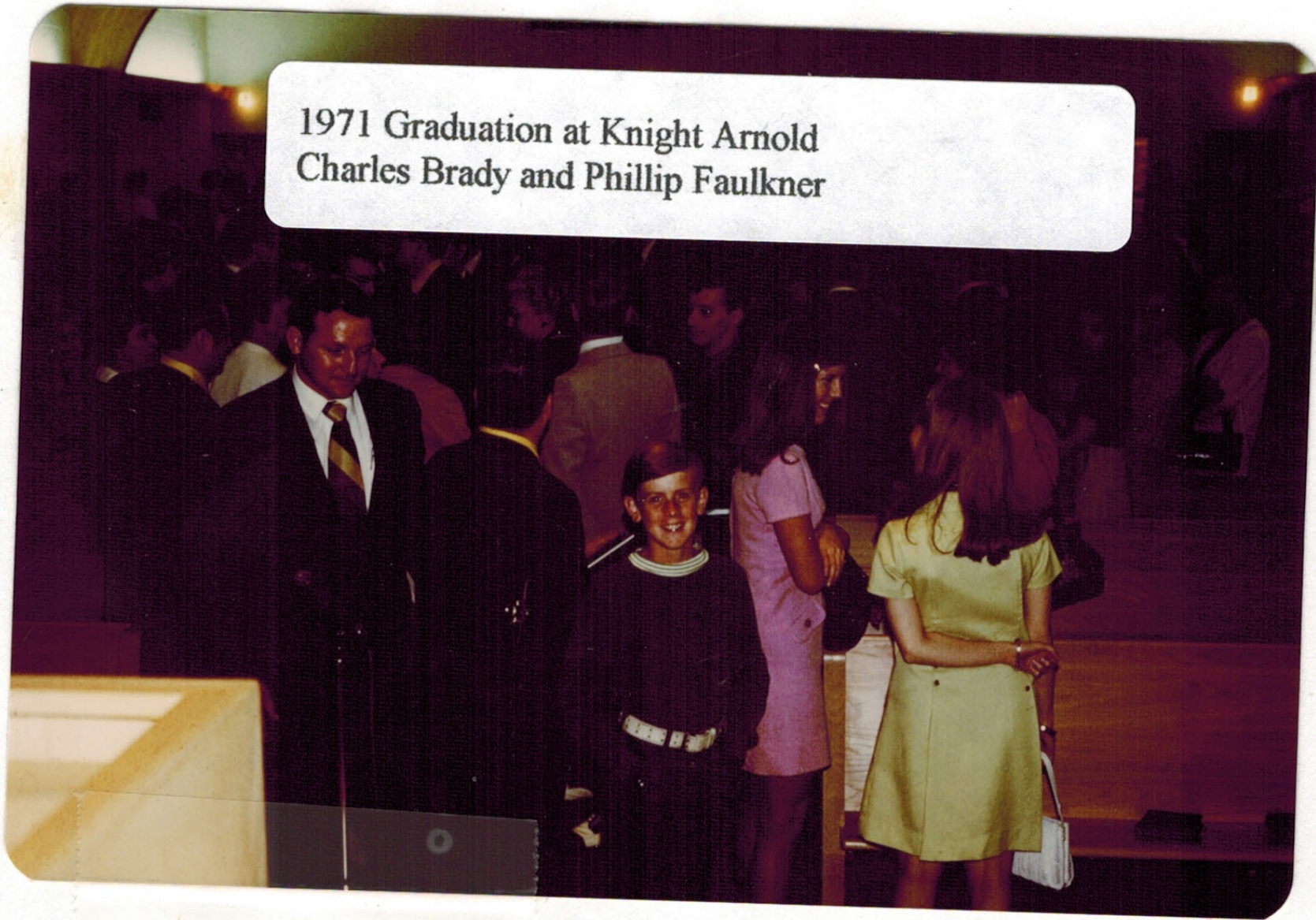


A Beginning 1966 - 67 (Spring)

Classes 1971 and 1972
Chapel - Knight Arnold auditorium



1971 Graduation at Knight Arnold
Charles Brady and Phillip Faulkner







Donald Rhodes - Class 1969

DONALD RHODES

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

2001



ANDREWS, HAROLD (Skip)

114 16th St., Elkins, W.Va. 26241; Telephone (304) 636-4380; Home Congregation: Roseville, Mich.; Birth: June 2, 1950, Detroit Mich.; Baptized: Sept. 6, 1964 by Martel Pace; Wife: Helen Burch, Married: July 11, 1970; Children: Lori Anne - 8, Michael Gordon - 6; Began Preaching: Sept. 1970, Bates Hill, Ohio; Training: Memphis School of Preaching (1968-70), Ohio Valley College (6 hrs), Ohio University (1 1/3 yrs), Alabama Christian School of Religion (1 yr.); Churches Served: Bates Hill, Ohio (13 mos), Lisbon, Ohio (16 mos), Verona, Miss. (2 yrs), Bethesda, Ohio (2 yrs), Elkins, W. Va. (3 1/2 yrs); References: Roy J. Hearn, Tom Butterfield, Vienna, W.Va., Perry Henegar, Clarksburg, W.W.V, Jerry Yost, Duffy, Ohio; Permanent Contact: Gordon Andrews, Rt. 6 Box 156, Pontotoc, Miss. 38863 (489-5301); Other Facts: Board of Directors, W.V. Christian Youth Camp (Co-Director, Junior Week), Conduct 2 meetings per year, operate a bookstore (Search the Scriptures), teach classes at Huttonsville Correctional Center.



Skip and Helen
Andrews

HAROLD (SKIP) ANDREWS

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

1994





Sidney White
Class of 1970

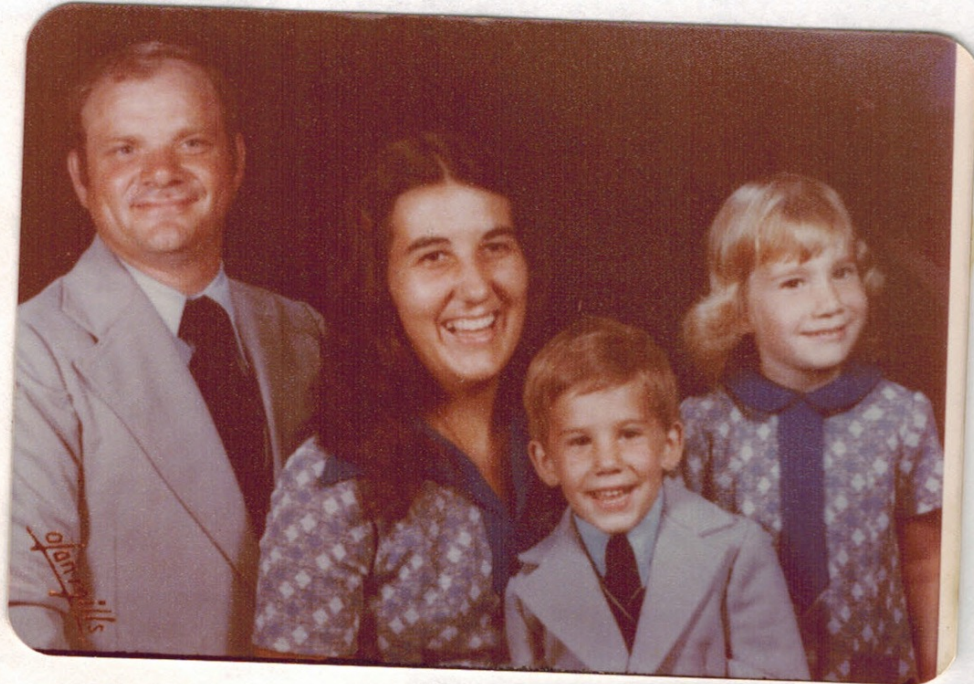


Nick Deiger 1971

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NICHOLAS E. DEIGER
ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

1996





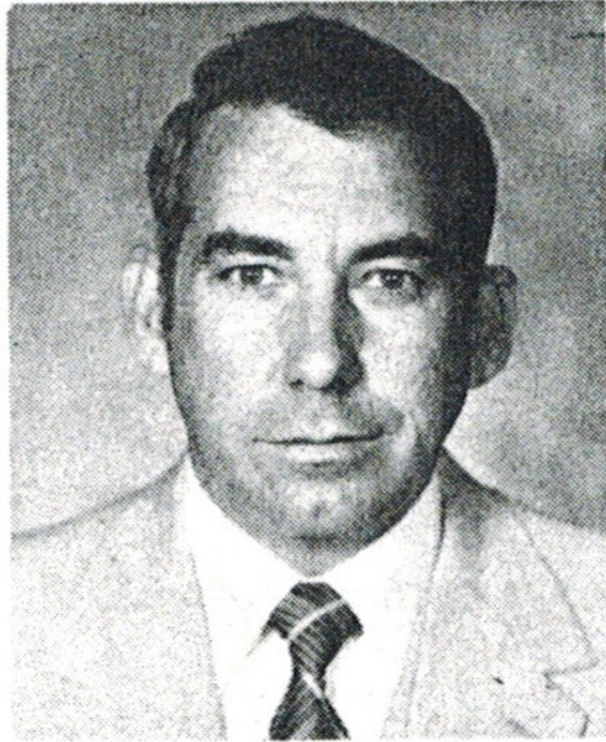
BOB SPURLIN 1971



T J Clarke - 1972



Wesley Simons , Class 1972



WINTON, BOBBY L.

Rt. 2 Box 472, Decherd, Tenn. 37324; Telephone: (615) 967-9036; Home Congregation: Oak Grove; Birth: Nov. 19, 1938, Hillsboro, Tenn.; Baptized: Aug. 1959; Wife: Marie, Married: July 29, 1959; Children: Timothy - 19, Freda - 18, Sue 16, Clint - 12, Judith - 6; Began Preaching: Pordenone, Italy, 1961; Training: Memphis School of Preaching (1970-72), GED 1965; Churches Served: Macon, Tenn., Sunny Slope, Paducah, Ky., Coffeeville, Miss., Oak Grove, Decherd, Tenn.; References: Roy J. Hearn, 4400 Knight-Arnold

Rd., Memphis, Tenn. 38118, Ed Allard, 115 E. Richardson, Oxford, Ga. 30267; Permanent Contact: Mrs. Winnie Winton, 714 Madison St., Manchester, Tenn. 37355 (615) 728-7819; Other Facts: Dial-A-Devotion Program (Daily for 3 years), Radio programs (6 years), County Youth Program Director (1979-80).



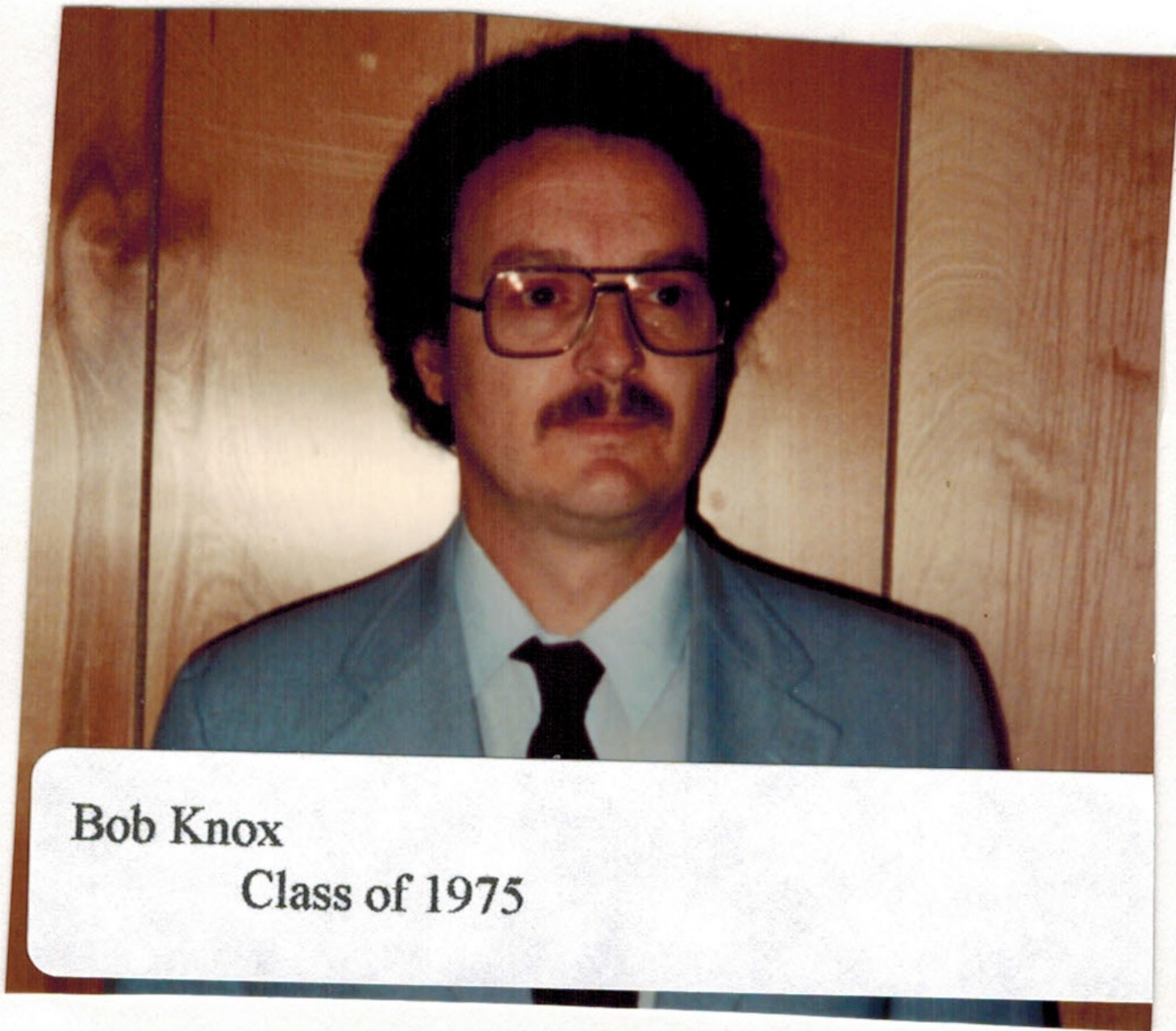
Rod Rutherford - Class 1974



ROD RUTHERFORD

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

1991



Bob Knox

Class of 1975



Keith Mosher - Class of ~~1973~~ 1975



Jim Dearman - Class of 1976
Janice, Courtney and Tiffany



JIM DEARMAN

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

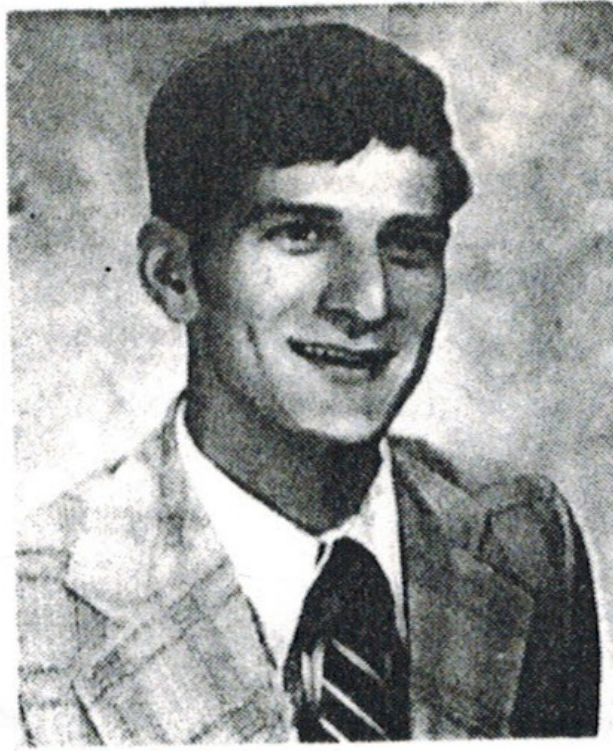
1992



Michael Hughes
Class 1976



Billy Bland - Class of 1977
And Terry



HAYES, RONALD ETHBERT

P. O. Box 26, Aubrey, Ark. 72311; Telephone: (501) 295-6570; Home Congregation: Blackwater Macedonia Church of Christ, Jasper, Ala.; Birth: Nov. 26, 1954, Birmingham, Ala.; Baptized: August 15, 1965 by Bob Duncan; Wife: Cynthia Reeves Hayes, Married: Dec. 31, 1975; Children: Leah Danielle - 2; Began Preaching: 24th St. Church of Christ, Jasper, Ala. 1976; Training: Freed-Hardeman (1½ yrs), Memphis School of Preaching; Churches Served: Merton St. Church of Christ, Memphis, Tenn., Aubrey Church of

Christ, Aubrey, Ark. (1978-); References: Jimmie Manley, Rt. 1, Marianna, Ark. 72360, Bob Duncan c/o 6th Ave. Church of Christ, Jasper, Ala. 35501; Permanent Contact: W. E. Hayes, Rt. 2, Nauvoo, Ala., R. H. Reeves, Rt. 1, Nauvoo, Ala. 35578.



Bobby Liddell - Class of 1979
Joan and children



BOBBY LIDDELL

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

1997



Keith Dixon.. Class of 1980
Wife Becky and children





Eddy Gilpin
Class of 1985

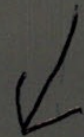
Mike McDaniel



Melvin Sapp



Chuck
Katz





Mike McDaniel



mike, martha, Ryan & Kayla



David Looney - 1986



Allen Webster
1986



Allen Wehster 1986
and family

Riley, Susie, Mark & Andrew Nelson



Riley Nelson - Class of 1987





Here the students are getting ready for one of their chapel services.



Bobby Knox and Bobby Gayton
Class of 1975

Great Fellowship



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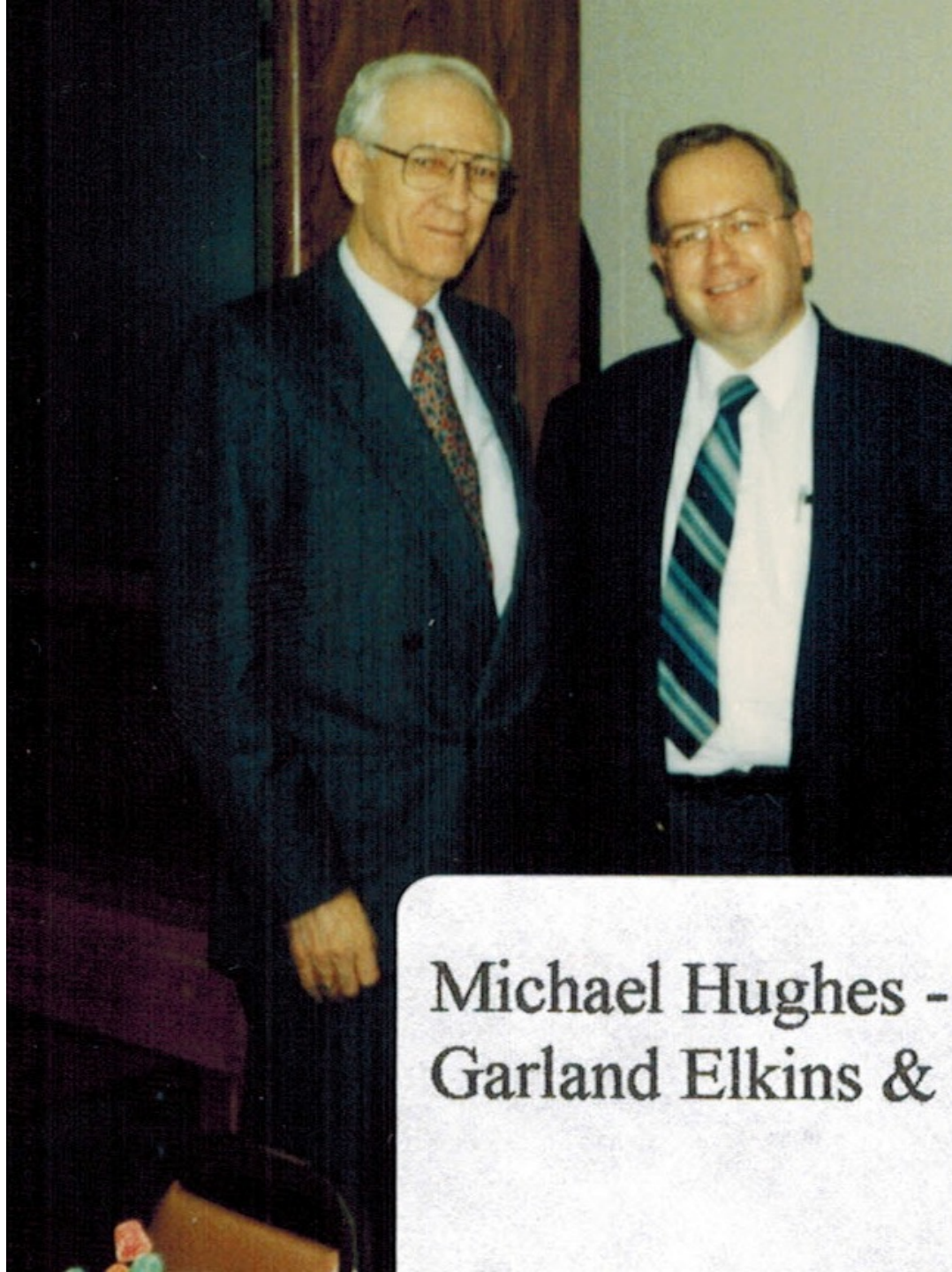


Student Banquet



1985 - Play Ball





Michael Hughes -
Garland Elkins &





Graduation Tea - Class 1986









84 year old man converted
during campaign



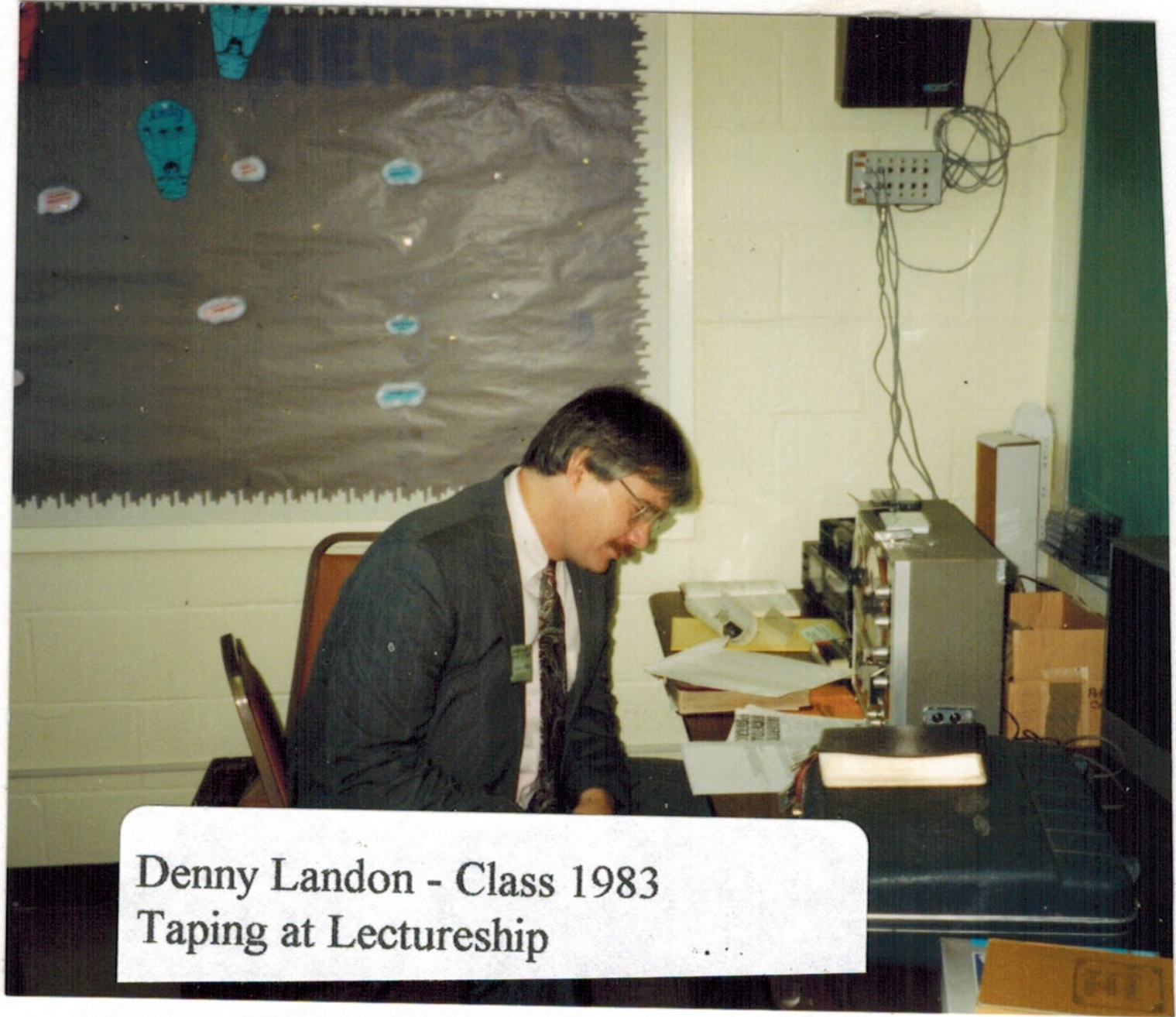
T.J. Clarke
Campaign 1984

David Looney

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Glenn Hitchcock Class 1982



Denny Landon - Class 1983
Taping at Lectureship









Lectureship 1997 at Knight Arnold





Martha Manley; Harold Mangrum
and brother Manley at Graduation
Tea class 1996

Banquet 1979



Great Memories!



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