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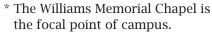
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### Presidents' Messages

Dear Alumnus,

James Forsythe would be very proud of College/School of the Ozarks 100 years after he founded it in 1906 as "a school ... to offer the best intellectual training under the best possible moral and Christian auspices."

Even though I graduated nearly thirty-three years ago,
some things remain unchanged on
the campus.



- \* Lake Honor provides a beautiful setting for students, faculty, staff and visitors.
- \* Work ethic is primary.
- \* Applicants with financial need are given preference.
- \* Bad character and behavior earn students a one-way pass home.
- \* Graduates are viewed with great favor by employers far and wide.

It gives me great assurance when I hear Dr. Davis say that College of the Ozarks will remain true to its mission to provide a Christian education, especially for those students who are financially deserving.

I like what I see when I drive down Opportunity Avenue, turn on Vocational Way, Cultural Street, and Academic Avenue, and wind



Richard Miller

my way back by Spiritual Street. We should all be thankful for the commitment to remain focused on these core values.

Alumni, more than anyone else, should be the focus group that provides guidance and support in helping keep our institution true to

its mission. We can do that by being involved. We are proud to have eight alumni serving on the C of O Board of Trustees. Not all of us can serve on the Board, but we can all provide input, guidance and support. Each year, there are a number of Alumni Association committee positions available. Please let me know if you are interested in serving on a committee. Local chapters provide opportunities for involvement. The Alumni meeting at Homecoming gives us a chance to meet with all college administrators.

All alumni should be proud of the new Alumni Center. I hope you will visit the facility soon, enjoy its spacious comfort, browse the memorial gift bricks around the gazebo, and reminisce in the archive room. By the way, you may still designate \$500 for a gift brick, and proceeds will benefit capital improvements of the Alumni Center.

Our current interim Alumni project is assisting the College in meeting the challenge match of the Willard and Pat Walker Charitable Trust for construction of new facilities at the hog farm. Our alumni goal is \$100,000 by July 1, 2006. At the end of the year we had met \$80,000 of this goal. If you have not given yet, I encourage you to help. All undesignated giving will go to this project, and plans will be solidified for our next major project by July 1.

As alumni, we have a vested interest in the future of our college. I am reminded of Jesus' words from Luke 12:48 where we are told much is required of those who have been entrusted with much. Most of us have been entrusted with much. We were all given a tremendous opportunity to receive a good education at College/School of the Ozarks. I encourage you to give generously to help others receive the same blessing. I believe you will be blessed as a result.

Thank you for everything you do for College of the Ozarks. I hope to see you at the Forsythe Fellows luncheon in May.

> Kind regards, Richard S. Miller Alumni Association President

Dear Alumnus,

The spring semester is in full force. The students are refreshed and rested after a much-needed holiday break following a busy fall semester. New

freshmen, with excitement after a fun-packed character camp, have embarked on a new page in their lives.

To get things rolling this spring semester, Student Senate started off with the traditional Welcome Week. This welcome week is cram-packed with exciting activities such as skating, movie, and dance nights.



Tonya Bilyeu

During Welcome Week, Student Senate also hosts a student book sale which enables the students to buy and sell their books at their own prices.

Student Senate will host other activities this semester including the monthly coffee house, dorm open houses, Spring Formal and more. We are very grateful to all the students that work and help make these events possible.

As always, we here at College of the Ozarks look forward to meeting you when you come back to visit. God bless you throughout this new year!

> Sincerely, Tonya Bilyeu, Student Body President

Dear Alumnus,

Recently, the College was, for the second year, named by Young America's Foundation (YAF) as one of the "Top Ten Conservative Colleges" in the nation. The Foundation recognizes colleges that proclaim, through their mission and programs, an active dedication to maintaining and strengthening the traditional values of its students.

This accolade provides an opportunity to reiterate the College's continued dedication to "providing a quality, Christian education to youth of both sexes who would otherwise be unable to procure such training." It is with this mission and earnest students that such pleasing results occur, and hardworking men and women go on to be great contributors to society.

As you know, the College of the Ozarks seeks to attract students who are looking for a college that not only provides the best education for a great price, but also a wholesome environment in which to excel. I believe you would agree that C of O graduates have a deep appreciation for

the quality of that combination.

Each fall, homecoming marks something special for the College, and last year was no exception. Many of you returned to see the Alumni Center dedicated in your honor. What a pleasure it was to see this facility dedicated, with so many present and ready to enjoy it. This fall the College will begin cele-



Jerry C. Davis

brating its Centennial Year in conjunction with the traditional homecoming festivities. It will surely be a year for all to remember.

With the addition of the Alumni Center facility, I hope you are encouraged to visit the campus soon and enjoy it. The annual Men's NAIA

Tournament will take place March 8-14, so don't miss out on some good, old-fashioned competition. Best wishes.

Sincerely, Jerry C. Davis President

ON THE COVER: Some of the highlights of Homecoming 2005: The dedication and open house at the Alumni Center, Karli Thomas was crowned Homecoming Queen, the Alumni Meritorious Award Recipients were honored at the Homecoming Breakfast at the Keeter Center, and everyone enjoyed the Homecoming parade.

Dear Alumnus.

The year 2006 is well underway and SAA members are excited about jumping into all the projects that we have in store for this semester. Homecoming was one of the main events during the fall semester, and it turned out to be very successful. SAA members put together a beautiful banner that thanked alumni for helping



Lindsey Boyer

to restore the Chapel. Members also assisted alumni with the Homecoming Memorial Service and at the alumni banquet on Saturday evening.

SAA was busy with several other activities during the fall semester. We participated in the National Make-A-Difference Day by collecting 48 books to donate to the local Boys and Girls Club. Also, members participated in the campus blood drive for the American Red Cross and rang the bells for the Salvation Army during the Christmas season. SAA, along with housing, held our annual Dollar Drive for the Salvation Army and collected a total of \$2,388.59, which went to the victims of Hurricane Katrina. In the past five years SAA has collected almost \$4,400

for the Salvation Army. During our November meeting, members put together boxes for the annual Operation Christmas Child. The organization collects and sends shoeboxes full of Christmas presents to needy children all over the world. Last year SAA members and volunteers put together 50 boxes, which brought our six-year total up to 654 boxes.

SAA has several activities planned for the spring semester. We started by welcoming the new students at the Newcomer Catwalk and Bash. The annual Phonathon was held February 20-23. SAA members contacted alumni to ask for pledges to the Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund. Over \$160,000 has been raised in the past seven years because of the generosity of our alumni! We hope we can count on you to support this wonderful project again next year. SAA members will also be helping with the NAIA tournament by serving as team hosts for the many visiting basketball teams. Finally, we will top off the semester by honoring our seniors at the Graduating Senior Reception in May.

May God bless you throughout this new year!
Sincerely,
Lindsey Boyer, SAA President

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### Plateaus of Giving

## FORSYTHE FELLOWS SOCIETY

A gift of \$100, or the accumulation of \$100 within a year, qualifies one as a Forsythe Fellow Society member.

#### PATRON SOCIETY

A gift of \$250, or the accumulation of \$250 in one year, qualifies one as a Patron Society member. A one-time plaque will be presented at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association the year the gift is given.

#### BENEFACTOR SOCIETY

A gift of \$1,000 or the accumulation of \$1,000 given in four years, qualifies one as a member of the Benefactor Society. A one-time plaque will be presented at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association the year the gift is given or completed.

#### FOUNDER SOCIETY

A gift of \$5,000 or the accumulation of \$5,000 given in four years, qualifies one as a member of the Founder Society. A one-time plaque will be presented at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association the year the gift is given or completed.

#### SPONSOR SOCIETY

A gift of \$10,000 or above, or the accumulation of \$10,000 given in four years, qualifies one as a member of the Sponsor Society. A one-time plaque will be presented at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association the year the gift is given or completed.

President Frieda Hornback presented Benefactor Society plaques to Dr. Fred Bugg, Ron Martin, and Laddie Tabor for Thomas Tabor.

### 2005 Plateaus of Giving

### **Forsythe Fellows**

Adams, Howard^
Adams, Violet (Frye) '39
Adams, Estol '44
Alexander, Douglas '66
Allred, Russell '43
Allred, Ernest '48
Allred, Reba (Morris) '50
Anderson, Robert^
Anderson, Sherri (Jeffery) '89
Anderson, Darlene (Carmical) '46
Andrews, Elizabeth 2005
Ansley, Jonathan '99
Arnold, Mary (Coursey) '92

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Arnold, Mary (Coursey) '92
Arnold, Rodney '91
Austin, Thomas '78
Ayers, Billy '51
Back, Karen (Carr) 2002
Bailey, Bonita (Orr) '44
Baker, Don '50
Barber, Charity (Baker) '38
Barker, David '61
Barlow, Jeff '91
Barnhart, Roberta (Henderson) '55

Basore, Harry '35
Baughman, Opal (Dixon) '42
Baughman, Donald\*\* '40
Bell, James '66
Bell, Tommy '48
Bell, Paul '45
Biggs, K. Dewayne '89
Bishop, Tony '85
Bishop, Stanley '63
Bishop, Mary Katherine
(Wymore) '83

Blackwell, Kim (Gray) '86 Blessin, Ann (DePew) '61 Blessman, Karen (Dagestad) '78 Bordeaux, Larry '51 Bothwell, Tawnya (Pettit) '97 Botts, Carlos '76 Braden, Jeremy 2005 Bradley, R. D. '51 Bradley, Sharon (Payne) '62 Braswell, Edris (Hulsey) '50 Bridges, Marvin '47 Brock, Darwin\*\* '37 Brooke, Judy (Dickerson) '84 Brown, Marilyn (Carson) '94 Brown, Jackie (Stewart) '52 Bruce, Roy '69 Bruce, Lavonna (Youngblood) '70

Bugg, M. Fred '66 Burkiett, Joseph '65 Burkiett, Edna (Vanderpool) '65 Butler, Diane (Watson) '73 Butler, Roger '72 Cantrell, Roberta (O'Dell) '50 Caperton, Seth

Buell, Juanita (Norris) '35

Caperton, Seth^
Carroll, Rhonda (Wood) '89
Carroll, William '90
Casey, William '62
Casper, Rick^
Cassatt, Nana (Sheppard) '59
Casteel, Michael '82

Chalmers, Leo '65 Chase, Monty '76 Chase, Beth (Cantrell) '77 Chastain, Jerry^

Childers, L. Doyle '72 Clarkson, Debbie (Charles) '78 Clayton, Terry '86

Cloin, Ose '62 Clower, Janet (Griffith) '49 Cobb, Jack '64

Cobb, Carole (Orr) '65 Cobb, Mary (Smith) '52 Collie, Sherilyn (Shafer) '77 Collie, Dallas '76

Cook, Kenneth '71 Cook, Linda (Hawkins) '70 Cooper, Alyce (Wilson) '55 Cossentine, Gloria (Wilbur) '84

Cozort, Steven '86 Creamer, Chris '98





(Left) Doris (Sitzes) Hughey received her Founder Society plaque during the Alumni Association Annual Meeting. (Right) Vera (Harris) Rose accepts her Sponsor Society plaque.

Crecelius, Steven '96 Gouge, Jeffry '76 Kastanas, John '84 Mier, Scott '81 Cross, James '80 Gouge, Susan (Houser) '80 Keith, Gayle (Garrison) '63 Mier, Rosemarie (Stringer) '81 Cross, Shirley (Gilchrist) '79 Grandstaff, Carol (Bell) '68 Kenyon, Bryal '60 Miller, William '59 Crutchfield, Jean (Edwards) '50 Grandstaff, Thomas '68 Miller, Richard '73 Kerr, Kent '73 Curl, Nancy (Howe) '74 Graves, R. Stephen '75 Kindred, Pamela (Gordon) '74 Miller, Carolyn (Lindt) '73 Davidson, Mary (Harnden) '68 Greene, Franklin '73 King, Kaye (Davis) '79 Miller, Stephen 2001 Davidson, David '67 Greene, Edna (Walter) '35 King, Terry '79 Miller, Margaret (Clark) '59 Davis, Eileen (Allred) '50 Greimann, Alan '85 Kinser, Cynthia (Casper) '02 Montgomery, Linda '69 Davis, Galen '86 Haas, Stephan '89 Kinser, James 2002 Moran, Laura (Williamson) '77 Davis, Valerie (Fillingham) '86 Hackett, Jessie (Kite) '33 Kirk, Viola (Fletcher) '43 Moran, Francis '76 Klott, Greg '94 Davis, Nathan '99 Hall, Esther '75 Morisset, Judy (Mackey) '55 Hammen, Chris '95 Kobyluk, Mary (Ford) '80 Mullens, Bennie '40 Davis, Leny 2002 Dixon, Anita (Grogan) '87 Hammond, Misha '92 Koogler, Jeffery '79 Mulliniks, Bill '63 Dodds, Robert '92 Hammond, Douglas '84 Kwok, David '77 Neal, Susan (Glawson) '79 Dodds, Sondra (Reed) '93 Hammond, Sandra (Crain) '83 Kwok, Nu (Lam) '79 Neal, Tom '65 Neff, Harry\*\* '47 Dudley, Lester '41 Hand, Betty (Presley) '73 Ladbasri, Samarn '76 Dudley, Virginia\*\* (Walls) '40 Ladbasri, Cynthia (Burnett) '77 Handshy, Rebecca (Blue) '76 Nelson, Lewonna (Hensley) '76 Dyche, Steven '72 Hanschu, Daniel '77 Langelier, Frances (McAllister) Nelson, Stephen^ Eckhardt, William\*\* '46 Hanschu, Beth (Shell) '76 **'**52 Nelson, Timothy '77 Edgar, Fredrick '85 Harris, Dennis '73 Langford, Jerry '52 Nemeth, Richard '43 Langford, Cinnamon 2001 Edgar, Terri (Smith) '83 Harris, Loretta (Bailey) '55 Niboh, Caroline 2002 Edwards, Michael '72 Harris, Sharon (Knaust) '76 Larsen, Chris '92 Nordin, Theron\*\* '40 Efstathiou, Christodula '70 Harris, John '55 Laughlin, Ladena (Skidmore) Nordin, Mildred (Murray) '42 Elfrink, Roy '80 Harris, Jerry '64 **'87** Oetting, Bryan '86 Ellis, Wynn '40 Harris, Belinda (Pobst) '83 Ledbetter, Sheldon '82 Parks, Rudy '58 Epperson, John '62 Hartzell, Archie '39 Lewis, Robert '58 Peirce, Diana (Kern) '79 Epps, Robert '61 Hastings, James '69 Leyland, Jeffrey '93 Peirce, Lloyd '78 Epps, Helen (Atwell) '61 Leyland, Heather (Haussler) '94 Haves, Jerry '61 Pellham, Paula '83 Erter, Don '72 Helgason, James '85 Littrell, Eugene '44 Pellham, Glenda (Davenport) Erter, Jeannette (Jacobs) '69 Herschend, Sharon (Nickel) '50 Lorenzen, Stanley '73 '70 Erwin, Stanley '63 Hill, Izella (Summers) '57 Lorenzen, JoAnn (Bailey) '73 Pellham, Palmer '70 Eslinger, David '84 Hill. James '77 Luna, Erma (Hart) '39 Pierce. Kenneth '85 Hinderks, Jacqueline '60 Pierce, Aisyah (Alaydroes) '87 Eslinger, Steven '81 Magnuson, Jeff '80 Eslinger, Karla (Lamar) '82 Magnuson, Rhonda (Kime) '79 Hively, Bruce '83 Pitts, Larry '85 Ethridge, Betty (Snelson) '60 Manring, Cody '97 Hogue, Frank '76 Pointer, Billy '64 Hogue, Mary Ann (Clayton) '72 Evans, Henry '53 Mansker, Janis '78 Powell, Kenneth '78 Evenson, Gary '80 Holliday, Donald '62 Marazita, E. Todd '90 Pruett, Alma '80 Hopper, Roy '44 Martin, Carol (Darst) '72 Faber, Allen '79 Pyron, Gregory '76 Hornback, Frieda (Wilson) '47 Pyron, Margaret (Parish) '76 Fitchpatrick, Clifford '86 Martin, Shirley (Cory) '70 Fitchpatrick, Kris (Simpson) '88 Horton, Donna (Sanders) '72 Martin, Christina (Casper) '02 Railey, Jr., Robert '63 Fleming, Susan (Murdick) '83 Howell, Eleanor (Wilson) '48 Martin, Kerry 2001 Randles, Brenda (Coltharp) '81 Fleming, Gerald '83 Huffman, Edward\*\* '62 Martin, Russell '69 Randolph, Yvonne (Hughey) '95 Fore, Vicky (Dunn) '72 Hughes, Charles^ Martin, Ronald '67 Reeves, Jacqueline (Jackson) '46 Hughey, Doris (Sitzes) '45 Fowble, Rita (Still) '64 Martin, Kermit '55 Reeves, Jack '47 Frealy, Jason 2000 Hughey, Gary '65 Mault, Gayle (Ross) '44 Ridinger, James '48 Friesen, John '89 Hull, Mary (Smith) '48 Mayse, Harold '63 Ridinger, Vaughn '44 Fry, Paul '81 Hyatt, Jeffrey '91 McCain, Janice (Ellis) '74 Riley, Faye (Deboard) '49 Fulk, Leonard '77 Ingram, Paul '84 McCaleb, Forrest '89 Ringler, Richard '90 Fulk, Deborah (Piercy) '77 Ingram, Peggy (Myers) '85 McCarter, Walter\*\* '51 Robinson, J. Scott '83 Gaines, Glen '57 James, Jerry '73 McGath, Michael '69 Rockhold, Orvaleta (Oesch) '75 Gall, Donald '74 Johnson, Roy '62 McGath, Mary (Heidlebaugh) '70 Rogers, Jennifer '92 Galloway, Edgar\*\* '37 Johnson, Carl '60 McGirl, Diane (Sherrill) '84 Rogers, Allen '91 Galloway, Sadie (Thaxton) '39 Johnson, Donald '60 McGirl, Michael '84 Rose, Vera (Harris) '63 Johnson, Betty (Blevins) '64 McIntosh, Patricia (Holland) '70 Galloway, Etta (Brown) '53 Rose, Jimmie '63 Garrison, Sarah (Fry) '89 Johnson, Kevin '84 McKenzie, Shawn '79 Rosenberry, Tammy (Luttrell) Gauntlett, Ilene (Schoenwald) Jones, Marilyn (Craig) '68 McKinney, Carroll '57 **'**82 Jones, Larry '68 McNail, Travis '95 Rosenberry, Tony '82 Gevrek, Emiko (Kawashima) '73 Journagan, Leo '46 Medley, Mary (Dickerson) '60 Ross, Charles '36 Gifford, David '73 Kaeser, Melissa (Bevmer) '02 Medley, Burley '58 Rowlison, Harold '78 Melton, Jan (Olbricht) '81 Gimlin, Keith '90 Kaeser, Kevin 2002 Ruhl, Max '74 Kaneaster, Marilyn (Huskey) '69 Melton, Douglas '81 Sanders, Connie (Stanley) '72 Gittinger, Leonard^ Goodrum, Terry '66 Kastanas, Tamara (Cuthbert) Meyer, June (Sanderson) '46 Sanders, Roger '72

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Sandy, James '95

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Vale, Robert '61

Van Winkle, Patricia '79 Vaters, Elma\*\* (Seals) '40 Vernon, Clark '66 Vert, Linda (Campbell) '64 Von Holten, Larry '75 Voncannon, John '94 Wade. Leslie '71 Wall, Linda (Labrier) '81 Wallace, Maynard '63 Walsh, Verginia (Marsh) '27 Walsh, Thomas '78 Wand, Evelyn (Bell) '45 Warder, Elizabeth (Fancher) '38 Watkins, Mary (Bowen) '70 Watkins, Joe '70 Watkins, Van '63 Watkins, James '69 Watkins, Sharon (Boothe) '70 Webb, Kenton '90 Weisman, Schan '86 Wells, Kenneth '86 Welsh, Robert '81 Wessels, Pamela (Justice) '87 White, Manie (Cooper) '72 White, Douglas '71 White, Wilbur '47 White, Jolly '46 Williams, Jim '59 Williams, Jeanie (Herron) '81 Williams, Michael '80 Williams, Catherine (Cooper) 64 Williams, Marion '64 Williams, C. Lea (Bailey) '78 Wilson, Dexter '52 Wilson, Sextus '42 Wilson, Joan (O'Dell) '55 Wilson, Robert '77 Winslow, Norma (Hollingsworth) '55 Wise, J. Hugh '36 Wishall, Garrett 2004 Wood, April '97 Woodard, Earl '38 Wooldridge, Jolene (Wood) '59 Wortman, Norma (Lombard) '71 Wortman, Gary '70 Wright, Fern (Chapman) '60 Young, Francis '48 Youngblood, Helen (DePew) '79 Youngblood, Harold '69 Zehnder, Sandra 2004 Zehnder, Jennifer '92 Zezulak, Helen (Graves) '47

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Keltner, Gary '64

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Sweeney, Karen (Nilsen) '94

Tabor, Erin (Greening) '03

Tabor, Thomas '00

Taylor, Kathy (Morris) '85 Taylor, James '84 Tilley, Burke '34 Vale, Deanna (Hirsch) '61 Vale, Robert '61 Van Winkle, Patricia '79 Vancil, William '67 Vaters, Elma\*\* (Seals) '40 Walsh, Thomas '78 Wand, Evelyn (Bell) '45 Watkins, James '69 Watkins, Mary (Bowen) '70 White, Jolly '46 Wilhite, Carol '73 Williams, Jerry '60 Williams, Jeanie (Herron) '81 Williams, Michael '80 Williams, Catherine (Cooper) Williams, Marion '64 Williams, Deloris (Churchill) '59 Wilson, Milton '65 Wilson, Joan (O'Dell) '55 Wilson, Robert '77 Winslow, Norma (Hollingsworth) '55 Wise, J. Hugh '36 Woodard, Earl '38 Wortman, Norma (Lombard) '71 Wortman, Gary '70 Young, Francis '48 Youngblood, Helen (DePew) '79 Youngblood, Harold '69

#### Honorary Benefactors

Davis, Jerry C.
Doane, Nancy\*\*
Fry, G. Stanley
Herschend, Jack
Keeter, Howell
Winfrey, Beulah\*\* (Gutridge)
Wise, Martha

#### **Founders**

Allred, Reba (Morris) '50 Allred. Ernest '48 Ayers, Billy '51 Baker, Don '50 Braswell, Edris (Hulsey) '50 Brown, Mina\*\* (Beyers) '30 Chalmers, Leo '65 Chastain, Jerry^ Cowherd, Karolyn\*\* (Sanders) '62 Cowherd, Gary '62 Ellis, Wynn '40 Gall, Donald '74 Gittinger, Leonard Goodrum, Terry '66 Herschend, Sharon (Nickel) '50

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### Advancement Notes

### **Taking Satisfaction With You**

The old saying, "You can't take it with you," is only partially true. In fact, you can't take something with you...and that is the satisfaction of knowing that you left your possessions behind where they would do the greatest good.

For most people, this includes thoughtful provision for spouse and children. It may also include charitable



Rodney Arnold '91

bequests to organizations like our alma mater.

Every year we receive probate notices from estates of those who made arrangements to benefit College of the Ozarks. Sometimes it is a bequest for general-use purposes, and at other times the gift is designated for a special purpose, such as an endowed scholarship fund. Whatever the bequest, these notices represent donors who made the decision to take with them the satisfaction of leaving a worthwhile gift.

Additionally, the probate notices indicate that the donors may have also carried with them the thought that their bequest served as an example of generosity for family and friends to follow.

Those who die without a will may have the misguided notion that they can take their assets with them. On the other hand, those who die with a valid will obviously believe otherwise. Through their careful planning, they ensure that they can take with them a parting thought of satisfaction, knowing that their worldly possessions will be used for worthy purposes.

I encourage each and every one of you to take the time this year to prepare or review your will, and also consider including a bequest to College of the Ozarks. It will not only help us further our ongoing mission, it will also provide you with the satisfying thought that you are helping others, just like you at one time, earn a college education.

If you would like information about wills and trusts please complete the response form below.

### **Request Form**

\_Please send me your complimentary kit on wills and trusts.

\_I have already included College of the Ozarks in my will or trust.

\_Please contact me about a personal visit.

The best time to reach me is: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_City\_\_

State \_\_\_\_Zip\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email

Mail to: Rodney Arnold
Development Office
College of the Ozarks
PO Box 17
Point Lookout, MO 65726

### 2005 Plateaus of Giving

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### **Honorary Founders**

Youngblood, Harold '69

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### **Sponsors**

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### **Honorary Sponsors**

Doane, Nancy\*\* Herschend, Jack Winfrey, Beulah\*\* (Gutridge) Wise, Martha

\*\*-Deceased ^-Alumni Friend

### AWARDS PROGRAM College of the Ozarks Alumni Association

The purpose of our awards program is to recognize outstanding achievements of alumni, faculty, and friends and to encourage interest in College of the Ozarks. The awards program for the Alumni Association is to broaden the scope of the Alumni Association's program to include faculty, friends, and students, in addition to Alumni.

#### Categories and Eligibility:

- 1. Meritorious Alumni Award for Distinguished Achievements—College of the Ozarks Alumni
- 2. Distinguished Community Service Award—College of the Ozarks Alumni
- 3. **Distinguished Young Alumni Award**—any College of the Ozarks alumnus who has graduated less than twenty years ago and is not older than forty-five
- 4. Award for Distinguished Service to College of the Ozarks—faculty, staff and administration, friends or any other worthy individual

#### **Guidelines:**

- 1. The nominee must be living at the time of notification of the Award selection and be present, if possible, at Homecoming to accept the award.
- 2. Nominees must show current and continued interest in College of the Ozarks.
- 3. Nominees must complete an official nomination form listing dates and achievements.

Selection of awardees is determined by the Honors and Awards Committee, appointed by the President of the Association every two years. The Honors and Awards report of selections is approved by the Alumni Council before awards are published. Nominees' files are kept active for two years following nomination.

	NATION FORM	Nominate your candidate for the 2006 Distinguished	
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Address		Attention: Honor and Awards Chairman	
City	StateZip		
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### **Tribute Giving**

### In Memory of:

Ruth Asher from Amber (Asher) Jewett
Jimmy Ayers from Jerry & Lynn (Anglin) Stude
Bob Barnett from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
Ann Barry from Linda (Jones) Harris
Cordell Batts from Gayle (Batts) Harrington
Carroll Bradley from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
Darwin Brock from Mrs. Lois Brock
Kathleen Carpenter from J. Hugh & Martha A. Wise
Judy Caperton from Seth Caperton
Dr. & Mrs. M. Graham Clark from Mike Casteel Nar

**Dr. & Mrs. M. Graham Clark** from Mike Casteel, Nana (Shephard) Cassatt, Thomas R. Smith, Bill & Margaret (Clark) Miller, Mary L. (Smith) Cobb

William Sam Cobb from Mary L. (Smith) Cobb Jo Cockran from Dr. & Mrs. Howell Keeter Dr. John Crockett from Paul Thornton Weldon & Warren DeBoard from Faye (DeBoard) Riley Tula (Shirey) Eiland from Ina M. (Shirey) Snider Ralph England from Richard & Doris Mussman Dr. R.M. & Mrs. Good from Samarn & Cynthia Ladbasri, William J. Eckhardt, Reba (Hartle) Berola

**Griffith Family-deceased members** from Joanne (Griffith) Hertzig

**Mr. & Mrs. Henry Griffith** from Myron & Mary Lou Goldsworthy, Carolyn (Griffith) Stuart

Jack & Ken Griffith from Myron & Mary Lou Goldsworthy Carolyn (Griffith) Stuart

John C. Grindstaff from Matthew Grindstaff
Jewel Baker Harms from Henry & Charity (Baker) Barber
Barbara Kathryn Hatcher from June (Sanderson) Meyer
Luther Hendrix from Eli K. Taylor

Norman Hendrix from Sharon (Payne) Bradley Marlan D. Hester from Doris I. (Smith) Hester Gary M. Hogue from Frank & Mary Ann Hogue Barbara Hong from David & Nu (Lam) Kwok

Opal Elizabeth Kroger from Mr. & Mrs. Larry Parrish, Mr. & Mrs. Gil Kleinknecht, Mr. & Mrs. Charles A. Lauber, Mr. David Kroger, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Woodsmall, Ms. Myrtle G. Rimmer, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Wiethop, Mr. & Mrs. Keith Russell, Mr. & Mrs. R.C. Naegler, Mr. & Mrs. Ronald R. Seeker, Mrs. James A. Botts, Ms. Beverlea Watkins, Mr. & Mrs. Philip Hutchinson

Bob Lear from Vicky J. Enochs
Hype (Shirey) Miller from Ina M. (Shirey) Snider
Joe Neill from Mary Jo (Ford) Kobyluk
Dr. Alice Nightingale from Kent & Joyce (Scholz) Kerr
Theron Nordin from Mildred (Murray) Nordin
Merle Payne from Mr. & Mrs. Clayton Eversole
Diane Pearson-Elam from Mike Slater
Dell (Tune) Peavler from Mary Jo (Ford) Kobyluk
Berta Roberts from Gayle B. (Ross) Mault

Charlie W. Robinson from Mrs. Faye Mathis, Meredith & Ginger Miller, Boone County Dept. of Health

Lohn W. Rosenbayron from Vivginia Rosenbayron

**John W. Rosenberger** from Virginia Rosenberger **Don Schofield** from Rudy Parks

James Floyd Shirey from Ina M. (Shirey) Snider

William Shopp from Mrs. Evelyn Shopp, Ms. Helen C. Hanson, Mr. & Mrs. Harry R. Schwartz, Helen & Eugene Youngblood, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Greenspan, Ms. Emily E. Hood

Ray Simkins from Dr. & Mrs. Howell Keeter, Mrs. Alma Davis, Roy & Betty Johnson, J. Hugh & Martha A. Wise, Eugene & Helen Youngblood

Mary H. Smith Gary & Norma (Lombard) Wortman Imogene Stamps from First National Bank of Berryville, Ruth (Grinstead) Peterson, Bob & Elieen (Allred) Davis Bernice Turner from Bettye (Mock) Bracewell

Ronald F. Vaughan from Palmer & Glenda Pellham, Clark G. Vernon

**Dixie McKinney Walker** from OKC Chapter CofO Alumni Association

Pat and Dixie Walker from Izella June (Summers) Hill Jerry & Pat Watson from Vicky J. Enochs Dewey Wilson from Frieda (Wilson) Hornback Dovie Wilson from Frieda (Wilson) Hornback, Eleanor (Wilson) Howell

**Beulah Winfrey** from Lori (Underwood) Hagenhoff **Clay Wise** from J. Hugh & Martha A. Wise

### In Honor of:

Violet Adams from Howard E. Adams
Don Baker from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
Harry Basore from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
John Boatwright from Norma (Meeks) Boatwright
Marcia Brown from Howard E. Adams
Doyle Childers from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
Gary Cowherd from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
Terrence Dake from Sharon (Payne) Bradley
L.D. & Audrey Dunn from Vicky (Dunn) Fore
Bryson Franks from Roy F. Hopper
John & Loretta Harris from Gussie (Elmer) Redfearn
Roy Johnson from Leonard B. Gittinger
Dr. Howell Keeter from Bobbie (Evans) Stricklin, Glen A.
Gaines

**Wanda (Orr) McCann** from Jack & Jackie (Jackson) Reeves

Shawn McKenzie from Sharon (Payne) Bradley Dr. Stephen Miller from Dr. John Friesen J. Kenneth Raley from Sharon (Payne) Bradley Kathryn Mae Sands from Jerry D. Chastain Tom Smith from Doris I. (Smith) Hester J. Hugh & Martha A. Wise from N. Loraine Garner

### **Chapter News**

### Springfield Alumni Chapter

Calling all Alumni in the Springfield MO Area! The spring meeting of the Springfield Alumni Chapter will be Monday, April 3, 2006, at 5:30 p.m. at the Heritage Cafeteria, 1364 East Battlefield, Springfield MO

Membership is open to all alumni and their spouses of College of the Ozarks/The School of the Ozarks who live in the Springfield or surrounding area. From high school to college—all are welcome to join us in fellowship and support of our school!

### Tulsa Oklahoma Chapter News

Tulsa Chapter, C. of O./S. of O. Alumni Association, met on Saturday, November 12, 2005, at Java Dave's Coffee House, 6239 E. 15th, Tulsa, OK, for a get-together of graduates and their spouses. We enjoyed gourmet coffees and home-baked cookies, after which Larry Walker (class of 1963) reviewed the book, Gracias, The William R. Walker Anthology. The book was written by Jan Walker with poetry and essays by Bill, a 1963 graduate of the School. If you would like a copy of this very poignant anthology, contact Shirley Wilkie at Jeanseng49@msn.com, or telephone 918/836-3619, and she will put you in touch with Larry Walker; your copy will be put in the mail. You may want to visit the website: www.billrwalker.com. Jan's dedication of the book reads: "To Quixotic pilgrims who push past what is told to rescue what is."

Present at our meeting were Todd & Connie Carmean, Pamala (Wier) & Larry Davis, Betty (Johnson) Ward, Janet (Snow) Lozano, Anne (Neeley) Williams, Patrick & Patsy Chalmers, Lessie (Elmer) Speed, Larry Walker, and Shirley (Johnson) Wilkie. What our crowd lacked in numbers, we made up for in enthusiasm about The School. We each have stories to tell of our life and times as we experienced them at The School at different eras and decades.

Our next meeting will be in the spring of 2006, and tentative plans are to spend a weekend afternoon at the Jenks Aquarium, Jenks, OK, and the River City shopping complex close by. This will be Tulsa Chapter's celebratory meeting of the 100th year of the School's existence.

If you are aware of alumni of The School/College of the Ozarks at or near Tulsa proper, get in touch with Shirley and your name will be added to the mailing.

Shirley (Johnson) Wilkie

### Beulah I. Winfrey Alumni Chapter Meeting

Rodney Arnold, in the absence of President Kevin Riley, opened the meeting at 11:00 a.m.

Gabe Miller, Operations/Network Manager for College of the Ozarks, provided a demonstration of the new Team Board partially funded by the Beulah I. Winfrey Chapter. The capabilities of the system are very much appreciated by the Plaster School of Business faculty. Mr. Miller also showed those attending the new web page dedicated to Dr. Winfrey. Input was requested, and the final design of the page will be presented when completed and approved by the CofO administration.

The treasurer's report indicated a balance of \$605 in the account. This balance was after \$2,000 had been used to support the technology purchase of a Team Board for room 211 in the Plaster Business Building. There were no other expenditures.

Nominations for secretary/treasurer were accepted. Lindon Newberry was nominated and elected by acclimation. Brian Carson moves to president and Robert Wheeler moves to vice president for this year.

In new business, a proposal was made to increase the yearly dues to \$10 instead of \$5. In addition, to be consistent with the Alumni Association, the proposal included a provision to allow a lifetime membership for a contribution of \$200. The proposal passed unanimously.

Everyone at the meeting was encouraged to contact those who might be interested in joining. Please provide Kevin Riley's work e-mail address riley@cofo.edu to anyone wanting information on the Chapter. Yearly membership dues of \$10 or a lifetime membership of \$200 may be sent to Riley (checks payable to College of the Ozarks) at the following address: College of the Ozarks, P.O. Box 17, Point Lookout, MO 65726.

The meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Lindon Newberry, Secretary/Treasurer

We reserve the right to edit any information submitted for publication. We appreciate the inclusion of photos with articles and class notes submitted for publication. Every effort is made to use them; however, space sometimes prohibits their use.

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### Homecoming 2005 Reunion Years



1935 – 70th (L-R): Emma (Butler) Day, Juanita (Norris) Buell



1940 – 65th (L-R): Gerald Shirey, Jack Prichard, Ethel (Hinton) Hirsch, Beulah (Tabor) Brown, Lester Thornton



1945 – 60th (L-R): Kenneth Masterson, Paul Bell, Doris (Sitzes) Hughey, Evelyn (Bell) Wand, Mary Louise (Cowan) Carter



1955 - 50th

First Row (L-R): Loretta (Bailey) Harris, Judy (Mackey) Morisset, Bonnie (Meeks) White, Dora (Marsh) Simmons, Marlene (Troutt) Karres, Gussie (Elmer) Redfern; Second Row (L-R): L.C. Stacy, Shirley (Stacy) Whorton, Joan (O'Dell) Wilson, Ima Jo (Stacy) Williamson, Wanda (Hankins) Sanders, Earline (Dodson) Craft, Richard Mussman, Marilyn Mitchell, Roberta (Henderson) Barnhart, Norma Winslow; Third Row (L-R): John Harris, Bill Ferguson, Alyce (Wilson) Cooper, Reo Lanham, Duane Townsend, Jerry P. Shelton, Kermit Martin, Franklin Williams, J.L. Durham; Fourth Row (L-R): Lenis Sims, Don Gaines



1950 - 55th

First Row (L-R): Bobby (O'Dell) Cantrell, Reba (Morris) Allred, Sharon "Sherry" (Nickel) Herschend, Eileen (Allred) Davis, Wilma (Newberry) Culp; Second Row (L-R): Sammy Shrum, Don Baker, E. Jean (Edwards) Crutchfield, Barbara (Parsons) Murray, Pauline (Wilson) Newberry, Arthur Smith



1965 HS – 40th First Row (L-R): Ruby (Mackey) Burton, John Hall, Loraine (Hubert) Blevins



1960 HS - 45th

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First Row (L-R): Wayne Fivecoat, Gene Carter, Marilyn (Poole) Worden, Patsy (Hirsch) Stacy, Genevieve (Stacy) Malone, Gene Kenyon



1965 JC - 40th

First Row (L-R): Frankie (Taylor) Stanley, Linda (Mungle) Dobbs; Second Row (L-R): Leo L. Chalmers, Jack Stanley, Patrick G. Chalmers, Charles Dobbs



1960 JC - 45th

First Row (L-R):, Ethna Billings, Lucia (Billings) Gideon, Genevieve (Lambe) Lewis, Faye (Davis) Blanton, David Blanton; Second Row (L-R): Dee R. Scrivner Jim Maddox, Janice Chalmers, Patty (Willard) May, Rosemary (Haynes) Whitman, Fern (Chapman) Wright, Deloris (Kasinger) Chestnut, Richard Manley, Glen Gaines, Jerry Williams; Third Row (L-R): Lyle Noblitt, Harald Tilley, Henry Chaney, Sherman Cogdill, Larry Lichti, Don Johnson, Donald Depriest, Thomas E. Howell; Fourth Row (L-R): Dewbart Caudle, Gene Williams, Donald Doyle



1970 - 35th

First Row (L-R): Tom Smith, Nina (Hammons) Batchelor, Patricia (Holland) McIntosh, Norma (Roberts) Patterson; Second Row (L-R): Mike Patterson, Gary Wortman, Lonnie Leatherman



1975 - 30th

First Row (L-R): David Duesing, Larry Cooper; Second Row (L-R): Beverly (Beasley) Ely, Leona Combs, Linda (Brondel) Sommers, Janice (Scott) Cooper, Linda Neuner

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#### 1980 - 25th

First Row (L-R): Marilyn (Schrock) Dunn, Shellee (Trader) Seymour, Sara Compton, Alma Prewitt, Toni (Schmiedeskamp) Melton; Second Row (L-R): Cindy Yount, Cathy Coonis, Mary Helen (Fraley) Fisher, Gary May, Terri (Meador) May, Cindy Haney, Carol (Bolling) Mallory; Third Row (L-R): Jerry Wiley, Danny Burd, Dave Tate, Tim Seboldt, Kevin Doyle, Doug Melton



1990 – 15th First Row (L-R): Rankyn Valverde, Dawn R. Cope, Tammy (Townsend) Holder, Lori (Underwood) Hagenhoff



1985 - 20th

First Row (L-R): Daphne (McGowne) Press, Susan (Wood) Valle; Second Row (L-R): Jeff Ellison, Richard Holmes, Tom Ross, Darren Wickliff, Nathan Bowie



#### 1995 - 10th

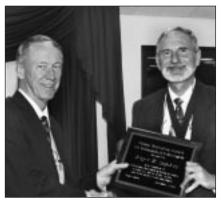
First Row (L-R): Tonya (Fritts) Decker, Cindy (Swope) Francis, Debbie (Sims) Broadwater, Cheryl (McGee) Mitten, Tammy (Hodo) Montavy, Angie (Chalfant) Forbeck; Second Row (L-R): Sterlon Decker, Benjamin Broadwater, Travis McNail, Mark Gartin, Quentin Maxwell, Ted Martin



2000 - 5th

First Row (L-R): Sara (Umfleet) Franks, Jill (Higgs) Robertson, Tamarah (Agdeppa) Miller, Rita (Kvalvik) Bullock, Danae (Ely) Stevens, Angela (Ussery) Williamson; Second Row (L-R): Cindy (Murray) Romero, Josh Franks, David Bullock, Paul Romero, Sam Crockett, Tessa Nalley, April Bernard

### 2005 Alumni Meritorious Awards



Dr. Roger Sanders '72 Distinguished Achievement



Gerald "Jerry" Stude '54 Distinguished Community Service



Lynn Anglin Stude '54 Distinguished Community Service



Cynthia Williams '92 Young Alumni Award



Mary Elizabeth Bradley Distinguished Service to College of the Ozarks



Dr. Don McMahon Distinguished Service to College of the Ozarks

### New Alumni Association Officers



Alumni Association Officers who will serve through 2008: Richard Miller, President; Ruth Raley, Secretary; Marci Linson, Vice-President; Sandy Cooper, Treasurer; Roy Johnson, President-Elect.

### **Annual Check Presentation**



Association Secretary, Marci Linson, presents College President, Dr. Jerry C. Davis, with a check from the Alumni Extraordinary Maintenance Endowment Fund for the Walker Challenge Grant for Agriculture in the amount of \$36,068, which was 75% of the fund's annual earnings.

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### Sports News

At press time the Bobcats stood at 20-5, at one stretch during the season winning fifteen games in a row, and were ranked #6 nationally in NAIA Division II. Three of those losses came to NAIA Division I teams, and one came at the hands of NCAA Division II Southwest Baptist University in double overtime. On January 28 and 29 C of O picked up two huge wins over conference rivals Bellevue University and York College. The Bobcats stand at 11-1 in conference play and hold a one game lead in the conference race. C of O has been led this season by outstanding juniors, Michael Bonaparte and Heath Sitton. Bonaparte leads the conference in both scoring (21.9 ppg) and rebounding (8.6 rpg). Sitton has added 19.2 ppg as the two have formed a formidable scoring combination. College of the Ozarks will once again play host to the NAIA

National Tournament March 8-14. With the talent and cohesion present on this year's team, the Bobcats are in position to make some noise in the tournament.

The Lady Bobcats have had an amazing season to date as well. They stand at 25-1 overall and 12-0 in conference play. Their lone loss on the season came at the hands of NAIA Division I Concordia University (CA). At press time the Lady Bobcats had climbed to #3 in the NAIA Division II national rankings. Senior All-American Cara Painter leads the Lady Cats in scoring (19.6 ppg), rebounding (10.3 rpg), and is second in the nation in blocked shots with 3.3 per game. Sophomore guard Janessa DeMuth has elevated her game this season to become the second leading scorer (14.5 ppg) on the team, and



leads the conference in steals with 3.1 per game. At press time C of O had secured the regular season conference crown after two convincing wins over rival College of Saint Mary, who is the #20 team in the nation. The Lady Bobcats will host the conference tournament February 24-25, and will be shooting for another conference tournament championship and another trip to Sioux City, Iowa for the Women's NAIA Division II National Tournament where they lost to eventual champion Cedarville last year in the quarterfinals.

### Hall of Fame



**Aaron Dalton '01** and **Seychelle Bruton Mahoney '00** are C of O's 2006 inductees to the Sports Hall of Fame.

Aaron was a four-year basketball letterman from 1996 to 2000. After earning Honorable Mention All-Conference his sophomore year, he became First Team his junior year and conference "MVP" his senior year. He was named an NAIA All-American Scholar Athlete his junior year when he helped lead the Cats to a runner-up position in the national tournament. He was also named to the All-Tournament team that year. Aaron ended his career with 1745 points, 606 rebounds, and a school record of 443 free throws made. His number (40) was retired after the 1999-2000 season.

Seychelle was a four-year letter winner from 1995-1999 for the Lady Cat basketball team that won the MCAC Conference Championship all four years she played. When she graduated, she was the all-time assist leader with 447 career assists and fifth all-time leading scorer with 1386 career points. She was named First Team All-Conference her sophomore, junior, and senior years and an Honorable Mention Kodak All-American her final two years.

# Chemistry Grad Donates Award Prize to C of O Chemistry Department

Don Gall, class of 1974, is the 2005 recipient of the Polaris Award, which recognizes an engineer manager of the Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers (SCTE) who has displayed exceptional achievement in the development and use of optical fiber. Gall, who has over 35 years experience in the cable industry, is the CTO of Pangrac and Associates and is a SCTE Senior Member.

Prior to joining Pangrac, he spent 15 years with Time Warner Cable. Over the years he has held several positions as

an engineer, including Vice President of Engineering for the Kansas City Division of Time Warner. In 1994, he was a key member of the Time Warner team that received an Emmy for development of AM Fiber Optic Technology.

Don is a Broadband Communications Engineer, holds a General Class FCC License, and an Advanced Amateur Radio License. He has been a past SCTE, Heart of America Chapter President, as well as



Chairman of the Board. He was awarded the SCTE Personal Achievement Award in 1992. He has published several articles in various industry magazines and presented at numerous local and regional industry meetings.

The Polaris Award carried a \$5,000 cash prize which Don generously gifted to the Chemistry Department in memory of Dr. Sherman Henry, who, he says, "was a major influence during my four years at S of O."

On behalf of the Chemistry Department, Dr. Jerry Easdon says, "we

are excited to receive Don Gall's generous gift to the department, which will be used to purchase much-needed lab equipment. We will purchase a UV/VIS spectrometer. This instrument will be used in a variety of experiments, including DNA amounts and enzyme activity. The new nursing chemistry courses, as well as other chemistry courses, will be able to use this equipment. We are thankful for Don's example to others in remembering his alma mater."



Don and Marie

### Don Garner '30 Estate Gift To Fund Nursing Program Chair

The late Don and Marie Garner of Branson, Missouri, have generously endowed The Don and Marie Garner Director of Nursing at College of the Ozarks. Dr. Janice S. Williams, RN; CS, serves in this capaci-

ty and has an N.D. (Doctor of Nursing) from Case Western Reserve University.

The funds provided by the Garners will be instrumental in starting the School of Nursing. The College is hopeful this provision will inspire others to help endow this program, which is greatly needed in the Ozarks and beyond.

Don, and his brother, Bruce '33, were early

students of The School of the Ozarks. Their father and mother, Carl and Dorothy, were pioneers in the hospitality industry of Branson. Bruce remembers that several faculty and administrators enjoyed resting and picnicking at the family place which was located just across the White River.

Upon graduation, Don was awarded an Don '30 engineering scholarship from The School of the Ozarks to Westinghouse Electric in Pittsburg, PA. There he learned the techniques of welding and

mechanics, took full advantage of the opportunity given him, and was very successful for his entire working life.

Bruce remembers, "Both Don and Marie loved S of O and later College of the Ozarks as we now know it. They loved seeing it grow and feeling that they were a part of it."



Bruce '33

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### Class Notes

### 50's

Richard Leroy Poole '53 address update: 1937 Seacrest Drive, Lummi Island, WA 98262, (360) 758-2134, or oysterpa@aol.com.

### 60's

Jonathan N. Horner '60 address update: 595 SW Rustic Circle, Stuart, FL 34997; marynjonhor@aol.com.

William Coonce '65 address update: 27 East Jones Street, Savannah, GA 31401, (912) 234-2114; email him at abcoonce@bellsouth.net.

Donna V. (Knight) Shortt '67 address update: 8 Crestview Estates, Festus, MO 63028, (636) 937-1517; email her at dshortt@jcnl.com.

### 70's

Alice Handlang '73 has been teaching accounting online for Southern Christian University since January 2002, and she has been the chairperson of the Business and Math Department since January 2004. She does audits and inspections for insurance companies as an independent Field Representative for US-Reports. For 2004-05, she was president of the Montgomery Chapter of the Institute of Management Accountants. Her chapter won the

7th place banner in the Warner Division out of 106 chapters. The chapter also won the gold medal for the newsletter and the silver medal for the roster/program book. For several years, she has been the newsletter editor for the chapter and has won national awards several years. She is on the board of the Gulf-South Regional Council of IMA and is regional director of the West Alabama Chapter. For the past several years, she has presented research papers at the International Conferences of IMA at the Academic Roundtables on on-line education. She worships with the Eastern Meadows Church of Christ, where she is active with the World Bible School work. She would love to hear from old friends at 500 Hollow Wood Road, Montgomery, AL 36109, (334) 395-6681, or Dr.Alice@att.net.

William "Buck" Baker '78 announces the release of *Ordeal Of The Dragon*, his latest novel. This release is his seventh publication and the third and final installment of his popular *Carmarthen Trilogy* published by Random House/Xlibris. His books can be found in bookstores and on the web at Amazon. Dr. Baker was recently honored with the Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal in recognition for his valuable service and notable

involvement with Contemporary Literature and his services to The Monarchy of the United Kingdom. More information about his works can be found at his website: www.drwbbaker.co.uk.

Laura Lane '79 is Design Director at the print shop at College of the Ozarks, where she has worked for 22 years. She recently moved to 252 Groton, Hollister, MO 65672. Her email address is lane@cofo.edu.

### 80's

Brenda (Coltharp) Randles '81 was promoted to the rank of Sergeant First Class in the Missouri Army National Guard in August. With the promotion comes an additional duty as Equal Opportunity Advisor for the 1107th AVCRAD in Springfield, MO. She lives at 111 Fonda Lane, Willard, MO 65781, (417) 742-2777, email Brenda.randles@us.army.mil.

Kevin Reese '82 has a musical version of his children's show PINOC-CHIO that has been translated into German and will be presented in St. Gallen, Switzerland, the week of June 26, 2006. Though he has had his scripts produced in English in Argentina, Greece, and Australia before, this is the first time one will be performed in another language. Since 1993, Kevin, through his publishing company, KMR Scripts, has published 64 children's scripts of plays and musicals. His shows have been enjoyed by almost two million kids. He can be reached at 1317 Locust St., Webster City, IA 50595, or Kevin@kmrscripts.com.

Pamela S. (Whittaker) Wormington '87 address update: 77 FR 1050, Monett, MO 65708, (417) 235-6698, wormingtonfarms@mo-net.com.

Craig and Roxie (Smith) Flynn '88 have four boys. Craig is the director of the Oklahoma office of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Roxie keeps more than busy with an active household of young boys. They would enjoy meeting or receiving an e-mail from former classmates. Their new address is 741 Secretariat Lane, Edmond, OK 73003; crflynn@cox.net.



Class of 1955 members enjoyed an evening together on the Showboat Branson Belle.

Buford "Tony" Pate '88 has just completed an assignment on the Secretary of State's protective detail. Upon completion of security and language training for an eventual assignment to Tirana Albania, he will be in the Washington, D.C., area until the spring of 2006. For now, he can be reached at 2710 South Veitch St, Arlington, VA 22206, (703) 517-9310; bapate@msn.com.

### 90's

Amy Coltharp '91 is working in medical billing/coding for Family Medical Care Center, and as the Sunday School secretary and Event Coordinator for Broadway Bible Church. She would love to hear from old friends at 1409 E Blaine, Springfield, MO 65803; acoltharp02@yahoo.com.

Timothy Scott Crawley '91 is currently the principal at Taneyville School. He and his wife, Lisa, have four children. He can be reached at 781 Santa Fe Drive, Forsyth, MO 65653, (417) 546-1965, tim.crawley@taneyville.k12.mo.us.

Michael Frizell '91 was promoted to Director of the Writing Center at Missouri State University beginning fall 2005. His course website is: course.missouristate.edu/mlf741f/ge p397.htm. His address is 2515 West Allen Drive, Springfield, MO 65810, (417) 886-0515, email him at mlf741t@missouristate.edu.

Dan Altman '92 is seeking the office of the 40th District Court Judge of Ellis County, Texas. He is a partner in the firm of Shrull Altman LLP, where he represents clients in commercial and civil litigation matters. Dan and his wife, Cathy, live in Midlothian with their two children, Cormac and Katy. They are active members of Midlothian Bible Church and also serve on several city boards and community organizations. Dan's website is www.altmanforjudge.com.

Elizabeth Ann (Ansley) Atkinson '92 address update: 2981 Fitch Rd., Harrison, AR 72601; latkinson@alltel.net.

Charles Wood '92 is currently deployed with the 1107th AVCRAD in Camp Arifijan, Kuwait. His mailing address is SSG Charles Wood, 1107th AVCRAD, 3rd PLT, APO AE 09366.

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Amy (Rayl) Hinds '93 address update: 111 Watson Street, Derby, England DE1 3PJ, 441332720642, or hindsa@chesterfield.ac.uk.

**Katherine Callaham '94** was nominated for Disney Teacher of the Year for 2006. She can be reached at 311 W Elm, Celina, TX 75009, (972) 382-3117; kissitby\_by@yahoo.com.

Staci (Orr) Peterson 'x94 and husband, Brad, have a three-year-old daughter, Emily. She has the pleasure of being a stay-at-home mom, and she would love to hear from old classmates at 108 N. Indiana Ave., Morton, IL 61550, (309) 263-9189; bradandstaci@hotmail.com.

Michael Todd Sparks '95 is now the head baseball coach and assistant football coach at Nacogdoches High School, a 4A high school in Texas. He can be reached at 4214 Kenbrook, Nacogdoches, TX 75965, (936) 645-1056; tws98@netzero.com.

**Colleen Wehrle '95** address update: 312 Wildwood Lane, Rockaway Beach, MO 65740; chickycinco@yahoo.com.

Jennifer (Wilkins) Miller '96 address update: 131 Irene Ave, Ephrata, PA 17522, (717) 733-9591; her email address is jbmiller4inall@aol.com.

Todd and Sheila (Whittaker) Sigler '96 have a daughter, Haley, that is in kindergarten. Todd became the new Director of Air Safety at Cirrus Design Corp. in Duluth, MN. Sheila is a Staffing Specialist for Manpower, Inc. They can be reached at 502 Park

Street Duluth, MN 55803, (218) 525-3352, or siglerfamily4@msn.com.

Ernest Ellerman III '97 and his wife, Natalie, have a 19-month son, Ernest "Edward" IV, and have bought their first house. He can be reached at 5812 North Garfield Ave., Gladstone, MO 64118; ernie3@sbcglobal.net.

Heidi (Stallman) Stanfield '97 and her husband, Gene, are both real estate agents for RE/MAX Portside at the Lake of the Ozarks. They have a one-year-old boy, Hunter Rein, and are expecting their second in the summer. She would love to hear from friends and other alumni at 211 Galahad Lane, Camdenton, MO 65020, (573) 873-9427; email address: heidi@genestanfield.com.

Michelle (Schmickle) Wolff '98 address update: 5788 White Pine Drive, St. Louis, MO 63129; wolff911@netzero.net.

Jennifer Heady '98 is a registered dietitian and certified lactation consultant working for the WIC program. She can be reached at 355 West Chestnut Street #104, Lancaster, PA 17603, (717) 725-6185; jenniferheady@hotmail.com.

Heather (Davidson) Strawn '98 now teaches 6th-8th grade math at Sturgeon Middle School. She and her husband, Ed, recently bought a new house and she can be reached at 411 S. Harris, Harrisburg, MO 65256, or strawn@socket.net.

Robert Armstrong '99 address update: 5250 Kinmundy Rd, Salem IL 62881, (618) 547-9103, armstrong73@msn.com.

Daniel '99 and Katie (Hutton) '00 Willis, Daniel is serving as a navigator on B-52s in the Air Force and is deploying to the FOL this spring for support of the war on terrorism. Katie is a pre-elementary special education teacher in Bossier City. They can be reached at 101 S Parkridge Dr., Benton, LA 71006, dannycwillis@hotmail.com.

### 00's

Joshua '00 and Jennifer (Moore) '02 Tanner have just bought their first home. Josh is in his first year as Minister of Music at Trinity Baptist Church in Pineville. Jennifer is now Page 20 Alumni News · Winter 2006

working at Louisiana College as secretary to the Education Department. Friends can contact them at 1105 Milam Street, Pineville, LA 71360, or jenandjosh@mail.com.

Matthew and Heather (Persinger) Tanner '00 address update: 501 Oak St., Pattonsburg, MO 64760, (660) 367-2391; mmtanner@northmo.net.

Renee Barney '01 address update: 1700 E. Main St. Apt. 117, Kent, OH 44240; violingirl@rocketmail.com.

Scott Steven Kerens '01 is finishing an M. Div. at Covenant Theological Seminary in St. Louis, MO. He will be marrying Elizabeth Koop March 18, at Central Presbyterian in St. Louis. He can be reached at 906 Kinstern Drive, Des Peres, MO 63131, or scottkerens@hotmail.com.

Robertson Dickens '02 is working towards a master's degree at the Bush School of Government & Public Service at Texas A&M University. He has started working on his Certificate in Advanced International Affairs and in the fall will begin a track in public

service/government or international affairs/national security. He hopes to be finished with the program by December of 2007. He, and his wife, Caitlyn, have a 16-month-old baby, Carter. He lives at 301 Holleman Dr. E. Apt. 722, College Station, TX 77840; robbidickens@yahoo.com.

Eric Middleton '02 address update: PO Box 943, Monett, MO 65708, (417) 593-9104; Eric\_Middleton@hotmail.com.

Will Benning '02 serves in the mission to the PNG Church as pilot of a King Air 200 for Wycliffe Bible Translators in Papua, New Guinea. His wife, Ruth, serves as a school teacher and librarian in the high school there.

Eric '03 and Heather (Hansmann) '04 Gamine address update: 603 W. Pearl St., Savannah, MO 64485; ganime@stjoelive.com.

**Bryant W. Meier '03** address update: 712 S. Barnes Ave., Springfield, MO 65802, (417) 230-1436; email address is bw\_meier@yahoo.com.

**Kathleen Moore '04** address update: 2752 S. Meadowbrook Ave. Apt. D203, Springfield, MO 65807; email her at kneelymoore@yahoo.com.

**Sara Lynn Cantrell '05** is participating in a dietetic internship and wants

to hear from former classmates at 6520 44th Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98136; blueeyes\_slc@yahoo.com.

Matthew Sherrill '05 address update: 1908 E 19th St. Lot E-104, Lawrence, KS 66046, mwampoki@yahoo.com.

### **Marriages**

Reece '91 and Stacie (McKee) '93 Gaylor were married September 3, 2005, in Branson, MO. Stacie is an editor for The Integer Group, an advertising agency, and Reece is a Macintosh Desktop Technician with Meredith Corporation. They would love to hear from old friends at PO Box 27124, West Des Moines, IA 50265; reeceg@mac.com.

Christina (Brown) '01 and Scott Sherick were married January 15, 2005, in Lakeport, CA. On August 7, they welcomed Rachel Marie. Christina has finished working on her teaching credential, and is now enjoying taking some time off to care for her daughter. They would love to hear from old classmates and friends at 2567 Lagoon Drive, Lakeport, CA 95453; (707) 263-4664; c\_rose\_b@hotmail.com.

Mandi (Stukenberg) '02 and Jesse Godec were married October 8, 2005, in Columbia, MO. They live at 6939 Schroeder Apt. 209, Madison, WI 53711; mandistuk@hotmail.com.

Jeremy and Susan (Telle) Hetzel '03 got married and can be reached at 1402 S. College, Mountain Home, AR 72653; (870) 425-8150; splitrock4jesus@yahoo.com.

Nathan and Dana (Struewe) Lewis '04 were married May 22, 2004, at the Williams Memorial Chapel. Nathan is flying for Pinnacle Airlines and Dana is the Director of Activities at a local special care nursing center. They can be reached at 6517 Country Knoll Ct., Bartlett, TN 38135; ndlewis@consultseeds.com.

#### **Births**

Patrick '91 and Jennifer Boyett happily announce the birth of their second son, Chase Andrew, born on September 15, 2005. They can be reached at 6324 Woolwich Dr., Arlington, TX 76001; (817) 557-2919; patrickboyett@hotmail.com.



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### New Lifetime Memberships Benefit Alumni Scholarship Fund

Alumni Association Lifetime Memberships (\$200) are credited to the Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund which continues to provide scholarships to worthy C of O students each year. Special thanks to the following new 2005 Lifetime Members. (New Lifetime Members through December 31, 2005.)

Jeff Barlow '91 Chris Hammen '95 Michael McGath '69 Myra Soete '81 Nathan Davis '99 Larry Iones '68 Patricia McIntosh '70 Mary Thomas '84 Leonard Fulk '77 Paula Pellham '83 Judith Tilmon '63 Samarn Ladbasri '76 Emiko Gevrek '73 Cinnamon Langford '01 Kenneth Powell '78 Garrett Wishall '04 David Gifford '73 Rhonda Magnuson '79 Alma Pruett '80 Alan Greimann '85 Cody Manring '97 Jeffrey Shipley '99

James '91 and Holly Kelley proudly announce the birth of their first child, Blaine Dennie, on November 13, 2005. They can be reached at 11 Webb Ct, Stafford, VA 22556; (540) 720-5422; jkelley2836@yahoo.com

Allen '91 and Marci Rogers have a new addition to announce, Benjamin Allen Noah, on August 1, 2005. They can be reached at 602 Acacia Ct, Green Forest, AR 72638; (870) 438-6657; acrogers@cswnet.com.

Carrie Dailing '92 has become certified for foster parenting and proudly announces the new member of her household, an energetic two-year-old, Debra Dawn. She can be reached at 3427 Metroplitan Ave, Kansas City, KS 66106; (913) 831-7360; cdailing@wycokck.org.

Darren '93 and Tami Loftin announce the birth of their seventh child, a son, Isaac Josiah, on March 7, 2005. Darren is going to Intelligence School for the Air Force and Tami is a stay-at-home-mom. They can be reached at 3830 Hillcrest Dr., San Angelo, TX 76904; (325) 227-8330; Loftins-Psalm27@juno.com.

Carin (Baucom) '96 and Troy Smutny are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Abby Grace, on June 28, 2005. They can be reached at 1313 Stonebrooke Drive, Grain Valley, MO 64029 or daisylady258@yahoo.com.

Evan 'x96 and Heather (Wilson) '97 Midgette are proud to announce the arrival of their third daughter, Allison Benelli, on May 5, 2005. They live at 4928 Ward Drive, The Colony, TX 75056; emidgette2@msn.com.

Michael '98 and Casey (Patterson) '99 Smart are happy to announce the birth of their first born, Briley Aaron,

on January 15, 2005. Michael is employed with Pepsi Mid-America as area manger over Southeast Missouri, and Casey is a nutritionist with Butler County Health Department in Poplar Bluff. They can be reached at 4346 Co. Rd. 525, Williamsville, MO 63967 or smartc@lpha.dhss.mo.gov.

Steven '98 and Leah Marler recently had a little boy, Jackson Thomas Gage, on October 3, 2005; he was welcomed home by brother, Reece (4). Steven works for Mid-Missouri Bank in Nixa, MO. They would love to hear from classmates. They can be reached at 1216 N. Nolting Ave., Springfield, MO 65803; (417) 864-6659.

Melissa (Groves) '99 and Scott Weatherman announce the birth of Cameron Scott on July 28, 2005. They can be reached at 259 S. Linden Ave., Sparta, MO 65753; (417) 634-4669; or melyn44@yahoo.com.

Jason '00 and Kelli Frealy announce their new baby girl, Daniela Denise, on August 13, 2005. They live at 2500 N. Eastman Rd. #2162, Longview, TX 75605; (903) 236-7857; email them at jasonandkelli@hotmail.com.

Eric '00 and Amy (McMillian) '02 Schroeder proudly announce the birth of their son, Andrew James, on April 8, 2005. Eric is employed with the Springfield Police Department and is an adjunct professor at C of O. Amy is teaching third grade at Republic. Both are finishing their master's degrees. They would love to hear from friends at 108 Julie Dr., Republic, MO 65738; Schroedor\_10@yahoo.com.

Matthew and Heather (Persinger) Tanner '00 proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Sarah Beth, on June 10, 2005. Matthew is pastoring a church in Pattonsburg, MO. Heather is a stay-at-home mom and loving it. They can be reached at 501 Oak St., Pattonsburg, MO 64760 or mmtanner@northmo.net.

Daniel '01 and Sharon (Zimmerman) '99 Wilson are so excited to announce the birth of their first child, Allison Kay, on October 22, 2005. Daniel works for UPS Airlines. They would love to hear from friends at 6808 Cedarwood Dr., PeWee Valley, KY 40056; (502) 419-3970 or Daniel.wilson3@insightbb.com.

Jim '01 and Cherry (Fry) '02 Voliva are proud to announce the birth of their son, Cooper Douglas, on April 8, 2005. They can be reached at PO Box 864, Forsyth, MO 65653 or cherryvoliva79@hotmail.com.

#### **Deaths**

Ella (Davis) Moore '28, 12/29/05 William "Bill" Shopp '32, 11/27/05 Ray L. Simkins '33, 11/22/05 Gladys (Lewis) Alsbury '34, 9/26/05 E. B. Barron '35, 11/17/05 Opal E. (Stewart) Kroger '35, 9/4/05 Kathleen (White) Carpenter '38, 10/4/05

Bonnie L. Rogers '41, 10/26/05 William J. Eckhardt '46, 12/12/05 James A. Sherman '50, 9/30/05 Don Thurman '51, 1/5/05 J. W. Stacy '55, 1/5/06 Ronald Jones '61HS, 9/28/05 Cassie May (Dudley) Johnson '64, 11/29/05

**Don Gustafson '70**, 8/18/05 **Charlie Robinson '91**, 9/18/05 **Katherine Ann Webb '91**, 9/17/05 **David Leggett '95**, 10/25/05 **Stephen Todd Hamon '00**, 10/5/05 Page 22 Alumni News · Winter 2006

### College of the Ozarks Alumni Association Alumni Funds

as of December 31, 2005

Walker Challenge Fund for Agriculture Buildings	
Contributions 6/1/05 to 12/31/2005	\$43,984.68
Gift from Alumni Endowed Maintenance Fund	36,068.00
Total Alumni Contribution a/o 12/31/05	\$80,052.68
Alumni Chapel Restoration	
Alumni contributions and interest earned to date $1/1/05$	\$710,514.02
Interest and contributions $1/1/05$ to $12/31/05$	70,397.62
Contribution from sale of chapel prints	26,910.26
Total alumni contribution to chapel restoration 12/31/05	\$807,821.90
Amount transferred to restoration account	\$807,821.90
Balance 12/31/2005	\$ .00
Alumni Friendship House Renovation	
Alumni contributions and interest earned to date $1/1/05$	\$599,002.85
Interest and contributions $1/1/05$ to $12/31/05$	59,521.00
Total alumni contribution to alumni center renovation 12/31/05	\$658,523.85
Amount transferred to renovation account	\$658,523.85
Balance 12/31/2005	\$ .00
The Alumni Endowment Maintenance Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$955,889.26
Interest and contributions $1/1/05$ to $12/31/05$	49,047.25
Gift to Walker Challenge Fund for Agri-Science Buildings	(36,068.00)
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$968,868.51
Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$390,758.29
Interest and contributions $1/1/05$ to $12/31/05$	54,198.50
Alumni Scholarship 2005-06	(16,400.00)
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$428,556.79
J. Hugh & Martha Wise Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$123,503.77
Interests and contributions $1/1/05$ to $12/31/05$	59,317.00
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$182,820.77
Winfrey Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$38,171.15
Curtis Memorial Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$5,635.53
Interest 1/1/05 to 12/31/05	228.00
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$5,863.53
Don Schofield Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$109,790.14
Interest 1/1/05 to 12/31/05	<u>5,593.30</u>
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$115,383.44
Ridinger Brothers Alumni Scholarship Fund	
Balance 1/1/05	\$26,945.20
Interest 1/1/05 to 12/31/05	6,372.73
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$33,317.93
Virginia Gillespie Lucas Scholarship Fund	
Total Fund 12/31/05	\$50,025.00

### EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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### **COUNCIL MEMBERS**

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	Eleanor (Wilson) Howell '48	4630 E. Farm Road 186	Rogersville, MO	65742
	Bryan Oetting '86	18165 Old Highway 65	Omaha, AR	72662
	Max Ruhl '74	27200 300 Street	Maryvillle, MO	64468
	Dennis Shearrer '68	3425 Normandy Rd.	Poplar Bluff, MO	63901
	Lessie (Elmer) Speed '44	3556 S. Urbana Ave.	Tulsa, OK	74135
Class of 2008	Arliss Stillings '74	381 Summit Ridge Drive	Forsyth, MO	65653
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	Linda K. (Carlton) Yount '62 JC	107 Wood Lou	Rogers, AR	72756
	Bill Miller '59	221 English Hulse Road	Pocahontas, AR	72460
	Margaret (Clark) Miller '59	221 English Hulse Road	Pocahontas, AR	72460
	Sam Crockett '00	317 Saints Street	Branson, MO	65616

### **CHAPTER PRESIDENTS**

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Agriculture Alumni Society: Faith (Neubert) Reese '99	3208 N. 12th St.	Ozark, MO	65721
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Texas Chapter: Roger Sanders '72	1854 Greenwood Rd.	Weatherford, TX	76088
Aviation Chapter: Robert Ramey '95	407 Commanche Circle	Kechi, KS	67067
Community Service Chapter: Tessa Nalley '00	1112 S. 26th St.	Rogers, AR	72756
Music Alumni Chapter: Cynthia Williams '92	230 Coachman Way	O'Fallon, MO	63366

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### Gift Bricks Continue to Be Available

Alumni gift bricks continue to be available for a gift of \$500, with the proceeds going to the endowment for the upkeep of the Alumni Center. Bricks can be inscribed individually, as a class project, in honor of, or as a memorial. Gift bricks will be ordered at the end of each academic year and installed during the following summer. The gift bricks beautifully flank the north and south sides of the gazebo at the entrance to the Alumni Center.

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