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THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT

LOVE • JOY • PEACE • PATIENCE
KINDNESS • GOODNESS • FAITH
HUMILITY • TEMPERANCE


GALATIANS 5:22





This mural, a gift of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wieliczko as a tribute and memorial to their daughter, Madeleine Wieliczko Robinson, occupies one wall in the main lobby of St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee, Illinois.

The painting stands as testament to our belief that the healing arts encompass both the physical and spiritual being and reaffirms our faith in the immortality of the human spirit.

Because the abstract nature of this painting has subtle and carefully planned design elements, the following statements are offered to facilitate a more meaningful interpretation:


 Beginning with the left side of the design, the Virgin Mary (representing the Hospital in Charity and Healing) takes a prominent place; the eye is immediately led across the vertical member of the Cross to the tapestry held aloft by three doves (symbolic of the Holy Spirit and the Trinity).

 This tapestry, the *central* focal point of the painting, serves to call attention to the Fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22).

 From this area the abstract line protruding from the dove on the right leads the eye to the Chrismon Symbol (ancient symbol for Christ) and, inadvertently, to the Menorah (branched-candlestick), the Jewish symbol which equates with the Virgin Mary on the left side for Liturgical balance.

*The Chrismon symbol: The CHI and the RHO, the first two letters of the Greek word meaning Christ. The CHI represents the Sheph (X) and RHO represents the shepherd's staff (referring to Christ).

Beginning again on the left side with the face of the Virgin Mary, your attention is led downward through the Cross over to the right side of the painting—going directly through the Tree of Life and pointing to the branched-candlestick.

 The sweeping curves across both the top and bottom of the painting serve as an abstract FISH to tie in all the other symbols and color passages. The FISH is the early symbol for Christ.

The sweeping curved shape which surrounds the Virgin Mary is the Crescent Moon, Her ancient symbol (Revelation 12:1)

... John, exiled on the Isle of Patmos, penned these words: "And there appeared a great wonder in Heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars."

The painting is divided into seven vertical divisions representing the perfect number SEVEN and/or the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit: *Power, Riches, Wisdom, Strength, Honor, Glory and Blessing.*

(Revelation 5:12 or Isaiah, Chapter 11)

The Cross (Latin, or Roman) is noticeably sagging at the joining of the horizontal with the vertical member. This calls attention to the "weight of the sins of the world" borne upon the shoulders of Christ.



... as an element of artistic design, the Cross unites the Virgin Mary with the Fruit of the Spirit in the center of the painting. Also, the Cross reaches from the top of the painting to the bottom, thus reminding us that it (the Cross) signifies man's path (earthly) back to God (Heavenward).



The idea of the Tree of Life was widespread throughout the East long before the time of Christ. It stresses the life-enhancing vitality of the "leafed" cross and conveys visually the experience of those many believers who find that acceptance of Christ's command 'if any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me' flowers into joy and fulfillment. The harvest vine of Eucharist becomes also the wine of fellowship. The bare and recti-

linear symbol of death (the cross) is suddenly alive with bud and leaf and is transformed into a springtime image of Life with its flux and urgent sense of purpose, confirming the faith held in the heart that Life is Spirit and does not perish.

When observing the shape of the Tree of Life, one becomes aware of the shape of each leaf in relation to the overall shape of the Tree. Each leaf, basically the same yet different, suggests the unique differences among us as God's children. Though of many races and faiths, we find ourselves blending into the Family of God, and the Tree of Life is complete.



The sweeping abstract line which becomes the bottom of the FISH (symbol of Christ) points to the symbol of the Medical Profession, the Staff of Aesculapius, Roman name for the Greek God of Medicine (also the caduceus, winged staff carried by Mercury).

... long a popular religious symbol, the snake entwined upon a stick refers to the incident in the Old Testament of the Israelites' healing from snakebite if they looked toward the brazen serpent held aloft, an obvious reference to Christ who said "If I be lifted up, I will draw all men unto myself."

About the artist:

Harvey A. Collins was born in High Springs, Florida, and received his education at the University of Florida. He holds the degree Master of Fine Arts, and is Associate Professor of Art and Chairman of the Art Department, Olivet Nazarene College, Bourbonnais, Illinois.



*Welcome back to Olivet
for the President's Dinner
and the opening of the
1978-1979 school year.*

President and Mrs. Leslie Parrott

Monday, September 4, 1978 — 6:30 p.m., Ludwig Center

Buffet Dinner Menu

Appetizers

Kaukauna Cheese
Carrots, Celery, Olives
Cherry Tomatoes, Cucumbers

Salads

Turkey Almond Salad Deluxe
Marinated Garden Salad
Orange Sherbet Gelatin
Fruit Compote

Main Course

Roast Baron of Beef
Rissolle Potatoes

Fresh Baked Salmon
Glazed Carrots
Broccoli and Wild Rice Casserole

Ham Kabobs
French Fried Cauliflower

Desserts

Gingerbread with Apricot-Walnut Sauce
Carrot Cake
Watermelon Wedge
Fresh Peach Pie
French Silk Pie
Blueberries in Sour Cream

Program

Welcome – Ted R. Lee, Master of Ceremonies
Invocation – Forrest W. Nash, Member, Board of Trustees
Buffet Dinner
Dinner Music by Ovid W. Young
Music by Joy Unlimited Trio
Introduction of New Faculty – Willis E. Snowbarger
Introduction of New Staff – Douglas Perry
Recognition of Years of Service and Special Achievements
Special Recognitions
Music by Joy Unlimited Trio
President's Address
Solo – "Eternal Life" by *F. Dungan* – Linda Dunbar
Benediction – C. William Ellwanger

President's Special Recognitions

Faculty

Professor Harvey Collins was born in High Springs, Florida. He and his wife, Thelma, have three children.

Professor Collins is a graduate of the University of Florida, earning the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in 1951, and the Master of Fine Arts degree in 1952.

His specializations are painting, drawing and ceramics. His professional career has involved teaching in public schools, as a special lecturer in St. Petersburg Junior College, and teaching at Olivet since 1953.

Honors and awards to him include "The Valley Forge Classroom Teachers Medal" in 1962, Teacher of the Year in Clearwater, Florida, in 1971, and a variety of awards for his works of art.

In 1976 he was selected by St. Mary's Hospital of Kankakee, Illinois, to create a mural depicting Christian faith and healing. This mural was a gift to the hospital by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wieliczko. Completed and dedicated in 1978, it stands as undoubtedly the finest of his creative arts to date.

Staff

Professor Linford A. Marquart was born in Monroeville, Indiana. He and his wife, Bonieta, are the parents of one son, Selden, who is the Alumni Director at Olivet.

He earned the Bachelor of Arts degree from Olivet Nazarene College, and the Master of Arts degree from Boston University.

His teaching career began with ten years at Eastern Nazarene College. At the request of Dr. A. L. Parrott, he moved to Olivet and served ten years as a professor of history and registrar of the college.

He was then associated with the National College of Education in Evanston, Illinois, as registrar and professor of history.

Since 1968 Professor Marquart has been the Coordinator of Federal and State Grants at Olivet. In this role he has given direction to applications for grants and loans totalling many thousands of dollars.

Thus far he has given 50 years of service par excellence to the field of education.

Recognition of Years of Service

Compiled by Willis E. Snowbarger, Dean

Faculty

5 years

Lowell Flint
Gary Streit
Richard Wirt

10 years

Carol Doenges
William Foote
William Woodruff
Edward Eustice

20 years

C. W. Ward
Linford Marquart

30 years

Jewell Grothaus

Staff

5 years

Peggy Cleveringa
Thelma Collins
Iris Faford
Martha Trent

10 years

Paul Christensen
June Hayman

New Faculty Members

Matthew Airhart, B.A., M.M., Assistant Professor Music

Gerald Anderson, B.M., M.M., Instructor of Music

Marilyn Branton, B.A., M.S., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Biology

John Culp, B.A. M.Div., M.A., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Theology
and Philosophy

Albertta David, B.S.N., M.S.N., Assistant Professor of Nursing

Susanna Kay Davison, B.S., M.S.N., Assistant Professor of Nursing

Diane Frey, B.A., M.A., Instructor of Home Economics

Bruce Granger, B.A., M.A., Assistant Professor of Sociology

Alan J. Gray, B.A., M.B.A., Assistant Professor of Business

Shirlee A. McGuire, B.S., M.A. in Speech, M.A. in English,
Assistant Professor of English

Brenda Patterson, B.S., M.E., Instructor of Physical Education

Loranae Rentfro, B.S., M.S.N., Assistant Professor of Nursing

Kenneth Richardson, B.S., Instructor of Physical Education

Steven Shew, B.S., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Mathematics

Sadye Stoltenberg, B.S., M.S., Assistant Professor of Nursing

Steven Taylor, B.A., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Chemistry

Donald Toland, B.A., M.A., Assistant Professor of Speech
Communication

Linda Yardumian, B.A., M.S., Instructor of Home Economics

Dixie Turner, B.S., Instructor of English

New Staff Members

Karen Brooks, Secretary to Admissions

Roy Christi, Maintenance Department

Diane Cranston, Custodial Department

Genalee Hartley, Resident Director of McClain Hall

Susan Lauderman, Secretary to Admissions

Audrey Myers, Secretary to Language and Literature Division

Phillip Richardson, Bookstore Manager

Patricia Shook, Secretary to Development

Kathryn Van Fossan, Library Staff

Faculty and Staff Achievements of Special Note

The faculty members named in sections II and IV are recommended for prizes and/or special recognition by Dean Snowbarger

I. BOOKS PUBLISHED

Leslie Parrott

Renewing the Spirit of Revival, Beacon Hill Press, Kansas City, 1978.

Joseph F. Nielson

You Can Be A Better Parent, Baker Book House, 1978.

R. L. Morrison

An Annotated Bibliography of Track and Field Literature, Published in the United States between 1960-1974. Eric Clearinghouse, 1978.

William Beaney and Harry Fulton

Learning Modules in the Biological Sciences, Burgess Publishing Company, 1977.

Learning Modules for the Study of Animals, Burgess Publishing Company, 1978.

J. Ottis Sayes

Exploring Christian Education, Chapters 2, 13, 14, 16. Beacon Hill Press, 1978. Editors A. E. Sanner and A. F. Harper.

II. ARTICLES IN SCHOLARLY JOURNALS

Robert E. Hayes, G. N. Bookwalter and E. B. Bagley

"Antioxidant Activity of Soybean Flour and Derivatives."
Journal of Food Science, 42 (6): 1527, 1977.

Larry Finger

"A Tearful Note on the Fragment," *CEA Forum*, December, 1977. "Robert Frost's 'The Road Not Taken' – A 1925 Letter Come to Light," *American Literature*, 1978. "Crucifixion," *Wittenburg Door*, February-March, 1978.

Gunnell Jordan – "Women and Commitment" – A panel at the International Laymen's Conference, San Diego, July, 1978.

Alice Edwards – Solo piano recital at Olivet, March, 1978; Participated in recitals at ONC Music Camps and the Nazarene Writer's Conference.

Harlow Hopkins – "Instruments of Praise" – recording made by ONC Concert Band in March, 1978, Pinebrook Studio, Indiana.

Willis Snowbarger – "Nazarene Higher Education and the General Church" – Faith and Learning Conference, Olathe, Kansas, August 14 - 17, 1978.

III. PARTICIPATION IN SCHOLARLY PROGRAMS, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS, RECITALS

Gary Streit – Panel participant, "English Methods Classes," Conference on English Education, Minneapolis, March, 1978.

William Woodruff – Critique of five books of the Old Testament of the NIV Book Committee, Revising *Exploring the New Testament* and *Exploring the Old Testament*.

IV. ARTICLES IN CHURCH PUBLICATIONS

- J. Ottis Sayes – “Tongues and the Nazarenes” – Letter to the Editor, *Christianity Today*, November, 1977.
- C. William Ellwanger – “Walking in the Light” – *Herald of Holiness*, June 1, 1978.
- Leora Windoffer – “Spread the Warmth” – *Power for Living* (Scripture Press), “Music Stings” (Nazarene Publishing House), “Psalms Living” (Scripture Press), “Hope Moves Beyond the Walls” – *Daily Journal*.
- Gordon Wickersham – “Olivet Enthusiasm” – *Teens Today*, September, 1978. “At Olivet, On a Clear Day You Can See Forever” – *Bread*, October, 1977.
- Roy F. Quanstrom – “Five Easters” – *The Herald of Holiness*, March 15, 1978. “Your Heavenly Father Knoweth that Ye Have Need” – *Herald of Holiness*, November 15, 1977. “Despise Not Small Things” – *Herald of Holiness*, April 15, 1978.
- Jim Stocks – “Serviette with a Smile,” *Bread*, August, 1978.

V. ADVANCE DEGREES EARNED

VI. ELECTED TO TENURE

- Alice Edwards
Minnie Wills
Jewell Monroe (upon completion of Fall Semester, 1978)

VII. PROMOTIONS IN RANK

Professor Emeritus

Otho Jennings

Professor

David Atkinson
William Bell
Robert E. Hayes
David Kale
Billie Matheny
Joseph F. Nielson
Glen A. Walls

Associate Professor

Lowell Flint
Kenneth Hendrick

Assistant Professor

Ruth Marie Eimer
Ray Morrison
Timothy Nelson
Randall Simmons

VIII. PERSONAL RECOGNITIONS

Clarence Grothaus – Recent listing in “Outstanding Educators of America” and 10th Anniversary Edition of the “Book of Honor” of the American Biographical Institute.

Virgil Vail – Distinguished Service Award, College Church of the Nazarene.

David Atkinson – Listed in “Who’s Who in the Midwest,” 1977.

Roger L. Cox – USAF Meritorious Service Medal, 1977; USAF Outstanding Unit Award, 1977.

J. Ottis Sayes – Selected for “Who’s Who in Religion” and “Who’s Who in the Midwest”; in charge of the Chicago Central District Board of Orders and Relations.

John C. Bowling – Selected for “Outstanding Young Men of America.”

William Woodruff – “Who’s Who in the Midwest,” “Who’s Who in Religion,” and the “International Biographical Dictionary.”

Larry Finger – Reviewed textbook *Studies in the Short Story*, by Scott and Madden for Hold, Rinehart and Winston, Inc.

Esther Roberts – Distinguished Service Award for 12 years service in the Chicago Central District NWMS.

C. W. Ward – “Who’s Who in the Midwest,” Alumni “O” Award.

Leona Hayes – “Who’s Who in American Women in Education.”

Joanne Marquart – Workshops on secretarial skills at General Foods, Armour Company, and Kankakee Community College.

Phyllis Reeder – Sigma Theta Tau, May, 1978.

Alice Edwards – Judge for Kankakee Symphony Piano Competition, judge for Indiana Southwest District Talent Contest, local judge for piano syllabus examinations for pre-college students.

Timothy Nelson – Judge for KVTMA syllabus examinations and for Southwest Indiana Teen Talent Contest.

Willis E. Snowbarger – Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Publications Committee of the General Board, Church of the Nazarene.

David Kale – Chairperson of Conference on Intercultural Communication, of the Speech Communication, Tampa, Florida, July, 1978. Paper presented at “Faith and Learning Conference” in August, 1978.

Gary Streit – Title III Consultant to Trevecca Nazarene College for Career Planning and Placement, January, 1978.

IX. SPECIAL SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Gordon Whitten – Charter President of the Bradley-Bourbonnais Exchange Club.

J. Ottis Sayes – Preachers pulpit supply in Nazarene churches, First Baptist in Kankakee, Shapiro Developmental Center.

Gary Streit – Judge in five regional and state speech contests.

Leora Windoffer – Judge for speech contests.

Gunnell Jorden – Official pronouncer in the Kankakee County School’s Spelling Bee.

Larry Finger – Judge in Clifton Forensics Contest and the Trevecca Festival of Ideas Writing Contest.

Charles Beatty – Chairman of the Bourbonnais Development Commission which was organized in July, 1978.

Selden Marquart – Co-chairman of the Bourbonnais Friendship Festival.

Terry Mackay – Panel member of the Kankakee Housing Association.

Carolyn Rohe – Chairperson of the INA legislation committee, Executive Board Member of the Kankakee Consortium for Continuing Education in Nursing.

President's Dinner Committee

Selden Marquart, Chairman
Ted R. Lee, Master of Ceremonies
Marty Kauffmann, Coordinator
Joseph Nielson, Special Recognitions
Harvey Collins, Room Decorations
Judy King, Menu and Table Decorations
Willis E. Snowbarger, Invitations and Recognitions
Gordon Wickersham, Photographs and Program
Douglas Perry, Finance Chairman
Beverly Lee, Hostess Chairman

