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THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL

COMMENCEMENT  
EXERCISES

AND

PRESIDENTIAL  
INAUGURATION

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(ALL PROGRAMS ON DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME)

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OLIVET NAZARENE COLLEGE  
KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS  
MAY 21, 22, 23, 24, 1950



**ORGAN RECITAL**  
**ELLA LEONA GALE, A. A. G. O.**  
Associate Professor of Organ  
Olivet Nazarene College  
SUNDAY, MAY 21, AT 3:00 P. M.  
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH  
KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

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**PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION FOR SENIORS AND THEIR PARENTS**  
COLLEGE DINING ROOM, SUNDAY, MAY 21, AT 9:00 P. M.

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**PHI DELTA LAMBDA DINNER**  
MONDAY, MAY 22, AT 6:00, HOTEL KANKAKEE  
Speaker, Dr. S. S. WHITE, Editor of the Herald of Holiness

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**ALUMNI DINNER**  
COLLEGE DINING ROOM, TUESDAY, MAY 23, AT 6:00 P. M.  
DR. T. W. WILLINGHAM, Speaker

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**INAUGURAL BREAKFAST**  
FOR PRESIDENT REED AND THE FRATERNAL DELEGATES  
HOTEL KANKAKEE, MAY 24, AT 8:25 A. M.

# INAUGURAL AND COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

OLIVET NAZARENE COLLEGE FIELD HOUSE

MAY 24, 10:00 A. M.

- Organ Prelude.....Kenneth Bade, B. Mus.  
    "Chorale in A Minor".....Caesar Franck
- Processional Hymn....."Lead On, O King Eternal"  
    (Congregation Remaining Seated)
- Invocation.....Lloyd B. Byron, D. D.  
    Pastor, College Church
- Music: "Lord Hosanna in the Highest".....Gustav Schreck  
    (Second Movement, a Double Chorus, from "The Advent Motet")
- "Create in Me, O God, a Pure Heart" (Psalm LI).....Johannes Brahms
- "The Omnipotence".....Franz Schubert  
    The Orpheus Choir—Walter B. Larsen, M. M., Directing
- Recognition of Special Guests.....
- Introduction of Induction Speaker, Dr. Powers.....Paul Updike, D. D.  
    Chairman of the Board
- Induction Address and Charge to the President...Harry C. Powers, D. D.  
    General Superintendent, Church of the Nazarene
- Response.....Harold W. Reed, Th. D.  
    President, Olivet Nazarene College
- "A Mighty Fortress is Our God".....Luther  
    (Choral Paraphrase by Carl F. Mueller) The Orpheus Choir
- Introduction, Commencement Speaker.....Harold W. Reed, Th. D.  
    President, Olivet Nazarene College
- Commencement Address.....Hugh C. Benner, D. D.  
    President, Nazarene Theological Seminary
- Presentation of High School Class.....Elizabeth Endsley, M. A.
- Presentation of Graduating Class.....C. S. McClain, M. A.  
    Dean, Olivet Nazarene College
- Awarding of Degrees and Diplomas.....President Reed  
    Assisted by Ralph Perry, M. A., Registrar
- Conferring of Honorary Degrees  
    Ella Leona Gale, presented by W. B. Larsen, M. M.  
    W. M. McGuire, presented by J. R. Gardner, D. D.
- Hymn—Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah.....The Graduating Class
- Benediction.....Rev. Sylvester A. Smith  
    Pastor, Kankakee First Church of the Nazarene
- Organ Recessional—"Grand Chorus in B-flat", by Dubois...Kenneth Bade

# FRATERNAL DELEGATES ATTENDING THE INAUGURAL CEREMONIES

FOR

HAROLD WILLIAM REED, M. S., Th. D.  
AS PRESIDENT OF OLIVET NAZARENE COLLEGE

MAY 24, 1950

COLLEGE	YR. FOUNDED	REPRESENTATIVE	STATUS
Lafayette College	1826	Harry R. Stoothoff	Alumnus
Illinois College	1829	Eugene W. Hayes	Alumnus
Albion College	1835	Rex Westen	Alumnus
Baldwin-Wallace College	1845	Herbert C. Rasey	Alumnus
Illinois Wesleyan University	1850	Morgan Williams	Member of the Board
Eureka College	1855	Clarence Noe	Dean of Students
Hope College	1855	John H. Bruggers	Minister
Illinois State Normal Univ.	1857	L. Wallace Miller	Prof. of Biology
Augustana College	1860	Irving Munson	Alumnus
Wheaton College	1860	Roger J. Voskuyl	Dean of the College
University of Illinois	1867	Henning Larsen	Dean of the College
Univ. of Ill. School of Medicine	1881	Howard H. Hamlin, M. D.	Dept. of Surgery
Wagner College	1883	Harold W. Reisch	Alumnus
Northern Illinois State Teachers College	1895	Paul Street	Director of Public Relations
Bradley University	1897	Herman Siegle	Alumnus
Millikin University	1901	Rolande Van Guilder	Alumna
Phillips University	1906	Leo K. Bishop	Alumnus
Nazarene Theological Seminary	1945	Hugh C. Benner	President
Nazarene Board of Education		S. T. Ludwig	Exec. Secretary
Kankakee County Schools		Ruel Hall	Superintendent
Kankakee Chamber of Commerce		Ron Henrekin	Secretary
Kankakee Ministerial Ass'n		Rev. Sylvester Smith	President

## HONORARY DEGREES

### DOCTOR OF MUSIC

Ella Leona Gale

### DOCTOR OF DIVINITY

William Mansell McGuire

## DEGREE GRADUATES

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

Ralph Thurman Albertson (cum laude)	William Joseph Krabill (magna cum laude)
Charles Watman Alstott	Naomi LaVern Lewis
Alyce Charlotte Attig (cum laude)	Gerald W. McElrath
Clayton D. Bailey (magna cum laude)	Ruth Lenna McGillvary
Barbara Lee Bedsworth (cum laude)	Clifford Eugene Martin (magna cum laude)
Jesse O. Briles	Lowell B. Miller (cum laude)
Clifford L. Bryant	Wanda Pauline Milner (cum laude)
Donnis Paul Burriss (magna cum laude)	Martelle Yvonne Morgan
Marion D. Canham	Clifton B. Nixon (magna cum laude)
Erwin F. Chwala	Naydine Maxine Nutt
Paul Leroy Cook	Jack C. Pischel
Theodore Robert Cox	George P. Psaute
Betty Jean Cunningham	Leroy Harold Reedy
Brice G. Diehl (cum laude)	Mary Louise Reitz (magna cum laude)
Henry Engbrecht (magna cum laude)	Pauline May Richey
Ronald Russell Featherston	H. Lester Ringhiser
Erie Harley Ferguson (magna cum laude)	Samuel E. Ross (cum laude)
Arland D. Gould	Modie M. Schoonover (cum laude)
Dean Eldon Herman (cum laude)	Anna M. Sherwood
Warren Ellis Holcomb	Agnes Elizabeth Smith (magna cum laude)
John Theodore Holstein	C. Woodrow Snider
John Howald, Jr. (magna cum laude)	Robert H. Spear, Jr.
Leonard G. Hubartt	Lester C. Sprang
Walter Marshall Hubbard	Gordon H. Traylor (magna cum laude)
Harry Joseph Hughes (cum laude)	Donald L. Wayland
Richard W. Ingalls (magna cum laude)	John Lawson White
Marie Naomi Jackson	J. Melton Wienecke
James Roemer Johnson (magna cum laude)	Roy K. Williams (cum laude)
Violet Mae Johnson	Charles A. Willingham
L. Grace Ewing Kaechele (cum laude)	Raymond M. Young
Dwight Kellar	

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Virgil Paul Applegate	Margaret Steen McBroom
Juanita June Bieler	William Marshall McGuire
Doris Rowe Brodien	Nona Jane Powers
Doris Dablemont Cook (cum laude)	Mary Ann Ridenour
Leonarda Johnson Draper	Beatrice M. Riggs (magna cum laude)
Robert E. Haskell (magna cum laude)	Charlotte L. Rose (cum laude)
John E. Ingalls, Jr. (magna cum laude)	Jess Schnell
Mary Elizabeth Johnson (magna cum laude)	Ivan L. Smith
Virginia M. Johnson (cum laude)	Myrtle H. Smits
Avies Maxine Kerr (cum laude)	

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Floyd Clayton Bradley	Charles W. Hess
Betty Bronson	Richard Melvin Jones
Floyd D. Bruning (cum laude)	Wayne Edward Jones
Emeroh W. Deal	Charles Wayne Perry (Summa cum laude)
David L. Evans	Mary Ruth Richcreek
Don Clifford Gilbert (magna cum laude)	Josephine B. St. John
Robert W. Harsha	Wilfred J. Wentworth

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HOME ECONOMICS

Clotine Rose

## BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY

Walter Wendal Attig	Cale William Morrison
Virgil W. Borden	Grover C. Reed
Paul E. Cable	Reuben V. Schultz
Dudley Martel Cook	Newman H. Sheldon
Harry W. Dickerson	Dale Lewis Sievers
Ernest Roy Gaines (cum laude)	Mildred Stockburger (cum laude)
Richard William Jaymes	Wesley Philson Stoops
Charles Curtis Keyes	Marshall J. Taylor
James Riley Laymon	Gregorio J. Tingson
James H. Lucas	Orvil Truman Wright
Garnett Jackson Mitchell	

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Willis E. Baldrige (cum laude)	Paul Wendell Gregory
Helen B. Basham	Geneva Vanhook Holstein (magna cum laude)
Willard D. Basham	Daniel Wesley Liddell
Elda Johnson Featherston (magna cum laude)	Joseph David Worley

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MUSIC EDUCATION

Mildred Irene Buck	Mildred Grisa Ringhiser
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# DIPLOMA GRADUATES

## TEACHER'S DIPLOMA

Charlotte Adelaide Coomer  
Lorine May Evans  
Esther E. Ferguson  
Eunice Darlene Holland

Dorris Louise Moore  
Walter Donald Wellman  
Paul Donald Grubb

## BIBLE SCHOOL

Kenneth Calvin  
Truman Warren Carter  
David M. Cox  
Robert L. Ellis  
Paul M. Holtzclaw  
Adam M. Ingle

Alva B. Kelly  
Lloyd Edward Mitchell  
Dewey Mounts  
Edwin F. Simmons  
Russell Eugene Smith  
Roy Wells

## HIGH SCHOOL

Lena Marie Arnett  
Myrtle Marlene Borger  
Charles Caringer (G.E.D.)  
Allen Elsworth Cobb  
Louis Willard Cobb  
Pearl Crane (G.E.D.)  
Marvin L. Donaldson  
Clarence F. Fry  
Merle E. Hamblin  
Janice Mae Hess  
Cecil P. Hurry, Jr.  
Richard Arthur Kensey  
Chester Eugene May (G.E.D.)

Shirley Ann Mayfield  
Mary June O'dell  
Norman James Rohrer  
Paul Edward Ruble  
Ardath Louise Smith  
Marion Ruth Smith  
Samuel Ernest Smits  
Samuel Miles Taylor  
Lillie B. Trapp  
Marie A. Weighman (G.E.D.)  
Ortive L. Welch (G.E.D.)  
Merton Henry Wilson (G.E.D.)

## DEGREE GRADUATES

(To Be Graduated in August at the Close of the Summer School Session)

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

James Edward Estelle	Jay Harold Keiser
Louise Calhoun Estelle (magna cum laude)	Philip Knisley
Hanson Goin	Wayne E. Schwob
E. Lawrence Goodman (cum laude)	Charles Melvin Scott
Robert Lewis Griffin (cum laude)	David Lee Vangunten
William Franklin Hurt, Jr.	Otho J. Wilson

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Christine Bernice Carter	Wanda Jean Ripperdan
LeRoy Johnson Hankins (magna cum laude)	Evelyn Ruth Weakley (cum laude)
Adda Helen Morgareidge (cum laude)	

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Edward Marion Benge	Carolyn June McDonald
John Warren Bundy	R. Lynn Scott, Jr.
James A. Conrad, Jr.	Roy O. Watson
Darrell Lytton Davis	

### BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY

Verl W. Ballmer	Herbert Nation
S. Joe Bird	Omer D. Robbins
James Carlton Crabtree	Melvin Redford Wright
Dale R. Harvey	

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MUSIC EDUCATION

Charlotte Adelaide Coomer	Arlene F. Millspaugh
Esther Ferguson	Clifford A. Potts

### HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Helen Irene Covell