

Embracing Jubilee



102nd Annual Commencement
Sunday, May 21, 2000
3 p.m.

Goshen College
Goshen, Indiana

An informal day for the graduates and their guests

Saturday, May 20, 2000

10 a.m.-noon Commencement rehearsal *Union Gym and Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center*

These activities are planned for all people who identify with a department through a major, minor, or other special program. Graduates and their families are invited to come and meet faculty and fellow students.

1:30-3:30 p.m. Senior Nurses' Pinning Ceremony *Church-Chapel*
Reception following.

2-4 p.m. Accounting, Business, Economics and Information Systems.
Newcomer Center, Room 17

3-4 p.m. Art *Good Library, Art Gallery*

3-4:30 p.m. Bible, Religion, Philosophy, Peace Studies *Newcomer Center, Room 43*

3:30-4:30 p.m. Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Natural Science, Physics
and Psychology *Schrock Science Annex Lobby*

3-4:30 p.m. Teacher Education *Church-Chapel, Room 118*

3-4:30 p.m. Communication and Theater *Yost Room, Umble Center*

2-3 p.m. English and TESOL *Newcomer Center, Room 14*

3-4:30 p.m. Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures *1504 S. 15th Street*

2:30-4 p.m. History and Political Science *Good Library, Second Floor Lounge*

3-4:30 p.m. Music *Westlawn Lounge, Westlawn*

3-4 p.m. Physical Education *Gingerich Center Conference Room*

2:30-4 p.m. Sociology, Social Work, Anthropology, Intercultural Studies *Arts 123*

1-4 p.m. Mennonite Historical Library *Good Library, Third Floor*

1-4 p.m. Senior Art Exhibition *Good Library, Art Gallery*

7:30 p.m. Senior Class Program. (See next page for program.) *Church-Chapel*

8:45-10:30 p.m. Reception honoring graduates and their families, hosted by
Shirley and Stuart Showalter *Church-Chapel Fellowship Room*

Sunday

4:30-6:30 p.m. Adult Programs *Gingerich Center, Room 104-105*

6 p.m. International students *Church-Chapel Fellowship Hall*



Senior class program

Saturday, May 20, 2000, 7:30 p.m.

Church-Chapel

"Campus Ex-Communicator"

That time has come.
The end is drawing near
to those four (or more) years
that have been so dear.

So join us for a night
to laugh and celebrate
with friends and memories,
we reminisce and contemplate.

On the twentieth of May,
lest you tire of jubilation
join us in the chapel
for an Ex-Communication.

The senior class program planning committee includes: Anne Gerber, Tim Godshall, Tim Kennel, Diana Law and faculty sponsor Kathy Kauffman.



Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 21, 2000, 11 a.m.

Church-Chapel

Prelude

Prelude in E flat, BWV 522
Sidney King, organ

J.S. Bach

Welcome and Call to Worship

Matt Lind, worship leader

Congregational Hymns

"Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing"

No. 81, *Hymnal: A Worship Book*

"Be thou my vision"

No. 545, *Hymnal: A Worship Book*

Nicole Kandel, song leader

Senior Statements

Martha Williams

Michael Yoder

Laura Kanagy

Special Music

"Hark! The glad sound!"

Hymnal: A Worship Book

Terry Beck

Erin Flory

Lara Breeze

Andrew Schiedel

Kari Brenneman

Ramont Schrock

Melissa Fisher

Ben Smucker

Erin Clymer

Scripture Reading and Prayer

Matthew 5:1-16

Geoffrey Christanday and parents,

Andreas Christanday and Maria Susilawati

Sermon

"Jubilation and Jubilee"

Shirley H. Showalter, President of Goshen College

Congregational Hymns

"I bind my heart this tide"

No. 411, *Hymnal: A Worship Book*

"Guide My Feet"

No. 546, *Hymnal: A Worship Book*

Litany of Blessing

Colin Burkholder

Laura Charles

Deborah Lewis

Penn Miller

Leader:

God, Source of every human hope,

All:

whose love and care have touched us all,
we gather here as a community to seek fulfillment
none of us can find alone.

We come rejoicing on this day of jubilation,
celebrating the past and anticipating a bright future.

Graduates:

Open us to the deeper meanings of this moment
which is both wistful and a time of joy,
which honors our years spent together
while advancing us on the many new paths we will choose.

Family/Faculty/Staff:

On this day of endings and beginnings
we applaud the transmission of wisdom
from one generation to the next
and celebrate all that remains unknown.
We are thankful for the growth we've seen and experienced.
May we be continually open to changes that come
as we challenge ourselves and others to seek truth.

Graduates:

As we depart from this place to new places around the world,
encourage us always to dwell among those who savor beauty,
who practice truth,
who advance community,
who respond in compassion and mercy,
who are animated by wisdom not their own
and empowered by a higher Spirit.

Faculty/Staff:

All:

Family:

Faculty/Staff:

Family:

All:

May we be forever awed by mystery which defies comprehension,
and wonder which claims our adoration.
God, renew us, inspire us and direct our lives in peace and love as
we continue the journey of life. Amen.

Song of Benediction

"Bwana Awabariki"

No. 422, *Hymnal: A Worship Book*

Postlude

Steve Clemens

Sonia Graber

Please refrain from taking flash pictures during the service.

The Baccalaureate service was planned by Melissa Fisher, Ryan Good, Tyson Stuckey, Lynette Thuma and Keith Graber Miller, class sponsor.

Sculptor Chris Kennel's Statement:

When I worked with Burmese refugees in Thailand, my close Thai and Karen friends helped rebuild my understanding of peace after the simplistic ideas I previously held failed to make sense in the context of civil war. I observed that aspects of peace are neither simple nor always smooth, and the strength of a peacemaker can lie in the rough, uneven parts of life. In the medium of steel, I have tried to illustrate this blend of struggle and harmony that are inherent to the nature of peace making.

My sculpture has a Thai name, สันติภาพ, which literally means "peace," but if I were to give it an English name, I would choose "peace dancer" or "the inner eye of peace." I based my initial sketches on a Buddhist symbol that represents the inner sense of truth – a third eye of infinite understanding which can help us see life clearly. As I moved the sketch to cardboard and metal, I noticed that from one angle it appeared like the Thai character ส which coincidentally begins the word peace in Thai. – Chris Kennel



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Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center

Shirley H. Showalter, President, Presiding

Floyd E. Saner, Processional Marshal, Chair of Faculty

Processional – Goshen College Brass Quintet

Andrew Clouse and Greg Smucker, trumpets;

LaRita Craft, French horn;

Laura Short, trombone; Todd Hershberger, bass trombone

Please remain seated for the processional so that everyone can see the graduates in procession.

Invocation

Loren E. Swartzendruber

Father of Beth (Swartzendruber) Goertzen, of the graduating class

Congregational Hymn

Doyle Preheim, Professor of Music

"God of the earth, the sky, the sea," page 16

Commencement Address

"Dead Man Walking – The Journey"

Sister Helen Prejean

Sisters of St. Joseph of Medaille

New Orleans, La.

Recognition of Retirees

John D. Yorby, Provost

Delores A. Bartel

Anne Krabill Hershberger

Nicholas C. Lindsay

Fred Litwiller

Susan Weybright

Devon J. Yoder

Conferring of Degrees

President Shirley H. Showalter
Candidates presented by Paul A. Keim, Academic Dean

Congregational Hymn

"Teach me thy truth," page 18

Benediction

Cindy Breeze
Mother of Lara Breeze, of the graduating class

Recessional – Gosben College Brass Quintet

Please remain standing during the recessional.

Arrangements have been made for a professional photographer to take a picture of each graduate as he or she receives a diploma. Color proofs of these photos will be mailed two weeks after graduation. Details have been given to the graduates. This will ensure that all families will have a picture of their graduate receiving a diploma.

The Class of 2000

The following list of graduates includes all members of the 2000 graduating class whether participating in the exercises or being graduated in absentia. Some members of the 2001 class have chosen to participate in these exercises.

Two degrees are conferred. Those with majors in Nursing, Organizational Management or Management Information Systems receive the Bachelor of Science degree. All others receive the Bachelor of Arts.

Following each name is the field of study being completed by the student. Use of the diagonal (/) indicates that the two fields are a double major program with two equal areas of concentration. Areas in which a minor will be completed are indicated by italics.

Andrea J. Abad	Organizational Management	Flagstaff, Ariz.
Nicole A. Awich	Interdisciplinary	Washington, D.C.
Michael Awori	Economics, <i>Accounting</i>	Nairobi, Kenya
Amanda K. Bachman	Nursing	Akron, Ohio
Daniel M. Baird	Management Information Systems	South Bend, Ind.
William L. Barker	Organizational Management	Fort Wayne, Ind.
Jason A. Barthel	Organizational Management	Syracuse, Ind.
Alvin Paul Bauman	Business, <i>Accounting</i>	Kendallville, Ind.
Terry J. Beck	Elementary Education	Archbold, Ohio
James K. Belcher, Jr.	Organizational Management	North Webster, Ind.
Eric S. Benner	Bible and Religion	Chambersburg, Pa.
Salem Berhanu	Computer Science and Applied Mathematics	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Amy Marie Bert	Business, <i>Psychology</i>	Mishawaka, Ind.
Joanna M. Beyeler	Biology, <i>Environmental Studies</i>	Massillon, Ohio
Aaron J. Bird	Early Childhood Education	South Bend, Ind.
Griffen Alexandra Helene Bishop	Accounting, <i>Communication, Business</i>	Englewood, Colo.
Dana J. Blough	Accounting, <i>Business</i>	Bristol, Ind.
Andrew E. Blount	Music, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Monroe, Wis.
Michelle A. Bogen	Elementary Education	Centreville, Mich.
Brian Lyle Bohnert	Psychology, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Lombard, Ill.
Clint A. Borntreger	Physical Education, <i>Health and Safety Education, Secondary Education</i>	Goshen, Ind.
Amy L. Bourneuf	English, <i>French, Secondary Education</i>	Goshen, Ind.
Janna L. Bowman	Sociology/Anthropology, <i>Communication, Peace, Justice & Conflict Studies</i>	Bally, Pa.
Lara K. Breeze	Mathematics / Physics, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Champaign, Ill.
Kari L. Breneman	Music	Canby, Ore.
Ryan C. Britsch	Business / Computer Science, <i>Accounting, Business Information Systems</i>	Archbold, Ohio

Brenda Sue Brown	Organizational Management	Goshen, Ind.	Susan E. Gagliano	Elementary Education	Syracuse, Ind.
Rebecca L. Brown	Social Work	Jackson, Ky.	Clara J. Gasabile	Economics	Mwanza, Tanzania, East Africa
Randall T. Brunt	Organizational Management	Edwardsburg, Mich.	Andrew M. Gascho	Biology, <i>Environmental Studies</i>	Goshen, Ind.
Colin James Burkholder	Business	Goshen, Ind.	Rachel Marie Geissinger	Biology	Excelsior, Minn.
Curtis L. Burkholder	Accounting	Elkhart, Ind.	Rachel Ann George	Nursing	Lancaster, Calif.
Doreen Byler	Elementary Education, <i>TESOL</i>	Goshen, Ind.	Anne Louise Gerber	Social Work	Elkhart, Ind.
Miatta K. Camanor	Business	Monrovia, Liberia	Rachel Susanne Gerber	Elementary Education	Goshen, Ind.
Bobbi J. Caton	Sociology/Anthropology	Middlebury, Ind.	Elaine F. Gibson	Nursing	Goshen, Ind.
Laura E. Charles	Theater	Goshen, Ind.	Cheryl Julia Gilbert	Bible and Religion / Elementary Education, <i>Music</i>	Valparaiso, Ind.
Nepolina K. Chhetri	Chemistry, <i>Computer Science</i>	Alexandria, Va.	Charlotte L. Gingerich	Psychology / Art	Iowa City, Iowa
Jeffrey J. Chisholm	Nursing, <i>Peace Studies</i>	Lakewood, Colo.	Rachel S. Glick	Bible and Religion, <i>TESOL, Peace Studies</i>	Harrisonburg, Va.
Geoffrey Samuel Christanday	Computer Science / Business Information Systems	Semarang, Indonesia	Timothy N. Godshall	Art, <i>Peace, Justice & Conflict Studies</i>	Mount Joy, Pa.
Craig Lamar Christophel	Interdisciplinary	Sarasota, Fla.	Elizabeth Ann Goertzen	Physical Education	Goshen, Ind.
Stephen J. Christophel	Management Information Systems	Goshen, Ind.	Ryan Mathias Good	Physics	Washington, D.C.
David A. Chupp	Business, <i>Accounting</i>	West Unity, Ohio	Heather R. Graber	Sociology/Anthropology / Art, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Goshen, Ind.
Tori Dawn Clabaugh	Nursing	Bremen, Ind.	Kevin A. Graber	Computer Science, <i>Business</i>	Wheaton, Ill.
Carrie Allman Clark	Nursing	Middlebury, Ind.	Sonia Marie Graber	Nursing	Eureka, Ill.
Steven Richard Clemens	Sociology/Anthropology / Music	Bluffton, Ohio	Arshavir Grigorian	Computer Science	Gyumry, Shirak, Armenia
Erin E. Clymer	English	Elkhart, Ind.	Patricia Elizabeth Gross	Nursing, <i>Peace Studies</i>	Goodfield, Ill.
Dawne Colbart	Management Information Systems	Fremont, Ind.	Daniel J. Grossman	Organizational Management	Goshen, Ind.
Tonia Collins	Nursing	Granger, Ind.	Matt D. Hamilton	Business Information Systems	Elkhart, Ind.
Nicholas J. Cook	Natural Science	Ligonier, Ind.	Susan Elaine Harley	Music / Molecular Biology	Goshen, Ind.
Nathan A. Craft	Music	Goessel, Kan.	Jason Edward Harrison	Business	West Baden, Ind.
Bradley Lynn Cullen	Music, <i>German, Business Information Systems</i>	Lyndhurst, Va.	Jonathan D. Hartzler	Computer Science, <i>TESOL</i>	Goshen, Ind.
Mark R. Daniels	Art, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Elida, Ohio	Wendell D. Hays	Computer Science	Elkhart, Ind.
Kevin M. Deary	Organizational Management	Goshen, Ind.	Rachel M. Headings	Nursing	Wellman, Iowa
Colin M. Dechant	Business	Goshen, Ind.	E. Cristina Hernandez	Art, <i>Business</i>	Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Christopher N. Denlinger	Computer Science & Applied Mathematics	Bay Village, Ohio	Jodi S. Hochstedler	Communication, <i>Psychology</i>	Kalona, Iowa
Obed Eugene Diener	English, <i>Spanish</i>	Harrisonburg, Va.	Steven W. Hollar	Management Information Systems	New Paris, Ind.
Jim L. Dreier	Organizational Management	Goshen, Ind.	Gina M. Holsopple	Interdisciplinary	Topeka, Kan.
Dennis Alan Drudge	Management Information Systems	Goshen, Ind.	Carol S. Honderich	Management Information Systems	Goshen, Ind.
Darlen K. DuBois	Social Work / Psychology	Granger, Ind.	James A. Honey	Management Information Systems	Goshen, Ind.
Jeffrey A. Eby	Communication, <i>English</i>	Kincheloe, Mich.	Lisa Marie Honey	Nursing	Goshen, Ind.
Amy J. Ellis	Business	New Paris, Ind.	Anne Elizabeth Horst	Bible and Religion / Interdisciplinary	Goshen, Ind.
Stewart Dean Enyeart	Management Information Systems	Osceola, Ind.	Mara J. Hughes	Management Information Systems	Winona Lake, Ind.
Laura Burkey Eshleman	English, <i>TESOL</i>	Salem, Ore.	Barbara Galbraith Johnson	Organizational Management	Leesburg, Ind.
Jeffrey Scott Ezzell	Management Information Systems	Elkhart, Ind.	Jennifer Joy Johnson	Nursing	Elkhart, Ind.
Melissa R. Fisher	Bible and Religion, <i>Music, TESOL</i>	Goshen, Ind.	Justina Marie Jones	Accounting, <i>Business</i>	New Paris, Ind.
Erin Elizabeth Flory	Music, <i>Secondary Education</i>	McPherson, Kan.	Todd P. Junge	Business	New Bavaria, Ohio
Hannah G. Foss	Social Work	Tiskilwa, Ill.	Laura S. Kanagy	English, <i>Peace Studies, Secondary Education</i>	Lancaster, Pa.
Kari Nona Fryar	Psychology, <i>Business</i>	Union Mills, Ind.	Nicole R. Kandel	Music	Boulder, Colo.
Clarissa Peterson Gaff	English, <i>Writing, History</i>	Rolling Prairie, Ind.	Seth A. Kauffman	Psychology	Goshen, Ind.

Kirsten Laura Kelley	Elementary Education / Spanish	Goshen, Ind.
Christopher Elmer Kennel	Art / Chemistry / Biology, <i>Peace, Justice & Conflict Studies</i>	Harrisonburg, Va.
Timothy Lynn Kennel	Mathematics / History, <i>Secondary Education</i>	Harrisonburg, Va.
Dae Wee Kim	Business	Seoul, South Korea
David A. King	Interdisciplinary	Goshen, Ind.
Dawn Renee King	Mathematics, <i>Spanish, Secondary Education</i>	Archbold, Ohio
Sidney R. King	Music / German	Hickory, N.C.
Patricia Lea Kirkpatrick	Organizational Management	Goshen, Ind.
Jonathan A. Kooker	German	Christiana, Pa.
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Zachary J. Landis	History, <i>TESOL, German</i>	Harleysville, Pa.
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Joni I. Lavery	Social Work	Elkhart, Ind.
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Matthew D. Leichty	Communication	Rensselaer, Ind.
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Elizabeth J. Lewis	Social Work	Ibb, Yemen Arab Republic
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Kathy Ann Long	Nursing	Bremen, Ind.
Jessica A. Markel	Early Childhood Education	Niles, Mich.
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Brooke E. Martin	Nursing	Goshen, Ind.
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Kara Janee Schmidt	Interdisciplinary	Goshen, Ind.
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Steffen D. Schrock	Physical Education	Goshen, Ind.
Michael B. Scott	Organizational Management	Cromwell, Ind.
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Laura K. Sider	Interdisciplinary	Lakewood, Colo.
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Billy Ernest Smith	Organizational Management	Warsaw, Ind.
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 Biology / Music, *Spanish*
 Biology
 Art
 Communication, *Business*
 Biology / Bible and Religion
 Elementary Education
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 Chemistry/Biology
 Biology
 History, *Spanish, Secondary Education*
 Biology, *Psychology*
 Social Work
 History and Investigative Skills

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Sister Helen Prejean, C.S.J.

Throughout her life, Sister Helen has lived and worked in her native Baton Rouge, La. She joined the Sisters of St. Joseph of Medaille in 1957. She received a bachelor's degree in English from St. Mary's Dominican College (New Orleans, La.) and a master's degree in religious education from St. Paul's University (Ottawa, Canada). In 1981, she began serving the St. Thomas Housing Project for inner-city residents and started counseling death row inmates at Louisiana State Penitentiary, a ministry she continues today. In addition to accompanying five men to execution and working with murder victims' families, she founded a group in New Orleans called Survive.

Sister Helen authored *Dead Man Walking: An Eyewitness Account of the Death Penalty in the U.S.*, which spent 31 weeks on *The New York Times* best seller list and was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize. A motion picture based on the book was written and directed by Tim Robbins. Susan Sarandon received best actress at the 1996 Academy Awards for her portrayal of Sister Helen in the film titled "Dead Man Walking." Translated into 10 languages, the book is now being made into an opera by the San Francisco Opera Company and will premiere in October.

Nominated for the Nobel Prize for Peace in 1998 and 1999, Sister Helen has received many awards and honorary degrees. She has been featured in numerous national newspapers and magazines including *Mirabella*, which named her among "100 Fearless Women" in 1994. She was featured by ABC on "Prime Time Live," PBS's "Frontline" and the BBC's "Everyman" and has been interviewed on television and radio programs, including "Larry King Live," "The Oprah Winfrey Show" and "60 Minutes."

Sister Helen travels internationally, telling stories and educating diverse audiences about the death penalty. She is an honorary chairperson of Hands Off Cain, an international group based in Rome working for abolition of the death penalty, and is a member of Amnesty International and the U.S. National Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty. Moratorium 2000 is an effort currently led by Sister Helen; this global petition drive calls for a moratorium on the death penalty, hoping to gather one million U.S. signatures for Sister Helen to deliver to the United Nations in honor of Human Rights Day, to be held Dec. 10, 2000. For more information, contact the American Friends Service Committee in Philadelphia, Pa.: phone (202) 588-5489 or e-mail moratorium2000@afsc.org or visit the Web site www.moratorium2000.org

53 God of the earth, the sky, the sea

ST. CATHERINE LM with refrain

1 God of the earth, the sky, the sea! Mak-er of
 2 Thy love is in the sun-shine's glow, thy life is
 3 We feel thy calm at eve-ning's hour, thy gran-deur
 4 But high-er far, and far more clear, thee in our

all a-bove, be-low! cre-a-tion lives and moves in thee,
 in the quick-'ning air. When light-nings flash and storm-winds blow,
 in the march of night, and when thy morn-ing breaks in pow'r,
 spir-it we be-hold; thine im-age and thy-self are there,

Refrain

thy pre-sent life through all doth flow.
 there is thy pow'r; thy law is there. We give thee thanks, thy
 we hear thy word, "Let there be light." th'in-dwell-ing God, pro-claimed of old.

name we sing! Al-might-y God, our praise we bring.

Text: Samuel Longfellow, *Hymns of the Spirit*, 1864, alt.
 Music: Henri F. Hemy, *Crown of Jesus Music*, 1864; adapted by James G. Walton, 1874

Goshen Alma Mater

M.E. Miller

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Allegretto

There's a spot in In-di-an-a where the lea-fy ma-ple grows:
 Here we learn life's du-ties do-ing in our sa-cred col-lege halls.
 And the last-ing ties of friend-ship wo-ven through with hopes and fears.

Tis our dear and glo-rious Park-side where the Elk-hart Riv-er flows, Tis a
 Fresh-man, Soph'-more, Ju-nior, Se-nior an-swer "Aye" when du-ty calls. Though our
 May they ne'er be brok'n a-sun-der in the dis-tant com-ing years. Though our

spot we love most dear-ly, Tis a spot we'll cher-ish long Af-ter youth and strength have
 tal-ents may be slen-der, yet our hearts beat warm and true, Ev-er lead' us on-ward.
 fu-ture paths may lead us to fair heights we can-not see, Al-ma Ma-ter, 'ere we

fad-ed and this world has heard our song.
 up-ward, ev-er shall our strength re-new.
 leave you, loy-al-ty we pledge to thee.

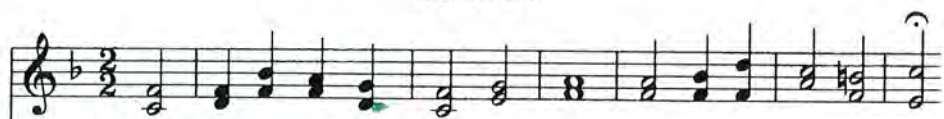
Go-shen Col-lege ev-er sing-ing, to our mot-to we'll be true.

Hon-or to our Mas-ter bring-ing, Al-ma Ma-ter we love you.


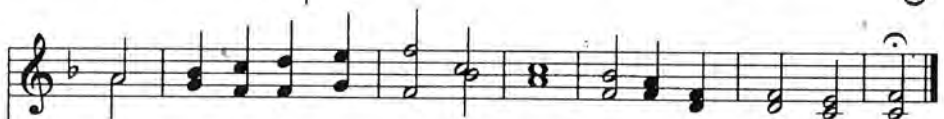
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Teach me thy truth 548

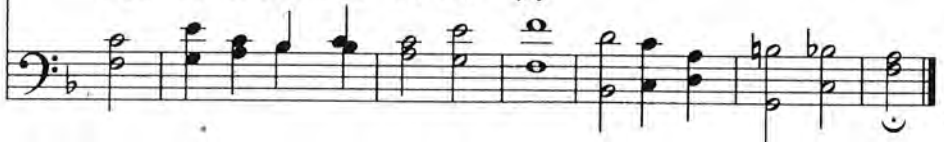
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1 Teach me thy truth, O might-y One, from sin, O make me free.
 2 Ac - cept my tal-ents, great or small, choose thou the path for me,
 3 Help me to show thy glo-rious way that leads in hope to thee,
 4 Grant me thy grace for ev - 'ry task un - til thy face I see,

Pre - pare my life to fill its place
 where I shall la - bor joy - ous - ly in ser - vice, Lord, for thee.
 till oth - er souls their joy shall find,
 then ev - er new shall be that joy



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The academic procession

The history of academic dress reaches back into the earliest days of the oldest universities. The costumes and colors, trimmings and patterns you will see are all traditional and interpret both the degree and field of learning. The bachelor's gown has pointed sleeves; the master's gown has an oblong sleeve. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves decorated with chevrons of velvet.

The colors you will see in the hoods and gowns of GC faculty represent the various fields in which the degrees were taken: apricot – nursing, brown – fine arts, citron – social work, crimson – journalism, dark blue – philosophy, yellow – science, green – medicine, lemon yellow – library science, blue – education, pink – music, purple – law, sage green – physical education, salmon pink – public health, scarlet – theology, brown – business, white – arts and humanities.

The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees, are lined with the official colors of the university or college conferring the degree. Hoods are edged and bound with velvet of the color appropriate for the degree.



The lamp and the book

In 1904 "Culture for Service" was announced officially as the motto of Goshen College, first spoken by President N.E. Byers in the closing words of his inaugural address. There was a traditional graduation week ceremony carried out, at least by the early 1920s, in which the graduating senior class solemnly passed the actual emblems of the book and lamp to the juniors. Found in the college seal, the book serves as a double symbol for an institution where there is importance attached to the written word and especially the privileged place of holy Scripture. The lighted Grecian lamp represents the light that comes from learning. In a world of darkness, the light pushes back the darkness – to know, to see, to discover truth. GC is a place of light and of enlightenment.

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