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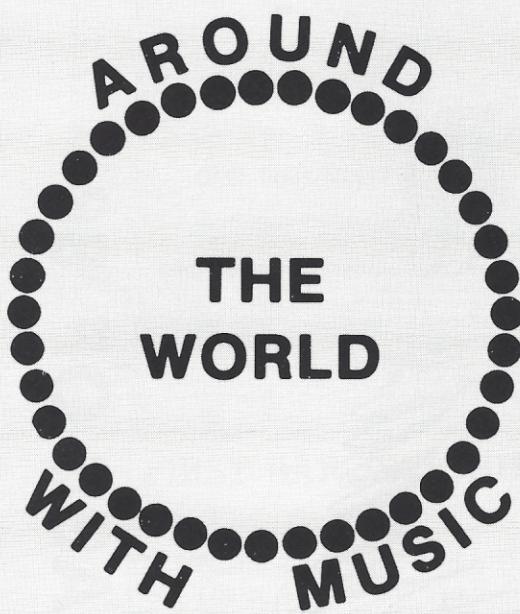
Cecil W. Seagle, Pastor
North Palafox at Jackson Street
IN OUR 142ND YEAR OF WORSHIP

Vol. XXXV

May 18, 1988

No. 20

Don't Miss...



Children's Choirs' Year End Program - May 29 at 6:15 P.M.

INSTITUTE FOR CHRISTIAN GROWTH

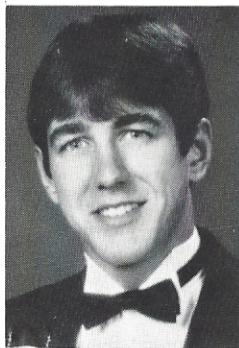
SUMMER CLASSES

- Bible Study: Acts -- C.E. (Bubba) Garrett
- Intercessory Prayer -- Joan Peterson
- New Member Training -- Peggie Seagle
- Spanish for Witnessing -- Dawn Upchurch
- Survival Kit: Leaders -- Beth Gowing
- “Witnessmasters” -- Andy Henderson
- May 29 - Kick-off Supper
- June 5 -- Classes Begin



*Congratulations
Grads* 

CLASS OF '88



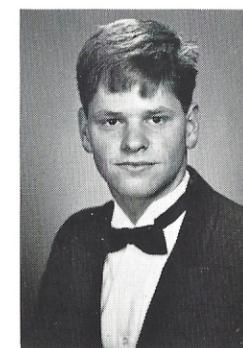
LANE BOOKER
Pensacola High



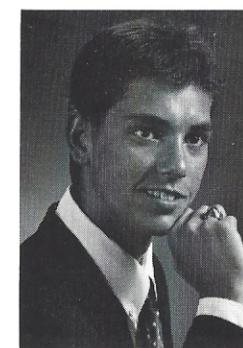
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Gulf Breeze



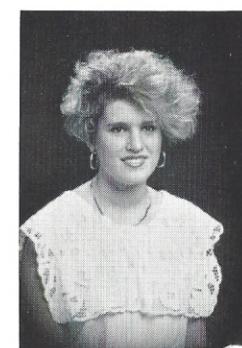
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Tate



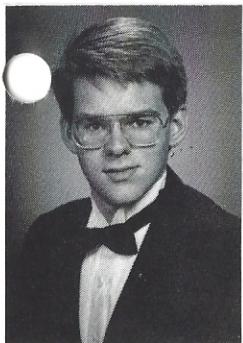
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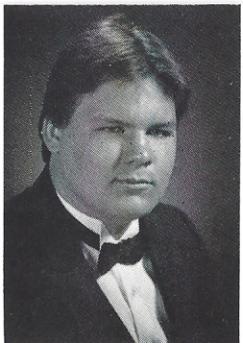
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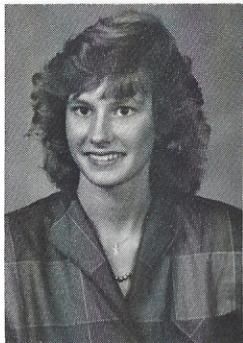
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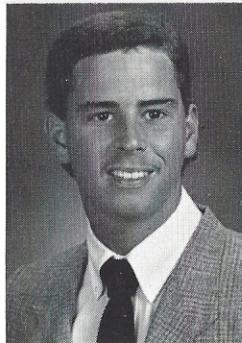
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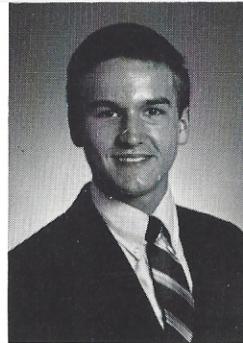
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Woodham



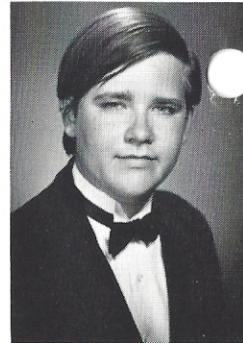
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Pensacola Christian



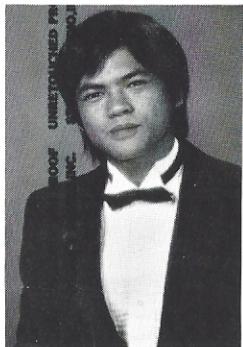
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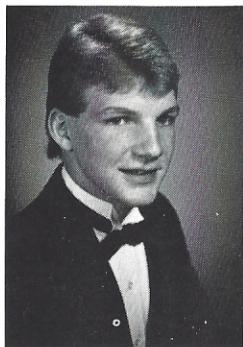
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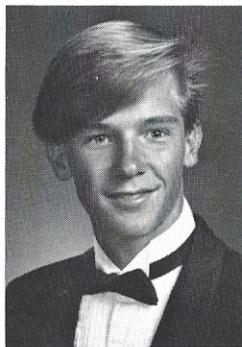
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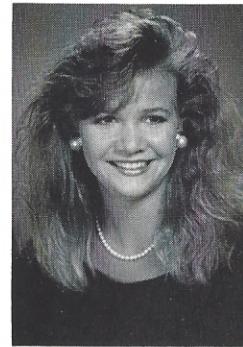
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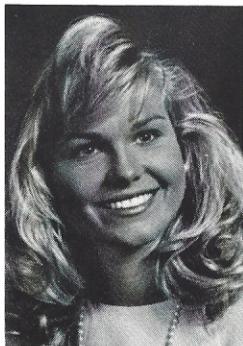
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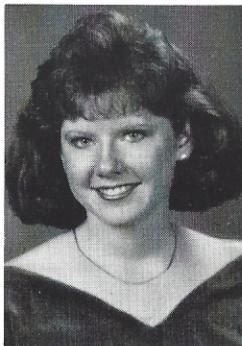
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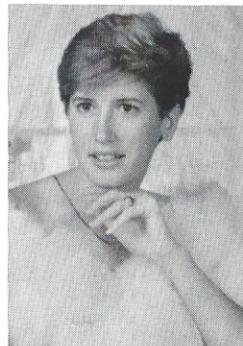
JULIE TAYLOR
Woodham



TRACEY TYSON
Tate



LISA WILSON
Gulf Breeze



DeANN WISE
Gulf Breeze



LISA WOODY
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SENIORS NOT PICTURED: CRAIG BLACKMON, JoANN ENDERSON, MIKE FIELDS, FRANCES FORESTER, RODNEY GODWIN, BILL HENDERSON, ELIZABETH HICKMAN, TYLER KEITH, KIMBERLY SANFORD, RONALD WHITED, and JENNIFER WILSON.

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP — MAY 15, 1988



MRS. LEE SCHULTE



MISS DAWN WOOLLEY

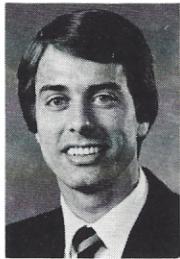


MR. BRET LOMAX



MR. and MRS. DAVID HOLIFIELD

NEWS FROM YOUR . . .



OUR CHAPEL CHOIR NOW ENTERS THE FINAL MONTH OF TOUR PREPARATIONS! I can't stress enough to the members of this high school / college group how important our remaining rehearsals are. Not only is attendance at them important, but also being on time, remaining for the entire practice and offering 100% attentiveness and effort. Surely, it's God's desire that we *study to show ourselves approved* in preparing this tour concert.

THE CHAPEL CHOIR WILL BE HAVING SEVERAL BONUS REHEARSALS DURING THIS MONTH. Beginning this Sunday, May 22, we will be rehearsing at 4:00 and at 7:15. A complete list of rehearsals follow:

SUNDAYS AT 4:00 and 7:15
WEDNESDAY, MAY 25 AT 4:30 (GUYS)
THURSDAY, MAY 26 AT 6:00 (GALS)
THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 9:00 P.M.: LOCK-IN
THURSDAY, JUNE 9 AT 6:00
SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 10:00 A.M.: BASH
MONDAY, JUNE 13 AT 7:00
TUESDAY, JUNE 14 AT 7:00
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 12:30 P.M.: EMBARK ON TOUR '88

IT'S COMING!!! ON SUNDAY, MAY 29 at 6:15 P.M., OUR CHILDREN'S CHOIRS WILL BE PRESENTING *Around the World with Music* . . . their year-end program. I'm so appreciative of our fine leaders who work diligently with these young ones, as I am of you parents who make it possible for your child to participate. Make plans to attend now!

IT WILL BE OUR PRIVILEGE TO HOST YOUTH CHOIR on Sunday evening, June 12, at 7:15 P.M. The Chapel Choir from First Baptist Church of Oneonta, Alabama, will be featured in concert along with their handbell choir and ensemble. An interesting side note is that our Chapel Choir will be concertizing in Oneonta's First Baptist Church on June 24, so our youth choir will really get to know each other. We will be hosting these visiting youth in our homes on June 12. For the most part, we will be seeking to house them in homes of our Chapel Choir. If you could help out in this, please call Shirley at 433-5631.



SENIOR RECOGNITION DAY

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 1988

Begins with the SENIOR BREAKFAST at 7:45 A.M.

at the home of Dr. and Mrs. James Callaway

GUEST SPEAKER: SANDY SANSING

This special day for all High School Seniors will continue with a time of special recognition in the morning worship service.

THE PEOPLE RESPONDED
MAY 15, 1988

BY LETTER:

Dawn Woolley (Miss)	476-2721
3205 East Olive Road	
Pensacola, FL. 32514	
From: Dauphin Way, Mobile, AL.	
Bret Lomax (Mr.)	477-0358
204 Gettysburg Drive	
Pensacola, FL. 32503	
From: Dauphin Way, Mobile, AL.	
David Holifield (Mr.)	477-3349
4613 Lennox Place	
Pensacola, FL. 32514	
From: FBC, Laurel, MS.	
Leslie Holifield (Mrs.)	477-3349
4613 Lennox Place	
Pensacola, FL. 32514	
From: FBC, Laurel, MS.	
Lee Schulte (Mrs.)	433-2446
1815 Escambia Avenue	
Pensacola, FL. 32503	
From: Champion Forest, Houston, TX.	

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

SYMPATHY:

The pastor, staff and church family extend Christian sympathy to:
Gladys Langford in the death of her mother, Etta Merritt, May 9.
Myrlin Brooks in the death of his sister, Esther Mae Palmer, May 12.
Leona Rector in the death of her brother-in-law, James Werner, May 13, in Port Arthur, Texas.

Dean Rector and Charlene Forsberg in the death of their uncle May 13.

Bill Thompson in the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Kline, May 14, in Laurel, Mississippi.

Jim Thompson and Bobby Thompson in the death of their great-grandmother, Mrs. Kline, May 14.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Steve Simoneaux who graduated May 9 from the University of Miami Medical School. Steve won an award for Outstanding Medical Student in Radiology and will do a residency in Radiology at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami. He and his high school sweetheart from Japan, Irene Cain, were married May 14. Mike and the family want to thank you for your prayers and ask your continued prayers for Steve and all the family.

Bill Shiell who was elected President of the '88-'89 Pensacola Christian High Junior Class.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

The Foundation Committee gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following gifts:

ANNIE ARMSTRONG

In Memory of:

UIDA BROWN JACOBS

By Anonymous

LENORE BOWMAN

By Anonymous

HARRY MORRIS

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JOHN COKER

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STEVEN RALOWICZ HINSON

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In Memory of:

DAVID SINGLETON

By Mr. and Mrs. J. Letcher Lamkin

FOUNDATION MEMORIAL FUND

In Memory of:

DR. JOHN COKER

By Miss Annie Mertins

OUR KNOWN SICK

IN THE HOSPITAL:

BAPTIST HOSPITAL

202 Dixie Beggs

293 Martha Brock

413 Harry Tait

420 Stella Kendrick

493 Artie Taylor

CCU Ruth Cvitanic

SPECIALTY CARE

208 Virginia Ledford

216 Mary Charles Renfroe

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214 Carolyn Tate

406 John Register

549 Kathleen Shofner

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ACTS
On Channel 34
Cox Cable TV

PRAYER LIST

KNOWN OUT - OF - TOWN:

KARE CENTRE, Biloxi, MS.

Ola Rampey

VA HOSPITAL, Biloxi, MS.

Fred Rand

REX HOSPITAL, Raleigh, N.C.

Nathan Brooks

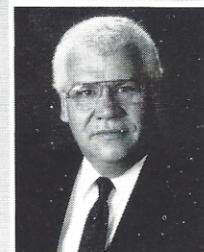
BELDING, MI.

Mrs. Ricki Jernigan

VALDOSTA, GA.

Virginia Stephens

The Seagle Say:



PICNIC '88 . . .

is history — good history! A big thank you to Marilyn Bennett, FBC's outstanding Recreation Committee, FBC's wonderful Kitchen Committee and a host of volunteers.

We laughed,
we played,
we sang, — and
we worshipped

together. That's how family becomes reality. Thank you one and all for a terrific afternoon. It made my day.

OUR FINANCIAL . . .

picture must improve and, in fact, is improving. I'm personally grateful to all of you who see as I see the need to do what the Father has called us to do. Specific and strong steps have been taken to deal with our deficit. The Finance Committee has suspended \$140,000 plus from our '88 budget. That means until and

unless things improve that money will not be available for use.

Does it affect programs and direction? The answer is both obvious and clear — yes! The Committee Chairpeople, staff and I are as committed to integrity and prudence in our expenditures as you are.

THE REAL PROBLEM . . .

has not been addressed. The real issue is how we see our responsibility to the family of faith, the cause of Christ, and world missions. We cannot fail, we must not fail.

The call is a call to obey. We do not need to pray about tithing. We need to obey. We do not need to debate tithing. We need to obey.

Whose fault is all this? That's not the issue. The issue is to allow our Lord to lead us to confront,

confess, and

commit what belongs to Him to His work and witness.

THANK YOU . . .

for the great strides being made. Join me in getting us to higher ground.

See you 1500 strong in Sunday School.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SOFTBALL TEAMS

MEN'S

FBC Team A vs. FBC Team D on Tuesday, May 24th at 8:10 P.M.

FBC Team A vs. FBC Team C on Thursday, May 26th at 7:00 P.M.

FBC Team B vs. Christ Episcopal on Tuesday, May 24th at 7:00 P.M.

FBC Team B has a BYE on May 26th.

FBC Team C vs. Scenic Heights on Tuesday, May 24th at 9:20 P.M.

FBC Team C vs. FBC Team A on Thursday, May 26th at 7:00 P.M.

FBC Team D vs. FBC Team A on Tuesday, May 24th at 8:10 P.M.

FBC Team D vs. St. Christopher's on Thursday, May 26th at 8:10 P.M.

WOMEN'S

FBC has a double-header on Friday, May 27th. The first game is at 6:15 P.M. on Field No. 1 and the second game is at 7:30 P.M. on Field No. 2.

All Men's games are played in the City League at Exchange Park No. 2 at Lakeview and Watson Avenues. The Women's games are played in the East Brent Baptist Church League.



BAPTIST WOMEN PRAYER RETREAT

JUNE 7TH — 9:00 A.M. - 2:30 P.M.

RUTH BAGWELL, LEADER

ALL WOMEN INVITED!

- Make reservations at the office for child and nursery care.
- Meet at the church at 8:30 A.M. to go by van to the Bayshore.
- Bring your Bible.
- Bring a sack lunch.

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CHURCH OFFICE 433-5631
SAMARITANS HANDS 438-8907

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Max Dickson, Chairman of Deacons.....477-7850
Sandy Sansing, Sunday School Director.....432-3282
Darriel White, Church Training Director.....476-2003
Brenda Kepner, W.M.U. Director.....944-9147
Mildred Gentry, Dir. of Library Services.....478-1367

CHURCH STAFF — Residence Phones

Cecil Seagle, Pastor438-2586
Bill Santo, Assistant to Pastor478-4422
Gary Garland, Minister of Education.....435-2954
Bob Morrison, Minister of Music.....479-4485
Luci Linnenkohl, Minister to Children.....478-7044
Eddie Benton, Minister of Youth.....478-8289
Hong Dang, Minister of Internationals.....432-8295
Charlotte Martin, Business Manager
Steve Edwards, Building Superintendent
Marilyn Bennett, C.A.C. Director
Jill Findley, Pastor's Secretary
Nelma Camp, Assistant Pastor's Secretary
Shirley Wise, Music Secretary
Georgia Lambert, Education Secretary
Pat Lovvorn, Membership Secretary
Lea Scott, C.A.C. and Youth Secretary
Lynn Milam, Children's Secretary
Monette Kelly, Receptionist
Lorraine Pulley, Dietician
Josephine Williams, Workroom Coordinator
Dr. Lynne Lauderdale, Organist
Mike McCracken, Pianist

All material to be included in the BUILDER
should be in the office, typed, not later than
4:00 P.M. Friday.

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

Weekly Budget Needs.....	\$ 35,558.00
May 15, 1988	
Receipts	30,709.84
Budget Receipts	
Year to Date.....	627,328.94
Budget Needs	
Year to Date.....	711,160.00

LAST WEEK

MAY 9 - 15, 1988

SUNDAY SCHOOL1,296

Extension Department	37
Married Adults	642
Single Adults	120
Youth	152
Children	210
Preschool	135
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM....	464
MEN'S LUNCHEON	110
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP	5

SECOND CLASS POSTAGE
PAID
AT PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

FAMILY AT WORK

SUNDAY, MAY 22

8:30 - 10:30 A.M.—Library Open
* 9:00 A.M.—Sunday School
* 10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship
 High School Senior
 Recognition
3:00 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
4:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
* 4:00 P.M.—Chapel Choir
4:30 - 6:15 P.M.—Library Open
* 5:00 P.M.—Church Training
 Middle School JOY
 Sanctuary Bells
 YouthQuake
* 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship
 G.A. / Acteen Recognition
7:15 P.M.—G.A. / Acteen Reception
 Chapel Choir

MONDAY, MAY 23

9:00 A.M.—“Needle” Workshop
* 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.—Blessercize — CAC
9:00 A.M. - Noon—Samaritans Hands
10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
7:00 P.M.—“Needle” Workshop
 Single Adult 1 Bible Study

TUESDAY, MAY 24

9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
 Samaritans Hands
12:00 Noon—Ladies Luncheon
12:45 P.M.—Lydia Sunday School Class
 Meeting — S-112
5:30 P.M.—Chapel Bells
6:30 P.M.—Surrender

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
* 4:30 P.M.—Chapel Choir
 (Boys Sectional)
 Children's Choirs
4:30 - 7:15 P.M.—Library Open
* 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
5:40 - 6:15 P.M.—Our Gang Time
6:00 P.M.—Exaltation — S-311
 A Cappella Singers — S-301
 Mission Friends
 Sunday School Contact Night
* 6:15 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
 High School JOY
 Middle School Acteens
 R.A.'s
 G.A.'s
* 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
7:15 - 8:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts

THURSDAY, MAY 26

* 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.—Blessercize — CAC
9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
 Samaritans Hands
12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
6:00 P.M.—Chapel Choir
 (Girls Sectional)

Vacation Bible School

June 20 - 24

DINNER MENU

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

Beef Tips in Mushroom Sauce over Rice
Steamed Carrots and Peas
- OR -
Tossed Green Salad
Cornbread or Roll
 Dessert
 Tea and Coffee

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND\$ 94.50
SPECIALS 796.00

SERMON TITLES

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 1988

10:30 A.M.

“ROOTS AND WINGS”

6:15 P.M.

G.A. / ACTEEN RECOGNITION
SERVICE

HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

MRS. GLADYS KNIGHT
5203 North Ninth Avenue, #321
Pensacola, Florida 32504
Telephone: 479-9446

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary Sunday, May 22, are in memory of L. Ray Carter, given by Mr. and Mrs. James E. Driskell, Jr., Lisa Carter and Debbie and Neil Allen.

EASTER PAGEANT TAPES

The Easter Pageant video tapes are in. If you ordered one, you can pick it up in the Music Office.

FRIDAY, MAY 27

* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
* Nursery Open
** Nursery by Reservation Only