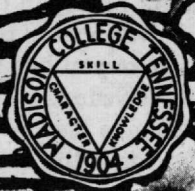


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### Dr. E. A. Sutherland Speaks

#### Part II

Cont. from the June 1990 SURVEY.

You know, there are a lot of people who would like to get into a better place than even California. They'd be glad to go somewhere where they would be sure to have something for nothing. The whole country's full of that idea. Of course, heaven is a place where most people don't expect to do very much to pay their way up there. I remember one time when I was first starting out in my work, Dr. David Paulson asked me to speak to his congregation in Chicago. They got Madison Square, they gathered quite a crowd of men, and I talked to them about heaven and the new earth. I tried to make a picture of what a wonderful place it was and how we would plant in the new earth, how we would live there.

When I got through, the meeting was open so that anybody could respond and I'll never forget, one man got up and said, "I don't want to hear any more of that kind of religion." He said, "You know this idea of having to plant and having to reap and having to work, why, that doesn't appeal to me at all as heaven. I want to go to a place where I can lie on my back and gaze up into the tree of life and see the wonderful fruits there, and just eat all I want without any work and just

praise the Lord constantly by saying Hallelujah."

So he got away (from) my big speech, in a short time, and I found the crowd was with him. They all wanted to go to a place where they could lie on their backs and sing hallelujah and do no work. That (idea) is the thing most of us have to get away from. Heaven is a place where we'll be busy and we'll learn to enjoy our work so that work can become recreation and a pleasure.

Now then, I want to go back to the time when I started my medical course. I was 20 years old. A call was made by the General Conference. Elder O. A. Olsen, the father of the doctor that is here, made a call at the campmeeting at Mankita, Minnesota, for young men to go to Battle Creek and take one year of premedical work, learn about the principles that we as a people believe in, and then go to Ann Arbor and finish up. I was one of those that responded. I reached Battle Creek at the proper time in the fall, and I found just one other person had responded. That was George Hare, who afterwards became a doctor. Dr. Kellogg was very much disappointed because there were so few who seemed to be interested, but he hung on and kept up there for three months, hoping that a class might materialize. There was none, and that was my first great disappointment--that I couldn't start my medical course when I was about 21 years of age. As I look back

### COMING EVENTS

Wellness Program  
Black Hills Missionary College  
Hermosa, SD  
Sept. 16-28, 1990

Mini Camp Meeting  
Hendersonville, NC  
Sept. 20-22, 1990

Simple Remedies and  
Preventive Medicine Seminar  
Uchee Pines Inst.  
Oct. 12-19, 1990

Wildwood Medical Seminar  
Wildwood, GA  
Oct. 26-Nov. 1, 1990

Hartland Lifestyle Programs  
Rapidan, VA  
Sept. 16-Oct. 11, 1990

Med. Missionary Campmeeting  
Groveland Health & Ret. Cntr.  
Groveland, FL  
Dec. 26, 1990 - Jan. 1, 1991

Madison College Homecoming  
Madison, TN  
June 21-23, 1991

Little Creek Alumni Assn.  
Little Creek Academy  
Knoxville, TN  
Nov. 2-3, 1990

Certified Health Aide  
Banning Health Service  
Banning, CA Oct. 12- Nov. 21, 1990

now, I think it was one of the greatest blessings that ever came to me, because, if I had taken my medical course with the kind of brain that I had and the kind of use I had been putting it to--and probably the way I would have used it, I never would have traveled over the road that I did travel when I finally took my medical course. I had to learn right there to put up with disappointment. To be continued.

## HELP!

We need the address and maiden names for these people in the Freshman Class of 1964. Thanks!

James Austin, Carol Avery, Ron & Phyllis (Haney) Blosser, Ed Bradley, Jane Beaty, Sherman Coble, James Combs, Marjorie (Coon) Lawson, Sharon Curry, Deeanna Devasher, George Dortch, Nancy Elliott, Norma Hall, Beverly (Hamlin) & Ed Hagopian, Kathy Harada, Melvin Forshee, Jeanne Hawkes, Leroy Hawkes, Barbara Heatherly, Clifton Heatherly, Larry Gilliam, Lue Gottschall, Rodney Greer, Jack Houston, Gertrude Griffith, Nina Hall, Don Hunt, Judy Jahr, Hector Javier, Bonnie Jones, Bill Kidwiler, Betty Mitchell, Henry Mobert, Grace Moore, Doug Kittle-son, Marvin Knecht, Reta Knight, Marvin Lackey, Wilma Orders, Richard Poulton, Sherryl Larson, Hazel Legg, Moises Lopez, Gail Martin, Parviz Rahmani, Pat Richardson, David Roberts, Pamela Robertson, Gerrie Maurer, Neal Millis, Bob Mimms, Louise Rosser, Gladys Shane, Marian Shores, Harold Snyder, Naomi Vinas, Marsha Watts, Jeanette Wolters, Elaine Stewart, Ed Stover, Manuel Suarez, Loretta Wyatt, Joyce Wynn, Nester Mabaquiao, Marion Sweeney, Lorraine Thompson, Bill Tingle, Josephine Tipton, Sue Copley, L. M. Campbell, Linda McLeish, Ann Tompkins, Kyle Treece, Lidia Vinas.

## HOMECOMING

### 1990

Madison College alumni held its Homecoming June 22-24. Registration was held on Friday in the Heritage House. It was a time to meet with friends whom you had not seen for as long as 40 years.

Jerry Moon, a teacher at Andrews University, gave the Friday evening address.

Dr. Shaen Sutherland, grandson of Dr. E. A. Sutherland, read the memorium.

Sabbath morning, Mavis (Savage) Sutherland, class of 1950, was superintendent of the day and expressed appreciation to classmates and Christian teachers who contributed to her being in the church today.

Charles Morton, an herbalist, told the story of Jethro Kloss. Morton said that Jethro learned about herbs from his mother and the Indians. At age 30 he became ill and was told he would die. He was given the book How to Get Well, by E. G. White, and he read, applied the information and recovered. Kloss became so enthused he wanted to read more books written by Sister White. He eventually became an SDA minister, went to Battle Creek and worked with John Harvey Kellogg, and then he to Madison. The Madison Food Factory was sold to Madison by Jethro Kloss. Someone asked Jethro if he was going to take all the knowledge he had learned about herbs to his grave, and this led to the book Back to Eden being written.

Morton also told us that Josephine Edwards had an accident, years ago, which left her arm hanging by her side connected only by a piece of skin. The doctors said that they would sew the arm back on for cosmetic purposes only. Someone said to Josephine, you know the God in heaven can heal your arm. This led to the application of the natural remedies, and in 6 months she felt a tingle. Today she has about 90% use of her arm.

Herbs are God's medicines. Madi-

son's herbal medicine course is based upon the herbal information in the book Back to Eden. The syllabus of the course goes beyond the book. There is a study about how Sister White used the herbs, and what she had to say about them. Dozens of new herbs, not in the book, are explained so that you can benefit from them. Herbal combinations and how the herbs have been and still are being used to treat diseases, as the Bible and the Spirit of Prophecy told us to do, is taught in this course. Sister White said, "The true method of healing the sick is to tell them of the herbs that grow for the benefit of man" (MS 105, 1898). "If every family were educated in how to use these herbs in case of sickness, much suffering might be prevented" (Letter 81, 1897).

The Sabbath morning worship service speaker was Conn Arnold.

Sabbath afternoon, an herb walk was conducted by Calvin Dence. One of Dence's duties, as he traveled the Columbia River for 8 years, was to help the natives by pulling their teeth. They did not feel any pain when their teeth were pulled because of the natural remedies Dence used. Before vespers, Harold Lance, president of OCI, gave a report of the baptisms and the work carried on through the Wildwood outpost units. It is always thrilling to hear the world wide work being carried on by OCI.

Saturday evening at the business meeting, it was voted to help save the Druillard Library, the last school building on the Madison Campus. Monies will be collected through the alumni association for this project. If you are interested in this project, send your donation to the Madison College Alumni Association, P.O. Box 6294, Madison College, Madison, TN 37116.

Officers were elected for 1991: President, Bob Sutherland; grandson of Dr. E. A. Sutherland, Vice-President, Dr. Billy Burks; Secretary-Treasurer, Viola Knight; and Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, Velma Jeffus.

Sunday morning there was a



report on the Stone Cave project. Applications are being accepted for students along the agricultural lines. The rest of the time until 4 p.m. was spent in an herbal workshop. Speakers were: Charles Morton, who gave a Medical Missionary Review; Calvin Dence, who spent 8 years on the Columbia River as a Medical Missionary using simple remedies; Dorothy Walters, who gives physical therapy and cooking school seminars; Mamon Wilson and his wife who have spent 17 years practicing natural therapy; and Andre Wilson and his wife, of Country Life Restaurant in Nashville, TN.

Madison College Homecoming for 1991 will be June 21-23. The honor classes are: 1932, 1933, 1942, 1943, 1952, 1953, 1962, 1963, and paramedical 1972 and 1973.

## FRIDAY EVENING ADDRESS

BY Naomi Gowen

Twenty-six years after it closed its halls of learning, a large homecoming audience of Madison College graduates, former students, and friends listened intently as Jerry Moon recounted something of "The Glory, the Agony, and the Legacy of Madison College."

Moon based his address on the research he and his twelve students did at Andrews University on the life of E. A. Sutherland and Madison College, from the founding of the college in 1904 with 14 persons, which included staff and students. By April 1905, gardens and ten acres of orchard had been planted. Their sole cash income was from butter, which was sold for thirty cents per pound.

Medical work was started in 1906 with eleven patient beds. By June 1914, E. A. Sutherland and P. T. Magan had earned their medical degrees. In 1915, Dr. Magan was called to Loma Linda. Even with this great loss, under God's blessings the educational and the medical work progressed and gained

worldwide attention. E. A. Sutherland showed he knew from whence came his strength, for when complimented on the accomplishments, he replied, "To God be the glory! The work is of divine origin."

Moon told of the forces that brought on the crises which caused this "school of divine origin" to close in 1964. However, he declared that the Madison legacy lives on in the work and lives of its students and in the self-supporting institutions and workers around the world.

"To God be the glory! The work is of divine origin."

## SABBATH WORSHIP

by Martie Hansen

Worship began with a stirring organ prelude by John McKee, '56' after which the congregation joined in singing, "O Worship the Lord." Marjorie (Cates) Coon invoked the Lord's blessing upon the service with prayer, and Pastor Gary Rustad welcomed the congregation. Checking by decade, he discovered that Edna Manzano was the person who came to Madison the longest time ago--in 1918. The offering was called for by Louis Dickman, President of Harbert Hills Academy and Nursing Home, and a beautiful offertory was provided by Leland, '31, and Alice Straw, '36, on violin and piano. Bernard Bowen, '56, introduced the morning speaker, Elder Conn Arnold, Executive Secretary of ASI. Before the sermon, a special musical medley on the piano and synthesizer was rendered by Hampton Bisalski, '85, and his son Jeremy, a student at Madison Elementary.

Elder Arnold chose as his sermon topic, "Holding On--Reaching Out," and expressed his thanks to Ira Gish, Harry Christman and Elder W. D. Frazee for help with facts and information used in his talk. Elder Arnold reviewed the miraculous events that led to the establishment of the Madison school in 1904. From a small beginning with many hardships, Madison grew and expanded until its graduates circled the globe, bringing their education

and influence to thousands. Unsung heroes, such as Charles Aldrin and Bradford Milford, the first Madison students to begin a similar unit elsewhere, bespeak the legacy of commitment and service. Although the world today is filled with traumatic events and unaccountable changes are taking place daily, as suggested in Matthew 24, the principles of Madison still work.

The greatest honor to Madison is what hands, feet, hearts, and minds do with what was learned here. Elder Arnold noted that in Acts 1:8, power was promised to God's people to accomplish great things for Him. If each graduate of Madison would win one soul for Jesus in 1990 and train that person to win someone else, in 10 years more than 10,000 souls would be won! "Holding on to the past--reaching out to the future"... as we continue to carry the message that Jesus is coming again, Madison will continue to live forever.

At the close of the sermon, the congregation was dismissed with prayer by Carlos McDonald, '48.

## TCMC

by Jim Culpepper

Maintaining the spiritual emphasis of our work at Tennessee Christian represents our greatest opportunity and challenge.

The Spiritual Life Committee is chaired by our President, Don Jernigan, and meets regularly. Our committee includes the Campus church pastor, a physician, our chaplain, as well as other members of the hospital team.

The Spiritual Life Committee launched a new program recently which we call "Loaves and Fishes." This program takes place once a month during the noon hour. A light lunch is served to all who attend and a one-half hour program is presented by one or more of the hospital departments. These monthly programs include group singing, special music, short talks, discussion of our mission, and prayer.

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These special times have proven to be inspirational to all who attend and represent another way to maintain a spiritual focus as we care for patients and work together.

## MEMORIES

Wallace Henry Burchard, '56  
Dayton, TN

When I first arrived at Madison, Mrs. Sutherland took me to the cafeteria in Nashville where Kenneth Sheriff was the head man, and I was put to work making pies and bran muffins in a little room back of the main kitchen.

Back in those days, they had what they called "outside activities." There were 4 Ford cars. A good friend of mine, Ray Spurgeon, invited me to go to the water tower with him. When we arrived, there was a girl sitting there. She got in the car and we got on the way. He pulled from his pocket a marriage license. We arrived at a house where a Baptist preacher lived and he performed the ceremony--I suppose we could say that I was the "best man."

There was a rule at Madison that if any one was out in mixed company at night or got married, they were automatically "shipped." Ray and Helen knew this, so they gathered their clothes and started on their honeymoon. The next morning I had to go before the discipline committee and before the student body that evening. The verdict from the discipline committee was to "ship me." In a moment, there were many students standing as my attorneys, even Mother Kendall. Dr. Sutherland was in the chair and he said, "It looks like Burchard has a lot of friends." He was smiling. I did not get "shipped."

In time, a baby boy came along to Ray and Helen, and he was named Wallace, after me. So you see, I got a namesake for going to that wedding and getting into all that trouble. Wallace was indeed a good worker, and could dig out a stump in less time than any other student.

## HONOR CLASS 1930

Harold Santini  
Altville, CA

I came to Madison in 1927. I worked a year, then took the dietetics course, graduating in 1930 with the first diploma given in this course. P. P. Claxton, U.S. Commissioner of Education, was the speaker for graduation.

I had an all-around experience in food preparation and serving. I had charge of the Sanitarium Kitchen for a while. I cooked and baked on a wood stove. I had charge of the school (Kinne) kitchen for a while, then worked at the vegetarian cafeteria in Nashville with Kenneth and Cleo Sheriff. There were treatment rooms upstairs where Gladys Robinson and Alfred Rocke worked.

What I remember most about Dr. Sutherland were his chapel talks. During my stay at Madison, it was my privilege to come in contact with many of the pillars of our faith. I walked with my arms around the shoulder of W. C. White. Dr. Sutherland introduced me to Dr. John Harvey Kellogg. He was a small man, dressed all in white. I was told they would be over for dinner and to be ready for them.

I remember my first work in the garden with the the "green stuff," and my first year at Madison with kerosene lamps. My roommates were from Germany, Japan, and the Philippines.

Nothing stirs me like reading  
THE MADISON SURVEY.

## Herbal Medicine

Correspondence Course  
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Madison, TN 37116-5843

## HONOR CLASS 1931

Violet (Sprague) Dirksen  
Warsaw, VA

In 1931, when we arrived at Madison we were assigned a room in a four-room cottage. The room had an iron cot, a four-drawer chest, and a pot-bellied coal-burning stove. We were shown a pile of coal in the back of the cottage. It was up to us to keep the fire going if we wanted to keep warm. We were given a mattress ticking and told the straw pile was out back--we could have a thick or a thin mattress depending on how much straw we put in.

At the business office we were issued a ten-dollar coupon book. Ten cents would pay for all you could eat. We could buy material for curtains and material for our uniforms and some supplies we needed, like hose and shoes. Before we could buy anything at the store, we had to get an O.K. from Miss DeGraw. She always asked if we had repaired cotton hose as much as we could. We mended those hose as much as we could rather than to go through that interrogation with Miss DeGraw!

Mrs. Bertram was in charge of the sewing room where we made curtains and our uniforms. She was a wonderful person.

One of the high points during training was being on call for a patient by sleeping on a cot just outside the room--on the porch in winter with snow on the ground! Another was taking "Grandma Johnson" (age 99) to the treatment room for a bath, getting her four underskirts off, and unlacing her high-top shoes. Every freshman got their turn with her.

At Christmas time, most of the students went home. I had to pay my own way, so I stayed and

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worked at the downtown Nashville treatment room, the food factory or the school laundry, which was not permitted to be open on Sunday because of the strong Sunday law.

I was 20 years old when I graduated in 1931. I received an invitation to go to California to work in my uncle's small 12-bed hospital in Dinuba, CA. I left Madison with \$85 I had saved, and I went to California on a coal-burning train.

I met and married my husband 57 years ago. Over the years, I have worked at Loma Linda, White Memorial Hospital, and several doctors' offices. Before I retired, I was assistant Director of Nurses of a 100-bed convalescent hospital.

In 1976, we sold our 240--acre California farm and retired to Virginia to be near our daughter in Maryland. We have traveled in every state except Alaska. We have crossed the U.S. from Virginia to California 23 times, in a motor home or trailer.

It breaks my heart to see the Druilard Library go. It's the only building left to remind one that once there was a flourishing college at Madison. If only there were schools today where young people could get a well-rounded education like Madison had. That library was the best built building on the campus at that time. I wonder what dear old Dr. Sutherland would say if he could wake up and see what progress has done.

We adopted 3 children. One was a 3-1/2 year old who had congenital heart failure. He married, had 4 children, and died at age 49. A 7-1/2 year old who was mentally retarded, lived with us until he was 28 years old and we could no longer care for him. Our daughter, adopted as a 3-day old baby, lives in Silver Springs. She has 2 children and is the joy of our life.

Leland Straw  
Knoxville, TN

My folks came to Madison in 1929. I graduated from Junior College in 1931. The school asked me if I

would teach, and they sent me to Peabody, where I majored in music. I was asked to start a music department at Madison, and stayed for 7 years. Some of our happiest years were here at Madison. I met my wife Alice (Goodge) at Madison. We were married in 1933, and stayed here until 1940 when we went to Little Creek, where I have been ever since. We have two boys, Stanford and Kenneth, both born at Madison.

## HONOR CLASS 1940

Jane (Turpin) Fuqua  
Panama Canal Zone

I married in 1940 ( I had all my credits for graduation and have taught school with that B.S., but Mr. Welch forbade my attending the graduation ceremony because I got married) and was divorced in 1958. In between, we lived in Germany, Japan and the Panama Canal Zone, as my husband was in the army. We had 6 wonderful children together. They range in age from 49 to 36. For 11 years I have been retired from Civil Service and living in Panama. The flat terrain of Panama has not prepared me for mountain country. At homecoming time I will be settling somewhere in the North Carolina mountains.

The things I remember about the years at Madison are jumbled, but always I found friendship and strength with Misses DeGraw, Hartstock, and Wrinkle, Mrs. Edith Moore, Dr. Wallace, and others. Small things stay a part of my life--soy burgers, bacon-flavored brewers yeast, and cracked wheat cereal with dates.

Bernie Golub gave me a bunch of violets every Friday evening-- and as I walked to the dormitory after long hours in the hospital, that campus monitor, Toshi, always flashed his flashlight in my eyes. Dr.

Bralliar was so devoted to his daffodil bulbs; Sally Sutherland was always ready to listen and defend me; Mr. Welch just knew I was doing something he would not approve; and Mrs. Varnell made the best fudge ever.

Does anyone remember the time someone had a pet skunk which I hid in the dormitory? Eventually it rambled all over the place, but when Dr. Rimmer went to swat it off a bed in his house, it was not the neutered pet sleeping there, and he and Mrs. Rimmer and all those children had to camp out for weeks and weeks. He never did forgive me--and it wasn't even my pet!

Then there were those charming students from Persia who went to have overalls tailored for them when they were assigned to work on the farm! I could ramble on for ages, but our mail goes through an Embassy Pouch system and you may not get this before the meeting. Where else but at Madison could one work herself to exhaustion for only 10 cents an hour! I learned a great deal and made friends with a truly wonderful lady--Miss Bessie DeGraw.

William E. Hochstetter  
Salem, OR

We are very thankful for Madison College. It was the only college we could afford to go to where I could finish my education. After graduation, my wife, Flora, and I went to Pine Forest Academy at Chunky, MS, where I was principal and we both taught in the academy. I was then called to teach at Custer, SD, and after three years I was called into the ministry. I pastored in the Dakotas, in British Columbia, and then in Oregon, where I retired in 1975. I have taken speaking appointments for the Conference nearly every Sabbath since then. We have a son and daughter and both are married.

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The plan of the schools we shall establish in the closing years of the message is to be of an entirely different order.... (CT 532 1908)

**Marjorie (Stiles) Kendall**  
Bolton, NC

Madison College was like a bit of heaven to me when I came in 1935. The campus was so beautiful; everyone seemed happy, busy, and friendly. I worked in the cannery with Brother Mathews, and at the store with Mr. Goodge. We sold bananas for five cents a pound. Mrs. Andrus was a real teacher when I worked in the linen room. We reviewed over and over again the rules of cleaning and orderliness. The James Zeiglers, along with Dr. Johnson and his wife, and Mrs. Moore deserve honor for their teaching, patience, and encouragement. Mrs. Dyr Dahl, matron at cabin court, and Miss Gafford in the library had a part in shaping and molding our futures. Mr. Miller worked in the food factory and Mrs. Miller was a nurse. They were like mom and dad to me. They took us on trips, invited us to their home etc. These are some of the folks we will enjoy being with again in heaven.

**Russell E. Myers**  
Woodbury, TN

The first thing that happened to me concerning Madison College was that Dr. E. A. Sutherland came from Madison Hospital to visit us. My mother, dad, sister, and I were present. The next thing I knew about Madison was Mr. Rimmer coming nearly to the end of Neelys Bend Road and having church services on Sunday. If you knew Mr. Rimmer very well, you knew that he did not get through until half way in the afternoon. The first time I ever went to Sabbath School was on the Madison campus. Dr. Ralph Moore was just Ralph Moore then, and he was at Sabbath School and shot me with a paper wad.

I started grammar school in the 4th grade and graduated in 1932. My father and I dug the basement for the Heritage House, where the alumni office is housed. We dug it with a blind gray

mare, a dirt scoop, a pick and shovel, and a sledge hammer. If you have those tools you can dig in this rock pretty good. After that I started high school and worked for Mr. Putnam on the farm and got 8 cents an hour. Then I worked in the broom factory for a couple of years. You could get more money if you got a contract. So we laid rock, poured cement, and did everything you could think of. I even worked with Mr. Niveson under some of these buildings. Back then you could hit one of those water pipes and you would have to close your eyes because the cockroaches came down by the millions. I finally graduated from high school in 1936, and started college. I didn't have any money to go to medical school, but I took premed, with a major in chemistry and a minor in math. Dr. Bayard Goodge was the Chemistry professor and Ralph Davidson the math professor. Ralph lives on an adjoining lot by me in Woodbury, TN. I finished College in 1940. I had worked in the food factory, the chemistry department as an assistant to Professor Goodge for 2 years, and I fired boilers. Mr. Emmett Pierce and I were good friends.

I went to Professor Goodge and Davidson and got an assistantship at the University of Tennessee. I went there in 1940. I would go to Little Creek on Sabbath to get a good meal. Then war broke out, and I was told I needed to finish my masters degree in chemistry and get a job as a chemist or go to the army. I worked as a chemist for the government and then later at Dupont in Sylacauga, AL for 2 years. I got a letter from Gene Thomas and he had been accepted to go to Loma Linda to medical school. I came to Madison and talked to Dean Risley, and I don't know how, but I was accepted into medical school. I went to Loma Linda in 1943. We were put in the army program where the army paid for everything, but we had to get through medical school in 3 years instead of 4, so I graduated in the class of 1947, but actually finished in 1946. I came back to

Nashville General and interned and then I had to go back 2 years in the army to pay for my school. But the army wanted some of us to take our residencies instead of coming back. Dr. William Bryant, Dr. Maurice Guest and I came out and we spent a year here. We went back in the army at the end of that year. I went into the air force and Dr. Bryant went into the army. I went to the Pacific and he went to Europe. While I was on the Island of Guam, Dr. Gant, who was the medical director here, contacted me about going to Woodbury, TN to run a hospital they were trying to give to the conference. So in 1950 Dr. Bryant and I went to Woodbury. We called it the Madison Woodbury Association. We got up to 96 beds and ran it for 31 years. Dr. Moore and Dr. Coffee were there with us part of the time. We closed the hospital in 1981, they built an HCA hospital, and I quit after 4 years of closing out the hospital. I had trouble with my eyes and to this day I can't read and write, so I don't know if it was Madison's fault or mine.

**Holady C. Neafus**  
Pacific Grove, CA

Holady retired in 1971 as a Lieutenant Colonel in the army. We recently found him, and hope he will send us more information about himself and tell us about his family.

**Tennys (Ingram) Patterson**  
Berrien Springs, MI

I married Philip Patterson, a printer from Canada. Ours was the first wedding that was performed in Helen Funk Assembly Hall, in 1940. In college I studied nutrition and took premed at the same time, all but 2 subjects. I had a blood clot and am legally blind. I went to the library and got some books on the eyes and found that milk and cream make the blood cells sticky. This puts you in line for a heart attack or brain hemorrhage. Nutrition can either make us or break us.



Helen (Lamberton) Reeve  
Charles L. Reeve, M.D.  
Keene, TX

I have a feeling of nostalgia at the mention of Madison College, and am very thankful for the educational opportunities it afforded me. It is the only college I could have attended. I came from a family of 14 children. It was necessary that I work not only for my tuition expenses but for all my living expenses as well. Only Madison College and its beautiful faculty made this possible.

It is 50 years since my graduation from nursing--46 years of that time I worked at some phase of nursing, and retired 3 years ago at age 72.

Charles and I are thankful for each one of our 8 children. Our daughter, Charlene, is manager at Brandom Kitchens in Keene, TX Joy is a teacher at Minnesota Jr. Academy working on a masters degree at Union College. Charlene lives in Keene, TX. Donovan has been with Christian Record for the blind in Lincoln, NB for 17 years. Barbara is a choir director and piano teacher in Hutchinson, MN. Derral is summer camp director in Minnesota and is moving to Alaska to be principal of Anchorage Jr. Academy. Charles is an optometrist in Spokane WA. Harold is a teacher of sciences and avid birder at Modesto Academy in California. John is a pastor and Pathfinder director in St. Paul, MN.

In 1972, I obtained a B.A. in Religion from Union College. Charles received his B.A. from W.W.C. and medical license from Loma Linda University, and retired from the practice of medicine in 1974.

Bruce Sanderson  
Bonita, CA

While I was a medical student, I married Dorothy (McIntyre), who was in the class of 1942.

We live in Bonita and I have practiced in San Diego. My wife had cancer and died June 15 We buried her last Monday. From here I am going to Montemorales University to help in the department of head

and neck surgery.

I am semi-retired and do research. I appreciate all that Madison did for me and the education I received.

Beatrice (Leach) Stephens  
Pinole, CA

I greatly treasure the friendships I formed at Fletcher and Madison.

My sister, Judy (Leach) Thurman, took nursing at Madison, graduating in 1945, and lives nearby. My other sister and brother live close. My sister-in-law, Thelma (Puckett) Stephens, N'45 lives in Downey, CA.

I appreciate all of Mable Towery's efforts in keeping up the interest in the college and serving as an inspiration. May God bless all your efforts!

William C. Swatek, MD  
Loma Linda, CA

I am mostly retired, but still do locum tenens for other pathologists who must be away from their hospitals.

Rose (Larson) and I have been married 44 years. We have two children: Claude M. is an engineer at Crawford Long Hospital in Atlanta, GA; Pamela Tripp is in Boulder, CO with her husband, an ophthalmologist. We have four grandchildren.

From May 1 to mid-November each year, we can be found gardening and fishing on Georgetown Island in Maine. In 1989 we volunteered to work on the SDA Edeby project in Sweden. For 3 months we scraped, sanded, and painted window and door frames. Last October, I fulfilled a life-long ambition to see a bit of Europe. We traveled by Euro-rail pass in 14 countries.

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## HONOR CLASS 1941

Jerusha Johnson  
Chunky, MS

My husband and I came to Madison in 1938 and I finished in 1941. I believe in the Madison principles. I talk with educators and they see that what we want to do at Pine Forest and what was done at Madison is the type of thing that the world needs. We need to be thinking of the things we have learned and then try to sell them to these young people. These young people are not happy with the world, they are wild with it, they are crazy with it. But if they could get out of it and get into something else, they would love it. This is my 42nd year at Pine Forest, and I wouldn't exchange it for any other kind of life I could have had. There are thrills all the day long. Adolf Johnson and I had a wonderful daughter, Sharon, who has a daughter 16 years old.

Shirley (Throckmorton) Moore  
Takoma Park, MD

(We are happy to share excerpts from Who's Who about Shirley Moore).

Shirley was born July 4, 1918 in Des Moines, IA, the daughter of John and Jessie (Wright) Throckmorton. She went to Iowa State Teachers College in the summers of 1937-38 and Madison College from 1939-41. In 1944 she received her M.C.S. from Benjamin Franklin University. Shirley and Elmer Moore were married in 1946. They have one daughter, Fay, of Dallas, TX. Shirley is an accountant. She was assistant bookkeeper at Sibley Hospital in Washington, D.C. 1941-42. She worked for a tax law firm, Alvord & Alvord, from 1942-46; as a bookkeeper 1946-49, chief accountant, 1950-64; finance adviser to senior partner from 1957-64, direc-

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tor of Allen Oil Co., 1958-74; and has been in private accounting practice since 1964.

Shirley has been a member of the Takoma Academy school board in Maryland since 1970. She was the recipient of the Distinguished Graduate award from Benjamin Franklin University in 1961. She is a member of several professional organizations and has held offices on the national level.

She is a member of the D.A.R. and the Maryland Association of C.P.A.s, of which she was President 1968-69; and the federal tax commission, 1971-73. She contributes articles to professional journals, and works in Takoma Park, MD.

**Emmett Pierce**  
Portland, TN

I came to Madison because there was no money. My first job was in Central Heat, Kinne Kitchen next, then the lab. I took lab and X-ray, graduated with a BS degree, and went into the army for 38 months. I got out of the army, and opened up my own private lab and X-ray on the edge of Dallas, for 8 years. When I was 30, I decided to come back to Madison. I took nursing and anesthesia and I started free-lance anesthesia. I built up a group of 6 anesthetists. I retired 4 or 5 years ago, and do locum tenens anesthesia relief all over the country now.

Margaret (Harper) and I were married and now she has Parkinson and Alzheimer's disease. We have 3 daughters: Patricia is the oldest, and her husband is the ABC man in the Arkansas Conference. Margaret Rose's husband is pastor of the Madison Campus church, and Catherine is in computer work in Laguna Beach, CA.

I loved the food at Madison. The food I liked best was the whole grain cereal. It had great big pieces of dates in it. The most pleasant days of my life were spent here at Madison. The most trying days were with Mr. Jaspersen, trying to get some of the money from him that I had worked for.

**Margaret (Steeves) Roy**  
Berrien Springs, MI

It is always a welcome treat to receive the Madison SURVEY. I appreciated the experiences of the 2 years spent on the Madison campus. The training from Mrs. Nis Hansen and the teachers there was put to good use. Madison holds a special place in my heart.

Norman J. Roy and I were married in 1947 and have spent 41 years in educational work. We started at Cheyenne River Academy in North Dakota, then Lodi Academy in California, 16 years at Atlantic Union College, and 17 years at Andrews University. I retired 3 years ago. I was secretary to the principals of the academies and to the presidents of the colleges. In my retirement I am a part-time secretary at the Berrien Springs Village Church and enjoying the challenge of the electronic and computer age.

We have 2 married daughters and 4 grandchildren.

On a bus tour to Nova Scotia last September, it was a treat to find Lillian (Fleming) Reid on the tour and renew past experiences of the time we spent at Madison.

**Eleanor Jean (Ross) Teel**  
Glendale, AZ

My husband Ivan and I have 3 married children, James, Harold Ivan II, and Anita Larmore, and 4 grandchildren. My husband, Ivan, passed away in 1976. He had a family medical practice for 25 years. I retired from nursing in 1987. I have traveled to 36 countries, but enjoy being at home in this nice warm desert climate of Phoenix.

**Robert Jacobsen, M.D.**  
Irvine, CA

Sorry I can't be there for homecoming. My wife, Eleen (Mattison), and I are retired and enjoying traveling. We are just back from 3 weeks in NW USA.

[From alumni office: Robert and Eleen have 5 children--Wayne and

Bruce (M.D.s), Michael (dentist), Gary, and Cheryl. Robert was in the army from 1941-45 and graduated in 1952 from the California College of Medicine in Sacramento, CA.]

**Denzil Truitt, D.O.**  
Kerrville, TX

Before I came to Madison, I lived in West Texas where I had to walk 10 to 12 miles to get to school. Consequently, I missed a couple of years at school. I arrived at Madison about 3 a.m. Mr. Boskind was the first person I met. He took me to Cabin Court and left my belongings there. I got a few hours sleep and then I had to go talk to Miss De Graw. I had only been through part of the 9th grade, and she chewed me out for 10 minutes. Finally I told her I did not have anywhere else to go. She called Lawrence Hewitt and told him she had a boy she wanted him to take down to Cabin Court. She told me to sit down outside her office. This was during a meeting of the Laymens Foundation. She told me for the next 2 or 3 days to go to these meetings, that I needed to get acquainted with the work and what our purpose is. So I attended those meetings. I didn't dare do anything else. Somebody came by as I was sitting waiting for Lawrence to come and left a briefcase near where I was sitting. When Lawrence came, he picked up the briefcase and said follow me. He took me to Cabin Court and set the briefcase in the closet and left. I went to the meetings and they kept announcing that a black minister from Alabama had lost his briefcase. That didn't mean anything to me, because I didn't know anything about the briefcase. Finally the meetings were over and my roommate, Gordon Brown, came in and said, "This briefcase is in the way would you mind if I move it?" I told him I didn't care what he did with it, that it was not mine. He said, "Oh no! Don't you remember those announcements they were making about this briefcase?" So he took it up to Lawrence Hewitt and

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they got it straightened out.

I finished high school here and started college. I drove the city truck, worked at the service station, broom shop, central heat, sanitarium, and at the kitchen on Sabbath.

When I left Madison I went to Louisville, KY, then to Texas, then into the army. After I got out of the army, I went to Pacific Union College and graduated. Next I went to Oregon State College, and taught in the industrial department after I graduated. Then I went to the College of Osteopathic Medicine in Kansas City and finished in 1958. I interned in Ft. Worth, TX and practiced 2 years, and then went to a little town near Lubbock, TX and practiced for 18 years.

Since that time, for approximately 12 years, we have lived in the hill country and I am still in part-time practice. We have 3 children. Carolyn was born here, and Dr. Wallace delivered her. She is married to Wayne Longharvey, the principal of Thunderbird Academy in Scottsdale, AZ. Our son is a doctor in Tyler, TX, and our daughter Loretta Hughes, and her husband run a home for the disabled in Ketchum, OK.

Lola (Diehl) Truitt  
Kerrville, TX

Denzil and I met here at Madison College. I came to Madison in 1940, and we married in 1941. We had our oldest daughter in 1942. Next year will be our 50th wedding anniversary.

Jack Weeks  
Lilburn, GA

I was dropped off in Madison and Doyle Martin sent Kenneth Matthews to get me. Mr. Sandborn assigned me to Central Heat. That was the highest-paying job on the campus, 15 cents an hour. I was drafted into the army, and when I got out I went to Georgia Tech. I had to take most of the subjects over that I had taken at Madison.

Because I took Chemistry under Dr. Webber, I didn't have to take it over. I found my wife, Mary (Irby), here at Madison and we married after I got back from the service. We were married about 35 years when she passed away in 1980. I am now married to Eola. I have one son.

Maydell (Williams) Wilcox  
Naples, NC

After I finished high school, I didn't know what to do with myself. My mother was a widow and I knew I had to do something. I wrote to Madison and said, I don't have any money. They said to come in the summer and work out my entrance fee. My first job was to clean the doctors' offices, then go to the laundry to work. Whatever they gave me to do, I did, and was happy to do it. The food was good. I was half starved, and I could get a meal for 10 cents. I started the nurses course. I was so happy because I was getting some place. I finished the 3-year nurses course, then went to Takoma Park to get my degree. I met my husband in Takoma Park, and we got married after we finished our education. We have two children Kenneth and Dianne.

(Many, many thanks, Maydell, for the very good chocolate pie you brought to the Heritage House.)

Stella (Williams) Thiel  
Redlands, CA

The week after I graduated from high school, I got on the train in Gilberttown, Alabama and came up to Madison. I had a room upstairs over the assembly hall, and I thought that was the hottest room I had ever been in in my life. I was hungry and someone brought me a soybean sandwich. That was the worst-tasting sandwich I had ever had in my life. I had never heard of soybean cheese, but in time I learned to like those sandwiches. Someone came and said, "Stella, Miss De Graw wants to see you". Miss De Graw said, "What is your purpose for coming here? I hope you

have your entrance fee." I said, "I didn't", and she said, "I couldn't stay". I said, "I could work". She said, "I couldn't work that much", but I said, "if someone would give me the work I'd do it". She sent me to Mrs. Goodge, who gave me 16 hours work. I worked real hard.

E. E. Kungel  
Parachute, CO

Eleator Schlenker, Ted Fisher, and I got in an old 1932 Chevy and we came to Madison. My mother fixed enough food to last us until we got here. I was here two years, 1939-40. I learned how to eat collard greens, soybeans, soymilk, and a few things that were good for me. From Madison, I went to Walla Walla College and finished theology. I was a minister for 40 years and retired in Colorado, but they still keep me working. I learned while I was at Madison. It was a good school and I wish they had never closed it. I would send kids there if it were still open. In San Francisco I had a church with 26 nationalities, 6 Sabbath school classes, and a Bible Worker who could give Bible studies in 7 languages.

Once Schlenker and I decided to go see the Grand Ole Opry. We took 2 nurses along to pay for the gas, and we got campus bound for 6 weeks. My wife and I have 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Our daughter Rita graduated from Loma Linda and married a teacher at Colorado University. She is a dental hygienist. My son is a mechanic for Aspen Airline. Whenever he gripes about the wages of \$15 an hour, I remind him I worked for 15 cents an hour. He says, "Dad, that was before the flood."

Dorothy (Wayne) Bowes  
Claremont, CA

Mrs. Zeigler asked me to write a poem, so here it is:

We've all marched down  
memory's road,  
but we can't say we're getting old.  
Cause we've trod those paths,

seems only yesterday,  
and we worked those halls  
for ten-cent pay.  
Night duty, sleeping duty  
and North Hall  
in memory's frame seems  
just like a ball.  
In retrospect we were license free,  
unencumbered with responsibility.  
General duty and the medical desk,  
coupled with classes,  
put us to the test.  
Sabbath duty or Surgery  
with Miss Coon,  
or emergency or routine  
could make us moan.  
With morning worship at 6:15,  
can't say our senses  
were really keen.  
But each student had a fair share  
as we busied ourselves  
with a.m. care.  
Through all this practice  
we learned well  
and now we've lots of stories to tell.  
As we remember,  
E. A.'s lectures seem so boring,  
some nodded off,  
some even snoring.  
But those chapel talks  
that seemed so long,  
we've now learned  
made us wise and strong.  
Experiences shared by old alums,  
make us a special group,  
all said and done.  
So we've gathered here once more  
to open wide our memory's door.  
Giving fellowship and courage to all,  
with the stories  
we've come to recall.  
We've weathered  
50 years pretty well,  
that the campus has changed  
we can tell.  
But to these old grads  
this trips a thrill.  
Keeping us young, not over the hill  
as we fly down the corridors of time  
and live again those days sublime.  
We thank the Lord  
He brought us through  
and we're blessed now  
with faith anew  
to pass these lessons on to the youth  
as future generations  
seek the truth.  
So now, farewell to each dear friend,

this rhyme has finally  
reached its end.

Glenn Bowes  
Claremont, CA

I married my lovely little wife,  
Dorothy (Wayne) Bowes, February  
14, 1942. We both finished in 1941  
and migrated to California and were  
wed out there. I worked a short time  
as a first aid nurse for the shipyard  
and then I got the call to the army.  
In 1942, I went in the army for 3-  
1/2 years. When I got out of the  
army, I enrolled in the Palmer  
College of Chiropractic in Daven-  
port, IA and I've been a Chiroprac-  
tor for a number of years. I had my  
office in Pamona, CA. We have 2  
sons. Our eldest son teaches  
communications at Andrews Uni-  
versity. He is married and has two  
children. Our youngest son is a  
minister in Yucaipa, CA, and has  
two children. At the present time,  
he has taken a call to England and  
is over there having seminary meet-  
ings for a month. In July, Dorothy  
and I plan to go over and join them  
for a couple of weeks.

Vera (Noss) Hewitt  
Ridgetop, TN

Herbert Hewitt and I were mar-  
ried in 1941. I had to take my final  
exams 2 weeks early so I could get  
married, because we were to go  
down to Camden, AR to work in an  
effort with Elder I. C. Pound. Next  
year we will have our 50th wedding  
anniversary.

I didn't have very far to come to go  
to Madison because I lived in  
Nashville, and my father was a  
Southern Publishing worker. I think  
he made about \$25 a week back in  
those days, and there were 8 of us in  
the household to feed. My grand-  
parents lived with us and there  
were 4 children. My parents didn't  
have much money, but they thought  
they could pay my room rent. We  
only had a 10-grade school in  
Nashville, so Frances Harris and I  
decided we did not want to drive out  
to Madison everyday, but

wanted to stay out here. I was told I  
was too young to live, at age 15, in  
the dormitory, but that if I found a  
place to stay I could attend the  
academy. So Frances and I got a  
room with Dr. Bralliar. My very  
first job at Madison was at "Pop"  
Mathews cannery. I peeled pears all  
summer and it wasn't long before I  
had a lot of blisters on my hands.  
Most of the time I was at Madison, I  
worked in the San kitchen. One  
year I worked up at Kinne Kitchen.  
I took nutrition under Dr. Dittes.

Herbert and I have been in mission  
service, pastoral service, and educa-  
tional work. I was glad I had the  
opportunity to go to Madison. I  
probably could not have afforded to  
go anywhere else. I feel that my  
training has stood me in good stead  
with the work Herbert and I tried to  
do.

Charmain (Manzano) Herman  
Columbus, NC

Jim Herman and I married in  
1941. We are living in Columbus,  
retired but busier than ever. Jim  
still drives his 18-wheeler some.  
When he quits we plan to tour the  
U.S. and visit all our friends. Our 4  
children are doing fine raising our  
12 grandchildren.

More than anything, we are look-  
ing forward to the grand tour of the  
New Earth where we will be with  
our wonderful Savior forever!

Lornea (Murray) Dicken  
Engar, CO

Lorna was "lost" to the alumni  
office and now she has been found.  
She said that Mary Henderson gave  
her some *Madison Surveys*, and so  
she in turn sent us some missing  
addresses. Lorna did not send us an  
update, but if you would like to  
write to her send the letter to Rt. 1.  
Engar, CO 81325

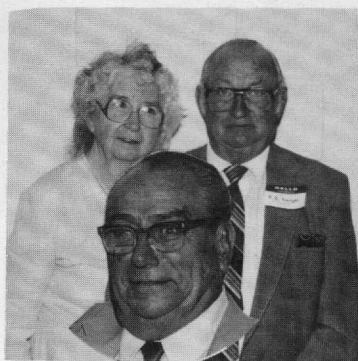
Madison now has 33 students  
enrolled in the Herbal Medicine  
Correspondence Course. Cost is \$50  
for the course or send \$5 for the  
information packet.



# MADISON COLLEGE HOMECOMING 1990



1931  
Leland Straw,  
Violet (Sprague) Dirkson



1940  
Louise (Hoyt) Gish  
E. E. Kungel  
Dr. Russell E. Myers



1941  
Back Row: J. D. Weeks, Dr. Bruce Sanderson, Dr. Glen Bowes  
Dr. Denzil Truitt, Jerusha Johnson  
First Row: Emmett Pierce, Stella (Williams) Thiel  
Maydell (Williams) Wilcox, Dorothy (Wayne) Bowes,  
Vera (Noss) Hewitt



1950  
Back Row: Mavis (Savage) Sutherland, Joyce (Jones) Merrifield,  
Eloise (Page) Surdahl, J. B. Gramyk,  
Louise (Burk) McDonald, Luther May  
First Row: Carl Eddy Baker, Elsie (Stinchfield) Brownlee,  
Audrey (Bursley) Trevor, Violet (Stewart) Lang,  
Mary (Scott) Jones, Buddy Blair



1951  
Back Row: Roland Parker, Bernhard Jensen, Clayton Peters  
Reavis Leatherwood, Everett Siewert,  
Larry & Lois (Bale) Cheever, Doris (Iles) Lee, Dorothy Fox,  
Bettie (Bicknell) Donesky, Sylvia Maltby,  
Sue (Townsend) Potts, Jessie Mae (Burgess) Gray

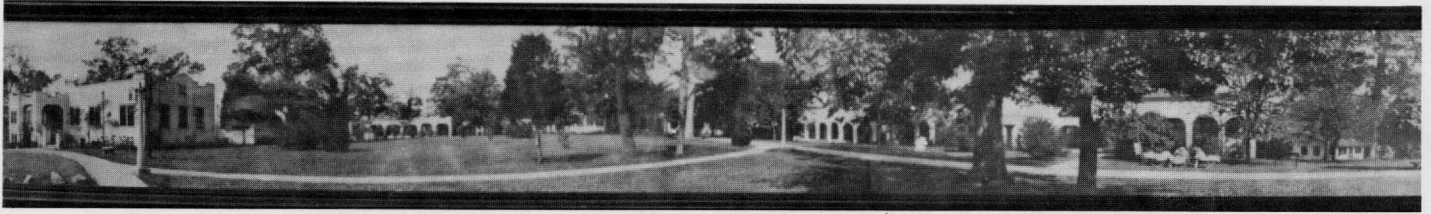


1960  
Back Row: Ida (Gordon) Thomas, Helen Leitsinger,  
Elizabeth Cockran, Doris Brown  
First Row: Damaris (Rivera-Torres) Leonor, Margie Anaya



1961  
Rebecca (Reval) Jackson, Grace (Paulson) Bottsford,  
Beth (Edwards) Carter, Stella (Stark) Saunders, Gene Sellars

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For a donation of \$100 receive this picture of Madison Hospital, the way it looked before it was torn down.



Friday Night Speaker  
Jerry Moon  
Teacher, Andrews University



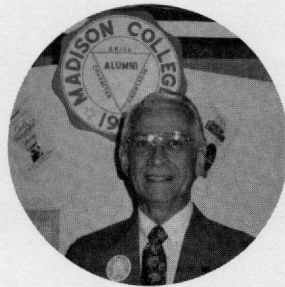
Organist  
John McKee'56



Sabbath School Teacher  
Buddy Blair'50



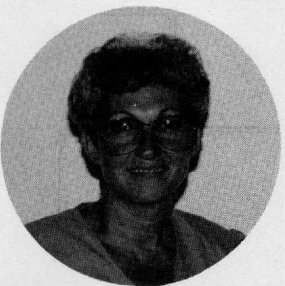
Pianist  
Albert Dittes



Sabbath Worship Speaker  
Elder Conn Arnold  
General Conference, ASI Division



Mission Report  
Charles Morton, Herbalist



1965  
Pat (Gaulding) Perales



Anesthetists  
Back Row: Pat (Gaulding) Perales, Rex Leatherwood,  
Bernard Bowen, Doris Brown, Everett Siewert  
First Row: Bernhard Jensen, Ruben Perales,  
Margaret (Rice) Stuart, Dottie Knapp,  
Emmett Pierce, Larry Cheever, Doyle Martin



**Pauline (Burke) Knapp**  
Milwaukie, OR

Pauline was "lost," and has been found, by the alumni office. Our thanks for the addresses she sent. Pauline was in Crossville, TN in May visiting her son, David. She will not be at homecoming because at that time there will be campmeeting in Oregon. Pauline says, "Hope all have a nice reunion."

**Olga (Burdick) Speer**  
Ardmore, OK

My years at Madison have been very helpful. I appreciate the effort of the founders of Madison that made the school a success.

My cousin, Worthie (Burdick) Johnson, and I roomed together at Madison in the late 30's and early 40's. She died in 1989. I always enjoy the SURVEY. God has been very good to me.

## HONOR CLASS 1950

**Carl Eddy Baker**  
Bradenton, FL

I spent a few years at Fountain Head before I came to Madison, which was a great blessing to me. I came to Madison at the end of 1943 and worked with Adolph Johnson on the farm. We still had horses that we worked with then. Then Uncle Sam called me. I took my GED test, and when I got out of the army I came back to Madison and took nursing and graduated from nursing with a BS degree in 1950. Since then I have worked in Florida most of the time. Now I am retired, working with the prison ministry and other activities of the church.

I work in prison ministry, using the Kenneth Cox tapes. The prisoners are pleased with them. I am busy with class work and am to receive a certificate as Lay Evangel-

ist Pastor's helper in Sept. 1990. I am church elder, personal ministries leader, on the church board, and the school board. The SURVEY is nice, we like it.

**Elsie (Stinchfield) Brownlee**  
Portland, TN

I transferred from Fletcher to Madison and finished my last year of nursing. I enjoyed the class and the instructors, and I found my husband here. I have 4 children: my oldest son is a nurse anesthetist, who lives in Portland, TN; a daughter in Hartsville TN; and a son in Bowling Green, KY. I have 8 grandchildren. It is a pleasure to say that I graduated from Madison. I am working at Gallatin, TN and have been there nearly 13 years as the night supervisor of the hospital.

**John Gramyk**  
Redding, CA

I have not been back to Madison since 1950, and it has changed a lot. In 1951 I went to Chicago to take anesthesia, and when I finished I worked there, until 1955. I got tired of the dirty city so I went to Portland, OR. In 1956 I met and married my wife, Helen. We have 2 boys, Kevin and Kenny, who are both doctors. They will finish their residency this month. The oldest one is an orthopedic doctor and the youngest is an emergency room doctor. In 1963 we moved to California, where I just happened to get into one of the busiest trauma centers. I stayed there for 19 years. In 1979 I had a coronary by-pass and had to retire. In 1988 we moved to Redding, CA. I have nothing but good to say about Madison. I see the teachers who have been here, and I respect them greatly--Mr. & Mrs. Zeigler, Mr. Rimmer, and numerous others. I have pleasant memories of Madison. I don't remember anything bad about Madison. The food was good. I have so many memories I could write a book.

**Lois Cheever**  
Webster Springs, WV

My parents joined the SDA church and my father had to quit his job, so they decided to come to Madison where there was an Adventist school. I took the last 2 years of high school here and took nurses training. Just before we took the nursing course, Larry Cheever and I were married. We have 6 children, 5 boys and 1 girl, and 6 grandchildren.

**Larry Cheever**  
Webster Springs, WV

I had only an 8th grade education when I went into the army as a plowboy from Wisconsin. While I was in the army I got into the medical work, became an aid man, and while overseas I treated civilians as well as army personnel. After the army, I came to Madison to school, took 2 years of high school, and then nursing. After we graduated from nursing I got my BS in 1952, took anesthesia in 1953, and in 1954 I went out on my own.

**Betty (Bicknell) Donesky**  
Candler, NC

Dorothy Fox talked me into coming to Madison and I am very grateful. I do not think I could have gotten better training anywhere than I got here at Madison, because we really learned to work. I really look forward each year to coming to homecoming. I told Mr. Zeigler today that he looks like he did the first day I saw him. Mrs. Face was one of our special instructors and so helpful on the floor. Mrs. Vest was our night supervisor. Some of these people will always be special to us. I appreciate all my classmates and the experience I got here at Madison. For about the last 20 years I have been doing special duty nursing. Six years ago I married Peter Donesky, who left Madison just before I came, but he didn't get away because I caught him.

**Peter Donesky**  
Candler, NC

We came from Canada and landed at the office of Madison College. My first job was night watchman. One day as I was making the rounds I saw an electric iron red hot, with no one around. We got the iron out and it burst into flames. I told Dr. Hancock and he said, "You saved Madison College from going to blitz. I was engaged to Kathryn Case here and Bob Sutherland was the night watchman. Catherine worked in the library and each day I would take her from the library to the dormitory. I was standing by the post waiting for Catherine, and Bob Sutherland came by and asked me," what I was doing, and I said, "I was waiting to escort Catherine to the dormitory. Bob said, "Well, I tell you what, we got rules here and the rules are that you should be in the dormitory at this time of night. I'm sorry, but I'll have to turn you in. Two days later I received a letter from the student association for conspicuous association. It said, "unless you pay a fine of \$2 you will not be able to take final examinations". It was signed by Dorothy Rudisaile. I have that letter at home ready to be framed. I went ahead and paid the \$2 fine. That meant 20 hours of hard work at Madison. So Madison College was a good foundation for me and my future life. Madison College had the best spirit of any place I have been in the world.

**Bernhard Jensen**  
Bryson City, NC

My uncle, Jim Blair, was at Madison. He came to visit us, and urged me to come to Madison. He told me about the opportunities to work. I had no money. X-ray and lab sounded good to me and I had one year of college. I worked in hydrotherapy. We had some famous people come to us from Nashville. Hank Williams Sr. was one.

I remember Professor Rimmer and Professor and Mrs. Zeigler--where

else could you go to school and have the teachers take you aside and offer prayer to help you on your way? Professor Rimmer taught Chemistry, but the Spirit of Prophecy was there too. Every day there were some good thoughts from Ellen White. There were just so many things, and I don't know how to pay tribute to everyone who deserves it. I tell you, we had a training here, and in anesthesia we had a training that can be competitive to anywhere in the country. Everyone had a position when they finished here at Madison. I want to say thanks to everyone, Sister Towery has been a tower of strength.

**Mary Charles Scott Jones**  
Knoxville, TN

I have been connected with Madison since I was born. I grew up on the farm at Little Creek and was one of the first students the Straws had when they came to start Little Creek. I came to Madison in 1950. One of the first experiences I had here at Madison was having Dr. Myers remove my tonsils. I was in the room with Joyce (Jones) Merrifield, and little did I know that a few years later I would marry her cousin Stanley. We have 2 children. We lost our son in an accident in 1986. We have a daughter, Teresa, and about a month ago she presented us with a new granddaughter.

I look back over the years at Madison and I think of one thing. You will notice that Madison graduates, as a rule, did not start at the bottom of the deck and work up in our jobs. I think it is because of the education we had here, that we learned responsibility, we learned how to get the job done. The first job I had after graduating was as the secretary for the director of Knoxville YWCA. The next job I worked as secretary for the purchasing agent at the Florida San. Then I worked for the National Cotton Council of America as secretary for the chief economist. I am retired and enjoying every minute of it.

**Violet (Stewart) Lang**  
Berrien Springs, MI

My parents, Elder and Mrs. R. E. Stewart, moved to Madison in 1941. They loved Madison with all their hearts and all of our family are so thankful that they came here. My mother, my sister Velma, and I took nurses training at Madison, and one of my brothers went to Madison and graduated. After I took nurses training I got my BS degree from WMC, and then I came back and worked at Madison for a while. Connie (Rimmer) Tiffany and I went to Walla Walla and took some classes towards our masters in nursing, and that is where I met my husband, Harold Lang, who teaches engineering at Andrews University. We have 3 children. Our oldest is an engineer. Our oldest daughter took occupational therapy and is working at Hinsdale Hospital. Our youngest son took Food Service and is working at Florida Hospital.

I want to pay tribute to Mavis Sutherland for all her hard work in getting our class together. Some of us have not seen each other in 40 years, and we have had a wonderful weekend. I want to pay tribute to Mable Towery for all her hard work with the SURVEY. The minute that SURVEY comes I sit down and read it from the back page to the front. I start at the very bottom and read every word. I live on those SURVEYs and I don't know what would happen if we didn't have them continue. They are marvelous, a connection between our past and our present. Lastly, I want to pay tribute to all the teachers we had here at Madison. We had wonderful Christian teachers who have meant so much to our lives. Thank you again, Madison.

**Doris (Iles) Lee**  
Altamonte Springs, FL

My folks moved here in 1944, so I went through high school and nurses training at Madison. I made a lot of good friends and had a lot of



good experiences for which I will always be grateful. I appreciate the training Madison gave me. I work at Florida hospital in Orlando, and hopefully in a few years I will be able to think of retirement.

**Ben Manzano**  
Bradenton, FL

Carol (Keeton) and I were married in 1951. We enjoy reading news of our old friends from Madison.

We lived in Lodi, CA for nearly 40 years. We have a home for emotionally and mentally handicapped children there. One of our daughters and her husband are running it now. We are retired and have a winter home in Bradenton, FL.

The Lord has been very good to us. We would like to hear from some of our friends. (921 Faith Circle E. 46)

**Ed Martella**  
Handford, CA

Ed has been an electrician for 27 years. He volunteers his services for the mission church builders in Maranatha and has helped on 40 churches up to this point. He was married to Betsy Watson in 1985. She is a nurse and a mission builder. He would like to be here, but Betsy had heavy surgery and is not able to travel. Eddy would like very much to hear from some Madisones, and if you are in California, he says, "come and see us".

**Joyce (Jones) Merrifield**  
Hialeah Gardens, FL

I came to Madison in the summer of 1944 to earn my deposit of \$75 before school started. I finished my senior year of high school at Madison. Mavis Sutherland and I wanted to be school teachers and we took our first year of college at Madison. We decided against teaching, so I went to Oxnard, CA, where my parents had moved. Mavis didn't write me a letter, but she sent me a telegram to come to Madison, and for us to go to nursing school. It so happened that there was a

Navy base in Oxnard, and after I received that telegram, my mother had me packed up and down to the train station in Los Angeles, and the next day I was practically at Madison. Mother decided she did not want me in Oxnard with all of those sailors! t the same time she packed up my sister, Dorothy, and sent her with me. Dorothy took a business course and lives in California now brother Jim came to Madison, and took premed a year or two, and lives in San Jose, CA.

In 1952 I went to Hialeah, FL and worked there for 34 years. I retired in 1986 and haven't worked since. I feel it is only by the grace of God that I am here today. I had a brain hemorrhage last year and it was very painful. Now I am back in Florida enjoying retirement. I want to thank the alumni association for getting this Homecoming together.

**Betty (Burk) Mc Donald**  
Washington, DC

I came to Madison in 1946 and graduated in 1950 and met Carlos Mc Donald. We were married and were in Colorado until 1969, then moved to Washington, DC and have been there for the last 20 years. I am employed as a nurse at the Washington Adventist Hospital on the medical and surgical floor. I have been there about 14 years and can hardly wait to retire.

(A big thank you to Carlos and Betty for paying for the Loma Linda directory, that we need so badly in the alumni office, each year.)

**Sue (Townsend) Potts**  
Silver Spring, MD

I would like to pay tribute to several people: Elder and Mrs. Hewitt, who brought me into the SDA church; Marjorie Cates Coon, my dormitory dean I thought the world of her; and Oleen Peck, who was my typing teacher. I came to Madison in 1949, extremely homesick. I had just lost my dad and it was very difficult to leave my mother. I am very grateful

for the education I received at Madison. I took the secretarial course. After graduation I went to the KY-TN Conference where I worked for Elder Tedric Mohr in the Youth Department. I received a call from White Memorial Hospital to be secretary to the director of nurses. My first boss was Maxine Adleberry; then I had the real privilege of being secretary to Naomi Gowen. My husband is Dr. Douglas Potts, who is a urologist in Silver Spring, MD area where we live. We have 3 children, Cathy Sue, Keith, and David. The first Friday night of GC my daughter will be playing the harp and singing. The second weekend my son, David, will play in a brass group from CUC. Keith took communications at Southern College and works in the GC in the communications department. My daughter just received her masters degree in music education.

(Sue would like to purchase a 1950 Madison College Annual. If you have one please write to her, 1008 Venice Drive, Silver Spg. MD 20904).

**Mavis (Savage) Sutherland**  
Lawrenceburg, TN

I graduated from 8th grade at Madison, and Edith Williams was my teacher. Then I went to Madison Academy and graduated in 1945 with a lot of good friends who are here today.

I wanted to take the nursing course, but did not want to take it by myself. So I wrote to Joyce (Jones) Merrifield and said come on down here and take the nursing course, if others can make it so can we. Everywhere we go, Madison nurses have a good reputation. My sister's husband was Command Sergeant Major, and so she worked a little in Hawaii. One of the head nurses there told her, we are always glad to get Madison nurses. All around the world, that is the reputation we had.

Shaen Sutherland and I married in 1948. We have 5 children. We lost a son in an automobile accident in

1979. Shaen graduated from medical school in 1957 and worked with Dr. Bowes for a year. Prior to getting into medical school, we worked with Dr. Russell Myers and Bill Bryant in Woodbury, TN. Shaen was a lab technologist. Shaen accepted a position in the Unit at Lawrenceburg, TN. It was a calling and a duty to go there to work. Our hospital recently closed at Lawrenceburg. Mary Belle Martin is here, and I think she is one of the finest nurses Madison ever graduated. We had the opportunity of working with her for several years.

Both of our daughters are nurses and are working part-time. Yolanda is married to a lawyer and is living in Minden, Louisiana. Heather is married to Joe Butterfield's son and lives in Louisville, KY. Our oldest son, Christopher is a pilot, with American. Our youngest son, E. A. Sutherland II, is a laboratory technologist and lives in Lawrenceburg, TN. We have 8 grandchildren.

I did not work very long as a nurse. I raised my children and have devoted all my time to my church, and I haven't been sorry.

**Audrey (Bursley) Trevor**  
Nashville, TN

My mother, Ruth Gibson, was a student at Madison and was a very good friend of Edna Face. I took nursing at Madison and found my husband, Leon C. Trevor. We went to EMC where he went on with his education. Then we moved back to Nashville. We have 2 children: our son Lee is a nurse and works at Westside, in charge of the emergency room; our daughter Margie, is working for a large insurance company, computerizing airplanes. We did care for children in Nashville. We had 27 children in our home. After my children left home and I could no longer tolerate giving children away to someone else after having them for 3 or 4 years, I decided to go back into nursing and took some refresher courses. I did premature infant nursing at Vanderbilt in Nashville, and now I am

employed at the dialysis clinic in Nashville. I am charge nurse there. I am very grateful for the education I got at Madison, because there was no place that I went to put in an application that they did not say, "Oh! You're from Madison, When would you like to start?"

## HONOR CLASS 1951

**Dorothy Fox**  
Nashville, TN

My mother and I came with the Sergeants to a workers meeting. I was 3-1/2, and the first memories I have of Madison are of the squirrels running across the porch on old General, and of the long line at Kinne Kitchen. I grew up at the Unit in Lawrenceburg, TN and our line was not that long, so I thought the line at Kinne Kitchen was too long to get any food, and I cried. When we stayed in Gotzian home, in order to get drinking water we had to get a pitcher and go outside "behind the building." I came here from Worthington and brought Betty (Bicknell) Donesky with me. We had a ball. They said our class had more outings than any other class. I have worked at various places, including Worthington. They used to ship unruly students to the Units to stay 6 weeks or 3 months. One of those students came to our Unit in Lawrenceburg, TN. He wrote "aunt" Bessie De Graw to see if he could come back to Madison. She wrote back and said, "Charles, Moses sinned one time and wandered in the wilderness for 40 years. I'll let you know when you can come back to Madison." Also, the student nurses used to come to Lawrenceburg to get their surgery training. I was about 2 years old when Beulah (Brest) Slater, and Genevive (Vest) Brown were there. 14 years of my schooling were at Madison and the Madison Units. I have been back in

Madison for 20 years and have been employed at the Bordeaux hospital for 7 years.

**Bernhard Jensen**  
Bryson City, NC

I am thankful for what Madison College and Hospital did for me. I wish I could thank each dedicated teacher personally.

I am busy with anesthesia at Swain County Hospital and love every minute of it. Thanks to Bernard Bowen and others who started me out.

**Sylvia Maltby**  
Dayton, TN

I am so thankful to Madison and all it has meant to me. Madison transformed my life for the better, and I am grateful to all the staff, Mrs. Coon, and all the teachers who did so much for me here. I took the 4-year secretarial course. I am thankful for Mr. Zeigler, who took his class on a nature trip to Fall Creek Falls, and Mrs. Peck, who taught me the secretarial course. Mr. Rimmer talked about whole wheat bread until I was so sick of it I wanted to get white bread, but it did the trick, because now I don't want to have anything to do with white bread any more than he did. I also appreciated Mr. Siemsen. He taught Bible and history and just made those people live. I would like to pay tribute to Mr. Brownlee, who always had a singing band at Madison Hospital. Dr. Kendall was so fabulous to work for, also Dr. Cothren and Dr. Bowes. From Madison, I went to Little Creek for almost 15 years, then to the GC for a couple of years as secretary to Mr. Clough, who had been at Madison. Then I went to Connecticut, where I was secretary to the administrator there for about 7 years, then to Hinsdale for over 9 years. Now I am at Laurelbrook in the self-supporting work. I want to thank Mable Towery, Bob Sutherland, Billy

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Burks, and these people who have kept Madison going in the SURVEY. I so much appreciate it. We are very grateful to all of you.

**Luther May**  
Murray, KY

About 8 years ago, I tried to retire from the ministry and they just retreaded me. I have been in one church for 14 years. We have 3 daughters, and all are nurses. The reason we came to Madison was because we thought this school was striving to carry out the principles in the Spirit of Prophecy, more than any other school that we knew. I am thankful we came to Madison.

**Albert Roland Parker**  
Centerville, MI

I have a lot of wonderful memories of Madison. I met my wife Genevieve (Hughes) here, and made a lot of wonderful friends here whom I still remember fondly. I got into some mischief here, but I never got campus bound. I think there were one or two faculty members who would have liked to campus bound me but they didn't do it.

From Madison I went back to Collegedale, where I had had 2 years of college already, and completed ministerial training. Then I went to the seminary, and taught for several years in New York City and one year in Detroit. I took some additional graduate work at Andrews University and then went in to the ministry in Michigan, where we have been ever since, with the exception of 3 years in Bolivia.

**Everett Siewert**  
Berrien Springs, MI

I married Eva DePas, Lucy Zetko's sister. I have worked at Worthington Tombs, Andrews University, and different places. I have been retired since 1984.

**Kenneth Trussell**  
Salem, OR

I am thankful for what Madison College and Hospital did for me. I wish I could thank each dedicated teacher personally.

We have recently retired and are still setting a new life pattern. We send our greetings and hope you all enjoy the Homecoming.

**Virginia (Sheppler) Wyatt**  
Rockland, WI

We are retired, or maybe just tired. We live on a farm. We keep a few goats for milk, a few chickens for eggs, and cats and dogs for enjoyment. We live close to Hylandale Academy. Thanks for the SURVEY, I really enjoy it.

## HONOR CLASS 1960

**Maria Anaya**  
Grand Terrace, CA

I enjoyed my 4 years spent at Madison College. There was a spirit of unity among students and teachers and the community. We were like a big family. I miss not having the college and the old buildings at Madison anymore.

Since leaving Madison, I worked at Paradise Valley Hospital in National City, CA, in Puerto Rico at Bella Vista Hospital and Antillian College 10 years as a missionary, and at Loma Linda Univ. Medical Center as staff and IV nurse for 16 years.

While in Puerto Rico, I adopted my daughter, Doris, from the Dominican Republic. She was 9 years old then and is 21 now.

**Mary (Collett) Brock**  
Warbrauch, KY

I have retired from teaching. I am a widow now, and am planning to

do extensive church work here in my community. I sadly regret that I won't be able to come to Homecoming.

Do you know of any doctors who would be interested in a hospital here in the Kentucky Mountains? We greatly need to expand the SDA teaching and doctoring here.

The Red Bird Hospital at Beverly, KY 40979 has lost business until it is no more than a small clinic. We need this hospital reopened by SDAs. Help spread our need!

**Martha Ann (Norris) Boskind**  
Melbourne, FL

I probably go back to 1915 at Madison. My aunt and uncle, Faye and Randell Littell, were graduates of that class, and my aunt May Giles. My grandmother lived on Neely's Bend Road. I was born at Madison. I have taken care of patients in the room where I was born. I thank Madison every day for my training.

**Beth (Edwards) Carter**  
Collegedale, TN

My mother came to Madison in 1918 as Alice Naomi Glass. She finished high school, went to Loma Linda, and graduated as a nurse. After she married my father, she went into dark county evangelism and also worked at Fountain Head, so I found myself born into self-supporting work. I was taught at home through most of the 8th grade and was sent to Lookout Mountain Academy. Going there was my first bus trip. I then went to Laurelbrook for 2 years and graduated from Little Creek, where I had the Straws for my teachers. I came to Madison because I didn't know where else to go. It was the only place I had heard of that would let you get an education while working. My roommate said, "My mother might take you in, she takes in strays." The Durochers took me in and I had a job at the publishing house, but I was still going to be shy of the money I need

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ed. Fortunately and unfortunately, I got two fingers cut off and that allowed me to make it through the first part of the nurses program. These institutions have prepared me for the life that I now lead, to carry on the work. I believe the best thing you can do for an institution is to help produce some of the things they have trained you for.

After my marriage to C.D. Carter in 1970, we worked for Louis Dickman at Harbert Hills Academy for a year, at Laurelbrook for 4 years (and were proud to be associated with Bob Zollinger there), at Wildwood for 2 years, and then my husband was called to be the director of Progresso Vocational Health Institute in Belize, Central America, where we were for 5 years. Altogether I have been in self-supporting work for 21 years in one way or the other. I work as locum tenens in anesthesia and am in Cincinnati, OH. We have 3 married children and 5 grandchildren. I am so thankful for the self-supporting institutions around the world.

**Lucille Ek**  
Centerville, OH

I have known about Madison College all my life, because my father's great aunt was Josephine Gotzian. I went into nurses training at Greenville, graduated from that, and then Woody, my husband, and I came here to Madison in 1954. He took nurses training, and we stayed here for 9 years. We have 2 girls that were born here. We have 4 grandchildren. Woody died in May 1989.

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## HONOR CLASS 1961

**Lila Adams**  
Pilgrim, Ky

I came in 1957 to take nurses training. I learned lots of things here-- how to be a nurse and how to work. At present I am managing a home health agency which I started, and it is functioning well. I have 3 children, one married and two still in school, and two grandchildren.

**Elenia (Portalatin) Lancaster**  
**John Lancaster**  
Miami, FL

I still work for Hialeah Hospital OB/GYN dept. John is working for Xerox Corporation. Our daughter, Joyce, works in the pathology department for Smith Kline-Beecham Labs in Miami. Our daughter, Joy Lynn, graduated from Andrews University and decided to stay and work in that area.

We often think and talk about our lives at Madison, especially when we get together with Takeo (Tom) Arishima, who owns a Japanese restaurant here in Miami. Hello to everyone!

**Damaris Leonor**  
Harker Heights, TX

We live in Killeen, TX. My husband, Sam, is president of Metroplex Hospital & I work as a recovery room nurse. We have three children: Zahira, Samiris, & Samuel.

**Gene Sellers**  
Dayton, OH

I finished the nurses course at Madison. Joyce (Jones) Merrifield's mother did not want her to be in Oxnard with the sailors. Well, I was in the Navy for 10 years 7 months, and I think that was justified. After the Navy, I went to Collegedale,

then to Madison. I married Virginia (Davidson). We were in mission service for 5 years in Iran and we returned and went to Kettering. In the meantime I had taken Physical Therapy, so I have been working at Kettering in the physical therapy department. Virginia, is still teaching at Kettering. We have 2 sons. One is a respiratory therapist in Georgia, and the other has a master of science in microbiology and is still at home. I enjoy prison work. I would like to retire, but Virginia says, "No, when you retire I retire", so I can't retire yet, but I'm looking forward to it.

**Ida (Gordon) Thomas**  
Madison, TN

I not only went to school at Madison, I still work at Madison (TCMC). I have been here almost 15 full years since I came back in 1975. I have 2 daughters, who both live in this area, and 6 grandchildren. I have seen all of my grandchildren born, because they were all born where I work, at TCMC. I have worked in surgery, and in management for 7 years, decided 5 years ago that was too much stress, so I went back and worked OB for 3 years. I have worked on the stroke rehabilitation unit since it opened 3 years ago, and am thoroughly enjoying it. I thank Madison for my training, because rehab now goes back to what I learned as a student.

**Lois (Almskog) Walper**  
Estero, FL

We have spent this year as volunteers at Taiwan Adventist College, located in the central part of the island. It is a part of China. I have taught English, and my husband George is chairman of the music department and teaches music classes, choir, handbell choirs, and organ. George has spent many hours in the recording studio where much material is recorded in Mandarin, Taiwanese, and other dialects for broadcast into the Far East and Mainland China, from

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Adventist World Radio/Asia station on Guam.

We retired about 4 years ago, moved into a motor home and have traveled "where-ever" in the U.S., Canada and Nova Scotia--we are trying to do some of the things we never had time to do before. Music still keeps us busy, and music has always been such a blessing in our home.

Our trip to Taiwan was the long way around--Europe, Greece, Egypt, Kenya, India, Thailand, and Taiwan. By the time we reach home in southwest Florida we will have traveled around the globe on a full one-year trip. To see America again will be very good.

## ALUMNI NEWS

Louise Dillon  
Hagerstown, MD

My sister, Grace Marie (Worrell) Messinger, took her nurses training at Madison from 1919-22. Marie died in 1977. My dad was a farmer and carpenter. He had a peppy pair of horses. They were frightened. then they plunged and ran fast. Dad fell on the "single tree." He prayed and no doubt his guardian angel kept him from falling off. The horses ran about a mile before they stopped. His back was injured, so he sold the place and we spent the winter at Madison. I was 13 years old, and enjoyed working in the kitchen cleaning vegetables, except for parsnips. We cleaned them for the whole crowd and it was years before I found them as tasty as before I had to clean so many of them. I also worked in the laundry when not in school. I have gone back several times to visit the Madison campus. I almost feel it is a sacred spot on this sinful world. I recall how Dr. Sutherland would speak of faith. He truly had faith to persevere many times when it was a question of "what to do."

I became a nurse and worked 22

years at Harding Sanitarium, now Harding Hospital.

Stanley Harris, BS,'27  
Waterford, CA

Stanley sent the obituary (see obituaries) of his wife, Vaughtie Elizabeth (Chapman), B.S.'37. She had cancer of the pancreas. Her condition was diagnosed 4 weeks before her death. Stanley says, "God was merciful in allowing her to pass away quickly, because she was in great pain. We had planned to attend the homecoming, but all has been changed by this sad happening. Our thoughts will be with you this Homecoming."

Elsie (Sanford) Hamerly, N'29  
Seattle, WA

My sister, Esther, passed away (see obituaries column). We both attended Madison. I finished in the first class to have a nursing pin and a graduation exercise. We both retained fond memories of Madison and the dedicated people who made the education available to us.

I am thankful I had the privilege and the physical strength to care for Esther during her invalid time. She enjoyed talking to me about our days at Madison. She read the book Madison, God's Beautiful Farm, several times during her days of confinement. She expressed her confidence that she was "resting in the arms of my Lord."

James P. O'Callaghan, DDS  
West Palm Beach, FL

I met my wife, Paula (Reinholtz) while we were students at Madison, and were married in 1937. This July will be our 53rd anniversary. I graduated from The Univ. of TN College of Dentistry in 1943, then served two years of service in the U.S. Air Force, after which I established my present practice in West Palm Beach.

Paula and I have two children. James, Jr, age 41, is currently Director of Systems Development

Engineering at Bailey Controls Company, Cleveland, OH. Patricia is 34 and working on an Environmental Engineering Degree at the Univ. of Central Florida in Orlando.

Even though I am 73, I am still in active dental practice. Paula is my assistant. Her hobbies are gardening and sewing. I spend my free time talking to people all over the world on ham radio. I belong to the International Mission Radio Assn. and the Medical Amateur Radio Council, whose main mission is to assist missionaries abroad in their needs.

My special thanks to Mable Towery for her devotion to alumni affairs and the SURVEY.

Margaret (Rice) Stuart  
Glendale, CA

I came to Madison in 1934 to take nursing. I came back in 1964 to 1966 for anesthesia. I have enjoyed the work and the status of being here. I appreciate everything I learned at this school. I am sorry that we don't have Madison continued so that we can send more students, but we still have the right spirit all over the world.

Irene (Kominisky) Ams, N'36  
Orlando, FL

I really enjoyed my Madison days. I could not have taken my nurses training if it had not been for good Madison, as I was able to earn my way through.

When I worked in surgery my roommate, Vesta Pifer, woke me up from sleep and said I was called to go to surgery. I hurried and got dressed to go. There was no case, Vesta just played a joke on me.

My sister Evelyn was in nurses training in the 1940's. She quit and got married. I remember how Mrs. Moore begged her to come back and finish, but she married instead.

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## Freshmen OF 1964

A surprise call came from Eleanor (Spilovoy) Dosenko. She has 3 children; Patrick age 20, Jennifer age 18, and Benjamin age 11.

Eleanor, with others from the 1964 fated freshman class, continued her nurses training at Hinsdale Hospital in Illinois, and graduated from the nursing class. She is not only an RN, but is an addiction counselor, has taught wilderness living for years, an Elder in the SDA church, is a guest lecturer, and a singer. Remember Eleanor? She likes to keep busy! The 1964 girls dean, Mrs. Elizabeth Durichek, will remember Eleanor. Mrs. Durichek moved to Hinsdale with the group that year. Her address has just come to us this week, and if you would like to stir up some memories, why don't you write her: Box 265, Gurnee, IL 60031.

We would like for the 1964 Freshman class to be together at Homecoming in 1991. Do you realize, this class is the youngest class from Madison College? We need addresses and married names. Please look in the Help! column to see if you can send us any address for these members.

## OBITUARIES

### VIOLET HARRIET ROOK

Violet, 1950 nursing class, married Ed Martella in 1950 and moved to California, where she earned in several hospitals. She got her doctorate in nursing in 1961. Two years later her health broke, and she was unable to work except for an occasional short job.

After 25 years of illness she died of cirrhosis of the liver. She had 2 children: Carol Ray Nielson, a dental assistant at Loma Linda; and Stephen, an electrician in Hanford CA.

(Sent in by Ed Martella).

### ESTHER (SANFORD) DAVIS

Esther was born Jan. 1, 1911 at Warden, WA and died March 16, 1990 in Seattle WA. Esther had a severe stroke in 1987.

Esther came to Madison in 1931. She enrolled in Frances Dittes' diet course and graduated in 1937. Before graduating, she spent 1 year working in the cafeteria in Nashville. At one time, she managed the Madison Hospital kitchen. While at Madison she met a student, James Davis, and they were married at the Fountain Head Unit in 1937. From Fountain Head (now Highland Academy), they moved to the Pee Wee Valley unit where Esther managed the kitchen and taught science. After several years at Pee Wee Valley they moved to Seattle, WA. They had two sons, who live in the Seattle area. James preceded her in death in 1969. Esther's sister, Elsie Hamerly, N'29, lives in Seattle, WA.

### ELIZABETH HARRIS

Vaughtie Elizabeth (Chapman) was born Feb. 22, 1915 in Morristown, TN and died May 11, 1990. The death of Elizabeth's parents, before she was 12 years old, left all 6 brothers and sisters orphans. An SDA evangelist pitched a tent and held an evangelistic meeting, and the three youngest girls were baptized. A Bible teacher by the name of Washburn invited the girls and their younger brother to come to Graysville, TN to live with him and his wife. Later, Elizabeth, Eddy, and Opal went to Mt. Pisgah and worked their way through the first grades of high school. Elizabeth began her nursing course at Southern Adventist College and transferred after one year to Madison College, where she met Stanley Harris, the Madison College bookkeeper. They became engaged just before graduating and were married at Greeneville the day before graduation in 1937. Elizabeth and Stanley both graduated with a B.S.

The day after graduation they left

by bus for Savannah, GA where they were the teachers of a 10-grade school. The next year they taught school in Birmingham, AL. They then returned to Nashville, TN where Elizabeth worked at the Madison Sanitarium dining room as a cashier while Stanley attended Vanderbilt University to obtain a masters degree.

December 1944, a daughter, Gayle, was born. Stanley was pastoring the Chattanooga SDA Church at that time. From Chattanooga they went to Nashville to work at the Southern Publishing Association, where Stanley was editor of "These Times" magazine, then was called to work in the Religious Liberty Department of the General Conference. Elizabeth and Stanley had such a great burden for souls they decided to resign from the General Conference departmental work and devote full time to evangelism. This decision made it necessary to move more than 90 times to cities all over the U.S.

### A TRIBUTE TO ELIZABETH

Elizabeth was a model wife and mother, and her deep Christian experience was a source of strength to her family, and to the many thousands of people that were touched by the evangelistic crusades. While she never had any selfish desires for the things of this world or credit for her quiet and unassuming support of her husband, she deserves as much or more credit for the many souls won in their ministry, according to Stanley, and she will have a crown in heaven that will be filled with many stars because of her quiet but faithful witness for Christ and His truth.

Survivors include: husband, Stanley, Waterford, CA; daughter, Gayle Andersen of Ceres, CA; and sisters, Opal Tillman of Greeneville, TN, and Ruby Coolidge of Wildwood, GA.

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## WORTHIE JOHNSON

Worthie (Burdick) Johnson was born January 27, 1921 in Hardy, AR and died June 18, 1989. Worthie was the daughter of Guy and Grace (Elliott) Burdick. She and Allen Johnson were married in 1954.

Worthie was employed as a radiation therapist at Western Missouri Medical Center for the last 28 years. Earlier, she worked as an X-ray and lab technician in Los Angeles and Springfield, and from 1954-60 in Nevada, MO.

Survivors include: husband, Allen Johnson; daughter, Mrs. Patricia D. Sherman, Fort Wayne, IN; and son, Donald J. Johnson, San Diego, CA

## IMOGENE (CARNEY) SMITH

Imogene (Carney) Jennings Smith died April 25, 1990 at age 62. She graduated from the nursing course at Madison College in 1949. Imogene was a nurse at Vanderbilt, V.A. and General hospitals in Nashville, TN, at a hospital in Poplar Bluff, MO, and Madison Hospital, Madison, TN.

She is survived by daughters Sheila White and Judy Jennings; mother, Lillian Carney; sisters Nancy Estey, BSN'55, Mary Joe Cantrutti, and Sue Perry; and brothers James, Harry, Fred, Gene, and Phillip.

## Anton J. Frank

Anton J. Frank, husband of Rachel (Wheeler), died Jan. 25, 1990. He had been in ill health a long time, having had diabetes and one leg amputated. He was a former Nazarene preacher before he joined the Adventist church.

Rachel graduated from Madison Academy in 1935. She was a sister of J. T. Wheeler, founder of Pewee Valley Sanitarium, who died several years ago. (MHT)

## R. Lester Harris, D.D.S

Lester Harris, 82 years old, died August 18, 1990.  
He received his degree in dentistry

from Emory University Dental School, Athens, GA and served in the Army Dental Corps during World War II. Lester had his own dental practice from 1947-72. He then practiced at the Spencer Youth Center 1973-82. He was a member of the American Dental Association and the Tennessee Dental Association.

He is survived by his brother, Stanley C. Harris, Ceres, CA.

(Our sympathy goes out to Stanley for the loss of his wife and brother within the last few months.)

## Marie (Bryant) Mc Clure

Marie McClure was born Oct. 12, 1902, in Iowa and died Oct. 29, 1989 at Uchee Pines Inst. in Seale, AL, where she had worked for the past 16 years as one of the teaching supervisors of the Lifestyle Educator course. She is survived by a sister, Gladys Bracken, of Mason City, IA. (Marie's husband, a long-time student and worker at Madison, died a few years ago. (MHT)

## Dora (Thurston) Mountain

Dora Mountain was born January 12, 1903 in Ratcliff, TX and died July 1, 1990 in Cocoa, FL. She graduated from the nursing course at Madison in 1925.

Survivors include, son, Donald R. Mountain of Rockledge, FL and sister, Florence T. Miner, Cottonwood, AZ.

## Dorothy (McIntyre) Sanderson

Dorothy Sanderson was born July 20, 1916 and died June 17, 1990.

Dorothy came to Madison College in 1938. To earn extra money she worked in the laundry for ten cents an hour. During her college years, Dorothy met Bruce Sanderson who had the auspicious position on the college campus of school exterminator. Bruce graduated with a BS degree in 1941 and Dorothy graduated from the nursing course in 1942. Dorothy and Bruce were married in 1942.

Dorothy was active throughout her life in many organizations including the Community Services for 26 years, as both member and director.

Survivors include her husband, Dr. Bruce Sanderson; three children, Pamela M. Sanderson of San Diego, James E. Sanderson of Escondido, CA and Richard A. Sanderson of Lake Oswego, OR; and a sister, Lillian McIntyre of National City, CA.

# HERBS

## Skin Cancer

### Killed by

## Sourgrass Poultice

During the Sunday morning herb talk one of the audience told about how Sourgrass poultices had been used to kill skin cancer. One of the ladies at that meeting, who had skin cancer, decided to try this natural remedy and was delighted when the cancer literally dropped off after a Sourgrass poultice was applied.

To prepare the Sourgrass: Pour 1 cup water into blender, turn blender on and add sprigs of Sourgrass until mixture becomes thick. Allow to stand in the sunlight until the mixture thickens into a paste. Apply the paste to the affected area and cover with a bandage. Leave bandage on for 3 days, then remove.

Please let us know of any other testimonials from the use of this and other herbs.

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## For Expediency

Please send all alumni and SURVEY monies to the new alumni post office box number: Madison College Alumni Association, P.O. Box 6294, Madison, TN 37116-6294.

# MADISON MEDICAL MISSIONARY

School of Natural Health

Good news for those of you who have sent in your money for the Herbal Correspondence Course. By the time the SURVEY reaches you the first lessons of the Herb course will have been mailed out.

Charles Morton, who has spent 5 years on the development of this Herb course is busy putting the finishing touches on it, before he leaves Madison permanently for Groveland, FL via the LEL meeting at Wildwood Sanitarium, Wildwood, GA, September 13-16. If you go to the LEL meeting listen for Morton's report of the Herb school and the plans for what used to be Groveland Academy. He has been asked to Groveland to be the new administrator. Plans for the future at Groveland include an Herbal Care Center. This will go hand in hand with the Herb course as those who are sick can go to Groveland to be healed, and those wanting hands on experience working with the sick using herbs will be able to go to Groveland for some extra schooling, after taking the Herb course.

If you would like to take the Herb Course, which is based on the book Back to Eden, take advantage of the low introductory price of \$50. For more information about the Herb course send \$5 to: Madison Medical Missionary School of Natural Health, Madison, TN 37116-5843.

# MADISON COLLEGE BOOTH AT GC

If you attended the 1990 General Conference session in Indianapolis, Indiana, you may have been surprised to see a Madison College booth set up on the main exhibit floor. As late as Homecoming in June, we did not know we were going to GC. God opened door after door to allow us to be there. If you take into consideration that exhibitors send in their requests to exhibit years in advance of a General Conference session, you can see how God led in having His school represented. Thanks for helping us, Elder Conn Arnold.

We went to GC with the hope of finding some of the thousands of alumni addresses which have been lost to the alumni office. People attending GC were asked to wear a button that had the name Madison College on it, in hopes Madisonites would see the button and ask about it. Many Madisonites were at GC and it was so nice having them stop by the booth. Pictures were taken and many addresses were given.

Tomasia and Reavis Leatherwood gave a lot of their time, even though sick some of the time, to help run the MC booth. Tomasia very graciously planned a luncheon for the Madisonites at the Hyatt Regency Hotel. A video tape was made for "Miss Mable" of people sending messages to her. Our thanks go out to Tomasia and Reavis.

Calvin Kinsman and his wife Bettie came by the MC booth and Calvin gave a check for \$1300. \$1,000 of which is to go to help save the Druillard Library. Thank you Calvin and Bettie.

If you want to help save the library, send your donation to Madison College Alumni, P. O. Box 6294, Madison, TN 37116.

Thousands of pieces of literature were passed out at GC, telling people of the Herbal Medicine Course, and how E. G. White had said, "The true method of healing the sick is to tell them of the herbs that grow for the benefit of man." MS 105, 1898, and "If every family were educated in how to use these herbs... much suffering might be prevented." Letter 81, 1897. The Herbal Medicine Course will be fulfilling the instruction, from Sister White, which says, "Always study and teach the use of the simple remedies.

Dr. E. A. Sutherland said, "We have been told that the medical missionary work is the gospel in practice.

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