Kenneth G. Hanna '57, fifth president of Bryan College.

Alumni were notified of Dr. Mercer's death, which occurred Sunday, May 4, by first class mail on Tuesday, May 7. The following article appeared on the editorial page of the Chattanooga Times on Tuesday morning. It was written by Michael Loftin, Times Editor and a 1968 graduate of Bryan.

Dr. Ted Mercer

There is a special poignancy in the death Sunday of Dr. Ted Mercer, president of Bryan College in nearby Dayton for the past 30 years. He had recently announced his retirement, to be effective at the end of this academic year, and so the college's commencement service this weekend would have been his last as president of the institution. The school's board of trustees last week announced Dr. Mercer's successor, Dr. Kenneth Hanna.

But while Dr. Mercer's death is a painful blow to Bryan's "community" of teachers, students, alumni and friends, it is overshadowed by his fine legacy of service to the school, by the enormous expansion there over the past three decades and, most of all, by the exuberance of his religious faith, one aspect of which was the promise of life after death.

When Dr. Mercer came to Bryan in 1956, the college was still struggling after more than 20 years. But under his leadership, student enrollment quadrupled, capital construction boomed and the college's endowment, educational quality and faculty improved dramatically. Typically, Dr. Mercer downplayed his role in all of this; he paid tribute instead to the vision of the board of trustees, to the quality of the faculty and the student body — and to the thousands of alumni and friends of the college who supported it financially. Granted, no college can succeed without such support. But Dr. Mercer personified Bryan College, and he endeared himself to its community through such simple acts as a personal note or friendly telephone call to an alumnus or acquaintance, a photographic memory for details about former students, and a genuine, enthusiastic interest in matters relating to the college. His vision was not limited to Bryan alone, he read widely and intensively was interested in history, particularly the history of Rhea County, including the 1925 Scopes trial in Dayton that was the genesis of Bryan College.

A friend, calling with details about Dr. Mercer's death, alluded to a comparison involving the death of Moses, recorded in the Old Testament book of Deuteronomy, and the succession of Joshua. Dr. Mercer would have demurred at being compared to Moses but the analogy works nevertheless, for he led Bryan College effectively yet humbly through decades of progress before handing it over to a successor. His death is a shock to the college in a way, that it came during commencement week at the college. His death is, after all, merely the commencement of a better — eternal — life.
Hanna
of all the Institute's educational pro-
grams. While at Moody he also took
time to write, study and preach God's
Word in Bible conferences, in churches,
and on Moody's radio network.
Over the years Dr. Hanna has often
visited Bryan and expressed his ap-
preciation for the school. In 1964 he
wrote, "I count my years at Bryan as
among the most important and influ-
tial in my life. Many of the foundational
lessons that I learned were learned at
Bryan." And on another occasion he
said that he received more than just a
degree: "It was at Bryan College that
God gave me a sense of direction and
purpose in life."

Dallas Breakfast
On a trip to Dallas, Texas, in early March,
Alumni Director Steve Snyder called on
many alumni there, and enjoyed breakfast
with the happy group pictured above. Left
to right they are: Shelly '94 and Deborah
Johnson, Karta Fary '86, Laurine Anderson
'90, and Bruce Lee '82.

50TH ANNUAL
CLASS HONORED
The two living graduates of Bryan's
third Golden Anniversary class were
honored at the 53rd annual commencemen-
t ceremony. Because of distance from the
campus and poor health neither honoree
was able to attend, so they were both recongnized in absentia on
the commencement program.
Mr. Lloyd C. Wilson served in the ar-
my after his graduation from Bryan,
taught one year in the Civilian Conser-
vation Corps in Sevier County, Ten-
nessee, then taught in the Hamilton
county school system (Chattanooga) from
1946 to his retirement in 1974. He has
had teaching duties in the 6th, 7th and
8th grades during those 38 years.
Lloyd and his wife, Mable, will be
celebrating 60 years of marriage on Ju-
ly 30 this summer. The Wilsons attend
the Tyner Church of God near Chat-
tanooga. He has been a faithful
member since the school was opened.

Dr. William L. Wonders majored in
English at Bryan, then went on to earn
his M.A. in Bible Education at Colum-
bia Bible College in 1959, and his Ph. D.
in linguistics at the University of Michigan in 1968. Bill and his wife,
Dorothy, joined Wycliffe Bible
translators in 1939 and continued their
work with that organization until 1969 when they transferred to the American
Bible Society, where they served until
their retirement January 1, 1986. Dur-
ing his term of service with these
translation groups Bill authored and co-
authored many books and articles
specializing in the fields of Bible trans-
lation and linguistics.
Bill Wonders was chosen as the Alumni Association's very first Alum-
num of the Year in 1968, the year this
honor was begun. He also served his
Alma Mater on Bryan's National Ad-
Dr. and Mrs. Wonders reside in
Albuquerque, New Mexico, where Bill
continues to work on Bible translation
and where they both attend the
Episcopal Church.
In 1939 William Jennings Bryan
University, as it was called then,
graduated five seniors. The three
decreed members of the class were
Agnes DeRuette, Sam D. Hodges, and
Mary McAllister.

Change At Bryan College
All alumni and friends of Bryan know
by now that 1986 is a watershed year in
the history of the college. But the transitional
changes are only in the names of people
involved in God's work here; there is no
change in the purpose of the college which is
to provide a quality Bible-based liberal
arts education with a Christian world
view. This remains the same.

Four presidents — George Guille;
Manny Bachack; Judson Rudd; and Ted
Tanner — have given their lives in full com-
mitment to Bryan's historic mission. And
each of them exemplified Bryan's motto,
"Christ Above All."
In his last speech to the faculty Dr.
Tanner said, "while the purpose of Bryan
College will not change, changing times
call for changing methods and new
leadership. The time has come for change at Bryan College that God's work may
go on here."
Dr. Hanna, in his interview with the Board of Trustees said, "Our
human methods should be written on a
blackboard, not etched in stone."
Ken Hanna is familiar with Bryan
College, its purpose and mission. He is a
Bryan "product," having graduated,
incidentally, at the end of Dr. Mercer's
first year as president. He continued to
maintain close ties with the college and
with Mercer; especially since 1964, when
Hanna became President of Winnipeg
Bible College. Consequently, he has
personally experienced Bryan's atmos-
phere and traditions.
Alumni may rest assured that the fun-
damentals of our Christian College;
Bryan, to provide for the higher education of men and women
under auspices distinctly Christian and spiritual," will remain the
same as it was when the school was opened in 1939.
Alumni leaders at Bryan
God's leading has been most evident at
Bryan this past year in choosing of our new
president, Kenneth Hanna, and in direc-
ting the transition in leadership at all the
top administration levels. The next three
administrative positions at Bryan for next
term is to also find alumni of the
college. Dr. Mayme Bedford '45 has been
named interim Academic Dean. Mr. Stuart C. Meiser '36 continues as
Director of College Advancement; and Mr.
Paul H. Ardelean x55 will become Dean of
Students.
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alumni leaders at Bryan as you remember
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alumni leaders at Bryan as you remember
the Lord's work here. By God's grace, all students may rest assured that at
Bryan "Christ Above All" will continue
to be the guiding principle in the life of
the college and in the lives of its leaders.
Alumni remember Mercer
6,500 students have attended Bryan, and
Dr. Mercer was known on campus by 9,500
of them. He knew them all personally.
They all respected him and they will
always remember him. Here are some
reasons why:
He showed us his own life and any
task can be done in a Christ-like spirit.
His prayers, always spontaneous,
disclosed to us that was thrilled by God's
majesty, sovereignty, and love; and that
he was totally reliant upon his Lord for
direction and help.
His public prayers brought all our spirits
together as one in worship of our Lord, and
taught us how to pray publicly.
I know that his personal prayers in-
cluded each one of us, always bringing to
God our personal problems as students and alumni.
He treated each one of us not merely as
Bryan students or alumni but as an unique
person.
He always knew our names.
He dignified us.
His genuine gift of hospitality and his
genuine love for all people, not just fellow-
believers, were traits in Dr. Mercer that
he always respected us.
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human methods should; be-\written on a
blackboard, not etched in stone.

32ND ANNUAL
BIBLE CONFERENCE
JULY 20-26
Rev. John Oliver
Pastor of First Presbyterian Church
Augusta, Georgia

Dr. William E. Brown
Associate Professor of Psychology
Bryan College

Dr. and Mrs. Wonderly reside in
Duan Cuthbertson
Associate Professor of Biology
Bryan College

MINISTRY AND RECREATION
for the WHOLE FAMILY!
Monday through Friday:
Morning sessions for adults and youth
Afterschool programs and recreation
Evening minisry and missionary hour

Dr. Wonderly shown with his favorite
hobby — his vegetable garden.

19TH ANNUAL
ALUMNI WEEKEND
JULY 18-20

2ND ANNUAL
BIBLE CONFERENCE
JULY 20-26

All Alumni are Welcome!

Special Features:
Friday — Picnic supper on the Triangle
Saturday — Morning Seminars led by Faculty members
Noon lunch with Faculty members
Sunday — Morning Worship in Rudd Chapel with
Ken Campbell '56 and Jim Reese

Tennessee Homecoming '86

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Clouse Honored

BRYAN COLLEGE is pleased to announce the publication of a comprehensive biographical reference volume which will be available for distribution in early April, 1987. The directory will list all known, living alumni alphabetically, geographically, and by class year. The directory, our first since 1983, will include your full name, occupation, business and home addresses, and business and home telephone numbers.

In early September, 1986 alumni will receive a biographical update questionnaire to be completed and returned to the alumni director. Individuals wishing to reserve their personal copy will be given the opportunity to purchase either a hard bound or softbound edition. It is imperative to us that you complete and return these forms as soon as you receive them.

The directory will be made available only to the alumni of BRYAN COLLEGE. The directory will tell you what your former classmates and old friends are doing, where they work and live, and how to contact them. The geographical index will tell you which alumni are located in your own area, and will be a useful aid in continued class reunion when traveling.

The new directory will have a LIMITED PRINTING — only those directories ordered in advance will be printed. Watch your mail for your personalized biographical update and reservation form, which will be sent to you by our publisher, Carleton Graphics, P.O. Box 4427, South Bend, Indiana 46624.

Your participation in this program is vital to the success of this project. Upon receipt of your questionnaire, please complete your personal biographical update form, fill out your order card, and return them in the enclosed business envelope.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and cooperation on this project.

Alumni Directory to be Published

Dr. Robert Clouse ’54, professor of history at Indiana State University, is a recipient of that University’s Research and Creativity Award for 1986. During ISU’s 111th commencement ceremony on May 18, he was honored for his scholarly excellence.

Dr. Clouse is an internationally published scholar whose works deal with contemporary Christian thought on ageless issues such as wealth, poverty and war, for example. In addition to his books, “The Meaning of the Millennium,” “War: Four Christian Views,” and “Wealth and Poverty: Four Christian Views,” published by InterVarsity Press of Downers Grove, Illinois, and now translated into German, Chinese and Portuguese, Clouse also is the editor and a contributor to The Bredesen Encyclopedia, a three-volume work. His research (with Dr. P.G. Aaron, ISU professor of educational and school psychology) challenging Sigmund Freud’s psychopathology of Leonardo da Vinci, has been published in the Journal of Interdisciplinary History. They also have done a similar study on the dyslexia of President Woodrow Wilson.

A graduate of Bryan College and Grace Theological Seminary, Dr. Clouse earned the Master of Arts and a Ph.D. in history at the University of Iowa in 1969 and 1983, respectively. He joined the ISU faculty in 1963.

Gray Promoted

The appointment of Dan H. Gray ’77 as President and Chief Executive Officer of Alxian Village of Tennessse in Signal Mountain, Tennessee, was announced recently. Dan will begin his transition to this position in Mid May and will assume full-time status on July 1.

Dan has been Assistant Administrator since December, 1983, at Charter House Retirement Communities, a 289-apartment and 43-bed skilled nursing facility affiliated with Methodist Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota. He previously served as Administrator of Shell Point Nursing Pavilion in Fort Myers, Florida, after being promoted from Assistant Administrator of the multi-level retirement community with more than a thousand residents.

Dan holds a master’s degree in Long Term Care Administration from North Texas State University in Denton, Texas, and a Certificate of Gerontology at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles, California. He has been active in the American Association of Homes for the Aging and the Minnesota Association of Homes for the Aging.

Alxian Village of Tennessee which opened in July, 1983, includes 123 apartments and a 134-bed health care center.

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Neil A. Bynum ’45, a retired farmer, now lives in a small oceanographer and earth sciences writer/editor who resides in Charleston, South Carolina, recently visited with the Matheny’s ’43, a retired earth science teacher in Manchester, Connecticut.

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39. ESTHER GINA T. LYLE, B.A.*, Psychology, Folksaboe, West Virginia
40. KAREN RENEE MAINS, B.A., Psychology, St. Louis, Maine
41. JAIME MARTINEZ, B.S.*, Business Administration, Marseille, Kansas
42. KATHLEEN DAWN NOHRANS, B.A., History, Glen Campbell, Pennsylvania
43. DAVID ROBERT MERCER, B.S., Natural Science, Red Bank, New Jersey
44. DAVID MARK MERCER, B.S., Accounting, Opelika, Tennessee
45. DARLENE SUSAN MIDDLETON, B.S., Business Administration, Pequannock, New Jersey
46. VICKY LYNN MOHLER, B.A., English, Calverton, Illinois
47. ESTHER NOCK NICHOLSON, B.S., Elementary Education, Snow Hill, Maryland
48. VINCENT ONYEBOCHI NWANKPA, B.A., Bible, Nigeria
49. PAUL NORRIS OLSON, B.A., English, Kingsford, Michigan
50. PATSY R. PARKER, B.S., Elementary Education, Marietta, Georgia
51. DONALD CLAYTON PARKS, B.A., Psychology, Midlothian, Virginia
52. LINDA HAFER PECTOL, B.A., Psychology, Dayton, Tennessee
53. JOHN D. FRENCH, B.A., Psychology, Fairport, North Carolina
54. JEFFREY JOHN PFEIFER, B.A., Christian Education, Upper Sandusky, Michigan
55. RUTH AGNES PURDUE, B.A., Psychology, West Palm Beach, Florida
56. CHARLES PERRY RELFE, JR., B.A., History, Birmingham, Alabama
57. DEBORAH CRAIG RICHARDSON, B.S., Natural Science, Dayton, Tennessee
58. EDWARD TRUMAN ROBINSON, B.S., Mathematics, Phoenix, North Carolina

In Education, Dallas, Texas

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in Education, Daytona Beach, Florida

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in Education, Burlington, North Carolina

in Education, Lumberton, Texas

in Education, Bradenton, Florida

in Education, Glen Cove, Maine

in Education, Atlanta, Georgia

in Education, United Arab Emirates

in Education, Ellenwood, Georgia

in Education, Davie, Florida

in Education, Oxford, Georgia

in Education, New Port Richey, Florida

in Education, Hughesville, Pennsylvania

in Education, Mt. Wolf, Pennsylvania
U.S. A new program for young girls has been established as "New Beginnings," providing a home to rescue and rehabilitate them from the streets. The Bradshaws' daughter, Jessica, and her husband are acting as house parents for the year. They prepare to go to India as missionaries and teach reading and other subjects at their church, Wheaton Wesleyan. Becky continues to serve on the missionary staff at Wheaton College.

Paul and Becky (Bollman) '63 Marcy has just been selected as their foster home in Wheaton, Illinois, which improves their family living area and allows for renting rooms to four college students. Becky is pursuing a master's degree in educational administration and teaching, and coordinating the activities of "New Beginnings." She has also been asked to return to Guatemala to teach English to high school students. Becky's hope is to return in August.

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Gene x '74 and Lynn (Puffer) '73 Jordan returned to Ecuador on February 14 with their daughters, Kimberly, 6, and Kelley, 4, to resume ministry under Missionary Aviation Fellowship after their year's furlough. Gene is now classified as Chief Pilot in his area.

Janet Hardie '76 returned to Bogota, Colombia, in January after a busy furlough at her home in Porterville, Pennsylvania, where she took classes at Slippery Rock University three days a week and enjoyed being with her family at Christmas. This year she is writing curriculum guidelines for grades 3-6.

Terry (Rich) '75 and Rick Herr returned to Columbia last August after their June wedding. Terry is continuing his teaching at Lomalinda and Rick works in the radio department. They expect to return to Waxhaw, North Carolina, this summer for Rick to get more training in radio repair and electronics.

Larry Nicka '77, a teacher at Heritage Christian High School, who has a special needs population, found time to visit Indonesia, brought three students from the campus recently along with his own 1-year-old son, Andrew.

Jack Bell '78 of Racine, Wisconsin, has joined the Paperboard Converting Division of Alabama-based Gulf States Paper Corporation as a district sales manager. A native of Louisville, Kentucky, Jack attended Seton High School there and received his B.S. degree from Bryan business administration. He went to Gulf States from Champion International Corporation where he was a sales representative. Jack and his wife, the former Juliane Anderson, have two children - Jamie, 5, and Jodie, 2.

Jack Bell

Freddy and Grace (Smith) '77 Ely are pictured with their family including Cindy, 7, Tim, 4, and Charlie '80. They will be working on the DC-3 plane that is in Waxhaw, North Carolina. Nard with their sons, Steven and PJ were not furloughed. Gene is now classified as Chief Pilot in his area. Steve and Marcia are expecting their third child sometime in October.

Tom Hatten '78 and his wife, Carolyn, have been accepted to work with WorldTeam in Haiti. Tom will serve as a physician's assistant to become part of the health-care team at the Hospital of Light, and Carolyn, as a teacher, will work in the school for missionary children as well as take care of their own young daughter, Katie. They hope to go to Haiti by September 1986, and in the meantime they are living in Caryville, Tennessee.

Joan Meznar '78 has accepted an appointment as assistant professor of history at Mt. Holyoke College in South Hadley, Massachusetts. She is currently completing her doctorate degree at the University of Texas for her doctorate degree.

Mickey Merrick '80 anticipates completing work at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School this spring after six years. He recently in the Lord's mission including a "wonderful wife, Vicki, a precious daughter, Becky, and a son to be born on March 31 by Caesarian" he is serving in a small Christian and Missionary Alliance Church during his internship and is looking forward to a full-time pastorate for a few years before heading to the mission field as the Lord leads.

Murry Harrees '81 is the supervisor of the maintenance department for the church and school of the Christian Life Fellowship in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Murry and his crew of five men care for 80's

David '80 and Jill (McCormick) '81 Simpson have been accepted as new candidates with New Tribes Mission in order to begin training in August. They have two children - Kara, 3, and Daniel, 1.

Susa (Smith) '80 and David Harris have responded to an opportunity to go to Ethiopia under Air Service International (ASI) for an initial one-year commitment. David, a trained pilot who has continued work at Thurston Aviation and with Jungle Aviation and Radio Service (JAARS) Aeron Club, will be co-pilot on one of the four planes now cooperating with World Vision to fly to the 2,000 villages to the 100,000 metric tons of grain into the hardest hit famine areas of Ethiopia. They arrived in Addis Ababa on February 25 and Dave logged 86 hours of flight time in the Twin otter during the first two weeks. Susan has had some duties in the Air Service office. They find the Ethiopian people friendly and are enjoying the International Church in Addis.
Dwayne Schrag ’83 & Julie Hare on October 15 at the Chapel of the First Southern Baptist Church in Phoenix, Arizona.

Bette Theilig ’76 & Mark C. Beane on December 28, 1988. The Beanes reside in Edinburg, Monterrey, California, where Mark is assistant pastor.

Doreas Kay Syers x’80 & Robert Spencer Rutherford on May 2 at the First Baptist Church in Pensacola, Florida. The Robinsons plan to visit Doreas’ parents Paul x’80 & Elaine (Kennard) x’47 Syers, on their mission station in Ceara, Brazil.

Katherine Sue Smith ’83 & Glenn Ed- ward Bridges on April 30 at the Calvary Baptist Church in Gulfport, Mississippi.

Melanie Ruth Bryan ’83 & Oliver May Anderson III on May 31 at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, Georgia.

KIM KOAN x’79 & Don Reither on November 23, 1985 at Chappelley Baptist Church in Fairfax, Virginia. The wedding party including four other Bryan alumni is pictured left to right — Pam Koan ’81, John Anderson III on May 24 at the Westminster Paul x’50 and Elaine (Kennard) ‘47 Syers, showed in all areas of his life.

To Jack and Mary Carl on December 28, 1985. The Carl’s reside in the Shenandoah Valley, in Lenoir, North Carolina, where their daughter, Marylu Morgan Carl.

James MacKenzie on June 7 at the Spray Baptist Church in Ocean City, New Jersey.

To John and Helen (Henning) x’54 went to be with the Lord as a result of a heart attack May 10 in the Chapel of the First Southern Baptist Church in Eden, North Carolina.

Emma Rae (Bechtel) x’38 Ingram went to be with the Lord on September 14, 1984, after a brief illness. Emma had moved from Ocean City, New Jersey, to Lenior, North Carolina, to be near her son, who had his home called “Corky” in the last months of her illness.

Mary Lew (Brown) x’51 went to be with the Lord on April 15 as a result of her battle with cancer. Mary and her husband Carl are survived by his husband, James Carl; a son, Edwin; and a daughter, Marylou Morgan Carl.

WENDINGS

To Tom and Patricia (Bradus) ’83 Hipp their first child, Justin Colby, on February 19 in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

James R. Franklin ’79 Enderle their first child, Danielle Marie, on November 27, 1984, in Huron, Ohio.

To Gregory and Cheryl (Johnson) ’84 Kylea, their first child, on April 11 in Canton, Ohio.

To Wexly x’82 and Meri Cane a daughter, Ferrill, in Clarkston, Georgia.

To Gary ‘82 & Debbie (Witter) ’80 their first child, Ashley Marie, on January 23 in Dayton, Tennessee.

To Randy and Debbie ‘58 and Glenn Ed-ward Penn on a daughter, Rachel Anna, in Winona Lake, Indiana.

To John and (Debbie) ’75 Smith their first child, Nathan Daniel on January 23 in Ocean City, Maryland.

Diana Mary Bradshaw ’64 & Clyde W. Armstrong on May 16 at the Hudders Creek Community Church, Lapeer, Michigan.

Diane Dempsey ’86 & Walter Sirmons on October 7 at the First Baptist Church in West Palm Beach, Florida.

David Kelly Hobbs ’85 & Ruth Arlene Snyder ’86 on May 15 at the First Baptist Church in Dayton, Ohio.

Tamarra Ruth Shive ’86 & Joseph Dean Shive ’83 on June 7 at the First Baptist Church in Dayton, Ohio.

Mary David Egger ’62 & Sheryl Lynn Robinson ’68 on June 7 at the Ocean City Baptist Church in Ocean City, New Jersey.

Donna Marie Howell ’82 & Brian James MacKenzie on June 7 at the Spray Baptist Church in Eden, North Carolina.

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Fred Koan last October and plans for marriage this summer, reports continued pro- gress in physical therapy.

Janice (Decker) ’74 have three children, Chirs, 18; Scott, 17; and Tracy, 16.

Class Notes

(80’s Cont.)

janitorial duties in the buildings and on the campus and also use their talents in areas of construction, electrical work, plumbing, and general repairs. Some new pro-jects they are working on are new baseball/football fields and outdoor basketball/tennis courts. They are devising an energy system to save the Fellowship several hundred dollars each month. Besides his maintenance work, Murry is also an athletic class. His staff is quoted as saying that Murry was “God-seent to the work force.”

Beverly Hoffman ’85 of Richmond, Virginia, is teaching at the Jackson Davis Elementary School, about 10 miles from home. She works with ten “Learning Disabled” children and enjoys the one-on-one situation. She is completing a

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To Millie Dorn (Driver) ’78 & Jim Depuy- ty a daughter, Kristin Leigh, on February 8 in Washington, Illinois.

To Charles ’78 & Shirley ’78 Nicholas a son, Trevor Loren, on January 15, in Cookeville, Tennessee.

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Jack Wilke’s x’61 died in 1988 as reported by classmates Jim and Helen (Hesseling) Johnson, both x’60. Jack was married to Beverly and they have three children, including Steven Wilke x’88, who is a professor at the University of Georgia. Steve had a mastectomy, but now has cancer in her lung and breast.

This type of prayer concern comes to our attention in the alumni office fre- quently enough to be shared with alumni at large through this newsletter. The matters for prayer that we print here are requests in one-to-one lifetime situations that call us all together in a common bond of concern for one another that reaches beyond mere sympathy.

Wherever we are we can pray. And prayer is what is needed most in the situations we will publish in this col- umn.

Marilyn (Gibson) x’53 is teaching in the business education department at Metro State College in Denver, Colorado.

Marilyn Williams h’55, who is planning to be on campus for his class reunion this summer, reports continued pro- cesses with his eyeight (he’s legally blind) and also requests prayer for his daughter-in-law, Jolene. She has had a mastectomy, but now has cancer in her chest and lung. She is taking chemotherapy.

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