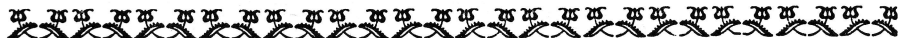


The Thirty-Second Annual

Commencement



**Wilkes
College**



Ralston Field

WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA

Sunday Afternoon, May 20, 1979

AT TWO O'CLOCK

HYMN TO JOY

I.

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee,
Opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness,
Fill us with the light of day!

II.

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,
Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee,
Center of unbroken praise;
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain,
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

III.

Mortals, join the happy chorus
Which the morning stars began;
Father love is reigning o'er us,
Brother love binds man to man.
Ever singing, march we onward,
Victors in the midst of strife:
Joyful music leads us sunward
In the triumph song of life.

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ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCESSIONAL

Grand Choeur —

From the Oratorio "Joshua" *George Fredric Handel*

Psalm Nineteen *Benedetto Marcello*

Chorale Prelude on

"Now Thank We All Our God" *Sigfrid Karg-Elert*

CINDY LOU FISHER, '79, *Organist*

(The audience is requested to rise as the procession enters the area.)

INVOCATION DOCTOR ABRAHAM D. BARRAS
Rabbi, Temple Israel

HYMN HYMN TO JOY

GREETINGS ROBERT S. CAPIN
President
BENJAMIN BADMAN
Chairman, Board of Trustees

CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Faculty BRADFORD L. KINNEY
Assistant Professor of English

Students MICHAEL BARTH
President, Class of 1979

ADDRESS

Introduction THE HONORABLE MAX ROSENN
Judge, U. S. Court of Appeals, Third District

"The Best and The Worst
of Times" THE HONORABLE JOHN HEINZ
U. S. Senator, Pennsylvania

ORDER OF EXERCISES

THE PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

AND CERTIFICATES ROBERT S. CAPIN
President

ALMA MATER *Eleanor C. Farley*

(The words of the song may be found on the last page of this program.

The audience is requested to stand and join in the singing.)

BENEDICTION THE REVEREND GEORGE G. PAWLUSH
Pastor, Holy Trinity Orthodox Church

RECESSIONAL

Rigaudon *Andre Campara*

Trumpet Voluntary *Henry Purcell*

March *William Walton*

(The audience is requested to remain standing during the recessional.)

AWARDS

THE MABLE SCOTT WANDELL AND STERLING

LEROY WANDELL AWARD DONALD I. BURTON, JR.
JANE ELIZABETH DAVIS

These awards are given by the Deans to the man and woman graduate having attained the highest academic average for the four years at Wilkes College.

Presentations by DEAN JANE K. LAMPE and
DEAN GEORGE F. RALSTON

HUMANITIES AWARD

Art CAROLYN M. SZCZECZOWICZ
Language and Literature NANCY LYNN KOZEMKO

This award, established in 1958 by Miss Annette Evans, a member of the Board of Trustees, honors the man or woman in the graduating class who has demonstrated outstanding scholarship in the humanities.

Presentation by WILLIAM H. STERLING
Chairperson, Art Department

SOCIAL SCIENCES AWARD

Political Science MARIO APUZZO
Sociology, Spanish and Community Service CHERYL KELLAR

The Hugo Mailey Memorial Award is given annually to that graduate in the social sciences who has best demonstrated overall abilities in scholarship, intellectual curiosity, and community service during his or her career at Wilkes College.

Presentation by JEAN M. DRISCOLL
Chairperson, Political Science Department

AWARDS

NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS AWARD

Engineering DONALD I. BURTON, JR.

Presentation by UMID R. NEJIB
Chairperson, Engineering Department

ALUMNI AWARD FOR

LEADERSHIP MICHAEL BARTH

GARY GERRARD TOCZYLOWSKI

This award is given annually by the Wilkes College Alumni Association to the member of the graduating class considered by a special committee to have made the strongest contribution to student life and the student activities program of the college.

Presentation by RICHARD T. REES, '62
Director of Alumni Relations

NADA VUJICA MEMORIAL AWARD AHMAD M. MAHMOUD

This award, established in 1972 in memory of Nada Vujica, is given annually to a deserving international student of the graduating class.

Presentation by ARTHUR J. HOOVER, '55
Associate Dean of Student Affairs

ARMED FORCES RESERVE OFFICER APPOINTMENTS

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE PETER WILLIAM COSGROVE

MARK ANTHONY DEFALCO

RONALD J. HARLOW

WILLIAM BRADLEY MCLENNAN

GARY CHARLES MEEKER

Presentation by ANTHONY W. SEIZYS
Lieutenant Colonel, U. S. Air Force

AWARDS

MARINE CORPS AWARD THOMAS N. PUFKO, JR.

An award signifying a commission as Second Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps.

Presentation by T. S. WOLFE
Captain, U. S. Marine Corps

RECOGNITION OF
PROFESSOR EMERITUS RUTH W. McHENRY

Presentation by ROBERT S. CAPIN
President

HONORARY DEGREES

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS SENATOR JOHN HEINZ

Conferred in recognition of his distinguished achievements in the fields of government, business and education, his commitment to improving the quality of life through the political process, and his record of service to many eleemosynary institutions.

DOCTOR OF SCIENCE DR. ARNO A. PENZIAS

Conferred in recognition of his distinguished achievements in science as exemplified by his recent selection as co-recipient of the Nobel Prize in physics, his commitment to scientific research, and his dedication to the application of science for the betterment of humanity.

CLASS OFFICERS

MICHAEL BARTH *President*
STEVEN LAWRENCE BAILEY *Vice President*
MARIO APUZZO *Secretary*
PEGGY LYNN RENTSCHLER *Treasurer*

MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

Master of Science Degree in Biology

Alexander Michael Collins, Jr.

Master of Science Degree in Education

Diane Marie Castrignano

Betsy Bell Condron

Catherine Theresa Gourley

*M. Lynn Jones

*Joseph J. Marchetti

Sharon G. Telban

Master of Science Degree in Mathematics

*Walter Richard Markowski

Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Chemistry

David Leonard Stull

* *Degree in absentia*

MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Elementary

Mary Ann Kasson Buzza

Linda Susan King

Ann K. Cammerota

Joseph Michael Mentyka

Cathy Ann Marie Celusniak

*Charles Robert Suppon

Elizabeth M. Griesmer

*Karolina Hahn Suppon

*Susan Elizabeth Hutton

Linda Allmon Walden

Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in English

Michael Dennis Booth

Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in History

James John Maloney

Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Special Education

Concetta Ann Parente

Michael Joseph Speziale

* *Degree in absentia*

MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

Master of Business Administration

William A. Barron

John M. Beberus

James Charles Belles

*Edward Julius Beoris

Winston Clarence Best

Christine Marie Buchina

Joseph J. Chisarick

Richard Thomas Chisarick

Fred James Croop

Kim Anne Flis

*John J. Gallo, Jr.

Thomas Frederick Grant

Robert Earle Greenwood

*Karen Marie Konsavage

John Joseph Mack

*Nancy Joan Mathers

Geraldine Cravatta Mihneski

*Joseph John Niemiec

Suzanne M. Pudlosky

Thomas William Roberts

Russell M. Samilo

Richard Thomas Simonson

Thomas John Tunila

Wilbur C. Waltz, Jr.

* *Degree in absentia*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Summa Cum Laude

Donald Edward Horrox

Magna Cum Laude

Mario Apuzzo

William David Frye, Jr.

Cathy Jean Hotchkiss

Nancy Lynn Kozemko

§John Kozey, III

Paula A. Lahutsky

Jeffrey Mawhinney

Kathleen Joan O'Malley

David Frank Parmenteri

John David Ralston

*Ann Marie Stefanoski

Carolyn M. Szczechowicz

Ann Timko

Ann Marie Elaine Yanushefski

* *Degree in absentia*

§ *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Cum Laude

Joseph Thomas Delgado	Marianne Cwalina Orloski
*Dorothy S. Hostler	Melanie E. Paternoster
Wilma Margaret Hurst	Lynn Barbara Sare
Cheryl Kellar	Jeannie E. Swartz
§Michael Edwin Kosik	Lawrence P. Zale
*Mark James Lobitz	Sharon Lee Zawatski
¶Sharon Lynn Myers	

* *Degree in absentia*

¶ *Phi Sigma Tau*

§ *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Joanne Marie Abraham	Jeffrey Davis
Diane Marie Adanosky	*Mark Alexander Davis
Robert David Austin	*William John Davis
Robert Joseph Ausura	Nancy C. DeBiase
Mary Beth Banos	Mark Anthony DeFalco
Scott Herbert Bell	Anthony G. DeVincentis
*William Neal Bellucci	Patricia Ellen Dolan
Gayle-Jean Berry	*Thomas Donahue
Karen Ella Blanda	Bruce T. Douglas
Gary Robert Blockus	Carl L. Edwards
Julie E. Bollinger	Lois Elaine Enama
Cathryn Mary Castner	Claire Louise Ennis
Michael J. E. Castrignano, Jr.	Thomas A. Evans
Steven Joseph Cheplick	*Reginald T. Fatherly
Candice Caroline Chilek	Beverly Feller
Carol A. Chisak	Linda Jo Ferraro
Mary Noreen Corbett	Kim Susan Foltz
Betsy Chase Crocker	John Michael Forte
Elizabeth Allen Crum	*Gary Charles Fritzes
*Frank J. Davidowski	Linda Justine Giomboni
Bruce D. Davis	Karen Ann Glushefski

* *Degree in absentia*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

John Thomas Griffith	Linda A. Lombardo
*David J. Gulitus	Pamela Jane Long
William M. Havrilchak	Rhoda Susan Luborsky
Joseph Francis Hogan	Karen Lucchesi
Sheila M. Houck	*Louis Maczuga
*Kenneth Mark Hughes	Michael James McBride
Robert Richard Husty	*Kevin F. McCall
Sheila Ann Imler	Clare Christine McCarthy
Thomas M. Joyce	Thomas Patrick McDade
Mary Louise Kepics	Charlene McDermott
Julie Edna Kerrick	Cheryl Ann Meier
Barbara M. Klarsch	Philip James Mertz
Francis John Klemovitch	Coreen Ann Milazzo
Karen L. Klucitas	Alison Miller
Kimberly Jaye Koch	Gregory G. Miller
Ann Marie Monica Kopec	Jennifer R. Montagna
Lee M. Kopeika	Mary Ann Morgan
Stella Theresa Korpusik	Lynn Werkheiser Muchler
Alfred W. Kotula, Jr.	¶John R. Mundy
John D. Koze	Paula J. Murphy
Kristina Elizabeth Kuhl	Kathryn M. Nardone

* *Degree in absentia*

¶ *Phi Sigma Tau*

§ *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Mark Anthony Neylon

Mary Jane Nulty

Carol S. O'Connell

*Gerald O'Malia

*Mary Joan Roman Onisko

Carol Corbett Pawlush

*Florence Piccillo

Robert Mark Pitcavage

Karen Marie Polomski

Joan Louise Potoski

Doreen Mary Puhalla

Barbara A. Quarteroni-Killian

Susan Kay Reed

Charles P. Resavy

Lucy Helen Respass

Charlot A. Richards

Ruth Rico

Mary-Ellen J. Riley

Mark Eliot Ritter

Mary Catherine Ann Rostock

Loren W. Samsel, III

Kenneth Paul Schmidt

John Senatore

Teresa Anne Shukailo

Mitchell Frank Silver

Freida Marion Skaff

*Rodney Smith

*Richard J. Solomon

Maureen Anne Sunday

*Margaret Fairbanks Soter

John Henry Stanley

Myles Michael Stempin

Mary D. Stencavage

*Samuel Joseph Stuccio

Scott Thomas Sulzer

Michael David Supczenski

*Casper Tortella

Lex T. Watkins

Jonathan D. Williams

Judith Ann Wing

Kim Marie Wolny

Nina Lubow Wyrsta

Deborah Lou Yakus

Kevin S. Yost

* *Degree in absentia*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Summa Cum Laude

∇ Sandra Lee Argenio

∇ John Joseph Bobin

Russell Charles Burkhardt

Donald I. Burton, Jr.

Jane Elizabeth Davis

Linda Jean Lohden

*∇ Lee Bruce Moskowitz

David G. Pawlush

*Marcia Blanco Rizzo

Magna Cum Laude

∇ Joseph Allan Abaté

Kevin Terence Brennan

Susan Georgeann Cameli

John E. Cavanaugh, Jr.

Diane Althea Coleman

*Mary Elizabeth Cully

∇ John Henry Ellis, IV

Cindy Lou Fisher

∇ Jules Mark Geltzeiler

Joseph Daniel Kerestes, Jr.

Keith Allen Lutz

Denise Ann Eleanor Martineck

Robert L. Neuman

Philip Edward Ogren

Edward F. Orloski

†Susan Lee Rogers

Sandra H. Shotwell

Lawrence Paul Vojtko

Christine Kay Wanich

John Matthew Warakomski

* *Degree in absentia* † *Sigma Xi* ‡ *Pre-Professional Degree Program*

∇ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Cum Laude

Kenneth E. Angradi	Eric Scott Heffelfinger
∇Gary Raymond Batok	W. Keith Jones
§Ann Marie Helen Booth	Steven Benjamin Kirshner
∇Gregory David Borowski	*Joseph J. Monka
§Michael Joseph Briel	George G. Oschal, III
Nancy Callahan	Carl W. Perrin
Daniel J. Cardell	*∇Kurt Gregory Rodney
Andrew Coleman	†Karen Elizabeth Smallcomb
Terry Lee Conrad	Russell J. Symons, Jr.
Donald Martin Demko	Gregory Scott Tomcho
Anita DiMarcontonio	Lynn Susan Walting
*∇William James Gibbons	David Lloyd Williams
Marylee Anne Gorman	Deborah Ann Yedlock

* *Degree in absentia* § *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

† *Sigma Xi*

∇ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Barbara C. Agurkis	Ronald D. Cappellini
Christine Ameen	Robert Michael Casterlin
Cynthia Marie Antosh	Donna Marie Clarke
Sylvia Cariaga Apostol	Ernest Carl Coassolo
Keith James Augustine	*Marian Ruth Cole
Cathy W. Ayers	Karen Coleman
Steven Lawrence Bailey	*Ronna Jean Colvin
*Jeffrey A. Baird	*Lisa Ann Condo
*Debra Baldwin	Roxann Marie Coniglio
Marilyn J. Barbieri	Daniel Thomas Conrad
Michael Barth	*Margaret Ann Cosgrove
Joseph V. Bazzarri	Peter William Cosgrove
Cheryl A. Berry	Kathleen Marie Cromer
Heidi Louise Beucker	Malinda Eileen Cross
Joseph Bono	Gerald Anthony D'Albis
Mary Ella M. Booth	Jeffrey Charles Davis
William John Boronow	*Fredric M. DeCinti
*Lynn Ann Campbell	Ronald Michael Delevan

* *Degree in absentia*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

David Dempkosky	*Debra Suzanne Fortini
Thomas John Diction	Christina M. Frantz
Karen Ann Dileo	Mary Beth Frazier
Bernard J. Donachie, II	David John Fritzes
Thomas J. Dougherty	Mary Ann E. Gatti
*David E. Dudick	Elaine Marie Gaughan
Preston Dyer	Frank J. Gavrish, Jr.
*Wheeler G. Einsla	Jeffrey Scott Giberson
Stephen Bernard Elko, Jr.	David E. Gibson
Nancy Carolyn Enderlein	Diane Kay Gignac
§Anne Eschler	Charles Patrick Giunta
David Arthur Evans, III	Margaret Ann Gorman
David E. Evans	Nigel James Gray
Gwendolyn Martha Faas	*∇Ronald Edward Greenberg
Sherry Ann Faux	Alexander Grohol
∇Rudolph Silas Fellin	Ronald J. Harlow
Brian William Fenn	Kathleen Mary Herpich
Linda G. Fodor	§Frederick W. Herrmann

* *Degree in absentia* § *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

∇ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

George Phillip Hodges, II	Maria Margaret Klimchak
John Joseph Holland	Cheryl Ann Klimek
Charles Theodore Hozempa	Nancy Ann R. Klimek
David F. Hungarter	*Nicholas Andrew Kofira
Richard J. Iero	Karen Georgine Konicki
*Steven C. Jez	Joan Helene Marie Kotarba
Karen Marie John	Stephen James Kozup
Claire Johnson	Anne Kucy
Nancy Jane Johnson	*Lawrence Joseph Larioni
Kathleen Ann Jones	Susan Laske
Simon Kazinetz	Edward J. Lavelle
*Scott L. Kendig	Joseph P. Lavelle
Dorothy Jean Kennedy	*Stephen James Lear
Sheree Eva Kessler	John R. Leedy
Rosa Khalife	Kathryn Ann Lesh
Stephen J. Kichka	Jo Ellen A. Licata
Althea Ann Kieffer	*John Joseph Loftus
*Christine Rombilus Klaips	John P. Lohman

* *Degree in absentia*

§ *Omicron Delta Epsilon*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Jay Edward Mack	Mark D. Mital
Ahmad M. Mahmoud	Linda J. Mizenko
Michele Jaworski Malinko	Ronald T. Mock
John C. Manley	Mark A. Molitoris
Nina Pauline Maris	Michael A. Molitoris
*William John Martin	Kurt John Moody
Suzanne A. Materazzi	Rebecca Kay Morgan
James J. Matyas	‡Patricia Ann Morris
Sharon Ann Mazuka	Cheryl Lynn Moyer
Patricia Anne McClurg	Philip R. Murosky
Donald Harold McDermott	Maureen Christine Murphy
Eileen Ann McDonald	LuAnn Neely
Robert J. McGarry	Helen Ruth Niesen
Patricia Ann McKeown	Cherlyn Christina Nyzio
William Bradley McLennan	Robert Joseph Owens
Gary Charles Meeker	Peter L. Pagano, Jr.
Alisa Jayne Meyer	Michael Dru Parrell
Charles C. Miraglia	*Thongchai Patchana

* *Degree in absentia*

‡ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Judy Ann Pennesi	Catherine Ann Rowlands
Sandra Lee Pensieri	Mark Rutkowski
John Petrewski	†Edward Charles Rzonca
∇Thomas G. Phillips	Lawrence S. Sall
Kristine M. Pierson	Andrea Ruth Schneider
Leonard Joseph Podrasky	Skai Wallis Schwartz
Linda Jane Price	∇Joseph Armine Scopelliti
Karen L. Prigge	Robert D. Scott
Thomas N. Pufko	Carla Ann Sechrest
Ann Theresa Puzio	Susan Ann Serio
Maryann Ragnacci	Craig A. Setzer
James George Rash	Maliheh Seyed Naghavi
Thomas Francis Rash	Lynn M. Shearon
Peggy Lynn Rentschler	Kenneth L. Sickler
*Richard F. Riley	Kathryn Helen Siebe
Thomas L. Rink	Debra Ann Sincavage
Jan Robinson	Suzanne Christine Siroki
Cheryl Anne Roman	Anthony Joseph Skiptunas, III

* *Degree in absentia*

† *Pre-Professional Degree Program*

∇ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

David Skripkunis	Rebecca Elizabeth Toton
William Joseph Slavoski	Nancy Louise Ann Valente
▼Gary Marshall Smith	Catherine A. Vill
*Frank M. Sokola	Michael C. Wallace
Thomas Paul Sokola	Elizabeth Ann Waselewskie
▼Sam John Solomon	Judy Karen Wendorf
Susan Marie Spranaitis	Paul P. Wengen
Katherine A. Stano	Andrew Louis Wilkinson
Joseph D. Stephens, Jr.	Janice Lynn Wolf
Nina Marie Stuccio	▼Anthony Thomas Zaldonis, Jr.
Emil James Tabit	John Andrew Zapko
†Gary Gerrard Toczykowski	Mary Ann Zielinski
Michael T. Torbik	

* *Degree in absentia*

† *Sigma Xi*

▼ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program*

TERMINAL DIVISION

Maureen C. S. Prendergast

Secretarial Studies

* *Degree in absentia.*

† *Denotes The Society of the Sigma Xi Research Acknowledgement.*

The Society of the Sigma Xi is a national honorary science organization dedicated to the encouragement of research in the sciences. Members of the Senior Class who qualify for recognition are designated in the program.

¶ *Denotes Membership in Phi Sigma Tau.*

Phi Sigma Tau is a national honorary society in philosophy.

‡ *Pre-Professional Degree Program.*

§ *Denotes Membership in Omicron Delta Epsilon.*

Omicron Delta Epsilon is a national honorary society in economics.

▼ *Wilkes-Hahnemann Family Medicine Program.*

STUDENT AWARDS

These awards were presented to students for outstanding achievement at a special luncheon on April 19, 1979 at the Dorothy Dickson Dart Center for the Performing Arts.

AFROTC Superior Performance Award *Mark DeFalco*

American Defense Preparedness Award *Ronald Harlow*

Reserve Officers Association Award *Mark DeFalco*

American Legion General Military
Excellence Award *W. Bradley McClennan*

Department of Art Artistic Merit Award *Nancy DeBiase*

Department of Art Artistic
Development Award *Carolyn Szczechowicz*

Hilda Richards Memorial Award *Deborah Grzymiski*

BEACON Female and Male Athlete of the Year *Diane Kendig
and Kendall McNeil*

Biology Department Research Award *Suzanne Buckingham
and Susan Rogers*

Biology Department Scholarship Award —

Jeffrey Mawhinney (August 1978 Diploma)

Susan Rogers (December 1978 Diploma)

Eric Heffelfinger and Greg Tomcho (May 1979 Diploma)

STUDENT AWARDS

Biology Club Sophomore Scholarship Award *Patrick McNamara*

The Professor Alfred W. Bastress Chemistry Award —

Donald Demko and John Warakomski

The Professor Catherine H. Bone

Chemistry Award *David Pawlush*

M. D. Brandwene Award *Marlene Kaczmarek*

Chemical Society Award for Outstanding Freshman

Chemistry Major *Maribeth DiNicola and Mark Swartz*

Circle K Club Outstanding Service Award *Gary Toczyłowski*

The W. F. Dobson Award in Accounting *Jane Davis*

The Pennsylvania Institute of CPA's Award *Philip Ogren*

Accounting Club Award *JoAnn Bennick*

Commuter Council Senior Commendation Awards *David Evans*

John Griffith, Rosa Khalife, Ann Marie Kopec

Stella Korpusik, Sue Searles, Becky Toton

Concert and Lecture Committee Cultural Award *Thomas Evans*

Copernicus Award — Polish Union of U. S. of N. A. *John Haffner*

Earth and Environmental Sciences Department Academic

Achievement Award *Nancy Callahan and Karen Smallcomb*

STUDENT AWARDS

- Electrical Engineering Achievement Award *Donald Burton
and Carl Perrin*
- J. J. Ebers Memorial Award of the IEEE *Ronald Delevan*
- The Engineering Award *Donald Burton*
- The Davies English Award *Nancy Kozemko*
- Faculty Women's Eleanor Coates Farley
Scholarship *Kathy Rickard*
- Department of Language and Literature Foreign Travel
Grants Awards *Nicholas Golowich, Kathy Rickard
Robert Rushworth, Dina Sauer*
- Human Services Committee Blood Donor Day Awards —
Biology Club and Dana Hall
- IDC Outstanding Female and Male Dorm Student —
Peggy Rentschler and Gary Toczylowski
- Outstanding IDC Representatives *Gary Toczylowski
and Judy Wing*
- Journalism Society Achievement Award *Wilma Hurst*
- Letterwomen Scholarship Award *Nancy Johnson*
- Correen Santoro Athletic Memorial *LuAnn Neely*
- Department of Mathematics and Computer
Science Award *Russell Burkhardt*

STUDENT AWARDS

Wilkes College Band Award for the Outstanding
Senior Bandsman *Cindy Fisher*

Department of Nursing Award for Highest Academic
Achievement *Marcia Rizzo*

Department of Nursing Award for Highest Nursing
Achievement *Mary Elizabeth Cully Martin*

Nursing Student Organization Award *Karen Konicki*

Operation Phoenix: ACT 101 Academic Achievement Awards —
*Margaret Callahan, Patricia Patrician
and Catherine Schwenk*

Phi Sigma Tau Awards *Joseph Alfano
Joseph Blizman and Sharon Myers*

Philosophy Department Award *Cheryl Zorzi*

Political Science Department Award *Mario Apuzzo
and Donald Horrax*

Student Government Appreciation Award *Steven Kirshner*

Theater Department Award *John Forte and John Griffith*

Women's Activities Association Awards *Marilyn Barbieri
Nancy Callahan, Elaine Gaughan, Sheree Kessler
Rosa Khalife, Cheryl Meier, Cheryl Moyer, Charlot Richards
Lynn Shearon, Sandi Shotwell, Debbie Yedlock*

STUDENT AWARDS

*Who's Who Among Students in American
Universities and Colleges . . .*

Mario Apuzzo	Ann Marie Kopec
Steven Bailey	Stella Korpusik
Michael Barth	John Kozey
Gregory Black	Cheryl Moyer
Noreen Corbett	John Mundy
Gerald D'Albis	Mary Jane Nulty
Donald Demko	David Pawlush
Cindy Fisher	Karen Polomski
John Griffith	Susan Rogers
Frederick Herrmann	John Senatore
Wilma Hurst	Joseph Stephens
Nancy Johnson	David Taylor
Julie Kerrick	Ann Timko
Sheree Kessler	Gary Toczykowski
Rosa Khalife	Gregory Tomcho
Stephen Kichka	Casper Tortella
Steven Kirshner	Debbie Yedlock

MACE AND CHAIN OF OFFICE

The inauguration of President Michelini marked the first ceremonial use of two important insignia recently given to Wilkes College. The handsome mace and chain of office are the gifts of local donors.

The two insignia were designed and executed by a nationally known gold and silversmith, Professor Kurt J. Matzdorf of the State University College, New Paltz, New York.

The College Mace

THE MACE is made of sterling silver throughout. At the lower end of the hammered shaft is a gilt (gold-plated) knob. The upper end of the shaft displays the inscription "Wilkes College 1933." Above the short, hammered neck rises a bowl to indicate that Wilkes-Barre acted as a melting pot in forming a new and vigorous community of people of many different backgrounds. This theme is clearly stated in the gilt inscription around the upper part of the bowl: "Unity Amidst Diversity." Set into the top of the bowl is the gilt seal of Wilkes College. The top of the mace is a gilt flame-like structure to indicate the enlightenment to be gained from higher education. A piece of anthracite coal from a local mine is set in the center of this "flame" to commemorate the origin of the community and the College in its coal mining past.

The Chain of Office

THE CHAIN OF OFFICE of the President of Wilkes College is four feet long and is made of sterling silver throughout. The links of the chain are alternating silver bowls and gilt flames repeating the motif of the mace. In the front hangs the gilt seal of Wilkes College suspended from a cluster of oak leaves with three acorns to suggest the strength and sturdiness of future generations. The back of the chain is a silver portrait of Eugene S. Farley, first president of Wilkes College, set in a cluster of gilt oak leaves to commemorate his strong leadership of the College.



ALMA MATER

Wilkes, our Alma Mater,
We pledge our hearts to thee,
Honor, faith, and courage,
Truth and loyalty.
In our work and in our pleasure,
Guide us as a friend;
We shall always love thee,
Loyal to the end.

Thou shalt lead us onward
In search of finer things.
May we find the wisdom
That thy spirit brings.
May our deeds of love and service
Ever swell thy fame —
Wilkes, we stand to greet thee!
Glory to thy name.

— Words and music by Eleanor C. Farley