

*The Twenty-Fifth Annual*  
*Commencement*



**Wilkes  
College**



*Ralston Field*

**WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA**

*Sunday Afternoon, June 4, 1972*

**AT FIVE O'CLOCK**

## AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

O beautiful for spacious skies,  
For amber waves of grain,  
For purple mountain majesties  
Above the fruited plain!  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for pilgrim feet,  
Whose stern, impassion'd stress —  
A thoroughfare for freedom beat  
Across the wilderness!  
America! America! God mend thine ev'ry flaw,  
Confirm thy soul in self-control,  
Thy liberty in law!

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# ORDER OF EXERCISES

## PROCESSIONAL

Processional Music ..... *Strauss, Handel*

Clifford E. Balshaw, F.A.G.O., *organist*

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

INVOCATION ..... THE REVEREND WILLIAM F. WUNDER

HYMN ..... AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

ADDRESS ..... "BUSINESS — TELL IT LIKE IT IS"

WILLIAM L. WEARLY

*Chairman of the Board, INGERSOLL-RAND COMPANY*

# ORDER OF EXERCISES

THE PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

AND CERTIFICATES.....FRANCIS J. MICHELINI, *President*

ALMA MATER

*(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 M. RICHARD BEVAN

RECESSIONAL

Processional Music.....*Henry Purcell*

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

# AWARDS

## OUTSTANDING GRADUATES

OF THE YEAR..... HARRY PAUL BIELECKI, JR.  
MICHAEL F. DANAY  
MICHAEL MATTHEW MARIANI

This award is given by the Alumni Association to the graduates considered by a special faculty committee to have made the strongest contribution to the life of the College.

*Presentation by* REESE D. JONES, '56  
President, Wilkes College Alumni Association

DEANS' SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS ..... JOYCE BOYLE  
JAMES GAROFALO

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

*Presentations by* DEAN JANE K. LAMPE AND  
DEAN GEORGE F. RALSTON

HUMANITIES AWARD ..... CHARLES JOSEPH ABATE

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* BENJAMIN F. FIESTER, JR.  
Chairman, Division of Humanities

# AWARDS

## NATURAL SCIENCES AND

MATHEMATICS AWARD ..... JOHN ROBERT ANDERSON

This award is given in recognition of scholarship within the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics.

*Presentation by* RALPH B. ROZELLE

Chairman, Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

SOCIAL SCIENCES AWARD ..... JAMES GAROFALO

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

*Presentation by* DAVID M. LEACH

Chairman, Division of Social Sciences

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

AWARD ..... MUHAMMAD ALI GHANNAM

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

*Presentation by* JOEL I. ROME

Assistant Dean of Men

# HONORARY DEGREES

DOCTOR OF SCIENCE ..... WILLIAM L. WEARLY

“In recognition of his years of service as a distinguished leader of American Engineering and Business Technology, and his contribution to the strength and vitality of our nation and society.”

*Presentation by* HAROLD E. COX  
Professor of History

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS ..... DANIEL J. FLOOD

“In recognition of his years of distinguished service as a public official and member of Congress, of his many-faceted career as a leader in the business, cultural, educational, social and political life of our community and our nation, and of his incalculable contribution to the improvement of the health, education, and welfare of the American people and the people of Northeastern Pennsylvania.”

*Presentation by* RALPH B. ROZELLE  
Director of Graduate Studies

## CLASS OFFICERS

MARK H. PAIKIN ..... *President*  
MICHAEL MATTHEW MARIANI ..... *Vice President*  
RITA RYNESKI ..... *Secretary*  
ROY V. HOLLABAUGH ..... *Treasurer*



# MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

## *Master of Science Degree in Mathematics*

Christine Cancro  
Frank Dessoye  
Barbara Hadsall

## *Master of Science Degree in Physics*

\*John E. Macur  
\*Arthur Rand  
Michael Ruduski  
Robert Paranich

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Biology*

Sophon Dejananwitya  
\*Alice Drozdowicz  
\*Vito Forlenza

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Elementary*

Mary Bau	Jane Muzyka
*Mary Ann Baron	*Deanne Pinchak
Darla Coombs	Joan Puhak
*Eugene Domzalski	William Roberts
Suzanne Herstek	Linda Rockwell
Jane Anne James	Marilyn Rozelle
Lynn Johnson	Diann Stahl
Frances Kaminski	Carol Tabit
Stanley Kolly	Marguerite Woodeshick
Carol Lechler	John Zikor
Ann Litz	Virginia Zikor

\*Degree in absentia

# MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in History*

Robert Jacobs  
Joseph Kropiewnicki  
Adrian Merolli

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Mathematics*

Edward Kordek  
\*Nancy Miller  
Mary Petroziello  
Elizabeth Scholl

## *Master of Science Degree in Business Administration*

Ronald Bonomo	John Litz
*Frank Callom	Naweed Nejib
John Fedro	Emil Roman
*David Furman	Paul Suche
*William Katilus	John Verneski

*\*Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

### *Summa Cum Laude*

Charles Joseph Abate  
Mary Ann Biedrycki  
Joyce Boyle  
Carolyn Ann Bruch  
Susan M. Bruch  
Libro J. Ciarmatori  
James Garofalo  
Ronald Robert Harris  
Ann Marie Gabrielle Latona  
\*Barbara B. Perey

### *Magna Cum Laude*

Karen Denise Bates  
Louis L. Carpenter  
Carol Ann Dorish  
James Anthony Gribb  
Shirley Anne Guiles  
Beth A. Kreitzberger  
Andrea Mary Lukesh  
William John Lukridge  
Linda Brown McNaughton  
\*Kathleen Cecelia Schirahman  
Stanley John Yunkunis

Jeanne C. Abbate  
Jean Marilyn Adams  
Frances Ann Saum Aiken  
Carol Joyce Allen

\*Degree in absentia

### *Cum Laude*

Wynne A. Adonizio  
Patricia Baranoski  
Laura Barbera  
Charles Edward Bressler  
Holly Mary Brown  
Paul Brown, III  
Melissa Jane Burdick  
Rosemary C. Castellino  
Rose Ann Cocco  
Barbara Joan Demko  
Cindy J. Dorfman  
Louise Carol Hilla  
Patricia M. Hodakowski  
Amy F. Hughes  
Janet M. Iorio  
James A. Jurchak  
\*Ann Kolinchock  
Joan T. Levandowski  
Alice B. Matey  
Joseph Michael Mentyka  
Mary Ann Nickett  
Catherine Chandler Oliveira  
Ross D. Piazza  
Barbara Jean Repotski  
Rose Marie Saporito  
Joan Mary Shurmanek  
James Tarity, Jr.  
Judithann Regina Walsh  
Wendy Lou Ward  
Barbara Ann Wozniak  
Jacqueline Marie Zack

Beth Louise Anderson  
Derek Hugh Andreini  
Anthony J. Annesi  
Karen Argentati

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

- Eugene Louis Aristeo, Jr.  
\*Paulette Erwine Ashton  
Barbara Ann Aulisio  
Robert M. Babskie  
Karen Lynn Bailey  
Karen Lee Baldoni  
Stephen George Balla  
Dorothy Louise Banks  
Rosemary Anne Baratta  
Robert A. Barney  
Ann D. Barrette  
Barbara Marie Barski  
Joseph Robert Bartell  
Dominick J. Bartoli  
Kathryn C. Bekanich  
Marie Elaine S. Berganya  
Charles Paul Berkant  
Deborah Ann Berti  
Harry Paul Bielecki, Jr.  
Barbara Bilinkas  
Barbara Jane Blemler  
Beverly Ann Bomba  
Donald John Bonawitz  
\*William Douglas Bordow  
Joseph Anthony Boyanowski  
Patricia Marian Brannigan  
Linda S. Bray  
Nancy M. Bromfield  
\*Richard Douglas Bromley  
Philip Bruch  
Lynn Brychta  
Alice J. Budzelek  
\*Bryce Allen Burgess  
Linda Burkhardt  
Robert Boyle Burnside, Jr.  
Donald Wayne Burrige  
Wendy Miller Burroughs  
Nancy Button
- Robert A. Byrne  
\*Anne M. Caffrey  
\*Elizabeth Ann Caldwell  
Catherine Jane Cannon  
Anthony Michael Cardinale  
Walter Samuel Carpenter  
\*Richard Louis Ceccoli  
Patricia A. M. Chapura  
Patricia Anne Christoff  
Donna L. Ciarafoni  
\*John Francis Clarke  
Jeanette Louise Click  
Avis Pauline Clingerman  
Kathryn Anna Connolly  
John Robert Corbett  
Nora Lee Corcoran  
Carolyn Mae Counterman  
Mary Elizabeth Covine  
Celeste Marie Covino  
Harriet Christine Cranston  
Michael F. Daney  
Carol E. Daubert  
Janie J. Davidson  
Thomas Patrick DeLay  
\*Richard Delvino  
Sheila Denion  
Mariel Ann Denisco  
Fred W. DeVecca  
Michael Devine  
Martha Jane Dorris  
\*Rebecca M. Drazba  
Mary Ellen Dziak  
Annette A. Eggleston  
\*Alice R. Engel  
\*Jeanette Engel  
June Esther Evans  
Jacqueline Lee Falk  
Thomas E. Fasching

\**Degree in absentia*

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

- Maryanne E. Fastiggi  
Christine Ann Federovich  
Richard Joseph Ferranti  
Dennis Keith Ferrell  
Kathryn Fitzpatrick  
Michael David Fleig  
Catherine Mullen Flick  
\*Michael Joseph Floryshak  
Ellen Jane Flynn  
Karen Lee Flynn  
Mary H. Frank  
Judith Sue Fried  
Ronald Blair Fritts  
Walter Anthony Furman  
Barbara Marie Gagliardi  
Nancy Elizabeth Galazin  
Michael Gallagher  
Thomas L. Gara  
Sheldon S. German  
George B. Gettinger  
Shaban David Ghannam  
\*Thomas Lawrence Giannini  
Roger Gilbertson  
Samuel C. Giunta  
Mary Ann Gizenski  
Margaret Rohde Goldfarb  
Doree M. Goodman  
Elaine Bernadette Gorey  
Dennis Radigan Gourley  
I. Robert Gourvitz  
Christine Grala  
Donna C. Greene  
Judith Greenstein  
Maureen V. Gregg  
Deanna Lynne Grietzer  
Anne M. Gruscavage  
Michael V. Gryctko  
Alice M. Hadsall
- \*Sandra Lee Hall  
William A. Hanbury  
Dorothy Jean Harkins  
James Byron Harris  
Patricia Elizabeth Harris  
Joyce Lorraine Hassay  
Peter I. Herbst  
Ronald H. Hickson  
Cynthia Rita Homan  
David Michael Hometchko  
\*Donna R. Hospodar  
Ivan Ernest Hoyt  
Dianne Elizabeth Hughes  
Michael T. Hughes  
\*William Terrence Hurley  
Harvey Alan Jacobs  
Frank Joseph Jannuzzi  
\*Louis John Jarecki  
Benjamin R. Jones  
Brenda Mae Jones  
Kent Howard Jones  
Michele Ann Joseph  
Frank D. Kardisco, Jr.  
Mary Ann Kasson  
Kathleen M. Katarynick  
Deborah Kendall  
Terrence Ralph Kenney  
Mary Ellen J. Kerestes  
Joseph Michael Kester, Jr.  
Barbara S. Kish  
Jean Fox Kizis  
Sally Ann Klosowski  
Karl Edward Albert Knoecklein  
Annette B. Kogut  
Connie M. Kopera  
John Konstanty Kosek  
Kathleen Mary Koterba  
\*David James Krajewski

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

- Pamela Krakowski  
Carolyn Ann Kresge  
\*Edward William Krug, Jr.  
Helene Kuchinskas  
\*Lois Emma Layaou  
Robert Ray Lear, Jr.  
Carol Anne Leland  
Donna M. Lemke  
Bedway J. Leon  
James Joseph Loftus  
Jan Stephen Lokuta  
Kathleen Mary Loughney  
Richard Joseph Lukesh  
William N. Lukesh  
Harry M. Lukis  
John Lussi  
Sylvia Victoria Luther  
William F. Luvender  
Carol Ann Manara  
Bonnie G. Marconi  
David Martindale  
Kathleen Marie Masters  
Nilus Lawrence Mattive, Jr.  
Jean Marie V. Maziarz  
Catherine Theresa McCormick  
\*Maureen McDade  
Michael Dennis McDonald  
\*Nancy Elizabeth McDonough  
Kevin Neil McGinley  
Barbara Ann McNicholl  
Maureen Anne McNulty  
Jeanette Naomi Melick  
Donna M. Molitoris  
Dolores Tyler Moncrief  
\*Robert Andrew Moore  
\*Mary Edwina Morgan  
Thomas John Morris  
Eileen M. Morrow  
James Edward Mould  
\*Mary Eloise Mullen  
Anne L. Mutarelli  
Shirley Myers  
Janice Ann Nalepa  
Catherine Oleson  
Robert Michael Opsasnick  
Mathilda J. Orzello  
George Frank Pagliaro  
Mark H. Paikin  
Claire R. Palchanis  
Eugene G. Pappas  
Lewis D. Partridge  
Joyce Gail Paul  
Alphonso Louis Pellegrini  
\*Bonnie Jean Pellish  
Alfred L. Pennesi  
Rosemary F. Penta  
Harry Gordon Pethick  
Marsha Ruth Pezzner  
\*Allen John Pilikian  
Barbara A. Plikaitis  
Karen Sue Poli  
Catherine J. Powell  
Kathy Jane Price  
Mary Ellen Rader  
Joan E. Ralston  
Kathryn Marie Ramsey  
Scott Charles Raswyck  
Margaret E. Reese  
Harold Paul Refowich  
Eileen Ann Rex  
Elizabeth Lenore Victoria Ricci  
Grace Elaine Richie  
Ronald A. Rittenmeyer  
Deborah June Ritzer  
Elizabeth Winifred Roche  
Charles Eley Romane

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

- Edward Joseph Romanoski  
Carolyn C. Rome  
Donald D. Ronchetti  
Susan Marie Rossi  
Marilyn Regina Saba  
Carl Bruce Sachs  
Karen C. Sakaduski  
Linda Susan Samuel  
Maria Angela De Jesus Santos  
Elaine Schiowitz  
Shelley Jean Schnur  
Ilene Carole Schulman  
Doreen Ann Serafini  
\*Lois E. Sexton  
William Henry Shafer  
Ruth Marie Sharkus  
\*Dianne Louise Shiner  
David Martin Siegel  
Wesley B. Simmers  
Michael Sam Simon  
Helene Marie Simonds  
\*Rita M. Singer  
Linda Marie Smith  
Mary Ann Teresa Smith  
Theodore Stephen Sokolowski  
Deborah Susan Solinsky  
Maureen Solomon  
Nancy Jean Sologovitch  
Elizabeth Anne Stolfi  
Enid Carole Sullum  
Dale Raymond Tabor  
William Joseph Tantalla  
Ronald Joseph Tetlak  
\*William Hayes Theurer, Jr.  
David Kenneth Thomas  
Stewart Phillips Thomas  
Margaret Lynne Tomaselli  
Marilyn Elizabeth Torrenti  
Richard O. Toth  
Karen Louise Trevethan  
Joan Theresa Tyree  
\*James Russell Uhl  
Nanette C. Vacher  
Jacquelyn Jean Van Tuyle  
\*Louis Edward Verona  
\*Dennis Verzera  
Angelo Joseph Volpe  
Patrick R. Walborn  
Henry Norman Walters, II  
\*Donna Maria Walton  
Jo Anne Wargo  
Carol Alyce Warner  
Joanne R. Wascolonis  
Dorothy Mae Webb  
Robert John Weidow  
Richard Alan Weinstein  
\*Janet A. Weiss  
\*Barbara Edmondson Whalen  
Jane Ellen Wheeler  
Louise J. Whitelonis  
\*Gerry Willetts  
Vicki Maria Wilson  
Warren D. Wind  
Kathryn Ann Woychick  
John Frank Wright  
Ann Yacavone  
Jill Louise Yanoshak  
Theodore T. Yeager  
Pauline Jenny Yoblonski  
Sandra Yucas  
Felicia Mary Zawatski

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### *Magna Cum Laude*

Eric D. Hoover  
Stanley Paul Januszewski  
Marcia Theresa Kempinski  
Kathryn Elizabeth Krute  
Joanne T. Schreibmaier

### *Cum Laude*

†John Robert Anderson  
Donna Lee Ayers  
Donald Stuart Ball  
Richard Carey Becker  
Kevin John Boyle  
\*Richard L. Frisco  
James Edward Gosart  
Clark John Hamman  
Richard Emmett Hatcher  
Sandra Elizabeth Holl  
Anthony Valentine Kleinhans  
Marianne L. Kolojejchick  
Joseph William Koveleski  
Michael Matthew Mariani  
Paulette Virginia Monchak  
John Anthony Parulis  
Patricia Ann Phillips  
\*William Ralph Schultz  
Anthony Frank Sklaney  
Gary H. Williams  
Nancy Marie Ziobro

Anne Dorothea Agolino  
Robert C. Amico  
\*Walter Anushko  
\*Henry Frank Arva, II  
Robert George Ashton  
Shirley Knautz Ayers  
Michael J. Bacumpas  
Dolores Marie Barno  
Charles Richard Beckley  
Michael Walter Bergbauer  
Willard J. Berkheiser  
Michael J. Berzite  
Guy F. Bess, Jr.

James T. Bird, Jr.  
Alan J. Bloem  
Walter John Bobola  
Bruce H. Breier  
Margaret Marie Brislin  
Kenneth Edwin Brockman  
\*Anthony T. Brojakowski, Jr.  
Paul Thomas Brooks  
\*Joanne R. Brown  
Teresa Denise Brown  
\*Steven Michael Brunn  
Lucinda Dale Bryant  
Alexis Barbara Buchina

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## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Lawrence John Burnetski  
Gerald John Butchko  
Helene Anne Cardwell  
Thomas Casey  
Thomas J. Chmiola  
Gary A. Christian  
Michael A. Collins  
Richard Allan Combellack  
Guy Joseph Comparetta  
Edward Joseph Connors  
\*Joseph Daniel Contento  
Robert J. Cooney  
Sally Jane Cooper  
Thomas Anthony Costanzo  
Eugene C. Crossin  
Joan Katherine Czoch  
Rose Ditchkus Dale  
Eric B. Davenport  
\*Bruce Davis  
\*Richard J. Davis  
Demetria Deakos  
Nancy Jean Devore  
Sheryl Jeannine Dillon  
\*Margaret Caffrey Ducey  
Linda Susan Emershaw  
William Peter Engle  
\*Richard G. Evans, Jr.  
Larry D. Fabian  
\*Jane A. Firestine  
Dennis R. Fleming  
Richard L. Fluri  
\*Margaret M. Forgach  
\*Sharon Susan Forlenza  
Richard William Garinger  
Lorraine Ann Gelatko  
Marion D. George  
†Roy Alan Getzoff  
Muhammad Ali Ghannam

Robert Whittaker Gloman, Jr.  
Janet A. Golaszewski  
Bruce E. Gover  
Michael Grant  
Charles Joseph Graziano  
James Richard Hallead  
Ronald Louis Hillard  
Carl L. Hitchcock  
Roy V. Hollabaugh  
Dean Royden Houck  
Thomas C. Howell  
Paul Joseph Jarecki  
Robert Dale Jarrett  
Deborah I. Johnson  
George Garfield Jones, Jr.  
Terry Scott Jones  
\*Alvin Justan  
Linda Ethel Kandel  
Evelyn Marguerite Kapp  
David Kaufman  
John Stephen Kerr  
Frank Ronald Killian  
Judith I. Kole  
\*Ann Marie Kompinski  
Patricia Josephine Koschak  
Leonard Joseph Kratz  
Robert William Krygier  
Stephen J. Kubricki  
\*James Robert Kundreskas  
Arlene Patricia Kunigel  
Ronald H. Labenski  
Henry M. Laboda, Jr.  
\*Thomas M. Lacek  
\*Howard R. Lander  
Neil Francis Langdon  
Linda Susan Lanzone  
Florence Mae Engler Lear  
William E. Lehmkuhl

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

- \*David Levin
- Julie Alice Levoy
- \*Linda Lee Lewis
- \*Olive Mae Medley Lewis
- Larry Lee Lindner
- John Julian Long
- Joseph Thomas Lynn
- \*Catherine Marie Machinas
- Dixie Davis Mackall
- Helen M. Mac Lellan
- John G. Mandell, Jr.
- \*Charles Michael Manganiello
- \*James B. Marascio
- Bruce A. Marianelli
- Edward Elwood Marionni
- Robert Joseph Martin
- John Henry Marx, Jr.
- Erick Massar
- Leonard Joseph Matysczak
- Louis Anthony Mazza
- \*Sister Mary Kathleen McGill
- Diane Mary Miller
- Richard David Miller
- Jean Marie Miszczuk
- Robert Edwin Morgan
- Sherry Elizabeth Morgan
- Mary Elizabeth Morris
- Georgia Lee Munro
- \*Dennis D. Neubauer
- Arnold M. Norelli
- Joanne Phillips O'Hearn
- Frank Joseph Orlando
- Joseph Thomas Orloski
- Nazzareno Ernest Paciotti
- Michael Edward Palko
- \*Richard J. Passan
- William Thomas Perkoski
- \*Raymond Matthew Pesta
- John Petinko
- Leo C. Petroski
- Carlton E. Phillips
- Warren J. Phillips
- Michael Richard Pituch
- Carol Diane Pochaski
- David C. Richards
- †Deborah Jean Rigle
- Samuel V. Rizzo
- David Edgar Roberts
- William Arthur Rolland, Jr.
- Joseph D. Rosato
- Ann Marie Rovinski
- David James Rudda
- Rita Ryneski
- Gerald Francis Salio
- Linda Louise Sandberg
- Richard Otto Sarmonis
- William Thomas Sauder
- \*Kurt Louis Schuhl
- Kristine Mary Shilcoski
- Richard Lee Joshua Shonk
- \*Marie A. Shovlin
- Jean Marie Shupp
- David M. Smith
- Daniel L. Son
- \*William James Space
- Brent Scott Spiegel
- \*Lenore Jeanne Spinelli
- \*Robert Carl Staffa
- Chester Stankiewicz
- Scott Duxbury Steelman
- Lorraine Ann Stone
- Arlene Ann Sucheski
- Richard H. Sunday
- Wayne Worthington Szakal
- George E. Thomas
- Judith Lynn Thompson

\**Degree in absentia*

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Andrea L. Tomolonis	Harry Charles Wright, Jr.
Debra Ann Victoria Travinski	Hedy Wrightson
Joseph M. Treacy	Karen M. Wrublewski
Dennis C. Unger	Molly Emma Wunder
*Anne M. Van Noy	Ann Marie E. Wynn
*Paul R. Vici	†Thomas J. Yencha
*Donald Lloyd Vincent	John Michael Zalewski
Karen Vollrath	Theodore F. Zelinski
Lawrence Andrew Wallison	Alan E. Zellner
Daniel Robert Walters	*Donald C. Zimmerman
Charles James Wetzel	†Carol Ann Mary Ziomek
Gretchen Winfield	Henry J. Zoltewicz

## TERMINAL DIVISION

\*Samia T. El-Ashry

\*Elaine Marie Zarosky

\**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.*

# STUDENT AWARDS

These awards were presented to students for outstanding achievement at a special luncheon on May 11, 1972, at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts.

Dobson Medal in Accounting ..... *Stanley P. Januszewski*  
(Established in 1948 by the late Mr. W. F. Dobson, C.P.A.)

Beacon Female and Male

Athlete of the Year ..... *Kathleen E. Davies*  
*Theodore T. Yeager*

Biology Department Beaker Award ..... *Richard H. Sunday*

Biology Department Scholar Award ..... *Joanne T. Schreibmaier*

Biological Society Award to the Sophomore

with Highest Average ..... *Joye A. Martin*

Blood Donor Awards

(to organizations with highest percentage participating)

Women's Dormitory ..... *Weiss Hall*

Men's Dormitory ..... *Grissom House*

Club ..... *Letterwomen's*

Class ..... *Class of '74*

Chemistry Award to Outstanding

Senior Chemistry Student ..... *Ann Marie Latona*

Chemistry Award to Outstanding

Freshman Chemistry Student ..... *Francis A. Kerdesky*

# STUDENT AWARDS

- Chemical Society Award to Freshman  
with Highest Average in Chemistry ..... *Francis A. Kerdesky*
- Engineering Department Medal ..... *Stanley M. Shelosky*
- Faculty Women's Eleanor Coates  
Farley Scholarship ..... *Joyce A. Andrejko*
- Fine Arts Department Award ..... *Joyce Boyle*
- Inter-Dormitory Council's Outstanding  
Female and Male Dormitory Students ..... *Margaret L. Tomaselli*  
*George F. Pagliaro*
- International Club Award ..... *Mary Cheung*
- Letterwomen's Scholarship Award ..... *Laraine R. Mancuso*
- Mathematics Department  
Ramanujan Prize ..... *Andrew J. Bowalick*  
*Michael E. Palko*
- Mathematics Department Senior Award ..... *Kathryn E. Krute*
- Sinawik Club Award  
(Women of Kiwanis) ..... *Joan M. Shurmanek*

# STUDENT AWARDS

## Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges —

Donald Ball	Julie Levoy
Harry Bielecki	Richard Lukesh
Barbara Bilinkas	Michael Mariani
Lucinda Bryant	Barbara McNicholl
Linda Burkhardt	George Pagliaro
Mary Covine	Mark Paikin
Michael Daney	Alphonso Pellegrini
Jacqueline Falk	Ross Piazza
Michael Gallagher	Rita Ryneski
Janet Golaszewski	Joan Shurmanek
Dennis Gourley	Elizabeth Stolfi
Peter Herbst	Richard Sunday
Ronald Hickson	Joseph Treacy
Kathleen Katarynick	Judithann Walsh
John Kerr	Theodore Yeager
Stephen Kubricki	Alan Zellner
Ronald Labenski	

## Women's Activities Association Awards —

Barbara Aulisio	Janice Nalepa
Teresa Brown	Elizabeth Ricci
Rose Ditchkus Dale	Elizabeth Roche
Linda Emershaw	Felicia Zawatski
Kathleen Katarynick	

## 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