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Gardner-Webb College

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BOILING SPRINGS, NORTH CAROLINA

Students to preach

Religious Emphasis Week begins today

This year's Religious Emphasis Week has been incorporated with the Student-Led Revival. Two required

ner-Webb.

After graduation, Bobby will be married to Rhonda Josey, also a student here, in June of 1977. They will both attend Southern Seminary.

As a high school student, Bobby always wanted to be a basketball coach. However, after being involved in the church most of his life

cause "I felt Gardner-Webb was the place to be to serve the Lord."

Bobby's plans for the immediate future are to attend Southern Seminary in the fall. After that he hopes to begin a full-time pastorate.

Originally, Bobby had planned to study electrical servicing at a technical institute. "I hadn't really surrendered to the Lord," says Bobby. But he came to realize that Gardner-Webb offered the necessary courses

val service will be preached by Keith Dixon. This senior religion major is from Siler City, N.C.

Keith transferred from Wingate Junior College at the end of his sophomore year because he wanted a "good, Christian education." He also was impressed with the caliber of the school and its Religion Department. The main factor, however, in his decision was "the guidance of the Lord."

Keith plans to attend Southeastern Seminary in the fall after working as a youth director in a church this summer. After that, he hopes to "go into the full-time pastoral ministry being

in the will of the Lord."

Keith enjoys any kind of sports and being able to meet and talk with people.

Rick Martin speaks on Thursday night. He is also a senior religion major, graduating in May. Rick's hometown is Portsmouth, Va.

This summer, Rick will tour with "Son Company" a Christian singing group consisting of students from Gardner-Webb. In the fall he plans to attend Southwestern Seminary.

Rick was a transfer from Madison College in Va. where he was studying to be a dentist. After one summer, he felt the Lord was calling him into Christian service and he found Gardner-Webb to be the place for him to go.

"I really appreciate Gardner-Webb. I have found a lot more meaning to life; a lot more purpose than I ever found before."



BOBBY GANTT

morning programs will be held along with four nightly services. The night programs will be held at 6 p.m. in Hamrick Auditorium.

The student preacher for the Monday night service is Bobby Gantt. Bobby is a senior religion major, and will graduate in December, 1976.

Bobby came to Gardner-Webb from Shelby. As he was growing up in the nearby town, he was impressed with the small school and the Christian atmosphere and decided to attend Gard-



BOBBY CLINE

and hearing the call to be a pastor, he realized that the ministry was his vocation.

The speaker for Tuesday night is Bobby Cline. Bobby is also a senior, graduating this May, with a major in Biblical Languages and Literature.

North, Myrtle Beach is Bobby's hometown. He came to Gardner-Webb be-

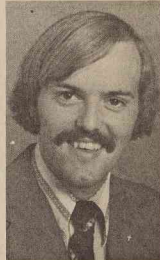


KEITH DIXON

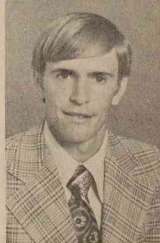
for a Christian vocation.

Bobby enjoys being in the outdoors, especially while fishing and participating in water sports.

Wednesday night's revi-



RICK MARTIN



GARY THREATT

The speaker for the Tuesday morning service is Gary Threatt. He is a senior religion major from Marshville, N.C.

After graduating in May, Gary plans to attend Southwestern Seminary. After seminary, his plans are to go into foreign missions.

Before coming to Gardner-Webb, Gary attended two other colleges. He was first at Pembroke State College majoring in Physical Education. Upon hearing the Lord's call to the ministry, he transferred to Tennessee Temple. Afterwards, Gary decided that Gardner-Webb was the place to complete his education.

Gary's main hobby or interest is running. He is a member of the track team here.

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SGA election results tabulated

Recently, elections for SGA offices were held. The following students were elected to positions: Bill Baucum, president; Debbie Hall, vice-president; Mackie Sinclair, secretary; Sherry Setzer, treasurer; and John Linderman, student center board chairman.

As the new SGA President, Bill Baucum made the following comments. "First of all, let me say thank you to all those who supported me in the election. Secondly, let me say that I really feel that the newly elected officers of the SGA for next year are going to be committed to working for you (the students).

"I feel that next year has the potential to be the greatest year ever for Gardner-Webb. I feel that student involvement with both administrators and faculty is one

of the keys to having a successful year," he stated.

"Great strides have been made towards bettering the atmosphere at Gardner-Webb; but I feel that much more can be done.

"One of my wishes next year is that students will work for students. Next year I want to work my hardest for the students and what they want as a student body and together I feel with their cooperation we can have a great year."

Rick Trexler, the outgoing SGA President said, "These newly elected Student Government officers are all of high caliber and are willing to work hard next year. Only with the support of the whole student body can anything be accomplished.

"Student Government has come a long way in the past few years. Now, more than

ever, is the voice of Student Government heard. This is the voice of all students through these officers."

Mr. Tom McGraw stated that "each officer has a contribution to make and I feel that they will do it."

Search Committee needs students

Dr. Robert Lamb, faculty representative for the Trustees' Search committee for a new college president, has expressed a desire that students indicate their ideas of what qualifications the new President should have.

Mr. R. Patrick Spangler, chairman of the search committee, has requested that Dr. Lamb work with Rick Trexler to present opinions of the student to the committee.

"We are concerned first of all," says Mr. Spangler, "to know what students believe are the qualifications needed by the person who will be President. We would like to have those suggestions by Tuesday, April 6, if possible. Later, we will be happy to consider any specific names students may recommend."

"I feel my purpose," says Dr. Lamb, "is to clearly transmit to the committee whatever the students choose to tell me."

Any student who has a suggestion should forward it to Dr. Lamb or to Rick Trexler.