

Class Of 1990



Starting A New Decade

Headed To The 21st Century

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234 KMHS Seniors Receive Diplomas

Diplomas were awarded to 234 graduating seniors of the Class of 1990 of Kings Mountain Senior High School May 29 in John Gamble Memorial Football Stadium.

Commencement exercises began on May 27 with the baccalaureate sermon in Barnes Auditorium.

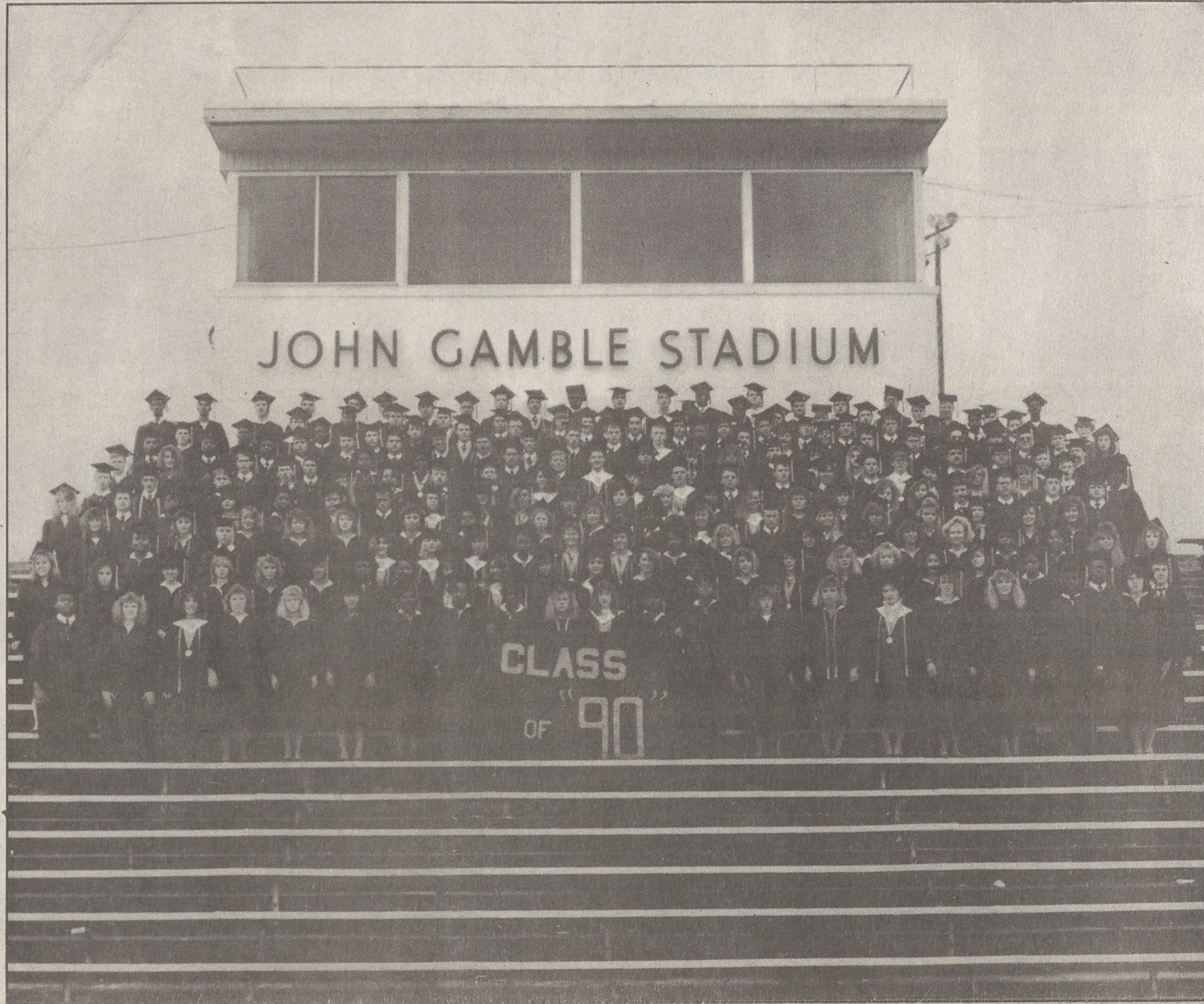
Seniors took part in the program for the finals exercises.

At the baccalaureate program, Rev. David Philbeck, pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church, delivered the sermon. Assisting on the program were Rev. John Heath, pastor of East Kings Mountain Church of God; Rev. Robert Little, pastor of Central United Methodist Church; Rev. John F. Bridges, pastor of Grover First Baptist Church; and Rev. Larry Dixon, pastor of Grover Long Branch First Baptist Church.

Officers of the Class of 1990 participated in finals exercises. They included: President Rivers Smith who introduced the Class of 1990; Secretary Ashley Champion who presented honor graduates; Treasurer Carmen Smith who presented the class gift; and Vice President Scott Belcher who pronounced the benediction. SPO President John Hendricks IV gave the welcome. The Choral Union of KMSHS presented special music. Acceptance of the class gift was made by School Board Chairman Doyle Campbell. Noi Ouaneoudone gave the invocation.

Chief Marshal Michael Jordan assisted Principal Jackie Lavender and Supt. Bob McRae in presenting diplomas. Other marshals are Charles Bridges, Matthew Bunch, Heather Caveny, Susan Hendricks, Sharon Horton, Nicole Jackson, Adella Robertson, Vincent Walker, Angela Whitaker, Derick Williams and Robbie Wilson.

The class motto was "Each of us is the accumulation of our memories." The class colors are black and gold. The class flower was yellow rose and the class song was "I Remember you." Class sponsors were Mrs. Peggy Baird, Mrs. Linda Dixon, Mrs. Pam Goforth, Steve Lazenby, Mrs. Barbara Lovelace, Mrs. Elizabeth Throop, Mrs. Brenda Neal, Miss Annette Parker, Mrs. Jaquitha Reid, Mrs. Donna Russ, and Mrs. Sheila Sisk.



Kings Mountain Senior High Class Of 1990

Members of the Class of 1990 are: Leighanne Adams, Fidell Adams, Jerri Adams, Richard Adams, Keith Allen, Lisa Allen, Jamison Anderson, Karen Anthony, Renee Barber, Shea Barber, Crystal Barnett, Ayana Barton, Garnet Basarath, Gregory Beckwith, Scott Belcher, April Bennett, Bradley Benton, Donna Biddix, David Black, Michelle Black, Candice Bowen, Gerhard Bowen, James Bowles, Paul Brannon, Chad Bridges, Rebecca

Bridges, Susie Bridges, Wendy Bridges, Amanda Brooks, Ametria Brown, Keith Brown, Sherita Brown, Stephanie Brown, Lisa Buckner, Christopher Bullock, Lonnie Burgess, Karin Bush, Marc Byers, Richard Byers, Virginia Caldwell, Amanda Camp, Larry Carroll, Randolph Cash, Tina Cavény, Ashley Champion, Joseph Champion, April Clifton, Sharon Cobb, Peggy Cochran, Allen Condey, Donnie Conner, Gregory Crank, Lesley Crank, Calvin

Crawford, Michelle Crawford and Stacy Crocker.

Also: Steven Crocker, Iris Curry, Allison Davis, Donald Davis, Randy Davis, Velma Degree, Bryan Dellinger, Kevin Dellinger, Robert Depew, David Disabato, Krishawn Dismel, Amy Dixon, Jason Doherty, Ashley Dover, Veronica Drum, Christine Foad, Charles Formica, John Forrest, James Fowler, Sheila Fowler, Reginald Gamble, Darryl Gash, Ashley Gillespie, James

Goad, Stacy Godfrey, Brady Goforth, Christopher Goforth, Latoya Gordon, Ray Graham, Stephanie Graham, Wesley Grayson, James Green, Michael Green, Charles Greene, Rebecca Greene, Jwalea Griffin, Roy Guinn, Darian Hager, Lori Hall, Kimberly Hamm, Charlene Hardin, Tommy Harrelson, Ronald Hawkins, John Heath, Michael Heffner, John Hendricks, Christopher Henson, Wendy Hicks, Jerry Hill, Angela Hillman,

Danyell Holland, Thomas Hollifield, Leigh Ann Humphries, Larry Honeycutt, Kimberly Hudson, Jeffery Huffstetler and Shane Jackson.

Also: Katherine Jenkins, Traci Johnson, Jennifer Jones, Laurana King, Thomas King, Gary Kiser, May Kue, Kay Lackey, Vilachack Ladara, Forrest Lail, Patrick Layton, Chad Leigh, Matthew Lewis, Tracie Lewis, Amy Little, Jermaine Littlejohn, Crystal Livingstone, David Lockridge, Andre Logan, Phouvieng Luangsay, Angela Lee Mace, LeeAnn Masters, Rodgerick McClain, Jermaine McCluney, Janelle McCoy, Vernon McDaniel, Tonya McDowell, Elizabeth McIntyre, Dale McKinney, James McKinney, Deon McNeal, Jeffery McNeely, Juliet McRae, Denise Meeks, Cynthia Moore, Allen Moore, Sherry Moore, David Morgan, Paul Morris, Kenneth Moss, Jon Murray, Joseph Murray, Renee Myers, Angela Neal, Angela Newsome, Nirouboh Ouaneoudone.

Alison Parizo, Angel Parker, Bobby Parker, Daniel Parker, Michael Paysour, Eric Peppard, Tonya Petty, Gary Philbeck, Chad Plonk, Chris Plonk, Chris Putnam, Cristi Putnam, Carla Ramsey, Kevin Randall, Jonathan Reid, Richard Rippy, Timothy Rippy, Christopher Robbins, Marcus Roberts, Lynn Roseboro, Eric Ross, Rodney Ruff, Tessie Ruff, Thomas Ruff, David Saldo, Michael Sanders, Jason Scates, Christa Schultheiss, Lori Seawright, Michael Sessoms, Eric Simpson, Charles Sisk, Laine Smith, Carmen Smith, Rivers Smith, Leonard Smith Mark Smith, Quan Smith, Shannon Smith, David Stout, Angela Subler, Tracy Sullens, Christopher Swanson, Sandra Tesseneer, Catina Thompson, James Thompson, Tamala Thompson, Amy Turner, Robert Wade, Kimberly Ware, Stacy Watterson, Vinona Watts, Lisa Webb, Kathy Webster, Travis Wells, Lori White, Casey Wiggins, Alan Williams, Francina Williams, John Willis, Kathy Wilson, Stephanie Wilson, Ernest Wright, Leonard Wright, Linda Wright, Jimmy Yarborough, Jerry Yarbo, Sherry Yarbro and Donna Young.

Meet The Top Two KMHS Graduates

Betsy McIntyre

Elizabeth Adams (Betsy) McIntyre has successfully combined good grades with plenty of interests during her high school career and ranks No. 1 in the Class of 1990 at Kings Mountain Senior High School.

Not only is Betsy tops academically, but she ranks high in popularity with students and in extra-curricular activities on campus and in the community.

In addition to her top marks at school, she has received high marks as a volunteer at Kings Mountain Hospital where she helped organize the Girls Auxiliary and was president of Candystrippers. She also serves as a Red Cross volunteer, volunteers at Mauney Memorial Library and has represented her church-St. Matthew's Lutheran-at numerous state youth conventions.

Betsy gives much credit to her parents, Lee and Beth McIntyre, her brother, Trey, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Houser and Mrs. Lee A. McIntyre Sr., as well as her church family and teachers, for their encouragement and love and calls organization of time a key to her academic success.

Miss McIntyre feels that setting priorities will be high on her list of goals when she enters the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill this fall to pursue a career as a pharmacist. She wants to combine a career with marriage and a family and because she has always wanted a career in medicine opted for training as a pharmacist. "I thought about a medical career but I want to have some time for family," she said.

Betsy likes to read, enjoys tennis and modeling. Summers find her working at Sadie Mill, where her father is general manager, and attending Broyhill Leadership Institute, Summer Ventures in Science and Mathematics at Western Carolina University, and participating in church conferences. She also attended Presidential Classroom in Washington, D.C. and was a Morehead scholarship nominee. She received the "I Dare You" leadership award and was a Governor's School nominee in the performing arts area. She served as president of the National Honor Society, was active in Beta Club all four years of high school, was chief marshal, and served as secretary-treasurer of the concert band. Betsy played in the band four years, was in the pep band and flag squad three years. She was



BETSY MCINTYRE

active in French, Science, Key Clubs and Fellowship of Christian Athletes, in addition to other clubs on campus. She was on the tennis team four years.

Betsy admits she has mixed emotions about graduating high school but she is ready for college. She was notified months ago of her acceptance at Carolina and is counting the days when she can enroll as a freshman. She's recipient of a \$2,000 scholarship from the Lutz Foundation and a \$500 scholarship from Service Merchandise.

After high school graduation, she plans to celebrate with a vacation trip to the beach with her family.

Ashley Champion

Versatile and talented, Ashley Champion ranks No. 2 in a class of 234 graduating seniors at Kings Mountain Senior High School.

Not only does Ashley rank tops scholastically, but she has excelled in dozens of community and church activities. Her personality and friendliness earns her high marks with friends on and off campus.

Family and church have high priorities with Ashley, who says her family's active role in her school activities have encouraged her to attain high marks. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion and she has three brothers, Chris, Kevin and Justin.

A Presidential Alumni Scholar to Clemson University, she is recipient of a \$4,400 scholarship for each of the four years she plans to study at Clemson. She has an undeclared major but plans to get a degree in liberal arts.

Ashley plans to celebrate graduation from high school by going on a shopping spree, one of the fun things she likes to do with friends and family. Then, she will work this summer as a clerical assistant at her father's business, Champion Contracting Company, and as a sales clerk at Incredible Chocolate Chip Cookie Company and start packing for college.

A member of Oak Grove Baptist Church, she sings in the choir and participates in youth group. She has also been active in White Shrines Club events for four years and was White Plains Shrine Queen in 1986. She lettered four years on the Girls tennis team at KMHS and was co-captain her senior year. She also lettered in girls softball four years.

Ashley attended Governor's School West in 1989 and Tar Heel Girls State in 1989. She was a North Carolina Scholar Athlete in tennis and softball all four years, played on the all-conference team in tennis, won the Mountaineer Doubles Award, and was a Morehead nominee. She was on the honor roll all four years of high school and in Beta Club, serving as treasurer her senior year. She was a member of All-State Band and was in the marching band three years, the concert band four years, the pep band three years and the flag squad three years. She was also a member of the Monogram, Key, Pep, Drama, French and Key Clubs and active in Fellowship of Christian Athletes.



ASHLEY CHAMPION

She was a National Semi-finalist in the Coca Cola Scholars program and senior class secretary.

"Both young ladies who rank No. 1 and 2 in the Senior class have organized their skills in a magnificent way to be able to make top grades and carry all the weighted courses and extra-curricular activities they do with such ease," said Mrs. Doyle Campbell, guidance counselor.

Ashley admits mixed emotions at graduating high school. She's sure she will miss the many friends she has made over the years but she's ready to begin a bright, new future.