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LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY

Conferring of Degrees

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE CLASS OF 1979-A

SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 27, 1979

NINE O'CLOCK, THE UNIVERSITY CHURCH

ARTHUR W. WEAVER

Chief, Head and Neck Section, Surgical Service
Veterans Administration Medical Center

A graduate of Pacific Union College (B.A. 1948) and Loma Linda University (M.D. 1952), Dr. Weaver became a Diplomate of the American Board of Surgery in 1960 and a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons in 1969. He has held positions in clinical supervision and administration since 1961. His medical career began with the private practice of surgery (Pontiac, Michigan 1958-61). He served as chief of surgery at the Karachi Seventh-day Adventist Hospital (Karachi, Pakistan 1961-66); and later as staff surgeon, chief of surgical service, and chief of the head and neck section of surgical service at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Allen Park, Michigan (1966-present). He joined the faculty of Wayne State University School of Medicine in 1967, becoming associate professor of surgery in 1971, and was chairman of the Dean's Committee Task Force (1972-75). During the past ten years Dr. Weaver has voluntarily organized and conducted more than 300 Stop Smoking Clinics. It is estimated that as many as 75,000 people have stopped smoking through the encouragement of programs with which he has been associated. He is the author of numerous articles; recipient of many awards; and active in professional, religious, and civic affairs.

THE MACE. Traditionally the ceremonial mace represents the authority vested in the highest officer of a governing body. In an educational institution, the authority symbolized by the mace derives from respect for the authority of knowledge and for the rights and value of the individual. Thus, the leader of an academic community assumes the obligation and challenge to ensure for its members a climate conducive to growth in knowledge and grace.

The construction of the ceremonial mace of Loma Linda University evokes further ideas. Its two metals, bronze and aluminum, suggest the value of lessons both ancient and contemporary. Rather than lying prone, an instrument to be wielded, this mace stands upright in celebration of the free human spirit. Its open construction implies free exposure to questions, ideas, and conflict. The eight vertical supporting elements (at three points bound together as for strength and stability in unity) uphold a graceful oval that points outward to the universe, the province of inquiry.

Within the oval, the University seal appears to float unfettered. The caduceus on the left represents all fields of the healing arts and sciences. The broken sword on the right implies mercy in the sense of selflessness and restraint from acts and attitudes of self-aggrandizement and destructiveness. The open book suggests God the Word as the basis for all truth. The lighted torch symbolizes the illuminating power of knowledge and the University's central purpose of forwarding and perpetuating good through the enlightened, searching, caring mind and conscience of the individual.

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

SUNDAY MORNING

The Commencement Marshal
with the University Mace

The President's Party

The Faculty of the School of Dentistry

The Candidates for Degrees

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

May twenty-seven, nine o'clock, The University Church, Loma Linda campus



PRELUDE KAREN REARDON, organ
Prelude and Fugue in G Major . . . *Bach*

ACADEMIC PROCESSION DONALD L. PETERS, Commencement Marshal, leading
WALTER S. HAMERSLOUGH, JOHN T. HAMILTON, and R. BRUCE WILCOX,
Associate Marshals assisting
The audience is requested to clear the aisles and remain seated
Rigaudon . . . *Campra*

INVOCATION CARROL SMALL

WELCOME V. NORSKOV OLSEN, President of the University

MUSICAL SELECTION TERENCE CHAN, 1st violin
MICHAEL CHEEK, viola
Andante Cantabile . . . *Tchaikovsky*
NORMAN LOW, 2nd violin
DAVID CHEEK, cello

INTRODUCTION G. GORDON HADLEY, Dean of the School

ADDRESS ARTHUR W. WEAVER, M.D.
Associate Professor of Surgery
Wayne State University School of Medicine
CONTENDING WITH HORSEMEN

CLASS RESPONSE PAUL G. KOLES

<i>INTRODUCTION OF CLASS</i>	EDWIN H. KRICK
<i>PRESENTATION OF CLASS</i>	NORMAN J. WOODS, Vice President for Academic Administration
<i>CONFERRING OF DEGREES</i>	THE PRESIDENT
<i>AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS AND CHARGE TO THE CLASS</i>	THE DEAN WILLIAM M. HOOKER, Associate Dean of the School
<i>PHYSICIAN'S OATH</i>	CLIFTON D. REEVES
<i>BENEDICTION</i>	RICHARD W. MARTIN, Class Pastor
<i>ACADEMIC RECESSION</i>	Toccata (Symphony V) . . . <i>Widor</i> The audience is requested to remain seated and keep aisles clear during the recession

Because the School provides a color photograph of the graduate taken at the time of diploma presentation, guests are asked to reserve picture-taking until after the program.

DOCTOR OF MEDICINE

- Mihran Nicholas Ask
Stanley August Aufdemberg
B.A. Loma Linda University 1968
M.Div. Andrews University Theological Seminary
- Catherine Dutton Bacheller
B.A. Southern Missionary College 1975
- George H. Barakat
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Ronald Milton Barnes
B.A. Oakwood College 1975
- James Alan Barnhart
B.S. Southwestern Union College 1975
- Mary Kathleen Barnhart
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Douglas Eugene Bertleson
B.A. Walla Walla College 1975
- John Edward Bohlman
B.A. Walla Walla College 1975
- Hans-Peter Boksberger
B.S. Southern Missionary College 1975
- Brian Michael Bothe
B.A. Andrews University 1975
- Melva Joan Brown
B.A. Oakwood College 1970
M.S. Loma Linda University 1976
- George Bruce Carrico
B.A. Southwestern Union College 1970
- Terence Tat-Yin Chan
B.S. Pacific Union College 1976
- Michael Golden Cheek
B.S. Pacific Union College 1976
- Sharon Sun-Duen Cheng
B.PHARM. University of Sydney 1969
- Lawrence Erwin Clark
B.A. Pacific Union College 1975
- Byron Edwin Conner
B.A. California State College at San Bernardino 1976
- David Alan Dassenko
B.A. Andrews University 1975
- Keith Arlyn Fenderson
B.S. University of California at Riverside 1976
- James William Figus
B.A. State University of New York at Buffalo 1975
- Carol Elizabeth Fisk
B.S. Andrews University 1974
- Joseph Kenneth Fluence
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Bruce Timothy Gipe
B.A. Point Loma College 1976
- James Cameron Haak
B.A. Atlantic Union College 1976
- Daniel Louis Hiersche
- Sheila Kathleen Horsley
B.A. Columbia Union College 1975
- Ricky Lee Jackson
B.S. Pacific Union College 1976
- Geoffrey Leroy Jones
B.A. Columbia Union College 1975
- Randolph Arthur Knight
B.S. Pacific Union College 1975
- Paul Gregory Koles
B.A. Andrews University 1975
- Terren Burgess Koles
B.S. Andrews University 1976
- Pamela June Lammers
B.A. Loma Linda University 1976
- John Dixon Looper
B.S. Arizona State University 1975
- Norman Dale Low
B.S. Pacific Union College 1976
- Gerald Arthur McMullen
B.S. Pacific Union College 1976
- Richard Walton Martin
B.S. Loma Linda University 1976
- Michelle Lori Miller Meyer
B.A. Walla Walla College 1975
- Charles Walter Mitchell
B.S. Loma Linda University 1976
- Alan Arthur Nelson
B.A. Loma Linda University 1975
- Claudia Kristelle Nelson
B.A. Pacific Union College 1973
- Richard Shiu-Yik Ng
B.S. Loma Linda University 1979
- John Ellsworth Osborne
B.S. Pacific Union College 1975
- Allan Wilfred Perry, Jr.
B.S. Pacific Union College 1975
- Karen McKinney Reardon
PH.D. University of Southern California 1973
- Nicholas Edward Reiber
B.S. Andrews University 1975
- Dennis Dean Reinke
B.S. Union College 1976
- Dennis Lee Rich
B.S. Loma Linda University 1971
- Calvin John Rick
B.S. Southwestern Union College 1975
- Jorge Luis Rivera
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Kenneth Arthur Rose
B.S. Loma Linda University 1976
- James Robert Rosenthal
- Claudio A. Rossol
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Dwight Allen Scarborough
B.S. Andrews University 1975
- Ray Clayton Smith III
B.S. Andrews University 1975
- Elisabeth Christine Specht
B.A. Loma Linda University 1974
- Rio Tjien-Tek Sutikno-Ong
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Sigve Tonstad
B.A. Andrews University 1974
- Serena Hasso Tonstad
B.A. Middle East College 1972
- Tom Saeed Tooma
B.S. Loma Linda University 1975
- Wendell Alan Wall
B.S. Union College 1975
- Michael Webster
B.S. Pacific Union College 1975
- Harold Kenneth West, Jr.
B.S. Southern Missionary College 1975
- Larry Dale Whitcomb
B.S. Southern Union College 1976

AWARDS

Alpha Omega Alpha Members: TERENCE T. CHAN, MICHAEL G. CHEEK, KEITH A. FENDERSON, PAUL G. KOLES, GERALD A. McMULLEN, RICHARD W. MARTIN, MICHELLE L. MEYER, DENNIS D. REINKE, JORGE L. RIVERA, LARRY D. WHITCOMB.

Daniel Comstock Award: SERENA H. TONSTAD.
The Donald E. Griggs Award: SIGVE TONSTAD.
The Harold J. Hoxie Award: DAVID A. DASSENKO.
The President's Award: SERENA H. TONSTAD

I solemnly pledge myself to consecrate my life to the service of humanity.
I will give to my teachers the respect and gratitude which is their due.
I will practice my profession with conscience and dignity.
The health of my patient will be my first consideration.
I will respect the secrets which are confided in me.
I will maintain, by all means in my power, the honor and the noble traditions
of the medical profession.
My colleagues will be my brothers.
I will not permit considerations of religion, nationality, race, party, politics,
or social standing to intervene between my duty and my patient.
I will maintain the utmost respect for human life, from the time of conception; even
under threat I will not use my medical knowledge contrary to the laws of humanity.
I make these promises solemnly, freely, and upon my honor.

[GENEVA 1948]



I begin once more my daily work. Be thou with me, Almighty Father of Mercy, in all my efforts to heal the sick. For without thee, man is but a helpless creature. Grant that I may be filled with love for my art and for my fellowmen. May the thirst for gain and the desire for fame be far from my heart. For these are the enemies of Pity and the ministers of Hate. Grant that I may be able to devote myself, body and soul, to thy children who suffer from pain.

Preserve my strength, that I may be able to restore the strength of the rich and the poor, the good and the bad, the friend and the foe. Let me see in the sufferer the man alone. When wiser men teach me, let me be humble to learn; for the mind of man is so puny and the art of healing is so vast. But when fools are ready to advise me or to find fault with me, let me not listen to their folly. Let me be intent upon one thing, O Father of Mercy, to be always merciful to thy suffering children.

May there never rise in me the notion that I know enough, but give me strength and leisure and zeal to enlarge my knowledge. Our work is great and the mind of man presses forward forever. Thou hast chosen me in thy grace to watch over the life and death of thy creatures. I am about to fulfill my duties. Guide me in this immense work so that it may be of avail.

[MAIMONIDES]