

CENTRAL BIBLE COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER
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FOR THE TRAINING OF MINISTERS AND MISSIONARIES

ALUMLIFE-JULY/AUGUST 2008

Homecoming 2008

Leadership In Action

Honored Classes:

- 1948–60 years
- 1958–50 years
- 1968–40 years
- 1978–30 years
- 1983–25 years
- 1988–20 years
- 1998–10 years
- 2003–5 years

**Join us at CBC
 October 30-31, 2008**

Thursday—October 30th

Alumni Chapel -

Featuring Alumnus of the Year for
 Missions Leadership—Loren Cunningham

Lunch in Dining Commons

Campus Tours

Breakout Sessions

Homecoming Banquet

Friday—October 31

Alumni Chapel -

Featuring Young Alumnus of the Year
 Capt. David Haltom

Decade Luncheons

1930's- 1950's

1960's- 1970's

1980's-1990's

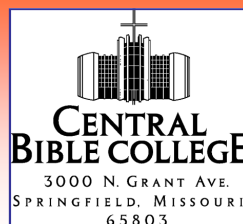
2000's

Spartan Basketball Game

"A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way." ~ John C. Maxwell

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Online Registration Opens August 18	On Campus Registration August 25	HOMECOMING October 30-31, 2008
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Donald Dean **Smeeton** ('67) was elected president of the Association of Christian Librarians at its annual conference at Boston, MA. ACL, with a membership of over 500, provides professional development and spiritual refreshment for its members. It works closely with the Association of Biblical Higher Education to implement standards to strengthen the libraries in schools like CBC.

Shannon ('01) and Hollie (Slagle, '02) **Zabroski** recently moved to Dayton, OH. After Shannon's graduation from AGTS with an M.Div., he accepted a position at Christian Life Center as the Director of Family Ministries.



Brent & Laura (**Fritsche**'01) Brollier were married in 2003. They have a son, Ethan Scott (Aug 2005) and a daughter Claire Cerise (Feb 2008). They will begin classes at Graduate Institute of Applied Linguistics (GIAL) this fall and serve as Missionary Recruits (in training) with Pioneer Bible Translators, in Duncanville, Texas. Their future plans are to serve overseas and translate the Bible into another language.

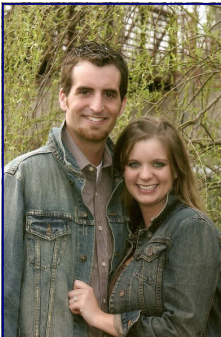


Robert M. **Cirtin** ('81) has authored a book, **Church Safety and Security, A Practical Guide**, CSS Publishing Company, Inc. It is reviewed in the Fall '08 issue of **Enrichment Journal**.

David ('78) & Debbie (Pinion) **Amsler** are beginning their first term in Guatemala after 16 years as the District Youth Director in Kentucky and nearly 30 years of youth ministry in total.



Rev. Scott & Rev. Nicole (Moore) **Cramer** (both '07) are youth and music pastors at Realife Assembly in Salem, OH.



Eric ('02) and Leila (Nayem, '01) **Ojala** are U.S. Missionaries. They moved to Summit County, Colorado, in January with the goal of planting a church that will plant churches all over the mountain communities of Colorado, and through the internationals who work on the ski resorts, all over the world.



BLAST FROM THE PAST

CBC GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY



Guess the Year??

Richard Schoonover was the first to guess that Central Bible College celebrated its "Golden Anniversary" in 1972. Richard had a jump on this question since he was the CUP photographer that year and shot historical photos for the yearbook and also developed them himself. He used a 4 by 5 camera and taped the pictures to the wall. Anyone with a 1972 yearbook should pull it out and take a look. Richard put his experience to good use and is currently Associate Editor for *Enrichment Journal*. Congratulations! Your CBC "no stress man" is in the mail.

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Daniel and Catherine (White) **Walls** (both '81) attend the Cathedral of the Hills A/G in Edmond, OK, where Cayt is active in the Worship Arts ministry. She is currently working at the University of Central Oklahoma in the Employee Relations & Development Department.



Rev. Rebecca (Becca) **Henslee** ('98) is now the Women's Teen Challenge Director for all the women's facilities in the state of Kentucky. Previously she opened the Teen Challenge center for women in Evansville, IN. Her years at CBC and then at AGTS were essential parts of the journey that God has been walking her through. She has been encouraged and blessed to begin working with a recent graduate of CBC, Samantha **Stroub** ('08). Becca sees evidence that God continues to anoint the CBC staff to train and prepare more people for ministry.



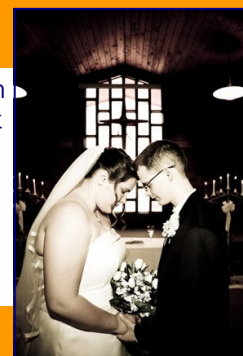
Michael J. G. **Pahls** ('94) is preparing his dissertation for a Ph.D. in Historical Theology at Saint Louis University. He serves a local parish in O'Fallon as their Vicar. He was received as a priest into the Anglican Communion (province of Rwanda) last year after a decade or so of church ministry as a Presbyterian. He and his wife, Tracy, have two daughters, Abigail and Lily.

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Lives United

Sarah **Sova** ('07) and Rev. Timothy **Hasty** ('08) were united in marriage on June 7, 2008 in Maryville, IL. Sarah works as the Administrative Assistant to the Director for Alumni Relations at CBC and Tim works at AG Financial Solutions. They both serve at Grace Assembly in Rogersville, MO.



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New Life

Fallon Barbara was born on February 22, 2008 to Brad and Amy (Burke) **Nicar** (both '96). Fallon is joining her 2 year old brother Ridge. Brad is the new Senior Pastor at First Assembly in Pauls Valley, OK.

Lincoln Caleb was born on May 22, 2008 to LaDawna (Ferguson, '99) and Leo **Crosby** ('00). He joins big brother Levi Colton (17 months). LaDawna is a stay at home mom while Leo is the Director of Consulting Services for New Iron Media (a leading business consulting firm for the faith-based market.. www.newironmedia.com)



Myah Kathrine, born on November 15, 2007, was welcomed by Scott ('00) and Sarah (Wheeler) **Berkey**. Myah joins big sister Madeline—3.

Hunter Derek Peggins was born June 10, 2008 to Kenny and Ashley (Vasher, '07) **Peggins**. Ashley is substitute teaching while attending Evangel and working on her masters. Kenny is working full time at CBC while finishing up his degree.



Isaac Scott, May 5, 2008 is the first biological child of Rachele and Jeremy **Joy** (both '03). They have 2 permanently placed foster children, Robert Warner—3, and TaShawna Tuckta—2, whom they received guardianship of on December 20, 2007.



Rev. George John DeTellis ('58), loving husband of 48 years to Jeanne DiPietro, passed away at his home in Orlando, Florida, on June 26, 2008. He was the founder of New Missions as well as being a missionary in Haiti for 18 years and the Dominican Republic for 8 years.

Charles Pratte ('74) went to be with the Lord on July 12, 2008. He was married to Nellie (Joan) Bears for 57 years and was a faithful member of Morrisville A/G in Morrisville, MO.

Reverend C. Byron Personeus ('40), went to be with the Lord on June 21, 2008, in Port Orchard, WA. He was born to AG Missionaries. He served in many different ministries throughout his lifetime including: prison ministry, ministry to servicemen during WWII, boat ministry in SE Alaska, as well as pastoring.

C. Earl Stubbs ('68), former missionary to India, passed away on July 15, 2008. He was married to Arlene for 41 years.

Brothers, we do not want you to be ignorant about those who fall asleep or to grieve like the rest of men who have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and rose again and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him. I Thessalonians 4:13-14



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WHAT'S YOUR STORY?

PATRICIA (YUHA) HAMMOND ('73)



I can't believe I took off on a 1,000 mile journey to spend 4 years at a campus I had never seen. My pastor and his wife (Rev. and Mrs. D. Leroy Whiteman - both '50) were graduates of CBC. After listening to their stories for several years, I had a great desire to go there.

I spent months looking over the CBC catalog. I practically memorized the faces of the faculty and almost felt that I knew my way around campus. I was so sure I belonged there, that it was the only school to which I applied. The big day finally came. My family helped

pack me and we tried to make the trip into a vacation. As we approached the campus and the famous water tower appeared, I could barely contain my excitement. All of the buildings I had studied in the catalog for months came into view. After an emotional "good-bye," I was left to get settled into my new room on the 3rd floor of Bowie Hall. Homesickness began to set in as I realized that I would not see my family until Christmas vacation. After registration, I was ready to begin classes. The first order of the day was chapel and we entered the old Taber-

nacle for our first official service. This was the last year chapel would be held in this building, as construction of the new E.S. Williams Chapel was underway. I found a seat and looked around. Everything seemed surreal, and I wondered what I had gotten myself into. Eventually the music started playing, and the faculty filed in and took their seats. One by one, I placed their faces: "That's Bro. Harris! That looks like Bro. Henderson! That must be Sis. Armstrong! Dr. Stanley Horton! Brother Drake, the Registrar....Dr. Johns, the Dean of Students....Philip Crouch, the

President."

The music got louder, and we began to sing: "His name is Wonderful; His name is Wonderful; His name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord...." I will never forget that moment or the feelings which enveloped me. I felt the warmth of His presence, the power of His Spirit, and the fellowship of my brothers and sisters. I was home!

Editor's note: After receiving Pat's original email I looked her up in the yearbook. It turns out she was my hall counselor on B2E my first semester. How fun to reconnect with classmates and find what they've been up to over the years! For Pat's un-edited story and an update on her life, go to www.cbcag.edu/alumni