

*Southwestern
Institute of Technology*

*Forty-Third
Annual Commencement*

Summer

July 20--July 22, 1947

Weatherford, Oklahoma

Baccalaureate Services

College Amphitheater

Sunday, July 20, 1947

8:30 P. M.



Processional College Orchestra
E. E. Mason, Director

“Lead On, O King Eternal” Henry Smart
Audience (Standing)

Invocation Reverend E. L. Schuerman
Pastor, Evangelical Church
Weatherford, Oklahoma

Scripture Reading Reverend John C. Blackman
Pastor, Federated Church
Weatherford, Oklahoma

“Thy Truth Which Never Varies” J. S. Bach
“Holy, Lord God” Noble Cain
“Hallelujah, Amen” from “Judas Maccabaeus” Handel
Mixed Chorus

Baccalaureate Sermon Reverend Robert Naylor
Pastor, First Methodist Church
Clinton, Oklahoma

Doxology Ken
Audience (Standing)

Benediction Reverend George Baker
Pastor, First Methodist Church
Weatherford, Oklahoma

Recessional College Orchestra
E. E. Mason, Director
Audience (Seated)

Commencement Exercises

College Amphitheater
Tuesday, July 22, 1947
8:30 P. M.



Processional..... College Orchestra
E. E. Mason, Director
Audience (Seated)

“America, the Beautiful”..... Samuel A. Ward
Audience

Invocation..... Reverend E. F. Ruff
Pastor, Zion Congregational Church
Weatherford, Oklahoma

“Clementine”..... Arranged by H. R. Wilson
“Rustling Leaves”..... Russian Folk Tune
“Dear Land of Home” from “Finlandia”..... Jean Sibelius
Mixed Chorus

Commencement Address..... Paul R. Taylor
Superintendent of Schools
El Reno, Oklahoma

Conferring of Degrees..... President R. H. Burton

“Alma Mater”..... Arnold

Benediction..... Reverend R. E. Cotton
Pastor, Church of the Nazarene
Weatherford, Oklahoma

Recessional..... College Orchestra
E. E. Mason, Director
Audience (Seated)

Class Roll

Bachelor of Arts in Education

Leslie Morris West	J. C. Hicks
Martin Roger Christian	Robert Wayne Johnston
Albert "Pete" Engel	Jerry R. Kirk
Daniel Erstis Friesen	Colleen Fanny Lewis
Ouida Ilo Harris	Otis LaMarr Ruyle
Yale William Sadler	

Bachelor of Science in Education

Wanda Slawson Alexander	Nola Pearl Logsdon
Minnie Cordell Anderson	Fay Mitchell McBride
Sidney Leo Armstrong	Leota Ben Clark McGann
Roy E. Ayres	Mae Anne McMillan
Ella Mae Beavers	Lois McClung Moad
Mavie Olene Lee Brown	Nellie Graham Miller
Eunice Catherine Burch	Lillian Jessie Myers
Clara Francis Combs	Carl Nikkel
Letha Graves Crowder	Wanda Ann Nippert
Cleo Curnutt Dickerson	Donalee Georgia Patton
Verda Elizabeth Duncan	Juanita Parker Reed
Robert Leroy Duvall	Rubye Stuart Roddy
Geraldine L. Fancher	Betty Jo Starnes Rogers
James Carl Fleming	Don Harold Royal
Gertrude Jamelia Gabehart	Helen E. Sanders
Marceline Parks Hardin	Ruth Hughes Shockley
Lucille Heidebrecht	Imogene Smith
Opal Louise Heriford	Alva Elizabeth Stalder
Helen L. Hetherington	Ida Edsall Stover
Herbert Pershing Hickerson	Mary Naomi Wilcox
Hallie Baker Hinger	George Denova Wilkes
Almeda Burton Hogan	Olye Mertye Willowby
Yvonne Ada Kimberlin	Hanna Ferne Zacharias

Bachelor of Science

Allen John Alexander	Billy Gene Bernhardt
Vera Mae Cole	

Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy

Dewey Hobson Adams	Cecil Dee Jones
Virginia Mae Fetter	Maxine Schultz
Raymond R. Scott	

Class Honors

Magna Cum Laude

J. C. Hicks

Cum Laude

Ella Mae Beavers

Martin Roger Christian