Three faculty members have been awarded Fulbright grants. They are Dr. Arthur E. Falk, professor of philosophy; Dr. Nancy E. Falk, professor of religion; and Dr. Richard W. Malott, professor of psychology.

Fulbright Scholars receive funds to travel abroad for two to ten months to conduct research, lecture, consult, and/or teach. More than 100 countries offer awards under the Fulbright program, which is funded and administered by the Council for International Exchange of Scholars. The Falks, husband and wife, are headed for India, where they will spend nine months. Malott departed for Peru in April and will return to the United States in August.

Arthur Falk, a member of Western's faculty since 1964, has been awarded a visiting lectureship at Jadavpur University in Calcutta. He will conduct workshops for junior faculty members and teach an undergraduate course involving logic and philosophy of science. Nancy Falk will hold a lectureship at the University of Delhi in Delhi and conduct research on women's perceptions and uses of traditional stories about ideal women. She joined the faculty in 1966.

Malott, who came to Western in 1966, is lecturing and conducting research at the University Femenina Sagrado Corazon.

Distinguished Alumni Award recipients announced

The Alumni Association proudly announces that Charles Ludlow and James Wyngaarden have been selected as the recipients of the 1984 Distinguished Alumni Award. Only sixty-two other Western alumni have received this prestigious award since its inception in 1963.

Charles Ludlow, who received his BS degree magna cum laude in 1950, retired July 1 as vice president and treasurer of the Upjohn Company. He joined the company upon graduation from Western as an accounting trainee. Fourteen years later, in 1964, he was named Upjohn's third treasurer in seventy-eight years.

In addition to his professional contributions to the Upjohn Company, Ludlow's resume, to quote a recent Kalamazoo Gazette article, "reads like a directory of Kalamazoo community groups and institutions." For the past eighteen years Ludlow has served as a member of the WMU Board of Trustees. A past chairman of the board, he is currently vice chairman and chairman of the Presidential Search Committee. He is also a trustee of the Kellogg Foundation Trust, and holds or has held leadership posts with Kalamazoo College, Senior Services, Inc., the Greater Kalamazoo United Way, the Girl Scouts, and other groups and institutions.

James Wyngaarden, named director of the National Institutes of Health in 1982 after being nominated by President Reagan and confirmed by the U.S. Senate, attended Western from 1943 to 1944. He received his M.D. degree cum laude from the University of Michigan in 1948.

Wyngaarden is responsible for the biochemistry research, research training, and biochemical communications activities of NIH. Its primary mission is to uncover new knowledge that will lead to better health. He has written or served as principal editor for five texts and reference books in the fields of metabolism and internal medicine. He has also served on the editorial boards of seven major scientific journals.

Homecoming highlights

Friday, October 5
• Class of 1959 reunion dinner, 7-10 p.m., Fetzer center
Saturday, October 6
• Sorority Coffee Hour: 9:30-11 a.m., University Student Center
• Homecoming Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., G. Victor Center (northeast corner)
• Football game against Illinois University: 1:00 p.m., Waldo Stadium
• Black alumni reception/dance: 4:00 p.m., Reception; 9:00 p.m., Dance, Kalamazoo Center

Calling today ... for today and tomorrow—Beginning September 10, these students and many more will be calling WMU alumni across the country seeking support for this year's annual fund campaign. They will also be updating alumni records. We hope you will respond positively and generously. Your gifts are tax deductible, reducing the net cost of your contribution. If you work for a matching gift company, you can double, sometimes triple, the impact of your support. You can help preserve quality education at your alma mater for the students of today and tomorrow.
Statistician named to Love Canal panel.

Using his expertise in statistics this summer, Dr. Michael R. Stoline and ten other scientists will develop the criteria for deciding if the Love Canal area near Niagara Falls, New York is habitable.

Stoline, a professor in the Department of Mathematics, was appointed to the panel of scientists from across the country by the New York Department of Health and the National Center for Disease Control. He was especially excited to be part of this activity because this is the first time such an assessment has been undertaken, "Stoline said.

Former President Jimmy Carter declared the residential area surrounding the Love Canal toxic-waste dumpsite an "emergency area" in 1980, and 800 families living there were relocated.

In May 1982, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) concluded that an environmental monitoring study in which it concluded the area was contaminated and was habitable. However, several citizens groups called for an independent scientific assessment of the validity of the study.

Involved in one of those groups was Roger Cook, who called on his brother, Dr. Richard Cook of Kalamazoo College's Department of Chemistry, for some professional advice. Cook, in turn, contacted his colleague Stoline for statistical help.

"Dr. Cook and I examined this study and found that we had serious reservations concerning the statistical methodology used in arriving at this conclusion of habitability," Stoline said.

Some of the reservations concerned inadequate control samples in the testing and sample size. "The EPA sampled the collected from the canal, from the declaration area, and from a control area that was free of contamination to make comparisons," Stoline said. "In collecting data from control area samp pumps, we discovered that more than thirty of the sixty-two analyses were from one household in the control area—that's like polling one person to determine how an election in the state of California is going to turn out." Dr. Cook presented the reservations he and Stoline had in testimony at a hearing before the New York Assembly subcommittee hearing in 1983, stating, "no decision should be rendered on the basis of the EPA's view of our conclusion of habitability of the Love Canal area."

Many other scientists expressed reservations dropped in fall of 1983, the EPA reversed itself and said its earlier decision was based on "inadequate data." Then the panel of scientists was formed. The panel's final goal is to determine how close to the dumpsite people may safely live.

Another part of the panel's job is to decide what additional studies need to be done.

Library school to close by May 1985.

Western's School of Library and Information Science and its associated programs will be phased out no later than May 1, 1985.

In making that recommendation, Dr. L. Michael Moskovis, associate vice president for academic affairs, cited the loss of program accreditation, declining enrollment, and budgetary considerations as primary reasons for the closing.

Moskovis stressed that all library school students who complete their degrees by December, will be considered graduates of an accredited library program. He said the school's three tenured faculty members will be retained and given appropriate professional assignments within the University.

Founded in 1946, the library school was first accredited under the American Library Association (ALA) standards in 1959. It received continuing accreditation until 1980 when it received a two-year conditional accreditation to expire in January 1983. In March 1983, an ALA accreditation team evaluated the school's master of science program. Its fifty-four-page report cited ten major concerns and recommended accreditation be discontinued.

Moskovis said from 1974 to 1984, the library school credit hour productivity declined by 65 percent, enrolled graduate students declined by 71 percent, combined on-campus and off-campus enrollments declined by 43 percent, and the number of degrees granted declined by 71 percent. A WMU Faculty Senate review committee recommended seeking accreditation again in two or three years, but Moskovis estimated it would require an additional continuing expenditure of over $100,000, and he pointed out it is not certain reaccreditation would be granted even then.

Michigan values its colleges.

Michigan residents place greater value on obtaining a college education than do residents of other states, but they feel tuition at four-year colleges is too high, a statewide poll shows.

The poll was done by the State Board of Education and is the board's first statewide public opinion survey to measure attitudes about higher education. The poll also shows Michigan residents give their community colleges high marks and they strongly support Gov. James J. Blanchard's proposal to give more state aid to four-year colleges that freeze their tuition.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Phillip E. Runkel called the survey's findings "very significant." The findings were released in June after 802 Michigan citizens were interviewed.

Runkel said the poll shows nearly three-fourths of all adults in the state believe a college education today is "very important." Only 58 percent placed a high priority on a college education in a 1983 Gallup Poll.
Fall enrollment increases. The number of students applying at Western for the fall is up by about 18 percent from a year ago and a 7 percent overall increase in the size of the freshmen class is expected. Dr. Susan B. Hannah, assistant vice president for academic affairs, said officials are "delighted" with the figures. "This represents a very positive trend in terms of the interest of new students in Western," she said.

Hannah said Western is doing a better job of getting the word out about how it can help political science. Methods include the University's new computerized "Inquiry Control System," direct-mail system, new publications, and increased follow-up by individual faculty members, departments, and colleges.

Tuition freeze approved. Tuition rates at Western for 1984-85 will be maintained at current levels, University trustees decided during a July meeting. The decision was made in anticipation of Gov. James Blanchard's announcement of a proposed 1984-85 appropriations bill late in July. President John T. Bernhard said the appropriation is a significant improvement over last year's appropriation and should enable the University to keep tuitions at current levels through the 1984-85 budget year. He added that the appropriation will enable the University to keep tuition at current levels through the 1984-85 budget year. Although it actually represents a cut in funds to us...the appropriation is a significant improvement over last year's level. A new program offering is the academic year Latvian Studies Program. The Department of Languages and Linguistics, with support from the Department of Education, has offered it since the fall of 1981 under an institutional grant contract with the American Latvian Association. This program will provide both a major and a minor in Latvian starting in 1984-85.

Institute co-publisher journal. A new journal dedicated to be a clearinghouse for information concerning approaching events in the field of medieval studies has been co-published and released by Western's Medieval Institute and the Centre for European Medieval Studies at the University of Toronto. Titled Vox Medievialis, the journal was edited by Jennifer J. Syndergaard of the Medieval Institute, and Dr. Brian McCutcheon, director of the Centre for European Medieval Studies.

Graduates honored. A new set of alumni are being honored on Western's Wall of Distinction, located in the lobby of the Seiberth Administration Building. They are, from left to right: Carol Kent, founder and director of "Speak Up With Confidence" seminars, Post Hume, David G. Jones, M.D., M.P.H., top, private family practice, Owosso, Dr. John D. Kingsnorth, bottom, superintendent of Deerfield Public Schools, Deerfield, Floyd L. Cook, Jr., product development engineer, Clark Division of McGraw-Edison Company, Muskegon; Kristine May Pierre, student affairs adviser, California State University-Long Beach, Long Beach, California; Dr. Robert Donaldson, top, professor of public administration, Governors State University, Park Forest South, Illinois; Dr. Ann H. N. Beville, bottom, assistant professor, Jersey City State College, Jersey City, New Jersey, and Donald H. Headley, marketing director, Security Savings and Loan Association of Jackson, Jackson. The wall highlights the accomplishments and achievements of recent graduates to provide inspiration and encouragement to current students.

Center services will include word and information processing, research consultation, and workshops and seminars on research issues and topics. Funds for the center have provided for all equipment, furnishings, and remodeling.

Alumni praised at Merze Tate Center dedication. Dr. Merze Tate, a 1927 Western graduate, participated in funeral ceremonies dedicating the Merze Tate Center for Research on Information Processing. Tate retired in 1977 from Howard University in Washington, D.C. After a distinguished career as an author, teacher, and historian.

Merze Tate, second from left, attended the dedication ceremonies for the Merze Tate Center for Research on Information Processing. The center, made possible by a $150,000 gift from Tate, is located in Sangren Hall. It will make services and facilities available to faculty members and graduate students in the College of Education. It was named for an individual who has made a significant contribution to the field of education and who has demonstrated exceptional leadership in the area of education. It will be a central source of information and resources for advanced research available to faculty members and graduate students in the College of Education.

It was published by the University's Medius Institute Publication project. Poel consultant in Liberia. Dr. Robert H. Poel, professor of natural science in the College of General Studies and coordinator of graduate science education, is currently conducting a needs assessment of science education in Liberia. Poel is in the midst of a three-week stay in Liberia, visiting science centers, and conferring with school officials and members of the Liberian Ministry of Education.

The United States Information Agency hired Poel to conduct the needs assessment. His work will involve an examination of all aspects of Liberian pre-college science education and will focus primarily on in-service and continuing science education programs.

Job-seekers helped. A job-seeking skills program for the unemployed offered through Western is enjoying an 80 percent success rate after training 500 persons.

The pre-employment program is in its third year of operation through the Department of Consumer Resources and Technology. It is funded by a grant from the W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research and is sponsored by the Private Industry Council of Kalamazoo.

The course is for Kalamazoo County residents who are unemployed and meet income criteria set by the program. About 200 persons enroll each year. There are ten, three-week classes, with twenty people in each class. A seven-member advisory committee provides leadership for the program by refining its goals and objectives, visiting the classes to talk and conduct mock interviews, and assisting in job placement.

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Judy L. Scott, a personnel administrator at Bronson Methodist Hospital and committee member, says program participants have a definite edge in the job market.

"People from the program are better prepared for the job interview, their applications are filled out very well, and they know how to greet the interviewers," she said.
After more than a decade, Dr. John T. Bernhard intends to step down as Western's chief executive officer. Bernhard will retire from the presidency in June 1985. He and his wife, Ramona, plan to remain in Kalamazoo.

Bernhard, who has taught undergraduate courses in political science for the past few years, will teach full time at the University. He says teaching is what he loves to do and he is looking forward to returning to the classroom.

Bernhard is contemplating consulting for the American Association of State Colleges and Universities. A past chairman of the association, he would like to help out other presidents new to their institutions. He just completed a two-year term as chairman of the Presidents Council of State Colleges and Universities in Michigan.

In the following interview, conducted by Martin R. [Joe] Gagie, executive assistant to the president and associate vice president for university relations, Bernhard comments on several topics related to Western and higher education.

Main contributions

When asked what he would like to be remembered for in his eleven years as Western's president, "Development is one activity that immediately comes to mind," University President Dr. John T. Bernhard said.

"Development (fund raising) is extremely important to the future of public institutions of higher education because we'll never be able to count on the public funds we once enjoyed. As a consequence, private fund raising provides that margin of excellence needed to sustain quality."

"For example, I think that if we didn't have the Fetzer center, and the other aspects of the recent 'Partners in Progress' capital campaign, we really would be slipping backward. But, as a result of that successful campaign, I honestly feel we've been able to ward off any backsliding. We've had a tough time consolidating and retrenching, but overall, as I see the institution, I don't believe we have suffered irreparably. In some important ways, we've gained strength."

"Another area of great importance has been the solid growth of our fine arts college, captured by the completion of the Dalton Center. I believe that beautiful facility has provided so much support and enthusiasm behind the fine arts programs within the University, that we've drawn national attention.

"I also think that the College of Business has been greatly enriched by the Fetzer center, which I consider to be the keystone of our development program, and we're just beginning to see what that center is going to mean to Western and the community.

"I feel very keenly about the importance of affirmative action, I always have. A lot of inertia must be overcome, but we are making some progress—not at the rate I hoped we would, however, I think the trend is definitely upward."

"Affirmative action has been more difficult to achieve during the recent period of retrenchment, but we must persevere."

Academics and athletics

In the area of athletics, Bernhard cited the phenomenal growth and success of the women's athletics program. This year the program won the Jacoby Trophy, which is symbolic of all-sports supremacy in the Mid-American Conference.

"In general, I think our athletics program has been a real frustration and disappointment to our fans, even though Western has always supported athletics reasonably well. But the larger question is—what's the future of intercollegiate athletics nationally?"

"The burden of increased support is becoming onerous, and soon there will only be a select group—a thin top layer of our colleges and universities in the nation—that will be able to carry such an expensive program. Soon enough, most of us will have to scale down our expectations to more reasonable levels or run the risk of intolerable deficits." Academically, Bernhard cited the continued growth and stronger coordination of the University's international programs and its bright prospects; the success of the Intellectual Skills Development program and its increasing importance in the future; and the "very progressive step" represented by the Project EXCITE computer literacy program.

The community

"Ramona and I have always believed that a strengthening of town-and-gown relationships is an obligation of the presidency. We wanted to get as close as possible to the community and make our relationships strongly supportive of Western. I must say, very candidly, that I think our efforts made some contribution to the success of our 'Partners in Progress' capital campaign. But that's not entirely it."

"More importantly, I think it was the fact that with the University under financial duress, the far-sighted leaders of our community recognized what an asset the University is and how it must be supported. They knew that Western needed help, and they didn't want to see us go under," Bernhard said.

"Jim Duncan certainly personified that civic spirit during the campaign, and I believe that was the secret behind our recent success in fund raising." (Duncan is chairman and chief executive officer of the First of America Bank Corp. in Kalamazoo, general chairman of "Partners in Progress," and immediate past chairman of the WMU Foundation.)

The University community

Despite some disappointments along the way, I'd like to believe that I helped to create an open atmosphere on campus and in the administration, so that there was a less formal, less strained feeling in the University community as a whole.

"I certainly value meetings with various campus groups like the Faculty Senate, the Administrative Professional Association, the Clerical-Technical Organization, plus similar meetings with deans, department chairs, and student leaders. I believe they have opened up beneficial communication with these important segments of the University community."

"Although major improvements have been made in broadening the lines of communication, one of my biggest disappointments is not being able to get closer to everyone in the University community. Large universities are very complex bodies. At times I've run myself ragged accepting countless invitations.

"But, alas, there is a limit to what one can do physically. On the other hand, I must confess that I have a strong streak of shyness that occasionally inhibits me from mingling with large groups of people. I find that hard to do. It's not because I don't like people. In fact, I like people very much, but it's just not my nature to thrust forward socially."

"Another disappointment has been the instability in Academic Affairs; but, frankly, it's literally impossible for either the academic vice president or the president to become a 'hero' in a period of retrenchment."

"No one likes retrenchment. All you can do is try to make reductions as fair and equitable as possible, and still maintain the quality of the institution. I do feel very good about the current stability in the academic affairs area."
Financial stability

"Another area of progress has been the maintenance of financial stability at Western despite the severe adversities we've faced. Even though we've had unfortunate curtailbacks, Western remains a very good university."

I'm constantly reassured when people from Lansing tell me that WMU has an excellent reputation there. I've heard it many times from many people. Of course, we're not considered one of the 'Big Three,' but we are certainly respected as one of Michigan's important universities.

"One of my big disappointments has been our inability to develop a completely secure financial base for the University. I realize it takes time, but when I first came to Western it was very clear to me that public funding, at the rate that it had been going on in past years, would not continue. There was too much competition from other social services, and there was also a growing public resistance to higher state budgets.

"This general feeling was not limited to Michigan, it was typical of the entire nation. That's why I wanted to move into development activity as soon as possible. I felt that we could establish a firm foundation which would, in the years to come, amount to something very substantial in many millions of dollars."

A birthright

"One of my basic principles is that education is a birthright, and I've long felt that way. I think it's the best investment that our society or any society can make. But we've regressed. Now, for example, we've gotten to the point where we insist that public institutions, even on the community college level, start raising their tuition levels higher and higher.

The argument is presented that because individuals get personal benefit out of education they should be expected to pay more, either as individuals or as tax payers."

"I agree that some reasonable tuition should be charged. But when it gets to the point of shutting the gates of access to students from lower income groups, I feel that way. I think it's the best investment we can make for our society.

"Frankly, it's just history repeating itself. I believe what's going to happen is that, finally, when the pendulum gets to where our physical plants begin to deteriorate and where we begin to lose our quality faculty and staff to other states, the public will suddenly become aware of what's happening. I hope that realization will dawn very soon.

"I suggest our social pendulum swung too far the other way in the late 60's and early 70's, because people expected miracles from higher education. Sadly, the miracles were not forthcoming. Then the public very clearly started to turn its back on higher education."

Financial realities

When asked how he responds to critics who fault him for acknowledging the existence of such words as "downsizing" or "retrenchment," Bernhard said, "Well, I have never believed in projecting myths or false images because I think the inevitable disillusionment that follows is thus made even more severe.

"I try to be realistic and I like to address the University as a community of mature adults who can indeed face the truth, no matter how unpleasant."

"The truth is that demographically we're in a decline in terms of population and therefore, all of higher education will face declining enrollments. There will be variations from institution to institution of course, depending upon local circumstances.

"My attitude has always been to work as hard and as creatively as we can to maintain our enrollment—or increase it if we possibly can—but still recognize the reality of the demographic facts that will probably lead us to a gradual decline in our student population over the next several years.

"If people are depressed by reality, I'm truly sorry for that, but I can't cheat them. I can't deceive them. I like to look at the future hard and square, and see what has to be done."
Thirty-eight faculty members retire in 1983-84

William L. Burdick
Professor
Finance and Commercial Law
35 Years

Beth Giedeman
Associate Professor
Languages and Linguistics
31 Years

Dale D. King
Associate Professor
Mechanical Engineering
27 Years

Maisie K. Pearson
Assistant Professor
English
19 Years

William Adams
Professor
Education and Professional Development
20 Years

Donald Stuech
Professor
Brick Rehabilitation and Mobility
23 Years

Harold Bories
Professor
Educational Leadership
23 Years

Carl L. Berr
Associate Professor
Education and Professional Development
27 Years

Jean A. Bucker
Associate Professor
Social Science
16 Years

Donald H. Bonna
Professor
Sociology
24 Years

Seth Gledeman
Associate Professor
Languages and Linguistics
31 Years

Clarence J. Goedhege
Professor
Biology
18 Years

Paul L. Griffeth
Professor
Counseling and Personnel
20 Years

William O. Haynes
Associate Professor
Consumer Resources and Technology
25 Years

Ivy V. Holt
Professor
Biology
23 Years

Charles D. Houston
Professor
Social Science
15 Years

Donald C. Ifland
Professor
Chemistry
34 Years

G. Stewart Johnson
Professor
Mechanical Engineering
24 Years

Neil Langer
Associate Professor
Counseling and Personnel
25 Years

Hung Peng Lee
Professor
Social Science
14 Years

Charles E. Meyer
Professor
History
17 Years

Gilbert W. Morel
Assistant Professor
Engineering and Applied Science
32 Years

Donald W. Nantz
Assistant Dean
Engineering and Applied Sciences
Mechanical Engineering
32 Years

Donald W. Nantz
Professor
Mechanical Engineering
32 Years

David Sadler
Professor
English
29 Years

Fred L. Stevens
Associate Professor
Health, Physical Education and Recreation
29 Years

Stanley W. Silerko
Professor
Brick Rehabilitation and Mobility
22 Years

James Tyelman
Associate Professor
Libraries
19 Years

Harvey W. Olenchak
Professor
Humanities
29 Years

Morvin A. Wirtz
Professor
Special Education
17 Years

Donald H. Bonna
Professor
Sociology
24 Years
You are invited

Western alumni and friends from near and far are invited to join Western students, faculty, and staff, and the greater Kalamazoo community for a rousing celebration when "Live from Western... It's Homecoming '84" gets under way October 5 and culminates October 6.

The weekend festivities, which have a little something for everyone, are a mix of campus-sponsored events and constituency group activities. Tickets to some events can be purchased in advance by using the Homecoming reservation form appearing on page 16. Important information about campus-sponsored happenings appears below in order of the time the events are scheduled.

Sorority coffee hour
The annual Homecoming Sorority Cof-fee Hour heads a long list of events scheduled for October 6. Sponsored by the Alumni Association, the coffee "hour" will be from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. in rooms 157-159 of the University Student Center for alumnae of Alpha Omicron Pi, Alpha Sigma Alpha, Gamma Phi Beta, and Sigma Kappa. These sororities no longer have active chapters on campus, but the coffee hour offers an opportunity for their members to renew old friendships.

Homecoming Luncheon
A large turnout is expected for the annual Homecoming Luncheon slated for October 6. The luncheon will take place in the enclosed area in the northeast corner of the Gary Center, where a traditional box-style lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Homecoming provides an opportunity to renew friendships from college days and visit with former faculty members and there's no better place to do this than at the luncheon. The cost this year will be the same as last year's cost—$5 for Alumni Association members and $6 for nonmembers. The association is also offering a package savings to alumni and friends planning to attend both the luncheon and football game. By purchasing the tickets in advance, using the Homecoming reservation form, you'll receive a $6 game ticket for $5. Reservations received by September 26 will be confirmed by return mail. Alumni responding after this date may pick up their tickets at the event site.

Black alumni reception/dance
WMU Black Alumni will present "One More Time... Take 7," the seventh annual reception and dance, October 6. The event, sponsored by the Alumni Association, will be held in rooms B, C, and D of the Kalamazoo Center Hilton Inn. The reception will be from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. and the dance will be from 9:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. Disco jockey Joe Chiappers will provide the music.

Tickets are $5 per person and can be purchased at the door or in advance using the Homecoming reservation form. For more information and reservations, contact Tina Daniels at (616) 383-6160. You're invited to show up and mingle, do a little partying, and help celebrate Homecoming.

Glen Campbell performances
Miller Auditorium will be filled with the music of Glen Campbell October 6 as the Rhinestone Cowboy puts on two entertaining shows. Campbell will be making his first appearance at Miller. Performances are scheduled for 5:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Campbell's hits, almost as varied as his career, include "By the Time I Get to Phoenix" and "Wichita Lineman," as well as down home classics such as Allen Toussant's "Southern Nights." In the United States alone, Campbell has received four gold singles, twelve gold and seven platinum albums, and one double platinum album.

Reserved tickets for each performance are priced at $12.50, $10, and $7.50. Tickets may be purchased with Visa or MasterCard by calling the Miller Auditorium Ticket Office at (616) 383-0933.

Alumni recognition dinner
The 1984 recipients of Distinguished Alumni Awards will be honored 6:00 p.m. October 6 during a special recognition dinner in the Fetzer Business Development Center.

AFTERGLOW dance
Once again Western's Homecoming will end with dancing as the Alumni Association presents "Live from Western... It's AFTERGLOW." The Grand Ballroom of the Kalamazoo Center Hilton Inn will be jumping to music from the 1930's all the way up to the present as the AFTERGLOW dance October 6 culminates the official weekend activities.

Beginning at 9:00 p.m., you'll be able to dance to the music that was popular during your days on campus. Gemini Productions' turntables will be busy spinning out the sounds of the big bands, jazz, rock 'n' roll, and much more.

Tickets are $5 per person and can be purchased at the door or in advance using the Homecoming reservation form. Snacks will be provided and a cash bar will be available. Any fraternity, sorority or other constituency group wishing to reserve a section of tables should contact Tina Daniels in the alumni office at (616) 383-6160.

Accommodations for the weekend
The Kalamazoo Center Hilton Inn is offering returning Western alumni special rates for Homecoming Weekend, October 5 and 6. The Kalamazoo Hilton Inn has a block of rooms reserved for Western graduates. The per night cost is $42 for a single room and $49 for a double room. Reservations must be made in advance by calling (616) 381-2130. When making your reservations, be sure to identify yourself as a Western alumni returning for Homecoming.

Alumni seeking information on room availability and rates at other area hotels and motels are encouraged to use the Kalamazoo County Chamber of Commerce Convention and Visitors Bureau lodging assistance number—(616) 381-4073.

Reunions
Class of 1959 celebrates 25th Western's Class of 1959 will reunite Homecoming weekend to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their graduation. The reunion will begin with a dinner for class members and guests at the Fetzer Business Development Center October 5. A social hour begins at 7:00 p.m. and dinner will be served at 8:00 p.m. After dinner, a program is planned with Glen Nicoloff serving as master of ceremonies. Carol Waszcziewicz will speak on behalf of the class.

The Class of '59 will join other alumni October 6 at the Homecoming activities. Important information about campus-sponsored events is scheduled for October 6 during a special recognition dinner in the Fetzer Business Development Center.

MLK Program participants plan reunion
Homecoming weekend will be extra special this year. The Martin Luther King Program is sponsoring a special reunion October 5 and 6 for MLK Program participants.

The following activities have been planned:

October 5
1 An unusual array of cultural entertainment including drama, theater, music, song, and dance
2 A special Saturday morning breakfast
3 The Homecoming Luncheon and football game
4 Black alumni reception/cocktail hour
5 A special reunion dinner with speaker, hosted by the MLK Program

October 6
6 One More Time... Take 7
7 black alumni dance
Items 1, 4, 5, and 6 are available at a package price of $35 per person.

For more information about the MLK reunion activities, please contact: Danny Sledge, MLK Program, 228-A Ellsworth Hall, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008. Phone: (616) 383-4079.

Many of the addresses for MLK participants are outdated or unavailable. Please contact others to find out if they have received this information and encourage them to attend.

Omega Delta Phi plans second reunion
The brothers of Omega Delta Phi will gather October 6 at the University Student Center for a 10:30 a.m. brunch. Then it's on to the 5:00 p.m.

Homecoming football game. A postgame get-together will be held at the Kalamazoo Elks. A hospitality room has been arranged and dinner and dancing will be available.

The brothers of Omega Delta Phi cordially invite members of Theta Chi Delta and Phi Sigma Rho to join them for the postgame get-together. Reservations have been mailed to all Omega brothers. For more information, call the alumni relations office (616) 383-6160.
Bronsos seek to improve past football record

Good personnel and depth are available for the Spartans in the skilled positions and defensive line as Western's 1984 football team prepares to improve upon a 6-5 record and a 4-5 Mid-American Conference slate.

The Broncos were sixth in the league, with three games being lost by a combined total of ten points. Areas of concern are the defensive secondary and a still-relatively inexperienced line. Third-year coach Jack Haubach has thirty returning lettermen, including eleven starters.

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The key to having a capable secondary could be the successful return of Ron Ryan after a knee injury in the third game of 1983. He did not take part in spring work. Ryan was a starting backer in 1981, but missed the bulk of 1982 with an ankle injury. Free safety Nate Bolton worked at all four secondary spots a year ago and is the most experienced of the players in that area. Linhe Verner has been a late-season regular at corner and demonstrated ability. However, he was also sidelined in spring practice.

Another key personnel move was switching Ken Luckett from wide receiver to strong safety and he performed well under the change.

Search begins for athletics head

Western has begun searching for a new athletics director, according to David J. Brittn, vice president for university relations and liaison between the administration and the Division of Intercollegiate Athletics. The new director will replace Thomas H. Worderling, whose contract expires this month. Worderling came to Western after serving as athletics director at Cal Poly-Pomona for eighteen months and serving at Florida International for five years.

Brake makes All-American team

Senior lefthanded pitcher Greg Brake of Detroit has been named to the 1984 All-American third team in balloting by the Collegiate Baseball Coaches Association. Brake had a 9-2 record for coach Fred Decker's club. His earned runs average of 0.95 led the nation, and was a Mid-American Conference performance leader since 1974.

Brake also set a WMU career record for innings (233 1/3), and ranked No. 2 for wins (20) and strikeouts (186). He is the fourth player since 1980 to earn All-American acclaim under Decker. Outfielders Ken Scarpace and Paul Schneider were third team picks in 1980 and 1981, and second baseman Joe Gherna was a second-team choice in 1983.

Kinne adds award

Senior Bonni Kinne, a four-year standout in softball, has added another honor to her awards list. She was selected to receive one of twenty NCAA postgraduate scholarships awarded to student-athletes throughout the country.

A product of Grand Ledge, Kinne had a 3.83 academic average (4.0 scale) in biomedical sciences. The 1983 WMU Presidential Scholar has been awarded a university graduate college fellowship. Kinne plans to enroll in WMU's Health, Physical Education, and Recreation graduate program in the fall to receive her M.S. degree. She said she feels the award is a compliment to her as a complete college student.

She is an outstanding right-handed pitcher the past four seasons was the top vote-getter on the team during 1984 Academic-All-American softball team.

The Broncos will be working hard this year to improve upon last year's 6-5 football performance.

Toth and tight end Bryan Brown are the only seniors among the offensive line. Left guard Jim Griffin is a returning regular, but has two years of eligibility remaining. Left tackle Sam Culbert and right guard Jim Lippe have three years left.

For the second straight year, a player with freshman eligibility will man the center spot. This year, Scott Scepnsiewski will hold the post. Spelmaker will play the "left" or "right" end spot, while five different players are in the battle for Ed Greer scored three touchdowns on second tight end spot, while five different players are in the battle for the No. 1 quarterback job in spring.
Spikers look forward to successful year

In 1982, Rob Buck’s women’s volleyball team posted a 33-9 record—an outstanding season that included the school’s first Mid-American Conference championship in volleyball and a first-time appearance at the NCAA tournament.

In 1983, the Bronco spikers repeated as MAC champions with an undefeated mark, drew an NCAA record crowd of 8,543 for a home first-round NCAA tournament match, and won thirty-two straight matches before losing to eventual NCAA runner-up UCLA at the Mideast regional finals to earn the squad a ninth place ranking in the final polls.

The big question leading into the 1984 campaign is what can Buck and company do for an encore.

The Broncos did lose two outstanding players through graduation—Jackie Backus, a first team All-American selection, and Amy Timmers, a member of the All-MAC squad. But Buck will have six lettermen returning, including four starters.

Heading the veterans list is All-MAC setter Heather Sawyer. She is, according to Buck, the best athlete he’s ever coached and a definite All-American candidate. Sawyer ran Western’s offense and had 1,215 assists and a .295 hitting percentage. Middle blocker Sarah Powers is an All-MAC second-team pick. She had ninety-four blocks, a .358 hitting mark, and led the team in digs with 341.

Two more front line players are back in outside hitters Paige Paulson, a junior, and Char Horcher, a sophomore. Paulson had 119 blocks and a .328 hitting percentage, while Horcher had 37 blocks. A total of four newcomers have been added to the roster, all with top-rated credentials. Two of the freshmen, Jennifer Aubuchon and Laurie Mauerhofer, played for the Chicago-based Sports Performance Rehabilitation Institute team that won the AAI national junior title in 1983.

Fall previews

- **Men’s cross country**
  Coach Jack Shaw returns with eight lettermen from last year’s men’s cross country team, which had a 3-2 dual meet record and a fifth-place finish in the Mid-American Conference. Shaw said he feels his young team should be improved despite the loss of Paul Welch and John Hening, who were eleventh and nineteenth, respectively in Mid-American individual standings.

- **Women’s cross country**
  Coach Debbie Hunt returns with seven lettermen from a 1983 women’s cross country team that was second in the Mid-American Conference, trailing champion Bowling Green State University by a single point. Kayla Skelly won the individual crown and Kelly Shanette was third.

Hockey

Hockey defensivemen Dave Lobell of Mt. Clemens and Scott Howe of Port Huron have signed national letters of intent to join coach Bill Wilkinson’s 1984-85 team.

Wilkinson will be in his third year at Western. The 1983-84 Broncos ranked No. 9 nationally and were finalists in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association tournament.

Soccer

For second-year coach Blake Glass, the 1983 season was time for his Bronco soccer squad to learn a new system and style of play. Glass and his 1984 team will look to improve on last year’s 8-10 mark.

Last fall, Western lost five, one-goal matches and was outscored by opponents 43-29. According to Glass, having a successful campaign this year will be the defense and how well the team plays together.

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For more information, contact Paul Knudstrup, director of financial and estate planning,WMU Foundation. Call (616) 383-4793, or clip and mail the coupon below.
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Among Alumni

Dear Western alumni:

August 29, 1984, marks the beginning of the eighty-first fall semester at Western Michigan University. It is a truly exciting time on campus as the Class of 1988 attends classes for the first time and the Class of 1985 begins to look past the hills of Western for job opportunities. It's an exciting time within the Office of Alumni Relations as well. We're busily preparing to welcome thousands of alumni and friends back to campus for the "Live from Western... It's Homecoming '84" celebration October 6. On behalf of the WMU Alumni Association, I extend a personal invitation to you to attend the 1984 Homecoming festivities.

In particular, I call your attention to the third annual Distinguished Alumni Awards Dinner to be held October 6. This year's dinner honors two Western alumni who have made significant contributions within their respective professional fields. The dinner is our way of saying, "We're proud of you Charles Ludlow and James Wingearden." I hope you'll join in this tribute to the 1984 Distinguished Alumni Award recipients.

In the months to come, the alumni relations staff is looking forward to regional activities and events in Detroit, Grand Rapids, Battle Creek, Lansing, Chicago, Florida, and the West Coast. We're eager to meet with alumni in these areas and bring "a little bit of Western" to them.

Alumni Association announces '85 travel program

The Alumni Association is pleased to offer alumni two exciting travel options for 1985.

• Come aboard the "Love Boat." Yes, the Pacific Princess will be filled with Western alumni in April. This eight-day trip begins March 30, 1985, with three glorious nights in a Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, seaside resort. The trip is available at a starting price of $995 per person (double occupancy). This price includes all non-frivolous city of Roman Greece. Upon returning to Athens, day-long tours of Delphi and Cape Sounion will be conducted. The last day in Athens will be unstructured, giving travelers the opportunity to do last minute shopping and independent sightseeing. Participants will fly round trip on KLM Royal Dutch Airlines from Chicago, Illinois, to Athens. Information regarding connecting airfares to Chicago is available upon request. The cost of the Mediterranean Odyssey Tour is $2,179 per person (double occupancy). This price includes all breakfasts and dinners. For a detailed brochure and reservation form contact the alumni office. A limited number of seats have been set aside and reservations will be accepted on a first come/first served basis.

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Group is perfect for children of alumni

Is your son or daughter a student at Western? If so, the Office of Alumni Relations has just the right student organization for them to join. The Student Alumni Association serves as the main communication link between the alumni office and the student body. It sponsors a variety of activities, such as a reception for graduating seniors, Fritter Fest, and survival kits, which acquaint students with the alumni office and its programs while they're still on campus.

Members of SAA also assist the alumni staff with its many alumni events, both on and off campus. The organization provides its members with an opportunity to plan, budget, and carry out projects, thus developing important leadership skills.

If you think your son or daughter would be interested in learning more about SAA, have them stop by the alumni office and talk to the staff. We're looking forward to meeting them.

Alumni watch to be offered

The Alumni Association, in cooperation with Elgin Watch International, will provide alumni with an opportunity to purchase an Elgin quartz watch, with a brown and gold Western emblem on its face. A variety of styles for both men and women will be available—priced from $75 to $280.

All Western alumni will receive a brochure and order form early this fall. "Watch" for it—it could be the answer to your Christmas shopping problems for the Western alumni in your home.

Detroit alumni gather for yuletide

The Alumni Association and Detroit area alumni invite all Detroit-area alumni and friends to the yuletide evening in Greenfield Village December 4. The special evening will begin at 6:30 p.m. with a sleigh ride through the festively decorated village. The sleigh will stop at the Eagle Tavern [formerly the Clinton Inn], where a candlelight dinner awaits you. You will be serenaded during dinner by music of the season. The yuletide evening draws to a close with a village walking tour followed by hot cider. Reservations are now being accepted for this delightful evening on a first-come, first-served basis. The yuletide evening is $24 per person. Space is limited, so make your reservation today. The reservation deadline is October 17. For further information, contact Tina Daniel, alumni office, (616) 383-6160.

Sincerely,

M. Jamie Lehman

Alumni Association, Western Michigan University

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1934, 1944 reunions held

Left: More than fifty-five members of the Class of 1934 returned to campus June 15 to celebrate the golden anniversary of their graduation from what was then Western State Teachers College. Spending a moment to look back in time using the 1934 Brown and Gold, are, from left to right, Ruth Harrington Savage, class secretary, Mary Harvey Crosby, class vice president, Jamie Jeremy, alumni director, and Leonard Gernant, class president.

Below: Members from the Class of 1944 gathered in Kalamazoo June 22 and 23 to commemorate the fortieth anniversary of their graduation. Class officers Grace Becker, Arnold, left, Jean Pike Wheat, secretary, right, and Noomi Falan Siddell, treasurer, members in the tribute to this year's award recipients may make dinner reservations using the Homecoming reservation form in this issue.

Award recipients (Continued from page 1)

Prior to his appointment as NIH director, Wyngaarden served as the Frederick M. Hanes professor and chairman of the Department of Medicine at Duke University, and was chief of staff at the university's hospital. The two distinguished alumni will be honored at the 1984 Distinguished Alumni Awards Dinner to be held October 6 in conjunction with Homecoming. Western alumni wishing to join in the tribute to this year's award recipients may make dinner reservations using the Homecoming reservation form in this issue.

Duncan named outstanding volunteer

James H. Duncan, chairman and chief executive officer of the First of America Bank Corp. in Kalamazoo, has been selected as an outstanding volunteer by the Michigan chapter of the National Society of Fund Raising Executives.

The Western alumnus was honored for his service as general chairman of the successful "Partners in Progress" capital campaign at Western. The campaign, which ended last year, generated $8.3 million, exceeding its goal by $1.7 million.

"Jim Duncan is an excellent example of what a dedicated, committed volunteer can do," said Russell L. Gabier, assistant vice president for university relations. "He set the tone for 'Partners in Progress' that ultimately enabled it to succeed. Duncan is the immediate past chairman of the WMU Foundation, the separate entity at Western that receives private gifts to the University. Duncan, who lives in Kalamazoo, became president and chief executive officer of what is now First of America in 1969. He joined the bank in 1950 as an adjustment manager. Duncan is widely known as an innovator of banking services, providing national leadership in such areas as bank cards and automated banking.

The Michigan chapter of the fundraising society includes more than 100 members who represent education, health, social services, arts, and other non-profit organizations. The national organization has more than 4,000 members. Its offices are in Washington, D.C.

Fall ABE meeting set

The Fall Inter-Chapter Council meeting will be hosted by Theta Chapter, Albion-Marshall, on October 6. Theta members are looking forward to welcoming delegates from all chapters to this meeting. In addition to the business meeting, a tour of one of Marshall's historical homes is planned. Don't miss this fall's ICC meeting.
1944
Esther L. Walton, TC '44, BS '56, MA '81, is now writing a weekly column on Hastings area history for the Hastings Banner newspaper.

1947
Juanita Goodrich Frohm, BS '47, is the new president of the Calhoun County Humane Society. She is a retired Lakeview elementary teacher.

1949
Dr. Paul R. Fulton, BA '49, has been named forensic scientist of the year by the American Association of Forensic Dentists. He retired in 1979, after serving as an army dentist for thirty-eight years, and now lives in Schoolcraft.

1952
George F. Henck, BS '52, MA '57, has been named "outstanding industrial arts teacher" in Michigan for 1984 by the Michigan Industrial Education Society. He chairs the industrial education department at Midland's Dow High School.

1953
Paul S. Kruzel, BA '53, MA '59, retired May 31 as assistant principal, Reeths-Puffer High School.

1955
Ben Elding, BA '55, a member of the WMU library faculty in large "arts and linguistics," this spring was on tour for the Council on International Educational Exchange, inspecting the study center at the Universite de Haute-Bretagne in Rennes, France.

1957
Patricia Lloyd Preston, BS '57, was one of three Lansing artists featured in a March show of the Lansing Art Guild.

1958
Dr. Ray R. Reech, BS '58, is the new Bay City schools superintendent. He headed the Brighton schools.

Alumnus writes first book
Project and Peacemaker, The Life of Adolphe Monod, is the first book written by Professor James L. Olsen, BA '58. The 400-page well-researched and well-written work is about one of the leaders in the Reformed Church of France.

Olsen is now a professor of history at Beloit College in Wisconsin. He earned his master's degree at the University of Michigan and his doctorate at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Adolphe Monod was one of a large family of religious leaders in a turbulent period of church history. Olsen calls him "the voice of French Reformed Church during first half of the nineteenth century." Olsen said he first became acquainted with Monod while working on his doctorate on the French Reformed Church.

1959
Ronald Stella, BS '59, is the new principal of Holland High School. He moved to Holland from New Buffalo.

1960
David K. Ryan, BBA '60, is president of the St. Philip Catholic Central Board of Education, Battle Creek. He is also running for a Calhoun County probate judgeship in November.

1961
Lorraine Keyes Finlay Francis, SC '61, has been appointed to assistant secretary of The Mead Corp., Dayton, OH.

1964
Sandra Lyon Griptson, BS '64, MA '67, received a merit award in the Michigan Economics Teacher of the Year competition. She teaches at Centerline High School and lives in New Baltimore.

1965
Dennis D. Archer, BS '65, is listed in Alumni magazine as one of the 100 most influential black Americans. Archer received a Distinguished Alumni Award in 1982. He is a Detroit lawyer.

1966
Jeannie Baraka, BS '66, MA '74, has become chief of staff for Congressman Howard Wolpe, moving from Lansing where she served as district administrator, to the congressional office in Washington, DC.

1967
Dennis O. McMahon, BS '67, MA '69, became superintendent of Brighton schools in May. He moved to Brighton from Ypsilanti.

1968
Thomas E. Allen, BS '68, is the 1984 Teacher of the Year for the Michigan Association of Community and Adult Education. He is with Lansing Adult Education.

1971
Susan Herb Bedford, BA '71, MA '79, was teacher of the month for March at Wayland Elementary School.

1972
Philip P. Nader, BA '72, has become product analyst for Venture Business Group, Dallas, TX.

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1917

F. Scott Burke, '17, died Feb. 7 in Richmond. His wife survives.

1918

Marion Hamilton Risley, TC '18, a principal of three schools in Kalamazoo before her retirement in 1959, died June 6 in Ventura, CA, where she had lived for the last fifteen years. Mrs. Risley earned bachelor's and master's degrees from Columbia University. She taught in the Kalamazoo schools from 1918 until 1932, when she entered administrative ranks. Mrs. Risley leaves a daughter and a granddaughter.

1921

Evelyn Kelsey Holton, TC '21, died April 17 in Three Rivers, where she had lived since 1923. She leaves her husband, three daughters, including Marion Holton Shofner, '43, BS '49, Centreville, and Dr. C. Marjorie Holton, BS '46, Chardon, OH, a son, seven grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Million Powell, TC '21, BA '27, MA '55, died June 6 in Wyandotte, where for thirty-nine years he taught and coached at Roosevelt High School. He lettered as a West Coast distance runner in 1920, 1921, 1926 and 1927. He leaves his wife, Elizabeth Thal Powell, TC '28, BS '31, two daughters, E. Anne Johnson, BA '57, Milan, and Patricia Kopko, BS '54, West Bloomfield, two sons, David, BA '60, MA '62, Midland, and William, BS '59, MA '64, Bowling Green, KY, 22 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

1922

Dr. Sherman E. Andrews, BS '22, died May 18 in Kalamazoo. He had practiced medicine in Kalamazoo for about forty years. He was a past president of the Park Club, Michigan Alumni, Kalamazoo Academy of Medicine, New York Central Surgeons, and the Michigan Society of Industrial Surgeons. During WW II he served as a U.S. Army surgeon. He leaves three children and ten grandchildren.

1927

Dora Tesink, TC '27, BA '37, died June 15 in Algoma, where she had taught for many years. She leaves a brother and two sisters, including Mary Tesink, BA '28, Algoma, Theodore T. Thatcher, TC '27, died May 27 in Lansing, where he had been clerk of the House of Representatives for twenty years and was a three-term legislator. He leaves his wife, four sons, including Duane, BM '65, Middleville, two daughters, including Mary, BA '55, MA '61, Ravenna; seven grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

1928

Margaret Van Preenan Basker, TC '28, died June 9 in Kalamazoo. She was a Kalamazoo teacher for seventeen years, and was also director of St. Luke's Nursery School. She leaves a daughter and three sisters.

1931

Bernard F. Gaskell, BA '31, died May 28 in Kalamazoo. He had been a Combustion teacher for many years, and more recently a farmer.

Douglas Bronson Halsey, TC '31, died June 20 in Vicksburg. She taught in the Vicksburg schools for eighteen years, and is survived by her husband, son, two grandchildren, and a brother.

1932

Joe G. Adzima, BA '32, died May 10 in Niles. He taught in St. Joseph for ten years, and was with Bell & Howell Co., Lincolnwood, IL, from 1943 until retiring in 1975. He leaves his wife, two children, five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

1937

Ralph W. Barr, BA '37, died Dec. 9 in Rochester. He leaves his wife and two children.

Dorothy M. Spaulding, BS '37, died May 24 in Kalamazoo. She was a Kalamazoo elementary teacher, retiring in 1966. She leaves one brother.

1940

Helen Kosa Berrett, BA '40, died June 10 in Munster, IN. She had retired from teaching in 1984 and was a commissioned worker in the Calvin Synod, United Church of Christ, and a corporate member of its national board for world ministries. She leaves two daughters, two grandchildren, and two sisters, including Margaret Kosa Phillips, BS '46, Kensington.

1944

Florence McComb Fox, BS '44, MA '60, died May 28 in Kalamazoo. She leaves three children, including James N. Fox, '60, Kalamazoo; two grandchildren; and a sister.

1958

Roger R. Gill, BS '58, died May 27 in Mt. Clemens. He had been a teacher in the L'Anse Creuse schools for twenty-seven years and baseball coach in the high school for eleven years. He was head coach at the time of his death. He leaves his wife and a brother.

1962

Irene Luez Vogt Ely, MA '62, died June 25 in Kalamazoo. She was a graduate of Chicago State Teachers and taught for twenty-five years in Algoma, where she retired in 1980 and continued to live. She leaves five children, sixteen grandchildren, two sisters, and a brother.

Josephine Reid Kuch, MA '62, died May 29 in Dandridge, TN. A graduate of Kalamazoo College, she was a part-time children's librarian for the Kalamazoo Public Library. She leaves two children and four grandchildren.

1967

Dr. Robert Cooley Angell, HHD '67, died May 12 in Ann Arbor. He was a professor of sociology at the University of Michigan for thirty years and baseball coach in the high school for eleven years. He was head coach at the time of his death. He leaves his wife and a brother.

1973

Judy Chandonnet Ryan, BS '73, died May 6 in Muskegon. She leaves her husband, three children, her mother, and a sister.

1979

David C. Ocvirk, BBA '79, died June 9 in Kalamazoo. He was with the Essex Group, Inc., Plainwell. He leaves his parents, two sisters, and his grandparents.

1981

Thomas G. Clark, BBA '81, died June 2 in Ohio of auto accident injuries. He was a marketing director for Pacesetter Enterprises in Cleveland, OH. He leaves his parents and a brother.

Homecoming constituency activities

Alumni Band Association
Reception 9:00 p.m. - midnight October 5, Dalton Center Green Room; $3 per person, payable at the door. "Blitz from the Past," 9:30 a.m. October 6. Coffee and rolls; 10:15 a.m. Rehearsals in the morning and performance during the game. Contact Carl Doubleday at (616) 383-0910.

College of Business alumni
Reunion, Fetzer Business Development Center, 4:00-6:00 p.m. October 6.

College of Engineering and Applied Sciences
College faculty and staff look forward to seeing you at the Alumni luncheon; 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Saturday.

Delta Sigma Phi, Phi Sigma Epillon, Sigma Tau Gamma
Homecoming luncheon and game. Special tables will be reserved at the Delta Sigma Phi luncheon; at lunch, and a block of seats will be reserved at the game (advance sales only).

Delta Upilon
Pre-game open house, 10:30 a.m.; fraternity house. Dinner dance. Holiday Inn West, 6:00 p.m. October 6. Contact Eric Perry at (616) 327-4674.

Omega Delta Phi
Brunch; 10:30 a.m.; President's Dining Room, University Student Center. Postgame reception. Call (616) 383-6160.

“Live from Western… It’s Homecoming ‘84”

Reservation Form

NAME                             CLASS OF
ADDRESS                          ______________
CITY                             ______________
STATE                            ______________
ZIP                              ______________
PHONE (Home)                     ______________
(Business)                       ______________
Saturday, October 6

[ ] I/We will attend the Homecoming luncheon/football game.
$10.00 per person—Alumni Association members*  $5.00 per person—nonmembers
$11.00 per person—members

[ ] I/We wish to purchase Homecoming Luncheon tickets only.
$5.00 per person—Alumni Association members*  $6.00 per person—nonmembers
$5.00 per person—members

[ ] I/We wish to attend the Distinguished Alumni Awards Dinner.
$25.00 per person—members
$20.00 per person—nonmembers

[ ] I/We plan to attend the black alumni reception/dance.
$5.00 per person

[ ] I/We plan to attend the Homecoming AFTERGLOW dance.
$5.00 per person

[ ] TOTAL ENCLOSED
(Checks payable to WMU Alumni Association)

[ ] Please charge my MasterCard or VISA

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signature

* Membership discount applies to member and his/her immediate family.
Tickets will be sent by return mail if reservations are received prior to September 26.
Tickets will be held at the door for reservations received after that date.
NOTE: For football tickets only, contact the athletic office at (616) 383-1780.
For Miller Auditorium show tickets contact (616) 383-0933.
For MasterCard and VISA accepted for both.
NOTE: Please make all checks payable to WMU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
Mail to: Homecoming 1984
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