

The thirteenth graduation of Ambassador College, Pasadena.

## Messrs. Meredith, Hill Plan Summer Four-Continent Tour

Forty-nine days AROUND THE WORLD! This jet-powered schedule will whisk away two of God's ministers, Mr. Roderick C. Meredith and Mr. David Jon Hill, July 11.

The pair will visit FOUR CONTINENTS on the global fact-finding tour. The main purpose of the trip is to converse with natives on a grass-roots level with the hope of personal interviews, and to investigate world conditions firsthand. The background material thus obtained will be used in future PLAIN TRUTH articles and college classes.

After stopovers in Greece and Turkey the two will spend a *full month* in the ever-seething Middle East, visiting Egypt—focal point of the new UAR, Jerusalem—divided by a wall of hate like that in Berlin, and PETRA—ghost

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## Highlights From Graduation

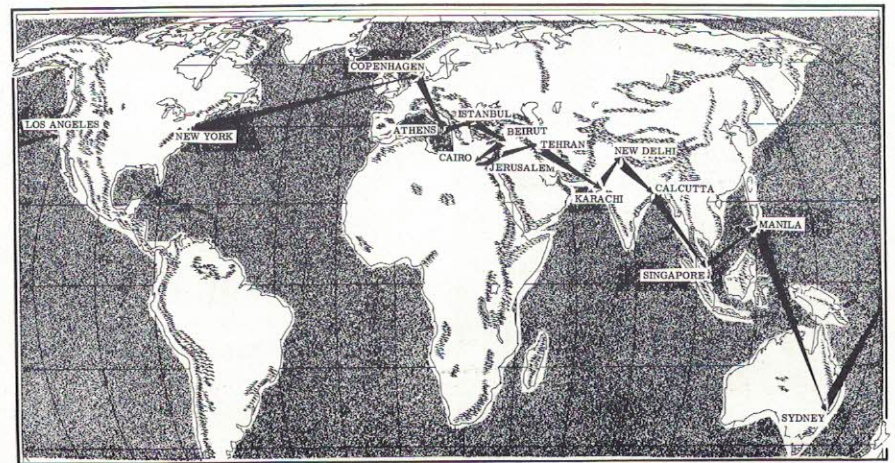
"Welcome to the *thirteenth* Commencement Exercise. . . of Ambassador College, Pasadena, California," Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong began on May 31, 1963 — at 4:00 p. m.

After this and prayer—Mr. Howard Clark, Student Body President—delivered his address. He began: "The faculty has been *interested* in our GROWTH. . . throughout four years . . . we are *not* part of an *intellectual MACHINE!*"

This was a theme—and the one of many characteristics that stands Ambassador APART from *all* institutions. We are not concerned with abstract—impersonal knowledge for knowledge's sake. We have learned (as Mr. Clark told us) for the purpose of USING the learning we have received—for *total character development!!*

### Mr. Armstrong's Address

"Will there be audiences . . . the  
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## New Chorale Officers Chosen

The Chorale is off to a fast start this year with the appointment of the new 1963-1964 Chorale officers.

The **PRESIDENT** for the coming year will be **DICK AMES**. Dick is an older student, though only in his second year here. He has shown a dedication and zeal in Chorale that will be a definite asset in his new responsibility.

Continuing this next year as the  
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New president . . . "that's GOOD!!"

### Editorial

## Analyze Your Summer Resolutions!

by Paul Kroll

What have YOU accomplished this summer? Are you meeting the goals you set up for yourself?—or have you FORGOTTEN those goals, set them aside in the corner drawer of last month's forgotten memories?

In the days and weeks that you have crossed off from the calendar—WHAT have YOU accomplished—where have you grown—in what direction have you *developed*?

Or have you fallen into a *rut*? Have you found yourself stressing ONE aspect of life (usually the one that comes *easy*)—and neglecting the other things—the factors that REALLY COUNT?

Which category are you in?

**ARE YOU IN THE TRANQUILIZER CATEGORY?** Have you been caught up in the social vortex of beach parties, mountain trips, amusement park outings, sun bathing—to the EXCLUSION of everything else?

Summertime is not a time to relax—to get netted in *hypnotic doldrums*! There *is* a time for relaxation. But it must only be ONE ASPECT of our total life. How do you measure up? Have you overbalanced yourself in this?

**ARE YOU IN THE BEEHIVE CATEGORY?** This is the fella' that's going to work SIXTEEN HOURS a day—even if it kills him (and it probably will *spiritually*) to pay off that college debt! What about it? Are you killing yourself spiritually to get your hands on some extra green paper?

*Everyone* should work DILIGENTLY! Everyone should earn as much money as possible. But not to the exclusion of growing spiritually, developing mentally—obtaining more social finesse! How about you?

**ARE YOU IN THE BOOKWORM CATEGORY?** Are you one of those unfortunates who is going to *closet himself* with a myriad number of musty volumes with *weather-beaten, eye-straining* print? Are you the fella' or gal who is going to "ace" every course next winter by studying this summer—perhaps *ten* or *twelve* hours a day? Strange as it seems, *some* MAY *do this!*

We SHOULD study—and *this summer!!* But NOT to the exclusion of pleasure and work—and SPIRITUAL GROWTH! How about you? Has the bookworm in you ensnared you to the point that next year you are going to be spiritually shipwrecked?

**ARE YOU IN THE OVERCOMER CATEGORY?** To come back this fall—a man or woman that has *grown and developed*—you are going to have to avoid all the former extremes!

You are going to have to WORK—you are going to have to STUDY—you are going to have to enjoy SOCIAL EVENTS. And you are going to have to *study and pray* to maintain the contact with God we so *desperately* need!

What about YOU? How have you fared so far? Which category do you fit in? Don't *kid* yourself!! If you find you are *not balanced*—wherever you may be, whether in Chicago, New York, Seattle, Podunk Flats, Cucamonga, Pasadena—or elsewhere—you MUST HAVE *this* balance!

Check your life! What are you doing with it *now!* What *will you do* with it in the remaining weeks!! Don't *waste* this summer behind a book. Don't shipwreck yourself behind an axe. Don't burn yourself spiritually on the beach!

Be balanced! *Work—study—relax*—MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH GOD!!



# Commencement

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same challenges . . . eulogizing in the ages beyond . . . will there be a commencement address in 1975 at Harvard?" Mr. Armstrong gravely — challengingly asked!

He continued:

"People cry, SAVE US from this world *we've* produced!"—and "What is education DOING about it? Are educational institutions producing *leaders* for tomorrow?"

And how *well* we Ambassadors know the answer—as he so dramatically pointed out:

"The answer: NO—education is doing *nothing!*" It *can* do nothing! It has NO "*new tools* to solve the *old* problems of the world . . . it has handed students the problems—and told them there *are* NO *answers!*"

As Mr. Armstrong told us during those memorable moments, we at Ambassador KNOW why the world wallows in its problems—we know what the frightening future will dump into the laps of our people. We have the TOOLS to SOLVE the problems of the world today.

With these words ringing in their minds, THIRTY-SIX Ambassador students proudly received one of the *highest* awards given in this day and age—a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Ambassador College. This *thirteenth* commencement exercise witnessed the second largest class to graduate from Ambassador. The 1962 class of 42 students was the largest.

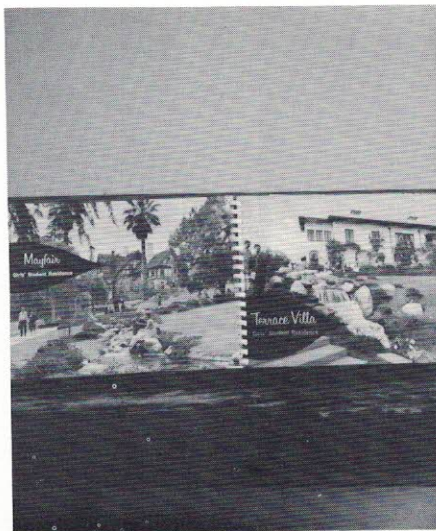
Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong conducted the ceremony, presiding on behalf of Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong who was in Bricket Wood, England.

The signed and sealed degrees signify years of diligent effort in "Recapturing True Values."

*Congratulations*, Class of 1963! The PORTFOLIO salutes you!

Don't believe the world owes you a living—the world owes you nothing—it was here first.

Cynic: a person who sees things as they are, not as they ought to be.



This little book packs an overwhelming punch!

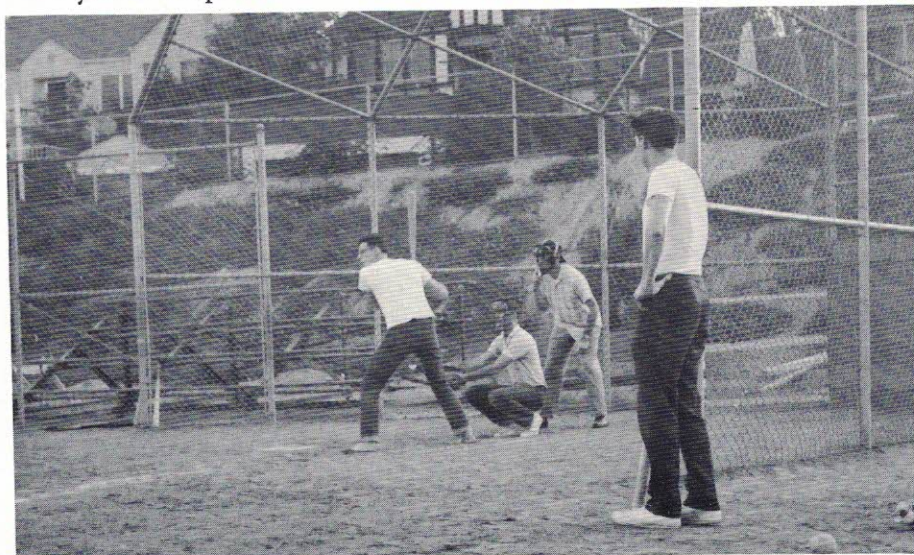
## In Full Swing

The Ambassador College Summer Softball League is burgeoning into full swing! Every Sunday evening Brookside Park reverberates the cheering and shouting of athletic Ambassadors putting their all into a gruelling game.

The league is composed of four teams: Mail Receiving, Mail Opening, Gardening, Faculty and Downstairs Press. The league standings will be posted in your PORTFOLIO. Also the scores of each game.

Back *your* Department or favorite team by attending these games held at 6:00 p.m. each and every Sunday. If you are not on a team and would enjoy playing, contact one of the captains—Mr. K. Fischer, Mr. Q. Robertson, Eugene Walter, or Roger West.

See you at the park!



Softball league in full swing!

## New Prospectus on Display

*Alive, moving, sparkling, magnificent, scintillating, and ineffable*, would be words insufficient to describe THE NEW BROCHURE of the Work of God!

From the moment you open the front cover until you close the last page, you are swept around the world via *resplendent*, lush, color photographs.

Pictures of the entire plant of the Work are set forth on its pages. The *gorgeous* plants and flowers of the campus, and the *bubbling* stream are revealed. The beautiful *vivid hues* of the Rosewood Room and the Faculty Dining Room greet your eyes in an array of *deep, luxurious colors*.

And that is just the beginning. From there you are taken around the entire world, to Australia, the Philippines, Canada, and the Campus in Bricket Wood—all shown in *magnificent color*.

Then as you leisurely turn through the last few pages, before your eyes is set the *PENTHOUSE EXECUTIVE SUITE!* *Deep, rich, lustrous, mahogany colors*, and fine-grained leather chairs give the atmosphere typifying AMBASSADOR COLLEGE DIGNITY, TRUE CULTURE AND TASTE!

The new BROCHURE, or PROSPECTUS, is certainly a worthy representation of THE WORK OF GOD! It's on display in the library—see it NOW!!





Terrace Villa "insides" thrown out! New interior takes shape.

## Terrace Villa Now Undergoing Complete Internal Face-lifting

An exquisite and spacious specimen of femininity—this is the NEW Terrace Villa, now emerging as the pace-setter in luxury and utility among the women's dormitories of Ambassador College.

The OLD Terrace Villa—purchased early in 1958 from the Manson family—had served faithfully despite its outdated (1905) decor. Finally, after a personal inspection tour by Evangelists Garner Ted Armstrong and Albert J. Portune, the long-delayed remodeling of the entire structure is well under way.

In all probability, subject to last minute alterations, the remade dormitory will appear somewhat as follows:

Partitions which long divided the dormitory into three isolated units will have crumbled—all points in the building being accessible from the *central doorway entrance!*

Entering the first floor foyer, the casual visitor will be greeted by warm and cozy burnt-orange draperies and brown chairs.

The burnt-orange motif will be carried over in the carpeting of the lounge and study areas adjoining the foyer on the south and north. The curtains in these rooms will be a soothing combination of *green, pink, and white.*

"Perimeter lights" — plugged into

wall outlets but suspended from the ceilings by chain-like cords, will provide ample illumination. Their petite, specially-designed wirework grill shades will heighten the feminine atmosphere.

The central staircase will also have burnt-orange carpeting accented by tie-back window curtains. The walls will be off-white now shorn of their former decorative butterflies and peacocks.

EACH bedroom will be *slightly different*, featuring varying shades of blue, orange, and tangerine—accented by light-colored carpets. The bedrooms will be supplemented by ample dressing tables, vanity (?) mirrors, and bathrooms. The only missing feature is, alas, a *kitchen!*

Spiritual life for the co-eds will be spurred by prayer booths on every level—including the revamped basement. HAPPY LIVING is certainly in store for our incoming '63 co-eds!

The patient complained bitterly, "Five dollars is an awful lot of money for pulling a tooth—just two seconds work."

"Well," the dentist replied consolingly, "if you wish, I can pull it very slowly."

There's one thing about baldness: it's neat.

## Chorale Officers Chosen for Next Year

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CHORALE MANAGER will be DENNIS PYLE. After producing "The Mikado" in the San Gabriel Civic, putting it on the stage in Texas is going to be quite a challenge to him.

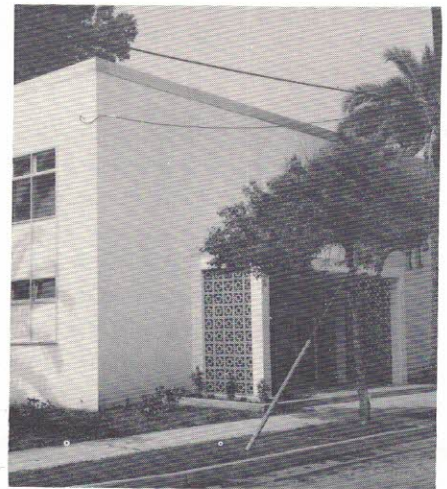
LANCE JOHNSON, who has put his energy into Chorale for the last two years and served heartily, will be the new SECRETARY-TREASURER.

And last, but not least, CAROL NESTOR will be serving the chorale as the LIBRARIAN for the coming year.

## The First Game!

At last, after anxious anticipation, the FIRST handball game *ever* was played on our own courts. The pioneers were Messrs. Garner Ted Armstrong, Albert J. Portune, Floyd Lochner, and Bernell Michel!

You are probably wondering who won! Well, we don't know either. But it *was* a GOOD GAME!



## World Tour

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city of stone that may yet become a citadel of safety for God's people.

In late August Messrs. Meredith and Hill will visit the Orient—Pakistan, India, Singapore—the Philippines and Australia, returning to Pasadena on August 29th.

The world is moving so fast these days that the man who says it can't be done is generally interrupted by someone doing it.