BETHANY NAZARENE COLLEGE

50th ANNIVERSARY

1909 - 1959

music from the year of celebration



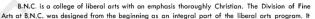
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DR. ROY H. CANTRELL President

RETHANY NAZARENE COLLEGE

Bethany Nazarene College, as it is known at the present time, developed through the merging of six educational institutions with the college located at Bethany. This year we are celebrating the Fiftieth Anniversary of the school located at Bethany. Oklahoma.

The primary purpose of Bethany Nazarene College is to foster, in a world of uncertainty and unrest, a faith in the spiritual and enduring values of christianity. In these fifty years, the College has outgrown buildings and added new ones. She has not outgrown — and praise God, never shall outgrow — her high tradition of sincerity, faith, conviction, and service.





C. H. RIPPER

is not organized as a separate school, but as a Division within the liberal arts college. The members of the Division are Art and Music. The department of Music offers a major in the field of applied music, church music, and music education. The work that is given is of high quality, and it is, under the supervision of a highly trained and competent music staff.

The A Cappella Choir was first organized in 1938. Since that time, it has appeared in annual concerts over the entire West Central Educational Zone of the Church of the Nazarene. We take pleasure in presenting Professor Lester Dunn and the 1959-60 A Cappella Choir, the Oratorio Chorus and Orchestra, and the A Cappella Choir and Band.

We are happy to present Professor Reuben Rodeheaver and the B.N.C. Band, Professor David Uerkvits at the Piano, Professor Chambers as Tenor Soloist and Carolyn Swigart at the Organ. The art work on the front cover was done by the art department.

We feel that the history of the past of B.N.C. is a prophecy of the future. We dedicate ourselves to our unfinished task.

LESTER L. DUNN Chairman, Division of Fine Arts

DIVISION OF FINE ARTS

Lester L. Dunn, Chairman, Music Education and Voice, B.F.A., M. Music., pupil of Joseph Benton, Franklin Bens, and studied in Europe with Alex Milschinoff. Principal of Public Schools 1938-42, Bethany Nozarene College 1942, on leave with U. S. Army 1942-45, served as Captain in Medical Administration, received the Combat Medic Badge and the Bronze Star. Listed in Who's Who in Education and Who's Who in American Scholars.

MEMBERS OF DIVISION

ART

Head of Department Ray Boman Anne Greve Eldred Ladue

MUSIC

Head of Department
Lester L. Dunn
Piano:
David Uerkvitz, Margaret Dunn, Betty Pogan.
Voice:
Lester L. Dunn, Eugene Chambers, Naami Dobson.
Organ:
Ruth Taylor
Band and Orchestra:

Keith Pagan, Reuben Rodeheover

50th ANNIVERSARY RECORD

SIDE I H. Eugene Chambers, Tenor Praise The Lord _____Clarum A Cappella Choir Lester L. Dunn, Director I Fell On My Knees and Cried "Holy" _____Cantwell Arr. Lester L. Dunn A Cappella Choir Lester L. Dunn, Tenor God of Our Fathers ___ A Cappella Chair and Band Lester L. Dunn, Conductor Halleluigh Chorus _____Handel Oratorio Chorus and Orchestra Lester L. Dunn, Conductor SIDE II Scherzo, from "Sonota in F# Minor Op. 2" David Uerkvitz, Pianist Hymn of Glory Pieton a yon (to the American Legion) Carolyn Swigart, Organist Arioso Band Reuben E. Rodeheaver, Conductor

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