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***FLORIDA HOSPITAL COLLEGE
OF
HEALTH SCIENCES***

***COMMENCEMENT
Sunday, May 1, 1994***

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS TO GRADUATES

This is the time for which we have waited, struggled and worked. This is a time for celebration. Graduation!

The goals that were one time only a dream are today a reality, but the challenge is not over. Now you must move out into the marketplace and utilize the skills and understanding you have gained over the past two years.

Education must do more than prepare people to have excellent technical skills. Education must teach individuals how to use their skills to ennoble the lives of their fellow man and to use their knowledge to better walk in the footsteps of others and make our world a better place in which to live.

The challenge I would hold out for this graduating class is to continue to strive for personal excellence while ennobling the lives of others.

David E. Greenlaw

BIOGRAPHIES

THOMAS L. WERNER

Thomas L. Werner has been President and Chief Executive Officer of Florida Hospital Medical Center, Orlando, Florida, since 1984. He also serves as Executive Vice President of Adventist Health System/Sunbelt, Florida Hospital's parent company. Coworkers have said of Mr. Werner, "He is devoted to others, caring about people from every station in life. He is a gentle giant."

Mr. Werner received his B. S. in Business Administration from Union College, his M. B. A. in Business Administration from the University of Nebraska, and has taken Advanced Studies in Health Care Administration at the University of Minnesota.

Mr. Werner served as Hospital Administrator at Tillamook General Hospital in Tillamook, Washington, for 4 years. He was also Vice President of Verticare in Portland, Oregon, for 2 1/2 years. He has been Assistant Personnel Director for Portland Adventist Hospital and an instructor in Business Administration for Union College in Lincoln, Nebraska.

In addition to his administrative duties at Florida Hospital, Mr. Werner is active in a number of community and professional organizations including United Way, Junior Achievement, and the Holocaust Memorial and Education Center of Central Florida. Bass fishing is one of his loves. He and his wife Sharon have two married children, Todd and Julie.

Several years ago Mr. Werner caught the vision that has now become Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences. The desire to develop a college to meet community and health care needs has been one of his dreams. With his guidance and support, the College first opened its doors in the fall of 1992 and he is currently Chairman of the College's Board of Trustees. It is only fitting, therefore, at this graduation, the first degree-granting ceremony of Florida Hospital College of Health Sciences, that we honor Mr. Werner.

ROBERT A. WILLIAMS

Robert A. Williams has most recently served as Vice President for Academic Administration of Florida Hospital College for the school year 1992-1993.

Dr. Williams received his B. A. degree in English from Western Michigan University in 1947. He obtained a Master's Degree in Speech from the University of Michigan in 1957 and a Ph.D. degree in Counselor Training from Michigan State University in 1964. He has also taken Postgraduate work at Harvard University.

Dr. Williams has a rich background in educational work. He served as Vice President for Education at Kettering Medical Center from 1983-1990. He was Provost of Kettering College of Medical Arts from 1983-1990.

In the 1970's Dr. Williams served in various positions at Andrews University, including Professor of Education; Dean of the School of Graduate Studies; Director of Doctoral Programs in Education; Chairman of the Department of Education; Assistant Dean in the School of Graduate Studies; and Director of Ed.D. Programs.

Prior to his work at Andrews, Dr. Williams served in the public school system in various capacities in Michigan. This experience included the positions of Director of Measurements and Guidance, Director of Pupil Personnel, and Instructor and Director of Counseling.

Dr. Williams is a member of several professional societies including the American Society of Health Professionals, the American Personnel and Guidance Association and the American School Counsel Association.

Bob Williams has tried to retire at least twice now, but Florida Hospital College keeps finding things for him to do. Not only has he been instrumental in the formation of this College, but he is also currently helping in its accreditation process.

He and his wife Lee are building a new home on Lake Yale just north of Eustis. They have four children and ten grandchildren.

To know Bob Williams is to love him, for he has a way of making everyone around him feel special.

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ACADEMIC REGALIA

The history of academic regalia dates back to the formation of the oldest universities. With European universities showing a diversified array of academic apparel, American colleges and universities decided to adopt a consistent system of academic attire approximately a century ago. The Intercollegiate Commission drafted an academic costume code that would impact colleges and universities in the United States.

The various academic gowns represent the different degrees that are conferred. For instance, the gown for the associate's and bachelor's degree has pointed sleeves. The gown for the master's degree has oblong sleeves which open at the wrist. The gown for the doctoral degree has bell-shaped sleeves which close at the wrist.

On the back of the gowns are hoods that are lined with the official color or colors from the college or university conferring the degree. The colors of the velvet trim represent the different disciplines in which the degree was conferred.

While members of our faculty hold degrees from numerous universities and colleges, space does not permit an identification of each.

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| <i>ARTS, LETTERS, HUMANITIES</i> | <i>White</i> |
| <i>BUSINESS</i> | <i>Drab</i> |
| <i>EDUCATION</i> | <i>Light Blue</i> |
| <i>FINE ARTS</i> | <i>Brown</i> |
| <i>LIBRARY SCIENCE</i> | <i>Lemon</i> |
| <i>NURSING</i> | <i>Apricot</i> |
| <i>PHILOSOPHY</i> | <i>Dark Blue</i> |
| <i>PUBLIC HEALTH</i> | <i>Salmon Pink</i> |
| <i>SCIENCE</i> | <i>Golden Yellow</i> |
| <i>THEOLOGY, MINISTRY</i> | <i>Scarlet</i> |