

ETS 27th ANNUAL PROGRAM

December 29-31, 1975 Reformed Theological Seminary,
 Jackson, Miss.
 Program Theme—Evangelicals, The Church, and Society

MONDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 29

Section A: Current Affairs Donald M. Lake, Chrm.
*Marxism and Contemporary Theology: Proposals for an Evangelical
 Political Theology* (1)—D. M. Lake, Wheaton College
The Challenge of Marx to Christian Thought Today (2)—R. D.
 Knudsen, Westminster Seminary
Evangelical Roots of Feminism (3)—D. W. Dayton, North Park
 Seminary

Section B: Biblical Studies Robert L. Alden, Chrm.
*Redaction Criticism and the Great Commission: A Case Study towards
 a Biblical Understanding of Inerrancy* (4)—Grant Osborne,
 Winnipeg Seminary
*Chiastic Psalms: A Study in the Mechanics of Semitic Poetry in Psalms
 51-150* (5)—R. Alden, Conservative Baptist Seminary
*The Structural Aspects in the Old Testament Prophet's Work and
 Message* (6)—G. H. Livingston, Asbury Seminary

Section C: Philosophy R. C. Roberts Chrm.
Dogmas of Liberation (7)—Walter F. Johnson, Seattle Pacific
 College
The Rationality of Christian Commitment (8)—J. D. Spiceland,
 Western Kentucky University
The Feeling of Absolute Dependence (9)—R. C. Roberts, Western
 Kentucky University

Section D: History Walter Elwell, Chrm.
An Examination of the Conservative Retreat (10)—W. Elwell,
 Wheaton College
*The Textual Variants of the "Apostolic Decrees" and their Setting in
 the Early Church* (11)—J. J. Scott, Jr.
*The Inadequacies of the "New Evangelicalism" Challenge Us to
 Develop a Better Method* (12)—R. A. Killen, Reformed
 Seminary

Section E: Ecclesiology David P. Scaer, Chrm.
*The Mission of the Evangelical Church in an Affluent Society in the
 Now* (13)—John Wahnert, Evangelical Christian Church
God Blesses What God Says (14)—R. Witty, Luther Rice College
*Church Order in the New Testament: Do Pastors Stand in the
 Succession of Christ and the Apostles* (15)—D. P. Scaer,
 Concordia Seminary

MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 29

Anniversary Banquet Coliseum Ramada Inn

Presidential Address: *Old Testament Reflections on Abortion*—Bruce K. Waltke, Dallas Theological Seminary

Section A: Social Philosophy John B. Hulst, Chrm.

The Biblical Development of a Christian Structure for Society (16)—F. N. Lee, Christian Studies Center*The Christian's Responsibility in the Political Arena* (17)—J. B. Hulst, Dordt College*The Nature and Importance of the Christian School* (18)—N. Harper, Reformed Seminary*Kingdom and Church—Church and Society: A Biblical Re-examination of the Calvinistic Perspective* (19)—F. H. Klooster, Calvin Seminary

Section B: New Testament R. L. Thomas, Chrm.

The Meaning and Use of EKKLESIA in the First Century (20)—S. E. Anderson, Elgin, Illinois*The Significance of PISTEUO EIS TO ONOMA and BAPTIZO EIS TO ONOMA* (21)—J. Horner, Oral Roberts*Did St. Paul Winter in Nicopolis (Tit. 3:12)* (22)—G. A. Turner, Asbury Seminary*An Examination of Agreements between Matthew and Luke against Mark* (23)—R. L. Thomas, Talbot Theological Seminary

Section C: Theology Morton H. Smith, Chrm.

Did Christ Offer to Israel an Earthly Kingdom? (24)—W. Broomall, Atlanta School of Biblical Studies*Is There HEIL for HEILSGESCHICHTE?* (25)—R. B. Allen, Western Conservative Baptist Seminary*The Church and Covenant Theology* (26)—M. H. Smith, Reformed Theological Seminary*Evangelicalism Pure and Mixed* (27)—J. H. Gerstner, Pittsburgh Seminary

Section D: Ecclesiology William L. Lane, Chrm.

Social Legitimation: The Church's Precarious Role (28)—A. J. Schmidt, Lenoir Rhyne College*The Role of the Church in the Display of God's Intention* (29)—W. L. Lane, Western Kentucky*"Faith Promise"—An Evaluation in the Light of Historic Evangelical Practice* (30)—G. Oliver, Reformed Seminary*The Messianic Jew and the Church Councils* (31)—L. Goldberg, Moody Bible Institute**TUESDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 30**Section A: Social Philosophy J. Robertson McQuilken, Chrm.
The Behavioral Sciences Under the Authority of Scripture (32)—J. R. McQuilken, Columbia Bible College

- Toward an Evangelical Model of Social Responsibility* (33)—R. E. Webber, Wheaton College
The Race Issue in the Light of Scripture (34)—W. H. Baker, Mount Holly, New Jersey

- Section B: History John N. Akers, Chrm.
John Wesley's Evangelical Man (35)—E. A. Fuhrman, Wesley Biblical Center
Southern Presbyterians and Slave Evangelization, An Example of Conflict and Accommodation (36)—J. N. Akers, Montreat-Anderson College
Attitudes towards Women Reflected in Non-Canonical Literature of the Ante-Nicene Period (37)—M. Howe, Western Kentucky
Did Paul Teach, "Every OTHER sin a man commits is apart from the body"? *A Consideration of I Cor. 6:18-20* (38)—J. B. Hurley, Covenant College
A Bibliography for Evangelical Reform (39)—J. A. Hedstrom, Vanderbilt
The Queen and Her Handmaiden (40)—G. M. Dyck, Trinity Christian College

- Section D: Creation James H. Olthuis, Chrm.
The Doctrine of Creation: The Basis for COMMUNAL Christian Scholarship (41)—G. Van Groningen, Reformed Seminary
Needed: An Evangelical Doctrine of Creation (42)—J. H. Olthuis, Institute for Christian Studies
Crucial Scientific Evidence Regarding Creation and the Time Problem (43), Illustrated lecture—M. L. Lubenow, Wayne, Michigan

TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 30

- Illustrated lecture: *Archaeological Prospect at Colossae* (44)—W. Harold Mare, Covenant Seminary
 Panel Discussion: *The Role of the Woman in the Church*—Moderator, Robert Strong. Panel Members: Lucille S. Dayton, Margaret Howe, George W. Knight III, Francis Nigel Lee, Marten H. Woudstra

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 31 ETS Business Session

- Illustrated lecture: *The Four Achaemenid Capitals: Susa, Ecbatana, Pasargadae, and Persepolis* (45)—E. M. Yamauchi, Miami U.
 Illustrated lecture: *Archaeological Survey in Transjordan since Nelson Glueck* (46)—R. Ibach, Jr., Winona Lake, Indiana

Sectional Discussions

Old Testament—Bruce K. Waltke and Ronald B. Allen, Chrm.

New Testament—William L. Lane, Chrm.

History—John H. Gerstner, Chrm.

Theology and Philosophy—Donald M. Lake, Chrm.