



FOCUS | Summer 2015

## Superb summer edition

Marveled at the amount of ongoing research and the diversity of research content at Andrews described in the summer 2015 FOCUS. Enjoyed the depth of the Hare Legacy, Behind the Scenes at GC Session, Dr. Andreasen's "Andrews in San Antonio" summary, the plans for the future and many updates. Only disappointment was the announcement of the president's retirement. Read from cover to cover in one setting. Thanks for always making us proud to be alumni!

**Darlene Puymon** (MA '68)

"The Quetico: A Family Journey" by Roy Castelbuono caught our eye in the summer 2015 issue.

We attended Emmanuel Missionary College and Tony Castelbuono was our friend. To read what his family encountered and see the canoes used was a fun experience for us. Thank you for this story.

**Fred** (BA '47) & **Velma Beavon**

Thank you for an excellent magazine. I enjoyed reading all the fascinating articles included in your summer 2015 issue and applaud the research and efforts students and faculty are engaging in.

The Hare legacy story was interesting to me also. I remember as a child listening to Eric B. tell his stories, raising those expressive eyebrows to match his expressive voice, and later attended Takoma Academy with his son, Peter, who was an accomplished trumpeter. Let's not forget legacies like this.

God bless the progress at Andrews.

**Elaine Tarr Dodd** (att.)

On page 4 of the summer 2015 FOCUS is an invitation to take an online survey regarding how you're doing. I typed in the information given and the website didn't produce a survey for me to take. So I'll say it my own way. I like the in-depth articles and the variety of topics.

I was especially intrigued to read about what went on behind the scenes at the GC Session. In that article I learned that Clyde Franz, the GC member of the Secretariat who was the first to contact my husband about mission service at Solusi College in 1968, is still alive. The first contact came in May of

1968. By the end of August we were at Solusi College. During the Christmas season that year Elders Franz and Carsich were itinerating in Southern Africa and spent Christmas at our mission. No one, not even my husband, knew how homesick I was feeling. It cheered my heart more than anyone could ever know to have those two men give up their Christmas with their families and spend the time with us.

**Janet Schlunt** (BS '62)

**Editor's Note:** The online survey is still operational at the following url: [www.andrews.edu/focus/survey](http://www.andrews.edu/focus/survey) It will remain up until January 31, 2016. Please take a few minutes to provide your feedback. We'd appreciate your valuable input!

## Privilege of education

I congratulate you on the inspiring issues of FOCUS.

I was born into a Sikh family (non-Christian religion) and grew up in India.

My first acquaintance with Christian education was at Spicer Memorial College of Poona, India. Later, I was sponsored by the Southern Asia Division to attend Andrews University in Berrien Springs, Michigan. Yes, this was a long time ago (1964–1965).

As a member of the Class of 1965 I can vividly recall the graduation service. The commencement speaker was H.M.S. Richards Jr. Upon graduation I returned to Spicer Memorial College to teach.

It was a great privilege to have been a student at Andrews University.

Best wishes to you all.

**Jaswant Kapur** (MA '65)

## Don't forget to write

### Letters are always welcome.

To ensure a range of viewpoints, we encourage letters of fewer than 300 words. Letters may be edited for content, style and space.

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