TRAVELS NOW AND THEN

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IRELAND 1990

Trip to Ireland and Northern Ireland, Wed., Aug.8, to Sat. Sep.1, 1990





Newcastle, County Down





Climbing Slieve Donard with Michael





Climbing Slieve Donard with Michael



Uncle Cecil Brennen and mum





Ballykelly





Ballymoney, Islandmagee



Ballymoney, Islandmagee





North Antrim coast





Fort Royal near Rathmullan, Donegal



Lough Swilly coast near Port Salon



Brennen gravesite, Magherafelt





Mum's new bungalow in Magherafelt





Mum's new bungalow in Magherafelt





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Mum's new bungalow in Magherafelt

Either before or after this trip to the north I travelled to Limerick to visit the University of Limerick.

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SCENES AND MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT ONE

OVERTURE

Scene 1: A Hilltop near Camelot - A long time ago.

MARCH
I WONDER WHAT THE KING IS DOING TONIGHT - Arthur
THE SIMPLE JOYS OF MAIDENHOOD - Guenevere
CAMELOT - Arthur & Guenevere
GUENEVERE'S WELCOME
CAMELOT (Reprise) - Guenevere

Scene 2: Near Camelot - Immediately following. FOLLOW ME - Nimue

Scene 3: Arthur's Study - Five years later. CAMELOT (Reprise) - Arthur & Guenevere

Scene 4: Countryside near Camelot - A few months later.
C'EST MOI - Lancelot

Scene 5: A Park near the Castle - Immediately following.
THE LUSTY MONTH OF MAY - Guenevere & Ensemble
PELLINORE'S ENTRANCE
THE LUSTY MONTH OF MAY (Reprise - End of Scene) Guenevere & Ensemble
CHANGE OF SCENE

Scene 6: A Terrace of the Castle - Sundown, two months later. HOW TO HANDLE A WOMAN - Arthur

Scene 7: The Dressing Tents outside the Jousting Field - The next day.

TENT SCENE

THE TUMBLERS

Scene 8: The Grandstand of the Field - Immediately following.
THE JOUSTS - Arthur, Guenevere & Ensemble
CHANGE OF SCENE

Scene 9: The Terrace - Early evening, the same day. BEFORE I GAZE AT YOU AGAIN - Guenevere

Scene 11: The Great Hall - Immediately following. FINALE ACT ONE

ACT TWO

ENTR'ACTE

Scene 1: Main Terrace of the Castle - A few years later, afternoon.

MADRIGAL and IF EVER I WOULD LEAVE YOU - Lancelot

THE SEVEN DEADLY VIRTUES - Mordred

CHANGE OF SCENE

Scene 2: The Terrace - Late afternoon, one month later. WHAT DO THE SIMPLE FOLK DO - Arthur & Guenevere

Scene 3: A Forest near Camelot - The next day, late afternoon.
ENCHANTED FOREST

Scene 4: The Forest of Morgan Le Fey - Immediately following.
THE PERSUASION - Mordred & Morgan Le Fey
THE INVISIBLE WALL
CHANGE OF SCENE

Scene 5: Corridor of the Castle - Later that night.

CORRIDOR SCENE

CHANGE OF SCENE and INCIDENTAL MUSIC

Scene 6: The Queen's Bedchamber - Later that night. I LOVED YOU ONCE IN SILENCE - Guenevere

Scene 7: Camelot - Immediately following. GUENEVERE - Ensemble

Scene 8: The Battlefield outside Joyous Gard - Pre-dawn.

BATTLE CALL

FAREWELL

CAMELOT (Reprise) - FINALE ULTIMO - Arthur

MUSIC FOR CURTAIN CALLS AND EXIT

CAST

ARTHUR - Mark Adler **GUENEVERE** - Lynne Cooper LANCELOT - David M. Stevens PELLINORE - Bruce McLaughlin MERLIN - David Goodstein MORDRED - Todd Brun MORGAN Le FAY - Diana Lynn Lettman NIMUE - Amanda Heaton DINADAN - Chris Brennen LIONEL - Simon Morris SAGRAMORE - Joseph Beckenbach DAP - Paul Bartholomew TOM OF WARWICK - Isaac Gary CASTOR - Steve Kellogg CLARIUS - Jonah Michaud COLGREVANCE - John Hart BLIANT - Dan Kegel GUILLIAM - Allen Corcorran LADY ANNE - Pamela Walton ARCHIMEDES - Jonah Michaud PRIEST - Doug Smith HORRID - Sadie GUARD - Matt Kidd LUTE PLAYER - Kurt Ware GUENEVERE SOLOIST - Allen Corcorran HERALD - Richard Doherty

HERALD TRUMPETERS - Rick Koshi, Amitabh Mehra

PAGES - Matt Kanbara, Jonathan Murray

VILLAGE CHILDREN - Kenneth Parry, Ben Gary

SNOW NYMPHS - Carolyn Cabanski, Anna George, Patricia Houseworth, Jessica Lee, Susan Lee, Diana Lynn Lettman, Ann Lindsey, Susan Odry, Gina Walton, Melinda Wood

SPRING NYMPHS - Patricia Houseworth, Jessica Lee, Susan Odry, Gina Walton, Melinda Wood"

LUSTY MONTH OF MAY" DANCERS - Mark Boyles, Carolyn Cabanski, Richard Doherty, Jonathan Elliott, Dale Gary, Anna George, Amanda Heaton, Susan Lee, Diana Lynn Lettman, Ann Lindsey, Jonah Michaud, Kurt Ware

ACROBATIC TROUPE - Mark Boyles, Carolyn Cabanski, Anna George, Amanda Heaton, Rick Koshi, Jessica Lee, Susan Lee, Diana Lynn Lettman, Alan Low, Dusty Martin, Kelly Martin, Gina Walton, Melinda Wood MORGAN'S COURT/WOOD NYMPHS - Mark Boyles, Carolyn Cabanski, Jonathan Elliott, Dale Gary, Anna George, Tim Gerk, Patrica Houseworth, Susan Lee, Ann Lindsey, Jonah Michaud, Ross TenEyck, Gina Walton, Kurt Ware

FIRE DANCERS - Anna George, Susan Lee, Diana Lynn Lettman, Ann Lindsey

DEATH BRIDES - Carolyn Cabanski, Patricia Houseworth

QUARTERSTAFF TEAM - Joseph Beckenbach, Tim Gerk, Ross TenEyck, Kurt Ware

KNIGHTS - Mark Boyles, Jonathan Elliott, Dale Gary, Tim Gerk, Alan Low, Fred Mallon, Doug Smith, Ross TenEyck, Kurt Ware

LADIES IN WAITING - Jackie Akers, Tien-Yee Chiu, Lori Fry, Kyle Gary, Julie Hakewill, Tanya Kurosky, Ann Lindsey, Georgia Morton, Christina Olsen, Eve Sheiman, Gina Walton, Susan Odry

ORCHESTRA

CHARLOTTE MANLY - Violin DAVID RHOADARMER - Violin MIKE LOOPER - Violin EMILY WEN - Violin JANCIS MARTIN - Viola DAVID MACKAY - Viola DAVID ROSS - French Horn AIMIE SMITH- French Horn HONGEKI CHIO - French Horn MARK LAND - Trombone SCOTT BABCOCK - Percussion JOHN GRADE - Percussion SEAN JOHNSTON - Oboe ANDY HYJER - String Bass MILT DAVIS - Trumpet **CONNIE JOSIAS - Clarinet** ED LEWIS - Flute DON GROSS - Clarinet HARRY PORTA - Bassoon **BOB HARDAWAY - Guitar** JILL SOHA - Cello LINDA LANG - Pianist

LINDA LANG, SEAN JOHNSTON, LYNN FINGER, AL PETERSON - Rehearsal Pianists

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ASSISTANT CHOREOGRAPHER - Jennie Butler
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TECHNICAL DIRECTOR - Chris Marneus
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LIGHTING DESIGNER - Rex Rogers
COSTUME DESIGNER - Sandra Fogler
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WARDROBE MASTER - Harold Zatz
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DANCE CAPTAIN - Carolyn Cabanski

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CARPENTERS - Erin Conrad, Ross TenEyck
RIGGER - Patrick Maurer
ASSISTANT RIGGER - Jose Restrapo
CREW - Ben Gary, Dale Gary, Tim Gerk, Greg Harry, Tish Hauge, Peter Jones,
Steve Kellogg, Russ Litchfield, Susan Odry, Jose Restrapo, Doug Smith

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PATCH BOARD OPERATOR - Mark Vaughan
SOUND BOARD OPERATOR - Bill Woody
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FLYMAN - Darryl Lee
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SEAMSTRESS - Annie Fogler
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CREW - Jackie Ackers, Joseph Beckenbach, Leif Bennett, Tien-Yee Chiu,
Thelma Cowan, Bertha Gary, Kyle Gary, Amanda Heaton, Linda Kanbara,
Diane Lynn Lettman, Suzzanna Murray, Kathy Pearson, Eve Sheiman,
Pamela Walton, Jennifer Wright

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MASTER ARMOURER - Leif Bennett CREW - Janis Beckenbach, Joseph Beckenbach, Mark Boyles, Carolyn Cabanski, Tien-Yee Chiu, Allen Corcorran, Rich Doherty, Jonathan Elliott, Doug Smith

PROPS CREW

CREW - Janis Beckenbach, Leif Bennett, Paul Bartholomew, Jennifer Forman, Marka Hibbs, Kathy Pearson, Pamela Walton, Harold Zatz

In Memory of Barry Robert Krueger July 19,1965 - October 29, 1990



"It is plain that we exist for our fellow men

-- in the first place for those upon whose
smiles and welfare our happiness depends,
and next for all those unknown to us
personally but to whose destinies we are
bound by the tie of sympathy."

-Albert Einstein

Ushers

Brian Biswell Joseph Chiu Erin Cramer Mark Humphreys Ben Masek Baoquoc Pham

The music is played by Erica Alliston, a freshman in Fleming House. Erica is playing songs that Barry had taught himself on the piano.

Memorial contributions in Barry's name may be sent to: Phi Delta Theta Educational Foundation 2 South Campus Avenue 0×ford, Ohio 45056

"...The entire institute mourns the passing of a young man who was not only a vibrant and energetic young scientist and engineer, but was also an outstanding citizen who was a truly caring mentor and confidante. Few students who have passed through these academic hallways have given as much of themselves to this community."

-Christopher Brennen Dean of Students

<u>Memorial Service</u> November 30, 1990

Arden Albee
Dean of Graduate Studies

Christopher Brennen
Dean of Students

Andrew Mutz
Graduate Student
Materials Science

Thad Vreeland
Professor
Materials Science

Hyon Lew Sophomore Fleming House

David Lingrey Captain, Pasadena Men's Club (Rugby)

Please join us for refreshments following the service

THE EIGHTH SEMI-OCCASIONAL SOPS BANQUET

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1990 et the ATHENAEUM

Schedule of Events

- 6:30 No host cocktail in the Athenaeum Library
- 7:15 Dinner in the Hall of Associates

Salad
Breast of Chicken filled with white and
wild rice - Mango glaze
Vegetables per Chef
Apple Pie à la Mode

- 8:30 Entertainment
 - 1. Quake, Rattle, and Roll
 Thomas Building Staff, Producers
 - 2. The Thesis Defense Fossil Productions
 - 3. Rap of the B.A.P.

 Assistant Professors' Guild
 - 4. Entrainment Tonight SOPS Realizations, inc.

Awards to outstanding Thomas building residents and friends will be made by SOPS between the various presentations

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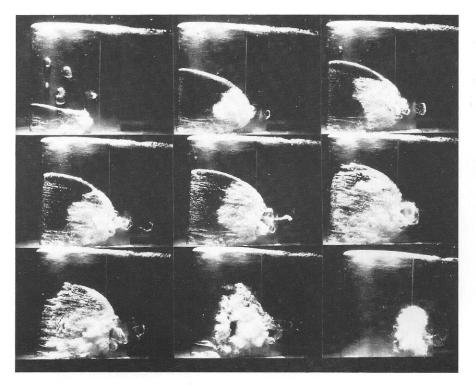
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Sequences of photos showing progressive states of cavitation on an oscillating three-dimensional hydrofoil. Photographs taken by graduate student Doug Hart.

Virtually all current energy systems, existing and projected, require a more detailed knowledge of the properties of multiphase and multicomponent flows than is presently available in the engineering literature. Some mixture flows have been studied in considerable detail in the past. For example, there exists a considerable body of literature in dilute suspension rheology, in dilute dusty-gas fluid mechanics, and in simple liquid/gas mixture flow. Other areas, notably those involving concentrated suspensions, slurries, granular material, or chemically reacting mixtures (e.g., in fluidized beds) are poorly documented or understood.

Caltech has a long history of fundamental contributions in the area of multiphase flow. For example, one of the first high-speed cavitation water tunnels in the world was built at the Institute, and research in cavitation continues to this day.

Current research projects involve studies of the interaction of turbulence and boundary layers with cavitation; cavitating tip vortices on unsteady lifting surfaces; measurements of the microscopic nuclei causing cavitation, using optical techniques; and studies of the dynamics and acoustics of clouds of cavitating bubbles.

Multiphase flows with solid particles are of interest in a wide range of technologies. One current effort is a study of the mechanics and heat transfer in flowing granular material in which the rheology is dominated by particle/particle and particle/wall collisions rather than by viscous effects in the interstitial fluid (see "Heat Transfer and Thermal Systems"). Most of these efforts are primarily experimental, and in many instances instrumentation of the flows represents a considerable challenge. The emphasis in the department is on novel approaches designed to identify the fundamental phenomena.

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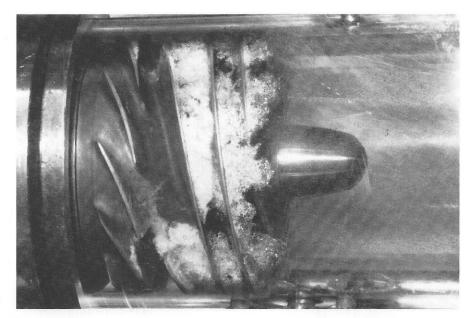
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Turbomachinery and Internal Flows

Caltech has had a long history of involvement with turbomachine development in practice and theory. A unique laboratory was developed by Robert Knapp (1900–1957) for the accurate testing of the pumps that bring water to southern California. Axial flow turbomachine technology was intensely pursued here in the forties and fifties by Professors Rannie and Marble. Currently, research is directed at unsteady internal flows of hydraulic turbopumps for rocket propulsion, although these machines are typical of modern industrial applications in most respects. Interaction between blades of rotors and stators in such machines can lead to highly unsteady, strong pressure fluctuations, causing material failure, noise, and cavitation damage. Other internal flow phenomena can lead to unsteady pulsating flow (surge) both in compressors and in hydraulic turbopumps, and propagating disturbances (rotating stall) can seriously limit performance and may lead to failure. Another, more recently discovered, phenomenon of centrifugal rotors affects the stability of the rotor support structure; in some flows the existence of a fluid dynamic force that results from flow through the rotor and from the pressure forces that act on external shrouds (if any), may tend to promote shaft whirl. This effect can lead in some circumstances to subharmonic shaft vibrations in high power density applications in current practice. The effects of rotor/diffuser spacing, blade type, axial or radial flow, and inlet velocity distortion are all important and are currently under study.



Cavitation in a scale model of the low-pressure liquid-oxygen turbopump of the Space Shuttle Main Engine.

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Marzo/90

Chris, after raising the matter, the loast that I could do would be to repay you the \$2 that you loaned me (a long time ago) to saveme from having to face an embarrassing discussion with The cashier at the cafeteria. It was very gentlemanly of you to reserve me, and even more so, to not ask for the repayment. I'm truly sorry that it slipped my mind for so long - each time I thought about it was a time when I dednot have two dollar bills in my focket. with thanks, and apologies formy Charles Balmer Tardeness ,

Last week I got a letter from Gabriela in which she mentioned, in passing, the death of Bibi Jentoff-Nilson. It came as quite a jolt to me. I don't know if you knew it, but Bibi and I become friends in my last few months at Techo we exchanged a large number of letters in the two and a half years since [left. I feel I need to know what happeneds. Can you tell me? Also, I'd like to send a condolence letter to her sister (was her name Marit?). Do you have an address for her? Of course, this late, and at this distance, there's not much I can do for anyone. But, for my own peace of mind, I would like these small things before I try to put it in my past. Thanks.

While I have pen and paper in hand, I green I should give you an update on life on this side of the Pacific.

My touching has gone extremely well.

This year one of my two courses was evaluated by our equivalent of your TRER, and the results were unfallierably good. The only problem is that they didn't leave me any room for improvement. And I believe I can land will improve my teaching, with time. I've also built a good relationship with the students. Several come by my office pretty regularly just to talk. And when the students discovered my birthday, my office became the center for what amounted to a 3 day long continuous land often

vaucus) party. We all had a great time, except maybe a few of the older faculty members down the hall who didn't really know what to make of it.

know what to make of it.

Somewhat unexpectedly, sin the last

year live become something of a magnet

for problem students too. During that time

live dealt with three of flavourt students

(only one from my own classes) whoire had

to check them selves into wellington

Prychiatric Hospital. This was definitely

not part of the job description.

My regarded is still slow, although to an now generating some reasonable data on now generating some reasonable data in one project. I have not (at least yet) taken any graduate students, and the teaching and other stuff don't leave me teaching and other stuff don't leave me much time in the 106. But, these are the priorities that I am setting, so I have no right to complain.

The important name is that Betty is taking a one year followship at the center for strategic studies and Arms Center for strategic studies and Arms Central at Gtanford. The returns to the central at the start of September. Obviously, I am staying here, and plans of fer the one year are uncertain. So I feel vary much up in the air right now. It is quite possible that Betty will drop by Teek for a visit when she visits relatives in LA in September, so you might see her.

I know better than to ask you to write to me (except to give me the info.

I asked for at the beginning of this letter)

but I would like to know how you are.

Are Jeanne and Sue still there? If

10, yey hello for me. In fact, I'd

have no objection to you passing

this letter on to them.

Fam, of course, not in contact with engene at Tech right now. But I know that in her letters in April/May/June of '89, Bib' expressed a lot of disappointment with the fact that Caltech was becoming more cautious and protective (for legal reasons she understood) and arbitrary and non consultative (for veasons neither of us understood). Given that I thought that Caltech finally had all the right people in all the right positions, that came as a bit of a surprise to me.

well, I'd better get back to work. Give my negards to Doreca. Take it easy chois. Love,

It's been a long time since we've heard from you. I hope all is well. Now that another school year is over, I'm sure you'll get to do some resting (at least, I hope so.) Sam and I finally bought a house. It's a cute little place in the mountains, with 8 acres, a pond, and a horse corral. Here's our new address in case you ever decide to drop us a note : p 66 Gordon Creek Rd effective Borlder CO, 80302 June 30,1990 (303) 258 - 7833 Galaile



Chris,

Don't feel under any pressure to write to me, just because you receive a letter from me. I am an avid letterwriter, and most people I write to usually respond by telephone or not at all. I suppose I'm one of a dying breed. That is: while my friends & per peers are all communicating via "E-mail", I'm at picking

out some new stationery. In light of the fact that you don't write very often in general, I thank you sincerely for your letter. I have heard numerous things through the grapevine about how things are going at Tech. It seems a difficult time and I'm sorry you have to deal with it - but I'm glad it's not my problem anymere. I suppose everyone likes being able to feel that way now i then.

I know few of the administrators at tech very well, but I feel I know you fairly well. Well enough to trist that you put your heart into the issues you deal with and this is comforting. I've always admired and trusted you a great deal, (still do), so I feel that, at least with you, the students are in good hands. Sam ad I are doing very well out here. Colorado seems to fit us both to a tee. We are very happy with ar new home. It's little, but very cute and warm. A real good first home for a couple our agl. Our dog, la Siberian Husky named Sheba) really enjoys the 7 acres she has to vin on. We want to get a companion for her; hopefully a full- or 5- wolf. (There are surprisingly many of them here) Graduate school is going well. At times it is exciting and Jun. Other times it is pure pustration. But il have never regretted my decision to continue my education - even it sam does make twice as much as I do.

Sam is doing essentially what a graduate student does. He is working in optics for a professor also got his undergraduate and graduate degrees from Caltech, (named Kelvin Wagner, darb, red-head, maybe you know him.) Anyway, the only real differences between what Iam Eldo is that he doesn't get a PhD in 4 years, he gets to go home at 5:00 every day, and he gets a really good parking spot. Maybe in four years our salaries and perks will oven ort. In terms of our personal lives, things are going smoothly. We made the transition to domesticity without many problems. We haven't discussed marriage, be cause sam is "morally against it," (it's a long story; I'll get into it some other time.) But, in the back of my mind I'm still wishing for him to propose to me someday. I guess

I'm just a frustrated house-wife. (ha ha)

I hope things are well with your

family - that your daughter basn't

destroyed many more cars. I hope, also,

that you are not working too hard so

that you can remain as youthful as you

have always seemed to me. Take care

of yourself. We are thinking of you...

gar friend, Jadrile Cerago Dear Chris,

I will have many fond
memories of Caltech. One of muy
fondest will be the memory of you.
You have been a wonderful person
to know throughout my five year
stay at Caltech.

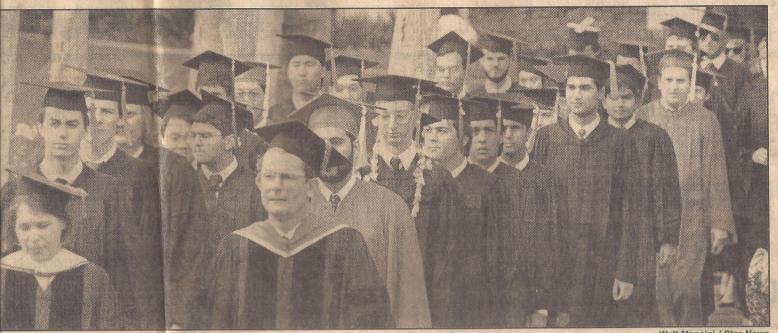
I want to thank you for being so inspirational to me it is not something you tried to do actively, but rather something that comes of the person you are. You have chad many varied experiences throughout your lite, some good and some bad. Most people who have been through as much seem to either forget that they were ever young, or become bitter because of the bad times they've had. The Chris Brennen I've come to know seems to have made the best of all he's seen and lived you've given me bits

and pieces of your past, always with some Brennenly piece of wisdom which you've gained from that part of your life. But most importantly, you've not forgotten what it is like to be going: to think that you know everything, to feel invincible, and at the same time to be so uncertain about everything. And because you have not forgotten, you've always been able to help. I don't believe I am exagginating

when I say to you that I would probably not have made it through Caltech without you. Your patience, under-standing, and wisdom were really the fiel that kept me going at some of my most difficult times.

I hope that many other stidents are as fortunate as I have been and are able to find and appreciate the treasures that are in your heart. As for this stident, here and gone in fire years, I will always deeply appreciate what you've done. You trend to brief

Marching on to greatness



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raduating students, professors and alumni walk to their seats before Caltech's commencement Friday

Speaker tells grads how not to flunk life

Caltech audience takes ceremony seriously

y JANE ESTES aff Writer

PASADENA — Caltech's class of 1990 ay have a superb education, but the gradutes will flunk life if they don't possess courge and commitment, Cornell University resident Frank Rhodes told them at their emmencement Friday.

Refusing to recognize the burdens, conseuences, dignity and freedom of courageous ommitment is to flunk life, Rhodes told the 97 graduates and twice as many relatives and friends on the lawn south of Beckman uditorium.

"Flunking life is the failure to recognize hat from those to whom much is given, such is required," he said. "Flunking life is a ignore the link between professional practice and personal commitment. Flunking life to deny that your diploma gives you not have an obligation to lead, but also to serve, etting 'A's in life has at its heart not catchy logans, but commitment reinforced by

deeply and courageously held conviction."

About to take their leave of an institution where students are notorious masters of mischief, the graduates took their commencement and its speaker seriously. Except for an inflated plastic shark that took an occasional sky dive, a student who blew bubbles and another who said, "Hi Mom," into the microphone as he received his degree, the graduates were decorous. And unlike the caps of many California State University graduates, only two were decorated — one with the words "Love Toad," the other with a snapshot of the graduate's family.

Tears came to more than one father and mother as their sons and daughters collected 192 bachelor's degrees, 157 master's degrees, and 148 doctorates, in engineering, chemistry, biology, physics, mathematics, geology and astronomy.

Rhodes reminded the graduates that the world has changed with unparalleled speed since they began their academic careers at Caltech. Not since the late 18th century has the ideal of freedom carried such force in the world, he said. He noted that in one year communism has collapsed in eastern Europe, Soviet states have demanded reform

and South Africa has shown hopeful signs of dismantling apartheid.

"It cannot be otherwise over the longer term, for the taste of freedom has energized the world. A new generation of leaders has been born," Rhodes said. "In a complex and often brutal world, these individuals are proving that change is possible, even after years of adversity, and that it can be affected by individuals of courage and commitment, vision and will."

And most of the new leaders, he pointed out, are not politicians, but include a playwright, a political prison, a shipyard worker, a music professor and a 60-year-old newspaper editor.

"These are people who have scored straight 'A's in life. What drives them and what unites them ... is that they are not only men and women of commitment, but men and women with the courage of their convictions," Rhodes said.

"If the yuppies of the '80s taught us anything, it is that life without commitment is superficial and unsatisfying and a triumphant career is not enough," he said. "Hollow men and moral nomads reap not fulfillment, but futility."

Jure 14, 1990

Chis,

Are you sure you're not selling something?!

Thanks for all the support you've provided me thought this you. Who would have thought that only a year ago I priced myself or the fact that I never darhered the door of 102-31? Thanks also for the sage instrom about not goodwatery quickly (didn't O take that so heart?) and your dedication (didn't O take that so heart?) and your dedication to keeping Calmey House intact. Don't warry I'll stop by who things one thoughting me.

Hanho again) David

Dear Prof. Brennen.

On this Thanksgiving Day, I am reminded of a few people who have been so special to me. I have been given by you so much, having never given back to you.

I guess, no matter what I do, I can't pay you back enough, except for a word of "Thank you."

Happy Thanksgiving!

Wishing War Happy

A Happy

Thanksgiving

At
Thanksgiving
and always,
let us celebrate
the earth
and love it well,
for it is our home

LINDA STATEN

7 March 1990

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Dearest Chais

Deame up here about a week afo and found your letter which your Mother had not redirected to Dubein. It is dated 12 December 1989 and encloses the chapters on Dick and ARNOLD. I am delighted to have these and am only sony that they have not been asknowledged sooner. It was very hind of you to send me my own personal copy of the Caltech News which is much wise. Than the photo lopy I have of the article about you.

Re the Chapters DICK.

and ARNOLD the new printer to
beautiful and Deooks forward
to recensif the EARLS chapter.

Both Peggy Rea and
Erleen Gray (nee Jones) seem

to have been very helpful and have filled in a lov of blanks. Have you by any chance

Have you by any chance gov a copy of the Hotory of Islandwaper by Dikon Donaldson? If mov 9 could loan you my copy and you could photo any thing of Interest in it. I am especially interested to learn that my great grandmother was a Milliken, you montun an bottom of page 1 (DICK) that my great grandparents Robert and Ketitia leased a house and garden in Ballymoney from James Milleten. The form of these Hillitains was close to the Methodist Church (on the opposite side of the road | and I understand

they gave the land for the Church and school. In my day my grandfette James Farts left his pony and hap in their formular d on Sundays when worshipping in the Methodist Chapel as it was called. When I get home again I shall look ont the History and also an account of the tustory of the Church while was produced for a bi centermeal year The first MILLIKEN was quite an important person if I remainbed aright from Donaldson's thistory you will be glad to know that your Mother and Panla are hi good form. Hum has made

operation to her paw which was so well done as to leave no visible scar. It did alter the

more dental north midwing some dental north which is all present in progress. She is out to might write some women golfing frends for drined at a newsh restaurant mean Harvaguin. The other ladie played golf first but thin was talted for and driven to the dunes party.

Paula is out too. She goes to the Cateway Club and is collected by a thini bus at 6pm. At 10pm. I go to the main Tobermore Road to meet her off the return bus. Last might she was at Riding far the Disabled mean Haghera. So you can see they have quite a good social life.

your Mum, Paula + I hope to go for two weeks in May to Alcudia, Majorca. We have booked an Apartment for 3 and fly direct from Duben to Palma on Ath May.

To monow is their builday but we had the festivities on Sunday when there; hesley, Deborah and Kyere came for what I called a Thanksqiving rather than a Christmas dunier. Hum had got a present of a trutsey at Christmas but it had been in the freezer awaiting a suitable occasion.

I was delighted to team of Dana's enjoyenment to Andrew. We letzed him very much when he was here and they

Peter and Sue were in Argentina from mid Dec to mid Jan so I did mot see them at Christmas.

My grand daughter Kake: to leaving on the 11th for a Round the World Tour. She furtales has degree all London University in Economies (she got a 211) she got a job with the Engineering Council and also worked in a theatre bar in the evenings to save enough money for the hip. Her plan include Hory Kong; China, Halaysia, Flailand, Australia, New Zealand Haway and L.A. So you may see her sometime in September Fondest remembrances to Doreen , Kathy , Patrick and you with love from dreve.



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Professor Christopher E. Brennen Mail Code 104-44 California Institute of Technology Pasadena, CA 91125

Dear Chris:

Thank you for your kind letter. I am really touched. You are right, ten years ago (it is that long, whether you believe it or not) you all shared a very difficult part of my life. The care and support that I received from everybody at Caltech left an ever lasting impression on me. Becoming a parent, an event that has a major impact on the life of any person, has a special meaning for me. There was nothing, that I could think of, that I wanted more than the privilege of hugging my own child. My wish was granted.

Michael is healthy and seems happy, and so is his mother. When he is unhappy, he lets everyone around him know it in no uncertain terms. After raising three kids you are obviously a veteran in these matters. I am still savoring every moment. As far as being penchant for accidents, that's what adds spice to my life and scares everybody around me.

Take Care

Joseph Katz