

*Help for*



*Families*



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**March 26-28, 1979  
Sheraton Twin Towers Hotel  
Orlando, Florida**

**MONDAY, MARCH 26**

9:00 a.m. *Registration*

1:30 p.m. *Presiding:* Foy Valentine,  
Executive Secretary, Christian  
Life Commission of the  
Southern Baptist Convention,  
Nashville, Tennessee

*Prayer for Families:* Harry N. Hollis,  
Jr., Associate Executive Secretary  
and Director of Family and Special  
Moral Concerns, Christian Life  
Commission, SBC

*Program Orientation:* W. David Sapp,  
Director of Organization, Christian  
Life Commission, SBC

1:45 p.m. *Theme Interpretation:*  
William M. Pinson, Jr., President,  
Golden Gate Baptist Theological  
Seminary, San Francisco,  
California

2:10 p.m. *"Family: A Personal Statement,"*  
Rosalynn Carter

3:00 p.m. **Break**

- 3:30 p.m.    *"Families and the Future,"* Wallace Denton, Professor of Family Studies and Director of the Marriage and Family Counseling Center, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana  
*Discussion*
- 4:30 p.m.    Dinner
- 7:00 p.m.    *Presiding:* W. David Sapp  
*Prayer:* Marian G. Grant, homemaker and writer, Raleigh, North Carolina
- 7:05 p.m.    *Theme Interpretation:*  
William M. Pinson, Jr.
- 7:25 p.m.    *"Trends in the American Family,"* George Gallup, Jr., President, The Gallup Poll, Princeton, New Jersey  
*Discussion*
- 8:25 p.m.    *"Parent Power,"* Logan Wright, Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of Oklahoma Medical School, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma  
*Discussion*
- 9:25 p.m.    Adjourn

## **TUESDAY, MARCH 27**

- 8:30 a.m.    *Presiding:* W. David Sapp  
*Prayer:* Ralph Langley, Pastor, Willow Meadows Baptist Church, Houston, Texas
- 8:35 a.m.    *Theme Interpretation:*  
William M. Pinson, Jr.
- 8:55 a.m.    *"The Women's Movement and Family Life: Two Views,"*  
Harvey Cox, Victor S. Thomas Professor of Divinity, Divinity School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Phyllis Schlafly, writer and lecturer, Alton, Illinois  
*Discussion*

- 10:30 a.m. Break
- 11:00 a.m. *"Singleness as Family,"* Sarah Frances Anders, Professor of Sociology, Louisiana College, Pineville, Louisiana  
*Discussion*
- 12:00 noon Lunch
- 2:00 p.m. *Presiding:* Foy Valentine  
*Prayer:* Robert Marsh, Pastor, Second Ponce de Leon Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia
- 2:05 p.m. *Theme Interpretation:* William M. Pinson, Jr.
- 2:25 p.m. *"Families in Crisis,"* David Switzer, Associate Professor of Pastoral Care and Counseling, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas  
*Discussion*
- 3:25 p.m. Break
- 3:45 p.m. *"Fulfillment in Marriage,"* David Edens, Director, Marriage and Family Program, Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri  
*Discussion*
- 4:45 p.m. Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. *Presiding:* Harry N. Hollis, Jr.  
*Prayer:* Howard B. Foshee, Director, Christian Development Division, Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee
- 7:05 p.m. *Theme Interpretation:* William M. Pinson, Jr.
- 7:25 p.m. *"Help for Families: A Panel,"* Kenneth Chafin, Pastor, South Main Baptist Church, Houston, Texas  
Oswin Chrisman, Judge, 44th District Court, State of Texas,

and former family court judge,  
Dallas, Texas

Joe Hinkle, Secretary, Family  
Ministries Department, Baptist  
Sunday School Board, Nashville,  
Tennessee

Charles Petty, Director, Governor's  
Office of Citizen Affairs, State of  
North Carolina, Raleigh, North  
Carolina

Herman Williams, Director,  
Character Research Project,  
Union College, Schenectady,  
New York

*Discussion*

9:15 p.m. Adjourn

## **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28**

8:30 a.m. *Presiding:* Foy Valentine  
*Prayer:* Chauncey Daley, Editor, *The  
Western Recorder*, Middletown,  
Kentucky

8:35 a.m. *Theme Interpretation:*  
William M. Pinson, Jr.

8:55 a.m. "*Love, Anger, and Intimacy*," David  
Mace, Director of Marriage  
Enrichment Training, Division of  
Human Enrichment and  
Development, School of Pastoral  
Care, North Carolina Baptist  
Hospital, Winston-Salem, North  
Carolina

*Discussion*

9:50 a.m. Break

10:25 a.m. "*Authority and Submission*," John C.  
Howell, Academic Dean and  
Professor of Christian Ethics,  
Midwestern Baptist Theological  
Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri

*Discussion*

- 11:20 a.m. *Summary and Evaluation*,  
W. David Sapp
- 11:30 a.m. *"Family: Laboratory for Christian Living,"* Jimmy R. Allen, President of the Southern Baptist Convention and Pastor, First Baptist Church, San Antonio, Texas
- 12:00 noon *Benediction:* A. C. Miller, Professor, Fruitland Bible Institute, Hendersonville, North Carolina

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