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GOOD DAY DR. BARBOUR - GOOD DAY DR. FLANIGAN

IT'S OFFICIAL!

AND ACADEMIC!

Butler University will confer Honorary Doctor of Arts degrees on Messrs. Barbour and Flanigan at its annual May commencement Saturday, May 10, 2008. The weekend detail in Indianapolis will be packed with traditional activity.

From September, 1948 to almost 60 years later, what a Four Freshmen story. It's like the Olympics! And for FFS folks everywhere, just as big.

Butler President Bobby Fong, a baseball fan, liked what he heard from FFS representative Neil Lentz, Indy native and Co-Chair with wife Sara Lou for our annual convention August 21 - 23. President Baldwin appointed Neil to lead the Society as the primary on the scene and historical representative with Professor Bob Davis(ret.). Dick had the honorary degree venture in store for some years. What better time to be serious than '08 on the Bulldogs' campus?

President Fong, the Commencement Committee, and the Butler Board of Trustees, said yes/affirmative and date was done - May 10, where the original Four Freshmen sound first harmonized by Hal Kratzsch and cousins Bob Flanigan and Don & Ross Barbour.

There have been 21 ongoing Foursomes since that initial campus FF songfest. It doesn't get any better than this. From Kratzsch to Calderon, what a ride.



Brian Eichenberger
Lead Voice



Curtis Calderon
2nd Voice



Vince Johnson
Baritone Voice



Bob Ferreira
Bass Voice