

April 23rd, 2020

Dear Senior, Class of 2020 and Family,

Congratulations as you approach your graduation day! It gives me great pleasure to join with your friends, family, and classmates in offering my most sincere congratulations on your graduation from high school.

Your Christian upbringing has equipped you to apply your faith in your daily life. With your faith in your heart, you are ready for whatever you may encounter. I encourage you to walk humbly the path toward your future, always remembering God is with you, and using His Word as a light to your path and a lamp to your feet. This is a great accomplishment and the beginning of many new experiences and adventures.

As a parent of four children, I have a unique perspective on this occasion. As a father and as your Youth Pastor, I wish for you the same things I wish for my children: to realize your true potential and strive to achieve all of your dreams and life's ambitions through the love and grace of Christ.

Whatever goals you seek to attain, I hope you seek the Lord's wisdom and direction for your life, asking Him for direction, intelligence, and wisdom. There will be many times in your future when you will reflect on your years in high school, and you will realize that the time and energy you spent in study and classroom work were not in vain, but prepared you for a bright future.

You have many opportunities and choices open to you. It is an exciting time and whatever decisions you make, I wish you all the best as God guides through the days ahead.

Congratulations again to you and your family on this important milestone.

Daniel Foster
Student Pastor
FBC Muskogee

Graduates and family are invited to:

- Senior Pictures May 13th at 5PM - Jefferson Building. (Please arrive by 4:30 PM)
- Senior Recognition Sunday TBD , during Church Service at 10:55 AM
- Senior Celebration Brunch TBD in the Fellowship Hall
(Deadline to RSVP, Wednesday, May 15th.)
- Senior Night TBD 6:30PM in the Jefferson Building.

Additional information:

- Please complete the attached SENIOR DAY and LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT sheet attached, and provide a Picture of your Graduate when they were a **baby** and in **elementary** school. Please also include one of your **senior pictures** to be included in a special presentation as they walk in the church service on Senior Recognition Sunday.
- An opportunity for seniors to take a **Senior Picture** alone and with other FBC Muskogee Seniors will be available on Wednesday, May 13th, 5:00PM in the Jefferson Building. Seniors need to wear a **white shirt and jeans**.
- **Senior Night** will be TBD at 6:30PM as part of a very special service in the Jefferson Building. This will be an opportunity for Seniors to present their last "Will and Last Testament" to the students and leaders they will be "leaving behind." Seniors are encouraged to include crazy, fun, or serious items you would like to "give away and leave behind" as well as thank you notes or messages to helped you along their way.
- **Senior Recognition Sunday** will be TBD. Seniors will be recognized in the 10:55 AM. **Seniors will need to be Jefferson building and wear cap, tassel, and gown.**

Senior Recognition Brunch for graduates and families will be held at 9:30 AM in the Jefferson Building. Please **RSVP by Wednesday, May 15th**. The Brunch is for immediate family. Following the brunch, seniors and family will be recognized in the church service at 10:55 AM.

*Please **return the forms** and **send senior pictures** by e-mail or other device to Tommy at tfoster@fbcuskogee.org, **no later than Wednesday, May 15th**.

FBC Muskogee Senior Graduation CHECKLIST:

- RSVP for Senior Celebration Brunch (Deadline 5/15/2020)
- Calendar SENIOR PICTURES for May 13th, at 5:00 PM (Arrive by 4:30 PM)
- Email or Fill out online "SENIOR DAY" & "WILL and TESTAMENT" FORM (Attached – Deadline 5/13/2020)
- Email or upload BABY, ELEMENTARY, and SENIOR PICTURE (Deadline 5/13/2020)
- Setup Senior Tables Saturday, TBD in Fellowship Hall (9:00-11:00am & 5:00-7:00PM)

SENIOR DAY- TBD, 2020

To be filled out by the student:

Name: _____ School: _____

Parent's name: _____

Awards and Involvement: Please list awards you have received or groups you were involved in while in high school. If you were an officer in a club, please make that distinction. I will not be able to read all of them, so just list the most prominent. Examples include (Key Club, Z Club, FCA, etc.) and for awards (Who's Who Among American High School students, athletic awards, valedictorian, etc.)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Future Plans: Include what you plan to do in the future. Will you go to College and if so, where? And what will you major in? Will you go directly into the work force? If so, what will your job be? Keep it simple, but include enough information to help us understand what you will be doing in the near future. If undecided at this time, just write that below or let us know what you would like to do.

My Last Will and Testament of my High School Days....

Name: _____ Favorite verse or passage: _____

Future Plans (college, major, occupation, interests...): _____

My favorite memories with our student ministry are: _____

I would like to be remembered for my: _____

I will the following items to the following persons:

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____

I would like to thank...

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____

My last words to the under-classman of FBC Muskogee Student Ministry...
