Quotable Quotes

“For the sake of the church we must have and maintain Christian schools.”
Martin Luther

“Going to college” is a big decision . . . choosing the right college or university will make a difference for a lifetime!

Quality education in a Christian, Lutheran environment prepares one for life!

A teaching church is a church in mission!

“God needs pastors, preachers and school teachers in His spiritual kingdom, and you can provide them; if you do not, behold, you rob not a poor man of his coat, but the kingdom of God of many souls.” Martin Luther

“Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.” Prov. 22:6 (NIV1984)

Concordia colleges and universities are not Lutheran by accident but by choice. Before our forefathers built churches, they built school houses to provide for the ongoing education of their family members.

Young students are the seed and future source of the church and its communities.

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SUPPORT YOUR CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM. The mission of the colleges and universities of the Concordia University System is marked by transformation of people and communities. It is built on the foundation of the biblical message of salvation and footnoted by the highest levels of ethical conduct and a deep sense of building a better world. Your support through prayer, encouragement and personal gifts will make a difference.

THE CONCORDIA DIFFERENCE. At our Concordia colleges and universities, faculty and students are engaged in a daily faith-life conversation and experience. Concordia students develop a strong set of values, leadership skills, Christian faith, commitment to community service and a sense of purpose in life. Encourage the youth of your congregation to consider attending a Concordia.

LUTHERAN HIGHER EDUCATION. The Concordia University System annually publishes the VIEWBOOK, which features each Concordia college and university through pictures and important institutional information. It is a good resource for talking about Lutheran higher education in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Call 1-800-248-1930, ext. 1252, or email cus.info@lcms.org for copies.

THE COST OF LUTHERAN HIGHER EDUCATION. It is costly but it is important, however, to compare “sticker price” to “actual cost.” There is a difference. To aid Lutheran students, the colleges and universities of the Concordia University System provide substantial financial assistance. Last year more than $85 million in financial aid was given to students. Consult with admissions officers at a Concordia for more details or call 1-800-248-1930, ext. 1252, or email cus.info@lcms.org.

WHAT’S DIFFERENT ABOUT A CONCORDIA EDUCATION? Recent research carefully compared the college experience of graduates from private and public institutions. Lutheran colleges and universities were far more effective than large public institutions in the following ways:
- Actively involving students in the classroom.
- Creating interaction with faculty.
- Integrating learning with service experiences.
- Developing student confidence to be a leader.
- Integrating faith and values in daily life.

Call 1-800-248-1930, ext. 1252, or email cus.info@lcms.org for information on a Concordia college or university.

FAITH AND SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT are sources of focus and strength, enabling individuals to reach beyond their own concerns to connect with and serve others. At a Concordia college or university study, faith and service are intertwined. Graduates report developing a strong set of values and a faith that fuels church and community involvement. These elements create a sense of purpose in life. Support a Concordia college or university with prayer and personal gifts. Email cus.info@lcms.org for more information.

CONCORDIA ONLINE COLLOQUY PROGRAM: CUenet, the Concordia University Educational Network, provides online courses for certified teachers who seek placement on the LCMS roster. Completion of the eight-course sequence prepares teachers to serve in Lutheran schools with a fuller understanding of Lutheran doctrine and the mission of Lutheran education. For more information, email colloquy@cuenet.edu or go to the Web www.cuenet.edu.

WANTED: LUTHERAN FACULTY. The colleges and universities of the Concordia University System search for qualified faculty candidates with advanced degrees to share their passion for teaching and learning. If you, or someone you know with an advanced degree, is interested in teaching at a Concordia college or university, apply to the Faculty for the Future at www.lcms.org/cusjobs.

FOR THE SAKE OF THE CHURCH. Concordia University System is conducting an endowed effort to significantly increase the number of Lutheran students at our Concordia colleges and universities by providing substantial financial aid to reduce the cost of a student’s education. You can participate with thousands of active donors by calling 1-800-248-1930, ext. 1252, or email cus.info@lcms.org. Including For the Sake of the Church in your estate plans is also an expression of your support.

Did You Know?
- There are 10 Concordia colleges and universities regionally located around the United States.
- Over 28,000 students attend the colleges and universities of the Concordia University System.
- Concordia colleges and universities offer over 150 undergraduate majors and more than 60 graduate programs.
- More than 1,550 professors teach at our Concordia University System colleges and universities.
- More than $85 million in financial assistance is awarded to Concordia students.
- Concordia students graduate in four years.
- Concordia professors personally challenge and help students to achieve their educational goals.
- Concordia students grow in their spiritual journey by participating in faith-life experiences.