

# MCKINLEY HALL

1938-2022



**“YOU CAN’T START A FIRE  
WITHOUT SOME SPARKS”**

BILL MCKINLEY WAS A PIONEER IN IMPACT OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN KENTUCKY, INDIANA, THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES AND IN THE WORLD. A MENTOR TO TEACHERS, ADMINISTRATORS AND LEADERS, BILL CHAMPIONED CHRISTIAN PRINCIPLES IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF YOUNG MINDS AND HEARTS, SEEING THE GOD-GIVEN POTENTIAL OF EVERY STUDENT. HE ALSO BELIEVED THAT ANY WORTHWHILE CHANGE BEGINS WITH A PASSIONATE HEART AND A VISION TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR CHRIST.

## **MILESTONES OF THE MCKINLEY LEGACY**

1972 – BEGAN TEACHING HIGH SCHOOL HISTORY

1974-93 – TEACHER AND PRINCIPAL FOR MARANATHA AND WHITTIER HIGH SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA

1978 – HELPED CREATE ACSI (NOW ENHANCING 23,000 CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS WORLDWIDE); WAS ITS FIRST BOARD CHAIRMAN

1992 – BEGAN IMPLEMENTING INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS TRIPS FOR HS STUDENTS

1994 – JOINED CHRISTIAN ACADEMY AT ROCK CREEK AS HS PRINCIPAL AND DIRECTOR WITH 481 STUDENTS

1998 – LED THE CAMPAIGN FOR THE ENGLISH STATION CAMPUS

2005 – COMPLETED THE 4-CAMPUS CASS EXPANSION WITH A CAPACITY FOR OVER 3,000 STUDENTS

TO PRESENT – CHRISTIAN ACADEMY CONTINUES TO TEACH WITH A BIBLICAL WORLDVIEW, EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE, ENCOURAGEMENT OF HER FACULTY AND A LOVE FOR EVERY STUDENT’S GOD-GIVEN POTENTIAL

*“BILL WAS ONE OF THE ‘COMMITTEE OF SEVEN’ THAT FOUNDED ACSI AND IS ONE OF THE MOST RESPECTED AND BELOVED ADVOCATES OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AROUND THE WORLD.”*

– DR. PAUL KIENEL, FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT EMERITUS OF ACSI

*“WHEN MR. MCKINLEY IS TEACHING, YOU KNOW HE IS A MAN OF GOD WHO CARES ABOUT YOU AND SHARING KNOWLEDGE THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE.”*

– CHRISTIAN ACADEMY STUDENT

*“WHEN YOU LOOK AT CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, YOU SEE BILL’S LEADERSHIP, THE RESULT OF A SERVANT’S HEART WHO WAS GUIDED BY THE HAND OF GOD. EVERYTHING HE DID WAS FOR GOD’S GLORY ALONE.”*

– TIM GREENER, CASS SUPERINTENDENT

*“THE LORD USED BILL TO SHAPE EVERY MEANINGFUL AND SIGNIFICANT MOMENT OF MY LIFE. I WOULD NOT BE WHERE I AM IN LIFE AND MINISTRY TODAY WITHOUT HIS STEADY HAND IN MY LIFE.”*

– CONSTANTIN V. LYSAKOV, INTERPRETER WHO WAS BAPTIZED ON A STUDENT MISSIONS TRIP, NOW A RUSSIAN PASTOR.