



(right to left) Carl Seider, Roy Eckert,
John Hibbard and Jerry Brandt at
Harvey Cedars in 1956

The 20th Century Reformation Quartet sang at Harvey Cedars in August, 1956 when this picture was taken. The quartet sprang from their friendship in high school and church in Collingswood, NJ and a mutual fondness for music. "We sang several mornings on our pastor Dr. Carl McIntire's 20th Century Reformation Hour radio broadcast," recalls Carl Seider, who sang bass. "Some of us sang in the quartet at Shelton College and later sang with Dr. Jack Murray and Bible Evangelism. The four remain good friends. Carl, Roy and John served on the Harvey Cedars summer staff in the 1950's. "My jobs were dishwasher and 'potlicker", Carl says. "I remember many noon softball games and walking to the beach to swim in the surf. It was a wonderful place for young people." He also remembers "Dorothy Oldham playing her violin and many others such as the Csehy Musical Messengers playing chimes. Al Oldham was always smiling. I remember him driving his old Dodge pickup truck to Trenton Farmers Market to buy produce. Conference leaders worked very hard." After graduating Shelton College, Carl earned a Master of Education from Temple Univ. He taught basic skills math for 38 years at a middle school in Burlington County, NJ. He has pursued his interests in singing through the years with various groups including the *Singing City Choir of Philadelphia*, the *Philadelphia Boy Choir Men's Chorus* and the *Bible Choraliers*.

Rev. James Bjur and his wife **Melody** serve with the Independent Board for Presbyterian Foreign Missions (Andes Mission). They have four children (Rebekah, Jeremy, Joshua, Deborah Susan). Rebekah is a student at Bob Jones University. Jim was appointed 1986 and served one term in Kenya. Melody was appointed in 1991 and Jim and Melody married shortly after. The Bjurs moved to Chile in 1992 and settled in Chile's northernmost city, Arica. A church was started in 1993 with the dedication of the building in 2001. "Manantial (Fountain) Fundamental Biblical Presbyterian Church" is a member of the Fundamentalist Presbyterian Church of Chile. Melody has brought great joy to many with her beautiful voice and was one of the featured soloists at the *International Council of Christian Churches Quadrennial Congress* in Serra Negra, Brazil. She will be coming all the way from Arica, Chile to share her musical gifts with us for the 75th Anniversary Celebration.



Brad Gsell is the president of The Independent Board for Presbyterian Foreign Missions, and serves as the minister of music of the Bible Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, NC. In his early teens, he played the organ at several of the *Marches for Victory* led by Dr. Carl McIntire on the grounds of the Washington Monument in our nation's capital.

Through the years he has served as pianist and organist at both the Cape May, NJ, and Cape Canaveral, FL, Bible Conferences, and has played at numerous conventions of the *International Council of Christian Churches* and *American Council of Christian Churches*, as well as at Shelton College, Faith Theological Seminary and Synods of the Bible Presbyterian Church.