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**Morgan, Russell to Address FWBBC Graduates**

NASHVILLE, TN—Two leading pastors, Rob Morgan (Tennessee) and Rusty Russell (North Carolina), are scheduled to bring challenges to Free Will Baptist Bible College's 2007 graduating class in May, according to President Matt Pinson.

Reverend Robert J. Morgan, pastor of Donelson FWB Church in Nashville and author of more than 25 books, will address the graduates during 10:00 a.m. commencement exercises Friday, May 4.

Wilson, NC, pastor Rusty Russell (Peace FWB Church) will bring the baccalaureate message Thursday evening, May 3, at 7:00 p.m. Reverend Russell's daughter Jennifer is a member of the 2007 graduating class.

President Pinson said, "This is such an important occasion for the entire college family, and especially for the graduating seniors. Commencement week always brings us face-to-face with our mission as a college—to educate leaders to serve Christ, His Church, and His world through Biblical thought and life. We hope that you will join us in this special time of celebration."

Rob Morgan has led the 1,200-member Donelson FWB Church for 27 years. A best-selling and Gold-Medallion winning writer with 1.5 million books in print, he is also a staff writer for Dr. David Jeremiah and *Turning Points Magazine*. He graduated from Columbia International University, and earned master's degrees at Wheaton Graduate School and Luther Rice University.

Rusty Russell completed a bachelor's degree at FWBBC (1981) before earning master's degrees at Middle Tennessee State University and Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He became part of the leadership team at Peace FWB Church in

1993, and senior pastor in 2006. Rusty has served in five Free Will Baptist churches since 1980.