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Local Resident Receives Degree from McKendree University

Louisville, Ky. – ________________________________ of ________________________________ received a degree from McKendree University during commencement exercises held at the Highview Baptist Church East Campus in Louisville on Saturday, June 11, 2011.

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is the __________________________________________________

(Last Name) (Son / Daughter)

of ______________________________________________________________________

(Parent or Parents’ Name[s] & Hometown[s])

This year marked McKendree’s 171st commencement exercises, which were also held on May 7 at its Lebanon, Illinois campus. A total of 330 master’s degrees, 550 bachelor's degrees and 14 associate degrees were conferred. The event recognized graduates who completed their degree requirements in August and December 2010 and May 2011.

Founded in 1828, historic McKendree University ranks among the top 13 percent of Best Regional Colleges in the 2011 edition of U.S. News Media Group’s Best Colleges report. Classes begin each month at the Louisville and Radcliff campuses. For more information, visit www.ky.mckendree.edu.

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