

# UNIVERSITY

## Disarmament group meets today

### MEETINGS

**Student Campaign for Disarmament** will hold a meeting today at 3 p.m. in EMU Century Room A to plan for the Jan. 3 and 4 trip to Nevada in support of the Disarmament Conference. Call 346-4248 for more information.

### Et als

**PT/OT Club Meeting** meets at Pegasus Pizza Sunday at 4 p.m. For more information call 346-3211.

**Women in Transition** will hold a group facilitators meeting today from 4:30 to 6 p.m. in EMU Century Room F. Attendance is required. Call 346-4095 for more information.

**Marijuana Re-legalization group** meets Sunday from noon to 2 p.m. in EMU Cedar Room D. Call 485-3578.

**Child Care Task Force** meets today from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the EMU Maple Room. Call 346-3724 for more information.

### SPEAKERS AND EVENTS

"**Honduras: Crisis in National Identity**" is the title of a lecture and slide presentation to

be given by John Thomas, a member of the Honduras Human Rights Network, today at 4:40 p.m. in the EMU Walnut Room.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**The fifth annual Artists' Holiday Sale** will be held in a door-to-door open house at 972 W. Broadway, 1175 W. Broadway, and 1012 W. Eighth Ave. The sale will be held at the houses from 5 to 9 p.m. today and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

"**Roses in December**" will be shown at the Newman Center, 1850 Emerald St., Sunday at 2 p.m. to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the murder of four U.S. missionary women in El Salvador.

**International Coffee Hour** will be held today from 4 to 6:30 p.m. in the EMU International Lounge. Free coffee and tea is available. For more information call 346-4387.

**Marijuana Information Table** will be in the EMU Lobby from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. today.

**Bible study and worship** will be held tonight at 7 in Room 146 Straub. The event is sponsored by Active Christians Taking a Stand, who can be

reached at 346-4121.

"**God's Omnipotence — What Does it Mean?**" is the title of a roundtable discussion to be held today at 12:30 p.m. in EMU Century Room B. For more information, call Restoration Campus Ministry at 343-4914.

**Hillel's Shabbat** will be held at Rabbi Hanan's home tonight at 7. Call 343-8920 for the location.

**An advent twilight retreat** will be held tonight from 6 to 9:30 p.m. at the Newman Center, 1850 Emerald St. A light supper will be served. An advent concert will be given Saturday night at 7:30 at the center. For more information, call 343-7021.

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## APARTHEID

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groups is marginal or blocked."

Racial stereotypes persist, Marabel said, and often being recognized as part of a racial minority says something about the individual, and about his or her language, class and culture. Being white, however, does not carry that stereotype.

"To be white in the U.S. says nothing about an individual," Marabel said. "White culture does not exist. White privilege and white power does exist."

"Any white person usually finds it much easier to establish credit or buy a home than any non-white person. Blackness in racial terms still means a hundred different insults every day."

As the dominators, the whites in this country have created a facade of racial justice,

Marabel said.

But the population figures that place non-whites as the country's minority population are changing, Marabel said. About 50 years from now, the majority of the population will be non-white, and questions of power will have to be addressed.

"Will whites be willing to give up their position of power?" Marabel asked.

Mary Romero, University associate professor of sociology, described race and ethnicity from the standpoint of Chicanos.

"In the last 20 years we've seen a move away from the use

of 'Chicano,' which we had used to try to form a sense of cultural identity," Romero said. "Under Reagan, the government started using the word 'Hispanic.' We're supposed to identify totally with the Spanish, and there's no acknowledgement of our Indian heritage."

Fatima Meer, a University visiting professor, explained the monoculturalism of America as the melting down of other cultures.

"The process of industrialization destroyed the previous European cultures, and everything was melted down to a commodity culture," Meer said.



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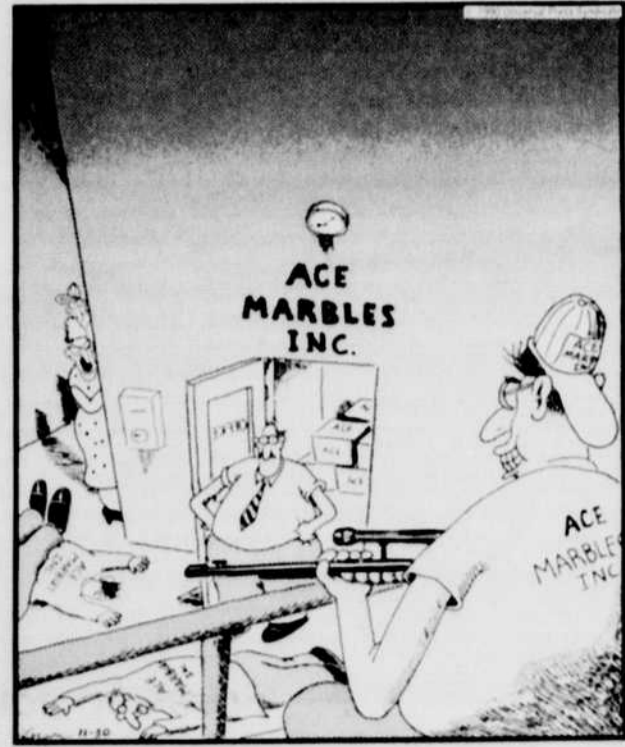
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### THE FAR SIDE

By GARY LARSON



**Misunderstanding his employees' screams of "Simmons has lost his marbles," Mr. Wagner bursts from his office for the last time.**