ZELDA MARTIN COZEAN
LECTURE SERIES

United States Senator Christopher “Kit” Bond
Guest Lecturer

Monday, October 11, 1993
Mineral Area College
Community Center
7:00 p.m.
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Christopher Samuel “Kit” Bond was re-elected to his second term in the United States Senate in 1992 on his strong record of fighting for Missourians in Washington.

During his first term, Bond won legislative victories protecting jobs, promoting economic development, gaining child care for school-age children, improving public housing, adding common sense to agricultural policy, breaking the deadlock on Clean Air and significantly increasing Missouri’s highway funds.

Bond won both races for the Senate in tough years for Republican candidates. In 1992 he carried Missouri by a seven point margin, the only Republican to win statewide. In 1986 Bond was the only Republican nationally to capture a seat previously held by a Democrat.

The Missourian serves on the Appropriations Committee, including the Labor, Health and Education; Defense; Agriculture; Veterans and Housing; and Treasury Subcommittees. He also is a member of the Banking, Budget and Small Business Committees.

A two-term governor and state auditor, Bond has extensive experience in state government. After serving a year as Assistant Attorney General, Bond ran successfully for state auditor in 1970.

Two years later Bond was elected Governor of Missouri. At age 33 he was the youngest governor in the nation and in Missouri’s history. During his first term Bond initiated major reforms in state government, including the reorganization of the executive branch, a new open meetings policy, a merit system of hiring, and strict campaign disclosure requirements.

Bond was elected to a second term as governor in 1980. With Missouri facing a serious fiscal crisis, Bond reduced state spending and left the state budget with a surplus. Despite the tight budgetary constraints, Bond was able to launch new programs for economic development, crime control and job training, as well as a nationally-acclaimed early childhood education program.

Bond received his bachelor’s degree from Princeton University in 1960, graduating cum laude from the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs. He received his law degree from the University of Virginia in 1963 and was first in his class.

Born March 6, 1939, Bond is a sixth generation Missourian. He married Carolyn Reid of Owensboro, Kentucky on May 13, 1967. The Bonds have one son, Samuel Reid, born January 26, 1981.

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The Zelda Martin Cozean Lecture Series is a memorial tribute to Zelda Martin Cozean, a long-time resident of the Mineral Area. Mrs. Cozean strongly advocated the need for education and community service. The lecture series is sponsored by the Cozean family members: Dr. Charles H. Cozean, Jr. of Cape Girardeau, Missouri; Dr. Jon Cozean of Farmington, Missouri; Dr. Mary Cozean Alexander of Tallahassee, Florida; Nancy Cozean Jacob of Poughkeepsie, New York; Robin Cozean of Neosho, Missouri; and Jodie Cozean Styron of Branson, Missouri.

The Zelda Martin Cozean Lecture Series is designed to bring prominent lecturers to the Mineral Area College campus and to provide a platform for social, political and economic debate.

PROGRAM

Welcome .......................... Dr. Dixie A. Kohn, President
Mineral Area College

Opening Remarks ..................... Dennis E. McIntosh, President
Mineral Area College Foundation

Guest Lecturer ........................ United States Senator Christopher “Kit” Bond

Reception immediately following in the Board Room