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- *William Lee Miller, author of the newly published *Lincoln's Virtues*, will look at the moral development of the 16th President in "I Felt It My Duty to Refuse: A Presidential Pardon Case."
- *Historian and commentator **Doris Kearns Goodwin** will investigate the political and personal dealings within "Lincoln's White House."
- * Ronald C. White of the San Francisco Theological Seminary will discuss the theological aspects of "Lincoln's Sermon on the Mount: The Second Inaugural."
- * Author of *Blood on the Moon*, **Edward Steers, Jr.**, will present his findings on "The Lincoln Assassination: A Case of Historical Malpractice."
- * **John R. Sellers** of the Library of Congress's Manuscript Division will conclude the event by examining the surprising information found in the diary of Horatio Nelson Taft in "Lincoln's Washington: A Divided City."

Abraham Lincoln Institute Book Award

Each year the board of trustees presents the award to a recently published work of outstanding merit on Lincoln. Past recipients:

1998: Douglas L. Wilson and Rodney O. Davis, eds. Herndon's Informants: Letters, Interviews, and Statements about Lincoln

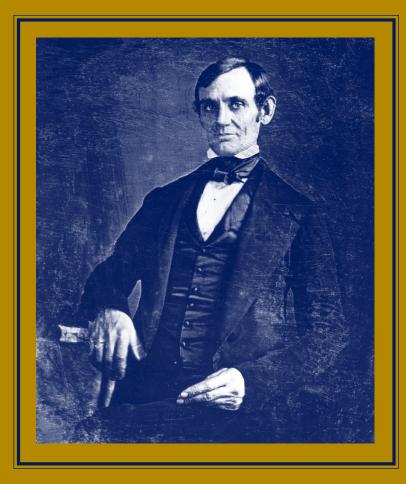
1999: Douglas L. Wilson

Honor's Voice: The Transformation of Abraham Lincoln

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9 to 9:45 AM	Coffee and late registration	2:15 to 3:00	Edward Steers, Jr., Author Blood on the Moon "The Lincoln Assassination:
9:45 to 9:55	WELCOME by James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress		A Case of Historical Malpractice' Introduced by Michael P. Musick
9:55 to 10:05	OPENING REMARKS by John R. Sellers, President of the Abraham Lincoln Institute of the Mid-Atlantic and Civil War Specialist at the Library of Congress	3:00 to 3:45	John R. Sellers, Library of Congress "Lincoln's Washington: A Divided City" Introduced by Charles Hubbard
10.05 . 10.15		3:45 to 3:55	Ten-Minute Break
10:05 to 10:15	OUTLINE OF DAY'S EVENTS by Clark Evans, Institute General Secretary; INTRODUCTORY REMARKS by Program Moderator Scott Sandage of Carnegie-Mellon University	3:55 to 4:25	Speaker's Panel: Featuring the presenters, responding to informal questions from one another and questions from the audience <i>Moderated by Scott Sandage</i>
10:15 to 11	William Lee Miller, Author Lincoln's Virtues "I Felt It My Duty to Refuse': A Presidential Pardon Case" Introduced by Douglas Wilson	4:25 to 4:35	Presentation of the Third Annual Hay-Nicolay Scholars Prize by Institute Vice President Michael P. Musick; remarks by the prize winner
11 to 11:10	Ten-Minute Break	4:35 to 4:45	Presentation of the Fifth Annual Abraham Lincoln Institute Book Award by John R.
11:10 to 11:55	Doris Kearns Goodwin, Historian "Lincoln's White House"		Sellers; remarks by award winner
	Introduced by Steven Lee Carson	5:00 to 5:30	Gala Reception Closing the Day
12 to 1:30 PM	Lunch Break	1 6	
1:30 to 2:15	Ronald White, SF Theological Seminary "Lincoln's Sermon on the Mount: The Second Inaugural"		

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