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Milestones in Walther's Life

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1811, Oct. 25 birth 1819 - 21attending city school at Hohenstein 1821-29 attending the Gymnasium at Schneeberg 1833 graduation at the University of Leipzig and examen pro licentia concionandi 1834, Easter—1836, November private tutor at Kahla 1836, autumn examen pro candidatura 1837, Jan. 15 ordained and installed at Braeunsdorf 1838, 16th Sunday After Trinity farewell sermon 1839, Jan. 5 the Johann Georg arrives at New Orleans 1839, Feb. 19 the Saxons arrive in St. Louis 1839, Dec. 9 log cabin college in Perry County is opened 1839-41 pastorate at Dresden, including Johannesberg (Missouri) 1841, April 15 and 20

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1841, April 15 and 20
the Altenburg Debate

1841, Jubilate Sunday inaugural sermon in St. Louis

1841, September marriage with Emilie Buenger

1844, Sept. 7
first number of Der Lutheraner

1847, April 26
organization of the Missouri Synod

1850

1872
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1887

1847—50
President of the Missouri Synod
1849, October
elected professor of theology
1850, January
beginning of 37 years of teaching theology

1851—52 journey to Germany to confer with Wilhelm Loehe

1854, June
president of Concordia Seminary

1855, January

Lehre und Wehre appears, with Walther as editor

1856—58 free conferences at Columbus, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, respectively

1860, Feb. 6—Aug. 28 journey to Europe to regain health

1864—78 second tenure of presidency of the Missouri Synod

organization of the Synodical Conference; Walther first president

1872 free conference of English-speaking Lutherans at Gravelton, Mo.

1878
degree of D.D. conferred by Capital
University

1881 adoption of Walther's "Thirteen Theses on Election"

1885, Aug. 23 death of Emilie Walther 1887, May 7

death of Walther