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PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

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PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

ONE HUNDRED - EIGHTH YEAR

COMMENCEMENT CONVOCATION

(THE SEVENTY - FOURTH SUMMER COMMENCEMENT)



HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION BUILDING

SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST NINETEENTH

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR

TEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK

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THE COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

An appropriate costume is a necessary part of Commencement. The costume includes a cap, a gown, and a hood. Each part of the costume has special significance.

The most common head-piece (or cap) for the ceremony is the black square, flat-topped, or "mortar board" type with gold black tassel. It is called a mortar board" because it is shaped like the board of the mason which holds the mortar. Recently we are seeing large velvet Tam-O-Shanter styles of head pieces replacing the mortar board. Some of the velvet tams are brilliantly colored such as orange or bright blue.

The tassel on the doctor's cap is usually gold, and permanently fastened on the left side. The master's cap has a black tassel worn on the left. The bachelor's cap has a black tassel worn on the right prior to graduation, then moved to the left during the ceremony.

The hood can be the most colorful part of the entire costume. The colors inside the hood are those of the college or university which awarded the degree. The color of the outside rim of the hood symbolizes one of the following departments of learning.

Agriculture	Maisc	Medicine	Green
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White	Music	Pink
Commerce Accountancy, Business	Drab	Nursing	Apricot
Dentistry	Lilac	Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Economics	Copper	Pharmacy	Olive Green
Education	Light Blue	Philosophy	Dark Blue
Engineering	Orange	Physical Education	Sage Green
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown	Public Administration, including	
Forestry	Russet	Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Geography	Blue and Green	Public Health	Salmon Pink
Home Economics	Golden Yellow	Science	Golden Yellow
Journalism	Crimson	Social Work	Citron
Industrial Education	Light Blue	Technology	Golden Yellow
Law	Purple	Theology	Scarlet
Library Science	Lemon	Veterinary Science	Gray

The gown is usually black. The traditional doctor's gown has velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on the regular sleeves. The master's gown has no velvet, but does have unusually long sleeves. The bachelor's gown is similar to the master's but has regular length sleeves which tend to be pointed.

Some gowns may be in the color of the department granting the degree, such as "Education Blue." Others may be "Yale Blue" or "Harvard Crimson" for graduates of these universities.

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COMMENTATOR FOR THE PROCESSION	Dr. E. JOAHANNE THOMAS Head, Department of English and Foreign Languages
ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL: "War March of the Priests" (Athalia)	<i>Felix Mendelssohn</i> PROFESSOR DANNY R. KELLEY, <i>Organist</i>
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Candidates for Degrees in the College of Engineering Technology	
Candidates for Degrees in the College of Home Economics	
Candidates for Degrees in the College of Nursing	
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President's Party	
INVOCATION	THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON Dean, University Chapel
MUSIC: "God of Our Fathers"	Audience
WELCOME	KEVIN DENNIS President of Student Government Association
GREETINGS FROM THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM	DR. ARTHUR G. HANSEN Chancellor, The Texas A&M University System
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MUSIC: "If With All Your Hearts" (from Elijah)	<i>Felix Mendelssohn</i> Fr. CROSLEY WALKINE, <i>Tenor</i>
INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER	PRESIDENT PERCY A. PIERRE
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MUSIC: "Stand Still Jordan"	<i>Harry T. Burleigh</i> Fr. CROSLEY WALKINE, <i>Tenor</i>
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INTRODUCTION OF THE RETIRING FACULTY AND STAFF

PRESIDENT PERCY A. PIERRE

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ALMA MATER: "Dear Prairie View" *Fuller-Sibelius*

BENEDICTION THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON

RECESSATIONAL: "Pomp and Circumstance" *Edward Elgar*
(Audience Seated)

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God of our fathers, whose almighty hand
Leads forth in beauty all the starry band
Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies,
Our grateful songs before thy throne arise.

Thy love divine hath led us in the past;
In this free land by thee our lot is cast;
Be thou our ruler, guardian, guide, and stay,
Thy Word our law, thy paths our chosen way.

From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence,
Be thy strong arm our ever sure defense;
Thy true religion in our hearts increase,
Thy bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

Refresh thy people on their toilsome way;
Lead us from night to never-ending day;
Fill all our lives with love and grace dirvine,
And glory, laud, and praise be ever thine. A-MEN.