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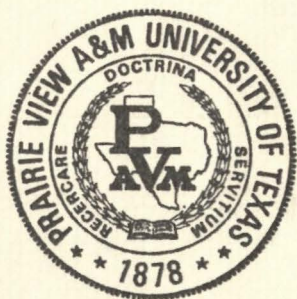
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PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY
(A Part of the Texas A&M University System)

University Convocation



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1984 AT 10:00 A.M.

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION BUILDING

PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

SPECIAL PLATFORM GUESTS

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION	KEVIN DENNIS
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NAVY ROTC	MIDN 1/C WARREN BLACKMON

Ushers are members of Sigma Pi Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega Fraternity and the Military Escorts and Company Q/17 the National Society of Pershing Rifles.

PROGRAM

Presiding: KEVIN DENNIS
President, Student Government Association

- PRELUDE MYRON WILLIAMS
Drama Major
Prairie View A&M University
- INVOCATION FATHER C. ANDERSON MEPHAM
St. Francis Episcopal Church
Prairie View, Texas
- STATEMENT OF PURPOSE HELEN ALFRED
Chairman, MSC Advisory Board
Prairie View A&M University
- MUSICAL SELECTION: "In That Great Gettin' Up Morning" *Jester Hairston*
RODERICK LEE, Music Major
DR. RUBY HEBERT, *Director*
- PROPOSITION II—"What it means to Prairie View" MARCO RICHARDSON
Drama Major
- GREETINGS:
- Undergraduate Students" DELLENOR R. MILES
"Miss Prairie View"
- "Graduate Students" CAROL BRADLEY
Business Administration Major
- "Faculty" MRS. DIANA FALLIS
Associate Professor
Department of Communications
- MUSIC: "His Name So Sweet" *Hall Johnson*
University Choir
Prairie View A&M University
- INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER DR. PERCY A. PIERRE
President, Prairie View A&M University
- ADDRESS THE HONORABLE MYRA A. McDANIEL
Secretary of State
Austin, Texas
- SPECIAL PRESENTATION DR. PERCY A. PIERRE
- PRESENTATION OF PROCLAMATION FROM
THE CITY OF PRAIRIE VIEW THE HONORABLE RONALD LEVERETT
Prairie View, Texas
- ACKNOWLEDGMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
- ALMA MATER: "Dear Prairie View"
- BENEDICTION THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON
Dean of Chapel
Prairie View A&M University

ALMA MATER—"Dear Prairie View"

Dear Prairie View, our song to thee we raise
In gratitude we sing our hymn of praise.
For mem'ries dear, for friends and recollections,
For lessons learned while here we've lived with thee,
For these we pledge our hearts full of devotion,
To serve thee now, and through eternity.

As days go by our hearts will not grow cold,
We'll love thy purple royal, and thy gold,
We'll through our lives exemplify thy teaching,
We'll always strive a blessing to be,
Thy children we our love and pride confessing,
We'll love thee now, and through eternity.

Words by O. ANDERSON FULLER

Music from "*Finlandia*" by Sibelius