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COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES  
INDIANA UNIVERSITY AT SOUTH BEND  
MAY 17, 1972 at 3:30 p.m.  
PRESIDENT JOHN W. RYAN, PRESIDING

(Processional

The University Wind Ensemble,  
Mr. Richard D. Lovin conducting)

(Following Processional, when all in platform party are in position, the  
Marshal takes his position, and the Grand Marshal cues the President.)

(President Ryan steps forward)

PRESIDENT RYAN: Please rise for the National Anthem and remain standing for  
the invocation, which will be offered by Dr. Albert J. Beutler,  
Dean of Student Services of Indiana University at South Bend.

(All doff caps.)

(National Anthem)

(Invocation

Dean Albert J. Beutler)

(Don Caps)

(President Ryan steps forward)

PRESIDENT RYAN: It is my pleasant privilege to extend a very cordial  
welcome to all of you.

This day of achievement and public recognition for members  
of the graduating class is justly shared, in very many instances,  
with the parents, wives, husbands and other relatives who have helped  
in numerous ways to make possible its attainment. To them I offer  
a special welcome on behalf of the Class and of the University.

Most of the persons seated on the platform will be identified  
in the course of the program. I wish to take a moment to introduce  
the others now.

Dr. William Breneman, Luther

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Dr. William Breneman, Luther Dana Waterman Professor of Zoology, and Grand Marshal of the University. (pause)

Mr. Charles Harrell, Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and Platform Marshal. (pause)

PRESIDENT continues: Ladies and Gentlemen, we continue today an ancient tradition of assembling in formal convocation to recognize those who have achieved a significant milestone on the road to knowledge and self-realization.

1. We recognize first these students whose successful response to their educational experience has won for them the award of a degree.

2. We recognize all friends and relatives whose inspiration, understanding and assistance contributed toward these achievements.

3. We recognize the dedicated and able faculty members to whom our graduating students owe an intangible and lasting debt.

4. We recognize the academic officers who have directed the South Bend Campus development to this hour of maturity.

5. We recognize the members of the Board of Trustees, who have served our University and State with rare skill and devotion, as eminently exemplified in the person of their representative in these ceremonies, Mr. Robert E. Gates.

6. We recognize our predecessors of both faculty and administration, without whose high-minded vision and determined effort our present institutional and Regional Campus stature could not have been attained.

7. We recognize the loyal alumni, from whom their Alma Mater has gained strength and inspiration, and the distinguished president of their Association who has served with dedication and devotion,

Mr. Paul R. Summers.

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8. We recognize the officials, the legislators, and the people of the State of Indiana--especially legislators from this area and members of the South Bend Community--whose support, both moral and financial, is essential to the existence and vital to the progress of the world-famed center of higher learning of which this South Bend Campus is a valuable arm.

9. We recognize the members of this community and region and of the University whose services have contributed toward the success of these ceremonies.

10. Most importantly, we recognize knowledge itself as the fountainhead of liberating ideas and the source of society's hope for eventual improvement. Upon these virtues we base the commendations and congratulations we offer today.

We are proud to be a state university, supported by all the people of the State and dedicated to the enlightenment of Hoosier youth and the progress and development of our state, of our beloved country, and of all men of good will.

(INDUCTION CEREMONY follows)

PRESIDENT RYAN continues: We shall now observe the traditional ceremony, inducting the members of the new graduating class into the world-wide Indiana University Alumni Association. Mr. Robert E. Gates of Columbia City, B.S., 1942, J.D., 1949, a member of the Board of Trustees, will represent the University. Mr. Paul Summers of Indianapolis, A.B., 1923, LL.B., 1923, President of the I.U. Alumni Association, will represent the alumni. Mrs. Marsina Gowdy of Elkhart, President of the Graduating

Class Council on this campus,

Class Council on this campus, will represent the graduates. Will all members of the graduating class please rise?

(Mr. Gates, Mr. Summers and Mrs. Gowdy stand and peak caps; President Ryan returns gesture and resumes seat.)

(Mr. Gates speaks)

(Mrs. Gowdy speaks)

(Mr. Summers speaks)

(They resume seats.)

(President Ryan moves to the podium.)

PRESIDENT RYAN: The Chairman of the Division of Music of Indiana University at South Bend, Professor Robert W. Demaree, will now lead these newest members of the I.U. Alumni family and the rest of us in singing

"Hail to Old I.U." The words are on the inside cover of your program.

(All rise and doff caps.)

(Professor Demaree directs "Hail to Old I.U.," afterward motioning the audience to resume their seats.)

(President Ryan steps to the podium, cap off)

PRESIDENT RYAN: (CHARGE TO THE CLASS)



and takes an added measure of pride in those who have excelled academically.

Chancellor Wolfson, please present the first candidate.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidate for a certificate in Business and Economics please stand?

Mr. President, this candidate has fulfilled the requirements for a certificate in Business and Economics and is recommended by the Faculty of that Division for that award.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidate for a certificate in Business and Economics, your training has equipped you with basic principles and tools for constructive participation in the business world. To their application bring the same interest and initiative which led you to seek this training, bearing always in mind the welfare of the community you serve. I am pleased to confer upon you the certification recommended by the Faculty of Business and Economics. Please be seated.

(Chancellor Wolfson returns to his seat.)

PRESIDENT RYAN continues: I call now upon Dr. Ralph E. McDonald, Dean of the School of Dentistry, to present his candidates for degrees.  
Dean McDonald.

(Dean McDonald rises, peaks cap and comes to the podium. President Ryan returns the gesture and steps back a pace.

DEAN McDONALD: Will the candidates for the Associate of Science degree in Dental Hygiene please stand.

Mr. President, these candidates have fulfilled the requirements for the Associate of Science degree in Dental Hygiene and are recommended by the faculty of the School of Dentistry for the conferring of this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates from the School of Dentistry, one of the most important developments in the field of dental care is preventive dentistry. To each of you is entrusted a share of responsibility for seeing that patients benefit from this new knowledge about the maintenance of dental health. Esteem this role as an opportunity and fulfill it as a conscientious contribution.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I take pleasure in conferring upon you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Dentistry, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities appertaining thereto. Please be seated.

(Dean McDonald resumes his seat.)

PRESIDENT RYAN: Next I ask Dr. John F. Mee, Dean of the Division of General and Technical Studies, to present his candidates for degrees. Dean Mee. (Dean Mee rises, peaks cap and comes to the podium. President Ryan returns the gesture and steps back a pace.)

DEAN MEE: Will the candidates for the Associate of Science degree in Criminal Justice Technology please stand?

Mr. President, these candidates have completed or will complete by the end of the Summer Sessions, all necessary requirements for the Associate of Science degree in Criminal Justice Technology and are recommended by the Faculty of the Division of General and Technical Studies for the conferring of this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for the degree of Associate of Science in Criminal Justice Technology from the Division of General and Technical Studies, we salute you for your choice of a public service career and for your desire to acquire academic skills pursuant to that choice. You will be dealing with a very intangible commodity--justice.

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This awesome responsibility calls for the exercise of extreme patience, an understanding of diverse human desires and needs, and disciplined use of proven techniques. We wish you well as you assume your role as a guardian of our basic freedoms.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I am privileged to confer upon each of you the degree recommended by the faculty of the Division of General and Technical Studies, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

(DEAN MEE: Will the candidates for the Associate of Science degree in Educational Technology please stand?

Mr. President, these candidates have fulfilled the requirements for the Associate of Science degree in Educational Technology and are recommended by the Faculty of the Division of General and Technical Studies for the conferring of this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for the degree of Associate of Science in Educational Technology from the Division of General and Technical Studies, you are among the first to approach a new frontier in American education--the para-professional in early childhood care and education. Federal and state legislation with emphasis on child development and care is providing great opportunities to each of you to establish a leadership role. There is nothing more rewarding than to contribute as an individual in the care and education of those small children who will become participating members in our society.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I am privileged to confer upon you the degree recommended by the faculty of General and Technical Studies, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

DEAN MEE: Will the candidates for

DEAN MEE: Will the candidates for the Associate of Science degree in Radiologic Technology please stand?

Mr. President, these candidates expect to fulfill this summer the requirements for the Associate of Science degree in Radiologic Technology and are recommended by the faculty of the Division of General and Technical Studies for the conferring of this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for the degree of Associate of Science in Radiologic Technology from the Division of General and Technical Studies, you have chosen a field of service in a health science allied to medical practice. At no previous time in history has there been commensurate concern for the preservation of human life nor ever greater need for persons to devote their skills and training to this aim. Keep before you always the larger purpose that you serve and let it guide your endeavors accordingly.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I am privileged to confer upon you the degree recommended by the faculty of General and Technical Studies, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

(Dean Mee returns to his seat)

PRESIDENT RYAN: Chancellor Wolfson, will you please present the next and following candidates?

(Chancellor Wolfson rises, peaks cap and comes to the podium. President Ryan returns the gesture and steps back a pace.)

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidates in the Division of Arts and Sciences for the degree Bachelor of Arts please rise?

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Mr. President, these candidates

Mr. President, these candidates have completed--or expect to complete this summer--all requirements for the degrees indicated and are recommended by the Faculty of the Division of Arts and Sciences to receive those degrees.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates from the Division of Arts and Sciences, our world is characterized by increasing complexity and specialization; it has pressing need for leadership which is liberally educated and for citizenship trained in evaluation. You are to be complimented on having sought breadth of understanding; and you are asked to weigh the importance of seeking advanced or professional preparation. We bid you go forth to your challenges, to your destiny maintaining your habits of study and of objective thought throughout your lives, and to contribute the best that is in you to every worthy endeavor that you undertake.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Indiana University's Trustees, I am pleased to confer upon each of you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities appertaining thereto. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will all candidates for the degree Bachelor of Science in Business ~~and Economics~~ *Admission to Dean* please rise?

Mr. President, these candidates have met--or expect to meet this summer--all requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Business ~~and Economics~~ *Admission to Dean* degree, as established by the Faculty of the Division of Business and Economics, and I am pleased to recommend them to you for the conferral of that degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for a baccalaureate degree from the Division of Business and Economics, this nation's high standard of living

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is in some extent attributable to the efficiency of our economic and industrial enterprise. You have been trained for positions of service and possible eventual leadership in these fields. Some of you may pursue further formal study with a view to teaching and research, or to seeking higher levels of competence for employment. Assume your positions with the courage, energy and vision needed in a sphere of endeavor to which our society looks for material progress, tempered with the humanness that is central to the purpose of education.

With the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the pleasure of conferring upon each of you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Business and Economics, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will all candidates for the degree Bachelor of Science in Education please rise?

Mr. President, these candidates have met--or expect to meet this summer--all requirements for the degree Bachelor of Science in Education and are hereby recommended to receive this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates from the Division of Education, you are beginning your teaching careers at a time when new approaches to learning, increased understanding of child development, and a heartening concern for environment-produced problems of students challenge you to imaginative and sensitive efforts in introducing education to the very young. Yours is a crucial role, requiring discernment of the old that has permanent value and of the new that has valid potential. Assume it with enthusiasm, intelligence and dedication.

By virtue of the authority

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the honor of conferring upon each of you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Education, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidates for the degree Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology please stand?

Mr. President, these candidates have completed all the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology and are recommended by the Faculty of the School of Medicine to receive this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates from the School of Medicine, the development of the Allied Health Sciences has been an important step in facilitating the delivery of health care. In your careers as Medical Technologists, you can render invaluable supportive service to the noble healing arts. Physicians and patients alike will rely on your skill and diligence. Consider this a trust and guard it with conscientious attention and dedication as you undertake your tasks.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the honor of conferring upon you the degree recommended by the Faculty of the School of Medicine, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidate for the degree Bachelor of Music please rise?

Will the candidates for the degree Bachelor of Music Education please rise?

Will the candidate for Bachelor of Science in Music degree please rise?

please rise?

Mr. President, these candidates have met--or expect to meet this summer--all requirements for the degrees indicated and are hereby recommended to you for the conferring of those degrees.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for a degree from the Division of Music, you have learned to appreciate and express the beautiful and universal language of music. You have an exceptional role to play in helping others incorporate into their daily lives those aesthetic experiences which are inspiring, renewing and enriching.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the honor of conferring on you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Music, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidates for the degree Master of Science in <sup>Admin.</sup> Business please stand?

Mr. President, these candidates have met all requirements for the degree Master of Science in Business and are hereby recommended to receive this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for the Master's degrees in Business, <sup>Admin.,</sup> the future of our economic and industrial enterprise rests in part upon the perceptions and aims of individuals now preparing themselves for leadership in these fields. High among such objectives should ever be conscientious concern for the interests of society. With your advanced training, you have a special opportunity to serve, and I bid you to use it fully and worthily.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the honor to confer upon you the degree

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recommended by the Faculty of Business, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will all candidates for the degree Master of Science in Education please rise?

Mr. President, these candidates have met--or expect to meet this summer--all requirements for the degree Master of Science in Education and are hereby recommended to receive this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidates for Master's degrees from the Division of Education, your postgraduate work has opened new avenues of understanding and enlightenment to you. For some of you, I hope your advanced degree will represent but one more step toward higher intellectual development and achievement. Upon all of you lies the great responsibility to apply your accumulated knowledge so that every student who is yours to guide shall reap its benefits.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Trustees of Indiana University, I have the honor of conferring upon each of you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Education, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

CHANCELLOR WOLFSON: Will the candidate for the degree Master of Music please rise?

Mr. President, this candidate expects to meet this summer all requirements for the degree Master of Music and is hereby recommended to receive this degree.

PRESIDENT RYAN: Candidate for the degree Master of Music, you have learned to appreciate, to perform, to create, and to teach, the beautiful

and universal language of music.

and universal language of music. You have an exceptional and magical role to play in helping all of us incorporate into our daily lives those spiritual and aesthetic experiences which enrich, inspire and elevate the human condition.

By authority of the Trustees of Indiana University I have the honor of conferring upon you the degree recommended by the Faculty of Music, with all the rights, privileges and responsibilities thereto appertaining. Please be seated.

PRESIDENT RYAN continues: I invite the graduates to come forward to the platform now. Professor ~~John A. Cassidy~~ <sup>Charles J. Tull</sup> will call your name and Chancellor Wolfson will present a symbolic diploma to you, which you are to exchange for your diploma or certificate. I ask Chancellor Bowman and Mr. Gates to join me in extending the University's congratulations.

(Mr. Gates and Chancellor Bowman step forward to President Ryan's left.

The graduates rise and proceed in line--first, Certificate and Associate of Science degrees, then Baccalaureates, then Master's degrees. The name of the graduate is read and Chancellor Wolfson presents the symbolic diploma. Then the graduate crosses the platform, shakes hands with President Ryan, Mr. Gates and Chancellor Bowman and returns to his seat. After all graduates have crossed the platform, Chancellor Wolfson, Chancellor Bowman and Mr. Gates resume their seats.)

PRESIDENT RYAN continues: I enjoy the opportunity to shake hands with each of you. My congratulations to you, one and all! Following the Recessional, the platform group will remain for a brief time in the lobby to greet and congratulate the graduates and their families and receive our other guests.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Ladies and Gentlemen, will you please stand now and join in singing "Auld Lang Syne," directed by Professor Demaree. The words are on the inside cover of your program. Afterward, kindly remain standing for the Benediction by Dean Beutler and for the Recessional with the Grand Marshal, Dr. Breneman, and the platform group leading the graduates.

(All doff caps.)

("Auld Lang Syne"

Directed by Professor Demaree)

(Benediction

Dean Beutler)

(All don caps.)

(Grand Marshal leads Recessional).