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YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

STRUTHERS FIELD HOUSE  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE SEVENTEENTH  
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY  
SEVEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK





## ALMA MATER

All hail to thee O Youngstown  
Our Alma Mater fair;  
In sunlight and starshine  
We see thee in all thy glory.  
The Red and the White, thy glorious colors,  
Ever we praise and hold them  
High to the breeze as the symbol of our  
Most loyal allegiance.  
This anthem, O Youngstown,  
Our pledge of trust shall be  
That thy sons and daughters  
Shall keep faith with thee forever.



# PROGRAM

## ORGAN PRELUDE

Tocatta in F Major ..... Buxtehude  
Aria in F Major ..... Handel  
Prelude in G Major ..... Bach  
Fantasia in C Major ..... Bach  
Aria ..... Peeters  
Voluntary in A Major ..... Selby

Ronald L. Gould  
Associate Professor of Music

## ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

Rigaudon ..... Campra  
Trumpet Voluntary ..... Stanley

## INVOCATION

The Reverend Eugene Lazar  
Orthodox Chaplain at the University

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## INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

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Nathaniel R. Jones  
General Counsel, National Association for the  
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## PRESENTATION OF NATHANIEL R. JONES TO RECEIVE THE HONORARY DEGREE, DOCTOR OF LAWS

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## ALMA MATER

## RECESSIONAL

Psalm 19 ..... Marcello  
Psalm 20 ..... Marcello

## SPECIAL NOTE

Philip J. Hahn, chairman of the University Senate Executive Committee, will help invest Mr. Jones with the hood.

The audience is requested to refrain from applause during the presentation of candidates, to be seated after the singing of the Alma Mater, and to remain seated during the recessional.



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JUNE 1970

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### DOCTOR OF LAWS

### NATHANIEL R. JONES

Nathaniel R. Jones is general counsel for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. A native of Youngstown, he was graduated from South High School and from Youngstown State University, where he earned the Bachelor of Arts and Juris Doctor degrees. Mr. Jones has served as executive director of the Fair Employment Practice Committee of the City of Youngstown, and as an assistant United States attorney for the Northern District of Ohio. Immediately prior to the NAACP appointment, he was engaged as deputy general counsel for the President's Commission on Civil Disorders, Washington, D.C.

Formerly a partner in the Youngstown law firm of Goldberg and Jones, Mr. Jones is a member of the Federal Court Practice Committee of the Ohio State Bar Association,

and is chairman of the Law Enforcement Committee and a member of the Courts Committee of the Mahoning County Bar Association. His other professional memberships include those in the Federal Bar Association, the Houston Law Club (Youngstown), the Harlan Law Club (Cleveland), and the American Arbitration Association. He serves on the executive boards of Boy Scouts of America, the Youngstown Branch of the NAACP, and the Youngstown Community Corporation; on the board of trustees of the Associated Neighborhood Centers; on the board of directors of the Buckeye Review Publishing Company; on the advisory council of the First Financial Funding Corporation of America; and as president of the Youngstown Area Development Corporation. He is also affiliated with the Youngstown Leadership Conference and the Urban League.



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Candidates whose names are followed by an asterisk (\*) have been commissioned as second lieutenants in the United States Army.

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## ACADEMIC REGALIA AND CEREMONY

The gowns, hoods, and caps worn in academic ceremonies today are relics of clothing worn in medieval times by students and professors. In the early universities—Bologna, Paris, Oxford—the undergraduate students had no prescribed academic dress but wore their usual clerical or ecclesiastical habits. The professors wore more colorful academic regalia than their modern day descendants. Probably the gowns and hoods were worn for warmth in the unheated halls where the lectures were delivered. From the sixteenth century on, there is a change to somber black and it is only in the hoods worn in academic processions today that the warmth and color of medieval academic pageantry is retained.

The hoods representing degrees granted by various colleges and universities have linings (turned to exhibit their hues to the fullest advantage) in the colors of the granting institutions. For instance, the lining of the hood placed this evening over the head of the recipient of the honorary degree is cardinal and white, the colors of Youngstown State University. In addition, the facing of the hood represents by its color the discipline in which the degree has been granted: white for arts, letters, or humanities; golden yellow for science; purple for law; green for medicine; lemon yellow for library science; orange for engineering; drab for commerce or business; light blue for education; pink for music; brown for fine arts; apricot for nursing; dark blue for philosophy; scarlet for theology; citron for social work; sage green for physical education. It is possible, also, to determine from the length of the hoods the type of degree held by the wearer—quite long for the doctor's degree, medium for the master's, short for the bachelor's.

Since 1895, in the United States, the colors and types of caps and gowns have been largely standardized; in 1932 the code was revised to some extent, and in 1960 it was revised once more. A few American universities have adopted gowns other than black in color, and in European universities there is more diversity in cut and in the cap than pre-

vails in the United States. Trustees and administrators of American colleges and universities, too, may wear regalia which is different from that commonly worn. The trustees of Youngstown State University wear a specially designed cardinal gown.

The bachelor's gown is worn closed; the master's gown is worn open or closed, depending partly on its tailoring; and the wearer of the doctor's gown has the privilege of wearing it open or closed. The sleeves of the three types of gowns are of different lengths and cuts, and in addition the sleeves of the doctor's gown have three horizontal velvet stripes. The doctor's gown also has vertical facing of velvet in front. The stripes and facing may be either black or in the color representing the field in which the wearer has received the doctorate.

There are different opinions about the origin of the caps worn in academic ceremonies. One view is that the "mortar board" is in actuality adapted from the wooden square used by masons. Another is that it stems from the ecclesiastical or clerical head covering of the medieval period. The tassels worn on the caps may or may not be of the same types. In some institutions all masters' and bachelors' tassels are black; in others the tassels, which are the same as the colors of the facings of the hoods, reflect the degree received. The tassels worn by doctors may be black or gold thread.

There is something of the same adherence to tradition in commencement processions that exists in academic garb, although each institution has the right to adapt the ceremony to its own requirements. The chief marshals lead the line of march, followed by the president, the speaker, trustees, and other members of the party to be seated on the platform. Then follow the faculty and the candidates for degrees. The procession at the end of the ceremony follows the same order.

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