



Jones Hall, Youngstown State University

JOHN DELTECH NOLLE

Fall Commencement Youngstown State University

Sunday Afternoon, December Seventeenth
Two Thousand
Two O'Clock
Beegly Center

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

PRELUDE	"Stars and Stripes Forever March" by John Philip Sousa YSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble Dr. Stephen L. Gage, Conductor
ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL	"Suite #1 in E _b Major" by Gustav Holst "Pomp and Circumstance" from March No. 1 by Edward Elgar "March Processional" by Clare Grundman
WELCOME	David C. Sweet President
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Dr. Misook Yun, Assistant Professor of Music Dana School of Music College of Fine and Performing Arts
REFLECTION	Reverend Kathryn Adams Director, Protestant Campus Ministries
INTRODUCTION OF TRUSTEES	President Sweet
GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER; PRESENTATION OF REVEREND JOAN BROWN CAMPBELL TO RECEIVE THE DEGREE HONORARY DOCTOR OF HUMANITIES	Ruth Z. Wilkes Chairperson, Board of Trustees
ADDRESS	Reverend Joan Brown Campbell Director, Department of Religion Chautauqua Institution
MUSICAL SELECTION	"Sleigh Ride" by Leroy Anderson
RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES ATTAINING UNIVERSITY HONORS	James J. Scanlon Provost
CONFERRING OF DEGREES	President Sweet
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES	Peter J. Kasvinsky, <i>Dean of the School of Graduate Studies</i> Barbara H. Brothers, <i>Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences</i> Betty Jo Licata, <i>Dean of the Warren P. Williamson, Jr. College of Business Administration</i> Joseph Edwards, <i>Interim Dean of the Beeghly College of Education</i> Charles A. Stevens, <i>Dean of the William Rayen College of Engineering and Technology</i> George McCloud, <i>Dean of the College of Fine and Performing Arts</i> John J. Yemma, <i>Dean of the Dominic A. and Helen M. Bitonte College of Health and Human Services</i>
WELCOME FROM YSU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION	Roxy Gurlea <i>President, YSU Alumni Association</i>
CLOSING REMARKS	President Sweet
ALMA MATER	Professor Yun
RECESSIONAL	"The Liberty Bell March" by John Philip Sousa "The Washington Post March" by John Philip Sousa

Ruth Z. Wilkes, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees, and Provost Scanlon will invest Rev. Campbell with the hood.

The audience is asked to be seated after the singing of the Alma Mater and to remain seated during the recessional.

Photographs requiring the use of flash equipment may not be taken while exercises are in progress.

Graduates and their guests are cordially invited to attend an informal reception immediately following the Commencement ceremony in the Chestnut Room, Kilcawley Center.

UNIVERSITY HONORS

FALL 2000

Because the list of candidates for graduation honors had to be prepared ahead of time, it is tentative. The diploma, together with a certified transcript, is the proof of graduation with honors.

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Summa Cum Laude

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Jacquelyn Marie Cline
Erin Elizabeth Dixon
David S. Grager
Kellie Ann Hannon
Holly Sue Hawkins
Christa Cohatha Henry
Nick Louis Lautzenheiser

Anthony Carl Lazzeri
Kimberly Marie Malys
Kristeen Marie Martuccio
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Vincent John Tornincasa
Myra Lynn Vitto
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Mandi Jean Calve
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Erica Lynn Durch
Margaret Marie Gardner
Cerissa Lynn Giovanni

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Holly Anne Royal
Jessica Beth Savo
Lisa Marie Shannon
Bryan James Smith
Amy Susan Szczyglowski
Rached Z. Tabbara
Stephanie Lynn Tackett
Stewart Louis White
Michael Stephen Yonchak

With High Honors

Darlene Maria Welch

With Honors

Melissa L. Elkin
Cheryl Lin Graham

The Commencement Speaker and Candidate for the Degree Honorary Doctor of Humanities

Today's commencement speaker, **Joan Brown Campbell**, is the director of the Department of Religion at the Chautauqua Institution, a 126-year-old center for art, education, religion, and recreation in southwest New York State. As director, she also serves as the spiritual leader and chaplain for the Institution.

Rev. Campbell previously served as general secretary of the National Council of Churches USA, the nation's oldest and largest ecumenical organization. The NCC is an affiliation of 35 member denominations with a combined membership of 55 million people.

A native of Boardman, Ohio, Rev. Campbell says of her youth in Youngstown, "I had deep, deep roots in that city. I knew what made it run." After moving to Cleveland, her intense interest in politics and the church found expression in the civil rights movement. Through it, she met Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., organized voting drives, volunteered with Head Start, and gradually broadened her involvement to include the Cleveland Interchurch Council.

As she became more and more active in the Council—eventually becoming associate

director—Rev. Campbell also began studying for the ministry. Seven years later, at the age of 50, she was ordained in both the American Baptist Church and the Christian Church Disciples of Christ.

Throughout her life in the ministry, Rev. Campbell has often taken controversial stands on issues of social justice. The first woman to head the National Council of Churches, she pushed to organization to be "the public voice of faith on the social issues of the day, to face up to government in pursuing social justice, and to improve the life of the poor." Her most recent public role was assisting Elian Gonzales during the Cuban boy's newsmaking months in the United States. Before that, she had worked with Rev. Jesse Jackson to free three American prisoners from Belgrade in the former Yugoslavia.

Rev. Campbell calls her liberal politics a "spiritual agenda." "We're accused of being too pie-in-the-sky, of not dealing with what's possible and practical," she says. "But we have a vision we keep holding up, a picture of what this nation can be, something better, something beyond what we are today. And unless someone holds that vision up, we're never going to rise up to what is possible."

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Arts

Heather Masters Carcelli,
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Youngstown State University
English

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Case Western Reserve University
General Business

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General Business

Master of Business Administration

Amy J. Anos, B.S.
Mount Union College
General Business

Roy D. McCale, Jr., B.S.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Master of Health and Human Services

Alice I. Scherl-Slusher, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Health and Human Services
Thesis: *Is Cost a Barrier to
Mammography: A Comparison
Between U.S. and Australian
Healthcare Delivery*

Jacqueline Boyle, B.S.N.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Marcie Lynne Patzak, A.B., J.D.
Youngstown State University,
Cleveland-Marshall College of Law
General Business

Joseph E. Valko, Jr., B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Health and Human Services

Keith Stuart Brooks, B.E.
University of Western Ontario
(Canada)
General Business

Christopher Todd Pherson, B.E.
Grove City College
General Business

Marilyn Walton, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Health and Human Services
Thesis: *Effects of Asthma Education
on the Number of Hospital
Admissions of Asthmatic Children*

Peter Jude Carey, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Maria Louise Rotunno, B.A.
Ohio University
General Business

Master of Music

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Youngstown State University
Performance

Jeremy Daniel Cowan, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Marketing

Jamie Lee Smith, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Management

James Victor Piccirilli, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Performance

Joseph Bernard Dunlany, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Management

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Youngstown State University
General Business

Douglas Paul Hayes, B.E.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Jill Susanne Townsend, B.S.N.
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General Business

Master of Science

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University of Maryland
Criminal Justice

Liadi Olaniyi Kareem, B.S., B.A.
The University of Akron
Management

Jamie Lee Webber, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Management

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES (continued)

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B.S. in A.S.

Youngstown State University
Criminal Justice

Thesis: *Vulnerability Factors that Lead to Stress and Strain Among Corrections Officers*

Jeffrey Richard Futchko, B.S.
Kutztown University of

Pennsylvania
Criminal Justice

David Alan Heckman, B.S.
Slippery Rock University of
Pennsylvania
Mathematics

Bonnie Lou Isaac, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Biology

Thesis: *A phytogeographical and ecological study of Prenanthes crepidinea michaux (Asteraceae)*

James Douglas Knight, B.A.
Baldwin-Wallace College
Criminal Justice

Thesis: *Reclaim Ohio in Jefferson County: A Comparative Analysis*

Anita L. Wainwright, B.A.
Central State University
Criminal Justice

Thesis: *Parental Substance Abuse Attributes to Conduct Disorders and Juvenile Delinquency*

Edward Richard Wajda, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Mathematics

Monica Lynn Watson, B.A.
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Middle Grades

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Educational Administration

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Special Education

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Educational Administration

Becky M. Endsley, M.S. in Ed.
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Educational Administration

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Allegheny College
Counseling

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Counseling

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Pennsylvania
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Counseling

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Pennsylvania
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Kendra Leigh Huff, B.A.
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Franklin College
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Master Teacher-Secondary,
Educational Technology

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Mount Union College
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Master Teacher-Elementary,
Reading Specialist

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Stacey Lynn Slater, B.A.
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Gina M. Slaven, B.S. in Ed.
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Svetlana Stechschulte, B.S.
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Lynne A. Stoll, B.S. in Ed.
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Master Teacher-Elementary,
Early Childhood Education

Michael Patrick Sylvester, B.A.
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Judy A. Turs-chak, B.A.
The University of Akron
Counseling

Carla L. Veri-Bowman, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Counseling

Aaron Joseph Walker, B.M.E.
Mount Union College
Educational Administration

Master of Science in Engineering

Muhammed Alrashidi, B.S.
University of Portland
Electrical Engineering

Ivan J. Bosnjak, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Industrial & Systems
Engineering

HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Shawn Robert Timblin
Music

Vincent John Tornincasa
Education

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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. 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.

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 prevails 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 a 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 requirement. 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 recessional at the end of the ceremony follows the same order.

Recipients of University Honors will receive special insignia, consisting of golden honor cords placed around the shoulders.