THE THIRTY-FIRST COMMENCEMENT

OF THE

STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

AT

SALISBURY, MARYLAND



BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Sunday, June the Seventh
Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-three
Three O'Clock

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Monday, June the Eighth Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-three Ten-thirty O'Clock

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Processional - The Spacious Firmament on High

Haydn

The Lord's Prayer

Malotte

State Teachers College Male Quartet: Messrs. Robert Gebhardtsbauer, Howard Cheek, William Truitt, William James

The Invocation

Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy

Dykes

Responsive Reading

Psalms 37: 3-7; 62: 1, 2, 5-8, 11, 12 125: 1, 2, 4

Truly my soul waiteth upon God: from Him cometh my salvation.

He only is my rock and my salvation; He is my defense; I shall not be greatly moved.

My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation is from Him.

He only is my rock and my salvation: He is my defense; I shall not be moved.

In God is my salvation and my glory: the rock of my strength, and my refuge, is in God.

Trust in Him at all times; ye people, pour out your heart before Him: God is a refuge for us.

God hath spoken once; twice have I heard this; that power belongeth unto God.

Also unto Thee, O Lord, belongeth mercy: for Thou renderest to every man according to his work.

Trust in the Lord, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.

Delight thyself also in the Lord; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart.

Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in Him; and he shall bring it to pass.

He shall bring forth thy righteousness as the light, and thy judgment as the noonday.

Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him.

They that trust in the Lord shall be as Mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth forever.

As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about His people from henceforth even forever.

Do good, O Lord, unto those that be good, and to them that are upright in their hearts.

Sermon

The Reverend J. Robert Mackey

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones
Mixed Ensemble

17th Century German

Hymn: All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Holden

Recessional: God of Our Fathers

Warren

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Processional: Land of Hope and Glory

Elgar

Invocation

The Reverend J. Randolph Field

Hymn to Music

Mixed Ensemble

Chopin-Ringwald

Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child Mixed Ensemble

Arr. Ringwald

Address

Dr. Wilson M. Compton

Presentation of Bachelor of Science Degree Candidates

Dr. T. J. Caruthers

Presentation of Associate in Arts Degree Candidates

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Conferring of Degrees

President J. D. Blackwell

Awarding of Diplomas

Mr. Jerome Framptom, Jr.

Welcome into the Teaching Profession

Dr. Thomas G. Pullen, Jr.

Awarding of Achievement Keys

Dr. Blackwell

Londonderry Air

Mixed Ensemble

Irish Folk Song

You'll Never Walk Alone

Rodgers

Piano Duet: Misses Frances Johnson and Ann Thorne Mixed Ensemble

Alma Mater

Black

Graduates and Mixed Ensemble

Benediction

Mr. Field

Recessional: "Grand March" from Aida

Verdi

Music under the direction of Dr. Jessie L. Fleming Mr. David H. Kidder, Accompanist

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