College of Boca Raton
Commencement Exercises

Boca Raton, Florida

Saturday, May 18, 1985
10:00 a.m.
PROGRAM

Presiding: Donald E. Ross, President

Academic Procession ........................................ Lettie Ozaki
Pomp and Circumstance – Elgar Stringfest Quintette

Invocation ....................................................... The Reverend Martin Devereaux
College Chaplain

America the Beautiful – Bates ............................... Ingrid Dehner
Vocalist

Welcome .......................................................... Debi F. Harte

Introduction of the Speaker ................................. Donald E. Ross
President

Commencement Address ....................................... Ray C. Osborne

Presentation of Honorary Degrees ......................... Donald E. Ross
Doctor of Laws
Ray C. Osborne
Doctor of Humane Letters
Earl E.T. Smith

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees .................. James D. Matthews
Vice President and Dean
Academic Affairs

Presentation of Awards ........................................ Donald E. Ross

Conferring of Degrees ........................................ Donald E. Ross

Benediction ....................................................... The Reverend Martin Devereaux

Chief Marshal .................................................. Dr. John Cicero

Marshals .......................................................... Claude Simpson
Donna Sullivan
America the Beautiful
by Katharine Lee Bates

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountains majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America!
God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet
Whose stern, impassioned stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat
Across the wilderness!
America! America!
God mend thine ev'ry flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self-control,
Thy liberty in law.
CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

ASSOCIATE DEGREES

Stuart David Abraham
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Laurie Ann Meckle                        Joseph Tansey
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Jill Ann Mooney                          Maria Gabriela Urcuyo Torres
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Frederick W. Mowers                      Laura Michele Weis
                                            Timothy Richard Wicks

Amy Leigh Nelson                         Micellaneous
Julian Nelson                             Angela Taurisano
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Toshiyuki Ono                              Maria Gabriela Urcuyo Torres
Julio Jose Otaola Gasperi
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Robert Michael Zurlino
Ray C. Osborne is the senior partner in the law firm of Osborne, Hankins & MacLaren. He is married to the former Mary Thom White, and they have one daughter, Molly, who is a student at Southern Methodist University. Mr. Osborne received his B.S. Degree from North Carolina State University and a Doctorate of Law Degree from the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Osborne served in the Florida House of Representatives for three terms, and in 1968 was elected Lieutenant Governor for the State of Florida. Mr. Osborne also was with the U.S. Army from 1955-57 as First Lieutenant in the Third Armored Division. Locally, he has served on the Board of Trustees at the College of Boca Raton and the Board of Trustees at St. Andrews School, was a member of the Vestry at St. Gregory's Church and is a Past Commodore of Royal Palm Yacht & Country Club.
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Ambassador Earl E.T. Smith is a financier, corporate director, and member of the New York Stock Exchange. Ambassador Smith was born in Newport, Rhode Island, and attended Yale University. A resident of Palm Beach for forty years, he has been actively involved in local government, having served as mayor from 1971-1977.

Ambassador Smith has distinguished himself by receiving appointments from four U.S. Presidents. Franklin Roosevelt appointed Mr. Smith to the War Production Board. He served as Ambassador to Cuba under President Eisenhower and was also appointed Ambassador to Switzerland by John Kennedy. Ambassador Smith recently served on the Presidential Commission on Broadcasting for President Reagan.

During World War II, Ambassador Smith served as Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army and also served in the United States 8th Air Force Intelligence.

Currently, Ambassador Smith is a director of the U.S. Sugar Corporation and the Bank of Palm Beach and Trust Company, is a Vice President of the Four Arts of the Palm Beaches, and serves as the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Preservation Foundation of Palm Beach.
ACADEMIC REGALIA

Lending color to the pageantry of the Academic Convocation are the academic robes and hoods worn by the faculty. This regalia reaches back into the medieval ages when it served a functional as well as an ornamental role, separating the learned men from other groups and offering warmth and protection.

In America in the late nineteenth century, a conference was held by representatives of colleges and universities to bring some order and system to the custom of academic dress. Since then, there have been periodic conferences to revise or reconfirm existing practices.

Essentially, undergraduates wear the black robes with the white collars. Holders of the bachelor's degree wear hoods which are lined with the colors of the college conferring the degree and trimmed with the color representing the subject in which the degree was earned. The doctoral robe is adorned with velvet and is also worn with the hood suitably ornamented.

Holders of degrees from foreign universities by religious orders wear the entire academic costume as decreed by the conferring institution.

The following list reflects the colors which will be found on the hoods worn in the Academic Procession at this Convocation, and the subject each represents.

Art, Letters, Humanities  White
Commerce, Business  Drab
Economics  Copper
Education  Light Blue
Engineering  Orange
Fine Arts  Brown
Journalism  Crimson
Law  Purple
Library Science  Lemon
Music  Pink
Nursing  Apricot
Philosophy  Dark Blue
Physical Education  Sage Green
Science  Golden Yellow
Theology  Scarlet
Speech  Silver Grey

College of Boca Raton graduates only:
White Tassel signifies Dean's list
Blue Tassel signifies President's Honor Society