LYNN UNIVERSITY

The Forty-Fifth
Commencement Exercises

Saturday, May 8, 2010
The Forty-Fifth

Commencement Exercises
ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The University Mace
The Gonfalons
The Faculty Marshals
The Candidates for Degrees
The University Faculty
The Platform Party

INVOCATION

The Rev. Martin C. Devereaux
University Chaplain

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

Lyrics by Katherine Lee Bates, music composed by Samuel A. Ward
Led by Melanie Sierra

WELCOME

Kevin M. Ross
President

STUDENT ADDRESS

Christine Marie Kathleen Johnstone
Bachelor of Science, Biology ’10

REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

Kevin M. Ross
President

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. Sanjay Gupta
Chief of Neurosurgery, Grady Memorial Hospital
Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery,
Emory University School of Medicine
Senior Medical Correspondent, CNN
Columnist, TIME magazine
PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREE

Kevin M. Ross
President

Dr. Sanjay Gupta, Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*

PRESENTATION OF OUTSTANDING TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Cynthia M. Patterson
Vice President for Academic Affairs

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS AND HONORS

The Medina McMenimen Bickel Fashion Award
The Bradley Middlebrook II Student Service Award
The Count and Countess de Hoernle Humanitarian Award
The M. Elizabeth Maddy Cumpton Endowed Memorial Award
The Gordon and Mary Henke Excellence in Communication Award
The James J. Oussani Award
The Dean’s Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Education
The Bachelor’s Degree Award
The President’s Award
The Trustees’ Medal

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Presented by Cynthia M. Patterson
Vice President for Academic Affairs

Conferred by Kevin M. Ross
President

BENEDICTION

The Rev. Martin C. Devereaux
University Chaplain

ALMA MATER

RECESSIONAL
Candidates for the Degrees

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT

Bachelor of Science - Honoris Generalis

Perla Margarita Cruz  Marketing and International Business
Manavi Halwasiya  Marketing and Fashion Management
Ivana Pancevska  International Business
Julie Ann Stamper  General Management

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration - Bachelor of Science

Marissa Faith Acker  Marketing
Yousef Al-Qallaf  General Management
Fajer Saud Al-Roomi  Business Administration
Noriyah Saud Al-Roomi  Business Administration
Luay Al-Salem  International Business
Shaheen Almani  General Management
Mansour Mohammed Alsheikh  General Management
Cristina Amor  International Business
Kyle Alan Antonucci  General Management
Humberto Antonio Araque  International Business
Natalia K. Arellano  Fashion Management
Laila Fayruz Atie  International Business
Monique Christina Aubin  International Business and Marketing
Manuel Domenico Bally  International Business
Lauren Marie Barbieri  Fashion Management
Stephanie Nicole Becker  General Management
Othman Belhassan  International Business
James Thomas Benedetti  General Management
James J. Bissett  General Management
Roberta Lee Bodden  General Management and Fashion Management
Richard Carter Boh  Marketing
Lournest K. Bohorquez  Aviation Management
Joseph Vincent Bommarito  Marketing and General Management
Ariel E. Bosin  Marketing
Jeffrey S. Brachfeld  General Management
Steven Brame  General Management
Christopher Russel Brown  International Business
Derek Thomas Brubaker  Fashion Management
Taylor Lynn Buczynski  Marketing
Katherine Breese Buffington  General Management
Kendall Patrick Butler  General Management
Christina M. Campagna  General Management
Gabriela Maria Canals  International Business
Kyle Michael Cannon
Natalie Marie Capiro
Jessica Lee Caracciola
Joshua Aaron Carr
Brianna Marie Cavataio
Robert R. Cervoni
Jose Leonardo Chaparro
Evan James Colardo
Jonathan David Colon
Cassady Rae Cook
Richard Oliver Dallas
Krystal Darville
Monish Das
Lucia Telesilda De Genna Fernandez
Jose Fernando Del Corral
Victoria Rose DeChiaro
Brianna Marie DeRose
Tracy Camille DiGiulio
Jane Cecelia Ehrhart
Christopher Garland Evans
Justin Paul Figart
Dane Vincent Fioravante
David Jonathan Fish
Max Brian Frater
Amanda Romeo Gallo
Ariela Christine Ganddini
Sarah Ann Gerlach
Andrew Scott Ghitman
Rory Ginsburg
Amy Michelle Golbom
Igaro Alves Goncalves
Scott J. Gordon
Gonzalo E. Granda
Sergio Menna Barreto Gregori
Maha Haddioui
Ryan Keith Hall
Anupa Jaikishin Harjani
Sean Patrick Harvey
Husain Hasan
James Isaac Hirshfield
Benjamin Colton Hoffer
Logan Elaine Jaconski
Bradley Jaufmann
Jeremy Jamal Jeremiah
Adam Curtis Jones
Jean Robert Joseph
Justin M. Kassem
Devin Alexander Kay

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Katherine Oliva Lacey
Renée Amelia Lanteigne*
James Francis Lawrence
Brian Nelson Lee
Heather Michelle Lentz
Daniel Nathan Libman
Christopher Thomas Lindrud-Busch
Ian Alberto Llobregat
Stephen Michael Malakoff
Matthew Malvasio
Alessandro Mammoli
Max A. Markow
Shane Alfred McFarland
Anna Elisabeth McNellen
Richard Alan McVey
Sarah Fran Mendelsberg
Vivian Margaret Mendez
Samual Adam Meyer
Danielle Christina Mizrahi
Jorge Eduardo Molina
Joshua Francis Morell
Alicia Mourgue d’Algue
John Thomas Murray II
Michael James Nagy
Andrew John Nicklaus
Casey Noyes O’Donnell
Jacqueline Marie Orcutt
Victor Anthony Palmieri
Jorge Alejandro Pena
Rodrigo Palacios Pérez
Ricardo Polo*
Yinka Popoola
Connor Hammond Qvale
Tomas Racak
Christopher Lane Reed
Patricio Carlos Salem
Alexander Elihu Schneier
Thomas Wesley Shaffer
Andre Miguel Sheppard
Jeremy Slonim
Stephanie Carson Smith
Zachary Reece Smith
Rodolfo Antonio Stiglich
Sara Paige Strout
Gabriel Mauro Taboada

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**DONALD E. AND HELEN L. ROSS COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Science in Education - Bachelor of Science**

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**COLLEGE OF HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT**

**Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Administration**

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Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management - Bachelor of Science

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Ceren Nadire Akcelik
Samantha Lee Austin
Katherine Patricia Bacarella
Ashley Lorraine Barlow
Junior Henry Beauzier
Katelin Emily Bennett
Carleton Seve Burrows
Mollie A. Cain
Corey Adam Casty
Taylor Elura Cooper
Benjamin Joseph Courtney
Matthew Prescott Creedy
Alexa Grace Dalicandro
Elyse Daskalovitz
Christopher Joseph Donhauser
Meredith Epstein
Anna Lynn Fischer
Lauren Ilene Forman
Lauren Rebecca Fry
Justin Matthew Garcia
Christopher Paul Goldan
Kristin Marie Grey
Gary Phillip Gusrae
Amanda Marie Hadeed
Megan Margret Hahne
Kyle Neuhoff Hall
Alexander James Harris
Morgan Lauren Jefferson
Vanessa E. Jerome
Christopher Roger Jester
Meegan Adare Kavanaugh
David Michael Kerzner
Ashley Brooke Knight
Nicholas Anthony Lazaros
Bennett Thomas Lesuer
Gregory Wray MacKay
Bianca Nicole Manica
Johnny Membreno
Brittany Rose Mesiano
Alyssa Channing Milano
Kate Elizabeth Nettesheim
Nina Caroline Jean Outerbridge
Christina A. Panaretos

Sports and Recreation Management
Resort and Hotel Management
Sports and Recreation Management
Vacation Ownership/Timeshare Management
Hotel, Resort, and Food Services Management
Sports Administration
International Hotel and Tourism Management
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Rachel Rooth
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Cherry N. Sein
Sarah Beth Shumaker
Max Aaron Silver
Jeffrey Andrew Stein
Nicholas McFarlane Stoll
Matthew James Sweet
Vanessa Maria Tose
Shay LaFayette Tyre
Shannon Elizabeth Wenzel
Harold Hunter White IV
Meredith Brooke Willenbrink
Kathleen Kendall Wirtz
Jane Maree Zegar

Sports and Recreation Management
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THE EUGENE M. AND CHRISTINE E. LYNN
COLLEGE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION

Bachelor of Arts - Artium Baccalaureus Honoris

Timea Varga
Communication, Media and Politics

Bachelor of Arts

Alison Marie Abruzzese
Communication
Brooks Alexander Goldschmidt
Drama
Jordan Bryant Angel
Radio, Television and Internet Media
Cecilia Louise Bagby
Communication, Media and Politics
Angela Loretta Barioli
Mass Communication
Christopher Jordan Batiste
Mass Communication
Laura Katharine Black
Multimedia Journalism
Timothy Patrick Cappelli
Advertising and Public Relations
Michael John Carrera
Mass Communication
Amanda Elizabeth Cartine
Advertising and Public Relations
Lindsey Blair Caruana
Multimedia Journalism
Rita Carolina Chavez
Journalism and Mass Communication
William Dean
Mass Communication
Hillary Elizabeth Dever
Mass Communication
Christopher Patrick Dillon
Film Studies
Rachael Evans
Ashley Brooke Feldman
Joseph Michael Fierman
Alejandro Fuenmayor Romero
Kelly Elizabeth Harman
Allison Kathryn Huntley
Brittany Marie Hutchinson*
Bertyl Johnson
Sean Ian Katz
Cristie B. Kaufman
Brandon Lawrence Kennedy
John M. Lee
Amy Anne Lyus
Norma Alejandra Marquez
Alexandra Elizabeth Mintz
Tiarra Ann Norcross
Lindsay Plosnich
Michael Scott Porter
Luiana Hostalacío Porto
Michael Angelo Puyanic
Morris Kevin Rabinowitz
Dylan David Regan
Andrew Albert Rychalski
Barbara Angeline Schwenk
Kathleen Rae Smith
Amanda Nicole Tomec
Jenna Leigh Walsh
Rachel Shellane Weiss
Meghan Elizabeth Whelan
Robert Gregory Zap
Lee Morris Zoretic

cJournalism and Mass Communication
Communication
Advertising and Public Relations
Mass Communication
Communication
Drama
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Advertising and Public Relations
Radio, Television and Internet Media
Film Studies
Multimedia Journalism
Radio, Television and Internet Media
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Bachelor of Science

Alyssa Lawren Canarelli
Jacob B. Cipolla
Luca De Benedetti
Charles T. Eelman
Mallory Blair Goldstein
Peter John Good III
Almir Kasumovic
Selby Elizabeth Moore
Charles Albert Phillips
Andrew McKee Sork
Myron James Szczukowski
Kasey Elizabeth Walden
Justin Weissbard

Photography
Graphic and Visual Communication
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Graphic Design
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* Honors minor
Bachelor of Science in Design

Hunter H. Barendrick
Andrew Eric Blatt
Theresa Jean Malavarca
Athena Maroules
Jason TenEyck
Anthony Terranova

Graphic and Visual Communication
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COLLEGE OF LIBERAL EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts - Artium Baccalaureus Honoris

Juan David Ospina

American Studies

Bachelor of Arts

Melanie Sloane Ahron
Dhary Humoud Al-Sadoun
Neil Robertson Andrews
Leigh Pawlina Barker
Marshall Frank Braden
Ariel Claire Brown
Dominique Walter Claessens
Michelle Nicole Donaldson
Natasha Dyner
Nicole Marie Fantauzzi
Dayrimis Fleites
Ronit Furman
Sabrina Alyse Klein
Edward O'Conner Lee
Michael D.D. Littlefield
Michael J. Polan
Julie Beth Prudhomme
Melissa Ariel Rosen
Casey Russell Sedley
Michael James Sheppard
Susan Beth Thomas
Mariana Trejo
Paul Andrew Tyska
Courtney Leigh Wainer
Benjamin Jonah Weinberg

Human Services
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Bachelor of Science

Sharif Reda AbdelFattah  Biology
Nojoud Khaled Al Hakeem  Biology
Jessenia A. Arias  Criminal Justice
Gabriella Arrien  Psychology
Jonathan Axel  Criminal Justice
Omar Shwan Aziz  Biology
Anthony Vincent Balsam  Biology
Royce Joseph Bellini  Psychology
Lauren Miriam Breen  Criminal Justice
Christopher David Buchan  Psychology
Ashley Lynn Chubbs  Criminal Justice
Martha Macey Cooper  Psychology
Carlos Eduardo Correa  Biology
Shannon Lynn DeFreese  Criminal Justice
Brittany Rae Everden  Biology
Daniel Flores  Criminal Justice
Joseph Patrick Gareau  Biology
Oren Michael Goldring  Psychology
Shannon Rose Grady  Biology
Breanna Heising  Criminal Justice
Kyle Frederick Holloway  Psychology
Morgan Lee Ingegno  Biology
Katerina Jiskrova*  Biology
Axel Joachim  Biology
Christine Marie Johnstone  Biology
Borja Alexander Kaiser  Psychology
Stephen Yale Lande  Psychology
Amanda Mary-Anne Latham  Psychology
Melissa Susan Moscara  Criminal Justice
Keeley Bridget Mulvihill  Psychology
Patrick Lee Nurthen  Criminal Justice
Edward James O'Neill  Psychology
Amechi Steven Onyejekwe  Biology
Nicole Frances Pallister  Biology
Alyssa Marcella Rijavec  Biology
Dane Austin Robertson  Psychology
Scott R. Rogers  Psychology
Amanda Joanne Russo  Psychology
Emily B. Salad  Psychology
Maria Teresa Salame Avilés  Criminal Justice
Shalene M. Schlenker  Psychology
Thein Oak Sein*  Biology
Sara A. Selter  Psychology
Chanel Smith  Psychology
Asher Stout  Criminal Justice
Lushen Zhou  International Relations

* Honors minor
CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Bachelor of Music

Eduardo Tomas Albuermé  Music Performance, Bassoon
Michael Richard Anderson  Music Performance, Piano
Dejan Daskalov  Music Performance, Piano
Seul A. Lee  Music Performance, Violin
Mario Angel Lopez Zamora  Music Performance, French Horn
Ciprian Stancioi  Music Performance, Clarinet

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Medina McMenimen Bickel Fashion Award is presented to the graduating senior who exhibits outstanding leadership and the potential for a successful career in fashion marketing.

The Bradley Middlebrook II Student Service Award is presented to the student who has exhibited outstanding service to fellow students, Lynn University and the community at large.

The Count and Countess de Hoernle Humanitarian Award is given for outstanding loyalty to the university.

The M. Elizabeth Maddy Cumpton Endowed Memorial Award is presented to the most outstanding string student in the Conservatory of Music.

The Gordon and Mary Henke Excellence in Communication Award recognizes the student who has excelled in the communications program and has the potential for an outstanding career in the field of communications.

The James J. Oussani Award is presented to the student deemed most innovative and motivated in completing a degree program.

The Dean’s Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Education is given by each of the colleges to an outstanding graduating senior based upon his or her academic achievement and contributions to the mission of Lynn University.

The Bachelor’s Degree Award is presented to the undergraduate degree candidate who has attained the highest cumulative grade point average for his or her entire degree course work. Students must have earned 90 credits or more at Lynn to be eligible for this award. Students are also evaluated on other factors that may include community involvement at Lynn University and within the local community.
The President’s Award is given for extraordinary service and commitment to the university.

The Trustees’ Medal is bestowed to a student who has exhibited outstanding scholarship, leadership, loyalty and service to the university.

2010 CLASS GIFT

By popular vote, the Class of 2010 has selected the Graduation Archway as its legacy to Lynn University. The archway brings an enhancement to campus while providing students and their families with a scenic site for that precious graduation day moment to be captured on film. Thanks to all those 2010 graduates who believed in and contributed to this gift that will leave your mark on your alma mater.
Dr. Sanjay Gupta is chief of neurosurgery at Grady Memorial Hospital, an assistant professor of neurosurgery at Emory University School of Medicine and senior medical correspondent for the health and medical unit at CNN. Based in Atlanta, he also writes a column for TIME magazine.

Gupta joined CNN in the summer of 2001 and became part of the network team covering the Sept. 11 attacks in New York City, breaking news about anthrax and its deadly effects. In 2003, he spent time in Iraq and Kuwait, reporting on various medical aspects of escalating tension with Iraq. He offered viewers exclusive reports from points along the unit’s travel to Baghdad and provided live coverage from a desert operating room, where he performed brain surgery five times.

In 2004, he traveled to the international AIDS conference in Bangkok, where he reported on the pandemic. That coverage contributed to the awarding of an Alfred I. duPont Award to CNN. In December 2004, Gupta was sent to Sri Lanka to cover the disaster and aftermath of the tsunami that took more than 155,000 lives in South Asia.

Gupta has been published in a variety of scientific journals and has received numerous accolades. In 2003, he was named one of PEOPLE magazine’s “Sexiest Men Alive” and a “pop culture icon” by USA Today. In 2004, the Atlanta Press Club named him “Journalist of the Year.” He has won the Humanitarian Award from the National Press Photographers Association, a GOLD Award from the National Health Care Communicators and a finalist honor for the International Health and Medical Media award.

He is a member of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons, Congress of Neurological Surgeons, Do Something Foundation, Healing the Children Foundation, the Council of Foreign Relations and the Brain Foundation.

Gupta received his undergraduate degree from the University of Michigan and a Doctor of Medicine from the University of Michigan Medical School.
Christine Johnstone, a biology major from Southampton, Ontario (Canada) has consistently maintained a perfect 4.0 grade point average. She has participated in extensive scientific research alongside Khalique Ahmed, professor of chemistry and physics.

An active member of the Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC), Christine has served as co-president of the Runner's Club.

Christine is captain of the women’s tennis team, which has won the Sunshine State Conference state and regional championships for the last three years. She has been named the team’s Most Improved Player, received ITA All-Academic Honors for her combined athletic and academic achievements and is a National Championship Runner-Up two years in a row.

Off the courts and out of the classroom, Christine also participates in numerous community service activities. The majority of her volunteerism has been with the Make-A-Wish Foundation, Habitat for Humanity, the Stratford Court Retirement Home and Boca Raton Community Hospital. In addition, she served as a student-athlete mentor to new students through facilitating workshops on time management, leadership and commitment.

Following graduation, she plans to apply to medical schools in Florida, hoping to pursue her dream of becoming a sports medicine or emergency medicine physician.
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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College of Hospitality Management: Theodore Curtis
Eugene M. and Christine E. Lynn College of International Communication: Erika Grodzki
College of Liberal Education: Marcheta Wright
Conservatory of Music: Dan Satterwhite
Institute for Achievement and Learning: Shaun Exsteen
GONFALON BEARERS

Burton D. Morgan School of Aeronautics: Matthew Claiborne
College of Business and Management: Jeanette Francis
Donald E. and Helen L. Ross College of Education: Valerie Storey
College of Hospitality Management: Craig Schmantowsky
Eugene M. and Christine E. Lynn College of International Communication: Harry Murphy
College of Liberal Education: Robert Riedel
Conservatory of Music: Yang Shen

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Lending color to the pageantry of commencement are the academic robes and hoods worn by the faculty and students. 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 19th 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 master'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 or 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 and the subject each represents.
Arts, Letters, Humanities  White
Commerce, Business  Drab
Communication  Crimson
Economics  Copper
Education  Light blue
Engineering  Orange
Fine Arts  Brown
Foreign Affairs  Aquamarine
Journalism  Crimson
Law  Purple
Library Science  Lemon
Music  Pink
Nursing  Apricot
Philosophy  Dark blue
Physical Education  Sage green
Public Health  Salmon
Science  Golden yellow
Social Sciences  Citron
Speech  Silver gray
Theology  Scarlet

UNDERGRADUATE HONOR MEDAL RIBBONS

White - Cum Laude  3.50 to 3.64 grade point average
Blue - Magna Cum Laude  3.65 to 3.79 grade point average
Gold - Summa Cum Laude  3.80 to 4.00 grade point average

Gold and green honor cord: Sigma Beta Delta business honor society
Violet/jade green honor cord: Kappa Delta Pi education international honor society
THE GONFALONS

The gonfalons, a tradition that has origins in the civic rituals of 12th century Italy, were introduced last year to Lynn University's academic ceremonial protocol.

Lynn University's gonfalons were designed in accordance with standards established for all colleges and universities and bear each college's unique symbolic colors. The common bonds that unite faculty and students as members of one academic community are embodied in the display of the university's seal on each individual gonfalon. The vice president for academic affairs, in consultation with the academic deans, selects the faculty members honored to serve as gonfalon bearers.

THE CEREMONIAL ACADEMIC MACE

The academic mace traces its origins to the 14th century, when the royal scepter historically carried by rulers and the battle mace were combined to produce the ceremonial academic mace. It was carried in processions of royalty, magistrates, and church or university officials.

During the commencement ceremony, the mace indicates the authority of the university president to award degrees. The mace is carried by the chief marshal.

The Lynn University mace consists of a three-foot tall wood scepter with a bronze cast of the Lynn University seal on the top. It was designed in 2002 by Graphic Design Professor Emeritus Ernest Ranspach, who presented it to Lynn University President Emeritus Donald E. Ross in honor of 30 years of leadership and service.

This program is not an official graduation list. This printed program lists students who were eligible to graduate for academic year 2009-10, as of April 1, 2010, pending the outcome of final examinations and final grades. Therefore, it should not be used to determine a student's academic or degree status. The university's official registry for the conferral of degrees is the student's permanent academic record, kept by the Office of the Registrar, Lynn University, 3601 N. Military Trail, Boca Raton, FL 33431.
LYNN UNIVERSITY
ALMA MATER

Under skies of blue
We’ve made friends so true
From every corner of the world
Celebrating different cultures
Made us see our world anew.

From this caring place
We will squarely face
The challenge of our destiny
Like our Fighting Knights
We’ll lift hearts and sights
And we’ll go forth in victory

And if our blue skies should turn to grey days
Or we misplace a dream or two
We’ll remember Alma Mater
And then Her spirit will see us through.

So let’s raise our voice
In a proud refrain
Remembering good times we all knew
Hail all hail our Alma Mater
Lynn University...Here’s to you!

Music and lyrics by Joe Carey
Choral arrangement by Rick Krive