Sixteenth Commencement

MIDLAND COLLEGE

7:00 p.m. May 13, 1989
Al G. Langford Chaparral Center
Program

Prelude
"Fanfare" by Jack Bullock

Processional
"Pomp and Circumstance" by Edward Elgar
Midland College Community Band
Walter Osadchuk, Conductor

Invocation
Mr. Jack Huff, Trustee

Welcome
Dr. Jess H. Parrish
Midland College President

"America...The Dream Goes On"
Words-Allan and Marilyn Bergman
Music by John Williams
Midland College Community Band
Midland College Jazz Singers
Dr. Michael Jordan, Director

Introduction of Speaker
"Where To From Here?"
Dr. Parrish
Dr. George Miller
President, Amarillo College

Presentation of Candidates
Dr. Raymond Yell
Vice President-Instruction

Conferring of Degrees
Dr. Parrish

Presentation of Diplomas
Mr. Ralph Way
President, Board of Trustees

Closing Remarks
Dr. Parrish

Recessional
"Triumphal March" from "Aida"
Midland College Community Band
by Giuseppe Verdi

You are cordially invited to attend the President's Reception honoring the 1989 graduates at the conclusion of the ceremony.
About the Speaker

DR. GEORGE MILLER

A native Texan, our speaker received his B.S. degree from St. Edward's University, Austin, with a major in biochemistry and minor in physics. His M.S. degree was earned from the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia, with a major in chemistry. His Ed.D. degree is from the University of Houston, with a major in public policy analysis.

Dr. Miller served as faculty member, department chairman, and district director of sciences programs for the Texas City public schools; consulting engineering policy group for the W. R. Grace Co., Kimtec, Inc., Chemreco Ltd., and the National Sciences Foundation. He returned to academe with Galveston College, where he served as faculty member, division director, associate dean for academic programs, and dean of evening division and summer programs. He later became director of industrial program development, dean of planning and development, and executive dean for the College of the Mainland, Texas City. From 1981-87 he served as president of Northwestern Michigan College, Traverse City. Dr. Miller became president of Amarillo College in February, 1987.

He serves on the Higher Education Finance Research Institute, Wharton School of Business, the University of Pennsylvania; Academy for Educational Development, Washington, D.C.; Woodrow Wilson Scholars Program, Princeton, N.J.; and Educational Partners for International Cooperation, Toronto, Canada. He is active in Amarillo with the United Way, Chamber of Commerce, Boy Scouts of America, Adult Literary Council, Area Foundation, and Amarillo Art Center.
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TRADITIONAL ACADEMIC REGALIA

The wearing of academic dress at commencement dates from the early history of the oldest universities somewhere in the twelfth or thirteenth century. Since educated people were almost always of the clergy, the black gown is somewhat of an adaptation of the cope, a mantle of silk or other cloth, worn by church dignitaries in processions and on other occasions. The long gown and cowl (similar to the academic hood of today) were worn by priests and monks for warmth in the cold medieval buildings.

In the early centuries, a great diversity of color and style of cap, gown, and hood appeared in different universities of Europe. The European custom of wearing academic dress was later introduced at American colleges. Not until after 1895 was a uniform academic code of dress adopted by most colleges and universities in the United States. Today, the black robe, hood and cap are worn at most institutions of higher learning.

The gown is cut differently for the associate's and bachelor's, master's and doctor's degrees. Usually the associate's and bachelor's robe has long pointed sleeves; the master's has closed sleeves, square at the end with a slit at the elbow; the doctor's is faced with velvet and has round open sleeves with three bars of velvet. The color of velvet represents the field of study.

The associate's hood is velvet and square cornered, accentuated by a stripe of school colors. The doctor's hood has side panels and is slightly longer than the one worn for the master's degree. The color used in the velvet border indicates the degree. The velvet border is widest on the doctor's hood. The colors in the lining of the hood indicate the college or university which conferred the degree.

The Oxford cap, the so-called mortar board, is black and has a long tassel fastened to the middle of the top which is usually worn with a pendant over the left front of the cap. The tassel on the cap of the doctor's candidate, except for professional degrees, is normally gold.

The associate-degree candidates will wear the tassel on the right side of the cap at Commencement. After the degrees have been conferred, all candidates will turn the tassel to the left side of the cap, showing that they are now graduates.
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