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Illinois Wesleyan University

Mid-Year Convocation

Honoring the Founders

February 14, 1968

10:00 A.M.

Fred Young Field House

PRESIDENT LLOYD M. BERTHOLF, *Presiding*

Processional—"Pomp and Circumstance"

Elgar

University Orchestra

Mario Mancinelli, Director

(Audience will stand during Processional and remain standing through Invocation)

The Star Spangled Banner

Invocation

Rev. Dr. James K. White

Superintendent, Bloomington District, Central Illinois Conference

Anthem—Zwei Motetten, Op. 110

Brahms

I. But I am poor, and I am sorrowful;
Lord, God, merciful and gracious and long suffering,
and abundant in goodness and truth,
keeping mercy for thousands,
forgiving iniquity, transgression and sin,
and in whose sight no man is found guiltless;
Lord, God, in thy mercy save me.

II. When we are filled with grief and distress,
and know not where to turn,
or can find no guide to lead the way,
even though we search all our days;
Then let this be our only grace,
that here, together, we cry to Thee,
O true God, to save us from our fear and woe.

O look not on our grievous sin,
but grant us thy grace in our need,
Stand near us in this time of need,
and from our sorrow set us free.
That with a grateful heart we may offer thanks to Thee,
and serve thy word with reverence and adoration,
To praise thy name for evermore.

The Collegiate Choir

David Nott, Director

Address—"Gods and Goddesses"

Mr. Loring C. Merwin
President, *The Daily Pantagraph*

Conferring of Degrees

Doctor of Divinity—H. Sheldon Pattison
Doctor of Public Service—Loring C. Merwin

Alma Wesleyana

From hearts aflame, our love we pledge to thee,
Where'er we wander, over land or sea;
Through time unending loyal we will be—
True to our Alma Mater, Wesleyan.

When college days are fully past and gone,
While life endures, from twilight dream till dawn,
Grandly thy soul shall with us linger on—
Star-crowned, our Alma Mater, Wesleyan!

Benediction

William Luther White
University Chaplain

Recessional—March from "The Prophet"

Meyerbeer