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THE JOY



JOURNEY OF OUR YEARS
2021

**NU'S
BLACK
CONGRATULATORY
CEREMONY**

PROGRAM

MSA OPENING REMARKS

LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

LIFT EV'RY VOICE & SING (BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM)
Northwestern Community Ensemble (NCE) & NCE Alumni

WELCOME REMARKS

Alyscia Raines, Assistant Director
Multicultural Student Affairs

CLASS OF 2021 STUDENT REMARKS

Taylor Bolding, '21

TRIBUTE VIDEO

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Dr. Marquis Bey
Assistant Professor of African American Studies

A MESSAGE FROM NUBAA

Daryl Newell '86, President-Elect
Northwestern University Black Alumni Association (NUBAA)

HISTORY OF THE STOLE

Rev. D'ana Downing, Graduate Assistant
Multicultural Student Affairs

PRESENTATION OF THE STOLES

THE BLACK HOUSE UPDATE

Dr. Lesley-Ann Brown-Henderson
Assistant Vice President for Inclusion
and Chief of Staff

CLOSING REMARKS

Daviree L. Velázquez Phillip, Director
Multicultural Student Affairs

GRADUATES

DANIEL ABIA

EZINNA ADIELE

PROPHECY AGYARE

KENNETH ALLEN

AVRIANA ALLEN

MERON AMARIW

MIRANDA ANDRADE

NIA ANICHE HARRIS

ALIYAH ARMSTRONG

DANIELLA ASAPOKHAI

CARMEN AWIN-ONGYA

IMANI BAH

CLEON BECKFORD

TAYLOR BOLDING

SANNAH BOYD

CAYLA ALLENA CLEMENTS

SOPHIA CRUM

ELIZABETH CURTIS

KATHRYN DONERMAYER

AFNAN ELSHEIKH

EMANUELLA EVANS

ADIA FIELDER

MARIAMAWIT GASHAW

SELAM GETANEH

ANDREW GOLDEN

ELIZA GONRING

ROHAN XAVIER GUPTA

LEXIA HALL

AISHLEY HASSELL

CALEB HOLLAND

MAEGAN HOLLINS

ZARIA HOWELL

SIOBHAN IHENACHO

SARITA JARRETT

ALYSSA JOHNSON

DIAMOND JONES

CLAUDIA KALISA

ABDULMALIK KAREEM

KYLE LEWIS

ADAM MAHONEY

JADE MARCUM

MARISSA MARTINEZ

ARUDI MASINJILA

STEPHANIE MBIDA

STEPHANIE MCCARTY

KOURTNI MCNEIL

IMANI MINOR

ADAM MONTGOMERY

ALEXIS NAUDEN

TAMUNODIYEPRIYE NGO

JESSE NOSS

AMAKA NWAEZEIGWE

MARY OKEMATTI

FEMI OLANIYI

MATTHEW OSEI-OWUSU

OBUMNEME OSELE

EMAMOKE OSHOBE

SAKKE OVERLUND

JAMAICA S. PONDER

SOTERIA REID

OLUFEMI SHAKUUR NYABINGI

SALINA TSEGAI

TITOBIO LUWA WILLIAMS EBODA

JAMILA WILSON

ANTONIA YOUNG

LIFT EV'RY VOICE & SING (BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM)

LIFT EV'RY VOICE AND SING,
'TIL EARTH AND HEAVEN RING,
RING WITH THE HARMONIES OF LIBERTY;
LET OUR REJOICING RISE
HIGH AS THE LIST'NING SKIES,
LET IT RESOUND LOUD AS THE ROLLING SEA.
SING A SONG FULL OF THE FAITH THAT THE DARK PAST HAS TAUGHT US,
SING A SONG FULL OF THE HOPE THAT THE PRESENT HAS BROUGHT US;
FACING THE RISING SUN OF OUR NEW DAY BEGUN,
LET US MARCH ON 'TIL VICTORY IS WON.

STONY THE ROAD WE TROD,
BITTER THE CHASTENING ROD,
FELT IN THE DAYS WHEN HOPE UNBORN HAD DIED;
YET WITH A STEADY BEAT,
HAVE NOT OUR WEARY FEET
COME TO THE PLACE FOR WHICH OUR FATHERS SIGHED?
WE HAVE COME OVER A WAY THAT WITH TEARS HAS BEEN WATERED,
WE HAVE COME, TREADING OUR PATH THROUGH THE BLOOD OF THE SLAUGHTERED,
OUT FROM THE GLOOMY PAST,
'TIL NOW WE STAND AT LAST
WHERE THE WHITE GLEAM OF OUR BRIGHT STAR IS CAST.

GOD OF OUR WEARY YEARS,
GOD OF OUR SILENT TEARS,
THOU WHO HAS BROUGHT US THUS FAR ON THE WAY;
THOU WHO HAS BY THY MIGHT
LED US INTO THE LIGHT,
KEEP US FOREVER IN THE PATH, WE PRAY.
LEST OUR FEET STRAY FROM THE PLACES, OUR GOD, WHERE WE MET THEE,
LEST, OUR HEARTS DRUNK WITH THE WINE OF THE WORLD, WE FORGET THEE;
SHADOWED BENEATH THY HAND,
MAY WE FOREVER STAND,
TRUE TO OUR GOD,
TRUE TO OUR NATIVE LAND
OUR NATIVE LAND

SPECIAL THANKS

Multicultural Student Affairs Staff
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