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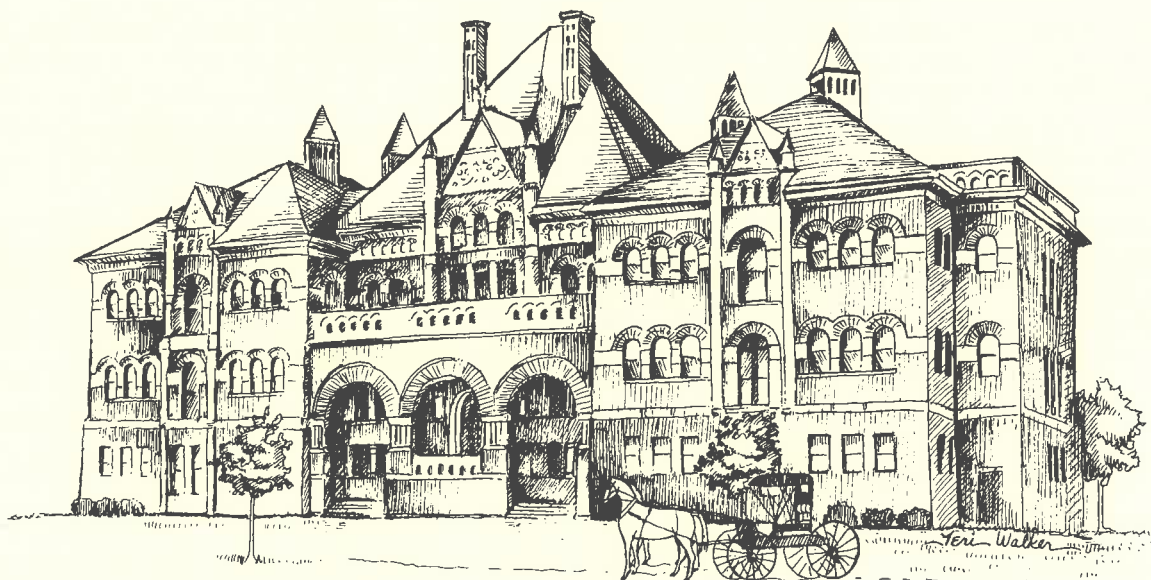
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Moorhead State University 1989 Commencement



Old Main 1888-1930

August 18, 1989 / 8:00 p.m. / Center for the Arts Auditorium

MOORHEAD
STATE UNIVERSITY

Moorhead State University Staff

As the official symbol of the University's authority and power, the staff is carried in the academic procession by University President Roland Dille.

Lyle Laske, Professor of Art at Moorhead State University, crafted the staff for the University in memory of his colleague and friend, Dr. Roy Boe, who served as an Associate Professor in the Department of Art from September, 1967 to his death on June 15, 1976.

The staff is sculpted from Brazilian rosewood, rubbed and polished to a deep luster. Its tips are cast in bronze and gold plated. The top piece on the staff, also in rosewood, is shaped in a universal form which symbolizes the medieval northern world. The staff rests in a base that is a solid, circular piece of rosewood.

The staff was presented to President Roland Dille in 1978.

The Presidential Medallion

The Presidential Medallion serves as a sign of the educational mission of Moorhead State University. The President's commitment to the university's purposes is renewed in each solemn academic function, when it is appropriate to wear the medallion and be recharged by its symbols.

The background of the medallion depicts a simplified architectural characterization using the imagery derived from the oldest buildings on the Moorhead State University campus. This symbolic building represents the campus as a whole, its physical facilities and its academic atmosphere.

The foreground is filled with a pair of cranes rising in the New Moon of November 1968, the date of Dr. Dille's inauguration. The primary meaning of these symbolic birds is vigilance and preservation of tradition. They are soaring high, with a quest for endurance, loyalty, extended horizons, and a vision of the future.

The Medallion, cast in bronze, was designed and constructed by P. Richard Szeitz, Professor of Art at Moorhead State University, with the assistance of Ronald Walker of the Industrial Technology Department.

Centennial Banners

The four banners on stage were created as part of the University's centennial celebration, with one banner for each of Moorhead State's four names.

The Moorhead State Normal School banner, dated 1887, begins the series with a representation of Old Main, the dominant and, for many years, only classroom building on campus.

Moorhead State Teachers' College (1921) is depicted by flames that represent the great fire of 1931 when the campus was all but destroyed, but also symbolizes the eternal flame of learning.

The Moorhead State Symbol, the dragon, dominates the Moorhead State College banner (1957).

Finally, Moorhead State University (1975) is represented by the buildings that comprise our current campus and suggest a modern, comprehensive university.

Banner concept: Ron Matthies, Director of Publications, MSU

Banner design: Pat Johnson, Graphics Director, MSU

Commencement

PROCESSIONAL "Crown Imperial" by William Walton
Dr. Andrew Smith, Organist

WELCOME

Dr. Roland Dille, President, Moorhead State University

MUSICAL SELECTION

"Never Never Land" arranged by Mac Huff

Linda Short, Class of 1989

Cassandra Cuch Jablonsky, Class of 1989

Maxine Tretter, Class of 1989

Joseph Desautels, Class of 1990

Darren Hetland, Class of 1991

Dr. Andrew Smith—Piano

PRESENTATION OF SPEAKER

Dr. Roland Dille

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. James R. Stevens, Professor of Humanities and Multi-Cultural Studies
Moorhead State University

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES

Dr. Bette Midgarden, Acting Vice President for Academic Affairs

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS BACHELOR OF ARTS BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Dr. Robert Badal, Dean of Arts and Humanities

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

Dr. David Nelson, Dean of Business, Industry and Applied Programs

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION MASTER OF SCIENCE

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Public and Human Service Administration)

Dr. Mary Ellen Schmider, Dean of Graduate Studies

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Tri-College)

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION (Tri-College)

Dr. Marcia Kierscht, Provost, Tri-College University

CONFERRING OF DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES

Dr. Roland Dille

Dr. Bette Midgarden

Mr. David A. Nelson, Associate Registrar

THE ALMA MATER

RECESSIONAL "Triumph" by Caroline Gessler

Dr. Andrew Smith, Organist

The audience is asked to stand for the Processional and Recessional.

A reception will be held immediately following the Commencement exercises in the Center for the Arts Gallery and Courtyard.

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Lutgens, Julie Anne
Moorhead, MN
Liberal Arts

Mantel, Ingrid
Fargo, ND
Liberal Arts

Sabir, Judy May Bolstad
Moorhead, MN
Liberal Arts

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

Lund, Paulette Anita
Sabin, MN
Accounting

Walker, Lisa Marie
Ashley, ND
Secretarial Science

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Bashir, Farrukh
Islamabad Pakistan
Biology

Bosch, Melissa Marie
Bismarck, ND
Criminal Justice; Sociology

Cole, Michael David
Huron, SD
Political Science

DiBrito, Kyle Joseph
Perham, MN
Music

Droba, Aletia Jane
Bemidji, MN
Philosophy

Ebner, Joan Karen
Fargo, ND
Psychology

Eggebraaten, Timothy Kenneth
Fisher, MN
Criminal Justice; Sociology

Esper, Cheri Beth
Fargo, ND
Psychology

Flanders, Dana Lynn
Robinson, ND
History

Geisinger, Timothy Joseph
Denver, NC
English

Hansen, Angela Joy
Guelph, ND
Criminal Justice; Political Science,
Sociology

Hughes, Shelly Kay
Enderlin, ND
Psychology
CUM LAUDE

Kane, Kathleen Mary
Fargo, ND
English

Kihl, Timothy
Audubon, MN
Physical Education

Knosalla, Timothy John
Fargo, ND
English; Mass Communications

Komrosky, Susan Renae
Valley City, ND
Political Science

Lofgren, Daniel Joseph
Brooklyn Center, MN
Psychology

Lysne, Cynthia Kay
Moorhead, MN
Mathematics; Music
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Meinke, Troy Terence
Moorhead, MN
Biology; Chemistry

Meyer, Calvin Aloysius
Fairmount, ND
Criminal Justice

Mitchell, Jesse Paul
Moorhead, MN
Art

Nelson, Suzanne P.
Moorhead, MN
Individualized Major: (Humanities)

Pancratz, Gregory Carl
Fargo, ND
Philosophy; Political Science

Richards, Kimberly Kay
Fargo, ND
Criminal Justice, Sociology

Ridder, Lisa Lynn
Casselton, ND
Criminal Justice

Sad, Mark James
Fargo, ND
Recreation and Leisure Studies
CUM LAUDE

Sather, Dean Thomas
Fargo, ND
Anthropology

Stephenson, Scott Orland
Moorhead, MN
Mathematics
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Tretter, Maxine R.
Fargo, ND
Music

Warren, Wendy Ann
White Earth, MN
Criminal Justice

Watkins, Rodney P.
Fargo, ND
Philosophy

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Eull, Andrea Ann
St. Michael, MN
Art
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Pettit, Lisa Jane
Brooklyn Park, MN
Art

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Andres, Amy L.
Fargo, ND
Music Industry

Halgrimson, Charles Martin
Moorhead, MN
Music Industry; Business
Administration
CUM LAUDE

Homer, Carla Marie
Ely, MN
Music Industry

Thorson, Gregory Ronald
Fargo, ND
Music Industry

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Abel, Lori Ann
Wolverton, MN
Elementary Education

Adams, Marilyn Bea
Thief River Falls, MN
Elementary Education

Albright, Carol Jeanne Schwandt
Barnesville, MN
Art
SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Alsader, Patricia Lynn
Moorhead, MN
English
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Aman, Darla Jean
Moorhead, MN
Chemistry (Professional)

Anderson, Joseph R.
Towner, ND
Business Administration;
Economics

Anderson, Laurette Renee
Moorhead, MN
Business Administration;
Psychology

Barickman, Kurt Aaron
Detroit Lakes, MN
Social Studies
CUM LAUDE

Bean, Sandra Faye
West Fargo, ND
Accounting

Benson, Bruce Lane
Clarkfield, MN
Business Administration

Bernier, Adam J.
Barnesville, MN
Accounting

Boe, Dennis Allan
Fargo, ND
Accounting
CUM LAUDE

Borud, Shawn R.
Fargo, ND
Elementary Education

Campbell, Linda Lorraine
Moorhead, MN
Business Administration, Marketing

Conteh, Patricia Elizabeth
Moorhead, MN
Community Health
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Cornelius, Jill Eileen
Rosholt, SD
Elementary Education

Daub, Robert Gary
Enderlin, ND
Business Administration

Davis, Catherine Jane
Moorhead, MN
Elementary Education

Davis, Nancy
Lake Park, MN
Accounting
SUMMA CUM LAUDE

DeConcini, Christopher Michael
Fargo, ND
Accounting

DeGeest, Christopher Allen
Motley, MN
Elementary Education

Doyle, Steven Patrick
Bagley, MN
Elementary Education

Dufault, Marlene Laney
Crookston, MN
Business Administration

Dunn, Lucinda R. Smith
Fargo, ND
Speech/Language/Hearing
Science,
Special Education

Eckmann, Kyle A.
Hettinger, ND
Accounting

Edwards, Paul Scott
Breckenridge, MN
Mathematics
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Erbstoesser, Jolene M.
Bismarck, ND
Business Administration

Evenson, Lyla L.
Rugby, ND
Individualized Major:
(Health Services Mgmt & Admin)

Ferris, Jan Marie
Roseville, MN
Marketing, Business Administration
CUM LAUDE

Finneman, Cherie Dawn
Fargo, ND
Computer Information Systems

Fitzsimons, Lori Ann
Moorhead, MN
Business Administration

Foster, Elizabeth Mary
Detroit Lakes, MN
Accounting; Management

Glowack, Michael Thomas
Moorhead, MN
Business Administration

Greenwood, Janelle Beth
East Grand Forks, MN
Elementary Education

Hanson, Dayton Herbert
Eveleth, MN
Mass Communications

Hartman, Lee A.
Mandan, ND
Management

Haukebo, Carol Joan
Canby, MN
Accounting

Helm, Holly Ann
Mayville, ND
Business Administration

Hesch, Joseph Thomas
Wahpeton, ND
Finance

Hinds, Thomas D.
Moorhead, MN
Physical Education; Health
Education

Hovde, David John
Fargo, ND
Mass Communications; Political
Science

Hummel, Julie Ann
Rawlins, WY
Energy Management

Hussain, Syed Ashraf
Karachi Pakistan
Computer Information Systems

Johnson, Danny Joe
Fargo, ND
Business Administration
SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Johnson, Kurt Spencer
Callaway, MN
Finance
CUM LAUDE

Johnson, Linda Kae
Willmar, MN
Elementary Education

Johnson, Michael Lee
Fergus Falls, MN
Marketing, Business Administration

Kautzman, Duane Lee
Mandan, ND
Management
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Kelly, Carol Lynn
Alexandria, MN
Mass Communications;
English-Writing

Kennedy, Lisa Beth
Fargo, ND
Business Administration

Kertz, Theresa Ann
Moorhead, MN
Accounting; Finance

Kirmis, Conrad Ethan
Bismarck, ND
Accounting

Kjelden, Connie Marie
Huron, SD
Mass Communications;
Business Administration

Koel, Chad William
Hawley, MN
Mass Communications

Kohan, Stefani G.
Overland Park, KS
Finance

Lannon, Colleen Ann
Henning, MN
Speech/Language/Hearing Science

Larson, Marie Gretchen
Moorhead, MN
English/Mass Communications

Larson, Stuart Jay
Fergus Falls, MN
Accounting

LeRoux, Bradley Lynn
Sabin, MN
Accounting

Leung, Chi Ming
Kowloon Hong Kong
Business Administration
CUM LAUDE

Lewis, Kerri Lynn
Lindstrom, MN
Elementary Education

Lindgren, Rebecca Ann
East Grand Forks, MN
Business Administration

Lindskov, Stephen Lee
Moorhead, MN
Elementary Education

Lysaker, Karl Kris
Moorhead, MN
Industrial Technology

McCarty, Ann Catherine
Park Rapids, MN
Elementary Education

McDonald-Morken, Colleen
Moorhead, MN
Elementary Education
CUM LAUDE

Mead, Chad Carsten
Red Lake Falls, MN
Elementary Education

Mecseji, David Matthew
Aberdeen, SD
Hotel-Motel-Restaurant
Management

Merkel, Rochelle D.
Deviils Lake, ND
Accounting

Mundt, Loren Larry
Fargo, ND
Individualized Major:
(Health Care Administration)

Nelson, Todd Mitchel
Fargo, ND
Hotel-Motel-Restaurant
Management

Nitschke, Scott Allen
Ashley, ND
Accounting

Oien, David Peter
Moorhead, MN
Industrial Technology

Olson, Dan I.
Fargo, ND
Accounting

Paulson, Marlo Marie
Orange City, IA
Accounting

Pingree, Colleen Ann
Georgetown, MN
Art

Polejewski, Tina Maree
Audubon, MN
Accounting, Finance

Pramhus, Kent Gerard
Fargo, ND
Finance

Quanrud, Thomas David
Brooklyn Park, MN
Spanish

Riepe, Janet Kay
Moorhead, MN
Management

Rudolph, Troy Samuel
Sisseton, SD
Management

Sagaser, Marilyn Lee
Jamestown, ND
Elementary Education

Sandahl, Marcia K.
Thief River Falls, MN
Office Administration

Savat, Daniel Maurice
Moorhead, MN
Computer Science

Schmidt, Brett Wallace
West Fargo, ND
Business Education

Schmidt, Matthew John
Argyle, MN
Business Administration

Seter, Teresa Lynn
Pelican Rapids, MN
Elementary Education;
Child Development & Family
Science (NDSU)

Shemon, Lorena Mae Sanderson
Moorhead, MN
Business Administration

Shuck, Brian Eugene
Dilworth, MN
Marketing

Smith, Elaine Diane
Wadena, MN
Life Sciences

Steckler, Terrence R.
Fargo, ND
Marketing

Steffens, Helen Noel
Fargo, ND
Spanish

Steinke, Todd James
Grand Forks, ND
Business Administration, Marketing

Stone, Daniel James
Fargo, ND
Finance, Accounting

Stroh, Cynthia Lynn
Mandan, ND
Speech/Language/Hearing Science
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Thompson, Kevin Lyle
Twin Valley, MN
Marketing

Tongate, Terry L.
Fargo, ND
Industrial Technology,
Physical Education

Toyne, Brett Allen
Milnor, ND
Finance

Unterseher, Kyle Shane
Bowdon, ND
Accounting, Business
Administration

Vadnais, Holly Hoepfner
Moorhead, MN
Community Health

Vikander, Michelle Rae
Stewart, MN
Special Education

Walz, David Michael
Bismarck, ND
Individualized Major:
(Photographic Communications)

Westbrook, Timothy Delos
Hillsboro, ND
Finance

Willette, Julie Ann
Detroit Lakes, MN
Legal Assistant

Wright, Amy Kay
Fargo, ND
Accounting

Yu, But Kan
Kowloon
Computer Information Systems

Zavadil, Michael Edwin
Alexandria, MN
Business Administration

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Baumann, Jenean Diane
Fargo, ND
Nursing
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Berg, Mary Eggen
Fargo, ND
Nursing

Grundman, Linda Ruth
Osakis, MN
Nursing

Lougheed, Jean Beth
Fargo, ND
Nursing
CUM LAUDE

Skabo, Jacqueline Ann
Dilworth, MN
Nursing

Wanner, Patricia Lou Pankow
Moorhead, MN
Nursing

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

Bisson, Lorna Marie
Minneapolis, MN
Social Work

Bontjes, Lowell Wayne
Breckenridge, MN
Social Work

Evans, Esther Marie
Moorhead, MN
Social Work; Gerontology

Fetsch, Charlene Fay
Park River, ND
Social Work

Haring, Lisa Ann
Cayuga, ND
Social Work, Criminal Justice

Kolness, Deborah Mae
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Kost, Carla Ann
Ashley, ND
Social Work, Criminal Justice

Laske, Renae Catherine
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Messer, Karla Kay
Richardton, ND
Social Work

Muckala, Karen Wallgren
New York Mills, MN
Social Work

Olson, Karen Lynn
Moorhead, MN
Social Work

Patnaude, Karla M.
Crookston, MN
Social Work

Pillen, Nancy Wynn
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Richardson, Julia Regan
De Graff, MN
Social Work

Schmidt, Jean Emma
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Setness, Kathryn Porter
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Smemo, Margaret Louise
Moorhead, MN
Social Work
CUM LAUDE

Spravzoff, Lisa Ann
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Thomas, Rogers Leo
Bemidji, MN
Social Work

Varriano, Gina Marie
Moorhead, MN
Social Work

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Bjorkman, Karl
Thief River Falls, MN
Business Administration

Morlock, Nita Dawn
Fargo, ND
Business Administration

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Boehm, Debra Kay
West Fargo, ND
Reading

Cunningham, Cecilia Ann
Moorhead, MN
Counseling/Human Development

Domitrovich, Kris Nachtigall
Fargo, ND
Elementary Education

England, LeAnn Christensen
Moorhead, MN
Reading

Gudmestad, Arne Aarnes
Fargo, ND
Music

Hella, Jane Ann
Fargo, ND
Special Education

Hinze, Patricia Ann
Moorhead, MN
Elementary Education

Knott, Linda Kay
Red Lake Falls, MN
Reading

Lo, Bao-Shuh
Chu-Shan
Computer Science

McDonald, Kimberley Anne
Fargo, ND
Special Education

McTaggart, Tena Claire
Shawnee, KS
Counseling/Human Development

Psychos, Cynthia Ray
Jamestown, ND
Special Education

Stevens, Judith Utke
Casselton, ND
School Psychology

Sweeney, William James
Devils Lake, ND
Special Education

Valan, Kris Marie
Moorhead, MN
Elementary Education

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Public/Human Service Administration)

Ebner, Lynne
Fargo, ND
Public/Human Services
Administration

Lavelle-Konewko, Sheree Nelson
Moorhead, MN
Public/Human Services
Administration

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Tri-College University)

Dew, James Robert
Dilworth, MN
Educational Administration

Monahan, Gregory R.
Breckenridge, MN
Educational Administration

Ruud, Ronald John
Karlstad, MN
Educational Administration

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION (Tri-College University)

Fraze, Patricia Catherine
Moorhead, MN
Educational Administration

Faculty Members Retiring This Year

Allen Carter, Professor, Mass Communications
Verle Dennis Flood, Professor, English
Gerhard Haukebo, Vice President for Public Affairs
Christopher Hong, Professor, History
Lester E. Johnson, Director of Facilities Management
Hazel Scott, Associate Professor, Speech-Communication-Theatre Arts
James Stevens, Professor, Humanities
Robert Tolbert, Professor, Biology
John Trainor, Professor, Economics
Eva Vraspir, Professor and Director, Nursing

Academic Honors

Students who complete at least 96 credits at Moorhead State University as candidates for baccalaureate degrees may graduate with the following honors:

CUM LAUDE — representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.40 or better
MAGNA CUM LAUDE — representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.60 or better
SUMMA CUM LAUDE — representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.80 or better

Such honors are computed only from the cumulative grade point average earned at Moorhead State University. Wearers of the red and white cord are Summa Cum Laude graduates.

Academic Attire

The caps and gowns worn at formal academic events in American colleges are the direct descendants of the everyday costumes worn in the universities of Medieval England when each school had its peculiar dress so that an Oxford student could be distinguished from a Cambridge student, or a divinity student from a layman. Because of the tremendous growth of American colleges, and the confusion that would result if each were to adopt a distinctive costume, the Intercollegiate Bureau of Academic Costume was organized. The Bureau has established a uniform code which over 700 institutions have adopted.

There are three types of gowns and three types of hoods for bachelors, masters, and doctors. The bachelor's gown has a long pointed sleeve whereas the master's gown has a long closed sleeve, square at the end. The doctor's gown is characterized by a voluminous bell-shaped sleeve with three velvet bars. The colors of the bars are usually the colors of the faculty which granted the degree, but may be black.

The hoods for all degrees are lined with silk in the official academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree and have an edging or trim of velvet, the color of which indicates the academic discipline or faculty to which the degree pertains. The lining is exposed when the hood is worn. The bachelor's hood is not worn by candidates for the baccalaureate degree but only by those upon whom this degree has been previously conferred. The master's hood is considerably longer, has a wider velvet edging, and exposes more of the lining. The doctor's hood has wide panels at the side and is easily recognized since, of the three types of hoods, it has the widest velvet edging, greatest length, and fullest exposure of the lining.

The black mortarboard cap with tassel is worn with each type of gown. Those holding a doctor's degree are privileged to wear a gold tassel. Masters and bachelors wear tassels that are either black or of the color appropriate to the course in which they are being graduated.

Some of the colors which may be observed at this commencement and which symbolize various courses or faculties are as follows:

Arts and Letters — White
Business Administration — Brown
Education — Light Blue
Humanities — Scarlet
Law — Purple

Music — Pink
Philosophy — Blue
Science — Golden Yellow
Social Work — Citron

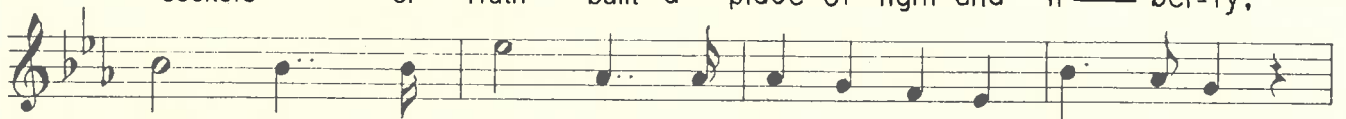
Moorhead State University ALMA MATER



Where flows the ri—ver through prai—ries to the fro—zen north,



seekers of Truth built a place of light and li—ber—ty,



That from its por—tals their sons and daugh—ters might go forth,



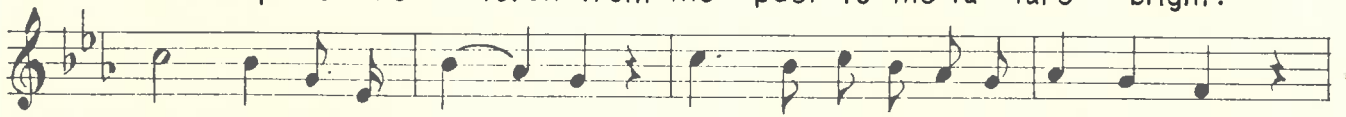
Through—out the na—tion till the truth be spread that sets us free.



Hail, hail, Moor-head State to Thee with love and loy—al—ty.



We pass the torch from the past to the fu—ture bright.



Hail, hail, Al—ma Ma—ter, answ'—ring e—ver to our coun—try's call,



E—ver chang—ing, e—ver con—stant, e—ver true, Our Al—ma Ma—ter.

(Calligraphy by Mark Fasman)