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COMMENCEMENT  
2005

**The One Hundred and Seventeenth  
Commencement Exercises**

**May 14, 2005**

## **HAIL MINNESOTA**

Minnesota Hail to Thee!

Hail to Thee our college dear!  
Thy light shall ever be  
A beacon bright and clear,  
Thy sons and daughters true  
Will proclaim Thee near and far.  
They will guard Thy fame;  
And adore Thy name;  
Thou shalt be their Northern Star!

Like the stream that bends to sea  
Like the pine that seeks the blue!  
Minnesota, still for Thee  
Thy sons and daughters true  
From their woods and waters fair,  
From their prairies waving far;  
At Thy call they throng  
With their shout and song,  
Hailing Thee their Northern Star!

# **ORDER OF EXERCISES**

## **Prelude and Processional**

St. Anthony Brass Quintet

## **Welcome**

Dean Alex M. Johnson, Jr.

## **Presentation of Student Awards**

Nicholas L. Wallace

## **William B. Lockhart Award for Excellence in Scholarship, Leadership, and Service**

## **Stanley V. Kinyon Teaching Awards**

## **J.D. Class Graduation Address**

Aaron Knott

## **LL.M. Class Graduation Address**

Muzikayise Motsa

## **Faculty Address**

Professor Donald G. Marshall

## **Commencement Address**

The Honorable Norm Coleman  
United States Senator, Minnesota

## **Presentation of the Class of 2005**

Guy-Uriel E. Charles  
Judith T. Younger  
Meredith M. McQuaid

## **Hail Minnesota**

Matthew C. Helland, Soloist

## **Recessional**

St. Anthony Brass Quintet

## **Norm Coleman**

### **United States Senator, Minnesota**

Senator Norm Coleman is a native of Brooklyn, New York. He attended college at Hofstra University on Long Island, NY. He was student body president and a student activist deeply involved in the anti-war and civil rights movements. He went to the University of Iowa Law School where he also served as student body president and graduated with highest honors. Following Law School, he headed north to Minnesota, where he worked for 17 years in the office of the Minnesota Attorney General.

In 1993, as a Democrat, Coleman was elected mayor of St. Paul, defeating the endorsed candidate of the Democratic Farm Labor Party. When he took office, the Capital City was experiencing a serious economic decline and increase in crime and other social problems. He set out to reform city services, put a lid on property tax increases and established public-private partnerships. His efforts paid off, attracting \$3 billion of private investments, eighteen thousand new jobs, and, of course, the return of NHL hockey to Minnesota.

In 1997 he was reelected mayor as a Republican, with 59 percent of the vote. In 1998 he ran for governor and narrowly lost in a three way race. The day after he lost he was back at his desk in Saint Paul by 8:00 a.m. In 2002 he ran as the Republican candidate for United States Senator and was elected with 50% of the vote after a contested election with national attention and significance.

As Minnesota's United States Senator, Norm Coleman serves on the Agriculture Committee, the Small Business Committee, the Governmental Affairs Committee, and the Foreign Relations Committee.

He holds two prestigious chairmanships. Senator Coleman is the Chairman of the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee's Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, an assignment once held by Harry Truman. Senator Coleman also serves as Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, which has taken him on travels to numerous Central and South American destinations, including Colombia, Cuba, Mexico, Brazil, Uruguay and Argentina.

Finally, Senator Coleman is also a member of the Senate Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee.

Senator Coleman and his wife, Laurie, have two children, Jacob and Sarah.

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## JURIS DOCTOR

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cum laude  
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cum laude  
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Sofia Andersson, Montclair, NJ  
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Divya R. Arora, Naperville, IL  
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Gulzar Babaeva, Minnetonka  
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    *cum laude*  
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    *cum laude*  
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    *summa cum laude*  
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    *cum laude*  
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Josh Houston, Minneapolis

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# AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AND SCHOLARSHIP

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Steven M. Block Prize.....	Ryan W. Scott
Federal Bar Association Foundation's Judge Edward J. Devitt Award.....	Nathan W. Nelson
Leonard, Street & Deinard Law Review Award.....	Daniel C. Moore Angela Behrens Laura A. Young
Law Review Volumes 35 & 36 Memorial Award: Excellence in Writing Award.....	Elizabeth T. Crouse Andrea L. Martin Ryan Richard Miske Ryan W. Scott Ryan Stai
American Bar Association and The Bureau of National Affairs Award for Excellence: Labor and Employment Law.....	Britt M. Gilbertson
Sidney J. Kaplan Legal Scholarship Fund.....	Elizabeth T. Crouse
Lee Bearmon Legal Ethics and Professional Responsibility Award.....	Mark James Czarniecki
Albert and Anne Mansfield Fellows.....	Amanda Marie Johnson (2004) Scott Crain (2004)
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