



**Cincinnati State**  
Technical and Community College

# **Commencement Exercises**

**Cincinnati State Gymnasium**  
**Saturday, June 26, 1999**

## America The Beautiful

O beautiful for spacious skies/For amber waves of grain.  
For purple mountain majesties/Above the fruited plain.  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for patriot dream/That sees beyond the years.  
Thine alabaster cities gleam/undimmed by human tears.  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

A special "thank you" to the student honor escorts and ushers,  
the faculty and staff, and the 1999 Commencement Committee.

Music provided by Polished Brass.

# Commencement Program

## Engineering Technologies and Health Technologies

The Procession .....	The Candidates for Degrees and Certificates The Faculty and Administration The Class of 1999 Speaker Faculty Excellence Award Winners The President of the Faculty Senate The 1999 Commencement Speaker The Presidential Party and The Board of Trustees
Presiding .....	John S. Erwin, Ph.D. Academic Vice President
Prayer & Meditation .....	The Reverend Calvin Harper Pastor, Morning Star Baptist Church
"America The Beautiful" .....	Audience led by Marcia Caulton
President's Message .....	Ron D. Wright, Ph.D. President
Message from The Faculty .....	Alice Palmer, RN, OCN 1999 Winner, House/Bruckmann Faculty Excellence Award
Class of 1999 Student Address .....	Judith Lynn Harris
Introduction of Commencement Speaker and Honorary Degree Recipient Sharon M. Draper .....	Ross E. Wales Vice Chair, Board of Trustees
Commencement Address .....	Sharon M. Draper Author and 1997 National Teacher of the Year
Presentation of Distinguished Alumna Tiffani D. Curry '94 .....	Deborah Knueven Gannaway '72 President, Alumni Association
Presentation of Degree and Certificate Candidates .....	Engineering Technologies, Paul De Nu, P.S., Dean Health Technologies, Marianne Krismer, Dean
Conferring of Degrees and Certificates .....	Ron D. Wright, Ph.D.
Benediction .....	The Reverend Calvin Harper
Recessional .....	1999 Graduates

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## Business Technologies and Humanities and Sciences

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The President of the Faculty Senate  
The 1999 Commencement Speaker  
The Presidential Party  
and The Board of Trustees

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Prayer & Meditation .....The Reverend Samuel D. Rowe, Jr.  
Instructor, Humanities Division

"America The Beautiful" .....Audience  
led by Marcia Caulton

President's Message .....Ron D. Wright, Ph.D.  
President

Message from The Faculty .....Joyce Rimlinger  
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Class of 1999 Student Address .....Catherine M. Fields

Introduction of Commencement Speaker  
and Honorary Degree Recipient James D. Kiggen .....Mark D. Walton '78  
Chair, Board of Trustees

Commencement Address .....James D. Kiggen  
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Presentation of Degree Candidates .....  
Business Technologies, Patricia Huller, Dean  
Humanities and Sciences, Marcus M. Green, Acting Assistant Dean

Conferring of Degrees and Certificates .....Ron D. Wright, Ph.D.

Benediction .....The Reverend Samuel D. Rowe, Jr.

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