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SATURDAY, MAY FOURTEENTH, TWO THOUSAND AND ELEVEN
TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

*PROCESSIONAL <i>Sine Nomine</i>	CNU Wind Ensemble Mark U. Reimer, D.M., Conductor <i>Director of Music</i>
*INVOCATION	Reverend Joseph W. Marks, Jr. <i>Area Director, Young Life</i>
*INVESTITURE OF THE MACE	Ronald S. Mollick, Ph.D. <i>Senior Faculty Member</i>
PRESIDENT'S WELCOME	Paul S. Tribble, Jr. <i>President of the University</i>
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER	Mark W. Padilla, Ph.D. <i>Provost of the University</i>
KEYNOTE ADDRESS	Edward Brash, Ph.D. <i>Associate Professor of Physics</i>
FACULTY HONORS AND AWARDS	John A. Conrad, Esq. <i>Rector of the University</i>
ALUMNI FACULTY AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING AND MENTORING	President Tribble Jason Houser <i>President of the Alumni Society, Class of 1997</i>
HONORS PRESENTATIONS	Dr. Padilla Jay S. Paul, Ph.D. <i>Director of the Honors Program</i>
*ALMA MATER	CNU Faculty Quartet
*DIVESTITURE OF THE MACE	Dr. Mollick
*BENEDICTION	Reverend Marks
*RECESSIONAL <i>Sea Songs</i>	CNU Wind Ensemble Dr. Reimer

*Those who are able are requested to stand

FACULTY HONORS AND AWARDS

*The Awarding of Promotion, Tenure, Emerita and Emeritus Status.....***John A. Conrad**

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*Alumni Faculty Award for Outstanding Teaching and Mentoring.....***Jason Houser**

President, Christopher Newport University Alumni Society

STUDENT HONORS AND AWARDS

*Honors Presentations.....***Mark W. Padilla**, Provost

*Honors Program Graduates.....***Jay S. Paul**, Director of the Honors Program

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Knowledge, truth, eternal wisdom,
Alma Mater we adore.
Your sons and daughters walk the pathway
Trodden by those who came before.

With passion, loyalty, and courage,
We wave the silver and the blue.
Our Alma Mater shining brightly,
Hail, all hail, to CNU.

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