

*Commencement
Exercises*

*Department of English
University of Oregon*

3:00 P.M.
JUNE 13, 1998
MEMORIAL QUAD



Mind

Mind in its purest play is like some bat
That beats about in caverns all alone,
Contriving by a kind of senseless wit
Not to conclude against a wall of stone.

It has no need to falter or explore;
Darkly it knows what obstacles are there,
And so may weave and flutter, dip and soar
In perfect courses through the blackest air.

And has this simile a like perfection?
The mind is like a bat. Precisely. Save
That in the very happiest intellection
A graceful error may correct the cave.

—*Richard Wilbur*

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Phi Beta Kappa Oregon Six

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Student Parent Award

Carol Steffens

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Jeffrey Michael Shaw

PROGRAM

Prelude	Dover String Quartet
Processional	Dover String Quartet
Welcome and Opening Remarks	John T. Gage <i>Head, Department of English</i>
Presentation of Ph.D. Candidates	Marilyn R. Farwell <i>Director of Graduate Studies</i>
Presentation of M.A. Candidates	C. Anne Laskaya <i>Director of Composition</i>
Presentation of Honors Candidates	Richard Stevenson <i>Director, English Honors Program</i>
Recognition of Awards	Suzanne Clark
Presentation of Baccalaureate Candidates	James L. Boren <i>Director of Undergraduate Studies</i> Lisa Freinkel Richard Stein
Faculty in Attendance	Edwin L. Coleman II Dianne Dugaw Gert Fehlner Karen Ford Glen Love Ajuan Mance Paul Peppis Forest Pyle Steven Shankman Louise Westling Elizabeth Wheeler George Wickes Daniel Wojcik
Closing Remarks	John T. Gage
Postlude	Dover String Quartet

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