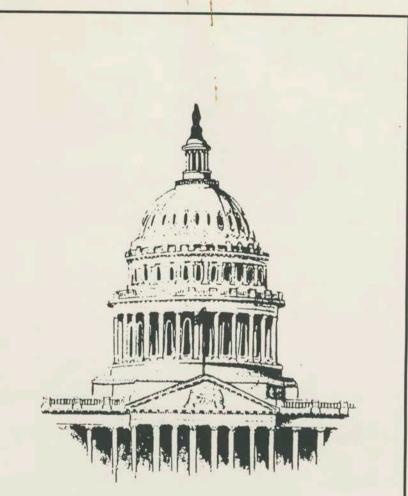
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#### SUCCESS

To laugh often and much; To win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children; To earn the appreciation of honest critics and endure the betrayal of false friends; To appreciate beauty, To find the best in others; To leave the world a bit better and to know even one life breathed easier because you lived! This is to have succeeded.

#### Henry David Thoreau

WELCOME......Mr. Samuel Spencer Student Council President

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.....Audience

INVOCATION....Reverend Richard C. Halverson, D.D. United States Senate Chaplain

REMARKS...... The Honorable George J. Mitchell Majority Leader

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NATIONAL AWARDS

Danforth Award..... The Honorable John Danforth United States Senator

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American Legion AwardReverend Thomas E. Weir
Bausch & Lomb AwardMr. Launcelot Redway
Rennselaer AwardMr. Zachary Jeffers
Woman's Bar Association Award Ms. Blanche Williams

#### **CITY AWARDS**

Charlene Drew Jarvis Award.....Mr. Launcelot Redway

### SCHOOL AWARDS

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#### SENATE AWARDS

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**CONCLUDING REMARKS.....** Ms. Blanche Williams

# SENATOR BOB DOLE REMARKS AT SENATE PAGE AWARDS JUNE 15, 1990

IT'S A PLEASURE TO JOIN YOU THIS MORNING FOR THIS VERY SPECIAL CEREMONY. IT'S ALSO ESPECIALLY GRATIFYING TO SEE SO MANY PARENTS AND TEACHERS HERE, WHO ARE SO IMPORTANT TO THE SUCCESS OF THE PAGE PROGRAM.

YOU DON'T NEED ME TO TELL YOU HOW IMPORTANT PAGES ARE TO THE SENATE. BUT YOU MAY NOT KNOW THAT PAGES HAVE BEEN A PART OF THIS BODY FOR MORE THAN 160 YEARS. THE SENATE HAD HAD OLDER MESSENGERS SINCE 1789. BUT IT WAS NOT UNTIL 1829 THAT SENATOR DANIEL WEBSTER OF MASSACHUSSETTS BEGAN THE TRADITION OF EMPLOYING

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YOUNG PAGES. NEVERTHELESS. IT WAS STILL A LITTLE DIFFERENT BACK THEN -- 12-YEAR OLD ISAAC BASSETT, THE SECOND PAGE EVER APPOINTED, DIDN'T HAVE A DAY LIKE THIS ONE. HE SERVED THE SENATE FOR THE NEXT 64 YEARS AS A PAGE AND ASSISTANT DOORKEEPER. AND BACK THEN, A PAGE'S TASKS WERE A LITTLE DIFFERENT. PAGES WERE EXPECTED TO KEEP

THE INKWELLS AND SANDSHAKERS FILLED, TO LIGHT THE GAS LAMPS, TO KEEP THE CHAMBERS WOOD STOVES BURNING, AND TO DELIVER MESSAGES DOWNTOWN —— ON HORSEBACK.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT, BEING A PAGE GIVES YOU A RINGSIDE SEAT ON AMERICAN HISTORY. AND THAT SEAT AFFORDS A TREMENDOUSLY VALUABLE

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LEARNING EXPERIENCE, THE KIND OF GROWTH AND EDUCATION THAT A CLASSROOM CAN'T PROVIDE. YOU'VE SEEN THE SPEECHES, THE DEBATES, THE COMPROMISES, AND THE UPS AND DOWNS OF POLITICS ---ALL FROM A UNIQUE VANTAGE POINT THAT MANY OF YOUR FRIENDS COULD ONLY IMAGINE.

THAT'S WHY IT'S NOT SURPRISING THAT SEVERAL PAGES HAVE BEEN INSPIRED TO RETURN TO THE CAPITOL AS SENATORS, REPRESENTATIVES, OR SENATE OFFICERS. YOU PROBABLY ALREADY KNOW THAT SENATORS PRYOR AND DODD BEGAN THEIR CAREERS ON CAPITOL HILL AS PAGES, AS DID JOE STEWART, OUR CURRENT SECRETARY OF THE SENATE.

SO AS YOU HEAD BACK HOME FOR YOUR SENIOR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL, I KNOW I SPEAK FOR ALL OF MY COLLEAGUES WHEN I SAY GOOD LUCK AND WISH YOU WELL IN YOUR CONTINUED STUDIES. I HOPE THAT OUR LATE NIGHT SESSIONS AND YOUR EARLY MORNING CLASSES WON'T KEEP SOME OF YOU FROM COMING BACK HERE

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SOME DAY —— AS INTERNS, STAFFERS OR EVEN LAWMAKERS. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU, INCLUDING THIS YEAR'S ACADEMIC AWARD WINNERS. AND THANK YOU FOR A JOB WELL DONE.

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