

HONOR REGALIA

Gold Stole _____ *Senior Beta Club*

Gold Tassel _____ *Senior Beta Club*

Pin _____ *Senior Beta Club*

Medal _____ *Global Seal of Biliteracy*

Silver Cord _____ *30+ ACT Scholars*

Gold & Blue Cord _____ *National English Honor Society*

Purple, Gold, & Green Cord _____ *Science National Honor Society*

Red & Gold Cord _____ *Spanish National Honor Society*

Sky Blue & Gold Cord _____ *Mu Alpha Theta*

Navy & Light Blue Cord _____ *TSSAA Student Advisory Committee*

HARDING ACADEMY ALMA MATER

*By Mrs. Mary Nell Hardeman Powers,
first principal of Harding Academy*

Memphis Harding School's our treasure

That's our Christian joy and pride.

'Tis our service, our endeavor

In these halls our hopes abide.

May the Providence that built thee

Still continue as our guide.

Memphis Harding, may God's blessings

Fall abundantly on thee.

We will ever love and cherish thee until eternity.



2026 COMMENCEMENT

Harding Academy

**68TH GRADUATING CLASS
MEMPHIS, TN**

Saturday, May 16, 2026

6:30 p.m.

CLASS OF 2026

PROCESSIONAL ————— “Pomp and Circumstance” by Elgar/Ployhar
Harding Academy Senior Wind Ensemble

INVOCATION ————— Liam Bennett Horn

ALMA MATER ————— By Powers/Ored
Led by Madison Grace Harris and Garner Grace Meredith

INSTRUMENTAL PRESENTATION ————— “Celebration”
by Randall Standridge
Harding Academy Senior Wind Ensemble

CLASS VERSE ————— Emily Kate Green

CHORAL PRESENTATION ————— “Precious Lord” arr. Arnold Sevier
A Cappella Chorus

PRAYER ————— Jimiya Chanel Carver

INTRODUCTION OF VALEDICTORIAN AND SALUTATORIAN
Mrs. Ashley J. Lipe
Upper School Principal

ADDRESSES ————— Onaza David Iloh, Salutatorian
Kalista Layn Johnston, Valedictorian

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKER ————— Mr. Trent D. Williamson
Head of School

GUEST SPEAKER ————— Ms. Sheronda N. Holmes
Director of Community Engagement and Belonging

RECOMMENDATION OF GRADUATES ————— Mrs. Ashley J. Lipe

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS ————— Mr. Trent D. Williamson

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CLASS VERSE

*“For the Spirit God gave us does not make us
timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline.”*

2 Timothy 1:7