



Kamehameha Schools®
KAPĀLAMA

BACCALAUREATE 2025

KEKŪHAUPI'O GYM
MAY 24, 2025 • 9:00AM

Order of Worship

The Prelude

Kamehameha Schools Sinfonietta

***The Processional “Trumpet Voluntary”**

Kamehameha Schools Sinfonietta

Composed by Jeremiah Clark

***The Call to Worship**

Kahu Manu Nae’ole ’96

***The Doxology**

Ho’onani i ka Makua mau, Ke Keiki me ka ‘Uhane nō
Ke Akua mau ho’omaika’i pū, Ko kēia ao ko kēlā ao.
‘Āmene.

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***The Invocation**

Ariana Akau ’25

The Lord’s Prayer (In Hawaiian)

E ko mākou Makua i loko o ka lani,
e ho’āno ‘ia kou inoa. E hiki mai kou aupuni;
e mālama ‘ia kou makemake ma ka honua nei
e like me ia i mālama ‘ia ma ka lani lā.
E hā’awi mai iā mākou i kēia lā
i ‘ai na mākou no nēia lā.
E kala mai ho’i iā mākou i kā mākou lawehala ‘ana,
me mākou e kala nei i ka po’e i lawehala i kā mākou.
Mai ho’oku’u ‘oe iā mākou i ka ho’owalewale ‘ia mai.
E ho’opakele nō na’e iā mākou i ka ‘ino;
no ka mea, nou ke aupuni, a me ka mana,
a me ka ho’onani ‘ia a mau loa aku, ‘Āmene.

***CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND**

***The Hymn – “Na Iehova Nō I Hana”**

Congregation

Randie K. Fong, '78

Uluwehi ka nahele i ka ua li'ili'i
Kau mai la e ka'ohu ma nā pali ki'eki'e

Hui

*Na Iehova nō i hana i nā nani o ke ao
Mele mai nā mokupuni i kona nani mae 'ole*

'Ohu'ohu Hawai'i i nā lei kamaiki
Ho'oheno i nā maka o ko mākou kūpuna
(*Hui*)

Ala mai e nā kānaka, Mililani mau loa
Ka Makua, Ke Keiki, Ka 'Uhane Hemolele.
(*Hui*)

The Class Speakers

Galen Kaohi '25 &
Regan Santos '25

The Anthem - “Thanks Be to God”

*Arrangement by Noble Cain
P.J. O'Reilly | Stanley Dickson*

The Class of 2025
Led by Fay Nuuhiwa '25

Thanks be to God for roses rare,
For skies of blue and sunshine fair;
For ev'ry gift I raise a prayer,
Thanks be to God!
Thanks be to God for lovely night,
For mystic fields with stars bedight,
For hours of dream and deep delight,
Thanks be to God!

Thanks be to God for love divine,
The hopes that 'round my heart entwine;
For all the joy that now is mine,
Thanks be to God!
Thanks be to God!
For all the joy that now is mine,
Thanks be to God!
Thanks be to God, to God!

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The Scripture Lessons

Old Testament: Proverbs 27:17

Markus Mohler '25

New Testament: 2 Timothy 4:6-8 Keolanionahoku Luka '25

***The Baccalaureate Prayer**

Kahu Ken Makuakāne '73

***Ke Aloha O Ka Haku**

Queen Lili'uokalani

The Class of 2025

Led by Kaizer Espiau '25

‘O kou aloha nō, Aia i ka Lani.

A ‘o kou ‘oia‘i‘o, He hemolele ho‘i. ‘Āmene

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The Anthem – “Sail On, O My Soul”

The Class of 2025

Words and Music by Noble Cain

Led by Emiole Ohai '25

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From the harbor of my heart,

(Sail on, my soul)

The task completed but in part,

The Cruise of life just now begun,

Sail far and wide with star and sun.

Sail on, O my soul.

Emerge triumphant from thy tears

And look to gladness with the years;

For God, alone, doth know the goal;

O my soul, sail on, my soul!

On restless bosom of Life's sea

(Sail on, my soul)

There shall thy path to Heaven be,

A gleam with crystal points of light;

Protected by God's Truth and Might.

Sail on, O my soul.

Where God hath charted thee the way

New worlds shall greet thee, day by day,

And give the haven free from shoal.

O my soul, sail on, my soul!

No storm, no night, thy way shall hide

With God, the Captain, at thy side.

Let Hope be high and Faith be strong;

My soul, oh, lift thy prayer and song.

Sail on, O my soul.

Till all the Powers of Night shall fail

(Sail on, O my soul)

And all the Hosts of Light prevail

And thine own self, thy self shall be made whole,

O my soul, sail on, my soul, sail on, O my soul!



The Baccalaureate Sermon

Kahu Kordell Kekoa '80

The Hymn – “Lokomaika‘i! He Nani No” (Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound)

Congregation

Hawaiian Trans. By David K. Kaupu, '51

English by John Newton, 1179

Arr. By Edwin O Excell, 1851-1921

Lokomaika‘i!	Amazing grace!
He nani no,	How sweet the sound,
Ho‘ola mai ia‘u,	That saved a wretch like me,
Ua hewa ia e aloha ano,	I once was lost but now I’m found,
Ua po a e ua la.	Was blind but now I see.

I Thank God

Maverick City Music, Upperroom

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Wandering into the night
Wanting a place to hide
This weary soul
This bag of bones
I tried with all my might
But I just can’t win the fight
I’m slowly drifting a vagabond
And just when I ran out of road
I met a man I didn’t know
And he told me
That I was not alone

CHORUS

You picked me up
turned me around
Placed my feet on solid ground
I thank the Master
I thank the Savior
Because He healed my heart
He changed my name
Forever free I’m not the same
I thank the Master
I thank the Savior
I thank God

***The Benediction**

Cade Wehrsigg '25

***The Choral Response – “Sevenfold Amen”**

The Class of 2025
Led by Lauren Kawai '25

***The Recessional “Trumpet Tune and Air”**

Composed by Henry Purcell

Kamehameha Schools Sinfonietta

The Postlude

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Class of 2025

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**The Baccalaureate Service today honors the
2025 graduating class of the Kamehameha Schools Kapālama
and is dedicated to the glory of God.**

The class wishes to express its appreciation to:

The Reverend Ken Makuakāne, *Kamehameha alumnus, '73*
Kahu of Kawaiaha'o Church

Kahu Manu Nae'ole, *Kamehameha alumnus, '96*
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THE CLASSES LEADING THE PROCESSION
Averie Owan '26, Kamakoa Kaluhiwa '27, Mya Vida '28

THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS SINFONIETTA

Elton Masaki, *Director* | Hayden Freitas, *Conductor*

Violin: Micah Davis, Keoni Wun, Jaci Yamada, Ahealani Higa,
Anjuli Kim, Phoenix Shelton

Viola: Carly Mirafuentes, Charli Nakagawa, Ashli Lum,
Kyle Wills-Liang

Cello: Pakela Slover, Lucas Lelunquist, Jake Grilho, Max Kahiapo

Bass: Kawai Makanui-Lopez

Aloha Kākou e Class of 2025

Mahalo for the honor of serving as one of your Keiki Kahu. Walking alongside you on this journey with Christ has been a true blessing. Our time at Kamehameha Schools has been marked by immeasurable growth, both spiritually and personally. This year, I vowed to help others discover a love for God. Even if I touched just one heart, that alone would have made the journey worthwhile. I pray that, in some way, I contributed to your walk with Christ. Our spiritual theme, “As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another,” came to life through my partnership with Regan Kahiau Santos. As fellow Keiki Kahu, we held each other accountable when we needed a firm correction, and uplifted each other in times of celebration, and through it all we witnessed each other’s growth since our early days in Nae’ole Hale. I am truly grateful for this life and the many blessings it has brought us.

**Mahalo Ke Akua. Ke Akua pū.
Galen Kaohi, ’25**

We gather together today to celebrate our closing chapter at Kamehameha and launch our next chapter in life. Thank you all for your friendship and encouragement, and for the memories we created together. This year's spiritual theme reminds us that we grow stronger and wiser when we support, challenge, and uplift each other. Iron blades sharpen when they strike one another as does our character and faith sharpen when we strike each other in relationship and accountability. The years in the hale, starting in seventh grade at Nae'ole Hale, allowed my dorm brothers, including my friend Galen Kaohi, and myself the opportunities to strike one another in love.

If I struggled with assignments or felt overwhelmed about personal things, the boys supported me. If they needed help or motivation, I would support them in turn. I learned the value of iron sharpening because of these guys as well as my other classmates. In the next chapter, I commit to seeking out relationships like the ones I have with my dorm brothers. May we continue to sharpen each other, wherever our journeys lead.

Mahalo, class of 2025! Yessah!

Regan Santos,'25



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