

CONSECRATION OF MEETING AND MEAL



West Point Society Luncheon

Let us pray.

Almighty God, our Dearest Friend and Nearest Kinsman,

You are the knowledge sought by scientists. You are the reliability sought by engineers. You are the exhilaration sought by athletes. You are the water sought by animals. You are the health sought by doctors. You are the romance sought by lovers. You are the trees sought by humanity. You are the character sought by educators. You are the justice sought by leaders. You are the laughter sought by children. You are the victory sought by warriors. You are the truth sought by courts. You are the compassion sought by cripples. You are the peace sought by armies. You are the building-up sought by economists. You are the creativity sought by governments. You are the soil sought by plants. You are the mercy sought by mothers. You are the transcendence sought by saints. You are the growth and refinement sought by fathers.

You are the fulfillment of its mission and values sought by leaders of our United States Military Academy. You are the Duty Honor Country sought by our beloved United States Corps of Cadets. You are the nourishment of food, camaraderie and listening sought by this Assembly of West Point.

Consecrate now this meal, this company and this edification to our use and these lives and this community to your service.

Amen