

Columbia 5th Anniversary Memorial Tribute

California State University, Fresno

Friday, Feb. 1, 2008

AGENDA

TELEVISED TRIBUTE

7 a.m. PST

Engineering East – Room 120

(Televised LIVE from Kennedy Space Center)

Tribute televised on NASA-TV, open to the public. Hosted by Dr. Michael Jenkins, dean of the College of Engineering, and the college's Engineering Pathways Program. (Fresno State President John D. Welty is at Cape Canaveral, Florida for this event.)

Opening remarks by Dr. Jenkins at 6:55 a.m.

MEMORIAL WREATH CEREMONY

Noon (Approx. 20 minutes)

Engineering East Building– Patio Area/Foyer

PRESENTATION OF COLORS

Fresno State **AFROTC Color Guard**

National Anthem - **Timothy Howard**, *senior music major*

COMMENTS

Dr. Jeronima Echeverria – *Provost, Fresno State*

Lt. Col Samuel Vandiver – *Commander, Fresno State AFROTC*

Chris Rosander - *District Director*

Fresno office for Congressman Jim Costa (D-Fresno)

Fresno State alum – B.S., Mechanical Engineering 2002 (Former rocket scientist who served as a media commentator on the Columbia accident)

MEMORIAL WREATH PRESENTATION BY:

Dr. Michael Jenkins, *Dean of Engineering*

Lt. Col. Samuel Vandiver, *Commander, Fresno State AFROTC*

Phillip Downing, *Mechanical Engineering student and AFROTC cadet*

Brandon Abrames, *Mechanical Engineering student and AFROTC cadet*

MOMENT OF SILENCE/TAPS

After wreath is placed, Provost calls for a moment of silence

"Taps" performed by **Scott Dean**, *senior Music major*

CLOSING REMARKS

Dr. Michael Jenkins, *Dean of Engineering*

DISMISSAL

Provost Echeverria