



*INAUGURATION  
CEREMONIES  
PROGRAM*

*JANUARY TWENTIETH*

*NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN*

*Program*

*Program introduced will be by the Honorable Howard  
W. Cannon, Chairman of the Joint Committee on  
Inaugural Ceremonies.*

*Selection by the United States Marine Band, Lieutenant  
Colonel Jack T. Hall.*

*President and Vice President  
of the*

*United States of America*

*The oath of office will be administered to the President by the  
Honorable William Howard Taft, Chief Justice of the United  
States.*

*Inaugural Address by the President.*

*Nineteen Hundred Seventy-Seven*

*The National Anthem by the United States Marine Band,  
led by Captain Sam Goddard.*



HOWARD W. CANNON, *Chairman*, U.S. Senate, Nevada.

ROBERT C. BYRD, U.S. Senate, West Virginia.

MARK O. HATFIELD, U.S. Senate, Oregon.

THOMAS P. O'NEILL, JR., Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives, Massachusetts.

JIM WRIGHT, U.S. House of Representatives, Texas.

JOHN J. RHODES, U.S. House of Representatives, Arizona.

*Joint Committee on Arrangements.*

## *Program*

Program introductions will be by the Honorable Howard W. Cannon, Chairman, Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies.

Selection by the United States Marine Band, Lieutenant Colonel Jack T. Kline, Director.

Invocation by Bishop William R. Cannon.

Battle Hymn of the Republic by the Atlanta University Center Chorus, conducted by Dr. Wendell P. Whalum.

The oath of office will be administered to the Vice President by the Honorable Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr., Speaker, United States House of Representatives.

The oath of office will be administered to the President by the Honorable Warren Earl Burger, Chief Justice of the United States.

Inaugural Address by the President of the United States.

Benediction by Archbishop John R. Roach.

The National Anthem by the United States Marine Band, sung by Cantor Isaac Goodfriend.



## *Places of Assembly*

*and*

## *Order of Procession*

The House of Representatives will convene at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 20, and proceed in a body to the Platform and will be seated on the right of the President's Platform. Members of the House of Representatives will be issued special, non-transferable Inaugural identification cards which must be displayed upon entering the Capitol Building and *again when entering the Rotunda* as the House procession proceeds to the Platform.

The Senate will convene at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 20, and proceed in a body to the Platform and will be seated on the left of the President's Platform.

The Ambassadors and Ministers of Foreign Countries will assemble in the Senate Reception Room, to be escorted to the Platform.

The Governors of the States will assemble in the Old Senate Chamber to be escorted to the Platform.



The Chief Justice of the United States and the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court will assemble in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate, to be escorted to the President's Platform.

Members of the Cabinet of the President-elect will assemble in the President's Room to be escorted to the President's Platform.

When the foregoing and other distinguished guests are seated at designated places on the Platform, the wife of the President, of the Vice President, of the President-elect and of the Vice President-elect will be escorted to the President's Platform.

The Committee on Arrangements will escort the President and the Vice President to the President's Platform.

The Vice President-elect will be escorted by the Committee to the President's Platform.

The President-elect will be escorted by the Committee to the President's Platform.

## *Entrances to Senate and House Wings*

Cards of admission to the Senate and House Wings will be good only at the doors beneath the arches under the east steps of the Senate and House Wings.

The eastern doors of the Wings will be opened at 9:30 a.m. to those holding cards of admission. Persons presenting themselves at any other entrances will be refused admission.

## *Tickets*

Tickets to those sections of the Inaugural Stands, designated



as A, A-1, A-2, B, B-1, C, D, E, F, G, H, H-1, H-North, H-South, J, K, L, M, N, Senate Steps, House Steps *do not admit to the Capitol Building.*

Tickets admitting to the Senate side of the Capitol Building and on to the Inaugural Platform must be presented at the door beneath the arch under the east steps of the Senate Wing, again at the north entrance to the Rotunda, and at the east door of the Rotunda.

Tickets admitting to Sections A, A-1, A-2, D, E, H-North and Senate Steps should be presented at the Capitol grounds north entrance at Delaware and Constitution Avenues and again at the entrances to the above Sections.

Tickets admitting to Sections B, B-1, F, G, H-South, and House Steps should be presented at the Capitol grounds south entrance at New Jersey and Independence Avenues and again at the entrances to the above Sections.

Tickets admitting to Sections C and K should be presented at the Capitol grounds north or south entrances as described above and again at the entrances to the above sections.

Tickets admitting to Sections H-1 should be presented at the Capitol grounds east entrance at First Street and Maryland Avenue and again at the entrance to Section H-1.

Tickets admitting to Section H should be presented at the Capitol grounds east entrance at First Street and Congressional Drive and again at the entrance to Section H.

### *Admission to Senate and House Wings and of Automobiles to the Grounds*

No person except Senators and former Senators will be admitted to the Senate Wing of the Capitol, or to the Platform

without a card signed by the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Arrangements.

The Senate side of the Capitol, including the Rotunda and Crypt, will remain closed to the Public until 9 a.m., Friday, January 21.

All vehicles will be excluded from the Capitol grounds until after the conclusion of the ceremonies.

### *Regulations for the Capitol Building*

All doors of the Rotunda will be closed and passageways leading thereto will be kept clear. No person will be permitted to pass from the House Wing and through the Rotunda except Members of the House of Representatives and its officers. The Members and officers will be provided with special, non-transferable cards of admission.

The Capitol Building and subways will be closed after 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 19, and kept closed until 9 a.m., Friday, January 21.

The Sergeant at Arms of the Senate, the Sergeant at Arms of the House, and the Executive Director of the Joint Inaugural Committee are charged with the execution of these arrangements.