



Juneteenth - Jefferson City

Presents
Juneteenth Emancipation Program
Lincoln University Soldiers Memorial Plaza
Saturday, June 17, 2023 - 10:00 a.m.

Opening Ms. Lauren Carter
..... Chair, Juneteenth Heritage Celebration Planning Committee

"God Bless America Ms.

Prayer/Welcome Rev. W. T. Edmonson
President Juneteenth - Jefferson City

Reading of "General Order #3" Mr. Frank Wallemann
Juneteenth - Jefferson City Board Member

Remarks Mrs. Sandra Allen
Toney Jenkins American Legion Post # 231

Laying of the Wreath:

Song..... "*Lift Every Voice and Sing*" Audience

Remarks Ms. Lauren Carter
Rev. W. T. Edmonson

Benediction:



"Lift Every Voice and Sing"

National Negro Hymn

Lift ev-'ry voice and sing, till earth and heav-en ring,
Ring with the har-mo-nies of lib-er-ty;
Let our re-joicing rise, high as the lis-ting skies,
Let it resound loud as the roll-ing sea.
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us;
Fac-ing the ris-ing sun of our new day begun.
Let us march on till vic-to-ry is won.

Ston-y the road we trod, bit-ter the chast 'ning rod,
Felt in the days when hope un-born had died;
Yet with a stead-y beat, have not our wea-ry feet
Come to the place for which our fa-thers sighed?
We have come o-ver a way that with tears
has been wa-tered,
We have come, tread-ing our path thro'
blood of the slaugh-tered,

Out from the gloom-y past, till now we stand at last
Where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.

God of our wea-ry years, God of our si-lent tears,
Thou who hast brought us thus far on the way;
Thou who has by Thy might, led us into the light,
Keep us for-ev-er in the path, we pray'
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God,
where we met Thee

Lest our hearts, drunk with the wine of the world,
we forget Thee,
Shadowed be-neath Thy hand, may we for-ev-er stand,
True to our God, true to our native land.

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*Please join us for the*

*Juneteenth Heritage Festival 11:00 am*

*Community Park and Community Center*

*Thank You for Sharing Juneteenth With Us.*

