

## Introduction

**This evening we have gathered**

together both to honor and to say  
thanks to Vivian and Harold...  
as leaders of the University,  
as faculty members,  
and as friends.

**Since we realize that you both**

probably will have a nonstop schedule  
of such events over the next couple  
of months, we wanted to keep this one  
very informal and relaxed...that is, to  
arrange something you could enjoy!!!

**However, it is well known that you**

can never bring deans together without  
some speeches...

**So we do have a very short program**

**To begin, it seems appropriate to**

call on the deans of each of your  
respective schools to make some remarks...

**Harold Johnson**

**Peter Steiner**

**In thinking what would be an**

appropriate moment of our appreciation,  
it occurred to us that perhaps we should  
put ourselves in the position of a faculty  
member and ask "What do faculty want  
more than anything else?"

From this perspective, the answer was  
obvious: What could be more appropriate  
than providing you with your own  
professorial chair?

**Actually, there is a second gift**

that was quite a labor of love by a  
great many people...

Carole LaMantia

Anne

Jim Cravens

Bob Kalmbach...