

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, we are honoring our Fathers this coming Father's Day, Sunday, June 15, 1969; and
- WHEREAS, the climax for this annual American observance is an emphasis on the increasing part fathers can and want to play in strengthening this nation and its democratic institutions; and
- WHEREAS, it is the fathers of our land, in each succeeding generation, who primarily have built and maintained this great democracy through their teachings and sturdy devotion to liberty and to the love of freedom; and
- WHEREAS, we look to the father in the home as the moulder of tomorrow's citizens, the builder of good family life and the foundation of our future and teacher of our young in the importance of good ethics, fair play, peace and brotherhood throughout the world,
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, June 15, 1969, as

"FATHER'S DAY... GRANDFATHER'S DAY"

in Minnesota, and I call upon all citizens in this State to observe it in worship and displaying the American Flag and otherwise commemorating the father in the home so that every day in the year may have the blessings that flow from good fatherhood, good citizenship and a strong family life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this Courtroom day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine, and of the State, the two hundred twelfth.

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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