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P R O C L A M A T I O N

W H E R E A S, it is an American tradition to observe Father's Day on one Sunday of each year, and

W H E R E A S, the fathers of America have paid in blood and death for victory in Europe, and are heroically fighting in the Pacific and giving their utmost devotion and service on the home front to preserve the precious liberties for which America came into being, and

W H E R E A S, father is the foundation stone of the American home, the sanctity of which we are struggling to save for the present and future, and

W H E R E A S, sons and daughters in appreciation thereof and with love and pride seek to pay tribute to father,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWARD J. THYE, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim

Sunday, June 17, 1945

as

FATHER'S DAY

in Minnesota, and I call upon the people of the state to reaffirm their admiration and devotion for father and the America that he has built and is defending for us.

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 in St. Paul this 14th day of June 1945.

*Edward J. Thye*  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

*Mike Holman*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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JUN 14 1945  
*Walter Holm*  
Secretary of State

CHAS. J. ...

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