

Sentiments of the Summer 2022

Graduating Class

A big thank you to my family and friends for being my support system throughout law school.

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B.A., Smith College

Hometown – Centerport, New York

“When you walk through a storm, hold your head up high and don’t be afraid of the dark. Walk on, walk on, with hope in your heart and you’ll never walk alone.” Thank you to everyone who walked with me.

Elizabeth Rose Allen

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Hometown – Royal Oak, Michigan

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Alexis Regina Ammons

B.A., University of Southern California

Hometown – Houston, Texas

To my wife Stephanie, I could not have done it without you. My children Lillith, Dub, and Lucy Mae I did it for y’all.

Andrew Stephen Boone

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They said it would get better. It did not get better.

James Douglas Dickerson

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Lauren Camilla Dickson

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Hometown – Austin, Texas

Proverbs 27:17: “As iron sharpens iron, one person sharpens another.” My time at Baylor Law has illustrated the importance of this message. Thank you to my friends and family. I could not have done it without you.

Sidne Elaine Drewry

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Hometown – Hutto, Texas

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John Elden Fuller

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To all those who inspired me along the way. "When you are backed against the wall, break the d*mn thing down." -Harvey Specter

Logan Andrew Krulish

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Abandon all hope, ye who enter here.

Timothy Robert Long

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Hometown – Austin, Texas

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Mollie Elizabeth Mallin

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Hometown – Fort Worth, Texas

"Be just and merciful and brave." —C.S. Lewis, *The Magician's Nephew*

Ashlyn Louise McCowan Perez
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"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5-6

Jonathan Kirin Michael
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Hometown – Houston, Texas

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Caroline King Morrison
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John Travis Nadalini
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Hometown – Dallas, Texas

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Hometown – Austin, Texas

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Hometown – Alice, Texas

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Hometown – Mason, Texas

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Allison Paige Steele

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Hometown – Longview, Texas

To my dad, for teaching me to "want the ball when the game is on the line."

Clay Ross Stuart

B.A., Wake Forest University

Hometown – Austin, Texas

Is this the light at the end of the tunnel that everyone keeps telling me about, or did Practice Court finally do me in? I could not have done this without my incredible wife and support from my amazing family. Thank y'all for being my rock through this "fun" time!

Caleb Matthew Terrell

B.B.A., Baylor University

Hometown – Grapevine, Texas

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