

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF
Charles E. Young, M.A. '57, Ph.D. '60

DECEMBER 30, 1931 – OCTOBER 22, 2023



THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2024, AT ROYCE HALL | UCLA CAMPUS



Charles E. Young, who led UCLA from 1968 through 1997, was the youngest chancellor appointed in the history of the University of California and the only UCLA alumnus to hold the campus's top position. His tenure, spanning four different decades, marked an enduring legacy. His transformative stewardship elevated UCLA from a modest regional institution into a global academic powerhouse. In his relentless pursuit of synergy between the campus and the vibrant city of Los Angeles, Young cultivated a lasting and dynamic partnership.

CHARLES E. YOUNG
REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS & FAMILY

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Musical selection

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Chancellor Gene Block

Ted Mitchell, President, American Council on Education

*Carole Goldberg, UCLA Distinguished Research Professor, Jonathan D. Varat
Distinguished Professor of Law Emerita*

*Zev Yaroslavsky '71, Director, Los Angeles Initiative, UCLA Luskin School
of Public Affairs*

*Keith Parker, Assistant Vice Chancellor, UCLA Government
and Community Relations, Retired*

Musical selection

Ann Meyers Drysdale '79, Vice President of the Phoenix Mercury

Ralph Ochoa '63, J.D. '69, Senior Partner, The Ochoa Law Firm

Cara Young

Judy Young

"The Bold Leadership of Charles E. Young" Video.

Chancellor Gene Block

*Musical selections performed by Herb Albert School of Music students
Caleb Sokolowski, Exp. '24, tenor sax; Jennifer Choi, Exp. '24, piano;
Sara Gorman, Exp. '25, acoustic bass; Tim Zhou, Exp. '24, drums*

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tributes dedicated to Chancellor Young.

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*Please join us for a reception filled with laughter, good company,
and lasting memories*