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Thou our guide in quest for knowledge  
Where we all are free,  
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Alma Mater, Hail to thee!  
Be our guide to truth and wisdom,  
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