



ACADEMY — of the — HOLY ANGELS

FOUNDED 1879

"ALMA MATER, ALL HAIL"

With land that's new, tradition strong
With guidance from above,
Imbued by age with majesty
Embracing all in love;
Our surest refuge and our stay,
Undimmed by storm or strife,
Thy guiding light burns all the years
Protecting us through life.

Blaze in deathless glory;
Carve on souls thy name.
Thy strength is in thy children
Chanting out thy fame.
And as years go winging
Never touching thee,
We shall e'er be singing
Hail all hail to thee.
We shall e'er be singing
Alma Mater, all hail!

Original Lyrics- Margaret Mary Powers Gildez, '42
Music-Sir Edward Elgar, "Pomp and Circumstance"
Marches (opus 39, No. 1 in D major)

The first two lines, changed to reflect the move to the new campus, originally read:

"With stately dome arising high,
And golden cross above."