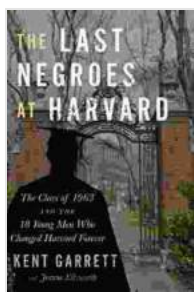


The Class of 1963: The 18 Young Men Who Changed Harvard Forever

In the fall of 1959, 18 young men arrived on the campus of Harvard College. They were a diverse group, hailing from different backgrounds and with different aspirations. But they shared a common bond: they were all brilliant and ambitious, and they were determined to make their mark on the world.



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Over the next four years, these 18 men would form close friendships, challenge the status quo, and leave a lasting impact on Harvard and the world beyond. They would go on to become leaders in government, business, academia, and the arts. They would fight for social justice, challenge the Vietnam War, and work to make the world a better place.

The story of the Class of 1963 is a story of hope, ambition, and change. It is a story that reminds us that anything is possible if we have the courage to dream big and to work hard to achieve our goals.

The Early Years

The 18 young men who would make up the Class of 1963 came from all over the United States. They were the sons of farmers, factory workers, doctors, lawyers, and teachers. They were from big cities and small towns, from the East Coast and the West Coast, from the North and the South.

Despite their different backgrounds, the 18 young men shared a common bond: they were all brilliant and ambitious. They had all excelled in high school, and they had all been accepted to Harvard College, one of the most prestigious universities in the world.

When they arrived on campus in the fall of 1959, the 18 young men were full of hope and ambition. They were eager to learn, to meet new people, and to make their mark on the world. They quickly became friends, and they began to form a close-knit community.

Challenging the Status Quo

The Class of 1963 was a generation of change. They came of age during the Civil Rights Movement and the Vietnam War. They were deeply affected by the social and political unrest of the time, and they were determined to make a difference.

The 18 young men of the Class of 1963 were not afraid to challenge the status quo. They spoke out against racism and segregation. They protested

the Vietnam War. They worked to make Harvard more inclusive and diverse.

Their activism did not always make them popular. They were often criticized by the administration and by their fellow students. But they never gave up. They continued to fight for what they believed in, and they eventually made a real difference.

Leaving a Legacy

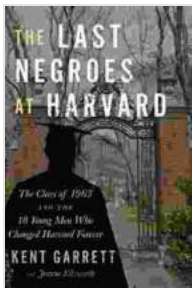
The Class of 1963 graduated from Harvard in 1963. They went on to become leaders in government, business, academia, and the arts. They fought for social justice, challenged the Vietnam War, and worked to make the world a better place.

The 18 young men of the Class of 1963 left a lasting legacy at Harvard and beyond. They helped to make Harvard a more inclusive and diverse university. They inspired a generation of students to get involved in social and political activism. And they showed the world that anything is possible if we have the courage to dream big and to work hard to achieve our goals.

The story of the Class of 1963 is a story of hope, ambition, and change. It is a story that reminds us that anything is possible if we have the courage to dream big and to work hard to achieve our goals. The 18 young men of the Class of 1963 are an inspiration to us all. They showed us that we can make a difference in the world, no matter how small we may be.



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