



Order of the Phoenix

Video Transcript

[Video: The words "IU" on crimson banner left]

[Video: The word "DAY" on red banner right]

[Video: Two banners come together to form IU DAY banner]

[Words appear and encircle top and bottom of IU Day banner: ALL IU. ALL DAY.]

[Words appear on black film strip with IU DAY banner at top: Order of the Phoenix]

[Music begins]

[Video: *Phoenix* sculpture in lawn in front of IU Kokomo building.]

[Words appear: This is *Phoenix Rising from the Ashes*, a sculpture at IU Kokomo.]

[Video: Close-up, walking-by view of the sculpture with building in the background.]

[Words appear: Hundreds pass by it every day, but few know its story]

[Video: Close-up of the sculpture's top wing.]

[Words appear: In 1963, IU Kokomo alum Bob Hamilton had an idea for a gift to the new campus.]

[Video: Close-up slowly moving down the sculpture.]

[Words appear: Bob was inspired by the mythological bird reborn from its own ashes.]

[Video: Close up of sculpture's second wing with IU Kokomo pole banner in the background.]

[Words appear: The chancellor gave up his garage for 6 months so Bob could work on it.]

[Video: Close-up of the sculpture's top wing.]

[Words appear: Bob and his wife, Anne, paid for materials, and he cast the sculpture himself.]

[Video: Circling around the sculpture for another close-up angle.]

[Words appear: It took a crane and a nail-biting ride across town to get the 14-foot long, 1,500-pound piece here.]

[Video: Marker with the words "PHOENIX RISING FROM THE ASHES, ROBERT EDWARD HAMILTON, A GIFT OF THE ARTIST JULY 1965"]

[Words appear: Phoenix arrived just in time for the 1965 dedication of the campus.]

[Video: Very close view highlighting the stainless steel alloy material used in the sculpture.]

[Words appear: After 52 years, it shines on thanks to its stainless steel alloy (a Kokomo invention).]

[Video: *Phoenix* sculpture on the front lawn with building in the background.]

[Words appear: Though Bob died in 1991, his legacy lives on through *Phoenix*...]

[Video: Close-up, walking-by view of the sculpture with building in the background.]

[Words appear: An enduring symbol of hope for all IU students to rise to their potential and soar.]

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[Music stops.]

[Transcript ends.]