

DAVID ROCKEFELLER, economist, banker, civic leader, financier. His doctoral dissertation at Chicago “unused Resources and Economic Waste,” presaged the insistent motivations of his later career. Initiated into a perturbed world as secretary to the dynamic Mayor LaGuardia, following the same precepts with the Army of the United States during the War brought him the Legion of Honor and the Legion of Merit. With tenacious skill, he strives to save the Morningside Heights churches, hospitals, seminaries, and colleges from strangulation by slum encroachment, and now he essays for downtown Manhattan a residential renaissance. Equally, in other ways and in other areas he has prevented waste of many valuable human intellectual resources, not the least of which are his own. Concerned with the fuller utilization of economic exchange through the enhanced contribution of a notable banking institution, the obligations h has assumed as a trustee and director affirm him a true patron of art, of science, of international understanding, and of education.

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