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Rushdie in his youth an essay on the need for freedom of expression.

Because MIT does not bestow honorary degrees, the visiting professorship is a unique honor. Although Rushdie is the first honorary visiting professor, others have been honored previously, including Winston Churchill and Caryl Churchill '77. The visiting professorship is "something that's just created for very special situations," Lightman said. In his lecture, Rushdie expressed hope that his visit to MIT could be "the beginning of a long-term relationship with this great institution."

Rushdie was heavily guarded by over 20 State Department agents, campus police officers, and Massachusetts state police.

"To be free to be" Rushdie began by apologizing for the "cloak and dagger" approach to his talk and thanked Sontag for "letting me be.

The MIT Symphony Orchestra performed "The Wrens' Song" by Hindemith, Copland, and Brahms.

President Carlos Salinas de Gortari delivers the Commencement Address.

The year 1993 revealed many tumultuous events in the world of science at MIT. The citation praised Houseman's "groundbreaking research on cervical cancer and the sources of colon cancer." rushdie lectured about his struggle against terrorism in surprise visit at MIT.