



Remarks by

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**Gala concert on the occasion of the 300th anniversary of
the birth of Magtymguly Fragi**

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His Excellency Mr Gurbanmyrat Myradalyev, Deputy Minister of Culture of

The work of this prominent representative of the Eastern world classical literature inspires the human soul.

The dreams of this great thinker about building a powerful independent state, and a friendly, peaceful and prosperous life for his people are absolutely topical today.

I hope many of you have already had the opportunity of visiting the exhibition in the Salle des Pas perdus, which showcases the diversity of the Turkmen culture with its vibrant art works and writings by Magtymguly Fragi.

Let's continue the commemoration of his life with what I am sure will be a beautiful cultural gala.

Thank you.