

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

CLASS OF
1944
50th
REUNION



June 5th - 12th, 1994
Radisson Hotel Atlanta
Courtland Street at International Boulevard
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

SOUVENIR JOURNAL



"I TOUCH THE FUTURE; I TEACH."

Christa McAuliffe
Teacher/NASA Astronaut

That was Christa McAuliffe's motto. It was her answer when asked what she did. She had it printed on T-shirts for teachers' conventions. And it drove her to become an astronaut...so she could be a better teacher. The motto that inspired Christa McAuliffe also reflects our thinking at The Coca-Cola Company. Our company has always been dedicated to community involvement and the welfare of others. And what better way than through education.

On a basic level, education helps provide skills with which to earn a livelihood. Beyond that, it can lead to self-knowledge and wisdom...to help us understand the necessity of change and the importance of continuity...and to provide a defense against alienation and despair.

That's why we created The Coca-Cola Foundation and enthusiastically supported the initiative of the Coca-Cola Bottlers to establish The Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation. Through these and other operations within the Coca-Cola organization, we are currently supporting dozens of educational programs and have already committed over \$75 million to the service of education.

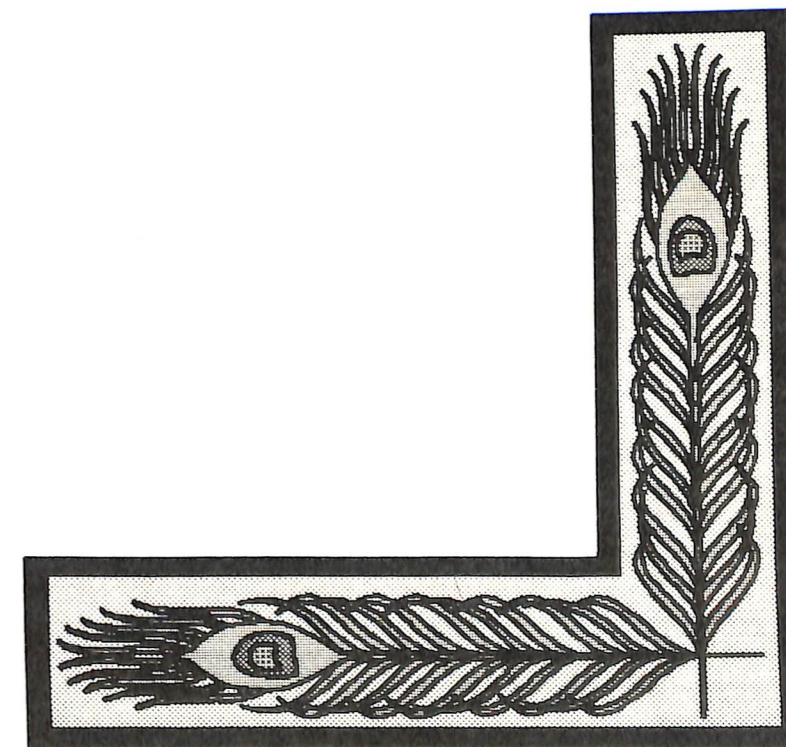
As businesspeople, managing our bottom lines requires us to constantly be thinking about the future. But through our commitment to education, we believe we are helping to touch the future. The Coca-Cola Company is helping to touch the future through education.

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REUNION CALENDAR

Sunday June 5, 1994
Worship Service - Wheat Street Baptist Church
10:30 A.M.

Monday June 6, 1994
On Your Own

Tuesday June 7, 1994
Booker T. Washington High School Graduation
Civic Center 6 - 7 P.M.
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Cocktail Party
Radisson Hotel Atlanta
8 - 11 P.M. Immediately Following Graduation

Wednesday June 8, 1994
Bus Tour of Atlanta
Class Members will assemble and Park in the Sears Parking Lot
Corner Abernathy Boulevard and Ashby Street
10 A.M. - 3 P.M.

Thursday June 9, 1994
Registration in Hospitality Suite
Radisson Hotel Atlanta
Corner Courtland Street and International Boulevard
From 4 P.M. - Until

Friday June 10, 1994
Awards Night - Dinner
Radisson Hotel Atlanta
7 P.M. - 10 P.M. cash bar opens at 6:30 p.m.
Casual Attire

Saturday June 11, 1994
Grand Ball - Formal
Radisson Hotel Atlanta - 10:00 P.M. until 2:00 A.M.

THE PEACOCKS OF 1944

*In ancient times, this proud and beautiful bird was
carried to all parts of the world as a great treasure.
During the reign of Solomon, "once in three years came the navy
of Tharshish, bringing gold and silver, ivory and apes, and peacocks."
(I Kings 10:22)*



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Zell Miller
GOVERNOR

TO: **Booker T. Washington High School**
Class of 1944

It is a pleasure for me to congratulate you upon the occasion of your 50th Class Reunion.

There is a special bond that ties us to our high school classmates, and it is always a memorable experience when these friendships are renewed. I am certain this reunion holds great significance for each of you, and I consider it a privilege to be a small part of your celebration.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my appreciation to the Class of 1944 on the fine services you provide and on the education opportunities given to "at-risk" youths through your local scholarship fund. You are to be commended on your public service efforts and your commitment to the future of our young adults.

You have my best wishes for a most memorable event.

With kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely,


Zell Miller

ZM/gk



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BILL CAMPBELL
MAYOR

February 1, 1994

Greetings:

I am pleased to extend congratulations to the members of the Booker T. Washington High School Class of 1944, during your 50th High School Class Reunion Celebration.

I commend the Booker T. Washington High School Class of 1944, the participants, sponsors and supporters for your efforts to promote and enhance educational opportunities for students throughout our community and for your numerous community service activities.

On behalf of the citizens of Atlanta, best wishes for continued growth and success.

Yours for Atlanta,

Bill Campbell

FOREWORD

In creating this *Journal*, the primary goal was to capture a vivid and authentic picture of the best of our high school days and give some background information on members of the Booker T. Washington High School Class of 1944 since our graduation.

It is hoped that this *Journal* will become one of our most cherished possessions. As we celebrate our "50th Reunion" we thank our classmates of both the "past" and the "present" for their contributions towards making this *Journal* a reality.

Lula Cameron Robinson

Booker T. Washington High School Class Of Forty-Four

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Charlie White
President

5 June 1994

To Members of The Booker T. Washington High School
Class of 1944

Often in life we have ideas we feel are good, but others, who are players in the game, are not quite as enthusiastic - not so with this group. Once we met to organize, the idea caught fire, and we have been an exemplary and strongly knit unit to deal with from that day on.

The most interesting facets of our organization are the love, sincere caring, and sharing we exhibit in our interactions. We band together when there is sadness among us and within our families; we rejoice in the successes of our members and their families; and we have real good times together. Our monthly meetings are looked forward to with excitement!

Over the years, we have lost many of our classmates, and in 1993, we lost members who were very active in and vital to the organization, and who were so looking forward to and working diligently towards this 50th reunion. They are sorely missed, but we know they are with us in spirit. We will have this wonderful week together renewing acquaintances, and talking about "the times" we had in high school.

We will remember 1944, the year when some of us went directly to college, while many in our group chose to serve our Country during World War II. Those were crucial times, and our classmates certainly "paid their dues."

I always look forward to being with you. It has been an honor to serve as President of this illustrious group during each of my tenures, and

I WISH YOU ALL

GOOD HEALTH, SUCCESS and MUCH HAPPINESS IN THE COMING YEARS!

Sincerely,

Charlie White Jr
Charlie White
President

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* Deceased

**** HISTORY ****

**THE BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 1944**

In October of 1973, Charlie White approached Valgene Winfrey Jackson and expressed a desire to organize the class and plan for a *Thirty Year Class Reunion*. Calls were made, and the first meeting was held in November of 1973 at the Booker T. Washington High School. It was a dream come true for Charlie White when several classmates responded to the notice they received. At the second meeting on December 9, 1973 the attendance increased and the following officers were elected:

Valgene Winfrey Jackson	Chairperson
Charlie White	Co-Chairperson
Marguerite Osborne	Secretary
Helen Laster Jones	Assistant Secretary
Elwood Sellers Maddox	Financial Secretary
Mary Latimer White	Treasurer
Jack Adams	Reporter
Robert Swain and Robert Dobbs	Business Managers

Plans began immediately for our first *Reunion*. In establishing an ongoing purpose for the organization, the members expressed a desire to help deserving students go on to college. With the help of former teachers, counselors, and an ad-hoc committee from the organization, students were sought out and asked to submit an essay on "*Why I Would Like A Scholarship*." An essay written by Perry Pettigrew was judged the winner, and he elected to attend Georgia Tech. Perry made the Deans List throughout his matriculation. Members of the Class of '44 attended his graduation. All were pleasantly surprised when the Pettigrew family presented a plaque to the Class of '44, in appreciation of our support. The Plaque was presented at a reception for Perry following his graduation.

The Class of '44 is a caring, sharing and loving group. We contribute annually to the *United Negro College Fund*, the *NAACP*, and each summer we give financial aid in sending underprivileged boys to *Summer Enrichment Camp*, where our classmate, Irvin Harris is the Director. We have given, on several occasions, to the *Boys and Girls Club of Metro Atlanta*. At the request of our Classmate, Bishop Nathaniel Linsey, who is on assignment in West Africa, we have given financial aid to an African student attending Seminary in Nigeria. For several years we gave deserving students assistance in purchasing books as they entered college. We have also supported the *Band Boosters Club* in purchasing new instruments for the students.

The Class of '44 worked diligently with the Class of '39 to erect the *C. L. Harper Memorial*. Our class was one of the first to pledge and pay \$1,000 towards the cost of the memorial; and our name is engraved on the Monument, located in the park fronting the E. R. Carter School on Ashby Street.

In November 1980, there was an occasion to help a destitute mother of five who had lost a three year old child in a day care center explosion. A local church paid the funeral expenses for the infant. Our classmate, Nellie Conyers, suggested adopting this family for Christmas, and the class responded in a very positive way.

In May 1982, the class traveled to Detroit, Michigan for a most enjoyable weekend with our classmates there and those who came from Chicago to join us. In order to assist with our expenses, a fund raiser, *Oldie Goldie*, is held each year. We have enjoyed a weekend at Myrtle Beach; and for several years we have spent weekends at the Pine Mountain Chalets in Pine Mountain, Georgia. It was on these retreats where we discovered the talents that existed in our group. We discovered dancers, comedians, singers, gourmet cooks, and the list goes on. We culminate each year with an elegant and festive Christmas Dinner Dance.

Since our organization in 1973, we have had four dedicated presidents, namely: Robert Swain, Edward Hunt, Valgene Winfrey Jackson, and our current president Charlie White. Our 1994 officers are:

Charlie White	President
Eddie Adams	Vice-President
Helen Laster Jones	Recording Secretary
Ruth Whatley	Asst. Recording Secretary
Valgene W. Jackson	Corresponding Secretary
Mary Latimer White *	Treasurer
Isaiah Stephens	Acting Treasurer
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Juanita Shields Price	Business Manager
Freda Smith Hutchinson	Asst. Business Manager
Lula Cameron Robinson	Chaplain
Forrest Brown	Sergeant-At-Arms
Elizabeth Reed Bryant	Courtesy
Addie Hartsfield Pitts and Helen Berry Pittman	Telephone Contacts

Occasional problems confronting our group are always solved in peace and harmony. This is what our classmate, the late James Broughton had in mind when he would use his favorite expression, which has become our motto:

EVERYTHING IS BEAUTIFUL, LET'S KEEP IT THAT WAY !

Helen Laster Jones and E. Valgene Winfrey Jackson

* Deceased

CLASS HYMN

HERALDERS of WASHINGTON: THE VICTORY CLASS

Heralders of Washington, we go forth to stand
Yonder where duty sounds the challenge round the land.
Behold! In shining armour, valiant legions pass,
And they are stirring fighting strains that march -
The Victory Class.

Before us they have passed this way, a rousing gallant throng,
And as our happy anthems rise - they sing a marching song
That rattles now around the world - triumph's sacred mass
And they salute from every front - old Washington -
The Victory Class.

We've struggled in these pristine halls - we ate no idle bread.
The banner flung to us we hold - tomorrow we shall tread
With that illustrious company that loves the campus grass
Whose blades bow before the march of:
The Victory Class.

Chorus

Heralders of Washington - we go forth to stand
Yonder high where duty sounds the challenge 'round the land.
Behold! In shining armour bold, our valiant legions pass,
And they are stirring fighting strains - that march -
The Victory Class.

- Edith Carrienelle Flanagan

CLASS SONG

ALMA MATER! VICTORY

Upon these grounds we've firmly stood
Storm-tossed and tried by fate,
But forward borne truth's banner on
Protected by thy grace.
Fair Learning's brow we've crowned withal,
Humanity we've served,
From right, from courage, hope and faith
We never yet have swerved.

Our heroes face the wrath of wars,
Our mothers lend their moans,
We hear the dirge of bugle's sound
The requiem o'er our loved.
Above the crash and roar of plane,
Deeper than sub or foam
For country's cause and thy fair name
On foreign shores we roam.

And on through ages to the end
Of every human need,
We'll carry to victorious heights
Our dear school's name and creed.
Though traitors seek to smear thy fame,
Though wars through aeons roll
No harm, no shame shall blot thy name,
Nor our heroes on thy scroll.

Chorus

When tumults cease, if we return
Victor or subdued,
May we behold 'gainst azure blue
Thy banner still unfurled.

Lyric - Ella Mae Gaines
Music - Mrs. Essie M. Groves

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"LINKS"

"O THERE ARE VOICES OF THE PAST,
LINKS OF A BROKEN CHAIN
WINGS THAT CAN BEAR US BACK TO TIMES
WHICH CANNOT COME AGAIN;
YET GOD FORBID THAT WE SHOULD LOSE
THE ECHOES THAT REMAIN !

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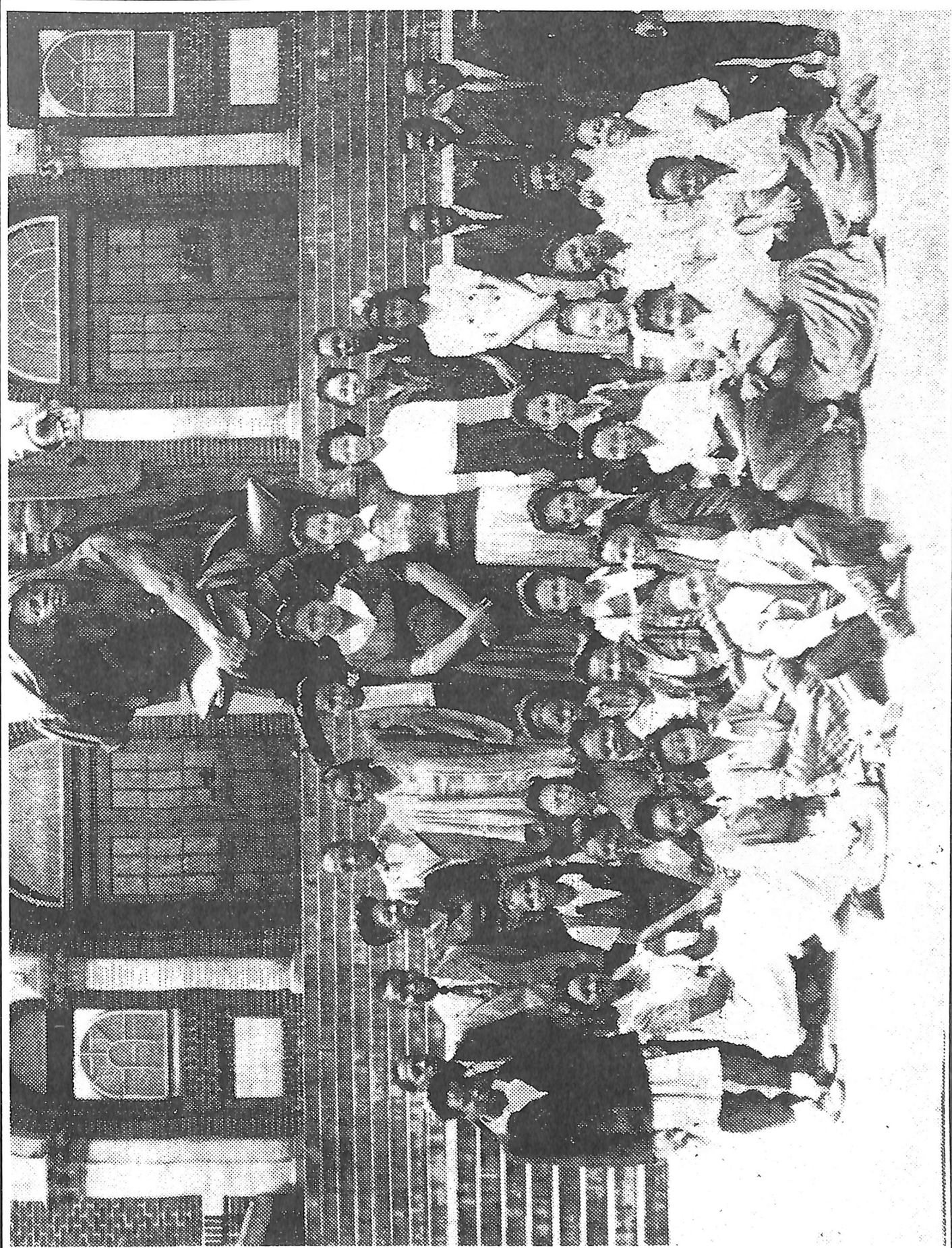
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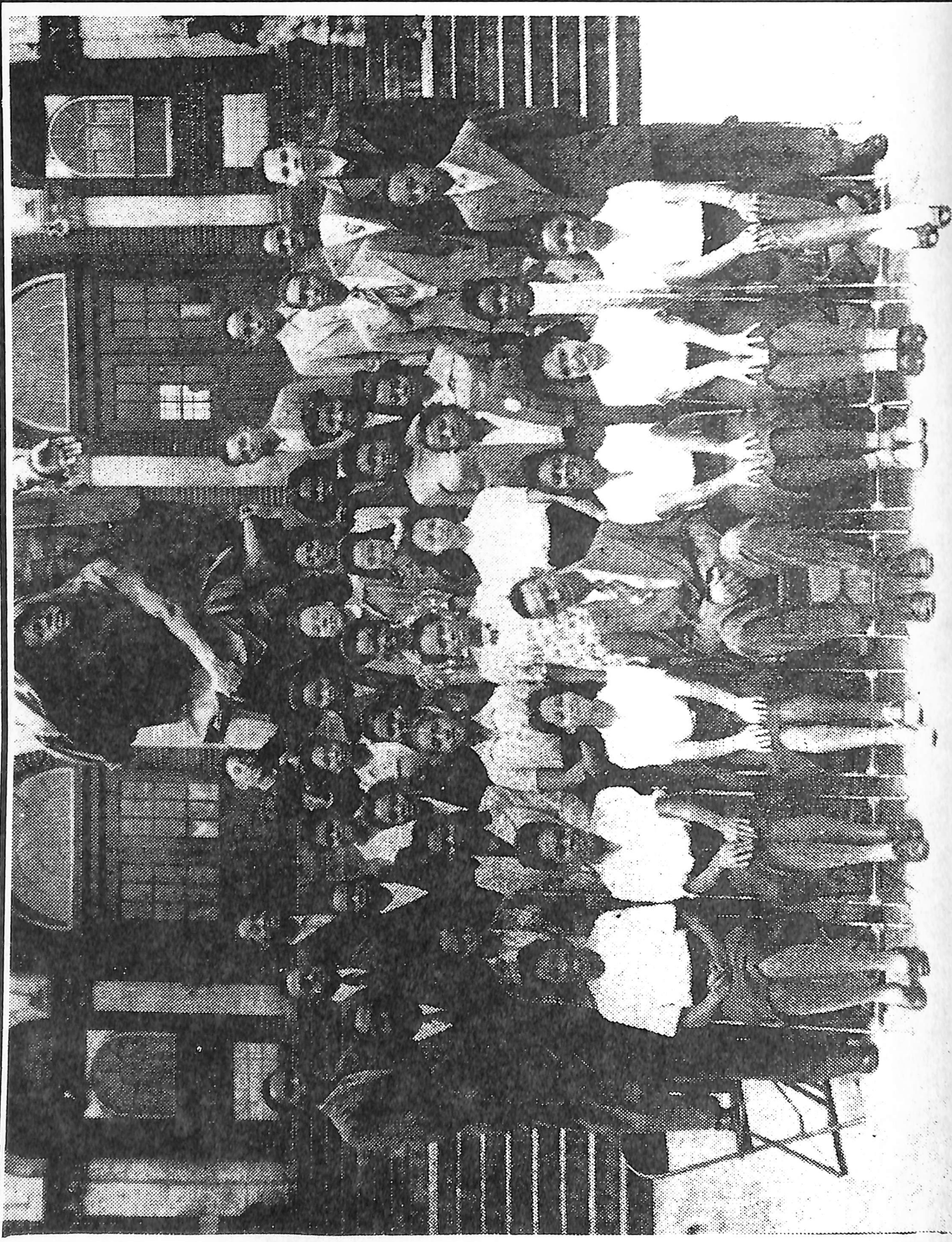


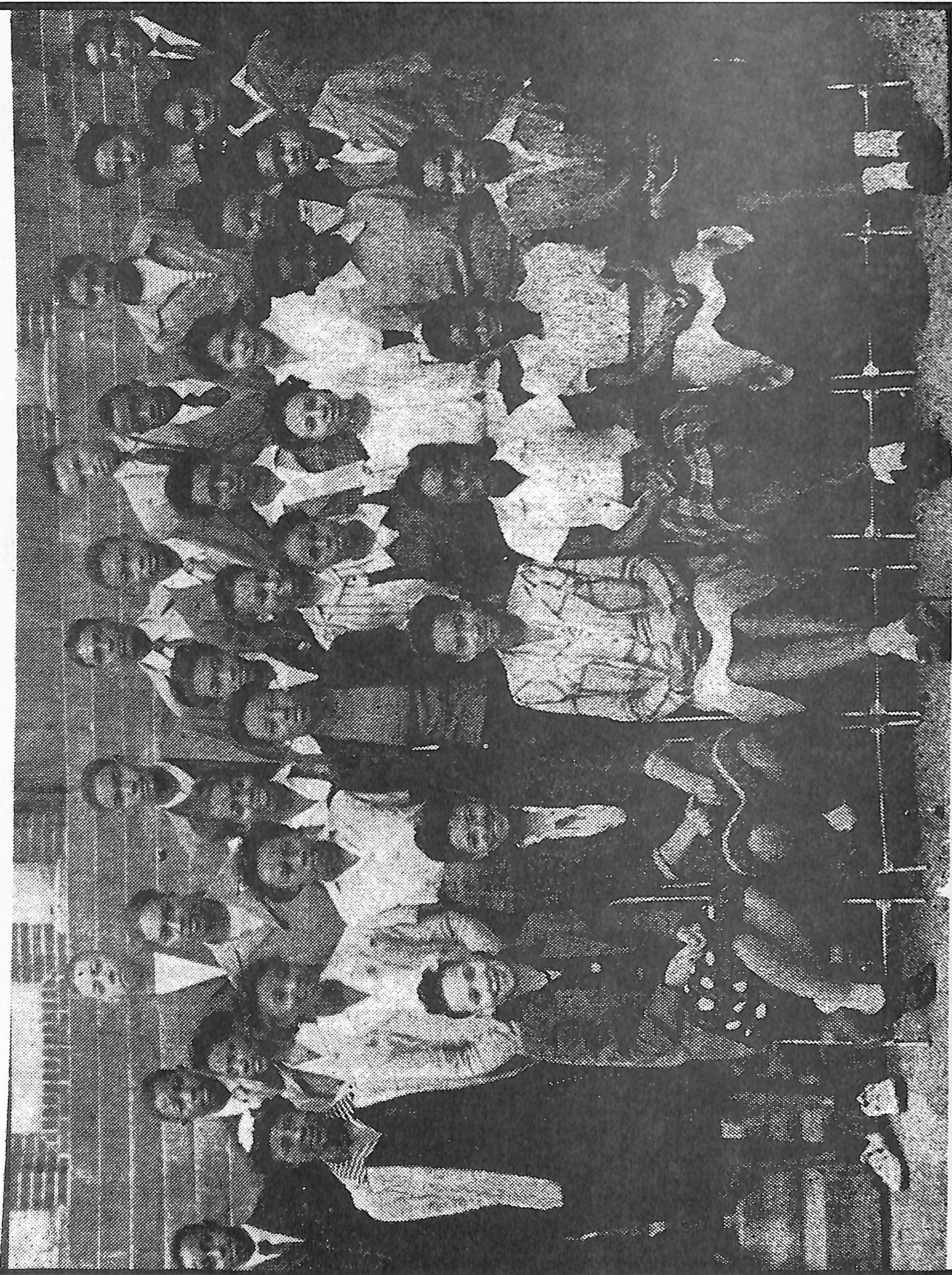


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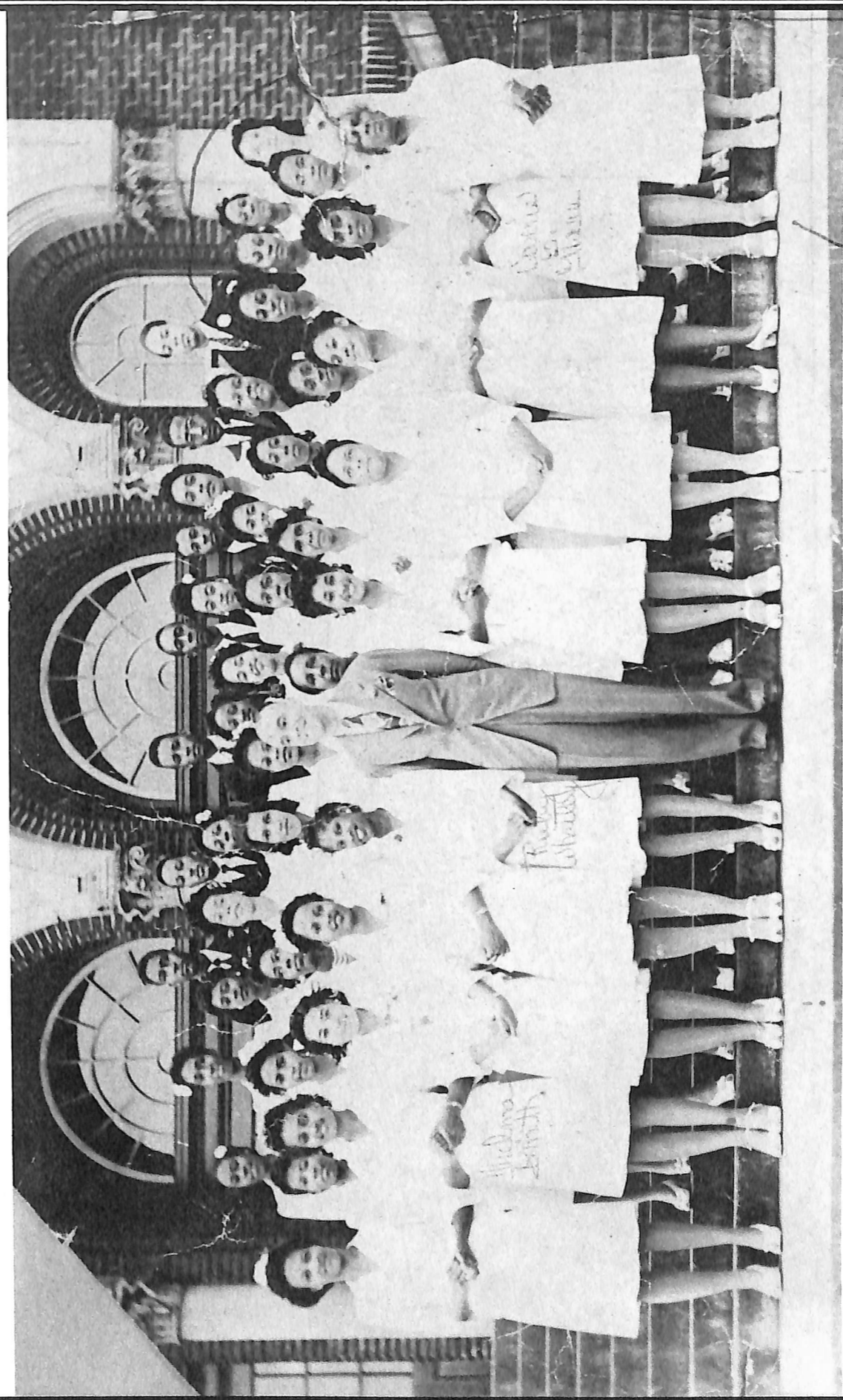
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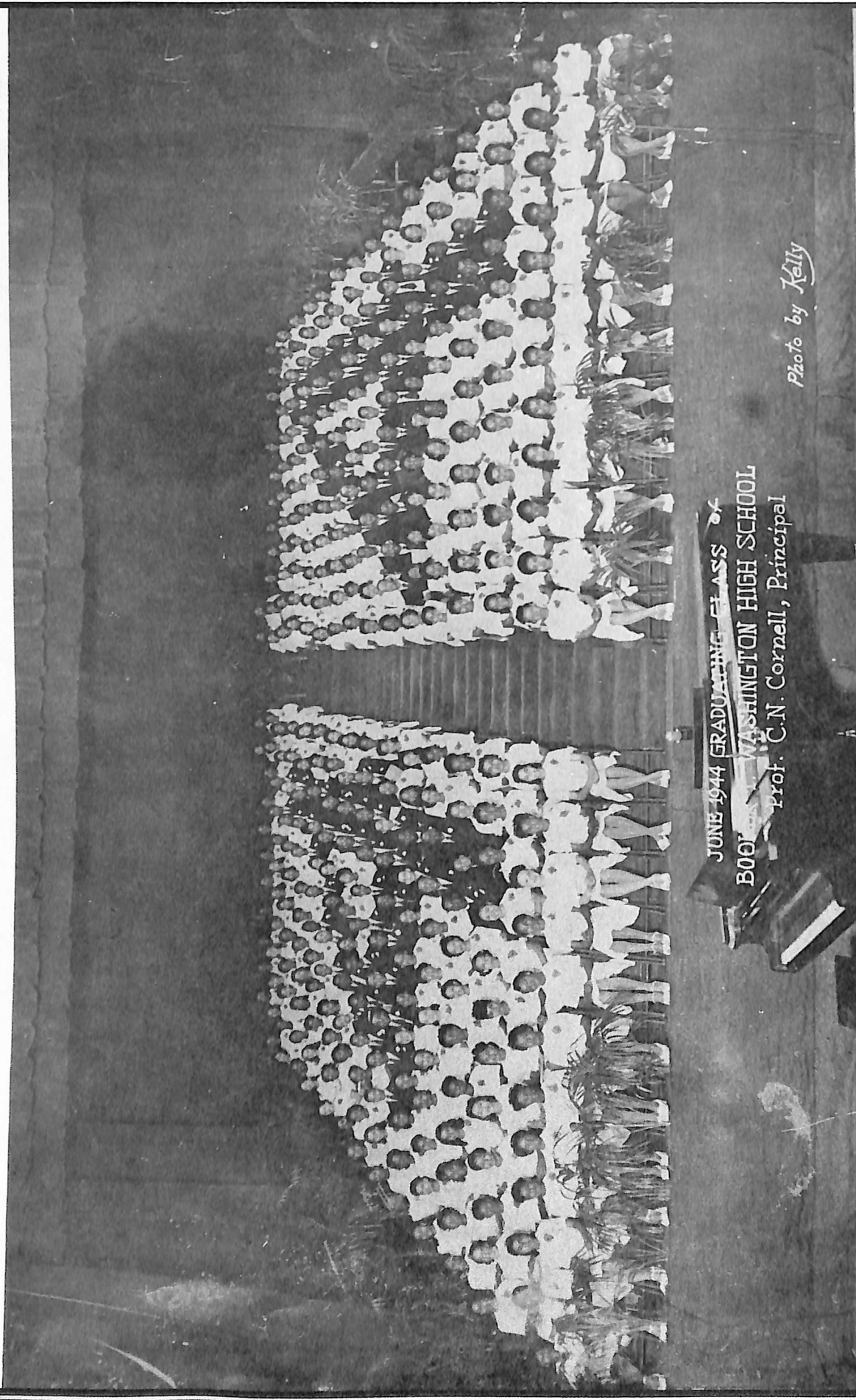
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JUNE 1944 GRADUATING CLASS OF
BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
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Do You Remember?



THE WAY WE WERE

"The Bon-Ton Tree"

*down
memory
lane...*



Senior Class Officers

Seated (left to right): Rebecca Jackson, Marion Smith, Nathaniel Clements, Ruth Bullock, Ernestine Yates. Standing (left to right): Talmadge Murray, Augustus Hogan, Cleo Powell, John Traylor.



Student Government

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As we celebrate our *Fiftieth Reunion*, we pause to pay tribute to the wonderful teachers who worked so diligently, giving freely of their time and talents to assure our future success. They were our friends and advisors and we appreciate their dedication and the service they rendered.

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Our teachers, oh well we remember;
Our hearts have long kept them a place;
Perhaps by the world they're forgotten,
Their memory no time can efface.
They met us with smiles on the threshold,
And in that rude temple of art,
They left with the skill of a workman,
Their touch on the mind and the heart.
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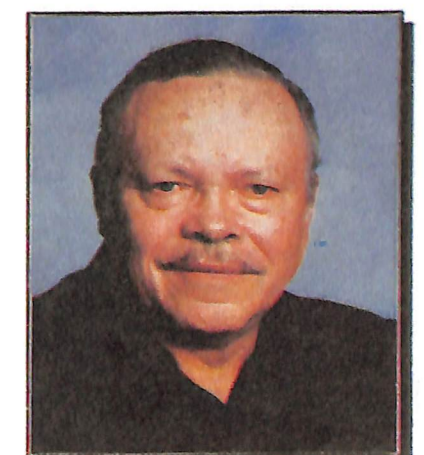
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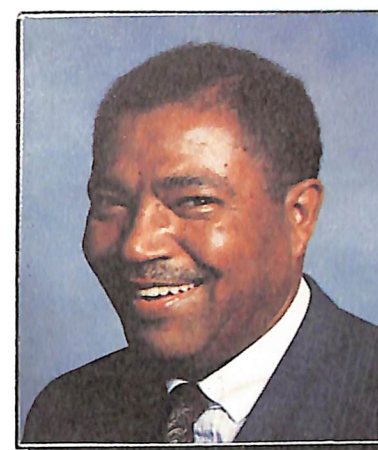
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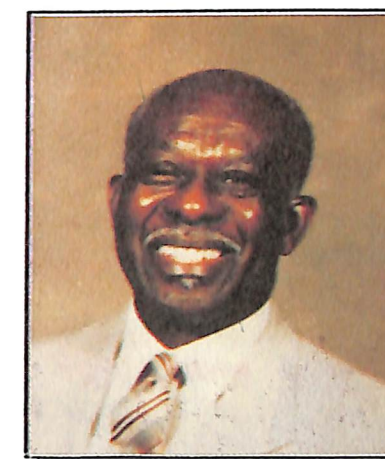
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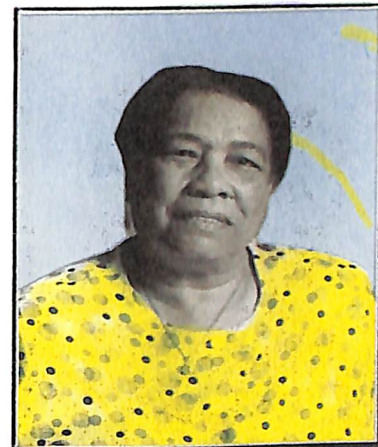
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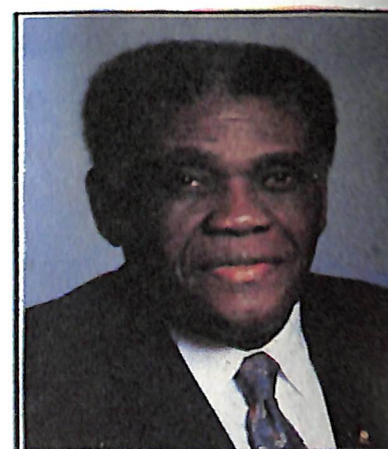
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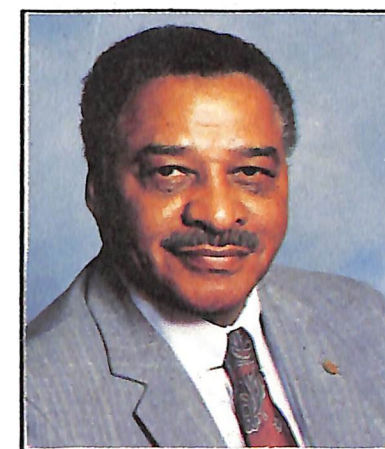
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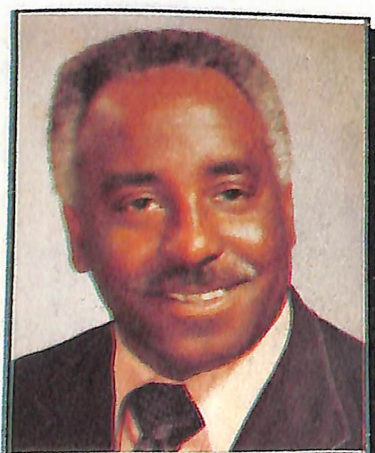
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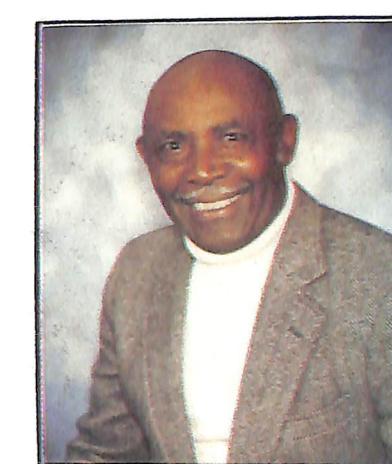
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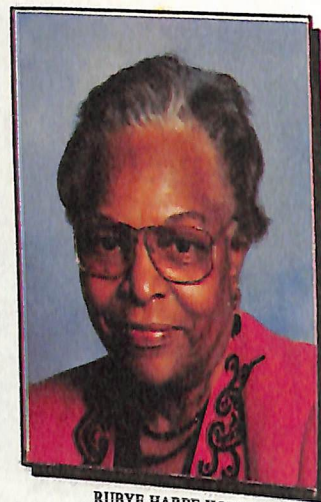
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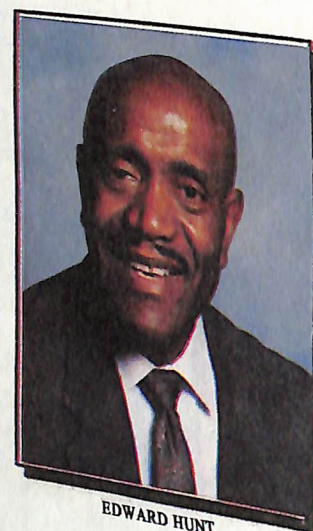
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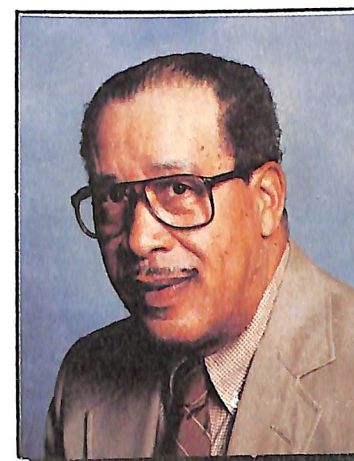
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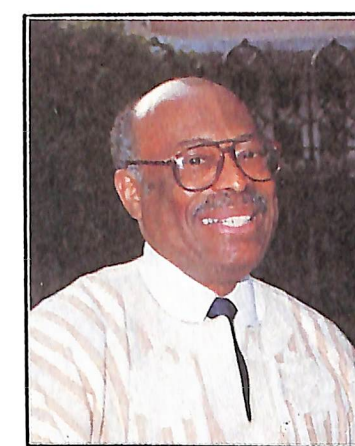
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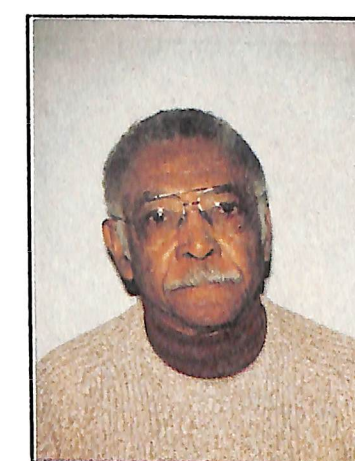
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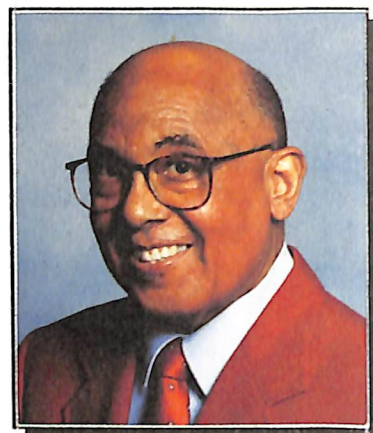
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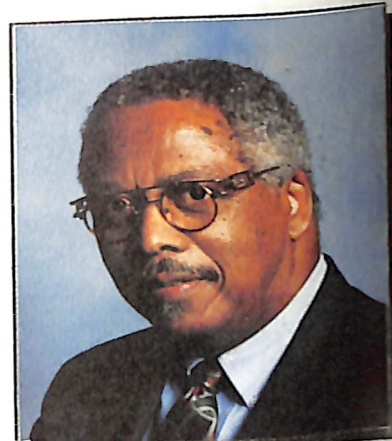
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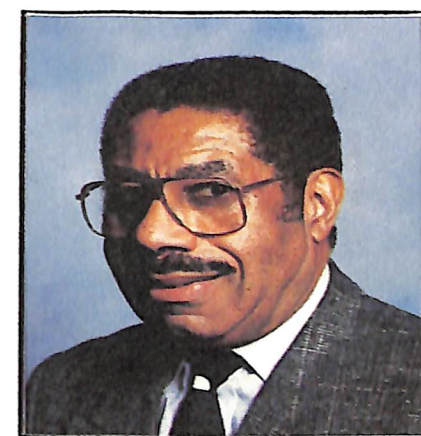
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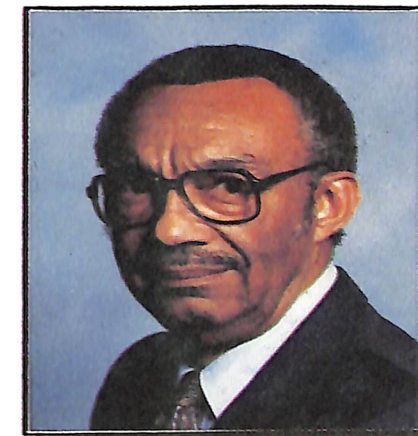
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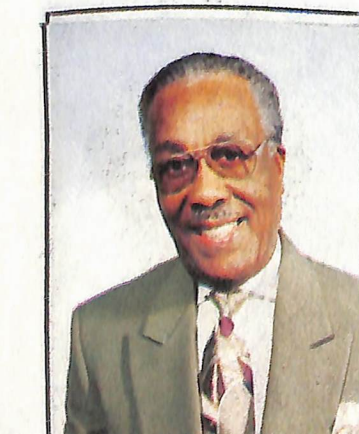
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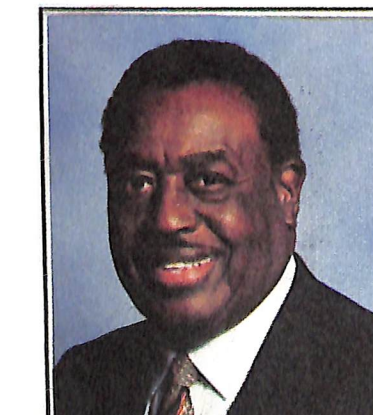
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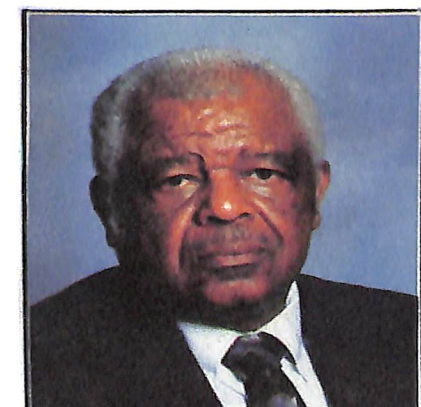
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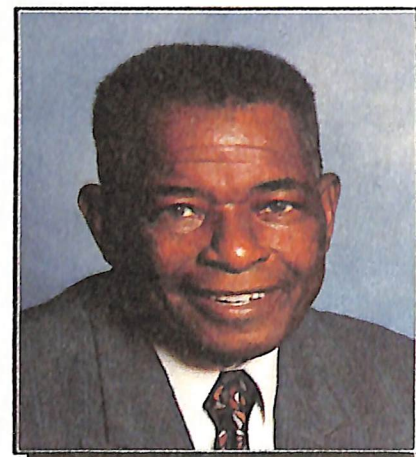
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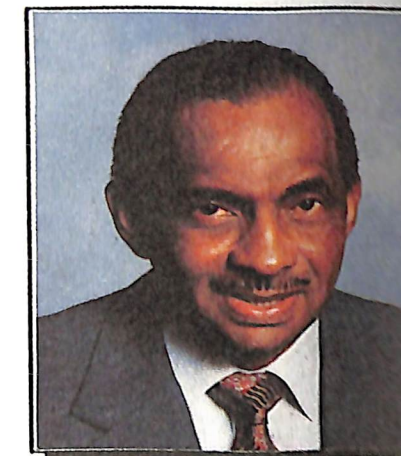
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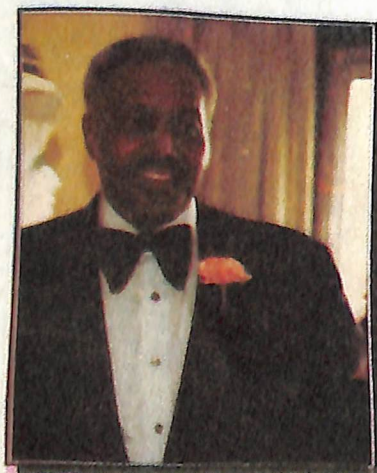
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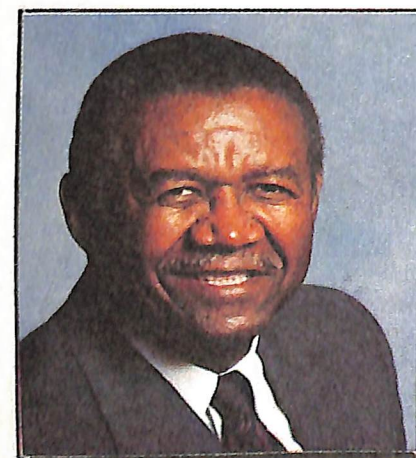
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OUR FAITH

WE'VE DREAMED many dreams that never came true,
We've seen them vanish at dawn,
But we've realized enough of our dreams, thank
God, TO MAKE US WANT TO DREAM ON.

WE'VE PRAYED many prayers when no answer came
Though we waited patiently and long,
But answers have come to enough of our prayers
TO MAKE US KEEP PRAYING ON.

WE'VE TRUSTED many a friend that failed,
And left us to weep alone,
But we've found enough of our friends true blue
TO MAKE US KEEP TRUSTING ON.

WE'VE SOWN many seeds that fell by the way
For the birds to feed upon,
But we've held enough golden sheaves in our hands
TO KEEP US SOWING ON.

WE'VE DRAINED the cup of disappointment and pain
And gone many days without song,
But we've sipped enough nectar from the roses of life
TO MAKE US WANT TO STRIVE ON!

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CONGRATULATIONS

To
MOM
And
OUR GRANDMOTHER

EDITH HAM BARHAM



Son
Michael Barham

Grandchildren
LaToya and Terrica



CONGRATULATIONS
and
BEST WISHES

TO ALL MY CLASSMATES

"The Booker T. Washington High School
Class of 1944"

ON THIS THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY
OF OUR GRADUATION



ANNE WRIGHT BRONNER

Married to Arthur E. Bronner
Retired Educator - Having served as a
classroom teacher, a coordinator and
finally an Educational Director in the
Atlanta Public School System

GREETINGS CLASSMATES



MAY GOD'S BLESSINGS BE UPON ALL OF US

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"Strong Lives Are Motivated By Dynamic Purposes"

CONGRATULATIONS

TO



JULIUS E. COOPER

AS HE CELEBRATES HIS 50th HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GUIDANCE, SUPPORT, HARD WORK,
and LOVE.

We Salute You Our Husband, Father, Grandfather, and Brother

Mrs. Elaine E. Cooper
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Ms. Gena Cooper Couben
Miss Erica S. Couben
Mr. and Mrs. Willie E. Johnson

Best Wishes to My Classmates from Oscar G. Davenport



"We must always have old memories and young hopes."

— Arsene Houssaye



The Davenports: Top Row – Son Keith, son Montell, Douglas, Gail (Mrs. Montell).

Middle Row – Jason, Keilyn, Adam.

Bottom Row – Linda (Mrs. Keith), Joshua, Vilma and Oscar.

Following graduation from Booker T. Washington High School in 1944, I attended Tuskegee Institute. I was drafted into the U.S. Army and after discharge, I moved to Chicago. I worked for the Chicago Post Office while continuing my education. I received my Bachelor of Education and M.E., Educational Therapist, and enjoyed a challenging career in special education. I retired in June 1992 from the Chicago Board of Education after 30 years of service. My wife Vilma and I reside in Chicago's southern suburbs where we are near to our sons and their families. I am enjoying my family and my job as "Pappa Oscar" to my now six grandchildren.

"CLASS REUNION 50"

To the Class of 1944

and

To Someone Special

Our Mom, Grandmom and Sister



DORIS GRIFFIN DAVIS

Congratulations and Best Wishes for 50 Years of
Outstanding Leadership and Dedication to Our
Community and Our Country!

Eugene, Ivan, Vivian, Walter, Jr.,
Wanda and Cameron and Grandchild

Barbara, Robena, Ella Mae, Charles, and Richard
Sisters and Brothers

**** 100 ****
CONGRATULATIONS

TO

THE CLASS OF 1944

For leadership, tenacity, and professionalism displayed in our
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to acknowledge with appreciation 50 years of service to mankind.

GODSPEED !!

BEST WISHES

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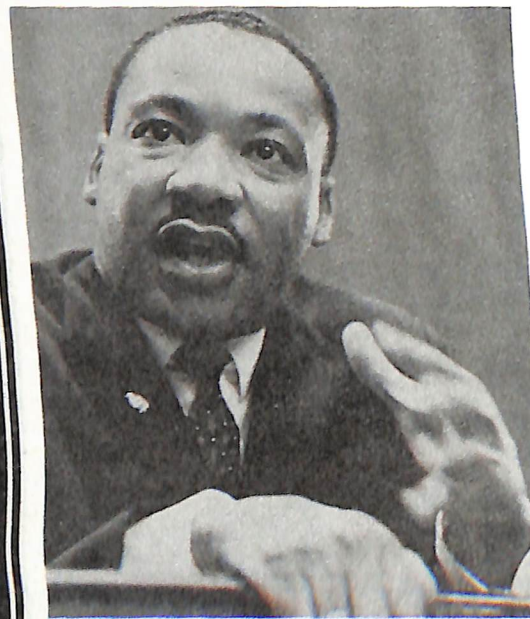
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*BEST WISHES
and
CONTINUED SUCCESS
to
OUR CLASSMATES OF 1944*

FROM THOSE OF US WHO REMAIN

AND ONE WHO REMAINS WITH US IN SPIRIT



CHRISTINE KING FARRIS

and

DELORES M. ROBINSON



"Black America still wears chains. The finest Negro is at the mercy of the meanest white man. Even winners of our highest honors face the class color bar ...

So with their right hand they raise to high places the great who have dark skins, and with their left, they slap us down to keep us in 'our places.' Yes America you have stripped me of my garments, you have robbed me of my precious endowment...

America experiences a new birth of freedom, in her sons and daughters; she incarnates the spirit of her martyred chief. Their loyalty is repledged; their devotion renewed to the work He left unfinished. My heart throbs anew in the hope that inspired by the example of Lincoln, imbued with the spirit of Christ, they will cast down the last barrier to perfect freedom. And I with my brother of blackest hue possessing at last my rightful heritage and holding my head erect, may stand beside the Saxon--a Negro--and yet a man!

M. L. KING, JR. '45

Excerpts from the 1944 Yearbook:

*"THE NEGRO and the CONSTITUTION, " Martin Luther King, Jr. ...
He went on to college with the Class of '44 without finishing high school.*

CONGRATULATIONS

and

BEST WISHES

To the Class of '44



PRAISE GOD FOR THESE 50 YEARS -

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO THE NEXT 50

MARY HAWKINS HATCHETT





WILLIE BELLE HILL

Born Willie Belle Turner in Atlanta, Ga. to loving Christian parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie F. Turner, who have made their transitions.

Attended David T. Howard Elementary School, graduated from Ashby Street School (now E.R. Carter) graduated from Booker T. Washington High School with the famous class of "44", attended Clark College for two years and received a clerical certificate from Georgia State University.

She has over twenty-five years of service with the Veterans Administration Hospital and General Services Administration, where she has received several awards in Telecommunications. Received four Performance Awards, The Superior Accomplishment Award, The Service Award and other distinguished honors. Through her love of people, exceptional sales and talents she has evolved a thriving business, "NAMASKAR", selling vintage clothing, jewelry, antiques, and collectibles.

She was married to L.E. Scott, Sr., and to the late Norman Hill, Sr.. Willie Belle has three successful children who also graduated from Booker T. Washington High: Mr. Leland Scott, Jr., class of "66"; who is now Manager of Housing in Carlisle, PA., he is married to Malana Scott and they have two sons, one daughter and one grandson; Mrs. Latise S. Reynolds, class of "68"; Vice President/Human Resources Manager, Wachovia Bank, and is married to John R. Reynolds and they have two sons; Linda S. Jolly, class of "69", is now Human Resources Manager/Channel 8, and is married to Everett Jolly and they have two sons and one daughter.

Willie loves to travel and has enjoyed cruises to the Bahamas, Jamaica, Aruba, and Hawaii while traveling extensively throughout the United States.

Willie Belle is an active member of Hillside Chapel and Truth Center International, Inc. of which Dr. Barbara L. King is the Founder-Minister. She serves as a member, Chaplain, and Hospitality chairperson of the Hillside choir; also serves as an active participant in the Women of Hillside Auxiliary; and TOP of the Hill Supporter.

Member/volunteer of the Butler Street YMCA assisting with new member recruitment.

Ruby Harpe Howard

EDUCATOR

LEADER

HONOREE



Middle Grades Teacher
Atlanta Public Schools
Thirty Plus Years of Service

Affiliations

United Teaching Profession: AAE, GAE, NEA.
Atlanta Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta
Sorority, Inc.
Atlanta Metropolitan Chapter
Top Ladies of Distinction
Gate City Day Nursery Auxiliary
Gracious Ladies of Georgia
West Hunter Street Baptist Church

Leadership

Vice President, Atlanta Association
of Educators 1987- 1991
Member, Legislative Contact Team
Georgia Association of Educators
Chairman, American Education Week
Banquet, AAE 1986 1987 & 1993
President, Atlanta Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
Secretary, Top Ladies of Distinction
1985- 1989

Honors Awards

Tribute to Black Women Community Leaders 1993 Local Winner
Sponsored by The Quaker Oats Company & The National Council of Negro Women

Salute to The Delta Great Teachers. Represented the State of Georgia
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Miami, FL 1990

Named to The Gracious Ladies of Georgia, Columbus, GA 1992

Outstanding Service Award, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 1985

Award of Appreciation, Gate City Day Nursery Auxiliary 1987



CONGRATULATIONS
AND
BEST WISHES

to

FREDA SMITH HUTCHINSON

and to the

BTW CLASS OF '44

from family, friends and godchild:

Mr. W. R. Hutchinson
Mrs. Renarta Hutchinson Tompkins
Miss Elizabeth Tompkins
Mrs. Hazel Howard
Mrs. Miriam Goolsby
Mrs. Vernetta Elaine Palmer
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sheppard
Mrs. Virianda Butler
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas
Mr. William Martin
Mrs. Juanita Smith
Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Jones
Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Reese
Mrs. Amy Driscoe
Mr. Dwight Thomas, godchild

SUCCESS, LOVE and BEST WISHES

to the

B. T. W. CLASS of 1944



ESTELLE VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON



I'm proud to be a member of the B. T. W. Class of "44" and to be a part of this *Reunion "50 Celebration"*. I was instrumental in 1973 in assisting Charlie White in organizing this great class, and I've enjoyed every minute.

Since graduation I've worked as a teletype operator and file clerk at the U.S. Treasury Department of Disbursement in Washington, DC. In 1989 I retired after working 32 years as a Medical Assistant. I'm the mother of 3 sons and 2 daughters, 7 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. I'm an active member of Flipper Temple A.M.E. Church. There are four loves in my life: the Lord, my family, my church, and the B. T. W. Class of "44."

Who could ask for anything more.

Congratulations and Best Wishes

To Our Mother and Grandmother

NELLIE BERNICE WILSON, BENJAMIN, JONES

and

THE BOOKER T. WASHINGTON CLASS OF 1944

ON YOUR 50TH CLASS REUNION



There is nothing more special than being a part of a family that listens and comforts and cares. And there is nothing more special or dear to the heart, than the feelings of love that a family shares.

May God's love surround you always Mother and grant you joy, love and peace of heart along your future way. We all know your favorite

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow".

We Love You,

Children:

Dr. & Mrs. James R. Benjamin - James, Bradford, M
Sandra B. Benjamin - Jeanell, Johnathan, J
Jean Y. Benjamin - Bradford
Van T. Benjamin - Andre, Lamont, Terren
Mrs. & Mrs. Bradford C. Benjamin - Kristina, K

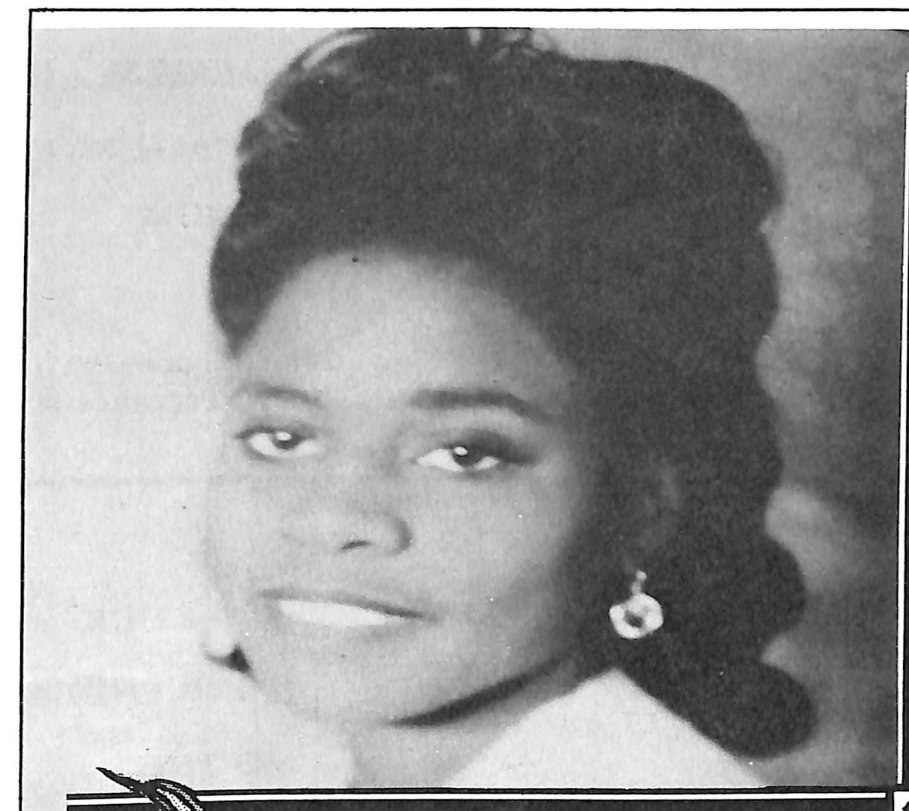
Grandchildren:

CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES

To

The Class of '44

ON OUR 50th ANNIVERSARY



CARRIE BELL GLASS JOHNSON

PERSONAL: Married 50 years to Charles F. Johnson, Sr.; 6 children: Charles, Thomas, Gregory, and Nathan Johnson, Cynthia Sims and Bonita Dorsey; 10 grandchildren: Wayne, Derek and Traci Hardnett, Ashaki, Jennefer, Jessica, Davita and Ashlyn Johnson, Rondalyn Morgan, and Nicholas Dorsey. VOLUNTEER: QLS Garden Club, Adamsville Garden Club, Dorcas, Adventurer's Travel Club and BTWHS Class of '44. CHURCH: Providence Baptist Church. HOBBIES: Gardening, reading, and music listening. Bell's words of wisdom: "Live one day at a time. Do not look back and feel sorry about the past, for it is gone. Do not worry about the future, for it has not yet come. Live in the present and make it beautiful!"

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

EDYTH E. AMBROSE JACKSON

FROM

Atty. Charles D. Ambrose

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

EDYTH E. AMBROSE JACKSON

FROM

The Blackwells
Claudette, Jory, Terrance & Katrina

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

EDYTH E. AMBROSE JACKSON

FROM

Mr. Thomas J. Wall

GOOD LUCK

IN ALL YOUR ENDEAVORS

TO THE

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON
HIGH SCHOOL

'44 ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

H. M. Bulkley

Friend of

LOUIE A. JOHNSON

BEST WISHES

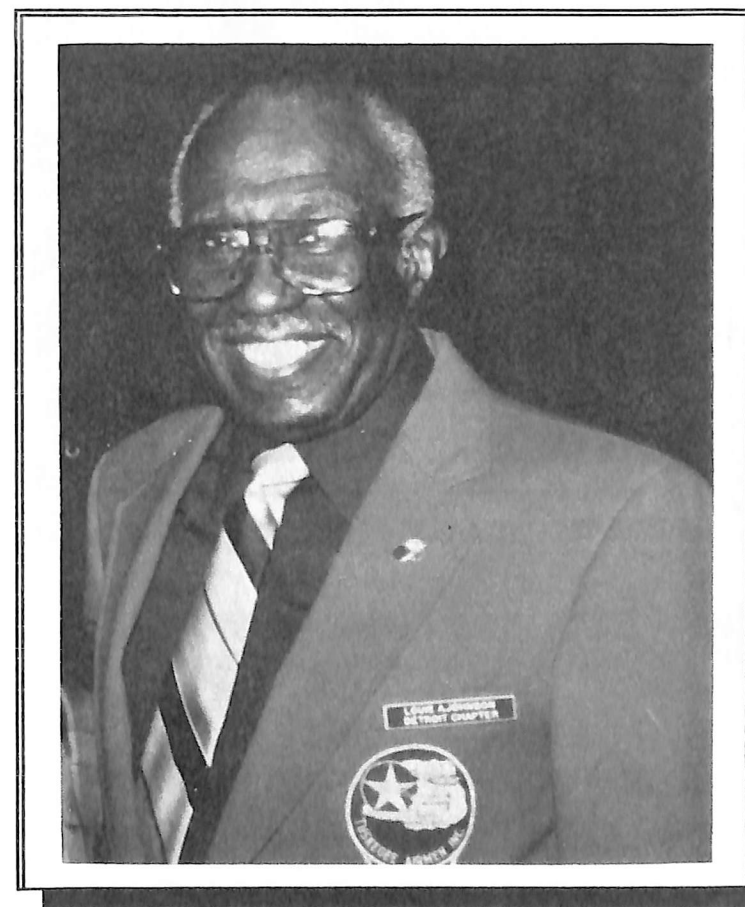
TO MY

BTWHS '44 CLASSMATES

LOUIE A. JOHNSON, JR.



1944



1994

CONGRATULATIONS
TO
THE 1944 CLASS OF B. T. W. ON YOUR
50th ANNIVERSARY

AND
ESPECIALLY TO MY WIFE



 HELEN WILLIAMS LOCKHART

FROM YOUR DEVOTED HUSBAND

A. B. Lockhart

CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES

To
THE MEMBERS OF OUR CLASS OF '44



NATHANIEL LINSEY 

and Wife, MAE

It is a blessing to still be together in spirit after fifty years.

My wife and I look forward to the fellowship and the renewing of
friendships during this Reunion...

"Nat" Linsey
Presiding Bishop
10th Episcopal District
Christian Methodist Episcopal Church
Nigeria, West Africa

CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES

TO

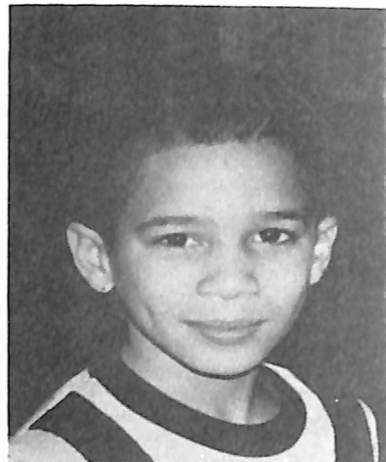


MIGNON LEWIS MCDONALD

"GRANNY"



Frederick, III



Clayton Alexander



Andrew Simmons

Where would we be without you Granny?
You rush to our sides when we cry.
Try to find out the reason why,
Hold us tight until we sigh,
"I'm okay, Granny."

Where would we be without you Granny?
You call us on the telephone,
Keep us from being all alone,
Kiss our every hurt little bone,
And hug a lot.

Love,

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Jenkins, Jr. and Sons

Written by
Celeste McDonald Jenkins

Where would we be without you Granny?
You get up early to fix our food,
Put up with our horrible moods,
Tell us we are "really cool dudes,"
And laugh with us.

We love you so,
And do not know
Where we would go,
Or what we would do
Without you, "Granny"!!!

CONGRATULATIONS

To

THE CLASS OF 1944



ETHEL HURST MALLORY

Affectionately Known
as
"Skipper"



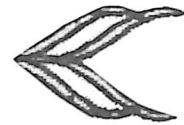
Retired Guidance Counselor. **PERSONAL:** daughter of the late Mr. Edgar Hurst and Mrs. Ellen Bailey Hurst; married to Solomon Wilson Mallory; mother of one son, Dwight Wilson Mallory; grandmother to Kristen Ellen Mallory. **EDUCATION:** Clark College, BA; Atlanta University, MA; advanced studies, Georgia State U. and Emory U. **EMPLOYMENT:** Teacher: Henderson High School, Jackson, GA; English Ave. and C. W. Hill Schools, Atlanta, GA. Lead Teacher: National Teachers Corps, Fowler Elem. Sch. and Pryor Elem. Sch., Atlanta, GA.; Counselor: M. L. King, Jr. Middle Sch., Atlanta, GA.; Adjunct Instructor: U of GA. **ECCLESIASTICAL AFFILIATIONS:** Member, First Corinth Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA: Church Reporter, Sunday School Teacher, Director Baptist Training Union, Chairperson Women's Day Committee, Organizer and Advisor to Junior Courtesy Guild, Director Vacation Bible School, Workshop Director Sunday School Teachers and Church Offices, Leadership Sponsor for "Retreats," Teacher State Congress of Christian Ed. **PRESENTLY:** Member of Retired Teachers Association, Clark Atlanta University Alumni Assn., Kappa Delta Honor Society, Kappa Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.

Something I Would Like To Tell The World:

"I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me." Phillippians 4:13

BEST WISHES and ALL MY LOVE TO

EDDIE R. PONDER



Vikki Silas

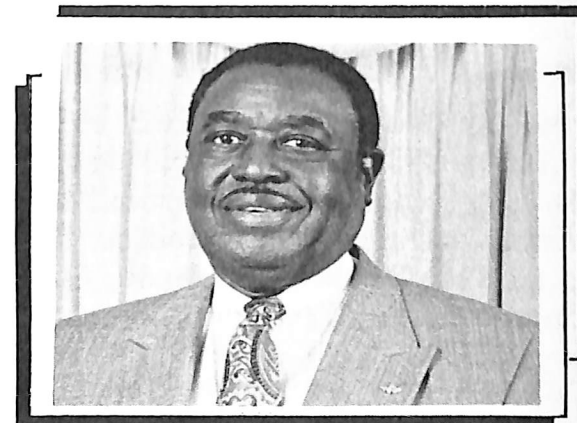
CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES

To DADDY



EDDIE R. PONDER

Class of '44



"WE ARE PROUD TO BE
A PART OF YOU"

Gwendolyn D. Ponder

Daughters
Linda M. Ponder

Judy Ponder Qadem'asil

Yasmin Qadem'asil
Tajadeem Qadem'asil

Grandchildren
Ernest Qadem'asil

Nicole D. Ponder
Nazlah Hudchins

DEDICATED TO

ESTELLE VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON
The "Sine Qua Non" of the BTW Class of 1944

TO MY DEVOTED WIFE

DR. ERNESTINE W. PICKENS

TO MY CHILDREN

LESLIE ROCHELLE PICKENS-M.D.; KELSEY REESE PICKENS-FAA;
His Wife, NORMA E. PICKENS-FAA; PETER TODD PICKENS-Esq.;
and MARCUS McCOY



8 MONTHS



EMPEROR'S PALACE
TOKYO, JAPAN



8 YEARS



WILLIAM GARFIELD PICKENS

Morehouse College-BA, Magna Cum Laude, 1948; Phi Beta Kappa; Atlanta University-
MA, 1950; Trinity College - Hartford, Connecticut and The University of Hartford;
University of Connecticut-Ph.D; UNCF, Distinguished Faculty Scholar; Military service
in Korea; Professor at Morehouse College, 1970 - Present.

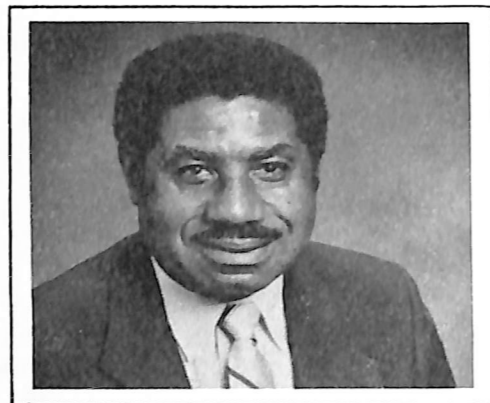
AND TO MY CLASSMATES, SCHOOLMATES, and TEACHERS

CONGRATULATIONS TO MY BIG BROTHER

ISAIAH STEPHENS



AND TO THE B.T.W. CLASS OF '44
ON YOUR 50th REUNION



Mrs. Edith Taylor - Sister

LOVE and CONGRATULATIONS

TO

MY DEAR MOTHER

And To The

B.T.W.H.S. CLASS

OF '44

ON THEIR 50th CLASS

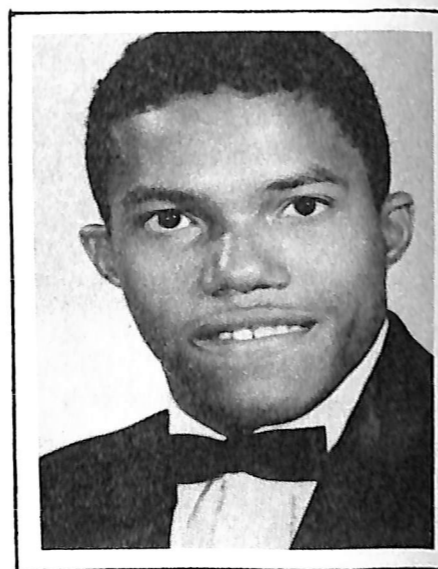
REUNION



ADDIE HARTSFIELD PITTS



From Your Son



JAMES R. PITTS, JR.

CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES
To Our
WIFE, MOTHER, GRANDMOTHER and GREAT GRANDMOTHER

And The Class of '44

on the 50th REUNION



JUANITA SHIELDS PRICE

PERSONAL: Married 48 years to James O. Price, Sr. (retired postal worker); 3 children, 7 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild; son James, Morehouse grad., EDS Computer Anal. Spec.; daughter Toni, Clark grad., Legal Reg. Analyst, MCI; son Sidney, U TX, ElPaso, Service Career. **EDUCATION:** Reid Business College and the Acomscience Nursing School. **CAREER:** 10 yrs., Medical Service; 19.5 years as Sales Manager with Avon - now Retired.

Husband

James O. Price, Sr.

Children

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Price, II

Toni Price Davis

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Sidney Price

Grandchildren

Dawn M. Price

Kevin W. Davis

Jamie K. Price

Sidney W. Price, II

Cheryl Lynn Price

James O. Price, III

Jeremy W. Price

Great Grandchild

Kevin W. Davis, II

CONGRATULATIONS, "Mr. President"



C. CLAYTON POWELL

Student Body President, Class President 11th Grade,
Salutatorian
Glee Club and Quartet

MEDICAL PROFILE

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Dr. C. Clayton Powell

Dr. C. Clayton Powell, Eye Care Specialist, graduated from Morehouse College, Illinois College and University of Michigan with the A.B., B.S., O.D., and M.P.H. degrees. He started practice in 1953 and fifteen years later established the Eye Department of what is now Southside Healthcare, Inc. Dr. Powell became the Director of Southside Comprehensive Health Center in 1972 and served until 1977. In 1969, Dr. Powell founded the National Optometric Association, a national organization of minority eye doctors. He is also certified as a Sports Vision Specialist. Dr. Powell is a member of such professional organizations as the American Optometric Association, the American Public Health Association, and the College of Optometrists in Vision Development and still finds time outside of these to be active in Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, the NAACP and the 100 Black Men of Atlanta.

The Health & Vision Clinic
CONCERNED and QUALITY
EYE VISION CARE

Eye Health and Visual Analysis

From Your Children

Dr. Rometta E. Powell, Dentist
Atlanta, Georgia

Mr. C. Clayton Powell, Jr., IBM Exec.
Dallas, Texas

CONGRATULATIONS

and

BEST WISHES

to

ALL MY CLASSMATES AS WE CELEBRATE

OUR 50th REUNION



LULA CAMERON ROBINSON



PERSONAL: Married George L. Robinson in 1950; one son, George, Jr.
A member of Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church.

EDUCATION: Graduated from Clark College in the Class of 1948.
Advanced studies at Atlanta University. Participated in the National
Science Foundation Institute in 1968.

EMPLOYMENT: Employed in the Atlanta Public School System for thirty-
three years, serving seventeen years as a Mathematics Teacher, and
sixteen years as Registrar. Retired in 1989.

BEST WISHES and LOVE
TO
ALL MY CLASSMATES
ON OUR
50th REUNION ANNIVERSARY
MRS. HELEN BERRY PITTMAN

CONGRATULATIONS and LOVE
TO
MRS. HELEN BERRY PITTMAN
ON HER 50th CLASS REUNION
MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU
Samuel and Sharon Hughes

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MOTHER



MRS. NONYE STRONG SHEPHERD

On Her 50th Anniversary

How thankful we are that God has given us a mother such as you. You have nurtured us in love and enabled us to mature. Because of your love we have come to know of God's love. Through your concern for our spiritual growth we have found the joy that comes in knowing Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior. It is our prayer that God will shower His richest blessings upon you, not out of a spirit of selfish concern on our part, but because you have blessed our lives in so many ways.

Love Always,

Rhonwyn and Ramona

Nephews:
Joseph Jewell
William Taylor
and Family



"Yes, everything is beautiful!"

My Daughter, from Marguerite Yates

JUNE 1944	



My Wife, from Edwin A. Thompson, Sr.

JUNE 1994	

Our Sister, from Anna & William Leggett, Sr.

Our Mother, from Karen Frances and Edwin, Jr. & Eviliss

Our Aunt, from Tonii, Kendra & Micah; Mignon; William, Jr.; Martaire & Gerald

Our Grandmother, from Sergio & Andrés

on your 50th Class Reunion!

GREETINGS TO THE CLASS OF '44

RHODA WYNN PLEASANTS WELLS

and
FAMILY



Rhoda and Husband,
Dr. Aaron Wells



Rhoda and Daughter,
Monique Wells



Rhoda and Son,
William Pleasants
Grad. Virginia Union U.
Richmond, Virginia

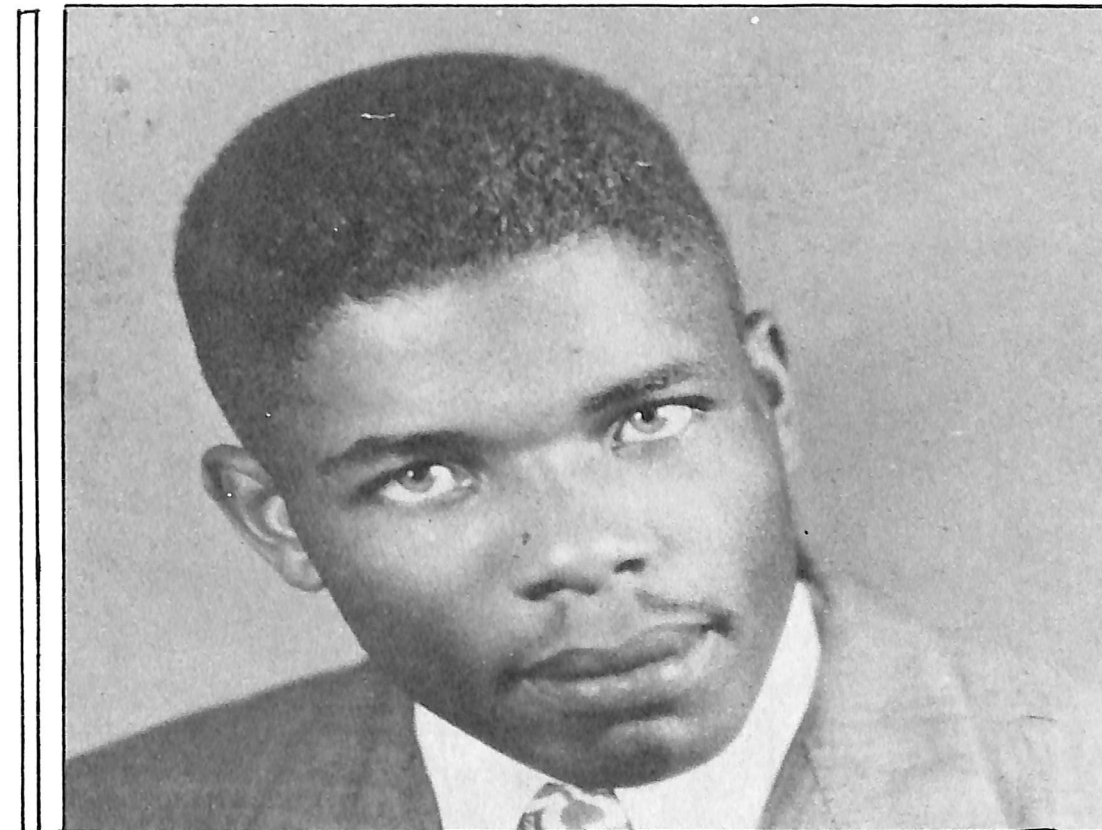


Rhoda and Son,
Stephen Pleasants
Grad. Howard U. School of Law
May 14, 1988

PERSONAL: Married to Dr. Aaron Wells, a prominent Physician in New York City; three children (one deceased); volunteer with civic and charitable organizations; and an active member of the historic Abyssinian Baptist Church of New York City. **EDUCATION:** Graduate of Morris Brown College in Atlanta, Georgia. **CAREER:** A former professional model and continuing involvement in the family real estate business. **AVOCATION:** An avid golfer having won numerous prizes and trophies throughout the United States.

CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE EXCEPTIONAL BTW CLASS OF 1944



CHARLIE WHITE, JR.

PRESIDENT

Booker T. Washington High School Class of '44

Charlie was the "idea man" for the organization of this class 21 years ago, and he has been instrumental in its continued success.

PERSONAL: Married 49 years to the late Mary E. Latimer White; father of six successful children; an outstanding member of the community; and a *true humanitarian*. **EDUCATION:** A graduate of Clark College with a degree in Business, and an outstanding record in football. **CAREER:** a 1986 retiree from the U. S. Postal Service, and as operator of the Highland Avenue Grill, which he has owned since 1972. Charlie White has served as Sergeant of Arms in the NALC Local 73 since 1974.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO A SUCCESSFUL 1994!

CONGRATULATIONS

AND

BEST WISHES

TO



RUTH WHATLEY

ON HER

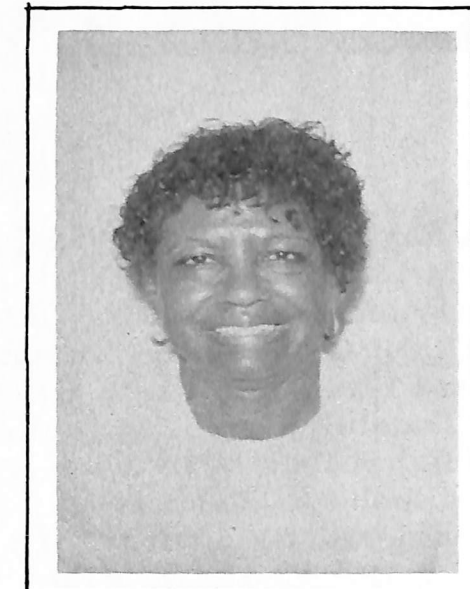
50th HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

Mrs. Gene Milner

CONGRATULATIONS TO MY CLASSMATES



1944



1994

RUTH WHATLEY



FOUR (4) CHILDREN

NINE (9) GRANDCHILDREN

FIVE (5) GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN

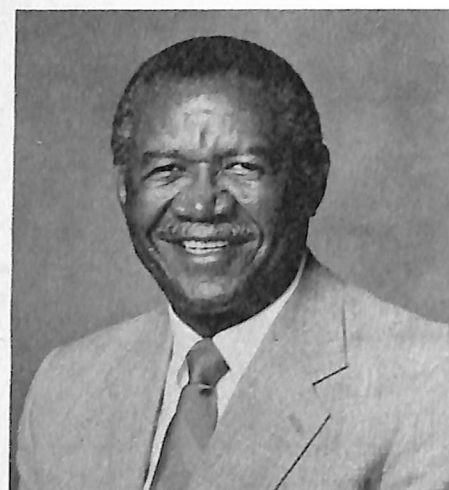
Member of Jackson Memorial Baptist Church

Retired from Internal Revenue Service

Presently a Nurse's Assistant

Attended Morris Brown College and Atlanta Area Technical School

A Faithful Community Servant



CONGRATULATIONS
TO
THE CLASS OF
1944

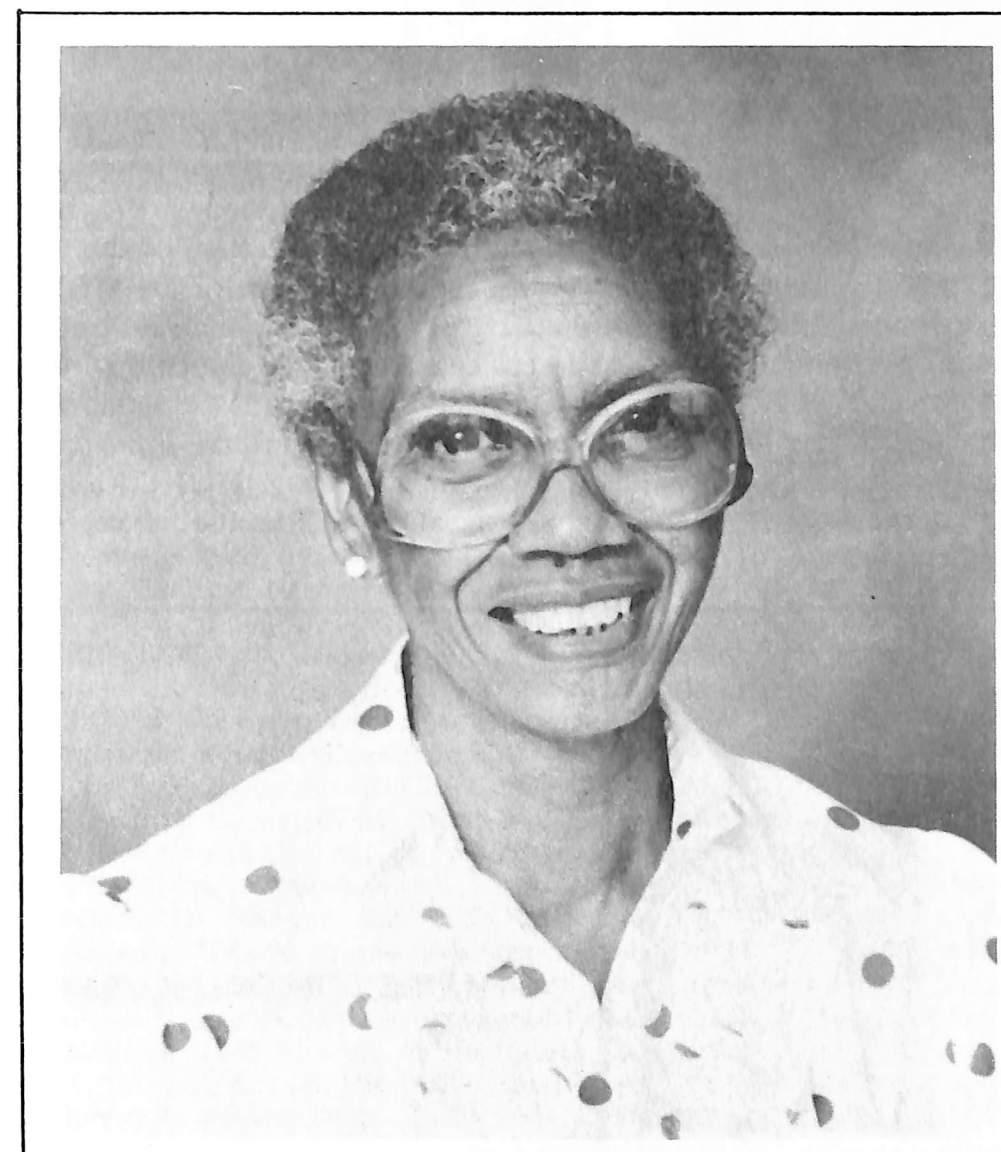
RAYMOND "TWEET" WILLIAMS



Williams, Raymond "Tweet"—Retired Principal. PERSONAL: Born June 16, 1926, Atlanta, GA; Son, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie D. Williams (deceased); Married, Myrtha Y. Williams; Children, Raymond Williams, Jr., Eddie R. Williams (deceased), Desmond V. Williams, Angela R. Davis. EDUCATION: Clark College, Atlanta, GA, AB 1949; New York University, Summers 1952-54; Atlanta University, Atlanta, GA, MA 1974, Administration and Supervision. CAREER: Hubbard Training School, Forsyth, GA, 1949, Chemistry Teacher, Head Football Coach; D. T. Howard High School, Atlanta, GA, 1950-52, Social Studies Teacher, Assistant Coach Football, Assistant Coach Basketball, Head Coach Baseball; H. M. Turner High School, Atlanta, GA, 1952-68, Frederick Douglass High School, Atlanta, GA, 1968-70, Northside High School, Atlanta, GA, 1970-71, Health & Physical Education Teacher, Department Chairman, Athletic Director, Head Coach Football, Head Coach Basketball; C. L. Harper High School, Atlanta, GA, 1971-75, Administrative Assistant, Assistant Principal; Charles L. Gideons Elementary School, Atlanta, GA, 1975-81, Principal; Venetian Hills Elementary School, Atlanta, GA, 1981-88, Principal; Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, GA, 1988-91, Athletic Director; Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, 1985-93, Supervisor of Officials. ORGANIZATIONS: National Association of Elementary School Principals, ASCD, Phi Delta Kappa, AEA, GAE, NEA, Y.M.C.A., Extra Point Club, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, S.I.A.C., M.E.A.C., G.C.O.A., Gulf South Conference, Big South Conference. HONORS/ACHIEVEMENTS: Teacher of the Year, H. M. Turner High School, Atlanta, GA, 1958-59; Atlanta High School Coach of the Year (Football), 1956, 1960; First Head Coach Frontiers of America—East and West All-Star Football Game, 1958; Outstanding Contribution to Atlanta High School Athletic Program, Clark College, 1957; Humanitarian Award, Atlanta Daily World, 1973; Atlanta Tip-Off Club Basketball Official of the Year, 1983; Extra Point Club Atlanta University Center Sports Hall of Fame, 1981; Clark Atlanta University Sports Hall of Fame, 1990; Antioch Baptist Church North Trailblazer Award for Sports, 1990; Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Sports Hall of Fame, 1992; Consultant—Football; Basketball Officials Clinics; Served on Georgia Governor's Council for Physical Fitness, Evaluation and On-site Committee, State Department of Education; Recreation Committee of Georgia Association of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation; Board of Directors, West End Girls Club.

Congratulations to the BTW Class of '44
Reunion '50
and to

Peggie Arnold Wimby



Mommy and Grand Mommy

This is Your "One Moment in Time"

Ricardo L. Gimore - Son-in-law Eugene B. Wimby, Jr. - Son
Emmaria W. Gilmore - Daughter Toni F. Wimby Daughter-in-law
Rikkisha L. Gilmore - Granddaughter
Reyna L. Gilmore - Granddaughter
Eugene B. Wimby III - Grandson

HELEN LASTER JONES

and Husband

MILTON H. JONES, SR.



PERSONAL: Helen, a native Atlantan, is married to Milton H. Jones, Sr.; the mother of an established son and an accomplished daughter; member, St. Paul of the Cross Catholic Church; a horticulturist & culinary enthusiast in avocation. **EDUCATION:** Reid Business and Morris Brown Colleges and Georgia State U.; advanced training for business and communications skills through inservice courses and workshops. **CAREER:** Secretary, Butler Street YMCA - 8 yrs.; 37 years as Secretary with the Atlanta Public Schools; secretary to *Director of Volunteer Transfer Prog., Alternative Education Prog. International Student Exchange Prog., and Adopt-A-Student Prog.* **HONORS:** In 1980, named "Secretary of the Year" by the Georgia Association of Educational Secretaries.



ANNIE "TREENA" BURNEY BELL

PERSONAL: "Treena" is an active member of St. Paul of the Cross Catholic Church, the Jocelyn Social Club, and the Rollets Social and Civic Club. Hobbies include reading and walking. Henry Bell, "Treena's" son is a graduate of Morehouse College.

CAREER: Paraprofessional faculty member at Bethune Elementary School in Atlanta; for many years, a key employee at the Lincoln Country Club (then the only Black Golf Club in the State of Georgia). **EDUCATION:** Certificate in typing and shorthand from Carver Vocational School and continuing education courses to upgrade working skills.

SALUTATIONS and BEST WISHES

TO MY

SPECIAL and UNUSUAL CLASSMATES

BTWHS 1944

ELLA MAE GAINES YATES



Library Consultant. PERSONAL: Born June 14, 1927, Atlanta, GA; daughter of Fred D. Gaines, Sr (dec.) and Laura Moore Gaines (dec.); married: Clayton R. Yates, II (dec.), Joseph L. Sydnor (dec.); child: Jerri Sydnor Lee. **EDUCATION:** Spelman College, Atlanta, BA 1949; Atlanta Univ. MSLS 1951; Rutgers Univ., NJ, Sch. Library Cert. 1956; Univ. of GA: Cert. for Prof. Management 1972, Cert. for Advanced Prof. Management 1974; Morehouse College/HUD, Cert. in Management for Black Adm. in State and Municipal Govt. 1974; Atlanta Law School, JD 1979. **CAREER:** Atlanta Univ. Library, Asst. Ref. Librarian 1947-48; Brooklyn Pub. Library, NY, Asst. Branch Librarian 1951-55; Orange Pub. Library, NJ, Head Children's Dept., 1956-60; East Orange Pub. Library, NJ, Branch Librarian, 1960-70; Orange Mem. Hospital, NJ, Librarian pt, 1964-66; Montclair Pub. Library, Asst. Director, 1970-72; Atlanta Univ. Visiting Prof. - Grad. Lib. Sch. 1972-73; Atlanta-Fulton Pub. Library: Asst. Dir. 1972-76, Director 1976-81; Univ. of Washington, Seattle - Prof. Grad Lib. Sch. 1982-84; US Comm. on Civil Rights, Seattle - Research/Writer 1982; Seattle Oppor. Indust. Ctr., Librarian 1982-84; The Friendship Force, Atlanta 1984-86; The Virginia State Library and Archives, Richmond, VA, State Librarian and Archivist 1986-90. **CONSULTING:** NJ State Library 1956-72; Rutgers Univ. NJ 1970-72; Atlanta-Fulton Pub. Lib. - Building. Consultant 1976-80; M. L. King, Jr. Archives 1977-81; United Way - Budget/Planning Adv. Bd., 1979-80; Library Journal, & US Office of Ed., Bur. of Libraries 1973-84; Library of Congress "Center For The Book" 1979-87; Price Waterhouse 1991; Clark-Atlanta U. 1993. **ORGANIZATIONS:** American Lib. Assn. 1951- ; NJ Lib. Assn. 1951-72; GA Lib. Assn. 1972-81; WA Lib. Assn. 1981-85; VA Lib. Assn. 1986-90; Spelman Nat. Alum. Bd. 1984- ; GA Pub. Broadcast Bd. 1977-81; Atlanta Univ. Alum. Bd. 1977-81; Chair. Friends of the Fulton County Jail 1972-81; YMCA of Greater Atlanta Trustee Bd. 1980-81; Intellectual Freedom Comm. 1981-84; WA State Coalition Against Censorship 1983-84; Univ. of WA Visiting Comm. 1982-84; Seattle Urban League Guild 1982-84; Tuskegee Airmen, Inc. 1982- ; Black Museum Bd., Richmond, VA 1986-90; Clark-Atlanta Univ. Lib. Visiting Comm. Chair. 1991- ; NAACP; Delta Sigma Theta. **PUBLICATIONS:** *An Annotated Cumulative Index to the Journal of Negro History for the First 25 Years, 1951; A Critical Evaluation of the Montclair Grass Roots Summer Program, 1971; an essay in What Black Librarians Are Saying, 1972; an essay in The Role of the Humanities in the Pub. Lib., 1979; Sexism in the Library Profession, Library Journal, 1979; Articles in the ALA Yearbook: The Freedom to Read Foundation, 1986; Social Responsibilities 1990, 1991.* **HONORS/AWARDS:** for Service to the Blind, NY, 1952, 53, 54; Prof. Woman of the Year, NJ 1964; Citizen of the Year, NJ 1972; Outstanding Alum. - Atlanta U. 1977; Outstanding Alum. - Spelman Coll. 1977; Library Study Tour in Germany 1980; *Phoenix Award, City of Atlanta, 1990; Storer Broadcasting Co., 1981; Ella Gaines Yates Day in Atlanta, 1981; Seattle Chapt. Tuskegee Airmen, 1982; Black Caucus ALA, 1989; Richmond, VA Chapt. Coalition of 100 Black Women, 1989; Bennett College, 1991; Clark-Atlanta Univ., 1991; Atlanta Chapt. Tuskegee Airmen, 1993.*

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and
BEST WISHES
TO
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ON OUR
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AND
For Looking Better Now Than You Did Then,
I Know I do!!!!



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by the position that one has reached
in life as by the obstacles which he
has overcome while trying to succeed"

Booker T. Washington

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to
THE BOOKER T. WASHINGTON
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on your
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So on behalf of:

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Mrs. Sarah Pettigrew
Thomas Pettigrew, Jr.
Girard Pettigrew
and
Perry Pettigrew

THANK YOU VERY MUCH
AND MAY GOD BLESS YOU

THE PETTIGREW FAMILY

WISHES FOR THE CLASS OF '44

AND THEIR FAMILIES:

Continued Good Health

and Blessings

For Those No Longer With Us,

Our Lives are Richer

Because They Were A Part Of Us.

DENNIS and AMANDA BECTON



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and

CONGRATULATIONS

SIDNEY and INEZ HILL CRUMLEY



Detroit, Michigan

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and THE CLASS of 1944

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and
Love

We Salute and Congratulate You

GOD BLESS EACH OF YOU

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GREETINGS TO ALL GRADUATES OF BTWHS 1944

DOROTHY C. NASH SHACK



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I extend my thanks to the Committee for the work they
have put into organizing the Reunion.

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←
TOMMIE BUTLER LEWIS

Class of '44



SHE IS THE WIND
BENEATH OUR WINGS...

Congratulations and Much Love From Your Family,
Edgar, Sandra, Walter and Mark.





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TO
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and the
BTWHS CLASS OF '44

Please come and fellowship with Sunday School Class #14

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Atlanta, Georgia 30314

Fred Prewitt, Instructor

CONGRATULATIONS
TO



MRS. ELOISE TUKES

From Her Pastor and his Wife

Rev. and Mrs. James Sims

Please come and fellowship with us
on Sunday Morning

at
Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church
1150 Westview Drive, SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30314

BEST WISHES

To Our Friend



MR. RAYMOND WILLIAMS

As He Celebrates His

50th High School Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gray

and

Daughter

Alexcia

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and
MUCH SUCCESS

Triest

to the

1944 CLASS OF B. T. W. ON YOUR

50th ANNIVERSARY

and to

OUR LOVING MOTHER



MRS. HELEN WILLIAMS LOCKHART

Benita

Alexander, Jr.

CONGRATULATIONS
to

MY HUSBAND

RAYMOND WILLIAMS



On His 50th High School Reunion

Your Wife

Myrtha Y. Williams

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

THE CLASS OF 1944

ON OUR "BIG FIVE - O"

REUNION

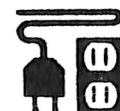
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FOR THE WARM
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That I Received

Upon My Return
To
Atlanta

ERNESTINE LOWE PAYNE

CONGRATULATIONS

CHARLIE L. STOKES

B.A. Degree - Clark College
M.A. Degree - Atlanta University

For 31 years taught school in Coweta
County and the Atlanta Public School
System; also served as Principal in
Coweta County

37 years - Circulation Department
Atlanta Newspapers

17 years - Owner Decatur & Bell
Liquor Store

Married to Sally Emily Stokes
One Son - Karl L. Stokes

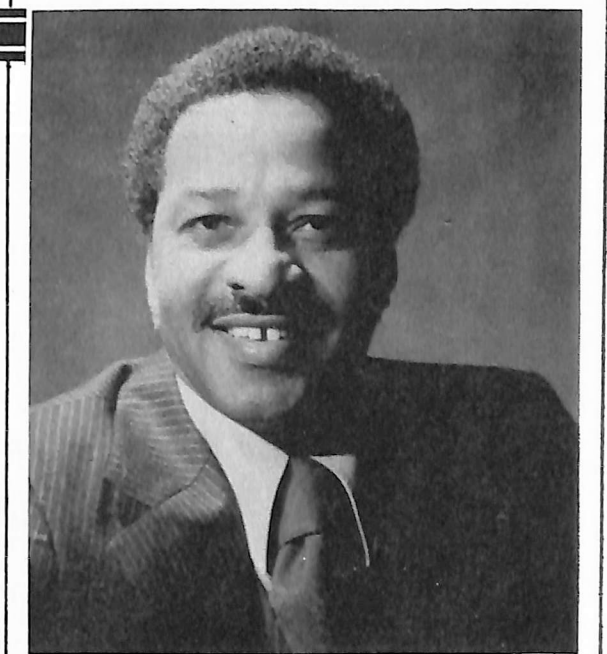
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and
LOVE

TO

MY FORMER CLASSMATES

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Now retired after working for the Urban League in
Senior Community Services Program.

Two children: Phyllis and Jacqueline
Three grandchildren: Musette, Michael and Tina
Three great-grandchildren: James, Eric and Shedeara



RUBY STINSON



BEST WISHES
FOR A SUCCESSFUL
50th CLASS REUNION

TO MY MOTHER



MIGNON LEWIS MCDONALD

"LOVE, HAPPINESS
and
THANKFULNESS"

Capt. Harvey B. McDonald

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AND

BEST WISHES

TO MY "GRANNY"

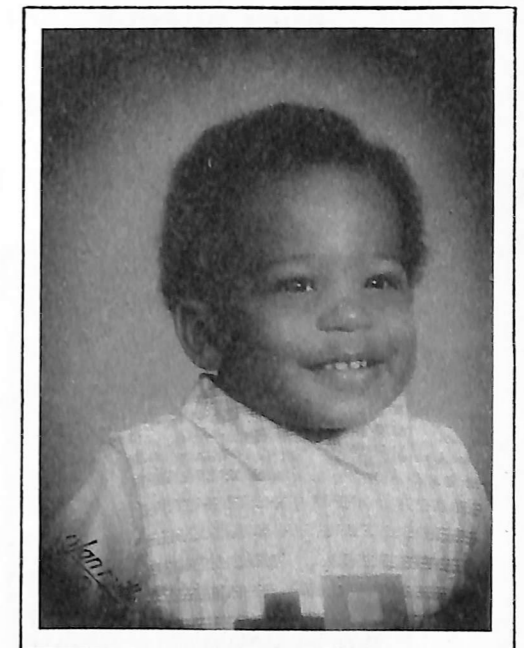


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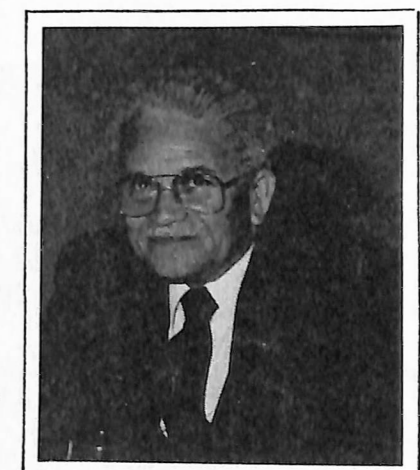
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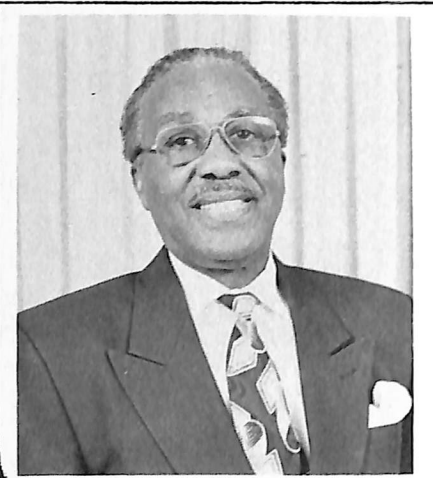
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TO MY LOVELY WIFE
JOHNNIE ELLINGTON CLARK

This is all I ask of life:
Being sure you care; reaching
out to touch your hand and knowing
you'll be there; making many special
plans
and watching them come true;
knowing that you're on my side
and I can count on you.
This is all I ask of life:
To see you happy, dear, not only now,
but
always, each day throughout the year!

With Love, your husband

Hubert Clark

BEST WISHES
TO
OUR FRIEND

VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON

on your

CLASS 50th REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Hodge
and
Family

GREETINGS !!!

FROM

JOSEPH LIVINGSTON

CLASS OF '44

GREETINGS TO THE CLASS OF '44



JOHNNIE ELLINGTON CLARK

PERSONAL: Daughter of the late Mr. Cecil and Mrs. Ada Ellington; born and reared in Atlanta, Ga; married to Mr. Hubert Clark; daughter, Terri Bronner; son-in-law, Charles Bronner; 3 grandchildren: Tondelya, Antoine, and Charri; a faithful member of Mt. Cavalry Baptist Church. **EDUCATION:** Rockdale Elem., BTWHS, Clark College and Atlanta Univ. **CAREER:** 36 years as a teacher-Atlanta Public School System. **HONORS:** *Teacher of the Year:* I.P. Reynolds-1975-1976, C.M. Pitts-1986-1987. Retired.

MARGUERITE R. OSBORNE

- o Was nicknamed "Geechie" by Eloise Frazier while a student at David T. Howard Elementary School
- o Served as Secretary for the 1974 Class Reunion
- o Employed in secretarial and managerial positions including self-employment in Atlanta, Georgia: 1945 - 1992
- o Retired from Georgia Tech Research Institute, Atlanta, Georgia: 1992



"Atlanta Born - Atlanta Bred"

BEST WISHES TO OUR FRIEND

VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON

and

THE BTW CLASS OF '44

As you celebrate Your

50th Class Reunion

"WHAT A BLESSING"

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCogle

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON

OUR SISTER IN CHRIST
and
FRIEND

As You Celebrate Your

50th

Class Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Art Terry
and
Family

BEST WISHES to the B T W CLASS OF "44"

OUR

GRANDMOTHER AND GREAT-GRANDMOTHER

E. VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON

Robert "Bobby" Bray
Michelle B. Kennebrew
Michael Bray
Traci S. Wyche
Lynn Slaughter
Santevious Jackson
Marcus K. McDonald

Ashley Megan Kennebrew
Alex Kennebrew
Amber Nicole Wyche

TO

MY CLASSMATES

THE CLASS OF 1944

" BEST WISHES, GOOD HEALTH

and

HAPPINESS "



ROBERT DOBBS

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

OUR MOTHER WITH LOVE

MRS. MILDRED PALMORE EDGE

Your Children

Winette Jones
Deborah Carr
Jesse Edge, Jr.
Gayla Warrior

WARMEST WISHES
TO
MY CLASSMATES OF 1944
ON OUR 50th REUNION



JON ELL BUTLER HARRIS

THE BEST OF WISHES
TO
MY CLASSMATES OF '44

AS WE

CELEBRATE

OUR
50th REUNION

CLARENCE T. "PETE" LEWIS

CONGRATULATIONS
To
HELEN LASTER JONES

and the
BTWHS
CLASS OF 1944

ON YOUR 50th REUNION!

Susan Gibson Carter
Rich's Greenbriar

BEST WISHES and LOVE
TO MY MOTHER

MRS. HELEN BERRY PITTMAN

On This Her Special Event

50th Class Reunion

Tanya Y. Pittman

LOVE and BEST WISHES
TO

A WONDERFUL MOTHER

MRS. HELEN BERRY PITTMAN

On Her 50th Class Reunion
Anniversary

MAY GOD FOREVER KEEP YOU
IN HIS CARE

Angelyn and Derrick Carr



Class Member

BARBARA HUGHES JACKSON, LPN

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TO

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ON YOUR

50th HIGH SCHOOL

REUNION

Ms. Helen Lanier

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

ANNIE "TREENA" BURNEY BELL

On Your

" 50th "

HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

LeRoy Henderson

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To

CHARLIE WHITE

and

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For Your

"50" Reunion in 1994

May God Richly Bless You

CHARLYE MAE PORTER BLISS



LOVE
and
BEST
WISHES

TO
MY CLASSMATES

THELMA COFIELD LOWE
New York City

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

THE BTWHS CLASS OF '44

ON OUR

50th HIGH SCHOOL

REUNION

JACQUELINE THOMPSON BLACKMON

CONGRATULATIONS

TO

MY LOVELY WIFE

GERALDINE JONES SMITH

and

THE BTW CLASS OF '44

Clyde Smith

WE CONGRATULATE YOU



VERNON BLACK GRIZZLE

Class of '44
ON YOUR FIFTIETH REUNION CELEBRATION

Friendship is a priceless gift
That cannot be bought or sold,
But its value is far greater
Than a mountain made of gold.
So when you ask God for a gift
Be thankful if he sends
Not diamonds, pearls or riches,
But the love of real true friends.

Friends and Love Ones:

Ginger - Al - Geneva
Lit - Ramsey - BaBee
Doris - Merian - Geraldine
Rush - Lilly - Edna - Willie

CONGRATULATIONS and MANY THANKS "BIG MAMA"

VERNON BLACK GRIZZLE



For Allowing Us To Share In Your Fiftieth Reunion Celebration With The
CLASS OF '44 - BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

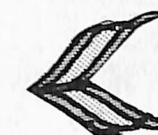
Deno and Ashley
Shannon and Quay
Kianna and Meka
Miya and Keeke
Jerome and Jerald
Brandon and Marcus

WE LOVE YOU
AND TRUST
THE BEST IS
YET TO COME!



BEST WISHES to the B.T.W. CLASS of '44
and
OUR DEAR MOTHER

E. VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON



ON YOUR 50th CLASS REUNION

Your Dedication and Commitment Is An Inspiration To Us.

Mr. and Mrs. James (Mary) Slaughter

Mrs. Winnie J. Bray

Mr. Bernard Slaughter

Mr. George W. Jackson

Ms. Bebea D. Jackson

GREETINGS, CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES

TO MY CLASSMATES

FROM

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1944

ON OUR 50th REUNION

"We've Come A Long Way"



CORA CALLOWAY PHILPOTTS

Chicago, Illinois



FRIENDS
and
FAMILY
WISH TO
CONGRATULATE
THE CLASS OF 1944
AND
MRS. THELMA WILLIAMS MOORE
ON THEIR
50th ANNIVERSARY



PERSONAL: Retired from the Queens General Hospital Nursing Division in Jamaica Queens, New York. Now residing in Atlanta and enjoying modeling for different churches and organizations.

CONGRATULATIONS
and
BEST WISHES
TO
MY 1944 CLASSMATES OF
BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
ON OUR
50th REUNION

" OUR GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY MAKES THE REMEMBRANCE DEAR "

RUTH THOMAS SANDERSON



DEDICATED TO
TESSIE KNOX WOODS



ILLNESS KEPT YOU FROM US, BUT YOUR LOVING and CARING SPIRIT WAS
EVER PRESENT

CARRIE BELL JOHNSON and VALGENE WINFREY JACKSON
TESSIE PASSED 4/20/94

" CONGRATULATIONS "

To

HELEN LASTER JONES

and

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on your

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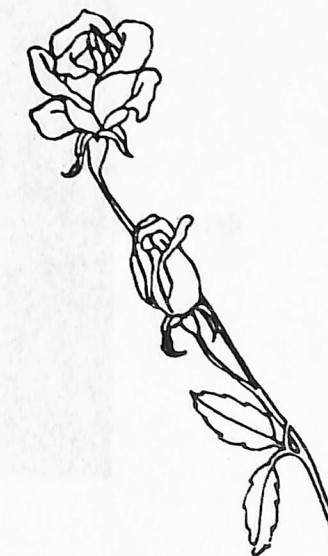
WE EXTEND OUR LOVE,

AND

OUR PRAYERS

FOR YOUR RECOVERY

GOD SPEED!!



THE BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1944

IN MEMORY OF
COLLEEN W. BROADNAX BROWN

Class of '44 Graduate

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William H. and Forrest B. Brown

The Children and Grandchildren of William and Colleen
and
Spouses of Children

Children:

Ronald H. Brown

Phyllis L. Brown-West

Robert C. W. Brown

IN MEMORY OF



MIRIAM CAROLYN WALTON JOHNSON

"We Miss You So Very Much. We Will Always Love and Cherish
Your Memory"

When we think of the song
Amazing Grace
It reminds us of
YOUR LOVING FACE.
God called you away
Because he takes the best to his place,
in heaven,
With lots of love and rest.

Harold W. Lowe
Mignon Lewis McDonald

OUR
FATHER BROTHER UNCLE
and FRIEND

A black and white portrait of a man with dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a dark tie. He is smiling slightly. The portrait is set within a decorative border that features a repeating diamond pattern at the corners.

Minnie Hill Nieces and Nephews

A black and white portrait of a young man with short, dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white collared shirt, and a dark tie. He is looking slightly to his left with a gentle smile. The background is a light, mottled gray. The photo is framed by a thin black border.

**Mrs. Katherine Mosley Sweatt
Friend**

IN REMEMBRANCE
OF
OUR LOVED ONE



CORINNE SHEPHERD HEAD

WHO REMAINS CHERISHED IN OUR MEMORY

William L. Head, Jr. - Husband

Daughters

*Dr. Beverly Head
Ms. Mal Rey Head
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Mr. William L. Head - Son

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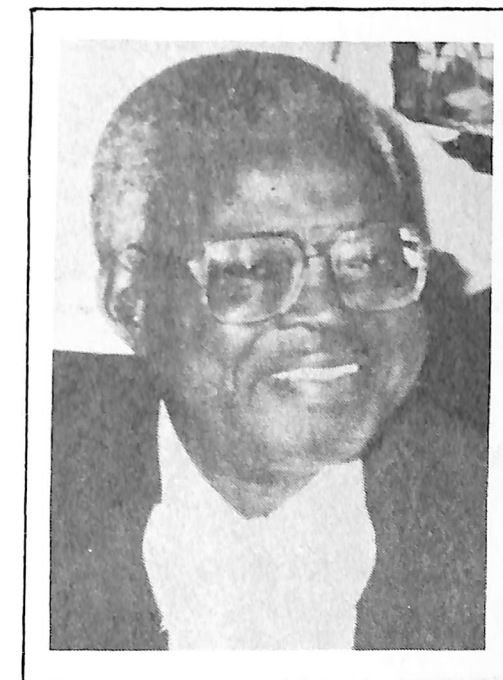
Justin and David Turner



CONGRATULATIONS B. T. W. CLASS OF
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ON THE
CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

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Mr. Michael Albert Stublefield
Mrs. Toki Stublefield-Huff
Little Miss Tonika Cornita Huff

IN LOVING MEMORY OF
MY WIFE

JACQUELINE CRAYTON LOMAX



A 1944 Class Member

MY MEMORIES OF YOU ARE FOREVER

Husband

Eddie Lomax

IN MEMORY

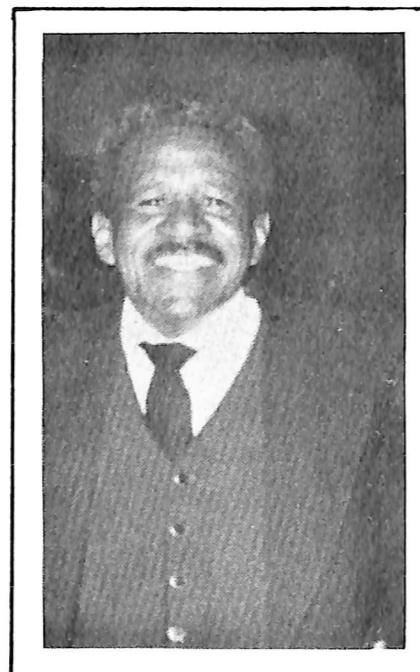
OF

ROBERT H. SWAIN

"... you are the thousand winds that blow,
the diamond glints on snow,
the sunlight on ripened grain,
the gentle autumn's rain ...

... you are the swift uplifting rush
of quiet birds in circled flight;
the soft star that shines at night ..."

The Family



IN MEMORY
OF

MARY E. WHITE

TREASURER *

DEVOTED WIFE
LOVING MOTHER
and
VIRTUOUS WOMAN

From the Family

Charlie White, Jr. - Husband
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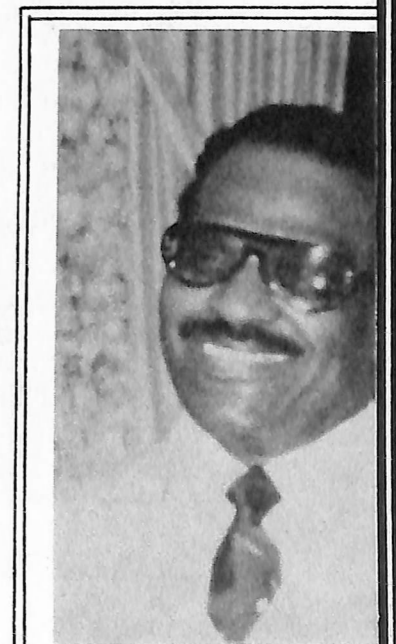
IN LOVING MEMORY

OF OUR FATHER

CARL G. SMITH

HIS CHILDREN

Anthony, Dianne and Phyllis



CONGRATULATIONS

To The
Washington High School Class of 1944
and
IN MEMORY OF OUR LOVED ONE



GERTRUDE ETHEL GREEN CHAMBERS WOODS

Who Departed This Life October 24, 1979

HER LOVING DAUGHTER
Cecelia Annette Hunter

SON IN-LAW...Horace L. Hunter, Jr.

GRANDSON.....Zedric M. Hunter

BROTHERS and SISTER
Hamilton Green
Forrest F. Green
Leslie M. Green
Lucile G. Smith

COUSIN
Charles N. Barlow

IN MEMORY

OF MY SON

STEPHEN HENRY PLEASANTS
1959 - 1990

RHODA WYNN PLEASANTS WELLS



Stephen attended schools in Jamaica and St. Albans, Queens, New York; Graduated from Queens College; & received a JD Degree from Howard University. Following law school, Stephen worked as an Attorney in the Office of the District Attorney in Queens, New York.

HE IS VERY SADLY MISSED BY HIS FAMILY

IN MEMORY

of

MY HUSBAND

CHARLES JAMES JACKSON

Who Departed This Life on

September 15, 1993

YOU ARE DEEPLY MISSED



JUANITA RAWSAW JACKSON

IN
RESPECTFUL MEMORY
OF

BERNICE HILL DEVOE

*I'm blessed because she stopped
to share and helped me to live!*

ELLA MAE GAINES YATES

IN
LOVING MEMORY
OF

MARY E. LATIMER GREASON

MEMBER OF THE CLASS OF '44

Wayne A. Greason
James Greason, Jr.

IN
LOVING MEMORY
OF
MY WIFE

ROBBIE PHILLIPS HARPER

MEMBER OF THE CLASS OF '44

Clifton S. Harper

IN MEMORY
OF
MY TWIN SISTER

RUBY WHATLEY CABEY
*Who Departed This Life in
April, 1961*

*I do not know how long I'll Live Lord,
But Let Me Give Some Comfort To
Someone In Need By A Smile, A Nod
And A Kind Word Or Deed.*

We miss you Ruby
May God Bless

Love

Your Sister, RUTH WHATLEY
Friends and Family

IN SWEET
and
LOVING MEMORY
of

CARLTON E. LLOYD

"When I Must Leave You"



*When I must leave you
for a little while—
Please do not grieve
and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow
to you through the years.
But start out bravely
with a gallant smile;
And for my sake
and in my name
Live on and do
all things the same.
Feed not your loneliness
on empty days,
But fill each waking hour
in useful ways,
Reach out your hand
in comfort and cheer
And I in turn will comfort you
and hold you near;
And never, never
be afraid to die,
For I am waiting
for you in the sky!
— Helen Steiner Rice*

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"When time, which steals our years away,

Shall steal our pleasures too;

The memory of the past will stay

And half our joys renew."

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OF

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"1944 Class Historian"

Ruth earned her Bachelor's Degree from Spelman College, Atlanta; Pub. Relations Degree from Simmons, College, Boston; Master's Degree in Library & Info. Studies from Atlanta Univ.. Worked at the National Headquarters of UNCF in NY; Detroit Pub. Library; and New Triers Township High School Library for the past 30 years.

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OUR BELOVED HUSBAND and DAD



JAMES RUSSELL PITTS, SR.

TRIBUTE

James would have graduated with the BTW Class of 1944, but was called to serve in the US Marines in 1943. He also served during the Korean and Vietnam Conflicts. James decided to make a career with the US Government, and retired from Wright Patterson Air Force Base in 1982. He departed this life, July 19, 1988.

James was a person liked and loved by many of his friends and his Family. He also was very active in many organizations at church and in his community.

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YOU ARE DEEPLY MISSED

WITH THANKFUL HEARTS!

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CLARENCE E. ROBINZINE

For all the simple things of life
We thank Thee God this day;
For tender fragile moments
So soon do pass away

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OUR DEVOTED WIFE and MOTHER



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1925 - 1993

SWEET MEMORIES

Sweet Memories are here to stay of our loved one who has gone away,
But to be with Jesus in a far better place.

Our lives have all been touched and changed and filled with Memories
that will not vanish or fade from the walls of our hearts.

These sweet Memories are here to stay...Only to remind us that God
sent them our way to reach out and touch us in their own special way.

S.D. Bryant, 1987

From Edward L. Jackson and Family

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MARY MORGAN WESTBROOK

" What She Would Have Said "

Before I was born
My coming was anxiously awaited
Earthly things were put by for me-
Clothes - I had to have clothes,
Food, and a place to eat and sleep, and Love.

Before I came there was love
awaiting me,
And then I came
And I was loved.
The world has been good to me,
I had family around me,
I had friends nearby,
I had life in me,
I had children with me.
My world was love
And my life was good.

Before I was born
It was known I would go.
And the time of my going
Was unknown to all just as
The time comes
And I go gracefully.
I had a good life,
Family, friends, students and love.
Do not mourn my going,
But enjoy the riches I leave you
Each other and My Memory.

Love - Mama, Ruth, Melissa and Toni

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of

WIMBERLY DONALD MACK

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*" Men are we, and must grieve when
even the shade
of that which once was great,
is passed away "*

Wordsworth

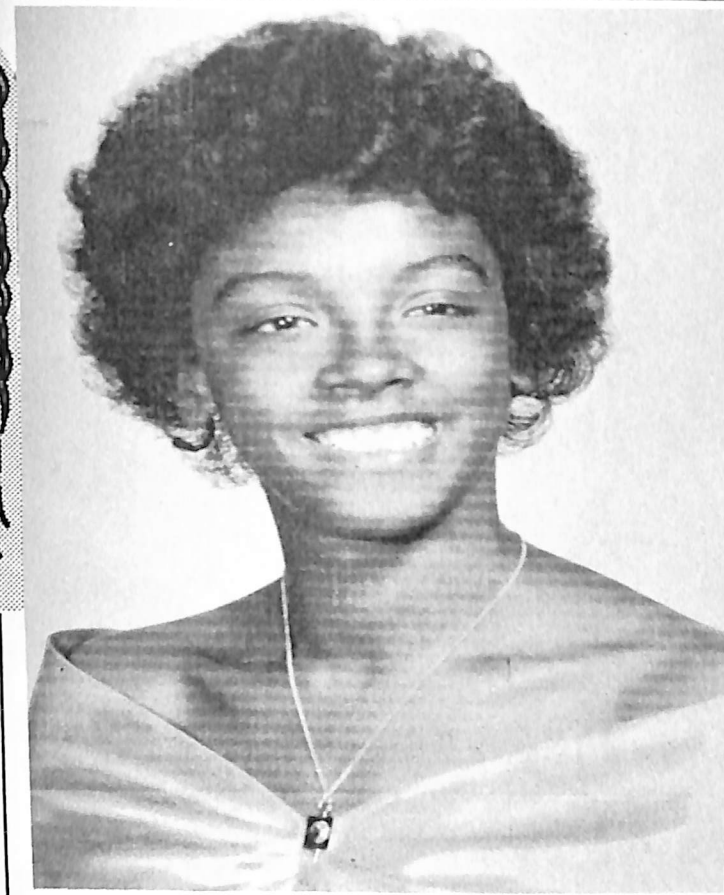
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MY ALL!

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ALL THE WORLD WAITS FOR MY COMING
ALL THE EARTH WATCHES WITH INTEREST
TO SEE WHAT I SHALL BECOME.
CIVILIZATION HANGS IN THE BALANCE.
FOR WHAT I AM,
THE WORLD OF TOMORROW WILL BE.

I AM THE CHILD.
I HAVE COME INTO YOUR WORLD
ABOUT WHICH I KNOW NOTHING.
WHY I CAME I KNOW NOT;
HOW I CAME I KNOW NOT.
I AM CURIOUS;
I AM INTERESTED.

I AM THE CHILD
YOU HOLD IN YOUR HAND MY DESTINY.
YOU DETERMINE, LARGELY,
WHETHER I SHALL SUCCEED OR FAIL.
GIVE ME, I PRAY YOU, THOSE THINGS
THAT MAKE FOR HAPPINESS.
TRAIN ME, I BEG YOU,
THAT I MAY BE A BLESSING TO THE WORLD.

--from Child's Appeal, Mamie Gene Cole



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