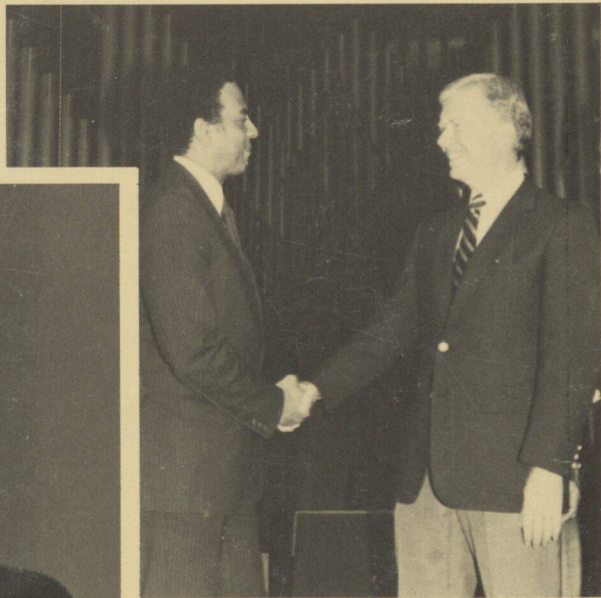


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Former President Jimmy Carter Visits Morehouse

THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE



College Launches Campaign For \$5 Million In Private Sector In Order To Receive \$250,000 Matching Grant From Bush Foundation

The Bush Foundation has announced a Capital-Grants Matching Program designed to help black private colleges complete capital-fund drives for endowment, land, new buildings, and major building refurbishment. In this program the Foundation will provide a matching grant of 5 percent of the total campaign goal. In other words, if a college succeeds in raising \$4,750,000 toward an announced campaign goal of \$5,000,000, the Bush Foundation will contribute the final \$250,000. In this program the Foundation will match five percent of gifts coming from individuals, corporations, or foundations.

Under the regulations of the Bush Foundation a college may not participate in their Alumni-Contributions Matching Program and their Capital-Grants Matching Program at the same time. In this situation Morehouse has decided to enter the Capital-Grants Matching Program because it offers the prospect of greater Bush support. In the Bush Alumni-Contributions Matching Program the College has received a total of \$190,000 during the past three years—\$75,000 in 1979-80, \$75,000 in 1980-81, and \$40,000 in 1981-82. In 1983 or 1984 we are hoping to receive \$250,000 from the Bush Foundation as a result of a successful effort to raise \$5 million from the private sector.

During the 1980's Morehouse will try to raise \$20 million in two separate \$10 million campaigns including \$5 million from the private sector and \$5 million from the public sector. In this effort the main thrust will be to increase endowment funds providing income for student scholarships and faculty salaries. The first of these campaigns has already been launched, and included in this effort was a drive for \$1 million from foundations, corporations, and individuals in downtown Atlanta. On May 15 the Atlanta campaign had not only reached its goal of \$1 million but also had raised \$200,000 above the goal. The leaders of the Atlanta downtown campaign are Roberto Goizueta, Board Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The

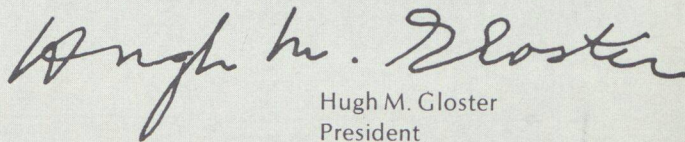
Coca Cola Company, and Ivan Allen III, President of the Ivan Allen Company.

In connection with the Atlanta campaign, an effort is being made to raise \$100,000 from Atlanta-area Alumni in a drive headed by Dr. William H. Borders Jr. and Roswell O. Sutton. The following are lead-off three-year pledges (for 1982-83, 1983-84, and 1984-85) including first-year contributions (for 1982-83) of Atlanta Alumni to this effort: T. M. Alexander Sr, \$10,000; William H. Borders Jr, \$3,000; Nathaniel Bronner, \$1,500; Calvin A. Brown, \$7,500; I. Owen Funderburg, \$1,500; Hugh M. Gloster, \$5,000; Leroy R. Johnson, \$2,500; Martin L. King Sr, \$2,000; Benjamin E. Mays, \$2,100; Charlie Moreland, \$2,000; Roswell O. Sutton, \$3,000; and Clinton E. Warner, \$6,000.

In this campaign each Alumnus is asked to make a major three-year commitment including a contribution for 1982-83 and pledges for 1983-84 and 1984-85. Any donation to the College by an Alumnus between July 1, 1982, and June 30, 1983, may be counted toward his 1982-83 commitment.

In a previous mailing we have sent you a pledge card which you may use to make your initial contribution and three-year pledge. Please return this card at your earliest convenience in order to get the Alumni phase of the campaign off to a good start. We are asking Atlanta Alumni to respond immediately in order that we may have a good report during our April campaign meeting. Please do your part in our effort to move Morehouse ahead during the 1980's.

Sincerely yours,


Hugh M. Gloster
President

MOREHOUSE COLLEGE CALENDAR

First Semester, 1983-1984

AUGUST 1983

21	Sunday	Dormitories open to freshmen and transfer students
22	Monday	Freshman Orientation Week begins.
26	Friday	Registration for incoming freshmen and transfer students
28	Sunday	Dormitories open to upperclassmen.
29	Monday	Registration for upperclassmen
30	Tuesday	Registration for upperclassmen
31	Wednesday	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.

SEPTEMBER 1983

5	Monday	Labor Day, a holiday
10	Saturday	Morehouse vs Albany State (football) 1:30 p.m. Atlanta
12	Monday	Last day to register and add classes.
17	Saturday	Morehouse vs Fort Valley State (football) 7:30 p.m. Fort Valley
24	Saturday	Morehouse vs Fisk (football) 1:30 p.m. Atlanta
26	Monday	Last day to drop classes
26	Monday	Senior students begin filing application for graduation.

OCTOBER 1983

1	Saturday	Morehouse vs Alabama A&M (football) 1:30 p.m. Atlanta
8	Saturday	Morehouse vs Morris Brown (football) 1:30 p.m. Atlanta (Herndon Stadium)
14	Saturday	Morehouse vs Tuskegee (football) 8:00 p.m. Columbus, GA
17	Monday	Mid-semester examinations begin.
18	Tuesday	Mid-semester examinations end.
21	Friday	Coronation of Miss Maroon and White 8:00 p.m. King Chapel
22	Saturday	Homecoming Day
22	Saturday	Morehouse vs Savannah State (football) 6:00 p.m. Atlanta
29	Saturday	Morehouse vs Miles (football) 2:00 p.m. Birmingham

NOVEMBER 1983

3	Thursday	Honors Day Program 11:00 a.m. King Chapel
4	Friday	Last day for filing application for graduation
5	Saturday	Morehouse vs West Georgia State (football) 6:00 p.m. Atlanta
7	Monday	Pre-registration begins for second semester.
12	Saturday	Morehouse vs Clark (football) 1:30 p.m. Atlanta
16	Wednesday	Pre-registration ends for second semester.
18	Friday	Morehouse vs Fisk (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Atlanta
22	Tuesday	Morehouse vs Benedict (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Columbia, SC
23	Wednesday	Thanksgiving holidays begin at end of scheduled classes.
25	Friday	Morehouse vs Morris Brown (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Morris Brown
28	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
29	Tuesday	Morehouse vs Albany State (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Atlanta

DECEMBER 1983

2	Friday	Last day for filing application for graduation in May, 1984
3	Saturday	Morehouse vs Miles (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Atlanta
6	Tuesday	Morehouse vs Clark (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Atlanta
7	Wednesday	Last day of classes.
8	Thursday	Reading period.
9	Friday	Reading period.
9	Friday	Morehouse vs Fisk (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Nashville, TN
12	Monday	Final examinations begin.
16	Friday	Final examinations end.
16	Friday	Christmas recess begins at end of scheduled examinations.
17	Saturday	Morehouse vs Savannah State (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Atlanta
21	Wednesday	Morehouse vs LeMoyn-Owen (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Memphis, TN
29	Thursday	Jaguar Christmas Classic (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Augusta, GA
30	Friday	Jaguar Christmas Classic (basketball) 8:00 p.m. Augusta, GA

All-College Assembly — Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:00 a.m.
Weekly Vesper Service — Sundays at 6:00 p.m.

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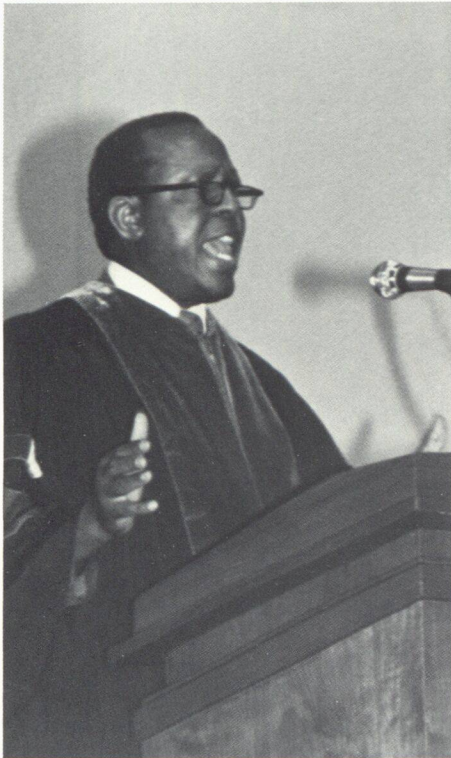
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Morehouse Founder's Day A Big Success



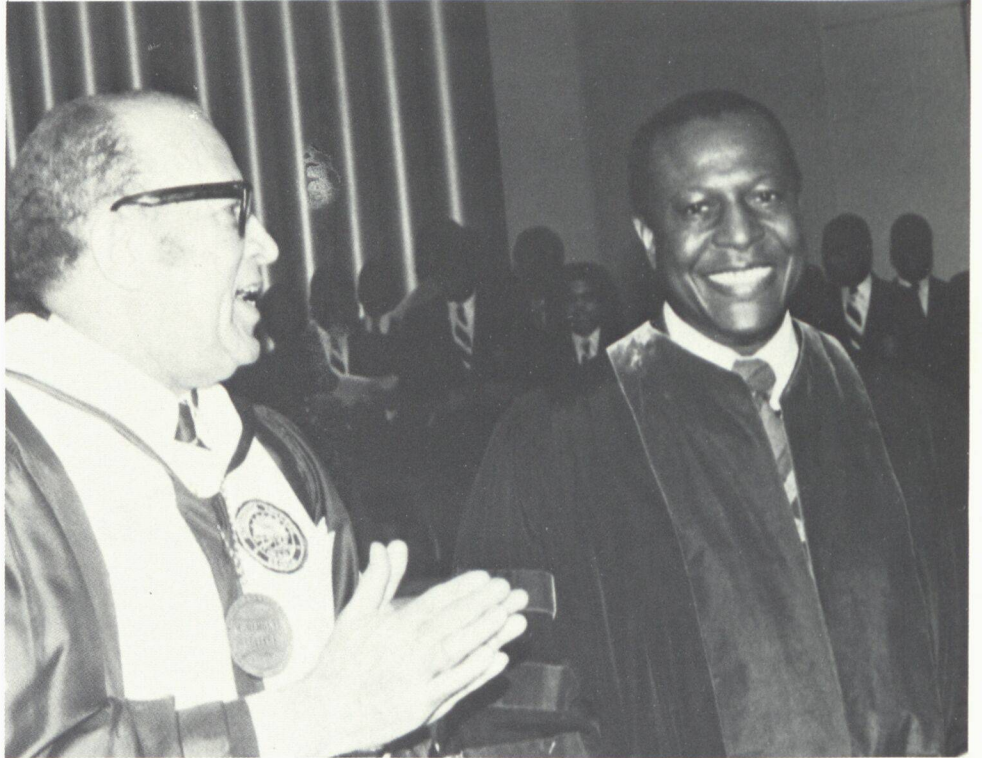
Dr. Charles Vert Willie delivers the 116th Founders Day Address.

Fair skies and warm sixty-degree weather greeted approximately 2,000 faculty, staff, students, and friends of Morehouse as they came to the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel to celebrate the College's 116th birthday, on Thursday, February 17, 1983.

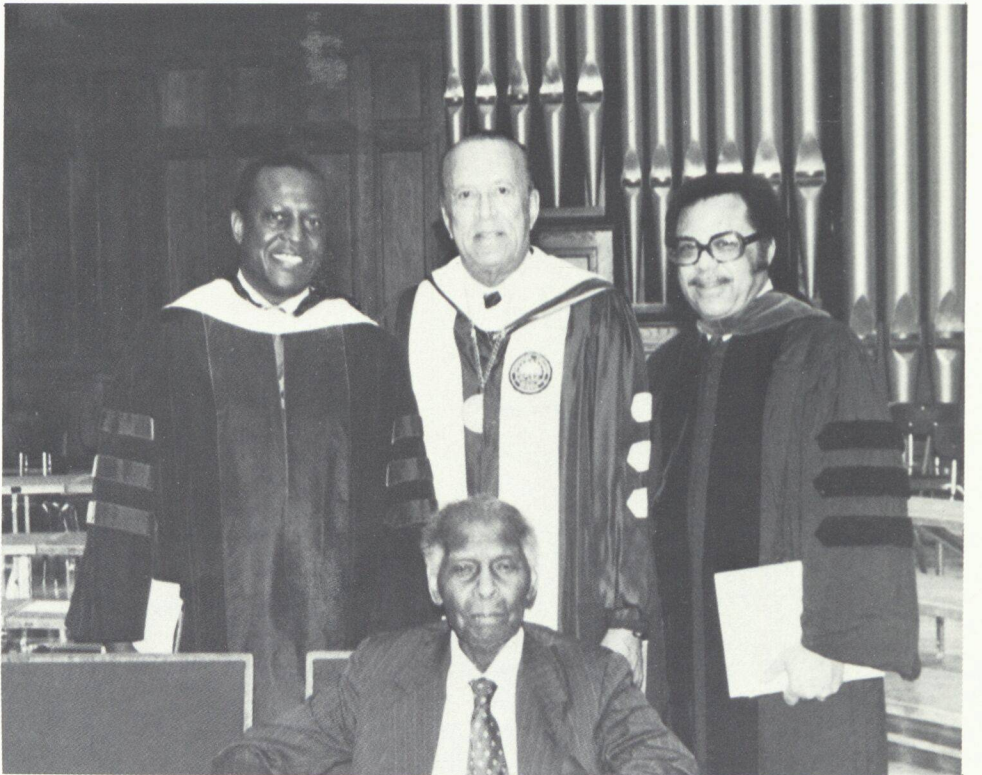
Dr. Charles Vert Willie, Professor of Urban Education at Harvard University, thrilled the Convocation audience with his address entitled "The Myth and Mystery of Morehouse." Dr. Willie quoted Dr. Samuel DuBois Cook, President of Dillard University, in telling the Convocation audience, "It is hardly an accident that Martin Luther King, Jr., was an alumnus of Morehouse College rather than of Harvard College."

Dr. Willie quoted Charles Merrill, former Chairperson of the Morehouse Board of Trustees and a Harvard College graduate, who stated that "Martin Luther King, Jr. was Morehouse's most famous graduate, and . . . is the closest this country has to a saint." Dr. Willie added, "I lift up the name of Martin Luther King, Jr. in this convocation celebrating the founders of this college because he, in the words of Hugh Gloster (President of Morehouse) is the archetype of an educated person—one who combined academic achievement with personal integrity and social concern."

"Morehouse College and its development," stated Dr. Willie, "have been the consuming passion of three great presidents—John Hope, Benjamin Mays, and



Dr. Willie is warmly applauded by President Hugh M. Gloster following his outstanding address.



(Standing l-r) Dr. Charles Vert Willie, Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, Dr. Odell Horton (Seated) Dr. Benjamin E. Mays. Photograph was taken immediately following the 116th Founder's Day Convocation.

Hugh Gloster. Each in his own way did for this school something unique and different that should go down into the annals of history as a contribution in higher education. Under Hope's 25-year leadership as President of Morehouse from 1906—1931, the college embraced a double culture as he developed within the in-

stitution the courage to be a part of a unique collective educational venture. President Mays promoted a double consciousness and summarized his feelings about Morehouse in his autobiography when he stated, "I found a special intangible something at Morehouse in 1921 which sent men out into life with a sense

of mission, believing that they could accomplish whatever they set out to do. This priceless quality was still alive when I returned in 1940, and for twenty-seven years, I built on what I found, instilling in Morehouse students the idea that despite crippling circumstances, the sky was their limit."

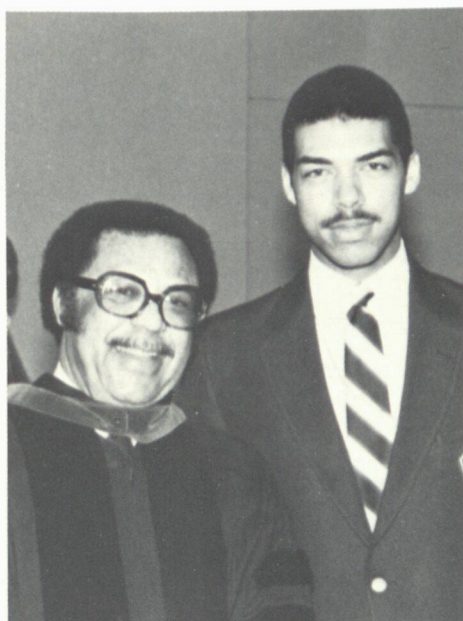
"Hugh M. Gloster," stated Dr. Willie, "did more than to consolidate and expand. He introduced a new theme—that of the double victory wherein that which benefits Morehouse benefits the entire Atlanta University Center and that which benefits blacks also benefits whites. I predict that Hugh Gloster will be recognized in years to come for his courageous, daring, and even brash decision to launch the Morehouse Medical School."

Dr. Willie concluded his formal remarks by stating, "Morehouse, the little school, the predominantly black school, the relatively poor school that had a vision of the double culture, that advocated a double consciousness, and that sought a double victory, finally is the first of all because it has tried to be the servant of all."

Morehouse College President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, in giving the Occasion, stated that "the development of Morehouse from a humble school with 37 students and two teachers to its present position as the outstanding black college and a leading American college is one of the most impressive success stories in the history of American higher education."

Dr. Gloster added, "When Morehouse opened its doors in 1867, the future was dark and gloomy, and prejudice and poverty were pervasive in Augusta, Georgia. . . . Despite overwhelming odds and obstacles, the young school struggled in Augusta for twelve years and in 1879 moved to Atlanta in order to get a better location in a larger city with a larger black population. For a hundred years after the Civil War . . . Atlanta was a bastion of segregation in a Jim-Crow land; and Morehouse was a citadel of integration in Atlanta. . . . As a result of the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Voting Rights Bill of 1965, and the Higher Education Act of 1965, black people and black colleges made much progress and gained many advantages, including the overthrow of segregation and disfranchisement."

President Gloster cautioned members of the audience by stating, "During the past two years, there has been a change for the worse in the life of our people. In addition to being handicapped by inflation, recession, and unemployment, black families have been severely hurt by efforts to reduce welfare support, weaken Affirmative Action and busing programs, and emasculate the Voting Rights Bill. As



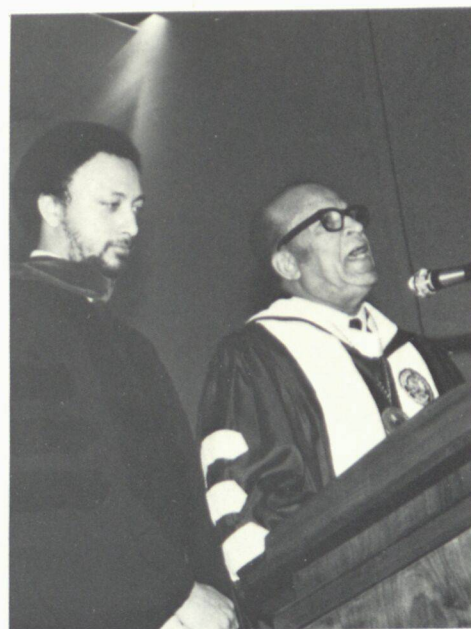
Judge Odell Horton is pictured with his son, Odell Horton, Jr. at the 116th Founder's Day celebration. Judge Horton received the Honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

far as black colleges are concerned, they have been seriously handicapped by decreased federal funding for college housing, student financial aid, and institutional support under Title III. While federal agencies have been reducing their assistance to black students and black colleges, these institutions have suffered further as a result of decreased funding by foundations and corporations which are feeling the impact of inflation and recession."

"Morehouse," stated Dr. Gloster, "must have a carefully formulated plan which will state the goals and objectives of the College and must formulate an effective strategy which will enable us to reach these goals and objectives. This strategy should include efficient management and successful fundraising which will enable us to avoid deficits and insure progress."

Challenging the current Morehouse students to become involved, President Gloster stated, "One of my most cherished dreams is to see every Morehouse student eighteen years of age or older registered to vote in order that we might give the world a signal that we understand the challenge of the ballot."

"It is my opinion that, in the long run, the future growth and progress of Morehouse will depend chiefly on her Alumni," President Gloster emphasized: "If the Alumni support Morehouse adequately, the College will develop and prosper. If the Alumni give little or nothing at all, the College will wither and possibly die. The students who are here today will be the alumni of tomorrow, and some day the fate of the College will be in your hands. When you achieve professional success and financial security, I hope that you will never forget the College that pre-



Dr. Gordon L. Joyner is honored at the 116th Founder's Day Convocation by President Hugh M. Gloster.

pared you for your position and income. Soon I will pass the torch to you, and you must hold it high. If you will carry on the fight, Morehouse will never die."

At the end of the formal convocation, President Gloster awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws to Federal Judge Odell Horton and the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters to Professor Charles Vert Willie of Harvard University.

President Gloster bestowed the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Judge Horton because of his "achievements in law, the judiciary, public health, and higher education" and the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters upon Professor Willie because of his "outstanding achievements as teacher, researcher, writer, administrator, and officer in professional organizations and governing boards."

At the outset of the convocation, Attorney Gordon Joyner, National Alumni Association, stated that the Alumni Association and the current administration of Morehouse must continue to have a "good, close, supportive relationship and the bonds between the two must be tightened even more."

Gregory Groover, President of the Student Government Association, stated that Founder's Day is the time to "rejoice and rejuvenate. We must celebrate quickly, for here at Morehouse there are men at work . . . men who share commonality of a great heritage . . . that challenges us to continue to do our work." He added, "We must lift the torch that Martin Luther King, Jr. once carried. The world is in darkness; however, a candle still shines at the 'House. As long as there is Morehouse, there is hope for the world."

Citation to Charles Vert Willie

by Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College

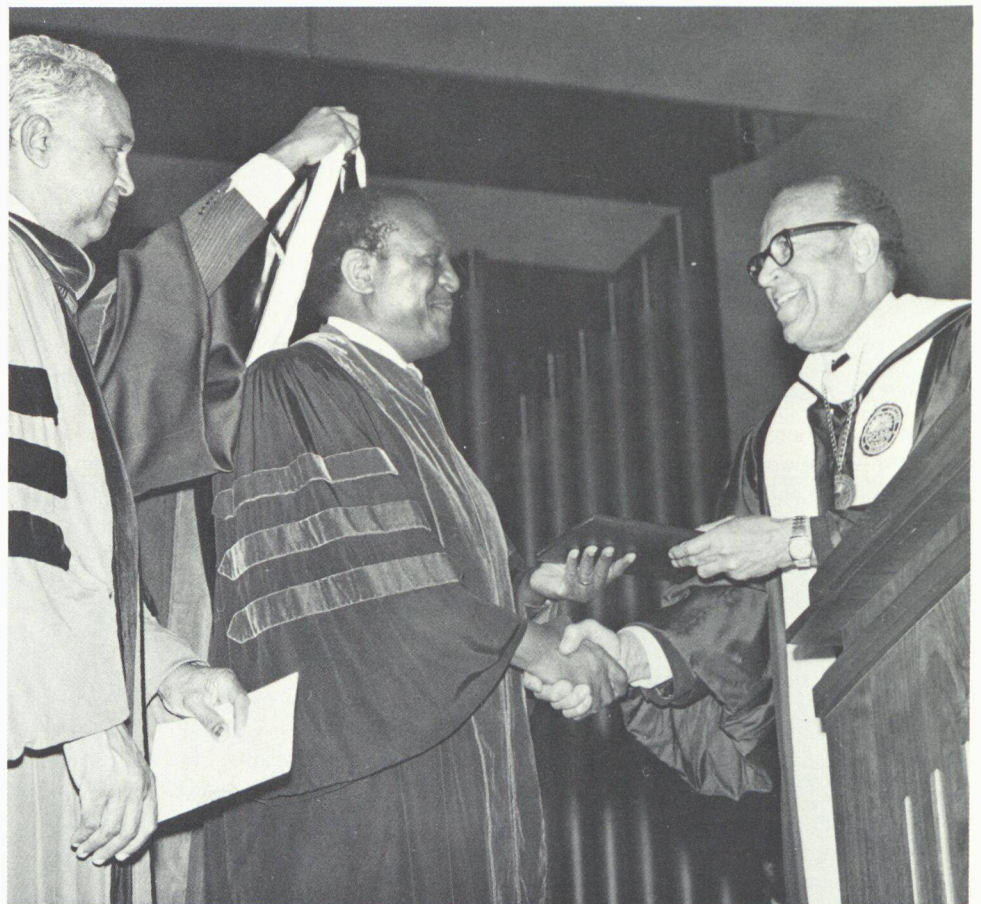
Martin Luther King Jr.
Memorial Chapel 11:00 a.m.
Morehouse College February 17, 1983

Charles Vert Willie:

Distinguished teacher, scholar, author, administrator, and professional, you were born in Dallas, Texas; and you received your higher education at Morehouse College, Atlanta University, and Syracuse University, where you received the B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees, respectively.

After beginning your doctoral studies at Syracuse, you rose upward in the ranks of the university from Teaching Assistant to Instructor to Assistant Professor to Associate Professor to Professor to Department Chairman to Vice President. In 1974 you left Syracuse to assume your present position as Professor of Education and Urban Studies at Harvard University, where you are one of the outstanding professors at that college.

Your professional productivity and activity are indeed impressive. You are the author of four books, the co-author of four, the editor of two, and the co-editor of two. You are the author of eight chapters in books and the co-author of two. You are the author of 35 articles in professional journals and the co-author of eleven. You have also been active as a visiting lecturer, as a research specialist, as an officer in professional associations, and as a delegate to state, regional, national, and world conferences. Wherever you have lived, you have been prominent as a community and church leader. You are also a loyal supporter of your college, to which you send a contribution each month.



Because of your outstanding achievements as teacher, researcher, writer, administrator, and officer in professional organizations and governing boards, you have received numerous tributes and awards; and today your Alma Mater wishes to join those who have honored you. Therefore, upon the recommenda-

tion of the Faculty and by virtue of the authority vested in me as President by the Board of Trustees of Morehouse College, I hereby confer upon you the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, with all the rights, privileges, and responsibilities thereunto appertaining.

Citation to Odell Horton

by Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College

Martin Luther King Jr.
Memorial Chapel
Morehouse College
11:00 a.m.
February 19, 1983

Odell Horton:

Distinguished barrister, judge, health-services administrator, and college president, you lifted yourself from the small town of Bolivar, Tennessee, to achieve outstanding success in at least four professional fields.

After completing your high school studies in Whiteville, Tennessee, you received the B.A. degree at Morehouse College in 1951 and the J.D. degree at Howard University in 1956.

After graduation from law school, you passed the Tennessee bar in 1957 and practiced law in Memphis for five years. In 1962 you were appointed Assistant United States Attorney for Western Tennessee, and in this capacity you represented the federal government in civil and criminal cases in your district. After working for a year as Director of the Division of Hospital and Health Services in Memphis, you served as a Judge in the Criminal Court of Shelby County from 1969 to 1970, as President of LeMoyne-Owen College from 1970 to 1974, as Director of Community Health Services in Memphis from 1974 to 1976, as United States Bankruptcy Judge from 1976 to 1980, and as United States District Judge in West Tennessee from 1980 to the present.

Because of your achievements in law, the judiciary, public health, and higher education, you have received many tributes and awards; and today your Alma Mater is pleased to join those who have



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President Carter and Mayor Young Keynote Conference Held at Morehouse College



Prior to the convocation on February 24, 1983, (l-r) Emory University President Dr. James T. Laney, Atlanta University Center Chancellor Dr. Charles W. Merideth, Atlanta Mayor Andrew Young, Former President Jimmy Carter, Morehouse First Lady Dr. Beulah Gloster, and Morehouse President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster review thoughts in the office of Dr. Lawrence Carter, Dean of the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel.



Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, Former President Jimmy Carter, and Dr. Martin Luther King, Sr., in conversation prior to a special convocation.

The atmosphere in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel on the Morehouse College campus was filled with excitement on Thursday, February 24, 1983. The cause for excitement was the return to the campus of honorary degree holders Jimmy Carter and Andrew Young.

President Carter and Mayor Young were participants in a symposium on

"Human Rights—the Afro-American Experience," which was jointly sponsored by Emory University, the Atlanta University Center, and Morehouse College.

At the outset of the program, Morehouse College President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster stated, "It is fitting and proper that this panel convene in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel, which is named in honor of one of the



(l-r) Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, Former President Jimmy Carter, and Dr. Benjamin E. Mays pose in the office of Dr. Lawrence E. Carter.

world's greatest champions of human and civil rights." President Gloster added, "I personally believe that, when the history of this period is written, President Carter will be rated as the outstanding President and Mayor Young as the outstanding United States Ambassador to the United Nations in the promotion of human and civil rights not only in America but throughout the world."

Dr. James Laney, President of Emory University, stated that the year-long program on "Rethinking Human Rights," was the "most sustained inquiry of human rights ever undertaken, from an academic perspective."

Dr. Marilyn Lineberger, Conference moderator, echoed the sentiments of Dr. Gloster, Dr. Laney, President Carter, and Mayor Young when she stated, "The site of the symposium is significant because Atlanta was the hometown of Martin Luther King, Jr. and was the administrative headquarters of the civil rights movement in the United States."

Mayor Andrew Young stated, "In the 1950's the talented tenth was involved in a period of legal struggle in the United States; the 1960's produced massive non-violent action; the 1970's was a period of political activities when leaders of the civil rights movement entered the political arena. People in the North did not understand why that was necessary in the

South. There was also a growing sense that there was a widening gap between the haves and have-nots in the United States during these periods. This led to the thought of Martin Luther King, Jr., who at times was opposed by the leaders in the civil rights movement and by white America."

Turning his attention to Jimmy Carter's presidency, Mayor Young stated, "Jimmy Carter's experience and his family's unusual sensitivity led to his understanding of human rights. During his term as governor of the State of Georgia, an incident occurred in Hancock County, Ga., in which both blacks and whites had guns. By working with a number of civil rights leaders, myself included, Jimmy Carter was able to resolve the conflict through accommodation and reconciliation. That experience helped shape the Carter administration."

"When Jimmy Carter became President, the United States needed a foreign policy that was honorable and decent. President Carter believed that the differences could be resolved by treaty. That conviction was responsible for what respect we have now," stated the eloquent Mayor. He added, "If the treaty in Panama had not been signed, all young men here would be fighting now. The Canal is protected now by treaty. In the Middle East, the Camp David accords were very successful. In Southern Africa, Zimbabwe is independent. Blacks and whites are working together. American interests are being advanced and protected by a policy of human rights which grew out of the civil rights movement."

Mayor Young stated that the Carter administration was "unequalled in response to the needs of poor people."

Mentioning the recent elections in Chicago, Mayor Young stated that he was "very thankful for a new era of voter turnout. Human rights and civil rights can only be advanced by ... the masses of voters. We are on the right track now."

At the outset of his formal remarks, President Jimmy Carter stated, "I never would have been seriously considered as a candidate for the Presidency if it had not been for Martin Luther King, Sr. He set the ideal and standard I tried to uphold."

President Carter pointed out that it is "too early for our administration to be judged by historians. If I could have two words associated with my name one hundred years from now, those two words would be human rights. Respect, compassion, humility, and the courage to break down barriers—these thoughts fill my mind when I think of human rights. Human rights is misunderstood as a non-substantive ideal. ... Those of you in the civil rights movement knew the tangible meaning of this phrase."



Atlanta Mayor Andrew Young addresses special convocation audience.



Former President Jimmy Carter smiles prior to answering a question from the audience.



Former President Jimmy Carter shares a private moment with Dr. Benjamin E. Mays.



Former President Jimmy Carter greets members of the convocation audience following his address.

President Carter added, "Politically, commercially, and in every other way, the United States cannot be challenged. With that kind of strength, we do not have to subjugate or abuse others. We are in the forefront of significant ideals—the search for peace for others who live in other parts of the world. We should be known as the leader in the control of nuclear weapons."

"Our nation," stated the former President, "should be on the cutting edge of human rights. Human rights has a broad scope—the right to eat, be clothed, be educated, have a place to live, the right to vote, the right to speak, the right not to be arrested without charges, and many others. The breadth of human rights is extensive. It is a personal thing."

President Carter added that those who abuse are "frightened. There is only one country on earth . . . to be the spokesman for human rights and that is the United States of America. When we are silent, the silence is deafening. When we speak, allies will join us. When we don't, allies stay silent."

"I was inspired by Andy Young," added President Carter. "He expanded the role of United States Ambassador further than it has ever been before. People listened because his philosophy and mine were very similar. Because of him, the United States gained a new respect in third-world and developing nations."

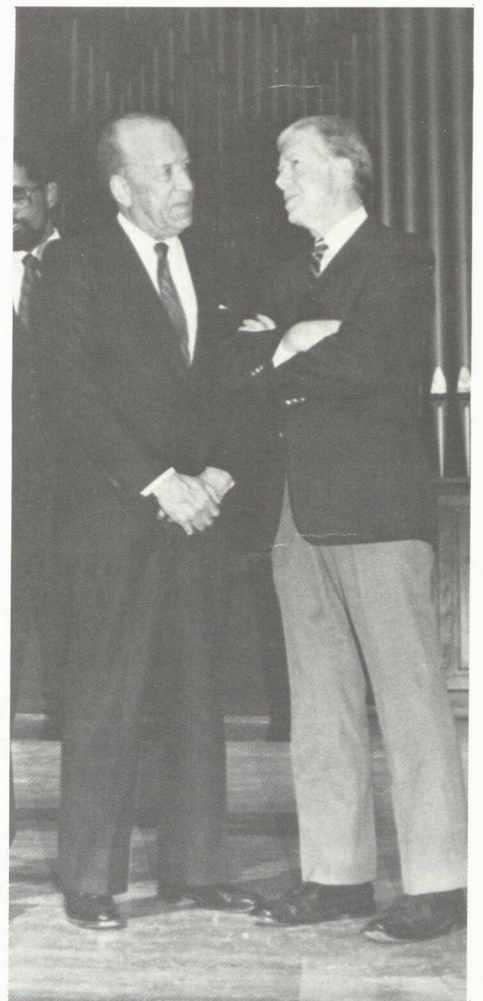
President Carter told the members of

the King Chapel audience, "Our weapons are very powerful—freedom, truth, deep moral and religious convictions, healing of our own wounds, commitment to others. These give us an advantage in dealing with others throughout the world. Peace, arms control, human rights, all are incumbent upon all of us."

In his closing remarks, President Carter stated that he "was not here to criticize those administrations that follow me, but . . . voices like yours must be heard. If there is a doubt about our nation's policies, it is incumbent upon us to express our concern. Caring Americans must express concern in the area of human rights."

In a question-and-answer session following formal remarks, President Carter indicated that he had "spent a great deal of time in search of answers to problems in the Middle East. During the fall of 1983, we will invite scholars to Emory University at the center we will establish in conjunction with the Presidential library that will be built. I hope to bring representatives of all of the various groups in the Middle East to seek solutions to differences."

Mayor Young, in response to a question on South Africa, stated, "Social change occurs with economic progress. South Africa must continue to grow. I see a black middle class developing. . . . South Africa must have radical reform . . . and some pressure must come from America."



Dr. Hugh M. Gloster and Former President Jimmy Carter in casual conversation following a special convocation on the Morehouse campus.

NEWS OF THE COLLEGE



(l-r) Mr. Charlie J. Moreland, President of the Morehouse National Alumni Association, Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, Dr. Beulah Gloster, Dr. Calvin A. Brown, Jr., Vice-Chairman of the Morehouse Board of Trustees, and Mr. Gregory Groover, President of the Morehouse Student Government Association, cut the 116th birthday cake.



Dr. Louis W. Sullivan, President and Dean of the Morehouse School of Medicine, delivers an outstanding banquet address.

Dr. Louis Sullivan Keynotes Founder's Day Banquet

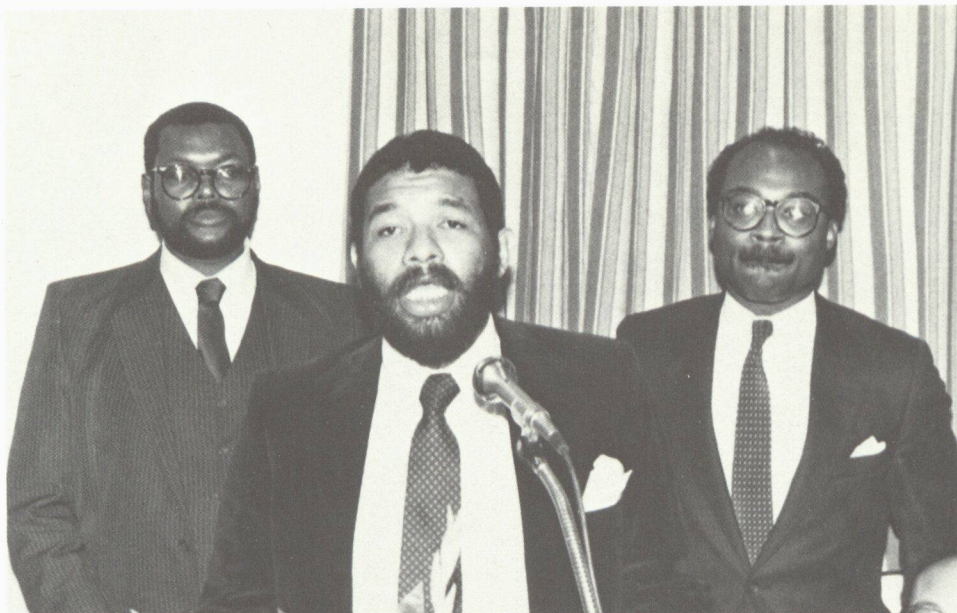
Louis W. Sullivan, M.D., President and Dean of the Morehouse School of Medicine, was the keynote speaker at Morehouse College's 116th Founder's Day Banquet, held on Saturday, February 19, 1983, in the Walter R. Chivers Dining Hall on the Morehouse campus.

Dr. Sullivan's remarks at the banquet centered on the history, current status, and future plans for the School of Medicine. He stated, "Some ten years ago this month, our medical school was conceived by Morehouse College under the leadership of Hugh Gloster and the Morehouse Board of Trustees, with the mission to help address a pressing human need in Atlanta, in Georgia, and in many other areas of our country. That need is for more family doctors to serve our citizens living in inner cities and in rural areas—areas of the greatest concentration of poor people, black and white. The Morehouse School of Medicine is the first predominantly black medical institution to be established in the United States in the twentieth century."

President Sullivan pointed out, "In June 1981 the School of Medicine was granted authority by the Georgia State



A great number of parents and alumni were present to celebrate Morehouse's 116th birthday.



Mr. William McFarlin (at microphone) along with classmates (1972) John Whited (l) and Ray McClen-don present a contribution to Morehouse College at the Founder's Day Banquet.



Dr. William V. Guy, Pastor of Friendship Baptist Church and a member of the Morehouse Faculty, keeps the audience entertained in his role as master of ceremonies.

Board of Education to award the degree of Doctor of Medicine. Our current sophomore students—who enrolled in the summer of 1981—will be the first to complete the four-year course at Morehouse and to receive their M.D. degrees in 1985."

At the Founder's Day Banquet, Dr. Sullivan reported that during its lame-duck session, Congress appropriated an additional \$5.8 million for construction of a clinical sciences building and to assist in the development of clinical faculty departments.

Citing statistical information from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Dr. Sullivan indicated that "some 35,000,000 Americans currently

reside in medically underserved areas. The disparity in medical care—and its toll on the health and lives of minorities and the poor—is probably vaguely known to most people. But it is well known and a source of great concern in the medical community. The idea of a new minority-oriented medical school in Georgia to help meet the acute need for more black doctors had its origin ten years ago when a group of dedicated black physicians and community leaders took their idea to President Gloster. The choice of Morehouse was logical and appropriate because Morehouse College is deeply steeped in the tradition of community service as the nation's premier black liberal arts college. It is also significant that ...

some five percent of all the black doctors in the United States today did their undergraduate work at Morehouse."

"From the outset," stated the eloquent President, "the Morehouse School of Medicine has concentrated its recruitment efforts and its curriculum development on finding, training, and motivating future physicians who will set up family-care practices in our inner cities and rural areas."

Perhaps the greatest problem the School of Medicine has had is financial. Dr. Sullivan stated, "We have received loyal and valuable support from a great many doctors across the nation—black and white. This support is especially appreciated, for we know it comes from those most acutely aware of the need we are attempting to fill. ... We have also received important support from several major foundations. In the fall of 1981, we launched a campaign in the private sector for capital and operating funds needed for our transition to a four-year, degree-granting status. ... The transition campaign has reached its goal of \$1 million in Georgia. ... We have also recently been appropriated \$5.8 million by the Congress in its 1983 budget. A campaign to raise another \$7.0 million nationally will begin soon. ... Former Georgia Governor George Busbee and present Governor Joe Frank Harris have been instrumental in obtaining an initial \$5 million development grant from the State of Georgia to help in early years. We currently receive \$3.5 million annually from the State of Georgia."

Although citing these financial gains, Dr. Sullivan indicated that "our number-one problem is in the area of financial aid for students." After giving an overview of some of the changes proposed by the Reagan administration, he stated, "If ways and means are not found quickly to assist a number of our students, we face the very real possibility that some may be forced to drop out this year. The proposals to eliminate the scholarship and loan programs that have been most helpful to our students in the past raise serious questions about the future of medical education in this country ... certainly for medical schools such as Morehouse."

In his concluding remarks, Dr. Sullivan told the banquet audience, "We are determined to overcome whatever obstacles rise to confront us. We have a commitment to see that the Morehouse mission flourishes for the benefit of all minority citizens and the nation. The fulfillment of our mission will be an unending line of physicians who will go forth from the Morehouse School of Medicine to practice their healing talents and life-saving skills in the inner cities and rural areas of Georgia and the nation."

Morehouse Pays Tribute to Charles Merrill

Charles Merrill, recently retired Headmaster of the Commonwealth School in Boston, Massachusetts, and Former Chairman and current member of the Morehouse College Board of Trustees, was honored by the Morehouse College faculty, staff, and student body at a special convocation held in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel on the campus.

An enthusiastic crowd gathered to welcome Mr. Merrill, described by Morehouse President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster as "a true and tried friend . . . whose name is associated with this College throughout the breadth of this land."

Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, President Emeritus of Morehouse College, spoke of Charles Merrill as "one of the best friends I have anywhere." Dr. Mays recounted his first meeting with Mr. Merrill, stating, "I received the first check of \$5,000 from Mr. Merrill in the 1950's. The following year, I received a check for \$10,000, and the next year, a check for \$15,000 was received. Upon receipt of the third check, I thought it would be good to go to the Thomas Jefferson School in St. Louis to meet him. As a result of the meeting, I invited him to become a trustee of Morehouse College. He later became Chairman of the Board."

Dr. Mays told the students in the audience, "Don't you ever forget this man. He will live in your life and your children's lives. If love of your fellow man and love of God are criteria for admission to heaven, Charles Merrill will be there."

Galen Grayson, a senior Pre-medicine major who studied in Vienna, Austria, as the recipient of a Merrill Scholarship, spoke to the convocation audience, bringing greetings from "all past, present, and future Merrill Scholars." Mr. Grayson stated that he chose Vienna for two reasons—to acquire a new language and because of its central location in Europe. (Merrill Scholars may choose an African, British, or European university of their choice at which to study.)

Mr. Grayson stated, "My most memorable experience occurred in Venice, Italy. I had just gotten off a taxi boat. I was approached by several young boys who appeared to be about nine or ten years old. They had heard that black men could run very fast and jump very high. After racing and jumping with them, they took me to a fountain. We drank. I felt I was being initiated into a brotherhood that transcended racial barriers. As I left, they pooled their resources and bought a gift for me. They followed me to the train station. I am not ashamed to say I cried as a result of this experience."



Dr. Benjamin E. Mays addresses convocation audience at special program honoring Dr. Charles Merrill.



Galen Grayson, '83, receives warm congratulations from Dr. Merrill following his outstanding remarks concerning the value of his Merrill Scholarship.



President Gloster and Dr. Merrill pose on either side of a portrait of Dr. Merrill that was unveiled at the special convocation on October 26, 1982.

Mr. Grayson added, "I treasure the friendship, maturity, and memories that I have as the result of my Merrill Scholarship. This scholarship has also given me a desire to see more of the world." At the end of his presentation, Gaylen Grayson said thank you to Mr. Merrill in several languages. Mr. Grayson also presented Mr. Merrill with a Morehouse College tee shirt.

Dr. Addie Mitchell, Director of the Reading Program at Morehouse College and a recipient of a Merrill Travel-Study Grant, spoke for all faculty and staff recipients. She began her formal presentation with a Chinese proverb: If you plan for a year, sow a seed; if you plan for a decade, sow a tree; if you plan for a century, educate the people. "Charles Merrill has given of himself by educating the people," stated Dr. Mitchell. She added, "I bring thanks to Charles Merrill in behalf of all the Morehouse faculty. Some of us were here in the 1950's. Some have come more recently and are not aware of your great contributions to the faculty."

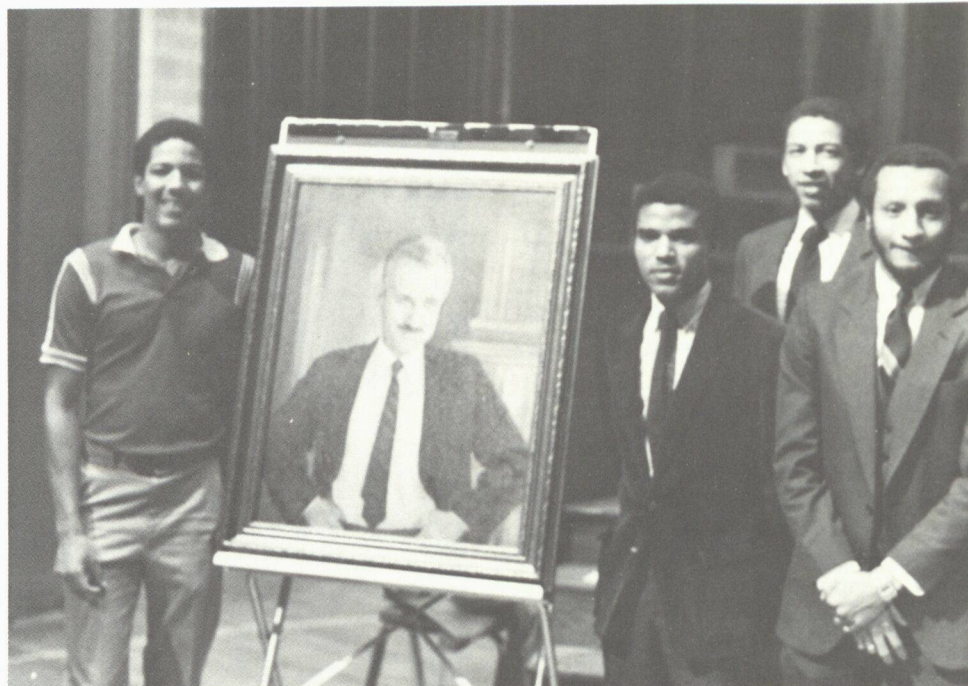
Dr. Mitchell quoted extensively from the late Dr. E. A. Jones' official history of Morehouse College, *(A Candle in the Dark)* and from Dr. Benjamin E. Mays' book *(Born to Rebel)*, in which Dr. Charles Merrill was eloquently praised by both scholars. Dr. Mitchell also stated that "without Charles Merrill's help, Morehouse would not have been able to gain a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa."

Charles Merrill told the assembled Morehouse family, "When I first came here in the 1950's, one thing that impressed me was everyone was known as 'Mr.' Morehouse treated men with dignity and respect. I recall that in 1960 or 1961, several students from Morehouse were arrested. Dr. Mays received a call from the police department telling him that when 'your people are arrested, we want to treat them with respect.' This showed that the police chief wanted to be known as a decent guy."

Mr. Merrill indicated that he established the Merrill grants "so that you would have the privilege of doing what you want, traveling where you want, and studying what you want. You have the quality of ambition and drive. There is nothing you can't achieve. The man who has this quality can do what he wants with the weight of the College behind him."

Mr. Merrill challenged the students of Morehouse, "You must speak for the people left out. One of your aims in your career must be to remember those who do not speak and are not spoken for. Tough, generous, effective leaders must come from this college."

In a moving tribute to Mr. Merrill, Morehouse College President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster stated, "Of all the friends that



(l-r) Merrill Scholars Duane Cooper, Hans Massaquoi, Galen Grayson, and Adlai Pappy admire portrait of Dr. Merrill.

Morehouse has had during the past quarter century, you have helped her the most. You have given this college more financial assistance than any one person, living and dead. But you have made another contribution that is even more significant: you have stimulated and inspired us by your creative and critical thinking, by your concern for the disadvantaged and the depressed, and by your support and sponsorship of students and teachers with talent and potential."

Dr. Gloster added, "As Chairman of the Board of Trustees, you did more than preside over meetings and contribute to campaigns. You have also visited the campus, mingled with teachers and students, and discovered what our needs really are. You saw that we needed better salaries in order to attract and hold able teachers, and you provided funds for salary increases and competitive salary schedules. You saw that some teachers needed the wider experience of foreign travel, and you established summer travel grants that enabled faculty members and their husbands or wives to become citizens of the world. You saw that some students needed financial aid and overseas experience, and you furnished scholarships and foreign-study grants for these young people. More than any other individual, you helped Morehouse to develop the kind of faculty and student body that caused this college to become identified with academic excellence and associated with Phi Beta Kappa. . . ."

President Gloster told the audience, "In the performance of all these humanitarian and philanthropic services Charles Merrill has been modest and self-effacing. Some men proclaim their achievements



Dr. Charles Merrill (c) is flanked by Douglas Taylor (l) and Tony D'Arceneaux as they go across campus to attend a luncheon in Dr. Merrill's honor.

from the mountaintop and emblazon them on the printed page, but he has never sought to blow his own horn or to take credit for the good works which he has performed. Such modesty and reserve are indeed rare in this period of self-promotion and public relations know-how."

Dr. Gloster concluded by stating, "You have helped us to meet basic human needs and to strive for excellence, and we are grateful to have you at our side during this crucial period in our history."

At the conclusion of the convocation, President Gloster presented a plaque to Mr. Merrill and unveiled a portrait of him which hangs in the conference room in the administration building on the Morehouse College campus. (Morehouse conferred the honorary Doctor of Laws degree upon Mr. Merrill in 1968).

The 56th Annual Morehouse-Spelman Christmas Carol Concert Held December 10, 11, and 12, 1982

The Fifty-sixth Annual Morehouse-Spelman Christmas Carol Concert was presented on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, December 10, 11, and 12, 1982, in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel on the Morehouse College campus. All performances were at 8:00 p.m.

Dr. Wendell P. Whalum, Fuller E. Callaway Professor and Chairman of the Department of Music at Morehouse College, and Dr. Roland Allison, Chairman of the Department of Music at Spelman College, where in command of the vocal forces for the historic concert which celebrated 56 years of musical tradition at Christmas time in Atlanta, Georgia.

The concert featured carols from many lands—a part of every concert since the founding. Traditional Christmas spirituals included "Behold the Star," arranged by William Dawson; "New Born," arranged by John Work; and "Mary Had a Baby,"

arranged by Wendell P. Whalum. The program concluded with the audience and chorus singing the traditional "Go Tell It On the Mountain."

Over 5,500 people from throughout the metropolitan Atlanta area attended the performances.

The Morehouse-Spelman Christmas Carol Concert was founded by the late President Florence M. Read of Spelman College in 1927. The music director of the concerts was Professor Kemper Harreld, who had been a faculty member at Morehouse since 1911. Professor Harreld conducted the concerts until 1956, when he relinquished the baton to his former student and for many years colleague, Willis Laurence James.

Following Dr. James' demise in 1966, Dr. Grace B. Smith of the Spelman College faculty and Dr. Wendell P. Whalum of the Morehouse College faculty assumed the conducting responsibilities of the concert. Actually, the Morehouse College Glee Club and quartet had been a part of the first concerts; and the Glee Club has remained a part. Dr. Whalum first conducted in the concerts in 1955, when he returned to the Morehouse campus after a military leave.

The 1982 Christmas Carol Concert, which was presented in the Martin Luther King Jr International Chapel, was the first in the 56-year series to be presented on the Morehouse campus. In future years the Concert will be presented in odd years in Sisters Chapel on the Spelman campus and in even years in King Chapel on the Morehouse campus.



Morehouse College Glee Club and Spelman College Glee Club on King Chapel Stage.

National Baptist Convention President Visits Morehouse

Dr. T. J. Jemison, newly elected President of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc., was the guest of Morehouse College on Thursday, November 18, 1982. As a part of his day-long visit, he addressed approximately 1,500 faculty, staff, students, and friends of Morehouse in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel at 11:00 a.m.

Dr. Jemison addressed the audience on the subject, "A Vision of Victory." He announced an Endowed Scholarship for Morehouse men totalling \$100,000 to be established by the National Baptist Convention which would be in honor of his late father, D. V. Jemison. This scholarship would aid three students in perpetuity. He also announced that he would recommend to the Board of the Convention that another \$100,000 be given to Morehouse to pay for a statue of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. which would rest on the

King International Plaza in front of the Chapel. This would be the first such memorial in the State of Georgia.

Platform guests at the convocation included Dr. Thomas Kilgore, Chairman of the Morehouse College Board of Trustees; Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, President Emeritus of Morehouse College; Dr. Lawrence E. Carter, Dean of the Chapel; and Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College. President Gloster presented Dr. Jemison with a plaque commemorating his visit at the end of the formal convocation program.

Prior to the formal convocation, Dr. Jemison addressed a class of 60 students who are taking a course entitled "The Life and Thought of Martin Luther King, Jr." Following the convocation, the Morehouse family honored Dr. Jemison with a luncheon in the Mazique Dining Hall.

At the end of his visit, Dr. Jemison appointed Dean and Mrs. Lawrence Carter as delegates to the Sixth Assembly of the World Council of Churches which will meet in Vancouver, Canada, from July 24



President Hugh M. Gloster presents a plaque to Dr. T. J. Jemison, newly elected President of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc. commemorating Dr. Jemison's historic visit to the Morehouse campus on November 18, 1982.

through August 10, 1983. Three other members of the Morehouse family will accompany the Carters as Accredited Visitors to the Assembly. They are Porter Denson, Paul Dillard, and Lamar Alford.

Groundbreaking Ceremonies Held for B. T. Harvey Field

Groundbreaking ceremonies for B. T. Harvey Field, the new athletic complex at Morehouse College, were held at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, October 29, 1982, on the west side of the field. A large contingent of faculty, staff, students, and alumni attended this important event in the history of Morehouse College. Special guests were Mrs. B. T. Harvey, wife of Mr. Harvey, and Mrs. Jeannette Hamme, daughter of Mr. Harvey.

The B. T. Harvey Field, scheduled to be dedicated in September, 1983, will include a football field, a surrounding track, and a stadium accommodating 8,000 people and expandable in the future to accommodate 20,000. The track area will accommodate facilities for the pole vault, the long jump, the running high jump, the triple jump, and the discus throw. Underneath the seating area of the stands will be a two-story structure stretching from one end of the grandstand to the other. On the first floor will be lockers, showers, training rooms, laundry rooms, and equipment rooms for the Maroon Tigers and visiting teams as well as classrooms for physical-education classes and offices, showers, and lockers for coaches and officials. On the second floor will be ticket offices, concession booths, and rest-room facilities for men and women.

B. T. Harvey Field is named in honor of the legendary Morehouse coach of baseball, basketball, and football between 1917 and 1929. During this period his baseball teams won 112 games, lost 45, tied three, and won the Southern Conference Championship four times and tied twice. His basketball teams won 131 games, lost 17, won the National Negro Championship three times, won the Conference Championship ten consecutive years, and was undefeated in college competition during the eight years from 1916 to 1924. His football teams won 59 games, lost 24, tied six, and won three Conference Championships.

Because of his outstanding record at Morehouse, Coach Harvey was inducted into the Coaches Hall of Fame in 1969 during a meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic Association in Miami Beach, Florida. Inducted along with him were Coaches Bill Alexander of Georgia Tech and Bob Neyland of the University of Tennessee.



Mrs. B. T. Harvey breaks ground for B. T. Harvey Field as members of the Morehouse family happily look on. Ground was broken on October 29, 1982.

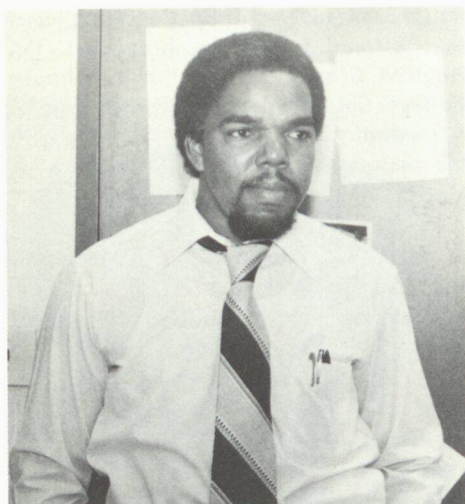


Among guests at the groundbreaking for B. T. Harvey Field were: (standing l-r) National Alumni President Charlie J. Moreland, Athletic Director Arthur J. McAfee, President Hugh M. Gloster, Architect Leon Florez, Trustee Dr. Calvin Brown, Alumnus Arthur Idlett, and Alumnus Nelson Archer. (seated l-r) Health and Physical Education Chairman Dr. James Haines; Mrs. Jeannette Hamme, daughter of B. T. Harvey; Mrs. B. T. Harvey, widow of B. T. Harvey; and Alumnus Dr. William Holmes Borders.

Morehouse College Hosts Major Computer Science Conference

A major Southeastern conference on the new Ada programming language was held at Morehouse College on January 11, 12, and 13, 1983. The Conference was sponsored by Morehouse College, Hampton Institute, the United States Army Electronics Command, and Softech, Inc., of Waltham, Massachusetts.

Ada is the new standard language that will be used in all Department of Defense projects.



Dr. Arthur M. Jones

The Conference included an Ada tutorial—presented by Softech, Inc., and the Army—and a workshop on Ada education. Corporations from throughout the United States exhibited new products at an exhibition center set up in Mays Hall. In addition, Western Digital displayed its new Ada compiler for the micro computer.

Dr. Edith Martin, Deputy Under Secretary for Research and Engineering at the Pentagon, was the keynote speaker at a banquet for conference participants held at the Stadium Hotel in downtown Atlanta.

Other featured guests at the Conference were Mr. James Schell, Director, CENTACS, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey; Mr. Dave Haratz, Head of Computer Research at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey; and Major General Emmett Paige, Commander, U.S. ERADCOM, Adelphi, Maryland.

Softech, Inc., one of the sponsors of the Conference, is one of the key participants in the Ada program. Under contract to the United States Army Electronics Command, Softech is developing the Ada Language System, a complete Ada programming environment that will support major government projects.

Speakers from Softech, Inc., and the Army presented an introduction to this

important new development in computer science. The education workshops addressed issues involved in setting up college Ada programs.

The Coordinator of the Conference was Dr. Arthur Jones, Professor of Mathematics at Morehouse. Following the Conference, Dr. Jones stated, "A number of guests at this conference were uninitiated in both Ada and the Department of Defense. Conference speakers' remarks showed that software development is being given high priority and will help educators keep their curriculum current and will be of great benefit in the planning process."

Religious Emphasis Week Held at Morehouse College

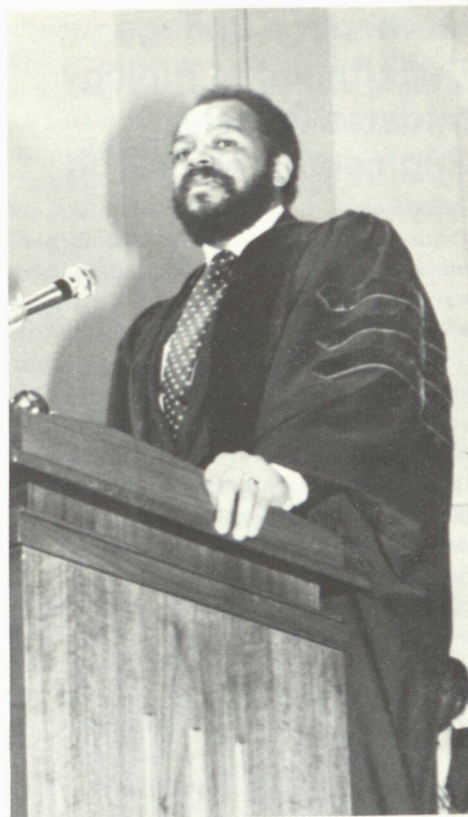
February 22—24, 1983, was Religious Emphasis Week (REW) at Morehouse College. The theme for this year's REW was "Martin Luther King: International Evangelical Ecumenism." This year's REW is also the beginning of the renewal of the process for founding the International Ecumenical Christian Youth Movement (I.E.C.Y.M.). I.E.C.Y.M.'s theme is "Many but One in Christ the King."

The principal speaker for REW was Dr. Tom Skinner, Founder and President of Tom Skinner Associates (TSA). Dr. Skinner gave the REW sermon on Wednesday, February 23, 1983, at 7:30 p.m., in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel. He gave a Religious Lecture on Thursday, February 24, 1983, at 11:00 a.m. in King Chapel.

Dr. Skinner for sixteen years has been committed to raising up a new generation of leadership for American society for the future. This is evidenced by TSA campus ministry which has successfully operated on the campus of Howard University, Hampton Institute, Kentucky State University, and Norfolk State University. One of TSA campuses ministry's goals is to provide students with enough information to intelligently decide what to do with the "person of Jesus Christ."

Dr. Skinner has lived in New York City all of his life. He was educated in the New York Public School System, and graduated from Wagner College on Staten Island. He is the author of four books and numerous articles and is listed in *Who's Who in Black America*.

Dr. Skinner, in carrying on his evangelical work, has preached in nearly all areas on the globe—including South America, the Bahamas, the West Indies, Kenya, and West Africa—and has addressed the International Prophecy Conference in Israel. He has also traveled around the



Dr. Tom Skinner

world, actively engaged as a leadership development counselor and motivator in the areas of education, sports, politics, business, and entertainment.

Special events and activities for Religious Emphasis Week included a panel discussion entitled "Session I: National and International Perspectives on Human and Civil Rights." Panel members for this discussion were Former President Jimmy Carter and the Honorable Andrew Young, Mayor of Atlanta. Session I was held on Thursday, February 24, 1983, at 4:00 p.m. in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel. It was co-sponsored by Emory University, the Atlanta University Center, and a grant from the National and Georgia Endowment for the Humanities.

Lecture series and workshops delved into pressing issues such as "Culture Is Stronger than Christ?" and "Denominationalism and Privatism".

Other special guests for REW included Dr. J. Robert Bradley, Director of Church Music with the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A. Inc.; Dr. James Evans of Colgate Rochester Theological School; the Reverend Walter Kimbrough, Pastor of Cascade United Methodist Church; Dr. Joseph Lowery, President of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference; Dr. Henry Lyons, Vice President of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A. Inc.; Dr. Cornell West of Union Theological Seminary, New York City; and Dr. William D. Whatley, Associate General Secretary with the Consultation on Church Union, Princeton, New Jersey.

Morehouse College Department of Biology Initiates Genetic Engineering Research

Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy, David E. Packard Professor and Chairman of the Department of Biology at Morehouse College, has announced the initiation of two research projects by Morehouse scientists involving the use of the new genetic engineering technology.

According to Dr. Sheehy, "The first project has wide-ranging medical importance, which involves the isolation of the gene or genes responsible for a toxic syndrome in humans. Antibiotic-associated pseudomembranous colitis and enterocolitis are diarrheal diseases of the lower gastrointestinal tract that have been linked to a toxin-producing bacterium (*Clostridium difficile*). A basic study of the molecular genetics of *C. difficile* toxin production has not been reported. The major objectives of this research are to isolate and clone the toxin genes of *C. difficile* and to determine the ubiquity and regulation of these genes in various strains and to study any ancillary genes that may assist in the disease-causing ability of this organism."

Dr. Sheehy stated that the second project "involves work with the cellulolytic bacterium *Clostridium thermocellum*, which has the potential for efficient, large-scale production of ethanol from the most abundant national biopolymer, cellulose. This potential may be achieved by obtaining one or more strains of *C. thermocellum* with enhanced ethanol production and by increasing the cellulose activity of these strains by the use of recombinant DNA technology. The long-range benefits expected from this investigation are to increase the cost effectiveness of ethanol production from wood products, which are a natural energy source."

Preliminary work toward the goals of these two projects has already been conducted in the Morehouse laboratories. The initiation of these projects represents the continuation of a broad-based ten-year study of molecular genetics by the Morehouse Department of Biology. In 1972 Morehouse College committed substantial resources toward the development of a research capability in the biological sciences. Subsequent funding from government and private sources has resulted in laboratories equipped with the very latest in research hardware, which makes the current research effort possible.

The members of the Morehouse Biology faculty, which comprise the Molecular Genetics Research Team are

Drs. Errol Archibold, Judith Bender, Clarence Clark, Lycurgus Muldrow, and Ronald Sheehy.

Morehouse Glee Club Records Polish Solidarity Song for Broadcast via Voice of America on December 13

At 10 a.m. on Wednesday, December 8, in the Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Chapel on the Morehouse campus, the Morehouse College Glee Club recorded "Let Poland Be Poland," the Polish Solidarity Song, for broadcast to Poland via the Voice of America on December 13, which was one year after the establishment of martial law in Poland. The videotaping of the song was supervised by a broadcast team from the United States Information Agency.

The version of "Let Poland Be Poland" videotaped and sung in Polish by the Morehouse Glee Club was a special arrangement by Dr. Wendell P. Whalum, Director of the Morehouse singing group.

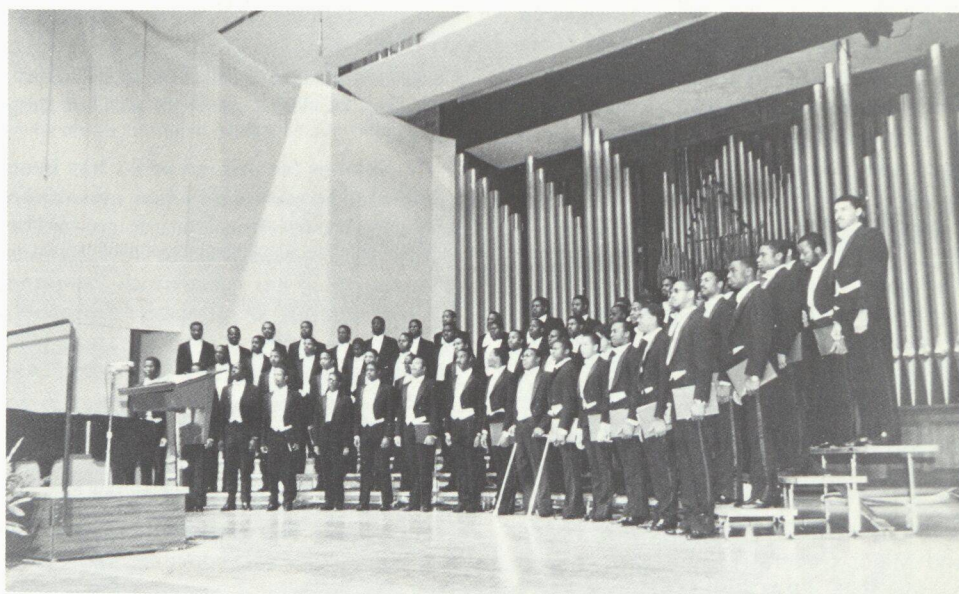
The Morehouse Glee Club received special assistance in the singing of the song from Mr. Z. Stanley Foltyn, a Senior Design Engineer with the Western Electric Company in Atlanta. Mr. Foltyn provided

a literal translation of the song, wrote it in phonetic language, and assisted the Glee Club with Polish pronunciation and enunciation.

The invitation to record the song for broadcast on December 13 was originally extended to the Yale University Glee Club, which reportedly declined because the University did not wish to "take sides or lend its name to one political cause or another, no matter how compelling that cause may be or how sympathetic members of the central administration may be to it."

After the Yale University Glee Club declined to broadcast the song, Morehouse was selected from the 39 colleges that offered to do the broadcast. Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, pointed out that the recording of a freedom song would be in keeping with the historical and musical traditions of Morehouse College.

The Morehouse Glee Club has previously appeared under State Department auspices. In 1972 the Glee Club made a six-week African tour under State Department sponsorship. Prior to this trip the Glee Club appeared at the State Department and afterwards at the National Presbyterian Church in Washington under State Department auspices. The Morehouse Glee Club has also appeared at Lincoln Center in New York, Kennedy Center in Washington, and other major concert halls.



The Morehouse College Glee Club.

Office of Institutional Planning and Research Established at Morehouse College

On July 1, 1982, Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, opened the Office of Institutional Planning and Research as a further enrichment of the administrative services of the Atlanta institution. Dr. Helaine D. Oredugba, former Coordinator of the Management Information System, is the Director of the new office, which has been charged with the responsibility of coordinating all college planning, operational research, and information system monitoring.



Dr. Helaine D. Oredugba

The Office of Institutional Planning and Research is responsible for spearheading the formal Long-Range Planning Process of Morehouse College for the 1980's. Officially launched during the 1981-1982 academic year, the planning process involves the entire college community in the development of a long-range plan to guide Morehouse College through the remainder of the 1980's.

During the initial design phase of the planning activities, President Gloster established a Planning Committee, made up of faculty, staff, and students, to handle policy issues and to develop the general framework for the planning process. The faculty and staff members of the Planning Committee for the 1982-83 academic year are as follows: Dr. Cleon Arrington, Chairperson, Department of Chemistry; Dr. Robert Brisbane, Chairperson, Department of Political Science; Mr. Hugh Fordyce, Coordinator of the Strengthening Developing Institutions Program; Dr. Robert Leonard, Director of Development; Dr. Phillip Redrick, Registrar; Dr.

Ida Rousseau-Mukenge, Associate Professor of Sociology; Dr. E. Delores Stephens, Associate Professor of English; and Mr. John Williams, Acting Chairperson, Department of Economics and Business Administration. The student members of the Planning Committee were appointed based on recommendations by the faculty.

A one-hundred page Planning Manual has been produced by the Office of Institutional Planning and Research. The Manual outlines the various stages of the Planning Process and includes a Planning Cycle Calendar, which identifies the major tasks, the responsible person(s) or group, and the dates for completion of tasks. The use of the Manual for the Long-Range Planning Process will be demonstrated during a series of workshops which have been planned for both faculty and staff.

On December 1, 1982, the President and the Academic Dean issued requests that program plans be developed by each of the various units of the College. Also in December, a second committee was appointed by the President. This second committee, the Analytical Studies Committee, will review the program plans that are submitted and make revisions and summaries of each plan. The summaries will then be submitted to the Business Office, where preliminary fiscal projections will be made, based on the summaries.

The institutional research aspect of the new office is supported by a Research Review Committee. This Committee is comprised of the Academic Dean, Business Manager, Dean of Students, Director of Development, Registrar, Director of Admissions, and SDIP Coordinator. The Research Review Committee has established research priorities for the academic year that will assist the College in developing a comprehensive institutional data base. The four research priority areas for the 1982-1983 academic year include retention, academic offerings, academically able students, and institutional performance.

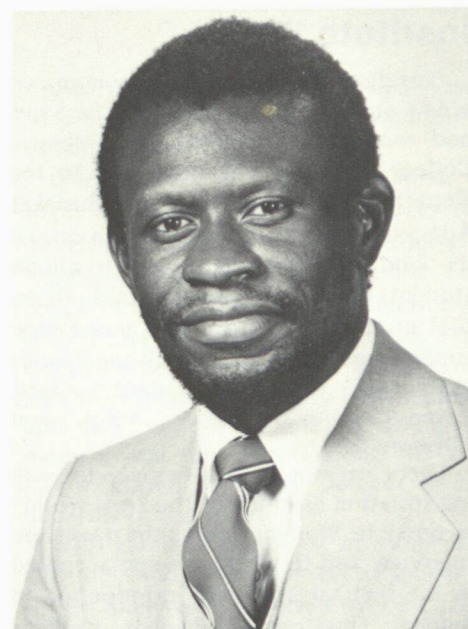
Morehouse College Has Established a New Course on the Life and Thought of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Morehouse College has established a comprehensive course on the life and thought of Martin Luther King, Jr. The course was funded by The Lilly Endowment, Inc. for \$69,000 from September 1, 1982, to December 1983.

Morehouse College is the appropriate

place for a course on Dr. King because of its international reputation for quality and because of its unique relation to Martin Luther King, Jr., who graduated from Morehouse in 1948. By offering a major course on his life and thought, Morehouse has again acknowledged his many worldwide contributions.

The course, which has now entered its second semester, affords students the opportunity to research the life of one of the greatest civil rights activists of the twentieth century. The Nobel Peace Prize winner's life, from early childhood until his death, is described and examined by individuals who were very close to Dr. King, his family, and the civil rights movement. The course is open to Atlanta Univer-



Dr. Lawrence E. Carter

sity center students and to citizens of greater Atlanta.

This thought-provoking and inspiring course is under the directorship of Dr. Lawrence Edward Carter, Dean of the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel. The course studies the history of the civil rights movement in America with special emphasis on the influence of Dr. King during this turbulent time. It explores non-violent action as a strategy and instrument of social change, and it assesses the current status of the movement for human rights. Research papers and projects are used as a means of encouraging new research and publications about the civil and human rights movement in general and about Dr. King in particular.

By drawing upon insights into Religion, Philosophy, Sociology, Political Science, History, and other disciplines, the course develops within students a deeper awareness of human-rights issues and generates self-examination of personal commitments with respect to these issues. The

textbook used for the course is entitled *Let the Trumpet Sound*, written by Stephen B. Oates. Books written by Dr. King are also used in the course. These books are: *Strength to Love*, *Stride Toward Freedom*, *Where Do We Go from Here: Chaos or Community?* and *We Can't Wait*.

The main objective of the course is to expose students and members of the Atlanta University Center and general community to distinguished lecturers about the life, work, and legacy of Dr. King. Scholars and international figures periodically address members of the class.

Morehouse Inaugurates Sales and Marketing Institute

President Hugh M. Gloster announced a new and innovative program, the Sales and Marketing Institute, at Morehouse College. The Institute, sponsored by the Department of Economics and Business Administration, is the only known one of its kind in the country which allows students to research, develop, and sell actual products. Financial and managerial support has come from such prestigious marketing firms as Quaker Oats, Owens/Corning Fiberglass, Xerox, and Pillsbury.

Every attempt is made to make the selling situation as much of the "real world" as possible. Students must even pass a job interview and test before being accepted in the first sales course, Introduction to Selling. This course teaches students basic sales skills while providing actual sales experience through the marketing of real products.

Students receive eight weeks of classroom training in everything from motivational techniques to making the presentation, objections handling, customer follow-up, and territory management. They are then divided into four teams, each with corporate advisors, and spend the remainder of the semester meeting established sales quotas. Gifts and certificates were provided by several Atlanta establishments as sales incentives.

Monday, October 25, 1982, marked the first day of field experience for the new salespeople, who sold boxed Christmas cards. Art work for some cards was provided by local artist Bob Threadgill, of IBM.

The concept for the Sales and Marketing Institute was the brainchild of Lydia Mosley, Assistant Professor of Marketing at Morehouse, with inputs from Chuck Barlow, Xerox Regional Sales Manager.

The idea originated with student inquiries about sales careers and corporate recruiters' desire to hire "assertive types"

for their sales forces.

"When I went to Chuck to discuss the idea, he suggested that it would be great if they could sell actual products. I readily agreed," stated Prof. Mosley. "Students had heard that you can make a lot of money in sales, but often had no real idea of what sales are like. Many become disillusioned and defeated when they learn of the long, irregular hours, hard work, and rejection that are also a part of the profession. Through our program, we hope to eliminate the surprises and increase the chances of success in selling careers."

A team of six students manage the program, making decisions ranging from pricing, accounting, marketing strategy, and promotion to new product development.

Classes are available to men and women at all of the undergraduate institutions in the Atlanta University Center.

Prof. Mosley, who serves as Director of the Institute, is a University of Chicago MBA with sales training and experience from Xerox and Merrill Lynch.

Corporate ties are maintained through Benjamin McLaurin, Director of Career Counseling and Placement at Morehouse and Assistant Director of the Institute.

Morehouse College Presents a Musical Memorial Tribute Honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Over 1,000 people attended a Musical Memorial Tribute honoring the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., a distinguished alumnus of Morehouse College. The Tribute was held on Sunday, January 16, 1983, in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel on the Morehouse campus.

The Musical Tribute was written, directed, and composed by Mr. Lamar Alford, Assistant to the Dean of King Chapel and Dramaturge-in-Residence. The Tribute was a special Vesper House Service commemorating the birthday of Dr. King, who would have been fifty-four years old on January 15, 1983.

The Tribute was a moving example of one man's talent, Mr. Alford, and his respect for one of the greatest men who ever lived, Dr. King. It traced King's life through the eyes of the citizens of Montgomery, Alabama, and shows how his life and death influenced these citizens.

The Musical Tribute opened with a scene of downtown Montgomery, Alabama, where Rosa Parks worked as a seamstress in a department store. The scene later progressed to Rosa Parks refusing to give up her bus seat to a white passenger and move to the back of the bus. This incident triggered the Mont-

gomery bus boycott.

The bombing of King's home was one of the most powerful scenes in the Tribute. Kenneth Flowers, a senior from Detroit, Michigan, captured the essence of Dr. King and delivered Dr. King's speeches with eloquence and dignity. In the bombing scene, he urged the citizens not to combat violence with violence but to go home and pray for those people who committed this horrible act.

Scene after scene seemed to capture the prevailing mood of the sixties. "The Death of Mrs. Viola Liuzzo" and "The Death of the Children in the Small Baptist Church" showed the tragedy of people who were caught up in this turbulent time. "A Letter from a Birmingham Jail" reflected upon a thoughtful, more solemn King who urged the civil rights leaders to continue fighting, for freedom would be won.

"Separate but Equal," "Jesus is My Main Man," "Madison Avenue Soul," "Ain't That Something," "Gone Home," and "Walking in Strange and New Places" were songs written by Mr. Alford in the Tribute. These songs were both humorous and touching in their context.

The Musical Tribute was a testimony to the life of a great civil rights activist.

National Leader Day Held at Morehouse College

February 10, 1983, was *The National Leader Day* on the Morehouse College campus. On that date, Mr. Claude Lewis, Editor and Publisher of the black-owned-and-operated newspaper located in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, addressed a crowd of approximately 1,500 faculty, staff, and students in the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Chapel. In addition, he passed out complimentary copies of the newspaper to all of the Morehouse family.

The National Leader is a newspaper of high quality and journalistic excellence whose aim is to link the black community nationwide. Therefore, it covers all areas of black life in America, from politics to sports.

The Journalistic Board of *The National Leader* consists of outstanding black Americans who have made contributions in various facets of society. They are the Honorable William H. Gray III, Rev. Benjamin Hooks, Rev. Jesse Jackson, Rev. Joseph Lowery, Mr. Christopher Edley, and Mr. Percy Sutton.

Contributing journalists include Carl Rowan, Pam Douglass, Patrice Gaines-Carter, Dr. Gregory Williams, William Raspberry, J. P. Owusu-Ansah, and Claude Lewis.



Mr. Claude Lewis

Morehouse President Among Group Honored by Middle Atlantic Writers Association

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, was one of the five individuals who received the Distinguished Literary Critics Award during the December 2 meeting of the Middle Atlantic Writers Association at the Baltimore Hilton in Baltimore. The other four honored were Sterling Brown, Arthur Davis, Nick Aaron Ford, and Saunders



Dr. Hugh M. Gloster

Redding. Dr. Brown could not be present because of illness, and Mrs. Ford received the award for her recently deceased husband.

Dr. Gloster was honored for his pioneering work, *Negro Voices in American Fiction*, 1948, and for his numerous articles on black American writers as well as for his co-editorship of *The Brown Thrush*, *An Anthology of College Verse*, 1935, and *My Life—My Country—My World: College Readings for Modern Living*, 1952.

Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy Named David E. Packard Professor of Science at Morehouse

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, recently announced that Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy, Chairman of the Department of Biology at Morehouse, has been named David E. Packard Professor of Science at the Atlanta institution.

President Gloster stated, "In 1974, Mr. David Packard of Palo Alto, California, made a contribution of \$1,400,000 to the College. Of this amount, \$400,000 was used to endow the David Packard Chair in Science, and income from the endowment will be used to support the salary of the holder of the Chair."

An internationally renowned scientist, Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy received the B.S. degree from Morehouse College, the M.S. degree from Atlanta University, and the Ph.D. degree from the University of Tennessee, Oak Ridge Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences. He has done advanced study in the Department of Microbiology of the University of South Florida, and has done Postdoctoral study at the Public Health Research Institute, New York, New York.

Recognized by the scientific community as one of the most able young biological researchers, Dr. Sheehy has served on the Microbial Genetics Study Section of the National Institutes of Health, which reviews all grants submitted to NIH in that area. He presently serves on the Clinical Cancer Program Project and Cancer Center Support Review Committee, NIH-NCI. The latter Committee is the governing body for all cancer centers in the United States.

Dr. Sheehy is the recipient of the Charles Merrill Award for Foreign Travel to Bratislava, Czechoslovakia, where he presented a paper at the Third International Conference on Antibiotic Resistance in Micro-organisms. He also is the recipient of the Max Planck Institute Award for Foreign Travel to West Berlin,



Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy

where he participated in an EMBO Workshop on plasmids and other extrachromosomal genetic elements.

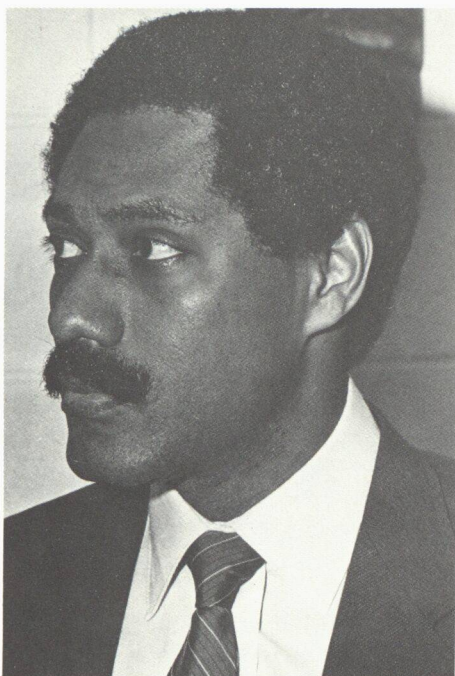
Over a ten-year period beginning in 1972, Dr. Sheehy has presided over the development of an internationally respected research program at the College and the complete reorganization of the Biology Department curriculum. During this time the number of Biology majors has tripled, the faculty has doubled, and the number of majors going to medical and other professional schools has increased to eighty percent of all departmental graduates.

With a research interest in Molecular Genetics and Mutagenesis/Carcinogenesis, Dr. Sheehy has received over a dozen grants and awards from government agencies and private corporations to carry out his research. He is also widely published in scientific journals and periodicals, and has keynoted and spoken at scientific meetings throughout the United States.

Dr. Sheehy holds membership in over a dozen societies, including the American Society for Microbiology, Beta Kappa Chi Biology Honor Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Georgia Academy of Science, and the New York Academy of Sciences.

John E. Williams Named Acting Chairman of Morehouse Department of Economics and Business Administration

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, announced the appointment of Mr. John E. Williams as Acting Chairman of the Department of Economics and Business Administration at Morehouse College.



Professor John Williams

Professor Williams, who replaces Dr. James A. Hefner, indicates that the direction of the Department will be basically the same. He states, "Dr. Hefner and I worked very carefully together with other members of the Business and Economics faculty to determine the policy and direction the Department would take. Consequently, our philosophies are very similar. However, I do want to ask the current faculty to become more involved in publications and research. I will encourage more participation in professional meetings throughout the United States."

Professor Williams pointed out, "It is imperative that our Department increase activities with the black business community. We must continue to supply minority businesses with data that is crucial to their day-to-day activities."

With reference to the current student body at Morehouse, Professor Williams states, "The College must continue to teach its students to have a positive self-image. We must teach this so they will not be intimidated by corporate America."

Teaching and research are John Williams' strong points. A Ph.D. candidate at Georgia State University, he holds the B.B.A. degree in Accounting and the M.B.A. degree in finance. His doctoral work is in real estate finance. He is a former student at Morehouse College and the United States Air Forces's Air University.

A member of the teaching faculty at Morehouse since 1976, Professor Williams is the author of two Investment Simulation Models which have received national recognition and are considered the top models in the field. He is currently author-

ing a Computer User's Guide text and is co-authoring a Casebook on Real Estate Finance. Additionally, he was the Chief Researcher for a Real Estate Investment text.

Professor Williams is a member of Delta Sigma Pi (Professional Business Society), the American Finance Association, and the American Association of Accountants. He is on the Board of Advisors of the Atlanta Street Academy, an Advisor for Atlanta Magnet Schools, and is a member of the City of Atlanta Financial Task Force.

John Ritchie, Jr. Is IBM Executive-in-Residence at Morehouse

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, has announced the appointment of Mr. John Ritchie, Jr. to the faculty of the Atlanta institution. Mr. Ritchie is on loan to Morehouse from the IBM Corporation for a period of one year. He teaches Principles of Management and Organizational Behavior.

In making the announcement, Dr. Gloster stated, "I am very pleased that a man of Mr. Ritchie's talent and experience in the corporate community will be on the Morehouse College faculty during this academic year. The Morehouse family looks forward to working with Mr. Ritchie, who will continue a rich tradition of excellence in corporate talent the College has benefited from in the past. Several IBM executives have played key roles in the development of Morehouse over the past few years."

Mr. Ritchie stated that Morehouse "has



Mr. John Ritchie

a spirit I have not found on any other college campus. There is a tremendous *esprit de corps* and sense of identity on this campus." He added, "I've been around in a lot of different places and have learned a great deal about the interrelatedness of business functions. I hope to bring the practical side of business to Morehouse."

Mr. Ritchie's most recent assignment was a position in White Plains, New York, where he served as Program Manager—Plan Management for the Europe/Middle East/Africa Corporation of IBM.

An eighteen-year veteran with IBM, Mr. Ritchie has served as Senior Plan Administrator, Senior Forecaster, Advisory Forecaster, and Marketing Economist. He also developed and managed training programs for IBM planning managers.

Mr. Ritchie is a former President of the Association for Brain-Injured Children (now the Association for Children with Learning Disabilities) and served the citizens of Westchester County, New York, for eight years as a member and President of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services. The latter board provides the occupational/vocational education and the special education services for 28 school districts in Westchester County. He is currently on the Advisory Council for the Handicapped of the County Executive, Westchester County.

Mr. Ritchie received his Bachelor's degree in mathematics from Wesleyan University. He holds a Bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Northwestern University and the MBA degree in professional management from Pace University.

Mrs. Jill McCurley Named Director of Annual and Planned Giving at Morehouse

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Jill McCurley as Director of Annual and Planned Giving at the Atlanta institution. In making the announcement, President Gloster stated, "We are pleased to have a person of Mrs. McCurley's background to fill this most vital position in the development program at our College. We pledge our support to her as she begins her duties in this new office."

Mrs. McCurley will work with administrative officers of Morehouse in the preparation of annual campaign action plans for a number of categories of prospective donors, will thoroughly research individual and organizational prospective donors, will provide resource and tech-



Mrs. Jill McCurley

nical support to the volunteer leadership structure of the annual giving campaign, and will prepare all monitoring, evaluation, and production reports used to expedite a management-by-objectives and cost-effective program.

Mrs. McCurley, upon joining the Morehouse development team, indicated that she found the College to be "well organized and orderly." She added, "There is a sense of cohesion and loyalty among faculty, staff, and students. People seem to be genuinely very happy and tend to do more than the job description requires. I knew of Morehouse and its local and national reputation, and I am thrilled to have been accepted for this position."

A native of upstate New York, Mrs. McCurley moved to Atlanta, Georgia, in 1962 and graduated from North Springs High School. She attended the University of Georgia, where she received the B.A. and M.A. degrees in Classics. She has done an additional year of graduate work in English and linguistics.

Mrs. McCurley comes to Morehouse from a position as Promotion Director of WGVC-TV 35, Grand Rapids, Michigan. From 1978 to 1980, she served as Information Supervisor for public TV station WGTW, Channel 8, Center for Continuing Education, University of Georgia.

A member of Women in Communications, Mrs. McCurley also holds membership in American Women in Radio and Television, Broadcasters Promotional Association, the Grand Rapids Press Club, the Grand Rapids Art Museum, and the Morehouse Women's Auxiliary.

Mrs. McCurley stated, "In the coming weeks, the Office of Annual and Planned Giving will be recruiting student volunteers to contact parents of current

students as part of the annual phonothon fundraiser. The phonothon kicks off the annual giving program for the year. Following the phonothon effort, I will begin work in the Planned Giving Program, which will involve keeping abreast of legal and technical developments in estate planning and charitable donations and working with prospective donors in the areas of in-kind contributions, wills, insurance, grants, and other areas of the development effort." She added, "My experience in organization and professional writing will be very helpful. Preliminary organization in my area of responsibility has been done, and there is a history of success at Morehouse to build on."

Lamar Alford Appointed Assistant to the Dean of Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel and Dramaturge-in-Residence

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, announced the appointment of Lamar Alford as Assistant to the Dean of the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel and Dramaturge-in-Residence.

Mr. Alford is a gifted and dynamic director, composer, and actor. He has studied voice and acting with world-renowned artists and has traveled throughout Europe and the Middle East in various stage and operatic productions.

Lamar Alford has had a unique history of Morehouse College. He attended Morehouse in 1962 as a student and, while at the College, became actively involved with the Non-Violent Student Coordination Committee. In 1965 he left Morehouse during the height of the civil rights movement to work with the Voter's Registration Drive in Hampton, Virginia. After working in Hampton, he went to New York and became involved in musical and theater productions. He returned to Morehouse in 1981 with the help of Dr. Wendell Whalum, Chairman of the Music Department, who knew of Mr. Alford's outstanding artistic and musical achievements. In 1981 he received the Bachelor of Arts in Music.

His educational achievement and stage experiences while in New York parallel those of some of the great artists who preceded him. In 1965 he received a scholarship to Mannes College of Music, an opera school. In addition, he studied private voice and acting lessons with Miss Claire Gelda until her death in 1977. Miss Gelda, whom Mr. Alford described as "a woman of the theatre," encouraged him

to broaden his interest from opera to the performing arts. As a result, from 1966 to 1977 he was in a repertory company called the Cafe La Mama Experimental Theater Company. Cafe La Mama was a theatre company that afforded playwrights and actors the opportunity to explore and enhance their talents and creativity.

During his years at Cafe La Mama, Mr. Alford acted, directed, and composed music for several plays. He was the First God in the play "Good Woman of Setzuan," written by Bertolt Brecht; a cast member in "The Trojan Women-The Good Soldier"; and The Postman in "Gloria and Esperanga," written by Ching Yeh. "Thoughts" and "Second Thoughts" were written, composed, and directed by Mr. Alford. He also composed the music for "A Rat's Mass," which was written by Adrienne Kennedy.

In 1971 Mr. Alford played the part of Lamar, a role he created, with the original cast in the Off-Broadway production of "Godspell," and, in 1976, in the Broadway production of "Godspell" at the Broadhurst Theatre in New York. He also recorded the soundtrack of "Godspell" with the original cast on Bell Records.

Mr. Alford's television appearances include Johnny Carson's "Tonight Show," "The Today Show," "Merv Griffin Show," and "Moby Dick," a Sunday Night NBC Special.



Mr. Lamar Alford

Before joining the administrative staff at Morehouse, Mr. Alford was a faculty member of Spelman College Drama Department. At Spelman, he taught Acting, Styles of Acting, and Modern Drama. He directed two plays: "The Cherry Orchard" and the world premiere of "What Drove Molly Mad." He was also Co-Director of the Atlanta University Summer Theater.

As Assistant to the Dean of King Chapel, Mr. Alford feels that his major

responsibility is to "help develop a performance component as part of the ministry of King Chapel, which is interfaith, interdenominational, ecumenical, experimental, practical, and intellectual." He plans "to produce value theater and to praise God through morally responsible dance, music, and plays." He sees King Chapel first as a house of worship, but also as a multi-functional Chapel for the College and larger community.

Mr. Alford will also be responsible for producing and directing the Coronation Ceremony of Miss Maroon and White. Mr. Alford describes the Coronation Ceremony as "one of the largest social, cultural, and educational events at Morehouse that is open to all students at Morehouse and Spelman." "It is a celebration of life, and it tends to inspire as well as entertain," stated Mr. Alford.

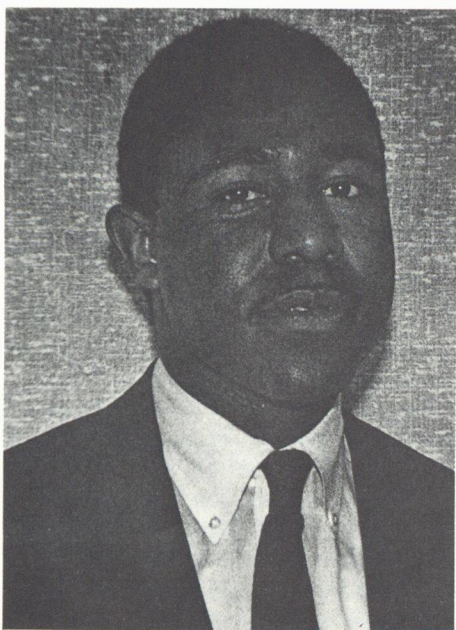
Mr. Alford is the son of a Baptist minister and is originally from Montgomery, Alabama.

Calvin F. Vismale, Jr. Appointed Assistant Director of Admissions

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, announced the appointment of Calvin F. Vismale, Jr., as Assistant Director of Admissions.

Mr. Vismale's major responsibilities as Assistant Director of Admissions are to recruit students to Morehouse and to systematize the internal operations of the Admissions Department.

He is currently in the process of conducting an intense six-week recruiting tour of northern and southern states. He will travel to Boston, Massachusetts,



Calvin F. Vismale Jr.

Hartford, Connecticut, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, New York, New York, Detroit, Michigan, and Chicago, Illinois as part of the northern tour, and as part of the southern tour, will travel to Raleigh and Charlotte, North Carolina, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Tampa and Tallahassee, Florida. The intense recruiting effort is in response to the nationwide competition for scholarly black males among colleges and universities. "Morehouse cannot rest on its reputation. We must tell the Morehouse story," stated Mr. Vismale. With the help of the various alumni organizations in different states, he will also be involved in an on-going recruiting process.

Mr. Vismale is a 1978 graduate of Morehouse with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Finance. The fact that he is a Morehouse alumnus, he feels, makes the recruiting aspect of his job much easier. "I can speak about the realities of attending Morehouse. I will stress academics, but also stress that students become involved in extracurricular activities," he stated.

Before joining the staff at Morehouse, Mr. Vismale was a Registered Representative of all major securities exchanges in the United States with Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner, and Smith. He is a member of the National Black MBA Association, the Atlanta Business League, and National Association of Securities Dealers.

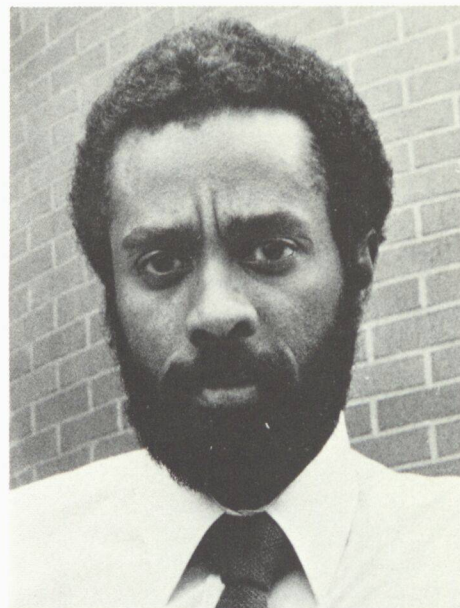
Mr. Vismale is a native of Chicago, Illinois.

Michael D. Harris Serves as Consultant in Unique Portland Desegregation Program

Michael D. Harris, Instructor of Art at Morehouse College, recently served the Portland, Oregon, Public School System as a curriculum consultant in a unique desegregation plan for that city.

Dr. Asa G. Hilliard, Calloway Professor of Urban Education at Georgia State University, was chosen by the Portland Public School System to serve as consultant for the overall desegregation program. Dr. Hilliard, in turn, recommended consultants in mathematics, art, science, music, and social sciences. Michael Harris was approved by the Portland School System to serve as art consultant.

Mr. Harris recounted in brief form the history and rationale behind this unique desegregation plan. He stated, "The Black United Front is a strong influential group of black leaders in Portland, Oregon, who are vitally concerned about the education of their children and have worked to make the school district respond in a responsible manner. The Black United



Michael D. Harris

Front brought legal action against the Portland School System; however, the action they brought was not a normal desegregation program. They wanted to change the content of the curriculum rather than transport students. The problem seemed to be a segregated curriculum."

He added, "In my consulting capacity, I criticized the curriculum guide, offered addenda, met with faculty and administrators in specific fields, and recommended a bibliography of materials which included films, books, etc. I also met with the Black United Front in an advisory capacity. Consultants held a number of meetings of this type which culminated in a presentation before the public at the Portland Board of Education Building. All of the meetings were taped. The tapes are in the hands of Dr. Asa Hilliard so that he may match committee recommendations and actions taken."

Mr. Harris stated that the strategy was "to change the content of the curriculum to more accurately represent the contributions of minority groups. Other concerns were the adoption of achievement standards and the demonstration of successful teaching practices". He continued, "After examining the curriculum, I saw a couple of points to approach in the area of art. My emphasis was first of all, art and history predate Egypt, and Egyptian innovations came from Africa and Africans; i.e., I began to attack stereotypical perceptions of Africa. I traced unbroken African development from Egypt to south, east, southeast, and west to other African cultures. These civilizations were advanced but were broken up by slavery. When you teach Egyptian art from the perspective that it is black art, you change stereotypical assumptions."

Mr. Harris added that a "major point to be considered is that African and Afro-

American art objectives are not the same as American objectives; therefore, they cannot be assessed in the same way. It is also important to note that Egyptian-African art exerted a tremendous influence on Mediterranean art and had a profound effect on sources of images of Picasso and other abstract artists. The design qualities of African art affected their work greatly."

"I anticipate going back to Portland for a follow-up series of meetings with other consultants and Dr. Asa Hilliard during the latter part of the fall or the early part of 1983," states Mr. Harris.

Mr. Harris holds the Bachelor's degree from Bowling Green State University and the Master of Fine Arts degree from Howard University. He is an outstanding young artist whose works have been exhibited throughout the United States. He has gallery affiliations in Atlanta, Silver Springs, Maryland, Shaker Heights, Ohio, and Gainesville, Florida. Some of his murals are at Atlanta Junior College and Price High School in Atlanta.

An accomplished poet, Mr. Harris has had his works published widely throughout the United States. Additionally, he has written two books of poetry entitled *Oms and Okra* and *Atlantis*.

Morehouse College Students Participate in Oxfam Fast for a World Harvest

On November 18, 1982, the Thursday before Thanksgiving, Morehouse College joined thousands of Americans around the country in Oxfam America's Annual Fast for a World Harvest.

The money the participants saved by not eating on that day was donated to support Oxfam America's self-help development projects around the world. The contribution of this money was a simple and direct way of sharing some of America's resources with people in Latin America, Asia, and Africa who are struggling to become self-reliant.

Morehouse College was requested by Mr. Laurence Simon, Director of Policy Analysis at Oxfam, to participate in the Fast. Dr. Helaine Oredugba, Director of Institutional Planning and Research at Morehouse College, met with Mr. Simon and arranged for him to meet with student organization leaders who would be interested in organizing the Fast.

In one single week, Morehouse College students raised \$2,165, which is a record amount for Oxfam in terms of the number of students in the student body. It represented over one dollar per student. Prior to the Morehouse Fast, the most that



Gregory Groover

had been raised by any college or university in the nation for Oxfam equaled only approximately 75 cents per student.

Morehouse College, as a family, expressed its deep concern and compassion for the social conditions of the world through the Fast activity. It was strongly supported by students, faculty, and staff, and the support had a strong force of unity. Because of the unified efforts of the college community, Oxfam granted the College a full scholarship for one of its students to attend its press tour in Central America. Mr. Gregory Groover, a senior from Long Island, New York, and Student Government Association President, represented the College on the study tour of the Dominican Republic and Nicaragua. Mr. Groover presented his findings on the situation in the Dominican Republic and Nicaragua on Thursday, February 3, 1983, at 11:00 a.m., in the Unified College Assembly.

Mr. Groover began his report by giving a brief history of the Dominican Republic: "The Dominican Republic is one of the smallest countries in Latin America with an estimated population of 5.6 million. It is a nation that has been a victim of United States—supported military coups and dictatorships for over a century." Mr. Groover added, "One of the first things that I learned during my brief visit to the Dominican Republic was that the lives of the majority of the people are getting worse every year. One of the reasons for this phenomenon is due to the concentration of wealth. Last year, the wealthiest 6 percent of the population received 43 percent of the income, while half of the population received a total of 13 percent."

In addition to the inequitable distribution of wealth, Mr. Groover found, through his study tour of the Dominican

Republic, that inflation also contributed to the impoverished plight of the people. The cost of living had risen 110 percent since 1969, and it was estimated last year that 50 percent of the families received monthly incomes of less than 35 pesos. (A peso is equivalent to a dollar). He also found that unemployment was 24 percent in some cities, and in other areas it reached a high of 45 percent.

For poor Dominicans, the problem is a scarcity of food. The typical family eats twice a day. Sugar cane production is just one of the many industries that have a particular role in the food and economic crisis. Sugar cane is grown in primarily large land holdings, occupying land which would otherwise be used for local food production. It also uses vital water resources, which could be channeled to other production. In the dry southern region, for instance, where water is the single most important factor in production, the growing and milling of cane consumes 60 percent of the available water.

While Mr. Groover observed the people of the Dominican Republic to be pessimistic about the future, the Nicaraguans, he felt, were excited about the prospects for a better tomorrow. "For 46 years, Nicaragua had been under the repressive rule of the United States—supported Somoza dynasty, which controlled all of the economic and political development," stated Mr. Groover. He added, "During this period, the masses were stripped of all of their civil liberties and nearly 18,000 Nicaraguans, who expressed their open dissent, were murdered. This tyrannical oppression gave impetus to the establishment of a revolutionary group in 1960 named the Frente Sandinista de Liberacion Nacional. The Sandinista Front led a nineteen-year war against the Somoza regime which, in July 1979, resulted in the freedom of the Nicaraguan people from the tyranny.

Nicaragua, today, has a government of national unity. All sectors of society, including labor unions, are represented and participate in the government. The potential exists in Nicaragua for building up a better life without terror, poverty, and hunger. The energy, determination, and solidarity seem to be present."

Mr. Groover concluded his report by urging students present in Assembly to become quickly engaged in the struggle for a liberated humanity, and for students to become more aware of third-world issues in Latin America, Asia, and particularly Africa.

Eric D. Ashton Serves as Intern for U.S. Senator Sam Nunn

Morehouse College, throughout its productive history, has groomed some of this nation's and perhaps the world's most influential leaders, including the late Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Georgia State Senator Julian Bond, and former Mayor of Atlanta Maynard Jackson, to mention a few. During their matriculation, these men were groomed and polished, buffed and bronzed, as are all the men of Morehouse.

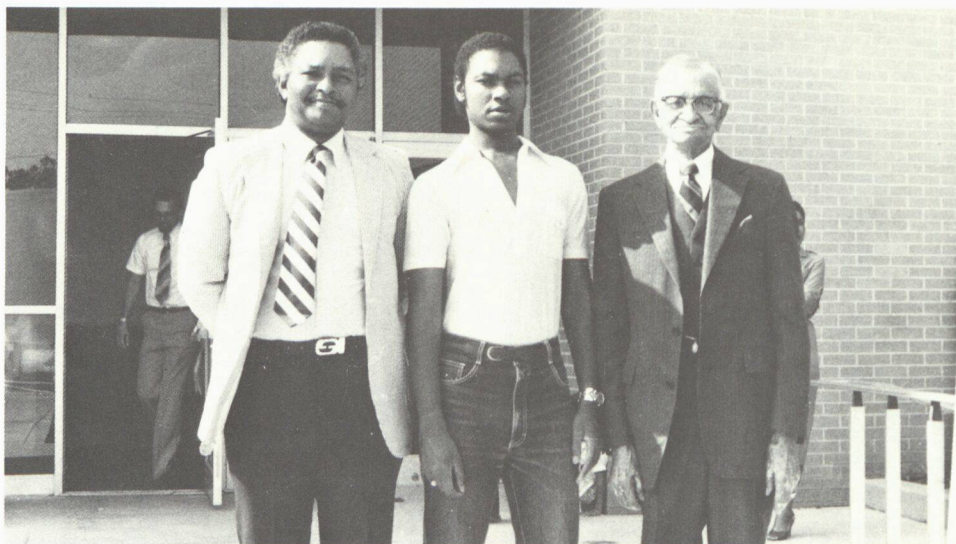
Today, through rich tradition as well as change, Morehouse College has been able to uphold her great stature and continue to provide for its students the education, the discipline, and the loyalty that one must have to be a leader; and the patience, the endurance, and the love for one's fellow man that it takes to be a follower.

An example of the type of man that Morehouse is producing today is Eric David Ashton, a senior English major, from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anthony Ashton, Eric received and accepted the opportunity to serve as an intern with United States Senator Sam Nunn from September 20, 1982, to December 20, 1982.

During his internship with the Senator, Eric was responsible for performing a number of duties, including completion of routine work orders which were in response to letters written by Georgia constituents; routine research on the status of pending legislation for constituent correspondence; and intensive research on the Reagan Administration's plans regarding the deployment and production of the MX Missile. In addition to attending meetings, committee hearings, and other functions such as Congressional receptions, Eric became an integral part of the Senator's personal staff. As a member of the "team" he was dedicated in his service to the Senator and, most importantly, to the 5.2 million Americans whom the Senator represents.

In a note of inspiration Ashton states, "It is my hope that more black students take advantage of these opportunities to obtain a first-hand observation of our political system and to gain invaluable knowledge about the efficiency or inefficiency of our government."

Appearing on the Dean's List, and listed in *Who's Who Among College Students*, Eric plans to go on to Law School and one day become a politician, something that he believes to be his civic responsibility.



Three generations of Morehouse men (r) Dr. Jonel L. Brown, '30, Prairie View, Texas. (l) Jonel L. Brown, Jr., '57, Kensington, California. (c) Mr. Jonel L. Brown, III, '86, Kensington, California.



1982 Homecoming Queen and Attendants. (L-R) 1st Attendant, Jayne Middlebrooks, Miss Maroon and White Sheila Sheftall, and 2nd Attendant, Beverly Clark.

Sheila Elaine Sheftall Reigns as Homecoming Queen for Morehouse College

The student body of Morehouse College chose Sheila Elaine Sheftall to reign as Miss Maroon and White for 1982-83. Ms. Sheftall, an energetic native of Macon, Georgia, follows in a long line of Spelman College co-eds who have served as Homecoming Queen for the 116-year-old Atlanta institution.

Sheila Sheftall is a 21-year-old senior majoring in Biology—Premed at Spelman College. Ms. Sheftall considers her greatest personal characteristic "determination." "I believe that all things are

possible for those who have faith in themselves," she states.

A consistent member of the Spelman College Honor Roll and Dean's List, Ms. Sheftall is the recipient of the Edward E. Riley Biology Award, symbolizing excellence in the study of Biology. She is a member of Beta Kappa Chi Science Honor Society and the Health Careers Society; and she has served as a tutor in Chemistry, Biology, and French.

During the summer of 1982, Ms. Sheftall had an internship as a laboratory assistant with Merck, Sharp and Dohme Pharmaceuticals, West Point, Pennsylvania. In the summer of 1981, she worked and had classes at the Medical College of Georgia.

Ms. Sheftall has the practice of medicine as her career goal. Toward that goal, she has worked with G.H. Austin, M.D., in Macon, Georgia, under the Minority Retention and Recruitment Program. She has also worked with Dr. Petitioni at Harlem, New York, Hospital.

Sheila Sheftall's family (Mr. and Mrs. Jackson B. Sheftall, Jr.) has very close ties with Morehouse College and Spelman College. Her father is a Morehouse graduate, and her mother is a Spelman graduate. Her uncle, Dr. Willis B. Sheftall, taught at Morehouse College for a number of years.

First attendant on the Miss Maroon and White Court is Jayne Thenise Middlebrooks. Ms. Middlebrooks is a native Atlantan who is in her junior year at Spelman College. With aspirations of "entering medical school in the fall of 1984 and eventually becoming a first-rate physician," Jayne Middlebrooks also has an outstanding academic record at Spelman College. She is a member of the Honors Program, the Honor Roll, and Dean's List, is the recipient of a trophy for Summer Science Scholastic Ability, and is the recipient of BISRI Undergraduate Research Honors.

In addition to being an avid sports enthusiast, Ms. Middlebrooks enjoys reading, composing poetry, photography, tennis, and bicycle riding. She is the oldest of three children of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Middlebrooks of Atlanta and is a graduate of Southwest High School.

Second attendant on the 1982 Maroon and White Court is Beverly J. Clarke. A 20-year-old junior Mathematics major at Spelman College, Beverly Clarke is an accomplished musician who has won several awards in woodwind competitions. She plays the oboe in the Atlanta University Center Chamber Orchestra and is a saxophonist and clarinetist in the Morehouse College Maroon Tiger Marching Band.

The winner of Spelman College's Natural Sciences Essay Prize in 1980, Ms. Clarke attended the United Negro College Fund Premed Summer Institute at Fisk University in 1982. She is the recipient of an academic scholarship from UNCF.

Following graduation, Beverly Clarke plans "to pursue a Master's degree in Mathematics and pursue a career goal in a medically related field." She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Clarke of Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

The Homecoming Queen and her court were crowned on Friday, October 29, 1982.

The homecoming pageant was written, produced, and directed by Lamar Alford, Assistant to the Dean of the Martin Luther King, Jr. International Memorial Chapel and Dramaturge-in-Residence.

Ricky Godfrey Receives Budweiser Lineman of the Year Award at Morehouse

At ceremonies held in the office of Morehouse President Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, a scholarship check in the amount of \$1,000 was presented to Morehouse College in the name of Ricky Godfrey by Budweiser. The award signified Godfrey's being named 1982 Lineman of the Year for the Morehouse Maroon Tiger football team.

Godfrey, a six-foot, 250-pound nose guard, stated that he was "very pleased to receive the Lineman of the Year Award, the first presented to a Morehouse football player. I would like to give special thanks to my defensive coordinator, Coach Willie Hill, my head coach "Mo" Hunt, and the members of the 1982 Maroon Tiger football squad for making this award possible."

He added, "I appreciate the solid foundation my high school head coach, Dwight Hochstetler, and my defensive coordinator, Zeke Geer, provided me during my high school career."

Godfrey gave special thanks to his mother (Mrs. Mattie B. Godfrey) and his late father (Mr. Willie Lee Godfrey) for a

"good positive upbringing." He added, "I also want to encourage my brother Michael to pursue his college career and give him special thanks for helping me along the way. I look forward to playing ball with him when he comes to Morehouse."

Morehouse Head Football Coach Maurice "Mo" Hunt stated, "It is a good thing that Anheuser-Busch has seen fit to provide athletes in black colleges with this type of award. It is long overdue. I hope this will be an annual award presented to athletes in the Atlanta University Center."

Coach Hunt additionally stated, "We have been extremely pleased with Ricky not only as a football player, but also as a person. It is my hope for the future of Morehouse College athletics that we can get more men the calibre of Ricky Godfrey to participate in our sports programs. We feel we were very lucky to get Ricky. He has proven to be a player of great character and ability. Credit for this, of course, goes to his mother."

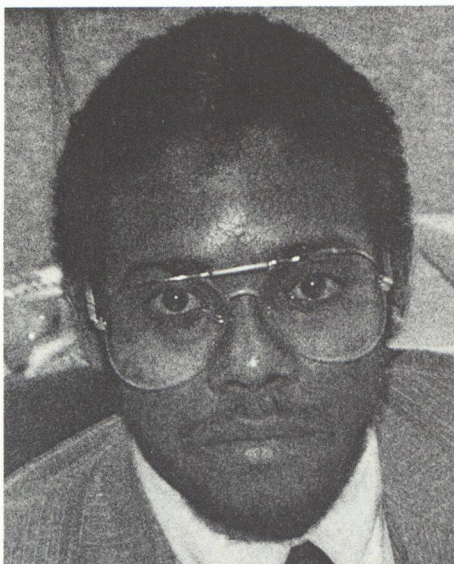


(l-r) Tony Patrick, Anheuser Busch, Ricky Godfrey, Morehouse College Lineman of the Year (1982), Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, Maurice "Mo" Hunt, Morehouse Head Football Coach, Laird Candy, Anheuser Busch.

Charles N. Hawk III Named Director of Alumni Affairs

Dr. Hugh M. Gloster, President of Morehouse College, has announced the appointment of Charles N. Hawk III as Director of Alumni Affairs at the Atlanta institution. In making the announcement, President Gloster stated, "Mr. Hawk served as a student trustee of Morehouse College in his undergraduate days. By virtue of this position, he gained a great deal of insight into the total operation of the College. I am sure he will build on that foundation to serve very effectively as Director of Alumni Affairs, one of the College's key administrative positions."

Charles Hawk stated that he was "delighted" to return to his alma mater. He added, "This directorship is my meager attempt to give back a portion of what Morehouse has given me. Idealistically, I would like to see 100 per cent participation from the Alumni. In my first days in office, I want to challenge Morehouse men to give full financial and moral support to the College. This support can be in a substantive manner as well as in a financial manner by interacting with the members of the current student body, by serving as guest lecturers



and role models, and by generally giving the benefit of expertise in a number of areas."

Charles Hawk returned to Morehouse from the law firm of McDaniel, Chorey, and Taylor and that of Cooper and Weintraub, where he worked in a number of different litigation areas. He was formerly

a Clerk and Research Assistant for the Honorable Isaac Jenrette, State Superior Court Judge, and worked as a Legal Assistant for the law firm of Thomas, Kennedy, Sampson, and Edwards.

An Honor Roll and Dean's List graduate (Class of 1979) of Morehouse College, Mr. Hawk received the J.D. degree from Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C. He is a member of the Political Science Honor Society, is listed in *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*, and is the recipient of the Uhuru Award for Artistic Achievement.

Mr. Hawk is a member of the Deacon Board of Friendship Baptist and a Trustee Board Member of the Afro-American Hall of Fame. During his student days at Georgetown, he was a member of the Uhuru Acting Ensemble, assuming the duties of director, writer, producer, actor, negotiator of contracts, and coordinator of copyright work for original script and musical scores. At Georgetown he was a student member of the American Bar Association and a member of the Black American Law Students Association.

Eight Morehouse Alumni Honored by NAFEO

At its Eighth Annual Meeting held in Washington, D. C., on April 16, 1983, the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education honored eight Morehouse men by presenting them with the 1983 NAFEO Distinguished Alumni of the Year Citation. The presentation was made at the Annual Leadership Awards Banquet.

NAFEO annually sponsors a National Conference on Blacks in Higher Education to assess and reassess the status of blacks in higher education. Because this Conference is the single most important national forum for discussing issues affecting blacks in higher education, it has become the setting for the presentation of NAFEO's Annual Citation honor-

ing alumni of black institutions.

The awards are presented to distinguished alumni who are nominated by their alma mater as "living testimony of the high quality of leadership that the historically black colleges are currently providing in all strata of society."

In 1983, given the emphasis on linkages to the economy, NAFEO, the membership association of 114 historically black colleges and universities enrolling 250,000 students, has chosen to focus on the contributions that the historically black colleges and universities are currently making to the power structure of corporate America.

Those alumni of Morehouse honored by NAFEO are: Charles W. Cherry, Publisher and Editor of the *Daytona Times*, Inc., Daytona, Florida; Malcolm Corrin, President and Chief Executive Of-

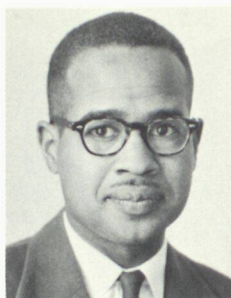
ficer of the Interracial Council for Business Opportunity, Inc., New York, New York; I. Owen Funderburg, President of the Citizen's Trust Bank, Atlanta, Georgia; Marion O. Greene, Jr., President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the International Business Services Inc., Washington, D. C.; Walter E. Massey, Director of the Argonne National Laboratory and Vice President for Research at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois; Theodore E. Moore, Vice President of Client Services for Health Projects International, New York, New York; Charles M. Reynolds, Jr., President of the Atlantic National Bank, Norfolk, Virginia; Solomon William Walker II, Board Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Pilgrim Health and Life Insurance Company, Augusta, Georgia.



C. W. Buggs '28



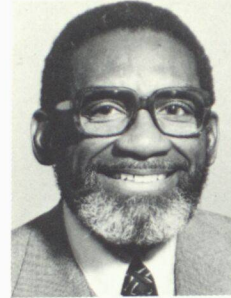
J. B. Reid '30



G. J. Davis '47



C. V. Willie '48



A. L. Johnson '48

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1928

Charles Wesley Buggs (M.S., Ph.D., University of Minnesota) was recently awarded the "Famous Black American Scientist Award" from Nabisco, Inc., for his work towards improving science with new medical developments. Alumnus Buggs is one of twenty scientists living and dead who have received the special award, all chosen by a committee of prominent scientists at Atlanta University. Among the past recipients were George Washington Carver and Charles R. Drew. Alumnus Buggs has taught for nearly fifty years at medical schools and colleges. In 1943 he became the first full-time black professor in the medical school at Wayne State University in Detroit. He also set up the premedical program at Dillard University, and in 1969 he helped set up the Charles R. Drew Post-Graduate Medical School. Alumnus Buggs is currently a part-time professor at California State University at Long Beach.

1930

James Brackett Reid (D.D., Virginia Baptist Seminary and College) was honored at a Banquet-Reception along with his wife Mary Frances Reid in observance of their fiftieth wedding anniversary, on June 18, 1982. Alumnus Reid is Pastor of Shalom Baptist Church in Newport News, Virginia.

1942

George Aubrey Johnston (M.D., Meharry Medical College) was recently honored at a banquet sponsored by the Macon Morehouse Alumni Club at the Macon City Auditorium for his outstanding commitment to the community. Alumnus Johnston was presented with plaques from the Washington Avenue United Presbyterian Church and the Medical Center of Central Georgia. The Macon Morehouse Club also set up a scholarship fund in his name. At the close of the program Alumnus Johnston stated that he would continue to offer the best medical

help possible and would continue to serve his community. He has served the Macon area since 1951 and is assisted by his son, Dr. Benjamin Johnston.

1947

William A. McGill (M.A., University of Michigan) has been promoted to the position of Director of Intergovernmental Affairs and Management. He will be responsible for administering funding from state and federal municipalities for county agencies that include Wayne County. Alumnus McGill was previously Deputy Director of Intergovernmental Affairs and Management. He is President of the Detroit Morehouse Alumni Club and Vice President-at-Large of the Morehouse Alumni Association, Inc.

Griffith J. Davis (M.S., Columbia University) has been elected an honorary member of the American Home Economics Association in recognition of "his efforts to facilitate more effective involvement of home economics in international development assistance programs and to promote home economics to black Americans." Past award recipients have been Esther Peterson, Eleanor Roosevelt, and President and Mrs. Herbert Hoover. In the Association's 73-year history, only thirty-eight other individuals have been named honorary members. The honorary membership category was established to permit the Association to honor individuals other than home economists for exceptional service in the interests of the Association. The American Home Economics Association's purpose is to improve the quality and standards of individual and family life through education, research, cooperative programs, and public information, with special emphasis on the family unit. Alumnus Davis is currently a Counselor for the United States Agency for International Development, in the Information and Education Division, in the Office of Population.

1948

Arthur L. Johnson (M.A., Atlanta University) has been elected chairman of the Executive Committee of the Citizens Committee for the Detroit Public Schools.

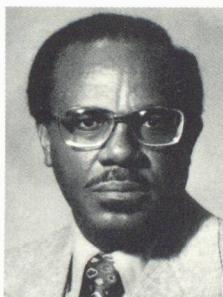
The citizens group was formed in September 1982 at the request of the Detroit Board of Education to help propose solutions to Detroit's teacher's strike. The group has now focused its efforts on the Detroit district's financial problems. Alumnus Johnson is Vice-President for Community Relations at Wayne State University.

Charles Vert Willie (M.A., Atlanta University; Ph.D., Syracuse University) was saluted in the Tenth Anniversary Double Issue of *Ms. Magazine* for his 1974 resignation as top-ranking lay person in the Episcopal Church to protest women's exclusion from the priesthood—a church position that was reversed two years later. Alumnus Willie was one of forty "Ms. Heroes"; "men who've taken chances and made a difference." Alumnus Willie was also awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters at the Morehouse College Founder's Day Convocation on February 17, 1983, where he delivered the main address. Alumnus Willie is currently Professor of Education and Urban Studies at the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

1949

Herman Franklin Bostick (M.A., Atlanta University; Ph.D., Ohio State University) was recently honored by Ohio State University and its Office of Minority Affairs for his outstanding service and varied achievements in the teaching of foreign languages. Among the many accomplishments cited in the presentation to Alumnus Bostick were his publications of many articles on integrating black literature and culture into language courses on Haitian literature and on French-speaking Africa. He is a Professor of French and Associate Dean for Educational Affairs at the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences at Howard University.

Henry M. Harris III (M.A., Atlanta University) has been awarded the degree of Doctor of Education from Nova University, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Alumnus Harris is Principal of Beecher Hills Elementary School, Atlanta, Georgia and is also President of the Atlanta Morehouse Club.



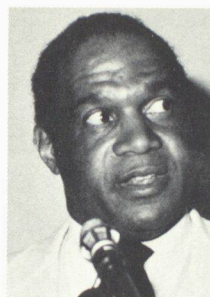
H. F. Bostick '49



L. H. James '49



O. Horton '51



J. Farris '51



M. H. Jackson '56

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Leroy H. James (B.D., Andover Newton) retired on March 31, 1982, from the United States Army. Alumnus James served for over twenty years as Chaplain of the United Church of Christ. He was honored at a ceremony and was awarded the Legion of Merit, the Army's highest peacetime decoration, and was also given an award by the Washington, D.C., Alumni Chapter. Commencing June 1, Alumnus James will assume the position of Senior Minister at the historic First Congregational Church of Washington, D.C., on an interim basis.

Samuel B. McKinney (M.Div., Colgate Rochester Divinity School; D.D., Linfield College) was recently honored on the occasion of his Twenty-fifth Anniversary as Pastor of Mount Zion Baptist Church of Seattle, Washington. There were three nights of planned activities, culminating in a Silver Jubilee Banquet.

1950

A. Romeo Horton, former President of the Bank of Liberia, has joined the faculty at Philadelphia's Wharton School of Finance.

1951

Jerome Farris (M.S.W., Atlanta University; J.D., University of Washington School of Law) of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit was elected chairman of the Appellate Judges' Conference of the American Bar Association Judicial Administration Division. The conference represents about 700 federal and state judges who hear appeals from trial courts across the nation. As Chairman, Alumnus Farris will lead the conference in developing policy recommendations for the American Bar Association House of Delegates, its policy-making body, and in developing information and educational programs and materials for its judicial members.

Odell Horton (LL.B., Howard University) was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws during the February 1983 Morehouse College Founder's Day Convocation. Alumnus Horton is currently the United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee.

1953

Binford Harrison Conley (M.S., Atlanta University) was awarded a doctoral degree from Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, at the May 1982 commencement ceremonies. Alumnus Conley is Director of University Libraries at Howard University.

1954

Ezra C. Davidson, Jr. (M.D., Meharry Medical College), has been elected vice-chairman of the Los Angeles area section of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, for a three-year term. The College is the leading medical organization representing more than 23,000 specialists who provide health care for women. Alumnus Davidson is currently Chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Martin Luther King Jr. General Hospital; Professor and Chairman of the Department of Ob/Gyn, and Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Charles R. Drew, Postgraduate Medical School; Professor Ob/Gyn at the University of California; and President of the Los Angeles Obstetrical and Gynecological Society.

1956

Maynard H. Jackson, Jr. (J.D., North Carolina Central University) received the Forrester B. Washington Human Services Award from the Atlanta University School of Social Work, which is the school's highest honor. Alumnus Jackson was chosen because of his "commitment to and support for human services during his eight years as mayor." Mayor Andrew Young presented the award and also took the opportunity to declare December 4, 1982, Maynard Holbrook Jackson Day in Atlanta. Alumnus Jackson has recently joined the Chicago-based law firm of Chapman and Cutler as a partner. He will continue to maintain an office in Atlanta

and is expected to devote a substantial portion of his time to the firm's national public finance practice. He is also Chairman of Jackmont, Inc. (urban economic development, urban management, housing, and marketing).

Charlie J. Johnson (B.D., M.Div., Morehouse School of Religion, I.T.C.; Th.D., Trinity Theological Seminary) was awarded the degree of Doctor of Ministry in Pastoral Counseling from Trinity Theological Seminary. Alumnus Johnson recently retired from parish ministry after thirty-one years of service.

Major R. Owens (M.A., Atlanta University) was elected to the United States House of Representatives in the twelfth Congressional District of New York, in the seat formerly held by Shirley Chisholm. Alumnus Owens has served in the State Senate of New York and was Deputy Administrator for Community Development in New York City.

1957

John E. Simmons (Ph.D., Colorado State University) has been awarded a Fulbright Lectureship for the 1982-83 academic year. He will lecture on Human Physiology at Gezira University, Khartoum, Sudan. Alumnus Simmons is currently an Associate Professor of Biology at Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut.

1958

Walter E. Massey (M.A., Ph.D., Washington University) was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the Atlanta University Consortium's 1982 Summer Commencement. Alumnus Massey has also been recently appointed to the University Programs Panel of the Energy Research Advisory Board. The panel will advise the U.S. Department of Energy on how it can best utilize the capabilities of universities and colleges to further basic and energy research. Alumnus Massey is currently Director of Argonne National Laboratory, Professor of Physics at the University of Chicago, and Vice President for Research at the University of Chicago.



C. J. Johnson '56



W. E. Massey '58



M. O. Greene '61



B. W. Montgomery '61



R. O. Hope '62

1959

Freddie C. Colston (M.A., Atlanta University; Ph.D., Ohio State University) has been named to Annual Associate Membership in the American Biographical Institute Research Association by the Institute's Board of Directors. This national organization functions to promote fellowship among Americans through biographical research and communication, and seeks to list those whom they believe to be highly accomplished, dedicated, and like-minded in their search for knowledge, societal enrichment, and international unity on every level. Alumnus Colston is currently Associate Director of the Executive Seminar Center for the United States Office of Personnel Management and resides in Midland, Michigan.

1961

Marion O. "Duke" Greene, founder and president of International Business Services (IBS) donated \$50,000 in computer equipment to Morehouse College. The gift—two Zilog microcomputers, two CRT terminals, and two Tully Line printers—was made to strengthen the course offerings in the Mathematics and Computer Science Departments at Morehouse. IBS, Alumnus Greene's company is a 13-year-old multimillion-dollar corporation of more than 350 employees with offices in Washington, D.C., Miami, Florida, Atlantic City, New Jersey, Manassas, Virginia, Denver, Colorado, and San Diego, California.

Benjamin W. Montgomery (M. Ed., Xavier University) has been selected to the football officiating staff of the National Football League (NFL). He is one of eleven black officials on the staff of 107 officials and is the second professional football official from the Atlanta University Center. Prior to joining the NFL, Alumnus Montgomery officiated college football in the Ohio, Mid-American, and Big Ten athletic conferences. Alumnus Montgomery is employed with the Dayton Public School System in Dayton, Ohio, as an Assistant Principal.

1962

Richard O. Hope (M.A., Ph.D., Syracuse University) has been appointed Professor and Chairman of the Department of Sociology at Indiana University in Indianapolis. He has done much of his research in areas of race relations and equal employment opportunity, and he has had a long association with the U.S. Department of Defense. Alumnus Hope was the first Director of Evaluations and Research at the Defense Race Relations Institute, headquartered at Patrick Air Force Base, and has also served as an education consultant to the Congressional Black Caucus.

1963

Creigs C. Beverly (M.S.S.W., Atlanta University; Ph.D., University of Wisconsin) Associate Dean of the School of Social Work at Atlanta University, has obtained a leave of absence from that position to accept a university appointment in Ghana.

1964

Amos C. Brown (M. Div., Crozer Theological Seminary) was recently appointed to the Community College Governing Board and was administered the oath of office by the Mayor of San Francisco, Diane Feinstein. Alumnus Brown is currently Pastor of the Third Baptist Church in San Francisco, California.

James T. Hargrett (M.B.A., Atlanta University) was elected to the Florida State Legislature as representative from Hillsborough County, the seat of the City of Tampa, Florida. He is the first black elected official to serve in the state legislature for Hillsborough County. He has been appointed to serve on the Appropriations, Commerce, Community Affairs, Transportation, and Tourism/Economic Development Committees. Prior to his election to office, Alumnus Hargrett served as the Executive Vice President and Managing Officer of Community Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Johnny L. Houston (M.S., Atlanta University; Ph.D., Purdue University)

recently made a presentation at the XI International Symposium on Mathematical Programming, which was held at the University of Bonn in West Germany. The symposium attracted more than eight hundred scientists and experts in mathematics, computer science, operations research, and mathematical programming from fifty different countries. Alumnus Houston is currently on leave from Atlanta University to provide leadership in the Department of Computer Science at Fort Valley State College.

Robert Morgan (M.A., Atlanta University; Ed.D., University of Pennsylvania) has been named Principal of Malvern High School in Hempstead, New York.

Eric V.A. Winston (M.A., Atlanta University; Ph.D., Michigan State University) has become Vice President for University Development. He will be chiefly responsible for fundraising and related support activities. Prior to this appointment he was Vice President of Student Affairs and Cooperative Education.

1965

Andre Carl Whisenton (M.S.L.S., Atlanta University) was named Chief Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action Officer of the United States Department of Labor. Alumnus Whisenton will be responsible for the implementation and enforcement of all employment and affirmative-action policies in Department of Labor related jobs.

1966

Walter M. Burns (M. Div., Interdenominational Theological Seminary; D.Th., Southern Seminary) has been named accounts manager for Mercedese Travel Associates. He is also President of Burnwar Associates, an Association involved in health care management and marriage and family counseling.

1967

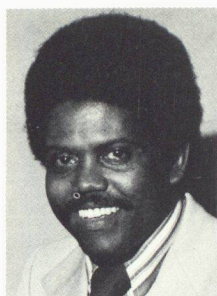
Clarence Bolden (M.B.A., Atlanta University) was recently appointed Assistant Solicitor General in the Office of the Solicitor General of the State Court of Fulton County, Georgia. Prior to this ap-



J. T. Hargrett '64



E. V. A. Winston '64



A. C. Whisenton '65



R. H. LaPrince '68



H. M. Dash '69



R. B. Everett '73

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pointment, Alumnus Bolden served as a Criminal Investigator in the State Court of Fulton County.

1968

Robert H. LaPrince (M.S.W., Atlanta University; Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh) has become Executive Producer and Host of "Opening Night," a variety show that features a diverse and progressive line of talent. Alumnus LaPrince is President of the National Council for Culture and Art.

1969

Hugh M. Dash was recently promoted by Pru Care of Atlanta to the position of Director of Administration. Pru Care is one of metro Atlanta's leading health maintenance organizations. In this position, Alumnus Dash will be instrumental in the provision of quality health care to Pru Care participants.

1972

Evert Comer, Jr. (M.S., Northwestern University; J.D., University of South Carolina), was narrowly defeated by 327 votes in his first bid ever for public office, in seeking a seat in the South Carolina House of Representatives. Alumnus Comer was recently admitted to the South Carolina Bar and is currently a grants coordinator at Denmark Technical College.

Raymond McClendon (M.B.A., Georgia State University) has been named Vice President of the Federal National Mortgage Association. Prior to this position, Alumnus McClendon was director of the financial analysis and auditing bureau as well as Secretary-Treasurer of the Atlanta Urban Residential Finance Authority.

1973

Ralph B. Everett (J.D., Duke University) has been appointed Democratic Chief Counsel and Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and

Transportation. He was appointed to this position by Senator Ernest F. Hollings, the Ranking Democrat on the Committee. Alumnus Everett is the first black in history to serve as a Senate Committee Chief Counsel and Staff Director. The Committee has jurisdiction over all matters relating to science and technology, ocean policy, transportation, and communications. Prior to this appointment he had been a legislative assistant, analyzing, monitoring, and drafting legislation for various committees.

1974

Sherman L. Anderson (M.P.A., American University; J.D., Case Western Reserve University) was recently named Director of the Legal Division for the Detroit Economic Growth Corporation. Alumnus Anderson was formerly a prosecutor for the state of Ohio.

Joseph C. Parker, Jr. (M.P.A., University of Georgia) was recently awarded the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence from the University of Texas at Austin and was licensed as a minister by the David Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Austin. Alumnus Parker was also inducted into the National Order of Barristers as one of ten students at the University who excelled in oral and written advocacy and received the "Gene Woodfin Award" for "strong personality, ambition, satisfactory academic performance, and promise of future leadership."

1975

Robert M. Franklin (M. Div, Howard University) has accepted a faculty position at the University of Chicago Divinity School. Alumnus Franklin will assume the rank of Instructor in Ethics and Society and Religion and Psychological Studies in this tenure track position.

1976

Simmie Robert Dean, Captain, is presently serving as Administrative Officer for the First Marine Aircraft Wing, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific.

Kevin Rhodes (M.B.A., Rutgers University) has become a member of the Camp-

bell-Mithan General Mills account team with specific assignments on the GMI Nature Valley brand line. He was previously with the Gillette Company, working on product management of several personal care products. Alumnus Rhodes also has financial experience as a marketing consultant for Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner, & Smith.

Marvin Andrew Robinson-Gaither has been appointed Campus Ministry Associate to the Ecumenical Black Campus Ministry Program. His duties will be to research, plan, and implement campus ministry to the U.C.L.A. community. Alumnus Robinson will become a staff member of the University Religious Conference with specific programming and ministry responsibilities to the black community at U.C.L.A. He is currently a Doctor of Ministry candidate at the School of Theology at Claremont.

Charles H. Smith (Ph.D., Massachusetts Institute of Technology) has joined the General Electric Research and Development Center as a metallurgist.

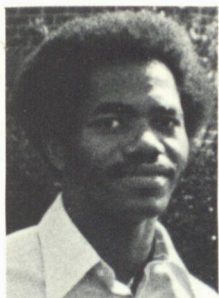
1978

Ronny E. Jones was awarded the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence from Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C. Alumnus Jones has accepted a position as Staff Assistant to Fifth District Congressman Wyche Fowler. He will assume responsibility for legislation in the areas of housing and urban development, transportation, energy, and civil rights.

Edward H. Moore was recently awarded the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence from the University at Austin. Alumnus Moore is currently an Assistant County Attorney for Travis County, Texas.

1979

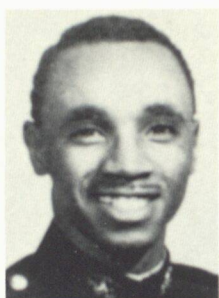
Julius Pryor III, Navy Ensign, has been designated a Surface Warfare Officer (SWO). He was presented with the Gold SWO insignia aboard his ship, the amphibious assault ship USS Okinawa. Becoming an SWO marks the culmination of two years of extensive training and experience aboard a Navy surface ship. An



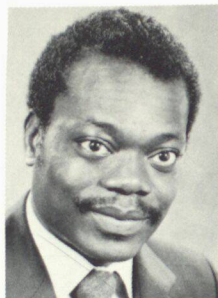
S. L. Anderson '74



R. M. Franklin '75



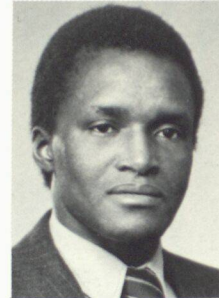
S. R. Dean '76



M. A. Robinson-Gaither '76



K. Rhodes '76



C. H. Smith '76

SWO must demonstrate proficiency as an underway officer of the deck, including shiphandling and maneuvering in formation under simulated battle conditions.

Steven Michael Scott has successfully completed the didactic portion of his education in Hospital Administration and has begun its practical component as Administrative Resident at Lenox Hill Hospital, New York, New York.

1980

Frederick H. Crear, Michael Andre Preer, and Frank H. Staley were selected for inclusion in the 1982 edition of *Outstanding Young Men of America*. The criteria for selection include a man's voluntary service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments, and civic and political participation. The Alumni listed along with fellow Outstanding Young Men throughout North America will be featured in the prestigious annual award publication.

John T. Walker has joined the staff of Campus Crusade for Christ International, an interdenominational Christian organization. Campus Crusade for Christ has approximately 16,000 full-time and associate staff of many nationalities involved in Christian outreach in 150 countries and protectorates around the world. Alumnus Walker will work with the Intercultural Ministry at Ohio State University. This ministry focuses on developing minority black student Christian leadership on the campus.

1981

Emmett Carson has been selected to lead a group of researchers in developing an operational definition of the underclass, a segment of U.S. society that apparently has been beyond the reach of government programs. The Princeton Urban and Regional Research Center will conduct a policy conference and a pilot study on the issue. Alumnus Carson is a Ph.D. candidate at the Princeton University Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs.

Charles H. James III has completed the Continental Illinois National Bank's General Banking Services Training Program in St. Louis, Missouri, and is now married.

1982

George Espy III has been appointed Assistant Curator of the Macon Museum of Arts and Sciences. He is the first black to attain a management position on the museum staff.

David Graham completed the National Football League's (NFL) 1982 season as a member of the Seattle Seahawks team. Alumnus Graham is the first Morehouse football player in memory to survive an NFL team's 45-member cutoff. The six-foot six-inch, 255-pound native of Tallahassee, Florida was a co-captain of the 1981 Maroon Tiger football team and earned all-conference (SIAC) honors as a defensive end.

Darryl J. Tookes and Robert deGourville were awarded a scholarship of \$500 each from the Atlanta Medical Association. The Atlanta Medical Association has dedicated itself to participate in active efforts to increase the number of black physicians in our nation.



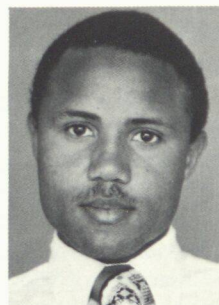
R. E. Jones '78



S. M. Scott '79



J. Pryor '79



F. H. Staley '80



J. T. Walker '80

IN MEMORIAM



F. D. Hall '21

Frederick Douglass Hall, '21 (M.A., Ph.D., Columbia University), was funeralized on December 31, 1982, in Atlanta, Georgia. He was a musician, educator, conductor, composer, musicologist, and a pioneer in many areas of music. Alumnus Hall was active in many civic and service organizations. From 1941 to 1955 he was Chairman of the Music Department at Alabama State College in Montgomery. From 1956 to 1959 he was Chairman of the Music Department of Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Coordinator of the Music Department at Dillard University from 1960 until retirement in 1974. The educator-composer was the recipient of several national honors, among them a Congressional Citation, the dedication of "The Frederick Douglass Hall Music Center" at Jackson State University, and an award from the Louisiana State Arts Council for his contributions to "Religion and the Arts." One of his greatest accomplishments was his extensive research in the area of black musicians and singers. His "Fred Hall Collections of Works by and about Afro-American Musicians" reflected his interest in black musical artists. He is survived by his wife, Mildred Hall; son, Frederick, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Bernice; granddaughter, Ingrid; grandsons, Frederick III and Adam; sister, Ruth; brother, Glen; and many other relatives and friends.

Walter Clements, '23 (Academy), died on January 9, 1983, in Detroit, Michigan. Mr. Clements was employed by the Ford Motor Company, where he remained until his retirement in 1967. He is survived by one brother, Simon Clements; two sisters-in-law; and nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

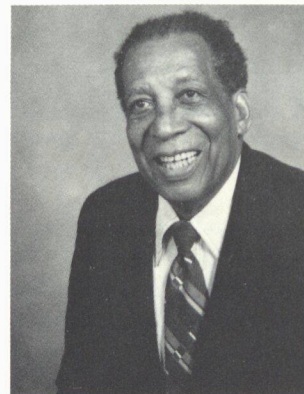


V. A. Edwards '27

Vinson Allen Edwards, '27 (B.D., Drew Theological Seminary; M.A., Cornell University; D.Div., Selma University), was funeralized on July 30, 1982, at the Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Tuskegee, Alabama. He began his gospel ministry by serving as an assistant pastor to Dr. Benjamin Mays at the Shiloh Baptist Church. Alumnus Edwards was an Instructor at Morehouse College and Forsythe State Teachers College; Director of Religious Extension, Tuskegee Institute (Professor Emeritus); Interim Pastor of Greenwood Baptist and Shady Grove Baptist; Pastor of the Greater St. Mark Baptist Church, Tuskegee; Member of Silver Trowel Masonic Lodge No. 10; Executive Secretary of the Progressive Baptist Mission and Education Convention; Former President of the Tuskegee Interdenominational Ministers Council; and author of numerous books on the church and ministry. He is survived by seven nephews; seven nieces; and a host of friends and other relatives.

Graham Washington Jackson, Sr., '29, died on January 15, 1983, in Atlanta, Georgia. He came to Atlanta in 1924 as a leader of the Seminole Syncopators and later got a job as orchestra leader and pit pianist at the "81" Theatre on Auburn Avenue. He served as a recruiter and entertainer in the Navy during World War II and taught at Washington High School from 1928 until 1940. He was well known as one of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's favorite musicians. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen Bolton Jackson, and sons Graham Washington Jackson, Jr., and Gerald Wayne Washington, both of Atlanta.

Willie A. Wynn, ex '32, died on January 9, 1983, in Atlanta, Georgia. He was owner



G. Alexander '39

and operator of Wynn's Chevron Station and had been in the service station business for 40 years. Alumnus Wynn was a golf enthusiast and won the first Amateur Southern Opening here. He was also the first carrier of the *Atlanta Daily World*, and later carried the *Atlanta Constitution*. He is survived by his wife, Sara Taylor Wynn; son, Kenneth Wynn; and sister, Helen W. Carter.

Edgar W. Lash, '36, died in October 1982, in Savannah, Georgia.

Otis William McCree, '36 (M.S., Atlanta University; M.D., Meharry Medical College), died on October 11, 1982, in College Park, Georgia. He served the Atlanta-College Park area for twenty-one years until his retirement in 1974. Alumnus McCree was affiliated with the Atlanta Medical Association, and the National Medical Association. He is survived by his wife, Lena McCree; two daughters, Dr. Ida Rose Hilliard and Kathy Jackson; son, Otis McCree, Jr.; grandchildren, Denise, Renee, and Brian Hilliard, Carl and Curtis Jackson, and Kevin McCree; two sisters, Ethel and Bernice McCree; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Gabriel Alexander, '39, died on October 10, 1982, in Columbus, Georgia. He served as Bursar and Assistant Treasurer of Morehouse College from 1941 until 1953. In 1977 he retired as an accountant for the City Colleges of Chicago. He also served as an accountant for numerous other institutions and businesses. He is survived by his two sisters, Mrs. Eleanor A. Sherald, Miss Elizabeth P. Alexander, and a host of other relatives and friends.



S. H. Pierce '39

Samuel Henry Pierce, Sr., '39, died on August 20, 1982, in Atlanta, Georgia. He was a founder of Pierce Restorative Fluid Co. and had been a practicing mortician and licensed funeral director for more than twenty years. Alumnus Pierce also taught Mortuary Science and Restorative Art and authored the book *Excerpts From A Mortician's Workshop and Morgue Guide*. He had certificates from the Atlanta College of Mortuary Science; the Medical Technical School; Medical Technician School; and the American Academy of Embalming and Mortuary Research. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Naomi Harris Pierce; son, Samuel Pierce, Jr.; daughter, Samnae H. Pierce; grandson, Samuel H. Pierce III; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Albert L. Phillips, '42, died in December 1982, in Atlanta, Georgia.

Eugene Clifford Rose, '44 (M.D., Meharry Medical College), died on September 15, 1982, in Saint Petersburg, Florida. He was a practicing physician for thirty-one years and was on the staff of Bayfront Medical Center and All Children's Hospital. He was affiliated with the Pinellas County Medical Society; American, Florida, and National Medical Associations; board member of the American Cancer Society; board of directors of Adult Mental Health Clinics and the Allied Medical Society; and associate trustee of Bethune-Cookman College. He is survived by his wife, Verna Mae Rose; one son, Eugene, Jr.; daughter, Olivia; father, William Rose, Sr.; brother, Herbert Rose; two sisters, Athalee Rose and Bertha R. Thompson; and a host of other relatives and friends.

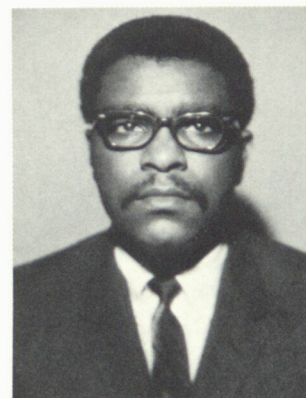


D. W. Sayles '53

Howard Atwater Golden, '53 (M.D., Meharry Medical College), died on September 18, 1982, and was funeralized in Atlanta, Georgia. He was a diplomate of the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology Society. He was active on the staffs of Hughes Spalding Community Hospital, Southwest Community Hospital, Georgia Baptist Hospital, and Crawford W. Long Memorial Hospital. Alumnus Golden was also a past president of the Atlanta Medical Association, a member of the Georgia State Medical Association, the National Medical Association, the Medical Association of Georgia, and the American Medical Association. He is survived by his daughter, Dr. Annice Golden; a son, Howard A. Golden; and a sister, Hortense Golden.

Duvahn William Sayles, '53 (M.S., Air Force Institute of Technology), died on July 24, 1982, in Aiea, Hawaii. Alumnus Sayles was a retired Colonel, having served in the Air Force, and managed his own real estate company in Hawaii. He was a member of the Hawaii Association of Realtors, the Graduate Realtors Institute, the Realtors National Marketing Institute, Rotary International, the Society of Logistic Engineers, and the Air Force Association. He is survived by his father, Hugh Sayles; mother, Lena Sayles; son, Duvahn, Jr.; daughters, Sherryl Henderson, and Kemberly; grandchildren, Satoris and Taytonya Henderson; and many other relatives and friends.

Tobias Stewart, '63 (M.A., Atlanta University), died on June 2, 1982, in Gray, Georgia. He worked for the General Motors Corporation and was also a writer



T. Stewart '63

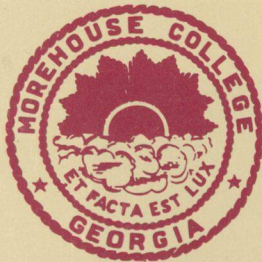
and an inventor. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Minnie Stewart; two brothers, Boisey and Benjamin Stewart; an aunt and uncle, Mrs. Bennis Davis Walker and Early N. Walker; and a host of friends.

David Lee Shepherd, Sr., '69, died on July 11, 1982, in Summerville, Georgia. He worked as a project planner and developer with the Social Security Administration for over ten years. As a supervisor he received several awards and pins. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Verdine Moses Shepherd; one daughter, Brandy; one stepdaughter, Candace Moses; one son, David, Jr.; mother, Mrs. Geneva Darden; stepfather, Mr. Ellis Darden, Jr.; five sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Starr, Mrs. Helen O'Neal, Mrs. Betty Covington, Mrs. Marcia Bennett, and Miss Remonia Shepherd; two brothers, Mr. Wilbur Shepherd and Mr. James Shepherd; and a host of other relatives and friends.

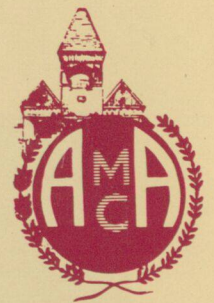
Lareese Ashley, ex '83, was killed August 23, 1982, by a car while riding his bike. He was a native of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and started as a running back on the football squad. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ashley, and many other relatives and friends.

Theodore Poole, ex '83, died on September 6, 1982, in Atlanta, Georgia. He was a native of Greenville, South Carolina, and was a four-year starter at defensive tackle on the football squad. He is survived by many relatives and friends.

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