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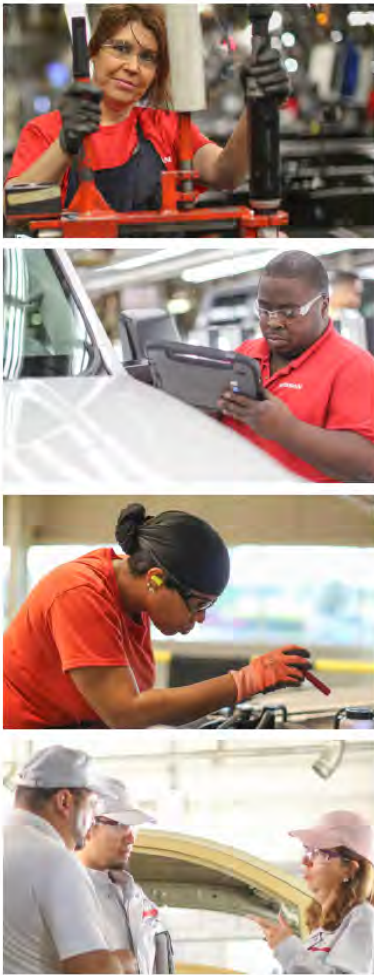


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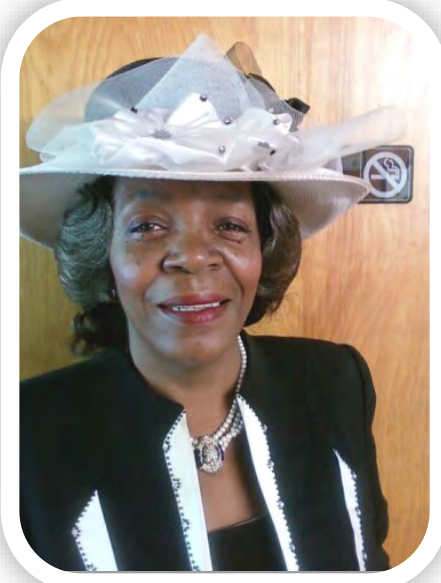
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*To The 15th Annual
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&
Scholarship Awards
August 26, 2018*



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The Canton Gospel Music Association (CGMA) seeks to “Lift Up the Name of Jesus” by promoting the gospel thru music. CGMA is open to ALL choir directors, choir presidents, musicians, songwriters, recording artists, song leaders, ministers of music, radio announcers, soloists and pastors. In addition, the Canton Gospel Music Association seeks to support the ministry of the Spoken Word, Praise Dance Ministry, Workshops & Trainings, Recordings, Praise & Worship and any other gift or talent combined with and based upon Christian themes and the overall Gospel Message.



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August 26, 2018

Welcome Christian Friends:

What a blessing and a joy to greet you in the name of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ. On behalf of the members of the Canton Gospel Music Association, we are grateful that you took the time to come and share this momentous evening with us. We welcome you this evening to this historic event as we celebrate God's goodness through music. Our home town has been tremendously blessed with so many individuals who continuously dedicate their gifts of music back to Our God.

I wish to extend a special "Note of Thanks" to the members of the Canton Gospel Music Association (CGMA), sponsors and most of all the community for embracing our vision to honor "Madison County's Best."

*Tonight, we recognize Weldon "Sweet Pea" Boddie, The Otto Sisters (Myrtle and Bernadette) and Edd Hightower. One of the highlights of the evening is the awarding of music scholarships to pay for music lessons for up and coming musicians. To date, we have awarded **\$25,400.00** to **129** students. To God Be The Glory!!!*

Finally, I wish to thank each of you for believing in our dream and assisting in making this day, our fifteenth (15) celebration, a reality.

May God Bless each of you tonight and if we can be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

A Servant's Heart,

Cynthia Goodloe Palmer

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“Abby” Woodard

Mr. Weldon “Sweet Pea” Boddie & Choir

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Mr. Edd Hightower

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**2018
Lifetime Music Award Honoree
Bernadette Russell**

Bernadette was born to the parents of Fred and Arista Otto of Canton, MS. She attended Holy Child Jesus Catholic School of Canton, MS and attended Tougaloo College.

Bernadette is an active member and choir Director of Holy Child Jesus Catholic church. She began singing at an early age under the leadership of Sister Thea Bowman and has been singing ever since. She has hosted the July 4th Canton Gospel Celebration, the Canton Senior Citizens Christmas dinners, the Hickory Street Gospel Fest of 2017 and other numerous occasions. Bernadette is also a former member of the Canton Gospel Music Association.

Bernadette lived in Bermuda for 10 years where she worked at the Bacardi Headquarters and returned home to take care of her sick daughter who was battling with Cancer. After her daughter's death, she remained here in Canton to help her son-in-law take care of 3 beautiful grands Aaliya, Alannah and Trey, along with her husband Roger Russell, which they have been married for 30 years.

She continues to be an active member working in the community when she is called upon especially by her dear friend and sister Mrs. Hurstine Watts.



**2018
Lifetime Music Award Honoree
Myrtle Otto**

Myrtle Otto, daughter of Fred and Arista Otto, is retired from the Mississippi Health Department. She has many years of experiences in the medical field. Those experiences include working at St. Vincent's Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri as an OB room assistant, a tech at UMC, and she was certified through the state while working at Canton's Health Department.

Ms. Otto enjoyed serving her community through her medical experiences, but singing is also an enjoyment she has that's close to her heart. She started singing as a young girl while attending Holy Child Jesus School. With her strong alto voice, she went on to receive music training at Holy Child Jesus School from the well-known Sister Thea Bowman. She traveled many places with Sister Thea such as attending Howard University America Catholic College women workshop.

Ms. Otto also took voice training at Wayne State University and Jackson State University. She was a choir director at Holy Child Jesus Church for 28 years in which she assisted in training the Mass to non-Catholic musicians.

Ms. Otto has sung at funeral and special occasions. She enjoys singing because it gives her inner peace. Ms. Otto has enjoyed serving her community through singing and taking care of others because they both comfort others.

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**Lifetime Music Award Honoree
Weldon “Sweet Pea” Boddie**



Weldon ‘Sweet Pea’ Boddie was born on February 14, 1949 in Leake County, MS. His parents knew that Weldon was a special child that was born on a special day. Growing up in hard time Mississippi was a challenge for Weldon not only because he was black but a rare eye disease called albinism caused him to have limited eye sight. This condition did not hinder Weldon’s ambitions to make a difference in this world. He attended the Mississippi School for the Blind and became knowledgeable in various areas of study.

God had a plan for Weldon which was the gift of music. God anointed his voice to sing and his hands to play any musical instrument he put his hands on. Through these gifts, Weldon has blessed so many people, churches and groups by performing on his keyboard and lifting his voice to sing praises to God. He

has rendered his service to Center Hill MB Church, Couparle Methodist Church, Mt. Canaan MB Church, New Jerusalem MB Church (26 years), and Free Mission MB Church (46 years).

Throughout the years, he has played for other churches helping out with their funerals, revivals, weddings and various other functions. Out of all the blessings God has bestowed upon him, God blessed him with the love of his life On September 26, 2008, he married the wonderful Martha Jean. God gave him someone on this earth that he can truly depend upon.

His favorite motto is “when your output exceeds your income—your upkeep is your greatest downfall.”

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**Lifetime Music Award Honoree
Edd Hightower**



Edd Hightower is originally from Durant, Ms. He is the third child of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hightower. He attended Durant Separate School and has always had a passion for music. He now lives in Flora Ms and is married to Lorna Cowan Hightower. Together they have four children and three grandchildren. At the age of seven, Edd started playing guitar and performed with his family quartet, the Hightower Singers for many years. Edd’s father being a pastor allowed him the opportunity to travel extensively and perform in many, many revivals, crusades and other church functions at a very young age.

At the age of thirteen, Edd became interested in the piano. Having a piano in their home afforded him the opportunity to become a self taught pianist. Edd travel far and near playing guitar for quartet groups also, The Soul Travelers of Durant, Ms. The Star Lights of Lexington, Ms. and The Bright Stars of Lexington, MS.

As time progressed the ministry of music expanded and Edd served in many churches throughout the years. Just to name a few St. Matthew C.O.G.I. C., St. James C.O.G. I. C., Long Branch M. B. Church, Big Bethel M. B. Church, Mt. Zion M. B. Church, New Zion M. B. Church, Old Pleasant Grove M. B. Church, Galilee M. B. Church, Couparle U. M. Church, Pleasant Grove M. B. Church and Edd currently serve as Minister of Music for Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Camden Ms, Old True Light M. B. Church, Farmhaven, MS and New Beginnings M. B. Church, Canton MS.

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RANDY ABRON—Randy was born in Canton and attended Canton Elementary, Nichols and graduated from Canton High School. He attended American College where he studied as a Nursing Assistant and attended Jackson State University where he studied Computer Programming.

Randy has played for the following choirs/groups to name a few: New Bethel, Cedar Grove, Southern Hill, Greater Mt. Levi, Sharpsburg, Liberty Hill AME Zion and the Gospel All Stars of Kansas City, Missouri, just to name a few. Randy plays the following instruments: Keyboard, piano, organ, drums and trombone, which n played as a member of the Canton High School Band. He plays for St. Peter MB Church in Camden, MS & Mt. Zion Vaughn MB Church in Vaughn, MS.

Randy has always been interested in music. Some of his favorite singers/musicians who has influenced Randy are David Curry, Lannie Spann McBride, John P. Kee, Paul Porter and most notably Evangelist Shirley Caesar. In fact, when Evangelist Caesar came to Canton in 2003, Randy was one of the soloist from the audience that came on stage to sing “Jesus, I Love Calling Your Name.”

Randy has one daughter, LaSha’Bre and is married to Rosie Abron.

MINISTER JACQUELINE STOKES ANDERSON



—Minister Jacqueline Stokes Anderson was born in Madison County to David Rucker & the late Cora (Harry) Rucker Washington. She is the mother of Shekeiria (Chevy) Mannie, Leigh Johnne’ (Kathryn Burgess) Stokes and JacQualyn Stokes. The proud grandmother of Jordan A and Carter J. Mannie. A 1983 graduate of Canton Public High School and 1991 graduate of Moore Career College. She recently joined Pilgrim Branch M.B. Church of Brandon, MS, under the leadership of Pastor Robert Moore, M.D. She also serves as acting choir director and member of the ministerial staff there.

As a member of the Rembert Washington Memorial Chorale under the guidance of Pastor John Woodard Jr., I enjoy singing and ministering. Favorite scripture is Jeremiah 29:11. Enjoys the opportunities of co-coordinating weddings and events as GOD allows through her own venture of Nine Twenty Six.

CALVIN APRIL



—Calvin April, song Writer and Lead Singer for the Gospel group, “The Pilgrim wonders of Toledo, Ohio” is the only child born to Mrs. Annie Nichols April of Chicago, IL. Calvin was born in Canton, MS and educated in the public schools of Madison County, MS and the Chicago Public Schools.

Calvin started out singing as a little boy at his home church, Mt. Pisgah M.B. Church. His professional career began when he was a teenager with the Canton Spirituals. While living in Chicago, IL, Calvin became one of the founders and singers for the gospel group “The Chefs of Calvary.” In 1962, the group signed a contract with TRU-Sound Records of Englewood, NJ and recording two (2) albums which yielded 2 hit singles, “Save me Jesus” and “Standing on Calvary.”

A versatile person, Calvin has recorded thirteen (13) albums to date. He has also been very instrumental in encouraging and inspiring young artists to develop their talents in the field of gospel music. Calvin has served in various positions in the gospel music workshops and talent search conventions.

“The Time is Now” album, written and produced by Calvin April stayed on the Billboard Top Ten Charts for 16 months. It is still selling today. Calvin and the Pilgrim Wonders were voted one of the five Traditional Quartet Groups of the year of 1985 by the Gospel Music Workshop of America. “The Time is Now” has become a gospel classic.

He was honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award in 2006 by the Canton Gospel Music Association. Brother Calvin is a member of Canton United Methodist Church in Canton, MS. Calvin is an active member of this congregation, where he is a member of the Board of trustees, The Finance Committee, The United Men, and The Male Chorus. Calvin is happily married to his wife of 41 years, Mrs. Lonnie Hamlin-April and they are the proud parents of 3 wonderful children; Carmen, Candace and Calvin Bryan.

Calvin’s brand new CD is entitled “Wake Up America” and is already climbing the gospel charts.



BERTHA ARCHIE—Bertha Archie was married to the late Mr. Hurley Raymond Archie of 51 years, until God called him home, April 2010. She is the mother of seven children, 15 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Archie graduated from Cameron Street High School in 1951 where she was a majorette in the marching band. She continues this tradition as she is now going on her 45th year of serving as a chaperone and band booster club member for the Canton Public High School Band. She can still be seen marching with the band in parades and football games. She is one of the founding members of the Canton High School Band booster club. Mrs. Archie's passion is singing and playing the piano and her love for music extended throughout her family.

Mrs. Archie is: Current member of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc.; Current Founding Member of the Canton Gospel Music Association; Founder/Pianist of the South Liberty M.B. Church Beginner's Choir; Served as pianist for Mary Grove Baptist Church, Pilgrim Branch Baptist Church, Goshen Springs, MS.; Current and longest member of South Liberty M.B. Church—79 years; Founder/Pianist of the Royal Ambassadors Boys Choirs @ South Liberty M.B. Church—21 years; Former member of the NAACP.

Her hobbies include: Gardening, Singing, Dancing, Shopping, crossword puzzles, and enjoying her friends and family.



VEDA ARCHIE—Veda Grochelle Greene Archie, a native Cantonian, is the daughter of Mr. Wallace Eugene and Mrs. Gracie (Slaughter) Greene. She married Hurley Eugene Archie and they're the parents of six beautiful children. As a student at Holy Child Jesus Catholic School, participating in extracurricular activities was limited. But Veda took an interest in and enjoyed the activities offered by the school. They would include: taking piano lessons, singing in the high school choir, and participating in the forensic speech competition.

Her musical journey began in the summer of 1972. Having grown up in Mount Able Missionary Baptist Church, Veda promised her grandfather, the late Deacon As a Slaughter, Sr. – who was then the superintendent of the Sunday school – that when she learned to play that she would play for the Sunday school. She kept her promise and became the musician for the Sunday school, the junior choir, co-organized and played for the young adult choir which was later transformed as the "Voices of Praise."

Mrs. Archie is eternally grateful to her home church for allowing her the opportunity to develop and utilize her talent. In addition to Mount Able, she has served as musician for the following churches: Pleasant Green Church of Christ Holiness, U.S.A.; Holy Child Jesus Catholic Church, (special services); Zion Chapel AME Zion Church; Liberty M. B. Church; Mount Zion M. B. Church, and currently, Mary Magdalene M. B. Church. Moreover, she is the former pianist for the Madison County Baptist Association

SHERIDA BANKS—I am a part of my school choir. One of my biggest accomplishments is to graduate from high school class of 2017! One of my dreams is to become a Gospel singer and go on Sunday Best. My favorite gospel singers are Kierra Sheard, Karen Clark Sheard, and Dorinda Clark Cole. My favorite color is purple and my favorite scripture is Jeremiah 29:11. My favorite quotes are " With God all things are possible" and " You are too blessed to be stressed."



My inspirations are my mother who is Latasha Woodruff and my grandmother Willie Mae Scott. I am a member of the True Faith Fellowship MB church, under the leadership of Rev. Robin Love and First Lady Martha Love. I am a faithful choir member of the youth and adult choir. I enjoy singing praises to our God!

I graduated from Germantown High School with honors. I was voted as "Soloist of the Year" in 2016 and was awarded the "Sister Thea Bowman Music Scholarship" from the Canton Gospel Music Association. Currently I am as sophomore at Hinds Community College.



ERMA COLE & NATHANIEL COLE—*Erma Jean Olive-Cole is the daughter of the late Rev. James & Lillie Mae Olive. She was born and raised in Camden, MS, along with her four brothers and one sister. Erma thanks God for her mother and father and credits her success for singing and music to them. Her dad instilled in her as a child and as adult to always put God first and to love the Lord with all our heart, mind, and soul. He started my siblings at an early age of singing at home and in church. Her mother noticed her love for music & made the sacrifices doing without to pay for lessons.*

Her musical career begin in 1979 when she began taking music lessons under Mrs. Ann Nichols in Canton, MS. In teaching and showing her some key points about music and how to play various songs, within months she was playing certain hymns and songs with the Zion Chapel A. M. E. Zion Church choir. Churches that she has had the honor of playing for are: St. John M. B. Church, Mt. Pilgrim M. B. Church, Middleton Grove A.M.E. Zion Church, St. Luke M. B. Church. She has served as musician for Mt. Olive M. B. Church on Way Road and St. Paul M. B Church on Stumpbridge Road for 20 plus years. They are members of Mt. Olive M. B. Church.

They have two children and three grandchildren. Erma has been employed with the Canton Public School District going on 32 in the maintenance department as an Administrative Assistant and Nathaniel is retired. They have been members of the Canton Southernairs of Canton, MS., for over 22 years, and they recently released their new CD Titled "Down Through the Years." They are also founding members of the Canton Gospel Music Association. Their constant prayer and scripture is Psalms 51:10; Create in me a clean, Oh God; and renew a right spirit within me.

MOMMA LILLY CROSS—*Momma Lillie Cross was born in Locust, Louisiana. As a gospel singer and songwriter, without any formal music education, Mrs. Cross organized the Canton Gospel Chorus in March 1971. Her accomplishments as the leader and president of this organization included: First Album, "Wait Right Here", led by Evangelist Handy and recorded in 1981; 2nd Album, "My Lord Woke Me Up This Morning", recorded in 1997. She served as the songwriter & lead singer of this #1 Hit, which is still heard today.*



The Canton Gospel Chorus Program airs every Sunday morning on WMGO Radio for the past 44 years at 10:00 am and is sponsored by Tate's Furniture Store. Mrs. Cross received "Best Sponsor Announcer in 1983 presented by the Madison County Music Club. She has received the following recognition: Dedicated Service Award" presented by Guardian Angel Developmental Center in May 2002; "Sunday School Workers Training Certificate" presented by Mississippi Baptist Seminary in 1980; "Leadership Training Certificate" presented by Greater Mt. Levi Full Gospel Baptist Church in 2001; "Female Soloist of the Year" in 2008 and "Group of the Year" in 2012 presented by the Canton Gospel Music Association, to name a few. She is a

member of the Mt. Zion M.B. Church and serves as President of the Sanctuary Choir.

DAISY ELLIS—*Mrs. Ellis is the daughter of the late Rev. Dr. A. L. Jackson, Sr. and Lucille George Jackson of Canton, MS. At the age of 12, Daisy's' music career began at the churches pastored by her father as church pianist with her mother as organist.*



*She graduated from **Canton Public High School** in 1971 and received a music scholarship to **Alcorn State University** where she earned her Bachelor's of Arts degree in Music Education. At Alcorn, she was a member of the ASU Band of Distinction, the ASU Concert Choir and was director and musician for the ASU Gospel Choir.*

*Daisy has served in various musical capacities at the following schools: **Nichols Middle School, Velma Jackson High School, Northeast Madison Middle School, Canton High School and Hudspeth Retardation Center.** During her career Mrs. Ellis has received various honors and awards including Who's Who in America's High School Teachers, Trustmark Bank for Outstanding Achievements and Canton Gospel Music Association for Choir Director of the Year to name a few.*



MINISTER JEARLEAN BACON JONES—Minister Jearlean Jones is the Music Minister of New Season Christian Fellowship Church located 335 South Cameron Street Canton, MS, under the leadership of Pastor Bruce D. Landing Sr. She also serves faithfully in many areas in the ministry, always striving for excellence to help build God's Kingdom. God has anointed her to operate in the gift of preaching and teaching His Word.

At an early age her heart was drawn to the sweet sound of gospel music that lead her to sing Zion songs to the most High God we serve who is our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Her heart burns with love; passion and adoration for God. She represents Jesus everywhere she goes and she is not ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Jearlean is the wife of Edward Jones and mother of 2, Alexis and Jeremy Jones. Jearlean joined CGMA 2005 and has served faithfully. Jearlean graduated from Velma Jackson 1991, Virginia College 2011, majoring in HealthCare reimbursement.

JEFFERY LUCKETT—Jeffery Luckett has been a member of CGMA since the very beginning of the organization. He is a faithful member of Makarios Worship Center in Madison, MS under the leadership of Pastor Leon Collier & Co-Pastor Yolanda Collier since 2009. At Makarios, Jeffery serves in different capacities such as praise team & choir member and operates the church sound system. Jeffery is a member & president of the Rembert Washington Memorial Chorale under the leadership of founder & director Pastor John M. Woodard, Jr.



Jeffery is married to his "high school sweetheart" Mary for 33 years and counting!! To this union 2 children, Jamaal & Monica, and 4 grand, Jaden, Kaleb, Jason, & Jacey!! The main thing Jeffery wants you to know is 'with God, ALL things are POSSIBLE!! To God Be The Glory!!

CLAUDE NICHOLS—I was born and raised in Canton, MS to the late Claude "Bubba" Nichols, Sr. and the late Katie Levy Nichols. I attended Canton High School and Tougaloo College. I'm a member of the New Heights S. D. A. Church where Elder John Parker, I is pastor. I am the drummer for the Sanctuary Choir, the Pathfinder Club Director, a member of the church board and a member of the Adventist Community Service Disaster Response Team. I'm also a member of the Pathfinder Field Training (PFT) and a founding member of the Canton Gospel Music Association.



I'm a former member of the Madison County Baptist Association Youth Choir, the Voices Of Faith, Inc., the Canton Community Fellowship Choir (The Ship), and played for the Canton Gospel Soul Children and the Thea Bowman Memorial Children's Choir. I also played drums for the Greater Mt. Levi Young Adult Choir and First Baptist Church in Kosciusko, MS. I work for Target in Logistics as a Replenishment Specialist. I love to camp and hike every chance I get. My favorite text is Psalm 23:4, " Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me."

DYLAN RIVERS—Dylan is a 2012 honor graduate of Velma Jackson High School with honors. He joined the Canton Gospel Music Association in 2009 and he is a scholarship recipient and a member of Love & Unity Ministries. Dylan has gone on to receive a music degree from Mississippi Delta Community College in May 2017 and was the only music major with a Bachelors Degree in Liberal Arts with Honors.



He is currently in graduate school at Mississippi Valley State University pursuing a Masters degree in Music Education. He was formerly employed by the Amanda Elzy Junior High School. He currently serves as the Choral Director for the Leflore County High School. My mother is Bretta Blackman, Head Business Administrator of OBGYN at UMC.



PATRICIA PARKER—Patricia is the wife of Mr. James L. Parker, Jr. (40) forty Years strong. Together they have 3 handsome sons, James Roderick, Jeffery, and Jamarcus. Patricia currently serves as Sunday school superintendent, active member of the missionary department at Lee Chapel A. M. E. Zion Church.

One of her greatest accomplishments in life includes receiving a bachelor's degree in business management from Belhaven University in 2012. She always encourages other to stay focused, keep God first and good things will come to you.

My motto for life is Never Give up on your Dreams; God never gives up on us. She enjoys meeting and greeting people, no matter the age.

She has been a member of the Canton Gospel Music Association since its beginning and sincerely hopes this organization continues to enrich the lives of young people all over Madison County.

WILLIE MAE SCOTT—Willie Mae Scott has been a member of the CGMA for nine years. I enjoy singing praises to God. I am a member of the True Faith Fellowship M.B. Church and my pastor by Rev. Robin Love.



I have been working at Parker's for 27 years. I have 10 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. I won "Female Soloist Of The Year" two years in a row by the Canton Gospel Music Association. I am married to my wonderful husband, Leroy Scott for (11) eleven years. I have four beautiful children. My favorite color is blue. My favorite book of the bible is Psalms. My family is very important me and we are very close. Whenever one is in need, we are all there for each other. My church family is also important to me and especially my pastor, Rev. Robin Love. He has been there for me through a lot of my trials. I thank God for the Canton Gospel Music Association and especially for Cynthia for her prayers and support.

GEORGIA SIMS—Georgia Sims a native Cantonian, comes from a singing family of (13). She is the eleventh child of The Late Deacon J.B. Sims, Sr. & the late Mother Wilda Juanita Wales Sims. Georgia has a handsome son, Felix Augustus, a beautiful daughter-in-law Jill, a gorgeous granddaughter Quiana, two incredible lovely grandsons, Kaiden & Jordan. They reside in San Diego, California.



Each year the entire Sims' Family has a musical event "SIMS NITE." Georgia actively participates in this event. Her membership is at The Mt. Zion Cobbsville Missionary Baptist Church where she grew up singing in her church choir for a number of years. Currently, Georgia teaches Sunday School, VBS Director, Church Announcement Clerk, actively involved in the Senior Mission, and her passion-helping the Youth as well as Sick & Shut-Ins and those in need. Georgia's favorite scripture is Proverbs 3-5 & 6. She was recently appointed as the Director of Christian Education.

Georgia is a graduate of Rogers High School. She received her Bachelor's & Master's Degrees from Jackson State University. She sang with her High School choir as well as JSU's choir. She enjoys volunteering for the (A-TEAAM) Ambassadors of The Evers Academy for African American Males where she was named Volunteer of the

Year for 2013 & 2014. Georgia supports her sister's Foundation The JSD Foundation.

Georgia has been employed by the following: Magnolia Federal Bank (Teller), Canton Public Schools - Tutor; City of Canton-Program Director; Lextron Corporation- Human Resource Specialist; Madison County Schools- Substitute Teacher, to name a few. Most recently she was a PS Academic Tutor.

Georgia has been a member of CGMA for (11) ten years, and those years have been wonderful. Each year its exciting to support the Youth with scholarships for their music lessons.

Mrs. Lessie Williams, her sister, has been an important music role model in her life. My favorite song is "Jehovah Jirah" by Vickie Winans.



REV. JAMES SIMS—James Sims, the tenth child of the late Deacon J.B. and Juanita Sims. Married to the former Jeraline Flowers, they are the parents of eight children, Surena, James Jr., Antoine, Jeremy, Theresa, Maurice, Cornell, and Tamera. He accepted Christ as his personal savior at the age of 14 and in 1976 accepted the calling of the Ministry, Ordained in 1978. He was a member of Mount Zion Cobbsville M.B. Church where he taught the Men's Sunday School Class and organized the Youth Choir. He also organized the Greater Love Men's Ministry and worked with them a year and a half to help them unify and learn more about God and themselves. He recently founded the Greater Tabernacle Ministries in 201 pastoring for five years..

James Sims is a graduate of Rogers High School and he also attended Nationwide Business College, Career Academy and Belhaven College. He has served as the Chairman of the Madison County Democratic for 16 years. He is a retiree of Delphi Packard Electric. He was a Youth Coordinator for the City of Canton, and past President

of the True Blue Booster Association. James was the Treasurer of the Madison County Democratic Party, Minister of Music for the Madison County Baptist Association, Equipment Manager for the Madison-Ridgeland girl's softball and Coordinator for the Pittsburg Steelers fan Club Canton Chapter. He is a community Organizer with the UAW. He is the Program Director for the 100 Black Men of Canton. But his most important accomplishment is being a child of God, and is the proud pastor of the Greater Tabernacle Ministries.

VERNON SMITH—Vernon Smith was born September 25, 1959 to O T and Bernice Smith. Vernon graduated from Canton Public High in 1978. Vernon is married to Joyce Mayberry Smith and they have 2 children, Janeki and Jayla Smith. Vernon is a deacon at Mt. Able Missionary Baptist Church. He has been a member of the Brother's In Christ, where he serves as President.



Vernon is a member of the Canton Gospel Music Association and enjoys "making a joyful noise unto the Lord." He has been blessed to sing God's praises and will continue to give God praise for his many blessings.

PROFESSOR SAMUEL WHISENTO—Born in Canton, MS on November 30, Mr. Whisenton is the son of the late Mrs. Gussie Jones and Mr. Samuel Whisenton, Sr. He has 4 children, four grandchildren and on great grandson.

Mr. Whisenton attended Cameron Street High School and Alcorn State University where he received a B.S. Degree in Chemistry and Math in 1952. He has done further studying at Tuskegee Institute, Jackson Sate University, Tougaloo College, Cornell University and Wake Forest University, where he received his Physics certification.

Professor Samuel Whisenton's love for music started as a pastime when he was a young boy as he experimented with the keyboard. During his first year of teaching, he organized and became the choir director of the Amite County training School in Gloster, MS and later The Velma Jackson High School Choir. He respectfully earned the name "Professor Whisenton", not only for his educating the children in the classroom but also for him educating them about Christ through music. He's played for numerous churches in Canton and the surrounding area. Professor Whisenton enjoyed 39 years of teaching, 33 of those years were spent in Madison County, mostly at Velma Jackson. He also served 30 years as Minister of Music at the Mt. Zion MB Church in Canton and former Director of Music for the Mississippi Baptist Congress of Christian Education.

One of the biggest accomplishments and highlights of his life was the time he spent as Director of the Madison County Baptist Association Youth Choir, under the leadership of the late Dr. N. B. Jackson.





PASTOR JOHN WOODARD, JR.—Over the past 30 plus years, Pastor John Woodard Jr., affectionately known as “John-John”, has been a Canton area musician dedicated to serving God and His people through the ministry of music. Pastor John is the fourth of seven children of John M. Woodard, Sr. “Brother John Woods” and Elect Lady Gloria L. Woodard, both deceased. He is married to LaJesca for 16 years and they have (3) three children John Milton, III (Tre’), Abigail Leatrice (Abbi) and James Andrew (Andy).

At the age of 8, and with the assistance of his grandmother, the late Mrs. Rembert Washington, who helped him keep tempo, John began playing drums. Over time, he continued developing his interests for other instruments and eventually assumed the role of Minister of Music at the Ark of Safety Ministry, in which capacity he served until God promoted him into the pastorate, where he serves today.

In 1993, John was inspired by the Holy Spirit to form a community choir named after his grandmother, and in 2000 they released an album entitled “I Can See So Much”.

John is very proud to have had the opportunity to serve as either a musician, clinician, or singer for: St. James M.B.C., Greater St. Matthew M.B.C, St. Paul AMEZ Church, Greater Sims AMEZ Church, Zion Chapel AMEZ, St. Paul M.B.C, Greater Faith Calvary Pentecostal Church, South Liberty M.B.C., Mt. Able M.B.C., Priestly Chapel M.B.C., Pine Grove M.B.C., Mt. Zion M.B.C., Canton UMC, Madison County Male Chorus, Canton Gospel Chorus, Canton Gospel Music Association Choir, Mississippi Fine Arts & Seminar Choir, Word of Faith Christian Center, Tougaloo College Concert Choir, Velma Jackson High School Choir, and Canton Gospel Soul Children to name a few.

John serves as Musical Director for the Canton Gospel Music Association and is a founding member.

LAJESCA WOODARD—LaJesca L. Woodard is the wife of Pastor John M. Woodard, Jr. and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ingram, Jr. and the late Jesse Loving. LaJesca and Pastor John have three beautiful children, John Milton, III (aka Tre’), Abigail Leatrice (aka Abbi) and James Andrew (Andy).

LaJesca is a 2001 graduate of St. Joseph High School in Madison and a 2005 cum laude graduate of Tougaloo College, where she received her Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry. LaJesca was formerly employed with Madison County School District for seven year. She served as the 6th grade math, 7th grade math and advanced pre-algebra teacher at Northeast Madison Middle School for five years and two years as one of the algebra I instructors at Rosa Scott School in Madison.

She is now self-employed as a realtor with Keller Williams Realty located in Flowood, MS.



IN MEMORIAM – REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED MEMBERS!

ANNA ALLEN

EVANGELIST MARCELL MAXWELL

MABLE SUMLER ROSS

BRO. JOHN WOODS



WIL-LAWRENCE

LIAMSON (not pictured)



CYNTHIA GOODLOE PALMER **FOUNDER & PRESIDENT**

Cynthia was born in Los Angeles, California and is the daughter of Flonzie Brown-Wright and the late Edward Goodloe, Sr. She was raised in Canton, MS and attended Holy Child Jesus School and Canton High School for 1 year. After her family relocated to Jackson, she attended Brinkley Jr. High School and Callaway High School, where she excelled in all areas. Cynthia was chosen as "Miss Callaway High School", the first black female "Student Body President" and a member of the Hall of Fame and was listed in "Who's Who among High School Students", among many other honors. She attended Tougaloo College and majored in Business Communications. She also studied at Belhaven University and Phillips College.

Music has been a passion of Cynthia's from a very early age. She is a member of The Voices of Faith, Johnson Jubilee Singers, a founding member of the Canton Community Fellowship Choir (The Ship) and the New Heights Sanctuary Choir. Throughout her career, Cynthia has received wide acclaim while participating in various local, state, national and international events. Cynthia has toured in 35 of the 50 United States and in such places as Alaska, Canada, Bermuda, West Indies, England, Germany, France, Brazil and Holland. In 1997 & 2002, Cynthia traveled to Cape Town, Umtata and Johannesburg, SOUTH AFRICA, conducting workshops and singing for over 10,000 persons.

Cynthia toured in London, England, where she performed at the famous Royal Albert Hall and at the Lincoln Center in New York along side Grammy award winner, Kirk Whalum. In 2003, Cynthia was featured on the "Bobby Jones Gospel Show" on The Word Network as one of 25 new artists. She is a 3-time award winner at the Mississippi Gospel Music Awards as a 2003 and 2004 winner of the "Album of the Year by a Local Artist" and "Song of the Year by a Local Artist" in 2003 for her CD, "Just Enough Faith To Try" and in 2004 for "Album of the Year", "Heaven Is the Place to Be." One of the blessings of her career was being able to sing to women who are currently on Death Row at the Alabama State Prison.

In 2003, Former Canton Mayor Alice Scott presented the 'Key to the City' to Cynthia and proclaimed October 3 as "Cynthia Goodloe Palmer Day." Cynthia was the first gospel singer to sing at the Jewish synagogue in Dayton, Ohio. Cynthia has participated on concerts featuring such artists as Mary Mary, Byron Cage, Shirley Caesar, Richard Smallwood, Bishop Paul Morton, Bishop Rance Allen, Marvin Sapp, The Canton Spirituals, Tramaine Hawkins, Paul Porter and The Williams Brothers, just to name a few.

She has recorded and Self Produced 5 CD's, and produced the highly successful CD entitled "Gospel Praises Volume I" for MESSAGE MAGAZINE, the oldest black religious magazine in the country. In 2005, she served as Executive Producer for "The Gospel at Colonus" presented by the Mississippi Opera.

After relocating to Mississippi in 2000, Cynthia founded the CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION in April 2004. The organization honors musical legends and awards music scholarships to up and coming musicians/singers/songwriters of Madison County. As a result of Cynthia's leadership, the organization has awarded close to \$25,400.00 to 129 students. In addition, she produced the Canton Gospel Fest Homecoming (July 4th) from 2011-2017, held on the Historic Square in Canton, MS.

Cynthia serves as the Executive Director of the Veterans of the Mississippi Civil Rights Movement, Inc., She is a member of the New Heights SDA Church and currently resides in Jackson, MS. Most recently, Cynthia was honored in July 2018 at the Mississippi Gospel Music Awards as one of 4 "Women In Gospel Making Things Happen." Cynthia is the female to be honored from Canton at this statewide awards gala.

Cynthia is a singer, song writer, producer, entrepreneur, friend, humble servant and a lover of people.



**2005-2018
CANTON GOSPEL
MUSIC
ASSOCIATION**

**MUSIC
SCHOLARSHIP
RECIPIENTS**

Mrs. Rembert Washington Music Scholarship

2005	Phiona McDonald	\$250
2007	Tuerrica Lenice Clanton	\$500
2008	Derrick Bess	\$500
2009	Gloria Collier	\$500
2010	Chris Fields	\$500
2011	Clarence Pace, III	\$500
2012	Christopher Lewis	\$500
2014	Gabriele Steele	\$500
2016	Chandler Greenwood	\$500
2017	Sherida Banks	\$500



Professor Samuel Whisenton Music Scholarship

2005	Lorenzo Olive	\$250
2006	Fredeteria Carson	\$500
2007	Justin Jackson	\$500
2008	Frensha Slaughter	\$500
2009	Rashad Hughes	\$500
2010	Jemarcus Parker	\$500
2011	Frederick Brown	\$500
2012	Dylan Rivers	\$500
2013	Ji Jennings	\$500
2014	Amran Luckett	\$500
2015	Karl Phillips	\$500
2016	Kayla Olive	\$500
2017	Tyler Richards	\$500
2018	Malcolm Walker	\$500



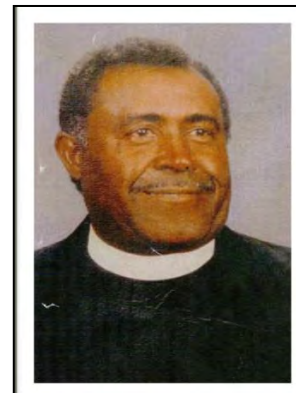
Mr. George Barnes Music Scholarship

2006	Alora Delon Taylor	\$100
2007	Jimmie Brown	\$100
2009	Rodravius Brown	\$100
2010	Ha'lecia Archie	\$100
2011	Brittany Day	\$100
2012	Justin Adams	\$100
2013	Joshua Veals	\$100
2014	Isaiah Smith	\$100
2015	Austin Ratliff	\$100
2016	Matthew Jordan	\$100
2017	Kaleb Bullock	\$100



Rev. Curtis Brown Music Scholarship

2006	Miyah Smith	\$100
2007	Jason Sanders	\$100
2008	Cleophus Walker	\$100
2009	Dylan Rivers	\$100
2010	Rodravius Brown	\$100
2011	Brandon Champion	\$100
2012	Henry Young	\$100
2013	Caydon Jones	\$100
2015	Shemar Brooks	\$100
2016	Isaiah Smith	\$100
2017	Tyroine Scott	\$100



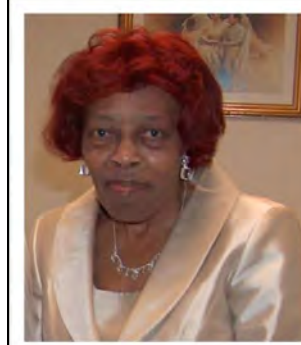
Mr. James Harris Music Scholarship

2006	Jentyria Jackson	\$100
2007	Nick Walker	\$100
2008	Khiry Bell	\$100
2009	Cleophus Walker	\$100
2010	Stafford Griffin	\$100
2011	Douglas Jackson Stanley	\$100
2013	Hitoshi & Asiyon Hudson	\$100
2014	Nicholas Jackson	\$100
2015	Lessie Newman	\$100
2016	Mariah Harris	\$100
2017	Dylan Chambers	\$100



Mrs. Desiree Hart Music Scholarship

2006	Raven Grant	\$100
2007	Marissa Thompson	\$100
2008	LeJeska Black	\$100
2009	Sharday Young	\$100
2010	Stephanie Griffin	\$100
2011	Gerrica Adams	\$100
2012	Dejohnessa Dixon	\$100
2013	Ja'kelia Williams	\$100
2015	Wendalyn Towner	\$100
2016	Inesha Jackson	\$100
2017	Inesha Jackson	\$100



Mr. Phillip Horn Music Scholarship

2006	Justin Johnson	\$100
2007	Dylan Rivers	\$100
2008	Dylan Rivers	\$100
2009	Laverntae Buckley	\$100
2010	Jeremiah Jackson	\$100
2011	Luke Rensburg	\$100
2013	Malik Travis	\$100
2015	Isaiah Smith	\$100
2016	Austin Ratliff	\$100
2017	Makayla Francis	\$100



Mr. Claude "Bubba" Nichols Music Scholarship

2006	Justin Huff	\$100
2007	Dondre Blackmon	\$100
2008	Deon Kiner	\$100
2009	Jaleesa Seals	\$100
2010	Dylan Rivers	\$100
2011	Shunterrius Hobson	\$100
2013	T'Kez Davis	\$100
2015	William Dean, III	\$100
2016	Lessie Newman	\$100
2017	Myeshia Smith	\$100



Mrs. Tommie Travis Music Scholarship

2006	Frensha Slaughter	\$100
2008	Shamaya Reavus	\$100
2009	Aliyah Jackson	\$100
2010	Khayla Wilks	\$100
2011	Jasmine Lacey	\$100
2013	De'Maya Smith	\$100
2014	Ricki' Anna Ollie	\$100
2015	Kindall Miller	\$100
2016	Paige May	\$100
2017	Jayla Smith	\$100



Mrs. Flonzie Goodloe Wright Music Scholarship

2006	Verlincia Alexander	\$100
2007	Jentyria Jackson	\$100
2008	Rolisha Ratliff	\$250
2009	Alexis Jones	\$100
2010	Natasha Henson	\$100
2011	Maurice Van Jackson, Jr.	\$100
2013	De'Maya Smith	\$100
2014	Inesha Jackson	\$100
2015	Shelby Greer	\$500
2016	Leila Slaughter	\$100
2017	Leila Slaughter	\$100



Mrs. Lucille Nichols Smith Music Scholarship

2006	Adrien Sumbler	\$100
2007	Nicole Williams	\$100
2008	Sha'Maya Readus	\$100
2009	Tamara Jackson	\$100
2010	Shiloh Remsburg	\$100
2011	Gabrielle Maye	\$100
2013	Kanya Fleming	\$100
2015	Inesha Jackson	\$100
2016	Kendell Miller	\$100
2017	Isaiah Smith	\$100



Sister Thea Bowman Music Scholarship

(established 2015)

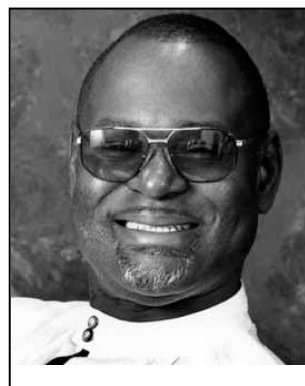
2016	Wendolyn Towner	\$100
2017	Wendolyn Towner	\$100



Mr. Randolph Watson Music Scholarship

(established 2015)

2016	Collin Fortenberry	\$500
2017	Cortez Dunigan	\$100



TOTAL AMOUNT AWARDED: \$25,300.00

CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION

2018 Music Scholarship Recipients



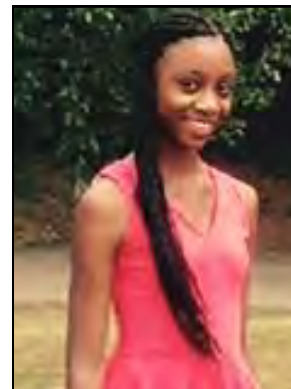
Inesha Jackson
\$500



Malcolm Walker
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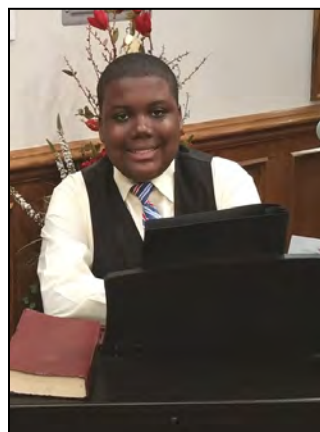
Aaliyah Dawson
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Wendolyn Towner
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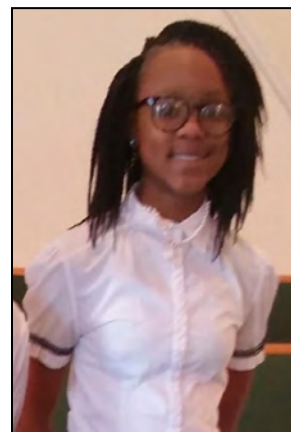
Aubrey Chambers
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Isaiah Smith
\$100



Meckel Primer
\$100



Makayla Francis
\$100



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2017 Music Scholarship Recipients



Sherida Banks
\$500



Greg Tyler Richards
\$500



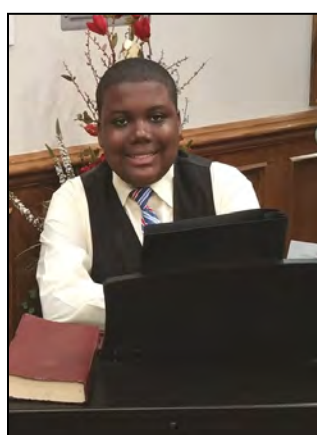
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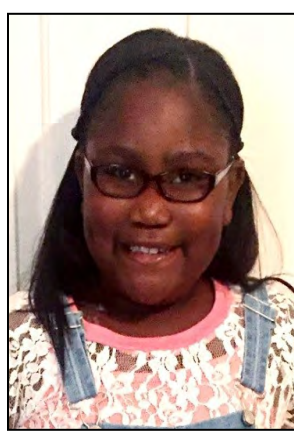
Wendolyn Towner
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Jayla Smith
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Isaiah Smith
\$100



Leila Slaughter
\$100



Tyrione Scott
\$100



Inesha Jackson
\$100



Kaleb Bullock
\$100



Myeshia Smith
\$100



Cortez Dunigan **\$100**
Makalya Francis **\$100**

CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION
2016 Music Scholarship Recipients



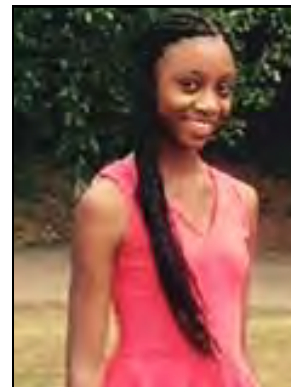
Collin Fortenberry
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Chandler Greenwood
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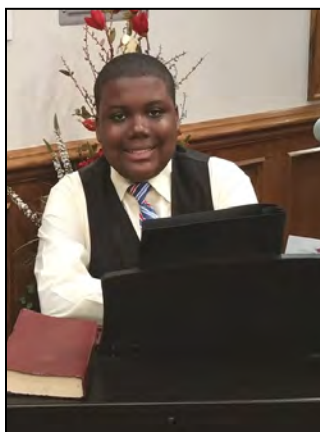
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Wendolyn Towner
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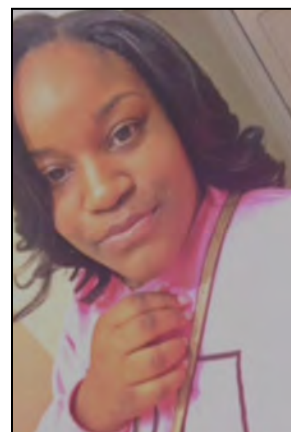
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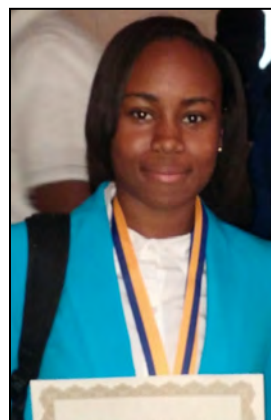
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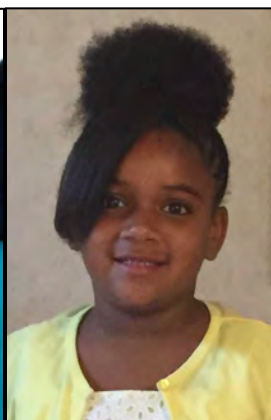
Matthew Jordan
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Paige May
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Inesha Jackson
\$100



Mariah Harris
\$100



Leila Slaughter
\$100



Austin Ratliff
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Lessie Newman
\$100

CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION
2015 Music Scholarship Recipients



Karl Phillips
\$500



Shelby Greer
\$500



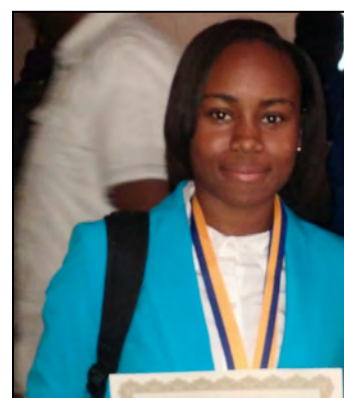
Shemar Brooks
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Wendalyn Towner
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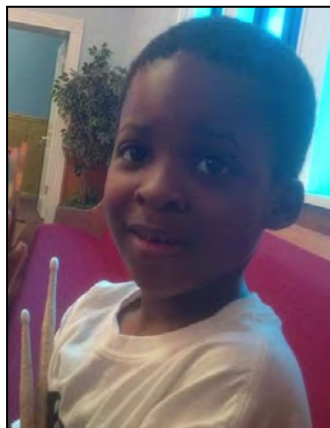
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Inesha Jackson
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Kindall Miller
\$100



William Dean, III
\$100



Austin Ratliff
\$100



Lessie Newman
\$100

CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION
2014 Music Scholarship Recipients



Amran Luckett

\$500



Gabriella Steele

\$500



Ricki' Anna Ollie
\$100



Inesha Jackson
\$100

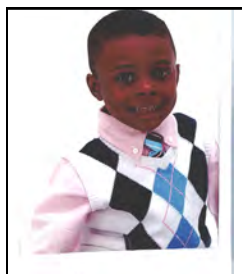


Isaiah Smith
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Nicholas Jackson
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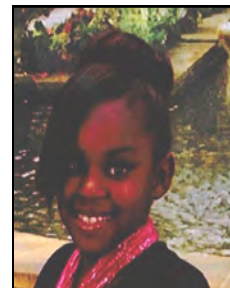
CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION
2013 Music Scholarship Recipients



Caydon Jones
\$100



Hitoshi Hudson
\$100



Asiyon Hudson
\$100



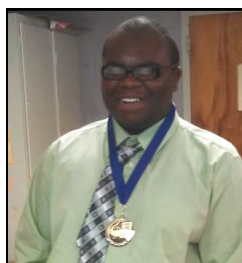
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Ja'Kelia Williams
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De'Maya Smith
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Malik Travis
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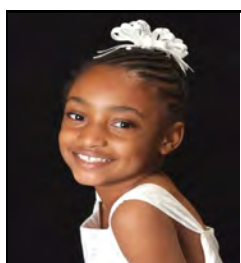
T'Kez Davis
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Layla Garrett
\$100



Patrick Chatelain
\$100



Kanya Fleming
\$100

CANTON GOSPEL MUSIC ASSOCIATION
2012 Music Scholarship Recipients



Christopher Lewis
\$500



Dylan Rivers
\$500

Dejohnessa Dixon
\$100

Henry Young
\$100

Justin Adams
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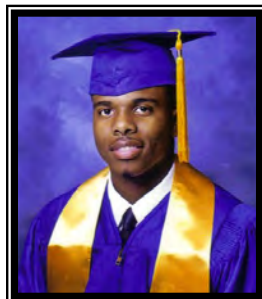


*Members of the
 Canton Gospel Music Association
 presented a check to*
ASHFORD SANDERS
*as he departed Canton for
 Atlanta, GA
 to begin taping for*
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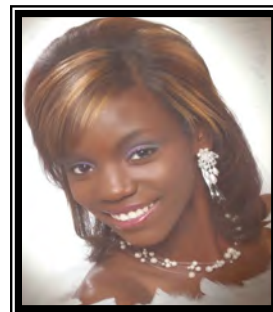
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2011 Music Scholarship Recipients



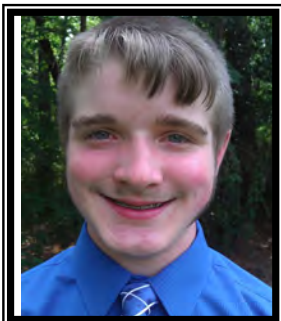
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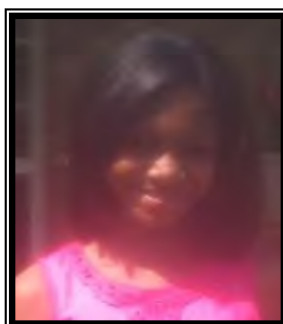
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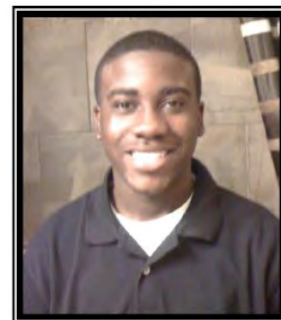
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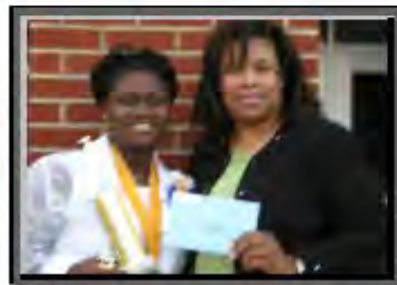
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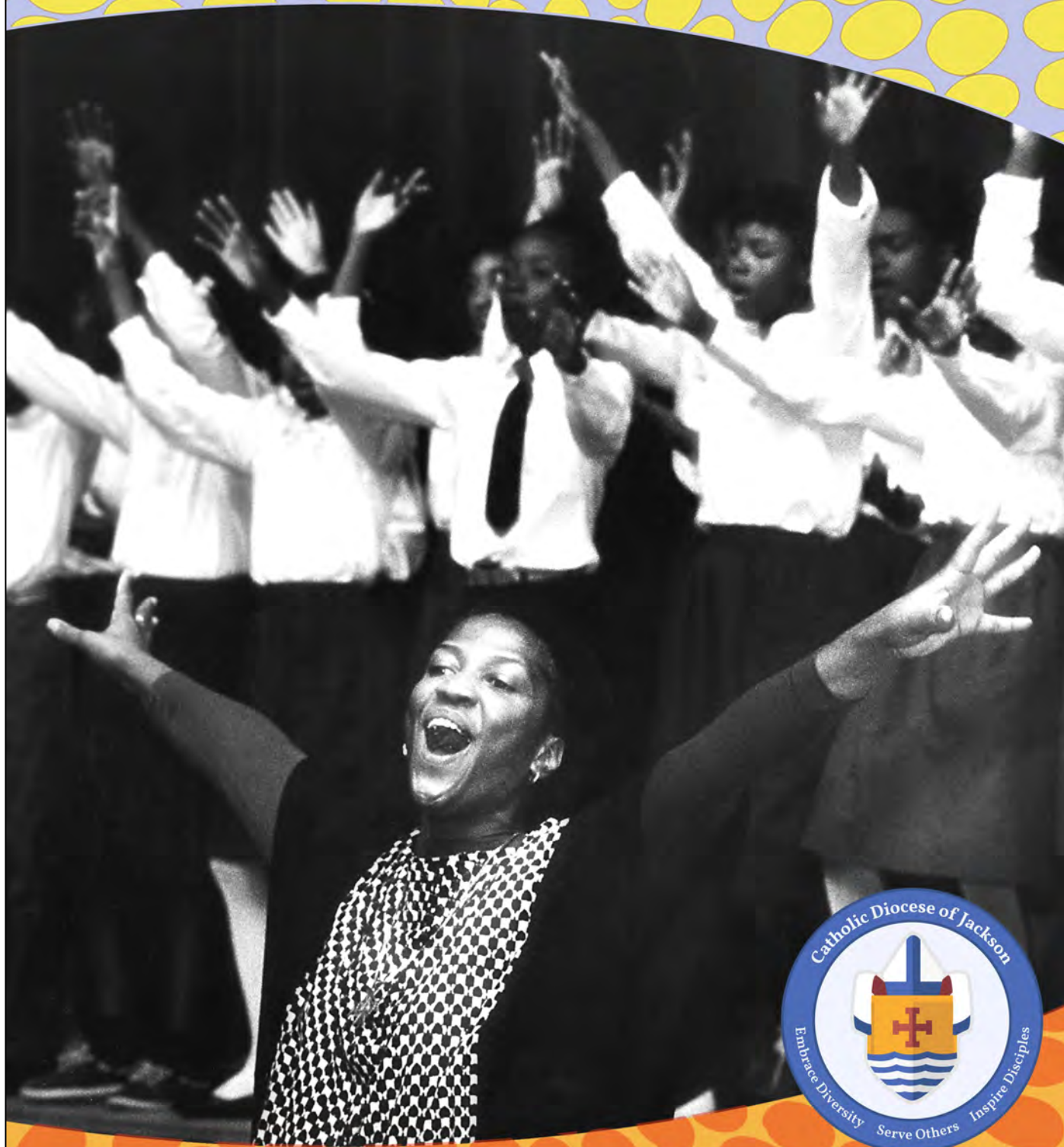
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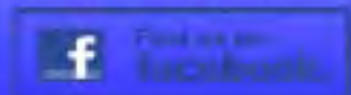


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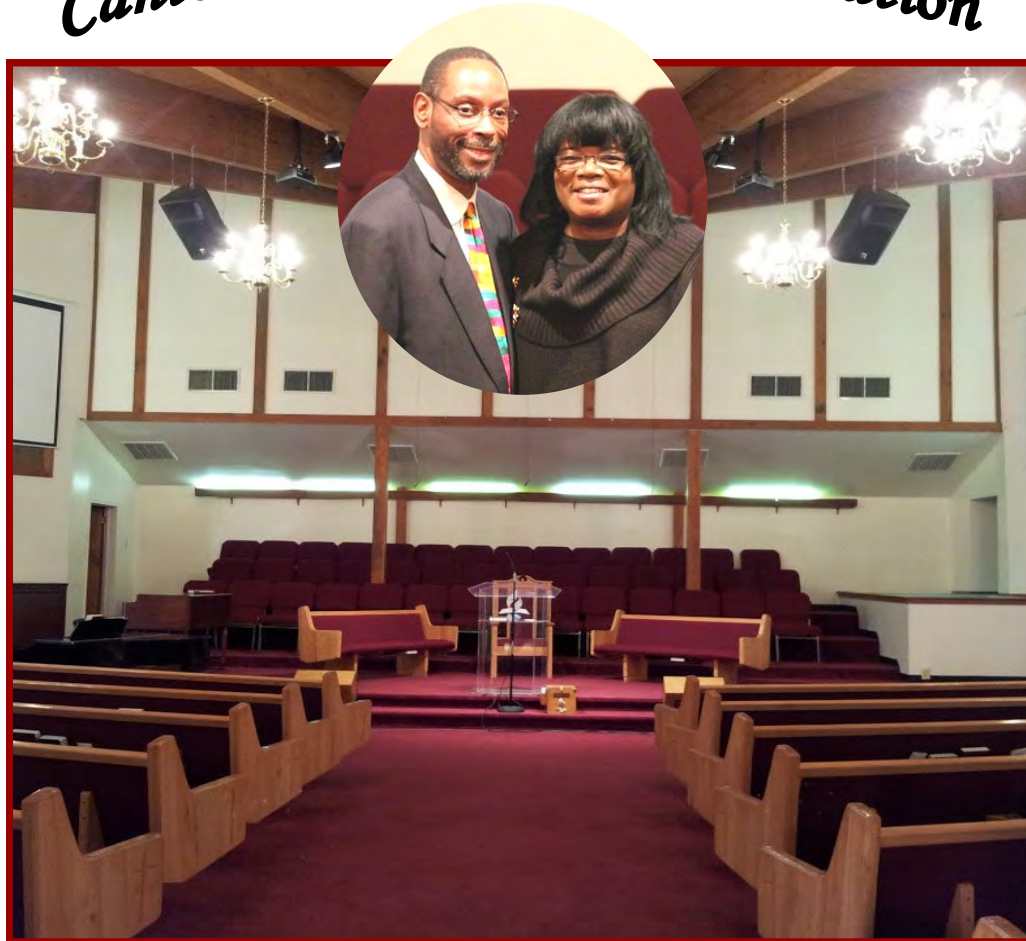


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- Psalm 122:1 ESV



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*Then David spoke to the chiefs of the Levites
to appoint their relatives the singers, with in-
struments of music, harps, lyres, loud-
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1 Chronicles 15:16



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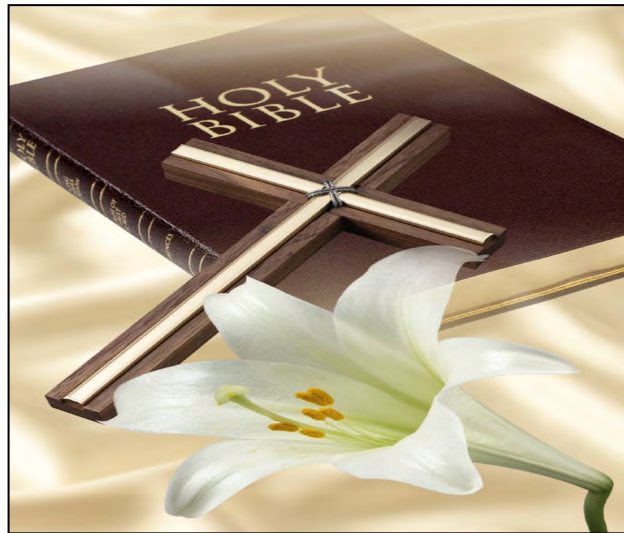
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*He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most
High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty
Psalm 91:1 King James Version (KJV).*

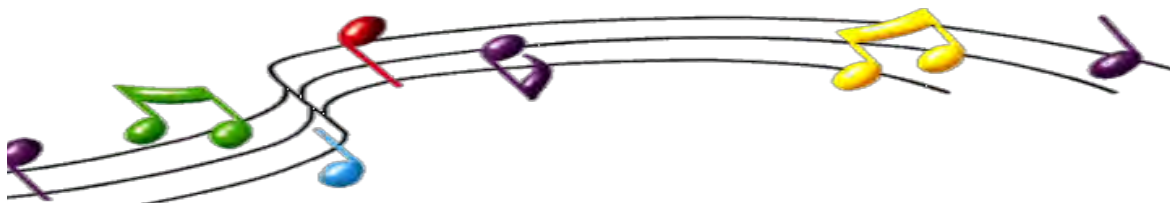
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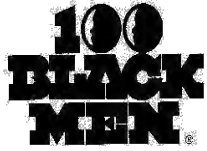
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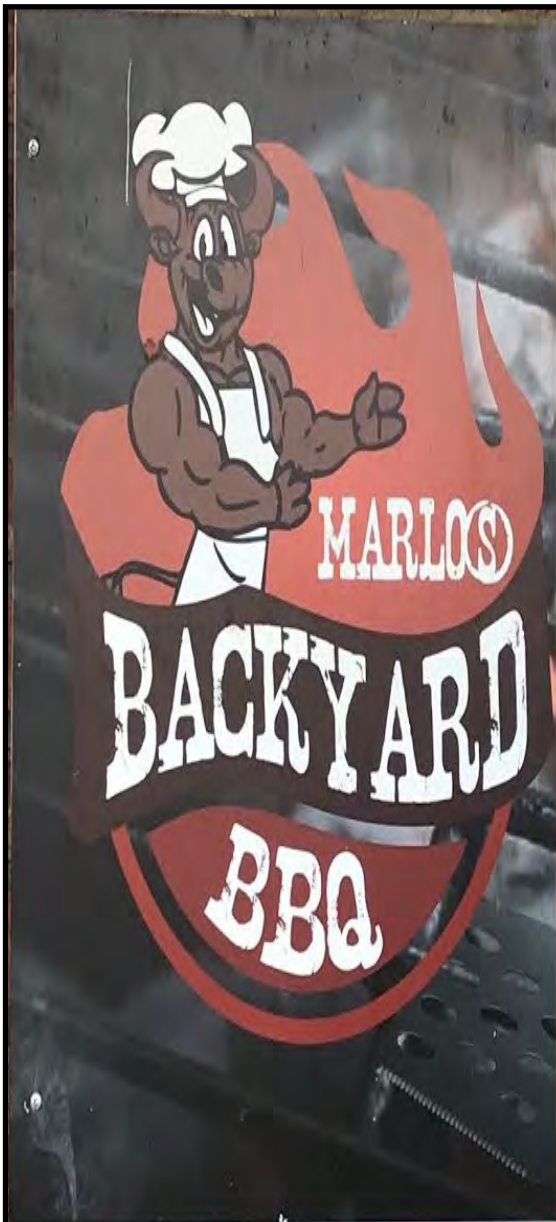
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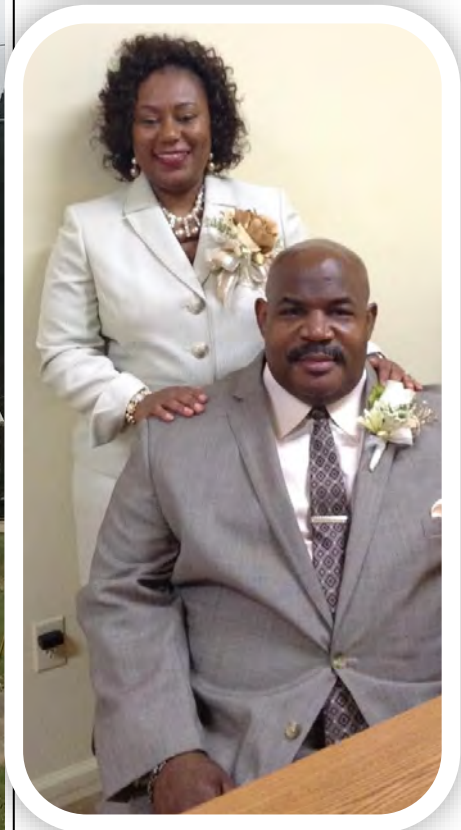


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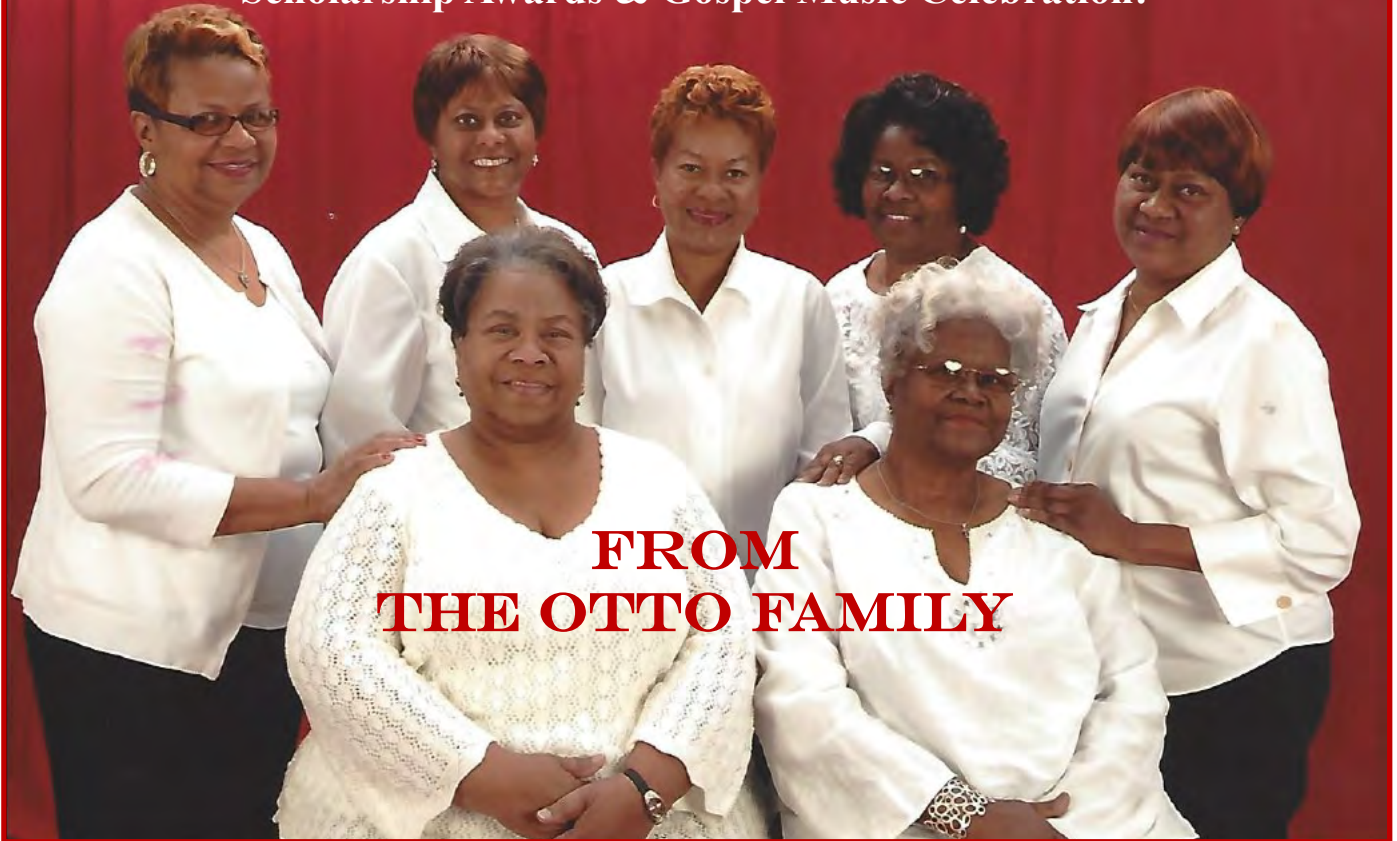


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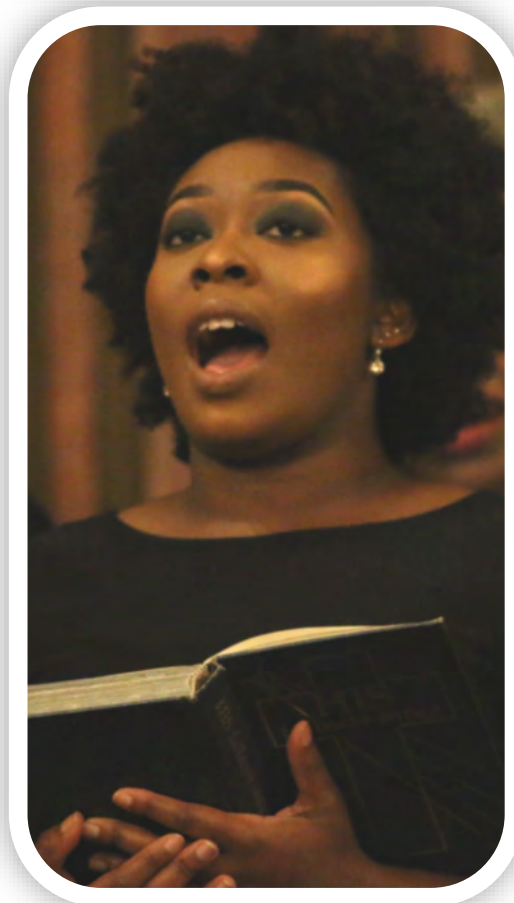
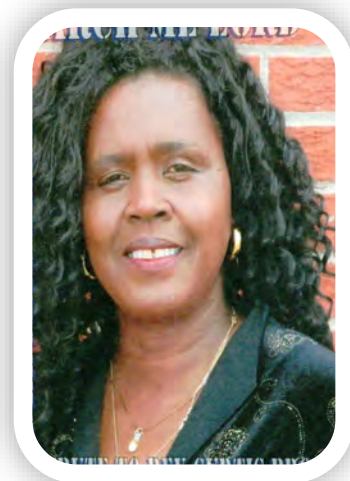


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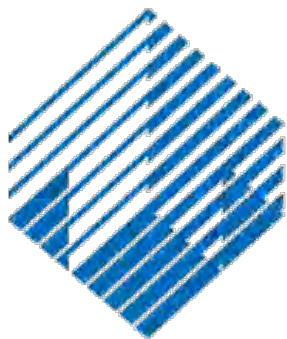
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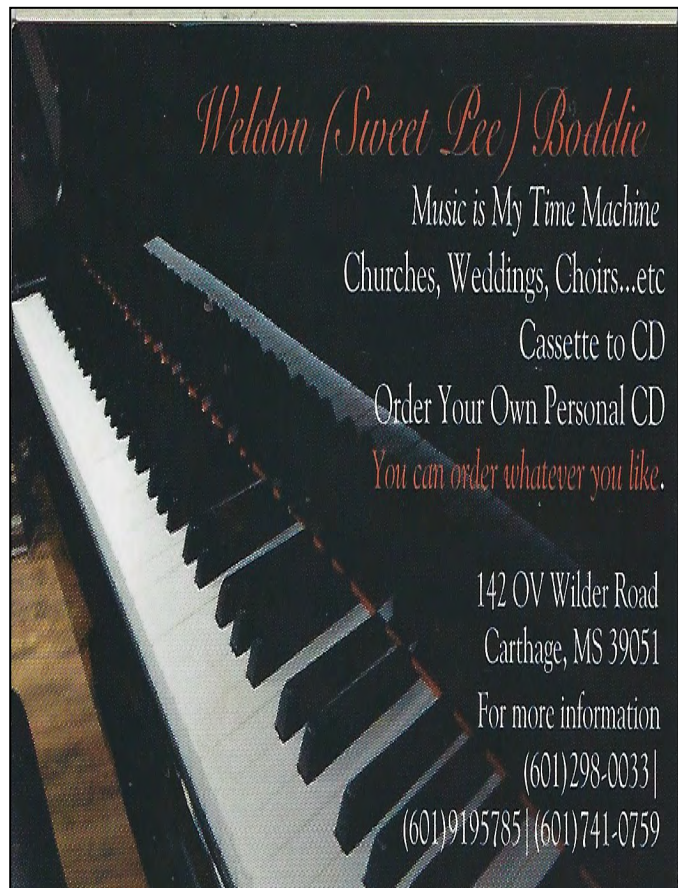
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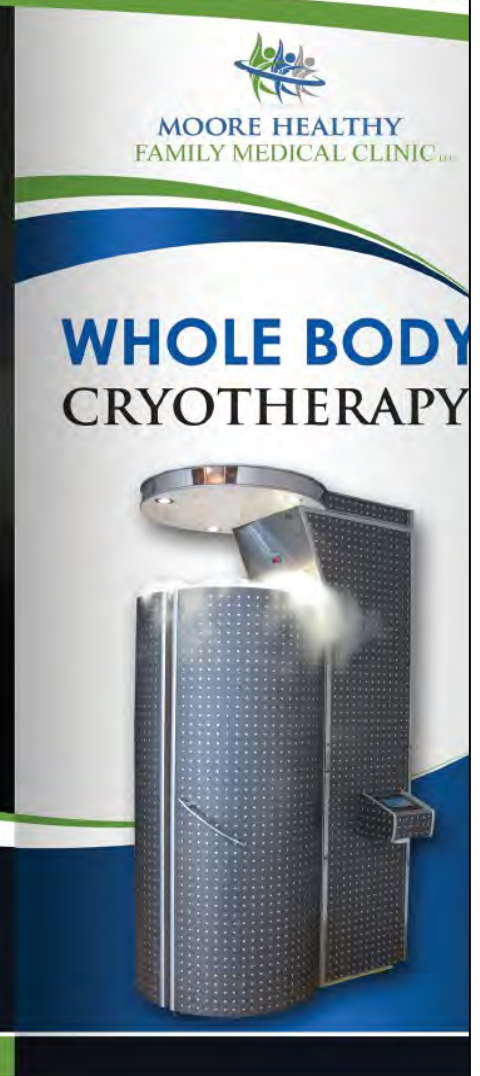
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