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Centennial Commencement
August 13, 1978

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY
OF TEXAS

CENTENNIAL COMMENCEMENT
EXERCISES

The One - Hundreth Year



HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION BUILDING

SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST THIRTEENTH

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHT

TEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK

GIFT TO THE UNIVERSITY FROM THE CLASS OF 1978 THE CENTENNIAL YEAR GRADUATING CLASS

The Centennial Year Graduating classes leave Prairie View A&M University at an historic time in the University's rich and varied history: The Year of the Celebration of Prairie View's Centennial. The Centennial Year is, indeed, a fitting memorial to Prairie View one hundred-year tradition of Producing productive, successful people.

As these graduates join the ranks of distinguished alumni of Prairie View A&M University, they become a part of a tradition established by earlier senior classes: that of leaving a permanent reminder of their love and esteem for their Alma Mater. The Centennial Year Class—the Class of '78—leaves a cash contribution. The gift was presented at the May Centennial Commencement. —THE CLASS OF 1978

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS — 1977-78

BYRON BANKSTON	<i>President</i>
JERRY BURLEY	<i>Vice-President</i>
NANCY NEAL	<i>Secretary</i>
MATTIE HINES	<i>Assistant Secretary</i>
DWAYNE REVIS	<i>Treasurer</i>
ADRIAN STEWART	<i>Assistant Treasurer</i>
ROBERT THOMAS	<i>Reporter</i>
CARRIE MOORE	<i>Reporter</i>
DAMON WILSON	<i>Sargeant-at-Arms</i>
CONNIE FOREMAN	<i>Parliamentarian</i>
CHRISTOPHER TOOTE, CHARLES BRANCH	<i>Chaplains</i>

CLASS SPONSORS

MR. SAMUEL MONTGOMERY, *Chairman*

DR. JOAHANNE THOMAS

MR. WILLIAM CHAPMAN

COMMENCEMENT STEERING COMMITTEE

DR. EDWARD W. MARTIN <i>Chairman</i>	*MR. CHARLIE FERGUSON MR. LEE HENDERSON	REV. W. VAN JOHNSON MR. A. E. LEBRAUX	MR. SAMUEL MONTGOMERY *MISS BILLYE J. DOUGLAS
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MR. ROBERT V. COLE	MR. FREDDIE KALLIE	*MR. GERARD MOSBY	MR. E. POINDEXTER
MRS. R. L. BLAND EVANS	MRS. DELIA M. HUNT		

THE COMMENCEMENT PROCESSION

An appropriate costume is a necessary part of Commencement. The costume includes a cap, a gown, and a hood. Each part of the costume has special significance.

The most common head-piece (or cap) for the ceremony is the black, square, flat-topped, or "mortar board" type with gold or black tassel. It is called a "mortar board" because it is shaped like the board of the mason which holds the mortar. Recently we are seeing large velvet Tam-O-Shanter styles of head pieces replacing the mortar board. Some of the velvet tams are brilliantly colored such as orange or bright blue.

The tassel on the doctor's cap is usually gold, and permanently fastened on the left side. The master's cap has a black tassel worn on the left. The bachelor's cap has a black tassel worn on the right prior to graduation, then moved to the left during the ceremony.

The hood can be the most colorful part of the entire costume. The colors inside the hood are those of the college or university which awarded the degree. The color of the outside rim of the hood symbolizes one of the following departments of learning:

Agriculture	Maise	Medicine	Green
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White	Music	Pink
Commerce Accountancy, Business	Drab	Nursing	Apricot
Dentistry	Lilac	Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Economics	Copper	Pharmacy	Olive Green
Education	Light Blue	Philosophy	Dark Blue
Engineering	Orange	Physical Education	Sage Green
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown	Public Administration, including Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Forestry	Russet	Public Health	Salmon Pink
Geography	Blue and Green	Science	Golden Yellow
Home Economics	Golden Yellow	Social Work	Citron
Journalism	Crimson	Technology	Golden Yellow
Industrial Education	Light Blue	Theology	Scarlet
Law	Purple	Veterinary Science	Gray
Library Science	Lemon		

The gown is usually black. The traditional doctor's gown has velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on the regular sleeves. The master's gown has no velvet, but does have unusually long sleeves. The bachelor's gown is similar to the master's but has regular length sleeves which tend to be pointed.

Some gowns may be in the color of the department granting the degree, such as "Education Blue." Others may be "Yale Blue" or "Harvard Crimson" for graduates of these universities.

* Student Members.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Presiding: DR. ALVIN I. THOMAS
President, Prairie View A&M University

THE CONVOCATION PROCESSION

COMMENTATOR FOR THE PROCESSION MR. C. A. THOMAS
Registrar, Prairie View A&M University

PROCESSIONAL: "Pomp and Circumstance" *Elgar*
DR. DANNY R. KELLEY, *Organist*

Administrative Officers and Faculty
Candidates for the Bachelor's Degree
Candidates for the Master's Degree
The President and His Party (Including Retiring Staff)

CALL TO WORSHIP THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON
Dean of Chapel, Prairie View A&M University

HYMN: "America The Beautiful" Congregation

SCRIPTURE-INVOCATION THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON

SOLO: "Hear Ye Israel" (from Elijah) *Felix Mendelssohn*
BRENDA WIMBERLY, *Soprano*

THE INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER DR. ALVIN I. THOMAS

THE CONVOCATION ADDRESS THE HONORABLE GEORGE (Mickey) LELAND
Member-Elect, The United States Congress
Houston, Texas

SOLO: "Ride on King Jesus" *Arr. by Hall Johnson*
GARY BEANER, *Tenor*

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES BY THE PRESIDENT

ALUMNI PLEDGE FOR THE CLASS OF 1978 DR. S. R. COLLINS, '49
Dean, College of Industrial Education and Technology
Prairie View A&M University

PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS ... DR. A. I. THOMAS

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSION IN THE ARMY
OF THE UNITED STATES COLONEL ERNEST MORGAN
Professor, Military Science
Prairie View A&M University

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH COLONEL JAMES WALLACE, '55

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSION IN THE NAVY OF
THE UNITED STATES CAPTAIN F. D. RICHARDSON
Professor, of Naval Science
Prairie View A&M University

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALMA MATER: "Dear Prairie View" (See Back Cover) *Fuller-Sibelius*

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL: "War March of the Priests" (Athalia) *Felix Mendelssohn*
(Audience Seated)

Members of the Audience are requested to remain in their seats until the Academic Procession has left the Auditorium.

CENTENNIAL CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES¹

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE

Animal Science Curriculum

PINKARD, AVIS F.

Houston

OMUTSANI, WYCLIFFE G.

Prairie View

Plant and Soil Science Curriculum

MCKNIGHT, BOBBY R.

Crockett

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Speech and Drama Curriculum

WALLACE, PHYLLIS

Dallas

WILLIAMS, YOLANDA Y.

Port Arthur

Economics Curriculum

PITTMAN, LINDA M.

Webster

English Curriculum

STANTON, LAWRENCE²

Port Arthur

History Curriculum

SANFORD, JOSEPH M.

Dallas

Mass Communication Curriculum

PHILLIPS, VANESSA L.³

Galveston

WILEY, TAMRA R.

Houston

Political Science Curriculum

GAINER, ARTHURENE E.

Temple

WHEELER, ELIJAH N.

Houston

Recreation Curriculum

CUBA, DAROLD B.

Big Sandy

JONES, PATSY M.

Dallas

Sociology Curriculum

JONES, JEFFERY H.

Fort Worth

NICHOLSON, CYNTHIA D.

Houston

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC

LEWIS, PATRICIA GAIL

Prairie View

TOWNSEND, SHELLEY A.³

Houston

CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR OF MUSIC

BEANER, GARY L.

Shreveport, La.

WIMBERLY, BRENDA A.

Shreveport, La.

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK

COTTON, LOIS E.

San Augustine

PORTER, SHERYAL J.³

Crockett

HERNDON, LINDA D.

Houston

TAYLOR, GREGORY L.

Memphis, Tenn

HUBBARD, DARRYL K.

Crockett

VINCENT, CATHY L.³

Houston

LEVELS, PATRICIA

Marlin

WILSON, JOEL

Brooklyn, N. Y.

PITTMAN, LINDA MARIE

Webster

¹As final action cannot always be taken by the time this program is printed, the list of candidates given here is tentative only, the University reserving the right to withdraw or add names.

²Member of Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society.

³Member of Association of Junior Fellows.

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology Curriculum

SCOTT, ANTHONY W.² Houston WILLIAMS, ROSE M. Dallas

Biology (Pre-Medicine) Curriculum

BASTIAN, EARL A. Nassau, Bahamas
SANDS, MICKEY B. Houston TOOTE, CHRISTOPHER E.^{2 3} Nassau, Bahamas

Biology (Pre-Dentistry) Curriculum

MALONE, GWENDOLYN C. Houston MASSEY, LEONARD L. Harwood

Chemistry Curriculum

OKONGWU, CHINDEU Houston

Mathematics Curriculum

KIRK, KENNETH Fort Worth MELONSON, JEROME A. Liberty

Mathematics (Computer Science) Curriculum

HAYNES, ALETHEA C. Houston MUSE, CYNTHIA R. Prairie View

Medical Technology Curriculum

CONNOR, COLLENE Houston
JOSEY, SHELIA J. Brookshire LEWIS, LEWIS, DEBORAH A. Houston

Physical Education Curriculum

ANDREWS, RALPH San Antonio PARKER, GLENN R. Houston
BIBBS, CHEREE D. San Antonio THOMPSON, BILLY S. Houston
GAY, WAYLAND C.² Houston WEATHERSPOON, TRAVIS D.² Pineland

Psychology Curriculum

BALTHAZAR, SIDNEY L. Houston

Library Science Curriculum

BARKER, ELAINE ALLEN Houston CRUTCHFIELD, DORCAS J. Greenville

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Accounting Curriculum

CITIZEN, Clarence, JR. Houston GREEN, JOE W. Compton, Ca.

Business Administration Curriculum

DAVIS, CARL L. Dallas JUDIE, BILLY J. Calvert
HORNBUCKLE, JERRY L. Spring

Finance Curriculum

DURANT, HAZEL E.² Houston

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Finance Curriculum

GIWA, JELILI O. Houston PRICE, EDWARD L. Dallas
PEGRAM, REGINALD W. Terrell

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³Member of Association of Junior Fellows.

Management Curriculum

ANDERSON, DARRYL W.	Houston	KAY, WALTER K.	Galveston
BROWN, DARLENNE M.	Houston	KING, ANTHONY J. ²	Houston
COSEY, DONALD W.	New Orleans, La.	MANN'S, KATHY A.	Dallas
DANCY, REGINALD K.	Houston	MARSHALL, RUTHIE JEAN	Dallas
DAVIS, WILLIE P.	Houston	OKORO, LAURA D.	Waller
FOX, JAMES L.	Houston	PRIESTLEY, CHALRE C.	Austin
HALL, ROBERT E.	Houston	RECTOR, DARRELL K.	Dallas
HILL, IRIE	Lufkin	WATKINS, JOHNNY	Waco
JACKSON, KAREN E.	Port Arthur	YANCY, BARBARA C.	Karnack
JACKSON, SMITH H. JR.	Houston		

Marketing Curriculum

DAWODU, FUNMI O.	Prairie View	SANDERS, DONALD L.	Crockett
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Office Administration Curriculum

FLETCHER, MYRNA M.	Henderson	SIMON, DIANA	Waller
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CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Business Education Curriculum

WHITE, GWIN E.	Brenham
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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Elementary Education Curriculum

BARLOWE, CAROLYN E.	Brenham	JOHNSON, SELENA A.	Prairie View
BENNETT, WANDA L.	Houston	LANE, CHERALYN L. ³	Los Angeles, Ca.
BOWERS, KATHY J.	Dallas	ROBINS, FLORENCE M. ²	Houston
BROWN, HERBERT A.	San Antonio	STRAMBLER, GWENDOLYN J.	Prairie View
BUNDAGE, GLORIA	Hearne	TAYLOR, RICKIE R.	Fort Worth
CHINN, DIANE E.	Galveston	THOMAS, PAMELA K.	Hempstead
GERMAN, FELECIA N.	Houston	WAGNER, LILLIAN H.	Houston
HARRIS, BARBARA B.	Bryan	WOODARD, CASSANDRA E.	Dallas
HAYES, BRENDA THOMAS	Hempstead	ZONICLE, BELVA D.	Nassau, Bahamas

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATE FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE

BANKS, DOUGLAS, L.	Houston	PETERS, DON O.	Atlanta
BROWN, TROY, JR.	Temple	PIMSON, DWIGHT L.	Shreveport, La.
GREEN, RHONDA G.	Houston	PRICE, MAXWELL	Houston
OSBY, JOHN W. ²	Houston		

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

BELL, AGATHA L.	Ferriday, La.	OLIVER, ROBERT R., JR.	Houston
DEESE, ROBERT L. ²	Hempstead	ROBERTS, DUKE E. ³	Houston
MCKINNEY, WALTER H.	Nassau, Bahamas	UMAR, TIJJANI A.	Prairie View
NAGHAVI, MEHDI O.	Houston		

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

BAKTASH, BAHMAN	Houston	RAZAZ, MORTEZA	Prairie View
DAVIS, CLIFFORD W.	Hempstead	RICHARDSON, LEROY ²	Terrell
LEWIS, VERNON R.	Port Arthur	SAMS, LAWRENCE G.	Brookshire
OLYAIE, JAMSHID	Houston		

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³Member of Association of Junior Fellows.

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

BULLOCK, KEVIN L.²

Houston

EKANEM, EKANEM A.

C. R. State Nigeria

COLLEGE OF HOME ECONOMICS

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DIETETICS

BUTLER, KAREN J.

San Antonio

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HOME ECONOMICS

FULLER, MARILYN S.

Mt. Pleasant

MCNEIL, MILDRENE R.

Port Arthur

JOHNSON, JUNE L.

Houston

PRINCE, GLORIA J.

Houston

JONES, PATRICIA L.

Prairie View

WRIGHT, ROSETTA M.

Houston

MACK, CAROLYN L.

Houston

COLLEGE OF INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION AND TECHNOLOGY

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Art Education Curriculum

JONES, REGINALD G.

Gilmer

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION

HICKS, WILLIE A.

Dallas

JONES, GEORGE H.

Houston

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

BILLOPS, JOE H.

Dallas

GRAYSON, JOHNNY R.

Marquise

BLOCK, CONNIE W.

Houston

HARDEMAN, DONALD W.

Houston

BRUMFIELD, RICHARD L.

Houston

HOPES, BOBBY R.

Edna

COLLINS, WILLIAM E.

Shreveport, La.

WILLIAMS, GREGORY T.

Houston

COTTON, CLAUDE E.²

Houston

GRADUATE SCHOOL

Presentation by the Dean

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Economics

EARNEST R. BURKE

Birmingham, Ala.

COLLIS DELORES SHERMAN

Nassau, Bahamas

B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1977

B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1977

FREDDIE KIRKLAND

Houston

REEVES RAMSEY TAYLOR

Houston

B.A., Claflin University, 1970

B.S., U. S. Naval Academy, 1953

History

ELLERY CHASE STEVENSON

Houston

B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1977

Music Education

LELA MARIE ANDERSON

Houston

B.A. in Music, Prairie View A&M College, 1972

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

ALEXANDER O. AKINYANJU

Ondo, Nigeria

HARRY E. EZIM

Prairie View

B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1975

B.A., Philander Smith College, 1977

MOHAMED ARAZIMU ALHARAZIM

Houston

FAHAMI HOSEIN

Houston

B.A., Jersey City State College, 1977

B.A., Huston-Tillotson College, 1977

SAMUEL ABIODUM BELLO

Houston

BILLIE J. JARMON, JR.

Oakwood

B.B.A., Baylor University, 1976

B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1976

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²Member of Association of Junior Fellows.

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Continued)

DERRICK BRUCE JOHNSON	Prairie View	MOHAMMAD ALI MOJTAHEDZADEH	Houston
B.B.A., Albany State College, 1977		B.S., College of Mass Communications, 1972	
SECETER YOLANDA PHILLIPS JONES	Houston	EPHRAIM CHUKS ONWERE	Houston
B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1977		B.S., Oakwood College, 1975	
JAVAD-SEYED KASHANCHI	Houston	THIRUMALACHARY RANGARAJAN	Houston
B.A., Huston-Tillotson College, 1977		B.A., University of Madras, 1975	
HASAN H. KHODADADI	Houston	CYNTHIA ANN RODGERS	Prairie View
B.A., Huston Tillotson, 1978		B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1975	
HARLEM HAROLD LEWIS	Houston	ALI SHIRINPARVAR	Houston
B.S., Delaware State College, 1976		Bachelors Degree, Teacher Training College, 1972	
JENNIFER AKOSUA KARGBO	Linderwood, N.J.	MUDHYL KOLAWOLE TIJANI	Houston
A.B., Rutgers State University, 1976		B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1977	

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION

Secondary Education (Agricultural Education)

CECIL GEORGE DORSETT	Nassau, Bahamas	STELVIN MITCHELL	Kilgore
B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1977		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1967	

Secondary Education (Physical Education)

CLAUDETTE MARIE SMITH	Prairie View
B.S., Texas College, 1976	

Secondary Education (History)

VICTORIA JOHNSON FRAZIER	Prairie View	CHARLES RAY ROBERTSON	Texas City
B.S., Southern University, 1970		B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1976	

Administration

SHARON ANN FISK ADAMS	Port Arthur	DENISE LORRAINE MACK HAMPTON	Dallas
B.S., East Texas State University, 1968		B.S., Bishop College, 1974	
JOHN J. ARMOUR	New Caney	TEDDY W. HOWELL	Humble
B.S., East Texas State College, 1963		B.S., Angelo State College, 1968	
ARTHA JEWEL DILLARD BANKS	Dallas	DORIS WHITE HUEY	Houston
B.S., Bishop College, 1964		B.S., Texas Southern University, 1955	
NANCY CAROL BATTLE	McGregor	MARY HARRIETTE HUMPHREYS	El Campo
B.A., Baylor, 1962		B.S., Our Lady of the Lake College, 1967	
MABLE D. BERRY	Houston	EUGENE B. JACKSON	Port Arthur
B.A., Prairie View A&M College, 1971		B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1978	
JOYCELYN RUTH BLAKE	El Campo	KAREN LEE JACOB	Bellaire
B.S., Texas Wesleyan College, 1954		B.S., Southwest Texas State University, 1971	
STELLA SPENCER BLOUNT	Houston	BEULAH MARIE JOHNSON	Waco
B.S., Grambling College, 1969		A.B., Tillotson College, 1948	
JAUNELL COLLIER	Houston	CHANDRA M. BELL JOHNSON	Orange
B.S., South West Texas Teachers College, 1957		B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1974	
FELECIA D. BELL COMPTON	Prairie View	GLORIA HUDGINS JOHNSON	Dallas
B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1976		B.S., Tuskegee Institute, 1956	
LUCY LOIS CUMBY	Arlington	JAMES H. KING	Dallas
B.A., Prairie View A&M College, 1954		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1965	
DONALD M. EVANS	Dallas	MARGIE MARIE BRYAN LEWIS	Houston
B.S., Bishop College, 1969		B.A., Southern Methodist University, 1945	
DOROTHY MAY BRISCOE FISK	Port Arthur	KENNETH GEORGE MARTIN	Spring
B.S., Lamar State College, 1976		B.A., University of St. Thomas, 1968	
JOHN RALEIGH FREEMAN	Dallas	JOHN KEITH MCWILLIAMS	Cypress
B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1954		B.S., Texas Christian University, 1975	
CATHERINE JONES GAMBLE	Houston	SERETHA ANN MERCHANT	Dallas
B.S., B.S., University of Houston, 1974		B.S., Bishop College, 1967	
VIRDISLAND GAMBLE, JR.	Houston	GLENN EARL MILLER	Dallas
B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1974		B.S., Howard Payne, 1973	
ROYCE E. HACKLER	Holland	JOHN HENRY MILLER, JR.	Dallas
B.S., Sam Houston State College, 1966		A.B., Livingston College, 1972	
BILLY JOE HALL	Houston	ABEL MOJICA	Dallas
B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1972		B.S., Stephen F. Austin State University, 1973	

ADMINISTRATION (Continued)

FRANCES DEMOSS NOLEN	Houston	ELEANOR JOHNSON TAYLOR	Waco
B.S., North Texas State University, 1962		B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1976	
ROBBIE DANIELS ODAME-LARTEY, 1961	Dallas	SAVOY N. TERRAL	Fort Worth
B.S., Huston-Tillotson, 1961		B.A., Wiley College, 1954	
RONALD PEACE	Dallas	FRED WARBINGTON, JR.	Dallas
B.A., Dillard University, 1968		M. Ed. Prairie View A&M University, 1976	
WILLMAN J. PLUMMER	Houston	CHARLESTON M. WASHINGTON	Dallas
B.S., Southern University, 1967		B.A., Jarvis Christian College, 1967	
JACK PRICE	Dallas	DOROTHY MATTHEWS WATSON	Dallas
B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1961		B.A., Bishop College, 1953	
MICHAEL HAROLD ROASA	Holland	DEARIE F. WHITE	Richardson
B.S., Southwest Texas State University, 1974		B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1962	
BRENDA ANDERSON FORIE	Waco	EDDIE LEE WILLIAMS	Dallas
B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1975		B.S., Bishop College, 1970	
EARNEST SALSBERY	Port Arthur	JERRY R. WILLIAMS, JR.	Galveston
B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1978		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1971	
NORMA JEAN SMITH	Dallas	SHIRLEY A. WILLIAMS	Houston
B.S., Agricultural, Mechanical & Normal College, 1974		B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1975	
JOHNNY LEE STEWART	Houston	BILLY D. WISEMAN	Dallas
B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1976		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1956	
MARY STRICKLAND	Dallas	JOAN F. WOODS	Dallas
B.S., Jarvis Christian College, 1978		B.A., Prairie View A&M College, 1958	
JOE L. STRONG	Dallas	JOHNNY YOUNGER, SR.	Hurst
B.S., Jarvis Christian College, 1974		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1968	

Elementary Education

WILLIE JEAN BEASLEY	Dallas	ANNABEL A. D. DAVIS	Shreveport, La.
B.S., Bishop College, 1969		B.S., Wiley College, 1972	
BESSIE MAE SMITH BENFORD	Fort Worth	BEVERLY A. DAVIS	Marshall
B.S., Texas Wesleyan College, 1976		B.S., Wiley College, 1975	
EMMA P LOVER BIBBONS	Shreveport, La.	GAIL A. DAVIS	Houston
B.A., Grambling College, 1949		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1971	
PATRICIA A. BLACKBURN	Baytown	GWENDOLYN CARRAWAY DAVIS	Dallas
A.B., Whitman College, 1954		B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1970	
CAROL A. JOHNSON BOWDEN	Houston	MARJORIE S. DUSON	Dallas
B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1975		B.A., Bishop College, 1971	
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Dear Prairie View, our song to thee we raise,
In gratitude we sing our hymn of praise,
For mem'ries dear, for friends and recollections,
For lessons learned while here we've lived with thee
For these we pledge our hearts full of devotion,
To serve thee now, and through eternity.

As days go by our hearts will not grow cold,
We'll love thy purple royal and thy gold,
We'll through our lives exemplify thy teaching,
We'll always strive a blessing to be,
Thy children we our love and pride confessing,
We'll love thee now, and through eternity.

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