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YES WE SERVED!

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Crispus Attucks (c. 1723 - March 5, 1770) Widely considered to be the first American casualty in the American Revolutionary War.



The African-American Civil War Memorial, Washington, DC

Our American Troops have served both domestically and abroad to ensure that we as a united people are guaranteed the liberties and freedoms that all people are entitled to have. YES WE SERVED from the beginning of our nation to ensure that American people would be free from foreign oppression. During the Revolutionary War, we battled for years (1775-1783) for the right to establish an independent nation. In response to manpower shortages, George Washington lifted the ban on black enlistment in the Continental Army in January 1776. All-black units were formed in Rhode Island and Massachusetts. Many of these units were composed of slaves who'd been promised freedom for serving in lieu of their masters. Another African American unit came from Haiti with French forces. At least 5000 African American soldiers fought as Revolutionaries. Black volunteers also served with various South Carolina guerrilla units. These black troops made a critical difference in the fighting in the swamps, especially when many of the white troops were sick with malaria. Many black troops were genetically resistant to malaria because they carried the sickle cell trait; eventually, our new nation formulated a constitution that laid the framework for a society that embraced the idea of basic rights for its citizens.

YES WE SERVED during the War of 1812. In fact, about one quarter of the personnel in the American naval squadrons of the battle of Lake Erie were blacks, in fact, the Rotunda of Ohio's Capital show that blacks played a significant role in it. A militia unit, the Louisiana Battalion of Free Men of Color and a unit of black soldiers from Santo Domingo offered their services and were accepted by General Andrew Jackson in the Battle of New Orleans, a victory that was achieved after the war was officially over.

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by Dr. William B. Lyons IV



The Tuskegee Airmen The Tuskegee Airmen were the first African-American military aviators in the United States armed forces, who fought in World War II



Col. Joe Sasser
Chief JROTC
Dallas ISD



Colin Luther Powell is an American statesman and a retired four-star general in the United States Army

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR / CITY OF DALLAS Proclamation

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WHEREAS, this February

Dallas ISD Proud



Name: **Donya Suell**

School: Lincoln High School and Communications/Humanities Magnet

Class of: 2014

Activities: Track, reading, writing and film

Role Model(s): My grandmother

Favorite movie or book:

"Temptations"

Plans after high school:

To attend college

Why I'm proud of my school: I am proud of my school because they are teaching me more than education; they are teaching life and getting us better prepared for life outside school walls. Success at our school is not an option.

Name: **Jessica Segura**

School: North Dallas High School

Class of: 2014

Activities: Writing, drill team,

youth group and reading

Role Model(s): God and my parents

Favorite movie or book:

"Perks of being a wallflower"

Plans after high school: To attend college and become a director

Why I am proud of my school: I am proud of my school because North Dallas is a family. No matter what the occasion is we all come together to show our Bulldog pride. I believe wherever you go in life you'll never forget where you came from.

The Premise

Love of God, Love of Country,

Love of Self,

Love of Humanity, the Will to Serve.

MY DAY: NON-FLIGHT SCHOOL TIME AGAIN



By Dr. Ester Davis

I love to fly and love a smooth landing at my destination. I have mentioned before that the idea that God has blessed man to place that much steel, energy, space, controls among the heavenly clouds with hundreds of humans on board is still a sheer fascinating wonder to me. USA Today reported recently that the demand for airline pilots will soar. **The Black Pilots of America** constantly bombard this column with information about the wide blue sky and the opportunities that exist. Airlines face worse pilot shortage in decades. My article has been a drum major for the aviation

industry, scholarship information for black students and all collective needs to act, lead in propelling our youth forward. In the wide world of aviation, African Americans make up less than 6% of pilots today. . hold fewer key positions and jobs in the aviation industry.

Every day there is 'hot' international news about aviation. Private jet owners in Nigeria has risen 650% in five years. Rival China is the fastest growing private jet market in the world. According to Chandigarh Airport, private jets in India is on the rise. Ten year old Charlie Goldfarb, with Hollywood Aviators has logged 20-plus flight hours. Nathan Patterson, a 12 years old from Kansas, is making plans for his pilot's license. I still speak of my unmatched experience watching 16 year old Nathan Clark, then a student at Skyline High School, land a open single engine plane at Dallas Executive Airport. (See Aviation Mom).

Just a gentle reminder.
This summer, Dallas Executive Airport will

again host "Flight School" a highly popular educational summer program for 4th and 5th graders only, that's ages 10 and 12 years old. This program has existed for many years at the Frontier of Flight Museum at Love Field. Statistics show that African American children lag in the country's most needed positions, i.e., science, technology, engineering, math (STEM). On the other side of these statistics, we do have 10 year olds who are excelling in the STEM subjects. **And we need to know who they are. Where they are?** Churches, pastors, parents and community royalty offer the greatest support to identify, enlist and enroll. We already have commitments to transport students, support students, volunteers, etc. Please share this information. In the meanwhile, if you are bored, the Friends of **Obama Male Leadership Academy** could use some dedicated volunteers.

Ester Davis can be reached at 214.376.9000. For the Well AWARE Group, Willa Scott & Noni

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EDITORIAL PAGE

DEAR EDITOR:

Dear Editor,

A new report from the American Cancer Society predicts that breast cancer will likely affect more Texans than any other cancer in 2014. But it doesn't have to.

Studies have shown a link between high cholesterol and breast cancer, and scientists say the research suggests that women



By Marian Wright Edelman
NNPA Columnist

Carter G. Woodson, son of former slaves, pioneering Harvard-trained historian, founder of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, and inspirer of Black History Month, very clear that celebrating our rich Black history of struggle and courage was not the same as getting stuck in the past, but if we are going to understand the present and protect the future we must understand where we came from and what it took to get us here.

Black History Month is not just for Black Americans. It is for all Americans as we are at the tipping point of a country where the majority of our children are non-White. Black history is American history.

The Children's Defense Fund's recent report on The State of America's Children 2014 shows children of color are already a majority of all children under 2 and in five years children of color will

be able to reduce breast cancer risk by either taking cholesterol-lowering drugs or eating a healthy, low-cholesterol diet.

Personally, I would rather up my intake of colorful meals than colorful medicines. Fruits and vegetables have zero cholesterol, which is just one reason why you'll find scores of them on lists of "cancer-fighting foods." Whole grains are cholesterol-free too. In fact, no

plant product contains any cholesterol.

But meat, eggs, and dairy products all pack a cholesterol punch. A single egg has 212 milligrams, three and a half ounces of shrimp has 194, and three and a half ounces of chicken liver delivers a whopping 631 milligrams.

I lost the person that I was closest to, my grandmother, to breast cancer when she was just 64 years

old. So reducing my breast cancer risk is important to me. And cutting animal products out of my diet is an easy way to do that.

Going vegan is one of the best decisions I've ever made, and I hope that, until there is a cure for breast cancer, others will join me in taking this important step for their health.

Sincerely,
Michelle Kretzer

CHANGING FUTURE BLACK HISTORY THROUGH OUR CHILDREN

be the majority of all children in America. Yet CDF found the state of Black children in America today is grim.

A Black baby is born into poverty every two-and-a-half minutes. Over 4 million Black children (40 percent) were poor in 2012, compared to 5.2 million White children (14 percent). Twenty-five percent of poor children are Black although Black children are only 14 percent of the child population.

Black children suffer worse health outcomes. Black babies are more than twice as likely as White babies to die before their first birthdays and Black children are twice as likely to die before their 18th birthdays as White children. Black babies are more likely to die before their first birthdays than babies in 72 other countries, including Sri Lanka, Cuba, and Romania. Although 95 percent of all children are now eligible for health coverage, Black children are 40 percent more likely to be uninsured than White children and over 1 million Black children (9.5 percent) are uninsured. Access to health coverage is not actual coverage until we make every effort to enroll every child.

Children who cannot read or compute are being sentenced to

social and economic death in our competitive globalizing economy and too many Black students fall behind in school early on and do not catch up. Black children begin kindergarten with lower levels of school readiness than White children and our country has been very slow in investing in high quality early childhood programs unlike many of our competitor nations.

More than 80 percent of fourth and eighth grade Black public school students cannot read or compute at grade level and Black children are more than twice as likely to drop out as White children. Each school day, 763 Black high school students drop out. Black students scored the lowest of any racial/ethnic group on the ACT® college entrance exam. Only 5 percent of these Black high school students were college ready compared to 33 percent of White students and 43 percent of Asian students.

Black children are at great risk of being funneled into the prison pipeline. A Black boy born in 2001 has a 1 in 3 chance of going to prison in his lifetime. The schools are a major feeder system into the juvenile and criminal justice systems. Black students made up only 18 percent of students in public

schools in 2009-2010 but were 40 percent of students who received one or more out-of-school suspensions. A Black public school student is suspended every 4 seconds of the school day. A Black child is arrested every 68 seconds. Black children and youth make up 32 percent of children arrested and 40 percent of all children and youth in residential placement in the juvenile justice system. Black children are overrepresented in abuse and neglect cases and in foster care.

Gun violence is the leading cause of death among Black children ages 1-19 although there is no hiding place for any of us from pervasive gun violence in America. Each day, three Black children or teens are killed by guns. Black children and teens are nearly five times more likely to die from gun violence than White children and teens. The number of Black children and teens killed by guns between 1963 and 2010 is 17 times greater than the recorded lynchings of Black people of all ages between 1882 and 1968.

I hope this Black History Month is not just about our history but about our obligation to protect our children and move our nation forward in our multiracial world.

Reverse Robin Hood

complain about being.

The affluent are piling up more cash than they could spend in a three lifetimes yet they never get distracted from their mission. They do not succumb to being dumbed down by stupid, time-wasting TV shows of no-redemption-value. They are not swooning over politics; they know it's nothing but a game and another means for them to get even richer. Yes, some of them are even willing to break the law, sacrifice their morality, and do unethical things to get what they want. But I am certainly not suggesting we go that far.

I am suggesting that we stop being the fodder for our economic system, at least not to extent we are now. I am suggesting that we take ourselves more seriously and start playing to win. Aside from the obvious problems for our children, this is also a problem for the country. The rich save and the poor spend, which heightens the importance of income inequality. If the vast majority of the money in the system always finds its way to the top 1 percent, thereby, not very likely to be spent, then what happens to consumption, which comprises two-thirds of our GDP?

It's one thing to talk about income and wealth disparities, but it's an entirely different thing to

get down to the business of doing something about it. We can, as Red said in Shawshank Redemption, "Get busy livin' or get busy dyin'" and that begins by studying and learning how business is done in this country. Find out what your individual role is, and what our collective role is, and then change the paradigm.

Stop buying so much stuff that others make; start buying more of what we make. Stop complaining about others starting businesses in our neighborhoods; start our own. Slow down spending; increase saving. Use Black financial planners, tax preparers, accountants, lawyers, and yes, sports agents, start building a relationship with a bank, a Black bank if possible, and stop falling for those celebrity prepaid debit card rip-offs.

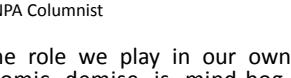
I understand that some folks cannot get checking accounts, which causes some of them to fall prey to high profile celebrities who endorse cards that charge usury fees. But regardless of your situation, you should try to build a relationship with a bank or credit union, and stop paying outrageous fees to spend your own money?

Those cards, backed by the likes of Russell Simmons, Magic Johnson, Lil' Wayne, just to name a few, only increase their affluence and perpetuate your poverty.

They charge loading fees, monthly fees, ATM fees, and even "inactivity" fees, of which the so-called "Rush Card" has the highest. Check them out for yourself, and stop being clowned by these guys and their backers. If you must use a prepaid card, find the cheapest one; you don't need a celebrity face on it or an endorsement by a celebrity for it to work for you.

Finally, in his State of the Union message, the president said no one should have to raise a family in poverty, and therefore we need to raise the minimum wage to \$10.10. Poverty level for a four-person household is \$23,850; at \$10.10 per hour and with one person working, that household would earn \$21,008. Duh! Don't get emotionally hyped by mere words; do some research and know the facts. Accounting for inflation and productivity, some reports indicate the minimum wage should be even higher, and unless it is tied to inflation, with raises every year, "10-10" will go down in history as just another cute political phrase.

Sure, we should raise wages for the lower tier of workers, but that in and of itself will not make a dent in the "inequality gap" now being discussed. As stated earlier, poor people spend; rich people save. Thus, the cycle continues.



By James Clingman
NNPA Columnist

The role we play in our own economic demise is mind-boggling. First, our priorities are screwed up. We place more emphasis on some of the most meaningless issues and aspects of life. We use much of our time talking about the TV housewives, the preachers, the husbands, the Grammys, the fashions, and yes, politics, and fail to do what it takes to really empower ourselves. It is a case where the poorest in this society are doing everything they can to further enrich the affluent.

Of course, it is by design and there has to be a willing and, as Amos Wilson said, "stupid" consumer class to maintain our capitalistic system. But this is not a diatribe against rich people; as a matter of fact, I wish we had more rich people rising from the ranks of the poor. Rather, I just want to illustrate our participation in keeping ourselves in the very place we

"A SAINT'S CONFIDENCE IN GOD - THE ONLY SOURCE OF HELP" PSALM 60:1-12

psalm describes the occasion in which David was victorious over his enemies, the Edomites. The Edomites were greatly defeated and never became a force against Israel again.

Psalm 60 teaches that God will deliver His saints during trouble and assures them of ultimate victory. In the midst of trouble, we need to wait patiently on Him, for

Psalm 40:1-3 says, "I waited

patiently for the LORD; and He inclined unto me, and heard my cry. He brought me up also out of an horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings. And He hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God: many shall see it, and fear, and shall trust in the LORD."

The background scripture for this psalm is II Samuel chapter 8. In verses 1-3, David pleads for God's help because of the adverse predicament or situation Israel was in, "O God, thou hast cast us off, thou hast scattered us, thou hast been displeased; O turn thyself to us again" (v. 1).

David was fully aware that only God could help Israel be victorious. As believers, we must understand to gain spiritual victory, God must help us. By the Lord's awesome power as stated in verses 4-5, He alone can bring victory out of defeat,

"That thy beloved may be delivered; save with thy right hand, and hear me" (v. 5). When anyone is led by God's power, victory is attainable. In verses 6-8, David reveals that Israel will be victorious and triumph over their enemies because God is in control of the land. David states,

"God hath spoken in His holiness; I will rejoice" (v.6) as he lists the victories that God will grant him.

Thank God that He is Sovereign and is in complete control of every parcel of land, despite the arrogance of man, for Psalm 24:1-2 states "The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof; the world, and they that dwell therein. For He hath founded it upon the seas, and established it upon the floods."

Our God created everything and He has the power to sustain His creation (Colossians 1: 17). This marvelous psalm ends in verses 9-12 with David declaring that victory is only in God, "Through God we shall do valiantly: for He it is that shall tread down our enemies" (v. 12).

May God Bless!



Rev. Johnny C. Smith,
Pastor - Mount Moriah
Missionary Baptist Church

The superscription of Psalm 60 reads, "To the chief Musician upon Shushan-eduth, Michtamof David, to teach; when he strove with Aram-naharaim and with Aram-zobah, when Joab returned, and smote of Edom in the salt twelve thousand."

Psalm 60 is a michtam (to cover or protect) psalm. This

because we do not want to listen to what God is telling us to do. It is easy to sit and listen to the word of God from a preacher, the television, or the radio. But when God speaks directly to us about something, we often ignore what He has told us.

In order to have a sound foundation in life, we must build our lives around what God says for us to do. Hearing God's word is the beginning of wisdom. God's word is necessary in our lives. But if we simply hear the Word and do not act upon the Word, then we lack understanding. God wants us to have wisdom and for our lives to be built on

the Rock. Yet, many of us have built our lives on a weak foundation. The Bible says in Matthew, "...the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand" (Matthew 7: 25-26).

Which person are you in the example that Jesus provides in the book of Matthew? Take a little time to reflect upon your life. You will begin to see a pattern emerge. You may have had a

weak foundation in the past, but it does not have to remain that way. If you choose to start listening and applying God's word to your life, your foundation will become stronger.

A wise person will listen to God, but a fool will continue to do what he or she has always done. Which person are you? I know I want to be the wise person. Amen? Amen.

(If you would like to read faith-based poetry written by me, then look for my collection of poems entitled A Little Bit of Faith: A Collection of Poems on Amazon.)



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HOROSCOPES

February 6 - 12

ARIES

Be especially sensitive to your spirit and your intuition this week. They are your sixth sense that will alarm you of a situation that you should avoid. You'll also be alerted to meet a new person who will be important to your personal life in the near future. Expect the unexpected from your lover.

Soul Affirmation: New intuitions create new plans and a new cast of characters. **Lucky Numbers:** 4 12, 17

TAURUS

Do not feel alone in facing your tumultuous circumstances this week. Call upon your support system and do not be afraid to ask for help. Your ability to reach out will be a strong sign of courage. The people closest to you will feel a new respect for you.

Soul Affirmation: When I reach out in love someone is always there. **Lucky Numbers:** 8, 24, 32

GEMINI

Do not narrow your options by accepting any offer that is put on the table this week. Internalize the situation and discover how resourceful you are and capitalize on your own strengths and ability to make things happen. Don't underestimate yourself, especially this week!

Soul Affirmation: The wisdom of the ages is revealed as my spirit. **Lucky Numbers:** 12, 32, 48

CANCER

Love, joy and hope fill the air around you this week. Three of the greatest intangible assets that one can experience will be given to you in abundance this week. Use them to overcome the bad vibes being given out by a co-worker this week.

Soul Affirmation: Hope is future's way of shining on me this week. **Lucky Numbers:** 1, 23, 42

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February

Saturday, February 15

Dallas ISD alums to receive hall of fame honors. Three Dallas ISD alumni and world class athletes have been tapped for the 18th class of the Parrish Texas Black Sports Hall of Fame at the African American Museum at Fair Park. The 2013 class of 10 inductees includes women's basketball player, Steffanie Blackmon (former math teacher at James Madison High School); track athlete, Chryste Gaines (teacher at Skyline High School); and football phenom, Jeff Jacobs (Roosevelt High School alum). The trio will be inducted at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, February 15, at

the Dallas' Marriott City Center, 650 N. Pearl St. For tickets and information, call (214) 565-9026, ext. 326.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Dallas ISD Director recognized by Council Member

Director of Library Media Services Gay Patrick has been recognized by the Office of the Mayor and City Council, and Council Member Rick Callahan, for her constant support of the Pleasant Grove Community and commitment to the Grovesfest 2013. She attended the ceremonial presentation before the Dallas City Council in mid-January.

Dallas Lawyers Answer Legal Questions - FREE!

Volunteer attorneys will answer legal questions at no cost from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, February 12, and

Wednesday, February 19, via LegalLine, a call-in program sponsored by the Dallas Bar Association.

LegalLine is a community service for DFW-area residents, provided the second and third Wednesdays of each month. On these designated nights, anonymous lawyers are available to answer questions in many law-related areas ranging from divorce and child support matters, to wills, insurance, employment and criminal law matters.

Residents needing assistance should call LegalLine at (214) 220-7476 from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, February 12 or February 19.

Individuals may also receive referrals to local, legal, or social service agencies. LegalLine volunteer attorneys typically answer between 50 and 90 calls each night.

Ophelia Rosetta Kerl Honoring Her Indomitable Spirit

On September 8, in the year of her choosing, Ophelia Rosetta Roberts Kerl was born in New Iberia, Louisiana - the only child of Henderson Roberts and Jannie Bruton Roberts Macklin. She departed this life on January 23, 2014.

After the death of her father, she and her mother moved to Dallas where she graduated from Booker T. Washington High School and later attended Texas College in Tyler, Texas. She worked as a domestic and licensed nurse's aide as well as a caterer and seamstress.

With her beautifully dramatic alto voice, she joined the choir at Bethel AME Church where she met and married James Monroe (J.M.) Kerl in 1933. Together they sang at church in the Senior Choir and with the Jubilaires, where they appeared in several productions of Showboat. At home and church, Ophelia and J.M. often sang duets including their favorite, It's My Desire, and passed this love and appreciation of music down to the Kerl children, Johnny Bradford, Billie Jo and Beverly Ann.

Life with J.M. was filled with some of the happiest times as they raised their children and remained very active in their community. After he departed this life in 1977, Ophelia continued to live a vibrant and exuber-



Ophelia Rosetta Kerl

ant life as she stayed active in church and volunteered in her community with such organizations such as the Visiting Nurses Association, Red Cross, Eastern Stars and the Delta Mothers/Friends.

However, she spent the majority of her time with her grandchildren, who became the center of her world. As an active school grandparent, Ophelia chaperoned field trips, attended PTA meetings and volunteered in the classroom. Her grandchildren knew that she would show up at anytime and knew that everyone who came in contact with her would love and respect her just as much as they did.

In the latter part of her life,

Ophelia was bedridden, yet she still believed that she was living her best life. The stories she told and the advice she bestowed to all who visited is a true testimony to her wisdom, strength and effervescent spirit.

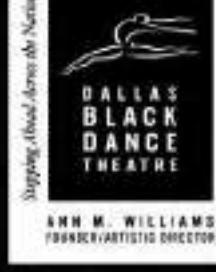
Ophelia joins her husband, son, mother, father and oldest grandchild, Johnny B. Kerl, Jr. and leaves a host of family and friends to honor and celebrate her spirit: daughters, Billie Kerl Roberts (Alfred, Sr.), Beverly Mitchell-Brooks (Reginald), daughter-in-law Alma Lee Kerl; grandchildren, James Kerl (Jennifer), Karolyn Kerl-Blue, Don Kerl (Sharon), Jocelyn Kerl, Anthony Kerl, Teri Mitchell Porter (Rico), Alfrelyn Roberts, Stacy Mitchell, LaTasha Roberts and Alfred Roberts, Jr.; 15 great-grandchildren, 10 great-great grandchildren (one on the way), a special niece Lena Lane and cousins, Thomas Bruton (Alma), Helen and Melanie Green.

It has been said that a "woman is the full circle and within her is the power to create, nurture and transform" (Diane Mariechild). As the matriarch of the Kerl clan, Ophelia Rosetta Kerl has created, nurtured and transformed the lives of her entire family. And for those of us who remain, we are fortunate to be her legacies and walk proudly knowing she will live in us until we meet her again.

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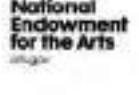
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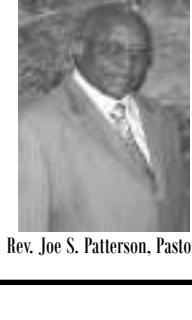
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TEN EDUCATORS TO BE INDUCTED INTO THE AFRICAN AMERICAN EDUCATION ARCHIVES AND HISTORY PROGRAM 2014 HALL OF FAME

Each year efforts of the African American Education Archives and History Program remind the public that African American education in Dallas County came at a high price over more than a century and a half of Dallas County history, and that many heroic and dedicated African American educators willingly paid that price for past, present and future generations.

The Hall of Fame is one of five components that comprise the African American Education Archives and History Program that was initiated in 2002 and will observe its 12th Anniversary this year. The Hall of Fame honors both educators and other individuals who have significantly

promoted and enhanced African American education throughout Dallas County history.

The African American Museum at Fair Park co-sponsors the Program's five components and houses the Hall of Fame Exhibit. The other four components are:

- Oral History Project
- Archives and History
- Exhibits and Media
- Curriculum Development.

Program officials are proud to announce nine 2014 Hall of Fame living and deceased inductees. All 2014 honorees will be saluted at an induction ceremony banquet at 12 Noon, Saturday, April 12, 2014 at Hilton Garden Inn, 800 N. Main St, Duncanville, Texas 75116. Tickets are \$50.

and include Lunch. A table for 10 is \$500. Deadline for dinner reservations is April 3.

Deceased inductees are Dr. H. Rhett James, Lawrence W. Muckelroy, and Dr. C. B. T. Smith.

Living inductees are Arthur Gillum, Dr. Janice Pettis Ingram, Jowanda Jordan, Martha J. Lee, Col. Joe D. Sasser, Robert Thomas, and Dr. George O. Willis.

The public may make tax-exempt contributions "in honor of" or "in memory of" any person you choose for a minimum of \$25. The deadline is March 25. Make contributions payable to AAEAH and mail to AAEAH, P.O. Box 411091, Dallas, TX 75241.



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RUSSELL WILSON MADE HISTORY BY BECOMING THE SECOND AFRICAN AMERICAN AND THE YOUNGEST QUARTERBACK TO WIN A SUPER BOWL

Russell Wilson, 25, made history by becoming the second African American and the youngest quarterback to win a Super Bowl as he led the Seattle Seahawks to a dominating 43-8 win over the Denver Broncos in Super Bowl XLVIII on Feb. 2 at MetLife Stadium in East Rutherford, N.J. He joins Doug Williams, formerly of the Washington NFL franchise as the only Black men to win a Super Bowl as starting quarterbacks.

Wilson signed a four-year, \$2.99 million contract with the Seattle Seahawks on May 7, 2012 and was named the team's starting quarterback on August 26, 2012. In 2012, Wilson led the Seahawks to the divisional round of the NFL playoffs and was voted the Pepsi NFL Rookie of the Year. In 2013, he led the Seahawks to their first Super Bowl appearance since 2005.

Wilson was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and grew up in Richmond, Virginia, the son of Harrison Benjamin Wilson III, a lawyer, and Tammy T. Wilson, a legal nurse consultant. He has an older brother, Harrison IV, and a younger sister, Anna. Wilson started playing football with his dad and brother at the age of four.

Wilson is multiracial. His racial background is mostly African American, though he also has some Native American ancestry. His great-great-grandfather was a

slave to a Confederate colonel and was freed after the American Civil War. Wilson's grandfather, Harrison B. Wilson Jr., is a former president of Norfolk State University who played football and basketball at Kentucky State University. His father played football and baseball at Dartmouth and was a wide receiver for the San Diego Chargers pre-season squad in 1980. Wilson's brother played football and baseball at the University of Richmond, and his sister is considered one of the top high school basketball prospects in the country.

Wilson's father died on June 9, 2010 at age 55 due to complications from diabetes.

Wilson's Seahawks opened the 2013 season with the first 4-0 start in franchise history, giving up their first loss to the Colts in week 5. The Seahawks went on a 7-game winning streak, culminating in a 34-7 victory over the Saints in week 13 in which Wilson threw 3 touchdown passes and earned his second NFC Offensive Player of the Week award. Over the next 3 weeks the Seahawks would suffer 2 divisional losses to the 49ers and Cardinals, but defeated the Rams in week 17 to finish the season with a 13-3 record, the NFC West title, and the No. 1 seed in the playoffs. Wilson was named to his second Pro Bowl on December 27, 2013.

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Feb. 11	at Charlotte	7:00	Mar. 29	Sacramento	8:30
Feb. 12	at Indiana	7:00	Apr. 1	Golden State	8:30
Feb. 18	Miami	8:30	Apr. 3	at Los Angeles	10:30
Feb. 21	at Philadelphia	7:00	Apr. 4	at Los Angeles	10:30
Feb. 22	at Detroit	7:30	Apr. 6	at Sacramento	6:00
Feb. 24	at New York	7:30	Apr. 8	at Utah	9:00
Feb. 26	New Orleans	8:00	Apr. 10	San Antonio	8:00
Feb. 28	Chicago	8:30	Apr. 12	Phoenix	8:30
Mar. 2	at San Antonio	7:00	Apr. 16	at Memphis	8:00
Mar. 5	at Denver	8:00			
Mar. 7	Portland	8:30			

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Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Xi Omega Chapter, Dallas, Texas, is having their 82nd Founders' Day Luncheon

Saturday February 8, 2014 at the Hilton Anatole at 12 noon. The keynote speaker is Reverend Margaret Elaine M. Flake, Co-Pastor of Greater Allen AME Church located in Queens, New York. Reverend Flake is a PROUD member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated and is the International Chaplain for The Links, Inc.

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Pastor Clarence T. Parker

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Children's Church 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Service (Wednesday) 7:00 p.m.
Bible Study (Wednesday) 7:30 p.m.
Youth Bible Study (Wednesday) 7:00 p.m.

Munger Avenue Baptist Church



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Rev. Wade Charles Basie

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday Mid-Week Service

Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Family Fellowship Dinner 5:20 p.m.
Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 6:30-8:30pm
Youth Bible Study & Rehearsal 7:00-8:30 p.m.

"This is the Church ... Where Everybody Is Somebody"

Dr. George W. Payne,
Pastor

Sunday Worship

Early Service	7:00am
Bible School	9:30am
Worship Service	10:30am
Prayer Room	11:00am
Our Amazing River (10th Sunday)	1:00pm
Young Adults	1:30pm
Evening Worship	7:00pm

Family

Open Bible Study (Pastor Present)

Prayer Meeting/Mid-Week Rehearsal

Kids Broadcast

Kids Camp

Monday-Friday

Saturday

Sunday

Wednesday

Prayer Morning/Mid-Week Rehearsal

Young Adults

Wednesday Night

Young Adults

A young boy with curly hair, wearing a light green t-shirt, is standing on a wooden floor, playing with a small toy car. He is barefoot. A woman, seen from the side, is standing behind him, looking down at him. The background shows a bright room with yellow curtains and a white door.

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