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ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY
MINORITY ALUMNI NETWORK

The
Illinois Wesleyan University
Black Student Union
30th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, October 11, 1998
11:00 A.M.



Evelyn Chapel

Minority
ALUMNI
← Network →

Program

Musical Selection

"Lift Every Voice and Sing"

The University of Illinois

Black Chorus

Dr. Ollie Watts Davis, Director

Invocation

Professor Dennis E. Groh '61
IWU Chaplain and Professor
of Humanities and Archeology

Welcome

Ms. Lynnette Thomas '86
Minority Alumni Network
Social/Homecoming Co-Chair

The Black Student Union *"History in the Making"*

Ms. Tamika Oliver '01

Musical Selection

IWU Gospel Ensemble

Kim Crawford '02

Ahazi Dismukes '00

Bahati Fernandez '99

Joy-Denise Moore '00

Margaret Morris '02

Tamika Oliver '01

Erica Quinn '00

Alva Winfrey '00

Poem

Teri Lahmon '00

Liturgical Dance

Women of Renaissance

Jewell Littles '00

Silver Rayside '00

Alva Winfrey '00

Dramatic Presentation

Bahati Fernandez '99

Alva Winfrey '00

Remarks

Mr. Jeremy Daniel '00

BSU President

Musical Selections

The University of Illinois

Black Chorus

Dr. Ollie Watts Davis, Director

Closing Remarks

Dr. Robert S. Eckley

IWU President, 1968-1986

Closing Musical Selection

IWU Gospel Ensemble and

The University of Illinois

Black Chorus

Dr. Ollie Watts Davis, Director

Reception Immediately Following the Program
(Lower Level of Evelyn Chapel)

Special thanks

to the University of Illinois Black Chorus
for participating in this year's special anniversary celebration.

Dr. Ollie Watts Davis, Director

Ms. Carla Small, Assistant Conductor

Illinois Wesleyan University's Gospel Festival and Recognition Program Past Honorees

1992	Mr. Carl Samuels Mr. Silas Purnell
1993	Dr. Edelbert Rogers '33 President Minor Myers, jr.
1994	Prof. Paul Bushnell Dr. Thomas McKinney '76 Ms. Rosemaria Shelby '73 Mrs. Corine Sims
1995	Mr. Luther Bedford '59 Mr. Stephan Garnett '75 Mr. Malik T. Jones '91 Prof. Wenona Whitfield '70
1996	Mr. C. Robert Berg '65 Dr. Barrington Coleman '80 Mr. Frankie R. Faison '71 Dr. Janine A. James '75 Ms. Yvonne C. Jones State Farm Insurance Companies (represented by Lonnie Smith '93)
1997	Dr. Pamela Buchanan Muirhead '68 Mr. Juan Salgado '91 Ms. Monica Taylor '88

Minority Alumni Network Executive Board

Phyllis Barker '73	♦ General Chairperson
Debra Burt-Frazier '75	♦ Networking/Career Development Chair
Darnell Burtin '96	♦ Fundraising/Scholarship Co-Chair
Sylvia Edwards '75	♦ Fundraising/Scholarship Co-Chair
Stephan Garnett '75	♦ Historian
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Gabrielle Herndon '92	♦ Social/Homecoming Co-Chair
Dr. Ansel Johnson '81	♦ Mentorship Co-Chair
Juan Salgado '91	♦ Mentorship Co-Chair
Lonnie Smith '93	♦ Mentorship Co-Chair
Lynnette Thomas '86	♦ Social/Homecoming Co-Chair
Anthony Tolbert '77	♦ Fundraising/Scholarship Co-Chair

♦ words for ♦

"Lift Every Voice and Sing"

Lift every voice and sing

Till earth and heaven ring

Ring with the harmonies of liberty

Let our rejoicing rise

High as the list'ning sky

Let it resound

Loud as the rolling sea.

♦ ♦ ♦

Sing a song

Full of the faith that the dark past has taught us

Sing a song

Full of the hope that the present has brought us

Facing the rising sun

Of our new day begun

Let us march on

Till victory is won.