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**PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY  
OF TEXAS**

**COMMENCEMENT CONVOCATION**



**HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION BUILDING  
SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST FIFTEENTH  
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO  
TEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK**

## 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	
Forestry .....	Russet	Foreign Service .....	Peacock Blue
Geography.....	Blue and Green	Public Health.....	Salmon Pink
Home Economics .....	Golden Yellow	Science .....	Golden Yellow
Journalism .....	Crimson	Social Work .....	Citron
Industrial Education .....	Light Blue	Technology .....	Golden Yellow
Law .....	Purple	Theology .....	Scarlet
Library Science .....	Lemon	Veterinary Science .....	Gray

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.

# ORDER OF EXERCISES

*Presiding:* DR. IVORY V. NELSON  
Acting President, Prairie View A&M University

ORGAN PRELUDE .....	DR. DANNY R. KELLEY Organist
THE CONVOCATION PROCESSION COMMENTATOR FOR THE PROCESSION .....	DR. E. JOAHANNE THOMAS Acting Vice President, Academic Affairs, Prairie View A&M University
THE PROCESSIONAL: "War March of the Priests" (Athalia) .....	<i>Mendelssohn</i> DR. DANNY R. KELLEY, <i>Organist</i>
Administrative Officers and Faculty	Candidates for the Bachelor's Degree
The Texas A&M University System Professors	Candidates for the Master's Degree
Prairie View A&M University Retiring Staff	The President and His Party
THE CALL TO WORSHIP .....	THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON
THE HYMN: "God of Our Fathers" .....	Congregation
THE SCRIPTURE-INVOCATION .....	THE REVEREND W. VAN JOHNSON
THE ARIA: "If With Your Hearts" (From Elijah) .....	<i>Mendelssohn</i> ROBERT McCLELLAN, <i>Tenor</i>
THE INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER .....	DR. IVORY V. NELSON Acting President, Prairie View A&M University
THE CONVOCATION ADDRESS .....	DR. ARTHUR G. HANSEN Chancellor, The Texas A&M University System College Station, Texas
THE ARIA: "My Spirit" .....	<i>Bach</i> CORDIA Y. ANDERSON, <i>Soprano</i>
THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES BY THE ACTING PRESIDENT	
THE ALUMNI PLEDGE FOR THE CLASS OF 1982 .....	DR. S. R. COLLINS, '49 Dean, College of Industrial Education and Technology and University Liaison Officer to the National Alumni Association Prairie View A&M University
THE PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSION IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES .....	MAJOR QUEWANNCOII STEPHENS Executive Officer, Army ROTC Unit Prairie View A&M University
THE ADMINISTRATION OF OATH	
THE INTRODUCTION OF: System Professors Retiring Staff	
THE ALMA MATER. "Dear Prairie View" .....	<i>Fuller-Sibelius</i>
THE BENEDICTION	
THE RECESSIONAL: "Pomp and Circumstance" .....	<i>Edward Elgar</i> (Audience Seated)

Members of the Audience are requested to remain seated until the Procession has left the Auditorium.

# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES<sup>1</sup>

## COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

*Presentation by the Dean, C. L. STRICKLAND*

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE

#### *Agricultural Economics Curriculum*

KECULAH, HENRY K.                      Monrovia Liberia, West Africa                      KIMA, LAETTITA A.                      Houston

#### *Animal Science Curriculum*

GREEN, ROGER M.                      Marshall

#### *Soil Science Curriculum*

WILLIAMS, CLOVEL J.                      Kingston, Jamaica

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

*Presentation by the Dean, E. W. MARTIN*

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

#### *Communications Curriculum*

CASENAVE, WADE K.                      Waller                      SCOTT, EDITH M.                      Houston  
MOONEY, SHARON L.                      San Antonio                      TILLMAN, SEROY P.                      Houston  
NAGHAVI, MARYAN                      Houston

#### *Drama Curriculum*

SMART, SHIRLY ANN                      Navasota

#### *English Curriculum*

ALBURY, CHARLES C.                      Nassau, Bahamas                      FERDIN, MARIA                      San Antonio  
DOUGLAS, YVONNE I.<sup>2</sup>                      Manchester, Jamaica                      RICHARDSON, CARLA V.                      Prairie View  
HARRIS, JOAN                      Houston

#### *Geography Curriculum*

HARRISON, TIMOTHY                      Chicago, Ill.

#### *History Curriculum*

ROBINSON, JESSIE G.                      Navasota

#### *Journalism Curriculum*

CASTILLE, MATTHEW A.                      Prairie View

#### *Political Science Curriculum*

BERRY, JULIA L.                      Marshall                      WALLACE, ANDREA L.                      Los Angeles, CA.

#### *Sociology Curriculum*

JEFFERY, SANDRA K.                      Grand Prairie

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MUSIC

ANDERSON, CORDIA Y.                      Pomona, CA.                      MOSLEY, LaVAUGHN C.                      Dallas  
HOUSTON, SEBA                      Denver, Colo.                      WALKER, GERALD                      Shreveport, LA.

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

#### *Biology Curriculum*

BUFFINGTON, KAYE<sup>2</sup>                      Houston                      KING, ELNORA M.                      Houston  
CUMMINS, SHARON G.<sup>2</sup>                      Galveston                      RINGER, DOROTHYL L.<sup>2</sup>                      Houston  
GABRIEL, CAROL L.<sup>2</sup>                      Galveston                      SARTIN, SALLY A.                      Beaumont

#### *Biology (Pre-Medicine Curriculum)*

CHARLESTON, KATHLEEN M.                      Prairie View

<sup>1</sup>As 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.

<sup>2</sup>Member of Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society.

<sup>3</sup>Member of Association of Junior Fellows.

### Mathematics Curriculum

FREENEY, PAULA D.

Houston

MITCHELL, KENNETH S.

Prairie View

### Mathematics Curriculum (Computer Science)

JACKSON, MARSHALL G.

Atlanta, Ga.

VASSAR, CHERISE E.

Chicago, Ill.

### Psychology Curriculum

WINN, FLORENCE E.

Austin

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK

BATTS, KATHY L.  
CLEAVER, EMANUEL

San Antonio  
Kansas City, MO.

MATTHEWS, JAN D.

Waller, Texas

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

FINLEY, KIM GRAY

Ft. Worth

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

*Presentation by the Dean, BERNICE ROLLINS*

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

#### Accounting Curriculum

JEFFERY, JULIETTE

Houston

SEBASTIEN, BASIL M.

Houston

#### Finance and Banking Curriculum

CRENSHAW, PATRICIA ANN  
FAYEMI, SULIKIFULI O.

Oakwood  
Houston

ODOMS, CHARLOTTE D.

Houston

#### Management Curriculum

BELL, RONALD L.  
DAVIS, PATRICIA A.  
GILDER, ADRIAN L.  
HICKS, LAWRENCE  
HORNSBY, MARCUS D.  
LEWIS, IRENDENCE B.

Mobile, Ala.  
Rockdale  
Houston  
Houston  
San Antonio  
Prairie View

MANUEL, BOOKER T.  
McCLURE, RHONDA G.<sup>2</sup>  
ROBINSON, EARLETTE M.  
SEWELL, CHARLES D.  
WILLIAMS, JULIE J.

Hempstead  
San Antonio  
Houston  
Houston  
Brenham

#### Marketing Curriculum

BELLARD, DARRELL J.  
HOPKINS, CHARLES B.  
MANUEL, DIANE  
OLATUNBOSUN, EMMANUEL O.

Liberty  
Houston  
Hempstead  
Houston

OMOREGIE LaVERNE E.  
ROBERTS, RAY A.  
WILLIAMS, THERESA S.

Prairie View  
Houston  
Jefferson

#### Office Administration Curriculum

ROSS, TWILA G.

Giddiss

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Presentation by the Dean, H. L. HENDRICKS*

### CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

#### Elementary Education Curriculum

BUTLER, DOROTHY L.  
COLLIER, VANESSA  
CURTIS, MARILYN G.  
DAVIS, RUBY J.  
DAVIS, SUSAN M.  
DONOVAN, PORTIA  
FOSTER, JOSEPH B.  
FRIDIE, SHIRLEY A.  
GOLDEN, WILLIE M.  
GRADNEY, VERNON, Sr.,  
HALL, KAREN J.  
HINES, MONTEZ L.

Prairie View  
Ben Wheeler  
Tomball  
Houston  
Hearne  
Dime Box  
San Antonio  
Magnolia  
Hearne  
Raywood  
Houston  
Prairie View

JACKSON, ANGELETTE  
JONES, CYNTHIA R.  
MATHIS, TORGY L.  
MOCK, DORETHA E.  
MONMOUTH, AUDRY L.  
MONMOUTH, RENENA  
ROBINSON, TERRI  
WARREN, GLORETHA  
WICKLIFF, CHERYL M.  
YANCY, JOYCE M.  
YOUNG, ANNA D.

Houston  
Houston  
Houston  
Houston  
Lufkin  
Lufkin  
Atlanta  
Linden  
Houston  
Houston  
Livingston

#### Library Science Curriculum

DAVIS, GLINDA K.

Bryan

<sup>2</sup>Member of Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society.

<sup>3</sup>Member of Association of Junior Fellows.



# GRADUATE SCHOOL

*Presentation by the Dean, WAYMON WEBSTER*

## CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

### ECONOMICS

STEPHEN IKECUKWU IKEAGU B.A., Fort Valley State College, 1981	Houston	FRANK GARDNER SMITH B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1974	Clay
ANITA L. PHELPS B.S. Trenton State, 1978	Houston		

### HISTORY

FRANK DONALD JACKSON B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1973	Prairie View
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### MUSIC

JAMES B. WHEELER B. of Music, Midwestern University, 1973	Wichita Falls
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### SOCIOLOGY

STERLING MOORE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1979	Houston
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## CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

KUNKE OLAWALE ADEYINKA B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1980	Houston	BENNETT UWADIEGWU OKOLI B.S., State University, 1975	Aguata, Nigeria
MUTIU OLATUNJI AGBOOLA B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1980	Houston	GABRIEL OLU OKO B.A., Lakehead University, 1980	Houston
ABAYOMI OLATUNJI AWOBAJO B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1980	Houston	CELESTINE DAWO ONYECHÉ B.A., Huston-Tillotson, 1979	Austin
EFFIONG EDET EKPO B.S., Langston University, 1972	Houston	OLUSOLA O. B. OMIWADE B.S., Texas Southern University, 1979	Houston
DORIS CAULORICK IRELAND B.B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Kakata, Liberia	FREDERICK VINCENT ROBERTS, ESQ. B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1977	Nassau, Bahamas
ADEOYE OGBONAKOMI JEJE B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1980	Houston	JOEL HERBERT ROBERTS B.S., in E.E., Purdue University, 1965	Prairie View
LEROY ALBERT MARION, JR. B. of Commerce, Rice University, 1972	Prairie View	RONALD ROSS B.A., Southern Illinois University, 1970	Houston
MOJEEED OLUWATOYIN MARTINS B.A., Florida International University, 1979	Houston	CAROLINE LYNN MARTIN STEVENSON B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1978	Prairie View
MARK D. McCLURE B.B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	San Antonio	LAWAL D. TIJANI-YARO B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1979	Houston
QJUKWU EDMUND MBACHU B.B.A., Texas Southern University, 1981	Houston	ISIAKA ADE YUNUSA B.A., Texas Southern University, 1979	Houston

## CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION

### ADMINISTRATION

LEONA D. BALL B.S., Wiley College, 1964	Port Arthur	JAY DON GOMMERT B.S., Mary Hardin-Baylor College, 1978	Temple
EDNA B. BARBER B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1973	Port Arthur	PATRICIA ANN HANSLIK B.S., University of Texas at Austin, 1976	Houston
GWENDOLYN MOSLEY BRADFORD B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1974	Hempstead	ANNE LOIS HARRISON B.S., Texas Southern University, 1977	Houston
JOHN S. BRAJENOVICH B.A., North Central State, 1973	Houston	SUSAN R. HORTSMANN B.A., Sam Houston University, 1980	Houston
LAWRENCE M. BRITTON, JR. B.A., St. Edwards University, 1975	Austin	MARY L. GUILLORY JAMES B.S. in Nursing, Prairie View A&M College, 1961	Houston
KAY LANDERS BRYANT B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1978	Houston	ETIENNE'N. JOHNSON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1976	Waller
RUSSELL SCOTT CAVENDER B.S., Texas Christian University, 1965	Georgetown	BILLY JOE JOHNSON B.S., Paul Quinn, 1961	Ft. Worth
JOHN EDWARD CHAMBERS B.A., Prairie View A&M College, 1959	De Soto	ARTHUR JAY KEEN B.A., North Central College, 1972	Rosenberg
ERWIN JOE CKODRE B.S., Trinity University, 1966	Gonzales	RUTH C. DOGAN JONES B.S., University of Houston, 1974	Houston
CLARENCE W. DONNELLY B.A., University of Houston, 1967	Missouri City	HAROLD WAYNE KURTZ B.S., Sam Houston State College, 1969	Holland
WALTERINE DORSEY B.S., Bishop College, 1969	Dallas	CHARLES LOVE B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1962	Waco
CALDWELL W. EASTER, JR. B.S., AM&N College, 1979	El Dorado, Ark.	ROBERT EDWARDS LEE MATTHEWS, III B.S., North Texas State University, 1979	Groesbeck



## ADMINISTRATION (Continued)

JEAN ANN PARMLEY McKEOWN B.A., Rice University, 1963	Houston	RICHARD LEE SCEARCE, JR. B.A.T., Sam Houston State University, 1974	Katy
ARTHUR MENDOZA B.S., North Texas State University, 1969	Garland	JOHN EDWARD SMITH B.B.A., Baylor University, 1961	Hubbard
EDWARD NELSON B.S., Howard Payne University, 1972	Bay City	PAT SNODGRASS B.S., University of New Mexico, 1976	Houston
FRANCES M. PATTERSON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1972	Houston	CYNTHIA FRANKLIN STEWART B.C., Prairie View A&M University, 1974	Houston
RICHARD WAYNE ROBERTSON B.B.A., Stephen F. Austin University, 1973	Waller	CAROLYN LUCILLE HILL VAN WINKLE B.S. in Ed, Mary-Hardin Baylor, 1978	Temple
BRENDA SUE ROSS B.S., University of Houston, 1976	Bellaire		

## ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

BETTY JO ALEXANDER B.S., Lincoln University, 1957	Dallas	WILMA PEARL JOHNSON B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1978	Hearne
CHERYL WILSON ALFRED B.S., in Ed., Prairie View A&M University, 1979	Houston	CHERYL A. SCHNEIDER KROLCZYK B.A., Sam Houston State University, 1978	Richmond
DEBRA RENIE ALLEN B.S., Texas Southern University, 1979	Dallas	JEANETTE ANNE VAUGHN LEE B.B.A., West Texas State College, 1959	Houston
NANCY J. SMITH ARMSTRONG B.A., Bishop College, 1980	Dallas	SHIRLYN A. MARTIN B.S., North Texas State University, 1976	Dallas
BARBARA LYNN ASKERNEESE B.R.E., Bay Ridge Christian College, 1981	Baltimore, Md.	WILLIE EUGENE MATTHEWS B.S., Bishop College, 1977	Fort Worth
KAYE F. COOK ASKEW B.A., University of Pine Bluff, 1973	DeSoto	GERALDINE McCORMICK B.S., Sam Houston State University, 1961	Needville
DEBORA SUE BETTS B.A.,T., Sam Houston University, 1975	Houston	VERA ETTA EVANS McGRUDER B.S., Bishop College, 1976	Dallas
BEVERLY DIANNE BOYD B.S., Sam Houston State Teachers College, 1967	Houston	BEVERLY A. McWASHINGTON B.S., University of Houston, 1975	Houston
DONNA ZA TURNER BROWN B.S., Grambling College, 1980	Ruston, La.	PAULA MORGAN B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Wichita Falls
DORIS BERNICE BURROUGHS B.S., Wiley College, 1948	Dallas	MINTHIA J. NELSON B.S., East Texas State University, 1973	Dallas
BONNIE PARMA COLLINS B.S., Southwest, 1980	Rosenberg	NANCY K. NORTH B.S., Houston Baptist University, 1979	Needville
BETTY S. CONERLY B.S., Texas Southern University, 1980	Houston	IRIS OREAN PERSON B.R.E., Bay Ridge Christian College, 1980	Prairie View
DEMITRI MARCEL FRIDAY CUNNINGHAM B.A., Huston-Tillotson College, 1975	San Antonio	SARAH ALICE SMITH PERRY B.S., Grambling College, 1972	Dallas
DIANE JONES DAVIS B.S., Wiley Colege, 1973	Dallas	LESLIE MERLE PHILLIPS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1977	Port Arthur
MARY JO DAVIS B.S.,Texas Woman's University, 1963	Richmoond	MARSHA LEE RICKS PRYOR B.S., Bishop College, 1974	Dallas
DONNA SUE FREELING B.S., East Texas State University, 1978	Dallas	TAMMY SEALS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Port Arthur
SYLVIA M. GRAVES B.A., California State, 1975	Dallas	BERNIECE E. SMITH B.S., West Texas State University, 1969	Brazoria
MYDITH MARVA GRICE B.S., University of Houston, 1967	Magnolia	JACQUELINE SMITH B.S., North Texas State University, 1978	Dallas
DIANNA HARRIS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Bay City	LINDA J. SMITH B.S., Texas Southern University, 1975	Houston
HARRISON, BEVERLY ANN B.S., Paul Quinn, 1978	Hearne	ALEXANDER SYKES B.S., Texas Southern University, 1978	Houston
SHERRI MICHELLE HAYNES B.S., University of Texas, 1980	Dallas	VANESSA B. TAYLOR ANTWINE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	San Antonio
ELLEN M. HAYS B., North Texas State University, 1955	Columbia	LINDA F. THOMAS B.S., University of Arkansas, 1972	Dallas
DEBORAH A. L. HUMPHREY B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1976	Hockley	LURENE MINER TOLBERT B.S., Texas College, 1969	Dallas
EVELYN ANN HUGHES B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1968	Houston	KATHRYN A. BARCAK TUCKER B.S., Southwest Texas State University, 1980	Needville
BARBARA THORNTON JACKSON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Houston	HELEN J. WAMSLEY B.S., Texas College, 1972	Dallas
CHARLENE E. JOHNSON B.S., Dallas Baptist College, 1976	Dallas	FREDDIE WEATHERS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1977	Houston
IVI JO JOHNSON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Houston	EVELYN HALSEY WILLIAMS B.S., Grambling College, 1952	Houston

## GUIDANCE

MARYLEN SUE ALLEN B.S., University of Texas, 1961	Houston	RODRIGO DeTRIONA BARNES B.A., Rice University, 1973	Waco
BOBBIE JANE ANKEY B.S., Southwestern State University, 1966	Dickinson	BARBARA MASON BENNETT B.S., Grambling College, 1978	Shreveport

## GUIDANCE (Continued)

MICHAEL T. BERRY B.S., Southwest Texas State University, 1973	Dallas	PATRICIA L. LOCKETT B.S., University of Texas at El Paso, 1965	Houston
MYRTLE BEARD BREWER B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1966	Houston	ALONZO O. MABLE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	College Station
KATHERN COLBERT CARTER B.S., Bishop College, 1969	Dallas	BILLIE J. NEWTON B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1972	Houston
EDNA D. ROBERTSON CLARK B.S., Wiley College, 1974	Grand Prairie	EMMANUEL NWANZE B.S., Paul Quinn College, 1980	Waco
JOHN EDWARD CLAY B.S., Bishop College, 1972	Dallas	MAUREEN D. C. PALMER B.A., University of Sierra Leone, 1976	Prairie View
V-LORIA YVONNE DANIEL B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Hempstead	FRANKLIN D. SAMPSON B.A., University of Houston, 1970	Houston
ROSA MARY HENRY DOYLE B.S., Fisk University, 1964	Houston	KAREN SELLS B.S., Mississippi Valley State College, 1973	Shreveport, La.
PATRICIA DALE ELLIOTT B.S., Baylor University, 1974	Troy	VIRGINIA BRADBURG SLEPICKA B.S., University of Houston, 1974	Katy
MARVIN ALVIN HILL B.S., Southwest Texas State University, 1974	Belton	SHARON LOUISE STAFFORD B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1979	Prairie View
VIVIAN JONES B.S., Paul Quinn, 1977	Waco	BETTY VAN ZANDT B.A., Huston-Tillotson College, 1978	Prairie View
BENNIE LANDERS, JR. B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1952	Wharton	KATIE LUREA WASHINGTON B.A., Huston-Tillotson College, 1974	Houston

## INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION

O. D. BAKER B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Houston	MONTGOMERY RICARDO ROBERTS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Prairie View
ERIC LEWIS HAIRSTON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Brookshire	CALVIN CARL SINGLETON JR. B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Galveston
CLAUDE R. KING JR. B.S., University of Houston, 1971	La Marque	PHYLLIS N. GARNER WATSON B.S., Southwest Texas State College, 1967	Houston

## SPECIAL EDUCATION

YVONNE HORNE CLEMONS B.A., Trinity University, 1978	Houston	ALEXIS SMITH MINOR B.S., Texas Southern University, 1978	Houston
GAIL EDWARDS LEE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1972	Houston	LOVIE L. REYNOLDS B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Hempstead
NITA GOFFNEY GILBERT B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1976	Houston	JESSE LEE ROSS JR. B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1958	Mexia
CAROLYN CHARLES HARRIS B.S., University of Houston, 1971	Houston	CHERYL LYNN SCOTT B.S., Texas Woman's University, 1980	Hempstead
VIVIAN RENA HEARNE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1979	Hearne	BENNIE CHILDRESS SMITH B.S., Prairie View A&M College, 1964	Houston
BRIDGENETTE BERNEATH JOHNSON B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Bryan	SYLVIA LEHMANN SMITH B.S., Southwest Texas State College, 1964	Richmond
LORENA JOY JOHNSON B.S., Illinois State University, 1981	Prairie View	SYLVIA DENISE THOMPSON B.A., Prairie View A&M University, 1980	Houston
OLLIE MAE DAVIS MINIFEE B.S., Prairie View A&M University, 1981	Hempstead		

## SUPERVISION

MARY E. BYRD LILLY BSED, Stephen F. Austin State University, 1975	Houston	SUEZETTE MOREHEAD B.S. in Nursing, Dillard University, 1969	Houston
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## SECONDARY EDUCATION (Agriculture Education)

MARIAMA RAMATU CONTEH B.A., Jersey City State College, 1978	Prairie View	JOSEPH P. GULAMA B.S. in Agri, Hispanic International University, 1980	Houston
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## SECONDARY EDUCATION (Mathematics)

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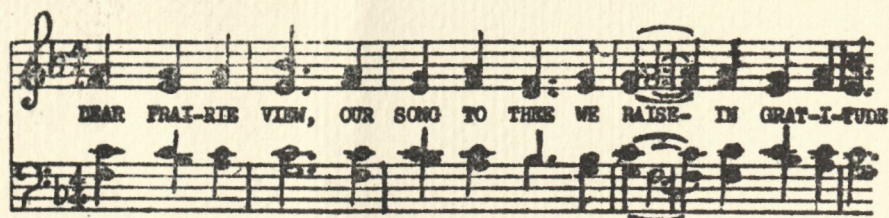
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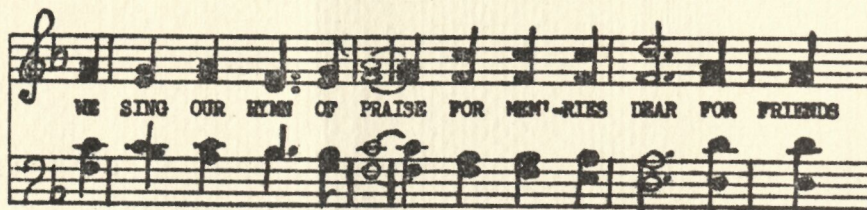
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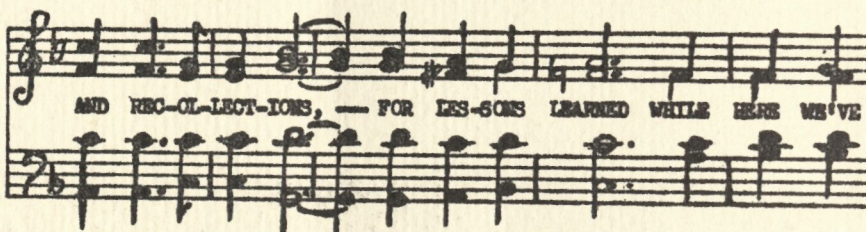
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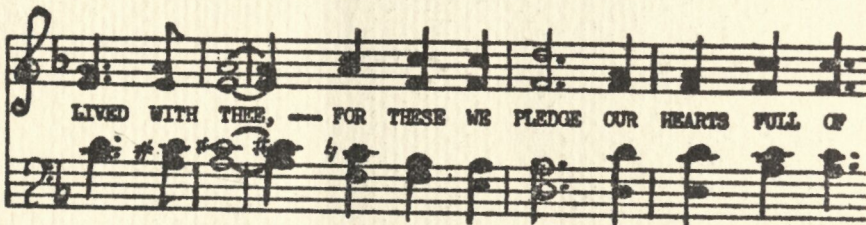
DEAR PRAIRIE VIEW, OUR SONG TO THEE WE RAISE— IN GRAT-I-TUDE



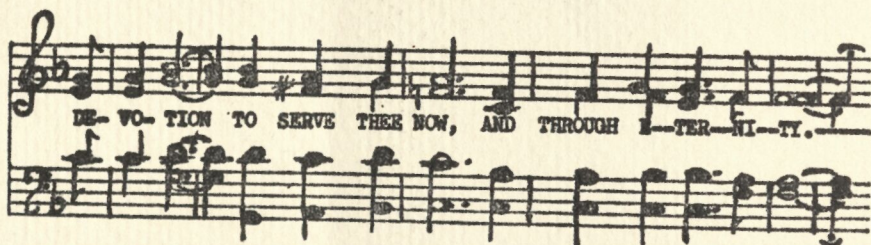
WE SING OUR HYMN OF PRAISE FOR MEM'-RIES DEAR FOR FRIENDS



AND REC-OL-LECT-I-ONS, — FOR LES-SONS LEARNED WHILE HERE WE'VE



LIVED WITH THEE, — FOR THESE WE PLEDGE OUR HEARTS FULL OF



DE-VO-TION TO SERVE THEE NOW, AND THROUGH E-TER-NI-TY.

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.

Words by *O. Anderson Fuller*

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