

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. - DFW AREA CHAPTERS

FOUNDERS DAY LUNCHEON

"Moving Forward with Words, Action, and Truth"



**106
YEARS**

Scholarship, Sisterhood, Service

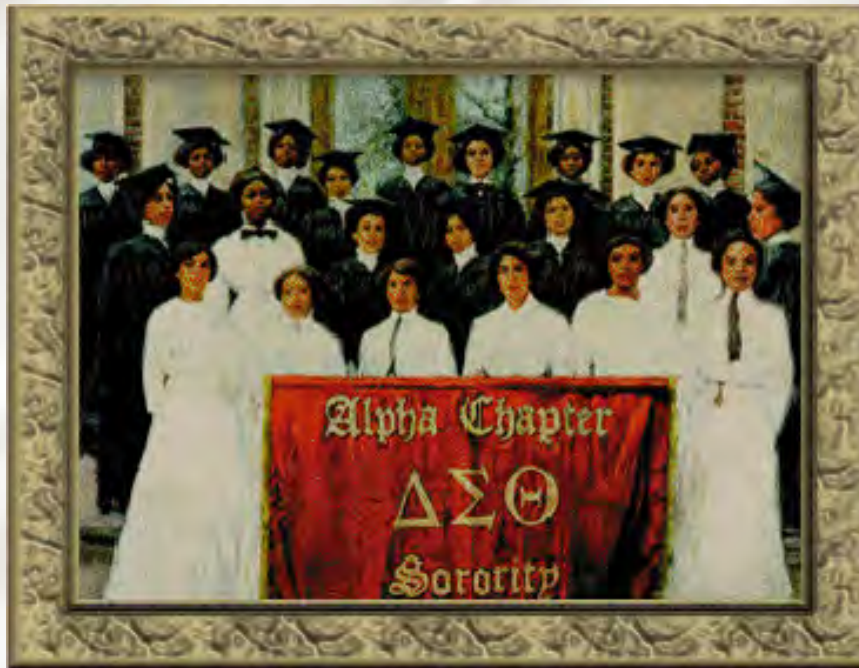
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FOUNDERS

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. was founded on January 13, 1913 by 22 collegiate women at Howard University. These students wanted to use their collective strength to promote academic excellence and to provide assistance to those in need. In March of 1913, the Founders of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. performed their first public act. They participated in the Women's Suffrage March in Washington, D.C. Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. was incorporated in 1930.



First Row:

Winona Cargile Alexander, Madree Penn White, Wertie Blackwell Weaver, Vashti Turley Murphy, Ethel Cuff Black, Frederica Chase Dodd

Second Row:

Osceola Macarthy Adams, Pauline Oberdorfer Minor, Edna Brown Coleman, Edith Motte Young, Marguerite Young Alexander, Naomi Sewell Richardson, Eliza P. Shippen

Third Row:

Zephyr Chisom Carter, Myra Davis Hemmings, Mamie Reddy Rose, Bertha Pitts Campbell, Florence Letcher Toms, Olive Jones, Jessie McGuire Dent, Jimmie Bugg Middleton, Ethel Carr Watson

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February 9, 2019



Happy Founders Day greetings to my sorors of Dallas Fort Worth (DFW) Area Chapters!

As National President & CEO of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. and on behalf of the National Executive Board, it is my honor to greet you and send Delta love your way as you gather for the **9th Annual DFW Joint Founders Day Celebration!**

For Deltas everywhere, in some form or fashion, we gather annually to not only celebrate our Founders but to focus on rededicating ourselves to the tenets of our Oath and our public mission for the constructive development of our members and public service with a primary focus on the Black community.

On this occasion, the dedicated sorors of amazing Arlington, courageous Collin County, noteworthy North Central Texas and the incredible collegiates of Iota Eta chapters have chosen to celebrate your commitment to our sisterhood by “breaking bread” together and jointly renewing our bond in a collaborative spirit of rededication and reunification. And what a wonderful occasion to also honor the sorors who have dedicated themselves to our beloved sisterhood for twenty-five and fifty years of service. They personify that fact that *“membership in Delta Sigma Theta is a lifetime commitment”!*

Special thanks to the hard-working Founders Day Steering Committee Co-Chairs, Sorors Nikeya Anderson Jamita Machen, Seraphia Price, and Rochelle Smith, for all their hard work and commitment to make this a Delta-fabulous event. There is no doubt that you have done an outstanding job of planning.

As you live your theme - *“Moving Forward in Words, Action and Truth,”* my charge is that you continue your devoted work and actualize the vision for this biennium of Joy in our sisterhood...Power in our voice...and Service in our heart. Happy Founders Day, my sorors!

Sincerely and sisterly,

Beverly E. Smith
National President & CEO
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Beverly E. Smith
National President

Cheryl A. Hickmon
National First Vice President

Jaria Martin
National Second Vice President

Elsie Cooke-Holmes
National Secretary

Deborah A. Jones-Buggs
National Treasurer

Jeanine H. Arnett
Executive Director





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Dear Sorors of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex,

One hundred and six years ago, a new era dawned in our nation when twenty-two collegiate women on the campus of Howard University founded Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated! Today, as we reflect on this significant accomplishment, let us never forget the hard work and dedication of our sisters who were so determined to improve the lives of others.

My sisters, I extend heartfelt congratulations to all the chapters in the DFW area for celebrating Founders Day together, and I am proud to reside in this area with you. There is a famous Marion Wright Edelman quote that aptly describes what you have brought to this community; "Service is the rent we pay for living on this earth." Through the years, you have proven that your service is well worth the price. Your tireless efforts, endurance and dedication have ensured that exemplary programs continue to be implemented in each of our Five-Point Program Areas: Economic Development, Educational Development, International Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health and Political Awareness and Involvement. You continually illustrate your commitment to our goals and ideals through numerous programs that serve to strengthen our chapters internally, while enhancing the communities we serve, externally. You truly exemplify our National Theme, ***Joy in Our Sisterhood, Power in Our Voice, Service in Our Heart!***

We know Delta has been on the forefront of social change since 1913, and we must be ever vigilant in the fight like never before. As we remember our Founders, let us go forth from this day and continue to be influencers of change and effect positive impact in our communities.

May each of you have a blessed Founders Day and a prosperous 2019! Keep up your excellent commitment to the goals and ideals of our glorious sisterhood!

In Sisterhood and Service,

Elsie Cooke-Holmes

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National Secretary





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Happy Founders Day to the Sorors of the Dallas – Fort Worth (DFW) Area Chapters!



On behalf of the sorors of the Blazing Southwest Region, it is my honor to greet you on the occasion of our 106th Founders Day. We have much to celebrate in our region, the home of Founders Zephyr Chisom Carter, Federica Chase Dodd, Jessie McGuire Dent, and Myra Lillian Davis Hemmings.

Your theme, "*Moving Forward in Words, Action and Truth*," embodies the attitudes of our Founders, 22 bodacious women who were ahead of their time, and destined to promote academic excellence and provide assistance to those in need. Our Founders had a vision driven by the need to create a sorority that would be the forerunner in impacting the world with stellar programs that reflect organizational health, empowerment of women and girls and an appreciation of our culture through Arts and Letters.

I appreciate and commend the DFW area Presidents for your exemplary leadership as you ensure that your chapters are engaged and committed to the vision of our Founders. Congratulations to the 50 and 25-year honorees. Your distinguished community service paves the way for future generations to follow and become the bridge to excellence. To our Collegiate Sorors who are graduating and embarking on the alumnae phase in their lives, congratulations, and best wishes to you. I am elated for you and look forward to your continued work in Delta.

As we reflect, reclaim and rededicate to Delta, let us be reminded of the joy we share as members of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, the depth and scope of the power in our voice and the continued service that is needed to positively impact the communities and individual lives in our service areas.

By remaining steadfast, unmovable, and always abounding in the Christian principles upon which our Sisterhood was founded, we will continue to surpass the dream our Founders envisioned and be the REAL change agents of the world, soaring our sorority to new heights, through faith as one Sisterhood.

Michelle Brown
Southwest Regional Director

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Sorors of the Dallas/Fort Worth Area,

January signifies a new year and another year of the founding of our beloved sorority! Each year gives us an opportunity to assess our lifetime commitment to Delta and resolve to stay on the path paved by our Illustrious Founders.

A foundation of sisterhood was formed in 1913 for us to build on. Your coming together this year for a joint Founders Day epitomizes the true meaning of sisterhood!

This joint Founders Day allows time for reflection but most importantly, it builds rapport with the chapters in your area, increases your presence in the community, and allows Delta to be shown in the positive light envisioned by our Founders.

Thanks for making the state proud!

Yours in the Sisterhood,

Cassandra A. Carter

Cassandra Anderson Carter
Texas/New Mexico State Coordinator



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Message from Presidents

DALLAS-FORT WORTH AREA ALUMNAE CHAPTERS

Arlington Alumnae | Collin County Alumnae | Dallas Alumnae | Denton County Alumnae
Fort Worth Alumnae | Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae | North Central Texas Alumnae
North Dallas Suburban Alumnae | Southwest Dallas County Alumnae



February 9, 2019

Greetings Sorors and Guests!

Welcome to our 2019 Dallas-Fort Worth Area Joint Founders Day Celebration, commemorating the perseverance and determination of our 22 Founders –young collegiate visionaries whose principled focus has withstood 106 years of continuous service to the local and global communities.

“Moving Forward With Words, Action and Truth” was chosen to remind us of the original commitment and charge to forge new pathways while holding steadfast in our true and transparent mission of promoting academic excellence and providing assistance to those in need, primarily, but not exclusively, to the African American community.

Consider the **WORDS** of our hymns, prayers, and oaths encouraging us to continuously strive for better and not settle for the status quo of any situation. Learn from the **ACTIONS** that were one time considered impossible for women, especially women of color. Heed the **TRUTH** revealed by the words and deeds of our predecessors and let it motivate us. Despite an ever-changing economic and political climate, increasing social crisis and needs, as well as advancements and setbacks in education and technology, Delta is in the forefront of this constant battle to reshape our world. We accept the challenge to set an example for others to follow – just look to our own “sensational six” in Congress: Marcia Fudge, Joyce Beatty, Yvette Clarke, Val Demings, Brenda Lawrence, and Lucy McBeth.

As a collective DFW action, we chose Promise House to assist in providing much needed resources for our homeless young people – investing in their future as well as ours – in showing that we are here to support them in moving forward, even when the current situation looks bleak.

For this occasion, our National Chaplain, and one of our commanders in this strategic campaign to improve this world, Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie will deliver truth as our keynote speaker.

We commend our honorees for reaching these notable milestones of their Delta lives. Whether 50 or 25 years of service or graduating and embarking on your life of service through Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc, we take this time to honor and recognize you. Congratulations to our graduating collegiate sorors in achieving your academic goals. Thank you to our Joint Founders Day committee, comprised of members of all the area chapters, collegiate and alumnae, for your commitment in implementing a beautiful event. To our regional and national leadership, residing locally, Michelle Brown and Elsie Cooke Holmes, we appreciate your uncompromising leadership.

To our awesome Joint Founders Day Committee Chairs, Nikeya Anderson, Jamita Machen, Seraphia Price and Rochelle Smith who have walked in our shoes and continue to lead and guide us, we thank you for your immeasurable dedication and sacrifice in coordinating the activities to make this an unforgettable experience.

In Service and Leadership,

The Dallas-Fort Worth Area Sister Presidents

DFW Area Chapter PRESIDENTS

Leslie Swann
Dallas Alumnae

Angela Smith
Fort Worth Alumnae

Amye Thompson Hollins
Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Raquel “Rocky” Jones
Arlington Alumnae

Cleopatra Birckbichler
Denton County Alumnae

Pamela Pujo
North Dallas Suburban
Alumnae

Mary Stanton
Southwest Dallas
County Alumnae

Monica Munnings
Collin County Alumnae

Theresa Wilson
North Central Texas Alumnae



Founders Day Co-Chairs

February 9, 2019

Greetings Sorors, Family, and Friends,

On January 13, 1913, the founding of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority by twenty-two courageous and visionary collegiate women on the campus of Howard University highlight the moment in history that forever transformed the role of the Greek letter organizations with academic excellence, public service and social action. Our Founders had keen insight and were forward thinking when creating Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. Let us remember our Founders' initial act after incorporating was the Women's Suffrage March. During this 106 Founders Day Celebration, we must continue to embrace how innately social action and public service is embedded within our organization.

For over 95 years, Delta Sigma Theta's presence has been in the Dallas-Fort Worth Area with Founder Frederica Chase Dodd leading the way. This year's theme, ***Moving Forward with Words, Action and Truth*** exemplifies the cornerstone that lay the foundation of Delta Sigma Theta. As we celebrate our collegiate, 25 year and 50 year members of the organization, we must remember the torch that each of us must continue to carry.

It has been a pleasure to organize and lead this 9th Annual Dallas-Fort Worth Area Chapters Joint Founders Day Celebration. We would like to thank the area Chapter Presidents for giving us the opportunity and trusting us with this task.

With Sisterly Love,

2019 Dallas-Fort Worth Area Chapters Joint Founders Day Co-Chairs
Rochelle Smith, Iota Eta Chapter, President
Nikeya R. Anderson, North Central Texas Alumnae Chapter, Immediate Past President
Jamita Barnett Machen, Arlington Alumnae Chapter, Immediate Past President
Seraphia Price, Collin County Alumnae Chapter, Immediate Past President



Founders Day Committee



Founders Day Co-Chairs



DTW Presidents



Seated (Left to Right):

Leslie Swann - Dallas Alumnae, Raquel "Rocky" Jones - Arlington Alumnae, Pamela Pujo - North Dallas Suburban Alumnae, Angela Smith - Fort Worth Alumnae

Standing (Left to Right): Monica Munnings - Collin County Alumnae, Cleopatra Birckbichler - Denton County Alumnae, Amye Thompson Hollins - Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae, Theresa Wilson - North Central Texas Alumnae, Mary Stanton - Southwest Dallas County Alumnae

Collegiate Presidents

Torren Allison, Eta Delta Chapter; Doriyan Darden, Theta Nu Chapter; Kiara Gray, Lambda Chi Chapter; Josephine Owolabi, Sigma Mu Chapter; Evelynna Rosario, Lambda Nu Chapter; Rochelle Smith, Iota Eta Chapter; Azure Smith-Swan, Zeta Eta Chapter

Programme

Processional.....	Angela Smith - President, Fort Worth Alumnae
Welcome.....	Nikeya Anderson, Founders Day Co-Chair Jamita Machen, Founders Day Co-Chair Seraphia Price, Founders Day Co-Chair Rochelle Smith, Founders Day Co-Chair
Introduction of Delta Leadership	Angela Smith - President, Fort Worth Alumnae
Greetings.....	Michelle Brown, Southwest Regional Director Elsie Cooke-Holmes, National Secretary
Occasion.....	Cleo Birckbichler - President, Denton County Alumnae
Invocation.....	Amye Thompson Hollins - President, Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Founders Day Tribute Introduction.....	Raquel Jones - President, Arlington Alumnae
Founders Day Tribute Performance.....	Dallas Black Dance Academy Nycole Ray, Director
Community Service Introduction.....	Leslie Swann - President, Dallas Alumnae Kiara Gray - President, Lambda Chi
Community Service Presentation.....	Tiffany Hollie - Volunteer Manager, Promise House

Lunch Served

Musical Selection by Fredrick Nichelson Entertainment

Introduction of Keynote Speaker.....	Pamela Pujo - President, North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Keynote Speaker.....	Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie - National Chaplain
Presentation of 50, 25, & Collegiate Honorees.....	Sharon Royal Hunt, Dallas Alumnae Dr. Nikita Phillips, Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Acknowledgements.....	Mary Stanton - President, Southwest Dallas County Alumnae Theresa Wilson - President, North Central Texas Alumnae Azure Smith-Swan - Zeta Eta
Closing Remarks.....	Monica Munnings - President, Collin County Alumnae

Recessional



Keynote Speaker



Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie is the 117th elected and consecrated bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. She is the first woman elected to episcopal office in more than two centuries of the denomination. She is the first woman to serve as President of the Council of Bishops, President of the General Board, Chair, the General Conference commission and host Bishop to the 2016 General Conference with more than 30,000 global attendees.

Currently, she serves as the presiding bishop of the 10th Episcopal District (Texas) and Chair of the Publications Commission, which is overseeing the construction of the new three-story AME Church Publishing House in Nashville, Tennessee. It is the first new denominational construction since the late 1970's.

Bishop McKenzie was appointed to serve by former President Barack Obama on the Advisory Council of the White House Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships. She is the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Paul Quinn College, Dallas, Texas. Under her leadership, the 10th Episcopal District is doing a million-dollar renovation of the Richard Allen Chapel on the campus.

Bishop McKenzie is honored to serve as the National Chaplain of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

She is a graduate of the University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, earned a Master of Divinity from Howard University, School of Divinity and earned a Doctor of Ministry from United Theological Seminary. She has several honorary doctoral degrees from prestigious universities and colleges.

Bishop McKenzie is the author of six books. The first two books, *Not Without a Struggle* and *Strength in the Struggle* concern leadership and professional growth for women. She revised *Not Without A Struggle* in 2012, as it remains a staple at seminaries and schools of religion. Her book *Journey to the Well* helps women seek new directions for personal growth and transformation following the footsteps of the Biblical Samaritan woman. *Swapping Housewives* tells the stories of Rachel, Jacob, and Leah and shares the 21st-century implications for married and unmarried love. She edited an anthology of sermons from twenty-two preachers entitled, *Those Sisters Can Preach*. Her newest book is *The Big Deal of Taking Small Steps to Move Closer to God*. The Book Club Guide is available at www.vashtimckenzie.com or from her App Praycation.

She is the founder of the Selah, The Leadership Encounter for Women which creates a trusting environment allowing women leaders to focus on developing strategic networks with those in diverse industries to facilitate continued learning and support in their professional and personal growth. It is a holistic approach involving the heart, mind and soul sponsored by The Vashti Murphy McKenzie Foundation.

Bishop McKenzie is also the founder of Kerygma LLC, a media content provider. In the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, she produced *Survivor Stories* which was broadcast on TV One and PBS Stations.

Bishop McKenzie, described as an "electrifying preacher", is a much sought after workshop and seminar presenter on leadership, transformation and women. She has a global preaching and teaching ministry that has taken her to Africa, Europe, the Holy Land, Canada and across the United States.

She is the wife of Dr. Stan McKenzie, former NBA player, who is the Supervisor of Missions, 10th Episcopal District AME Church. They are the parents of three adult children and one delightful grandchild.

50 Year Honoree



Cheryl Rose

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Alpha Iota

Community Involvement:

Arlington NAACP, Former Member-Arlington MLK Committee, Outreach Teacher-Mt. Olive Baptist Church

Delta Committees:

Social Action, Delta DEARS

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Pinning my daughter at the East College Park Alumnae Chapter.



Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1960

Initiation Chapter: Delta Omega

Community Involvement:

Sisters On the Move Inc., Mount Olive Baptist Church

Delta Committees:

Delta DEARS, Co-Chair

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

National Convention.



Connell Westbrook

50 Year Honoree



Jean McGill

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1969

Initiation Chapter: Epsilon

Community Involvement:

Works with students and teachers.

Delta Committees:

Community Outreach, Arts & Letters

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

My mother and several members of Dayton Alumnae were there when I crossed.



Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Alpha Iota

Community Involvement:

Best Southwest, Dallas Area Interfaith, Hospital volunteer, Lifeforce member at church.

Delta Committees:

Membership, Founders Day, Special Projects, Arts & Letters, Dodd Education, Scholarship

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Attending my very first National Convention.



Virginia Adams

50 Year Honoree



Helen Hicks

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta

Community Involvement:

NAACP-Dallas, University of North Texas Alumni Association, Dallas Bass Hookers Women's Auxiliary, United Methodist Women

Delta Committees:

Membership Services, PP&D, Delta DEARS, Social, TASPers Membership Directory, Jabberwock

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Pinning my daughter, Cecelia and chartering Zeta Eta Chapter.



Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1969

Initiation Chapter: Delta Gamma

Community Involvement:

Board Committee Member, Fellowship Christian Academy at Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship Church, African American Education Archives and History Program (AAEAHP) Advisory Board Member, Inductee into the AAEAHP Hall of Fame

Delta Committees:

Membership, Delta DEARS, Scholarship and Education Support, Chair

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Welcoming both daughters into Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Dr. Georgetta Johnson

50 Year Honoree



Ella Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1969

Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta

Community Involvement:

City of Dallas, Cultural Affairs Commissioners, President, Women's Council of Dallas, Board Chair, Leadership Southwest, Dallas County Elections Judge, Board Chair, The Black Academy of Arts and Letters, Board Member, Perot Museum of Life and Culture

Delta Committees:

National Heritage and Archives Committee, Chair, National Project Cherish Task Force Committee Chair, 31st and 43rd Dallas Alumnae Chapter President, Zeta Eta Chapter President

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Among many, being pinned by my mother Soror Everon Goode Robinson.



Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta

Community Involvement:

American Red Cross, American Heart Association

Delta Committees:

Delta DEARS, Jabberwock

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Charter line at North Texas State University.



Phyllis E. Thomas-Simpson, PhD

50 Year Honoree



Sandra Stephens

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta

Community Involvement:

Volunteer with and fund raise for Our Friends Place, Co-Chair of Women's Ministry, Involvement with Voter Registration and Get Out the Vote efforts.

Delta Committees:

PP&D, Social, Nominating, Internal Audit, Directory Chair, Membership Services, Jabberwock, Team Lead, Delta DEAR Reception Committee for the 2018 Southwest Regional Conference

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Initiation as a Charter Member of the Zeta Eta Chapter at University of North Texas.



Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1961

Initiation Chapter: Beta Rho

Community Involvement:

Board Member Tarrant Area Ministries, Board Member Tarrant County Jr. College, Leadership Ft. Worthy Inductee-Forum Member, Volunteer and Donor-Union Gospel Mission, Melanin in STEM mentor

Delta Committees:

Founders Day, Miss Jabberwock

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Hearing Bishop McKenzie speak.



Frankie Batts

50 Year Honoree



Gail Waters

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1968

Initiation Chapter: Chi

Community Involvement:

Voter Registration, Fort Worth First Friends Ministry-
Great Commission Baptist Church, Faith in Action
Ministry, Read 2 Win

Delta Committees:

President-Gamma Nu, Undergraduate Representative
to the National Board, Midwest Region, Bloomington,
IN Alumnae-Charter Member.

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Initiation attending the 1969 National Convention in
Baltimore where I met Sorors Frankie Freeman and
Dorothy Height, my daughter Vanessa's initiation in
Spring 1995 and TODAY!



Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1959

Initiation Chapter: Delta Omega

Community Involvement:

Texas Retired Teachers Association, Dallas Retired
Teachers Association, Good Street Baptist Church,
GSBC Scholarship Committee, GSBC Deacon's
Wives, GSBC Learning Center Board, Remembering
Black Dallas, African American Education Archives
Hall of Fame, Buckner Terrace Homeowners
Association

Delta Committees:

Delta DEARS, Eta Phi Beta Sorority Award

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Crossing the burning sands at Bishop College in
Marshall, TX.



Mary Bolden

50 Year Honoree



Kay Futrell

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1969

Initiation Chapter: Epsilon Xi/ Zeta Chi

Community Involvement:

AARP Volunteer, Lewisville Independent School District Volunteer-Back to School Drives, Back to Africa Book Drives, North Texas Food Bank, Monthly Community Food Distribution with Westside Baptist Church, Volunteer-Community Christian Association (CCA)

Delta Committees:

Chaplain, Heritage & Archives, Co-Chair, Historian, Founders Day, Co-Chair

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Pinning my legacy, Alana Kay Futrell.



Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae

Initiation Year: 1965

Initiation Chapter: Delta Omega

Community Involvement:

Hope Mansion, Family Place

Delta Committees:

Most Memorable Delta Moment:

Serving and working alongside my mother in the community as a Delta woman.



JoAnn Kennedy

25 Year Honoree



Beverly Gibson

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Detroit Alumnae
Delta Committees: Chair of Art Auction, May 2018
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being pinned by my best friend, Barbara Jefferies.



Madiola Harper

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Continuing the legacy of my two older sisters and pinning my daughter.



Dana Jackson

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Phoenix Metropolitan Alumnae
Delta Committees: Social Action, EMBODI
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending my first National Convention in New Orleans, LA.



LaSonya Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Kappa Theta Core
Delta Committees: Soulful Santa, Delta GEMS, Delta Academy
Most Memorable Delta Moment: April 2017, witnessing 3 mentees, like daughters, join our sisterhood.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Cincinnati Alumnae
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Pledging Delta.



Belinda Moore

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Most Memorable Delta Moment:



Linda Pouncy

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Hospitality, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Charter member of Arlington Alumnae.



Audrey Riser

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Birmingham Alumnae
Delta Committees: Scholarship
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Returning and attending Arlington Alumnae's round up.



Patricia Robinson

25 Year Honoree



Lorraine Tripp

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Delta Eta
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters, Budget and Finance,
Hospitality & Social
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Spring 1986, when I was
initiated to be a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Chantay White Taylor

Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Beta
Delta Committees: Financial Secretary, Budget, Co-Chair,
Economic Development, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending the 100 year
convention.



Charlotte Blair

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Gamma Chi
Delta Committees: Membership
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I was initiated into
the sorority with 24 wonderful sisters.



Jinnetter Brown-Dixon

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Upsilon
Delta Committees: EMBODI, Cotillion, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Serving as President of
initiation chapter.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Kappa Alpha
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being a third generation Delta.



Kimberly Cousin

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Iota Lambda
Delta Committees: Economic Development



Rosalyn Hall

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Iota Chi
Delta Committees: Membership Services, Collegiate Transition, Ritual & Ceremonies
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Going to my first Regional Conference.



Sharon Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Beta Upsilon
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Chapter road trip in college to the Bayou Classic.



Tasha Johnson

25 Year Honoree



Michon King

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Beta
Delta Committees: Delta Academy, Arts & Letters, Cotillion
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending Centennial Convention with several of my line sisters.



Jerri Smith

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: International Awareness & Involvement, May Week
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Membership reactivation after more than 40 years of inactive status.



Cheryl Thaxton-Roache

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Bergen County Alumnae
Delta Committees: Cotillion, Delta GEMS, Delta Academy
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day that I crossed and Founders Day events.



Melodie Jackson Thomas

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Epsilon Chi
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Collin County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Gamma Iota
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The cold February morning when my line was presented to the campus.



Dawana Williamson

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Delta
Delta Committees: Membership Services, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: When my mother pinned me at my initiation.



Lisa Clifton Ayala

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Founders Day Committee, Membership Service, TASPers, Scholarship & Education, Social Action, Sergeant-at-Arms, Jabberwock
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending the Centennial Convention in Washington D.C.



Sherry Bagby-Glover

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Membership Services, Jabberwock, Past Jabberwock Team Lead, Past Sergeant-at-Arms, Past Minerva Circle Jewel, Past Directory & Past Friends & Family Committee

Most Memorable Delta Moment: 4W Y WSUk fa _ k e f W I
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Juli Bailey

25 Year Honoree



Dr. Gayle Barge



Terri Bell



Lela Mays



Connie Brooks McCall

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae

Delta Committees: National Heritage & Archives, National Long Range Planning, 41st Chapter President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Strategic Planning Co-Chair, Founders Day, Social Action, International Awareness & Involvement, Scholarship, Arts & Letters, May Week, Teen Town Hall, Bylaws, Fundraising-Dodd Education & Support

Most Memorable Delta Moment: National Committee appointments by Soror Roddey and Soror Walker.

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae

Delta Committees: Founders Day

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Crossing over and celebrating my 20 year anniversary during our Centennial.

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae

Delta Committees: Social Action

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being initiated with my great aunt, the late Soror Ethel Hancock.

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae

Delta Committees: Jabberwock Team Lead, Heritage & Archives Committee, Chair, Dodd Education and Support, Secretary, Founders Day

Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I became a member of the Dallas Alumnae Chapter.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: TASPers Youth Mentoring Program,
Physical and Mental Health
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being pinned as a Delta by
Helene Jones and in later years, pinning 2 of my nieces.



Lisa Payne

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Delta Committees: Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Showcasing my step at
the Greek Show in Houston at University of Houston,
where we won!



Kristen Price

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: TASPers, Jabberwock



Ramonia Simpson-Shepherd

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Election, Delta Family and Friends, PP&D,
Scholarship, Co-Chair, May Week
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being pinned by Sorors
Charline Ray and the late Vallie Jo Estell.



Cheryl Terrell

25 Year Honoree



Dawn Walker

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Beta
Most Memorable Delta Moment: My mother and I pinning my sister into Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Kay Walker

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters
Most Memorable Delta Moment: When I was pinned by three Delta friends.



Racquel Washington

Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Delta Committees: Jabberwock, Physical & Mental Health, Founders Day, PP&D, Delta Academy, Delta Family & Friends, Delta GEMS, Nominating, Conference Convener, Advisor, Ombudsman, Corresponding Secretary, Founders Day, Co-Chair, Regional Conference Page, National Site Committee
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being initiated into the same chapter as my mentors.



Mekash Brown

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
Delta Committees: Executive Board, Collegiate Chapter Advisor, SW Regional Conference Hospitality, Policy and Procedures, Elections, Minerva Circle, Member, Sisterhood Month, Yearbook, National Pan-Hellenic Council Representative
Most Memorable Delta Moment: When my mom, Marilyn Williams Jones '75 pinned me, and attending the Centennial National Convention with her in Washington D.C.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Delta Committees: Internal Audit, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: 2009 Regional Conference held in my hometown, Ft. Worth.



Sharon Burkley

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Vice President, Lambda Chi, Corresponding Secretary, Secondary Adviser for Lambda Chi, Physical & Mental Health, Social, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: My line sisters and prophytes supporting me in my weight loss journey.



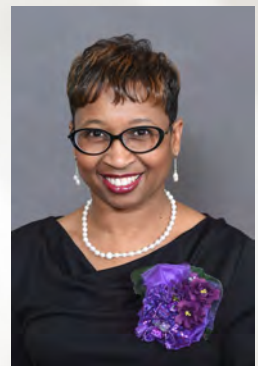
Tracy Cass

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Alpha Iota
Delta Committees: Paster Sisterhood Luncheon Co-Chair, Sisterhood
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Met one of the last living charters of Alpha Iota.



Denisha Davis

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Fort Worth Alumnae
Delta Committees: Recording Secretary, Custodian of Properties, Delta Academy, Co-Chair, May Week, Chair & Co-Chair, Membership Barbara Jordan, Arts & Letters, Jabberwock, Social, Elections
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending my first national convention in New Orleans, LA.



Brenda Jacks

25 Year Honoree



Kim Jernigan

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Physical & Mental Health, Social Action,
SW Regional Conference Transportation
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being initiated into the
sisterhood of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Dionne Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Social, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending my first
conference and feeling all of the sisterly love.



Nicole Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Alpha
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters, Health & Wellness
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Participating in the re-
enactment of 1913 Women's Suffrage March with my
daughter, Jourdan Elle.



Demetria Mell

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Fort Worth Alumnae
Delta Committees: Fundraising, Co-Chair, Nominating,
Financial Assistant, Sergeant-at-Arms, Membership, Social,
Chair, Pan Hellenic, Advisor (UTA)
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Co-pinning my niece with
past National President, Yvonne Kennedy.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Meeting my best friend through Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Shelby Nelms

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
Delta Committees: Parliamentarian, Past Jabberwock Co-Chair, Past Social Action Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending National Convention.



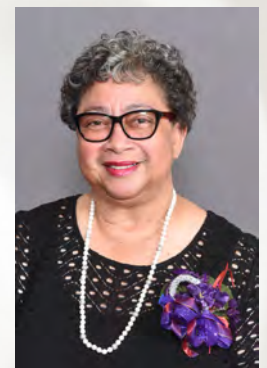
Angela Rainey

Chapter Affiliation: Fort Worth Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Delta Committees: Sisterhood Luncheon, Co-Chair, Jabberwock, Social Action, Senior Citizens
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Pinning my cousin at her initiation ceremony.



Kathy Williams

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters, EMBODI, Delta Love for Family
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Pinning my younger sisters: MeChelle and LaNell.



Mary Austin

25 Year Honoree



Valarie Jackson

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Nu
Delta Committees: Vice President (Lambda Nu) Delta Academy, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending the National Convention in Washington D.C.



Cheryl Miller

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Delta Committees: Social Action, Hospitality
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending my first National Convention.



Lantha Murphy Iglehart

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Model Initiate
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being pinned by my mother at the National Convention.



Sandra Richardson

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: Delta GEMS, Delta Academy, Delta Love for Family
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Becoming a legacy member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Alpha Eta

Delta Committees: Social Action, Fundraising, Physical & Mental Health

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Joining the Seattle Alumnae Chapter where Past National President Mona Humpries-Bailey was an active leader, encouraging me to become an active and involved soror.



Crystal Ross

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Iota Gamma

Delta Committees: Community Projects, Financial Fortitude, Recording Secretary, Emergency Response Team Coordinator, Delta Academy, Scholarship and Fundraising

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Performing the eulogy for my line sister, my college teammate and dearest friends. All of our line sisters were together from across the country to perform the Omega Omega ceremony in a standing room only church reminding me of the significance of Delta and the relationships that have developed. They truly are for a lifetime!



Anita Skipper

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Houston Metropolitan Alumnae

Delta Committees: Arts & Letters, Texas/NM State Co-Chair, Education Chair

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being pinned.



Dr. Shantuan Taylor

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Beta Upsilon

Delta Committees: Social Action, Delta GEMS, International Awareness & Involvement

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Meeting Bertha Pitts Campbell at a South Central Regional Conference.



Dr. Denise Wall

25 Year Honoree



XaQuita Wells-Wicks

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Mu
Delta Committees: Physical and Mental Health,
Fundraising, Step Team
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Living in Japan from 2001
to 2005, and joining the Okinawa Alumnae Chapter.



Senta Wilson

Chapter Affiliation: Metropolitan Dallas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Nu Iota
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The chapter step team won
STOMP.



Octavia Gray

Chapter Affiliation: North Central Texas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Epsilon Beta
Delta Committees: Internal Audit, Delta GEMS
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Fall '93 Nine Nubian
Wonders Probate and Spring 1996 Senior Tea.



Angele Harrison

Chapter Affiliation: North Central Texas Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Kappa
Delta Committees: Second Vice President, Assistant Financial
Secretary, Physical & Mental Health, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Participating in the Delta
train going to Induction.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: North Central Texas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Eta Kappa

Delta Committees: Jabberwock Pageant Chair, Public Relations, Chair, Teen Summit Chair, First Vice President,

NCTA Most Memorable Delta Moment: Pinning my grandmother, Nona Ross, for her 50th anniversary.



Stephanie Spears

Chapter Affiliation: North Central Texas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Theta Kappa

Delta Committees: Executive Board, Corresponding Secretary, Economic Development, Technology, Social Action, Rituals & Ceremonies, Member Services

Most Memorable Delta Moment: 2018 Southwest Regional Conference.



Vivian Thomas

Chapter Affiliation: North Central Texas Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Lambda Upsilon

Delta Committees: Charter Member, Wichita Falls Alumnae

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Attending my first Regional Conference in 2018.



April Tolbert

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae

Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi

Delta Committees: Policies & Procedures, Second Vice President, Lambda Chi

Most Memorable Delta Moment: Celebrating my line's 25th Deltaversary.



Cheryl Alexander

25 Year Honoree



April Brown-Bell

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Delta Iota
Delta Committees: Membership Services, Physical & Mental Health, Economic Awareness, Arts & Letters, New Chapter Member Mentor
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Organizing a water distribution campaign for construction workers.



Denise Captain

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Xi
Delta Committees: Chaplain Committee
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Serving others by going to the nursing home and working with the youth.



Keisha Farrington

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Nu
Delta Committees: Membership, Physical & Mental Health, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I was initiated into this great sorority.

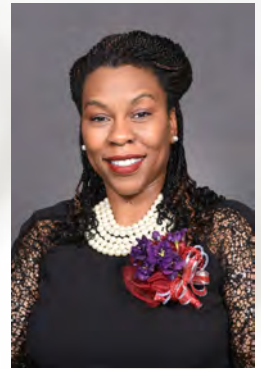


Hope Gladney

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Lambda
Delta Committees: Eta Lambda, President, Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Served as Eta Lambda Chapter President during the 40th anniversary.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Beta
Delta Committees: Social Action, EMBODI, Physical & Mental Health, Scholarship
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Serving on the IAC Black College Tour Leadership Team. HBCUs Matter!



Gayna Jefferson

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Delta
Delta Committees: NDSA Youth Program Chair for RAFT
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Gaining 18 sisters in my life on April 15, 1994.



Genick Joseph

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Past Treasurer, Fort Worth Alumnae
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Celebrating Centennial with all of my phenomenal sorors.



Katrina Keyes

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Mu
Delta Committees: Policies & Procedures



Disa McEwen

25 Year Honoree



Kimberly Nichols

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Macon Alumnae
Delta Committees: Assistant Financial Secretary, Nominating, Chair, Minerva Circle
Most Memorable Delta Moment: When my mother, a Macon Alumnae charter member, pinned me.



Monique Patillo

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Eta Lambda
Delta Committees: Social Action
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Becoming active in the NDSA Chapter with my line sisters.



Tanya Reynolds

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Sigma
Delta Committees: Collegiate Chapter President, Jabberwock, Finance
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Becoming a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



Wanda Shack

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Delta Epsilon
Delta Committees: Delta GEMS, Physical & Mental Health
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I became a member of our wonderful sorority.

25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Dayton Alumnae
Delta Committees: Educational Development, Delta GEMS Co-Chair, Sisterhood Advance Co-Chair, Physical and Mental Health, Arts & Letters, MIT Jewel, International Awareness and Involvement, Debutante Committee, Step
Most Memorable Delta Moment: When I became a member of our illustrious sisterhood.



Carlmetta Sheppard

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Fort Worth Alumnae
Delta Committees: Communications, Delta Academy, Delta Voices, Founders Day, Golf Tournament, Information Technology, Jabberwock Souvenir Book Lead, Membership, DFW Citywide Founders Day Souvenir Book Lead, DFW
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I received the call that I had made the line. Oh happy day!



LaQuitta Thomas

Chapter Affiliation: North Dallas Suburban Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Mu
Delta Committees: Membership Committee, Elections
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Meeting our Founder, Bertha Pitts Campbell.



Robbie Williams

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: Membership Services, Delta Academy, Delta GEMS, Social Action, Ritual & Ceremonies, Fundraising
Most Memorable Delta Moment: 25th celebration with my line sisters.



Ayana Cabrera-Cook

25 Year Honoree



Kayla Camper

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Mom pinning me and being honored to be a 3rd generation member, carrying on the family's legacy.



Johnnae Cortez

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: EMBODI, Membership Services, Jabberwock, Relay for Life, Adopt-A-Street, Founders Day Chair, Assistant Recording Secretary, Sergeant-at-Arms
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Coming home from school seeing my non-greek mother wearing my Delta shirt.



Takeshia Eaton

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Kappa Alpha
Delta Committees: Delta GEMS
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Meeting Past President Gwendolyn Boyd while touring our National Headquarters.



Sharonda Flowers

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu

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Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: Membership Intake, Financial Secretary
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Taking my Delta Oath as well as seeing other sorors take their oath.



Chatrina Forte

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Xi
Delta Committees: Fundraising Chair, ERT, Delta GEMS
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day that I became a member of this illustrious sisterhood.



Bernadette Griffin

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Gamma Epsilon



Greshael Griffin

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: Social Action, Membership Intake
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Always being surrounded by love, encouragement, and support by sorors.



Mandticia Herron-Hill

25 Year Honoree



Sharonda Holmes

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
Delta Committees: NAACP, Historian
Most Memorable Delta Moment: A water balloon fight with my line sisters and Alpha Phi Alpha.



Nicole Jackson

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
Delta Committees: Delta Academy
Most Memorable Delta Moment: My apartment with my friend burned, and sorors giving us gifts and elephants.



Sheretta James

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Omicron Omega
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Becoming a legacy, and my sister pinning me during the ceremony.



Kimberly Johnson

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Pi
Delta Committees: Delta Academy, Political Action, Sergeant-at-Arms
Most Memorable Delta Moment: A scavenger hunt while celebrating my 20th anniversary with my sands.

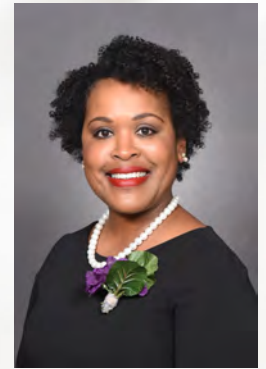
25 Year Honoree

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Kappa Xi
Delta Committees: Historian, Delta GEMS, Co-Chair, Social Action, Project See
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being a charter member of SWDCA.



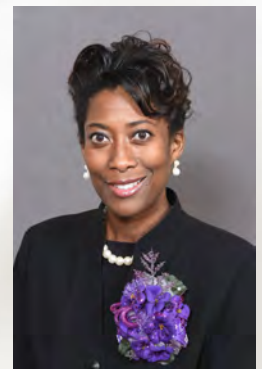
Monica Jones-Davis

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Beta Alpha
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Being a charter member for the Southwest Dallas County Alumnae Chapter.



Tengemana Knight

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Omicron Theta
Delta Committees: Arts & Letters
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Meeting sorors Ruby Dee and Betty Shabazz and presenting them both with flowers and an award from my collegiate chapter in Ohio.



Denita Malvern

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Kappa Pi
Delta Committees: Ritual & Ceremonies, Delta Academy
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The night my 15 line sisters and I were initiated into Delta.



Connie Page

25 Year Honoree



Lisa Pierce

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Chaplain, Sergeant-at-Arms, Minerva Circle Member
Delta Committees: Theta Nu
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The day I became a member of this amazing sisterhood.



Kimberly Stephens

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Gamma Epsilon
Delta Committees: North Texas Food Bank, Mt. Tabor Food Pantry
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Our Centennial celebration in Washington, D.C.



Venecia Taylor

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Alpha Iota
Delta Committees: Vice President (Alpha Iota), Membership & Reclamation, Adopt-A-Street, Arts & Letters, Voter Registration Drive, Alpha Iota Chapter Reunion, Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: Pinning my niece into my initiate Alpha Iota in 2014 and touring our National Headquarters.



Melody White

Chapter Affiliation: Southwest Dallas County Alumnae
Initiation Chapter: Nu Iota
Delta Committees: Vice President (Nu Iota), Texas State Facilitator Technology Co-Chair
Most Memorable Delta Moment: The first time I attended a Delta National Convention.

Collegiate Graduates



Kyana Gulley

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Eta Delta
College/University: Texas Woman's University
Major: Nursing



Courtney Lee

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Eta Delta
College/University: Texas Woman's University
Major: Health Studies- Pre Occupational Therapy



Rianna Jackson

Initiation Year: 2018
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
College/University: Texas Christian University
Major: Movement Science/ Pre Med



Leah Levels

Initiation Year: 2018
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
College/University: Texas Christian University
Major: Mathematics



Collegiate Graduates



Initiation Year: 2018
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
College/University: Texas Christian University
Major: Strategic Communication & Spanish



Elise Shropshire



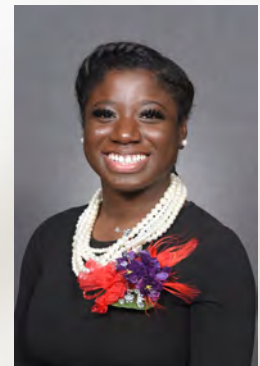
Initiation Year: 2016
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
College/University: Texas Christian University
Major: Criminal Justice



Rochelle Smith



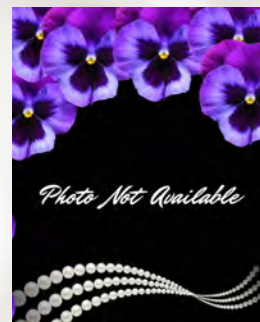
Initiation Year: 2018
Initiation Chapter: Iota Eta
College/University: Texas Christian University
Major: Social Work



MyKaelah Waters



Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at Arlington
Major: Exercise Fitness & Wellness



Morgan Daniels

Collegiate Graduates



Brandy Fields

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at Arlington
Major: Nursing



Brianna Lewis

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at Arlington
Major: Linguistics



Kennydi McIntosh

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at Arlington
Major: Elementary Education



SaKyra Meshack

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at Arlington
Major: Nursing

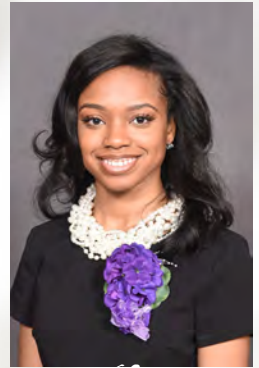


Collegiate Graduates

Hannah Sparks



Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Lambda Chi
College/University: University of Texas at
Arlington
Major: Exercise Science



Hannah Sparks



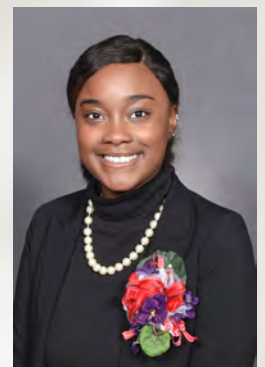
Initiation Year: 2015
Initiation Chapter: Eta Delta
College/University: University of Texas at
Dallas
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies



Alyssa Brown



Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
College/University: Texas A & M
Commerce
Major: Sociology & Criminal Justice



Kendal Hill



Collegiate Graduates



Erykah Massey

Initiation Year: 2017
Initiation Chapter: Theta Nu
College/University: Texas A & M Commerce
Major: Kinesiology & Sports Studies



Azure Smith-Swan

Initiation Year: 2016
Initiation Chapter: Zeta Eta
College/University: University of North Texas
Major: Social Work



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Dallas Black Dance Academy
D's Stitchery
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Honorable Toni Rose, State Representative
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Utopia Creations, LLC

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promise

noun. reason to expect something;
ground for expectation of success,
improvement or excellence
verb. to pledge to do, to bring
about or provide



MOVING YOUTH IN CRISIS TOWARD *safety* AND *success*

Promise House embraces abused, neglected and homeless youth, giving them the support they need to live a better life. Since 1984, our lifesaving programs have empowered more than 75,000 youth and families to overcome trauma and crisis. Promise House is dedicated to providing the strength and stability that youth need today to build a brighter, more promising tomorrow.



AT-A-GLANCE

1,264 ^{YOUTH} are
HOMELESS
each night in Dallas

4,928 
homeless kids in
Dallas County Schools

Last year Promise House served
11,965
MEALS TO YOUTH

&
90 PERCENT
of kids in the Emergency Youth Shelter
EXITED to a safe & stable HOME

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Emergency Shelter

Promise House provides immediate shelter services to youth ages 0-21. The program incorporates therapeutic, educational and empowering services in a highly structured environment that stabilizes crisis situations, promotes family reunification and builds lifelong strengths.

Long-Term Housing

Promise House offers long-term housing for older youth, including pregnant and parenting teens and their children. Youth live in group homes or individual apartments for up to two years and develop critical life skills, personal responsibility and financial independence while accessing a broad continuum of health, education and counseling services.

The Transitional Living Program houses young adults ages 16-24.

The Wesley Inn Program houses mothers ages 14-20 and babies ages 0-5.

COMMUNITY AND OUTREACH

Promise House helps struggling youth and their families develop self-sufficiency and extends critical resources to at-risk members of our community. We partner with physical and mental health care providers, county and state agencies, and schools to implement a comprehensive strategy for our non-residential clients' lifelong success.

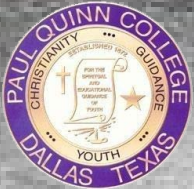
The Street Outreach Program team scours Dallas streets to find homeless youth and provide them with lifesaving kits filled with hygiene products, non-perishable food and referral information.

The Community Counseling Program provides free case management services, parent education classes and individual, group and family counseling to the community at large.

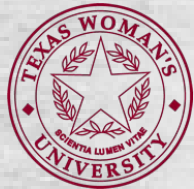
Dallas Independent School District Drop-in Centers provide food, case management services and referrals to homeless students. Promise House partners with DISD to operate drop-in centers in district high schools.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Food, Shelter, Clothing & Hygiene Items
- Medical & Dental Care
- 2 On-Site Dallas ISD Certified Classrooms
- Continuing Education & GED Classes
- Life Skills & Financial Management Courses
- Job Readiness Training
- Career Planning Services
- Parenting Classes
- Childcare
- Case Management
- Psychological Counseling & Psychiatric Care
- Individual, Group & Family Counseling
- ID/Birth Certificate Acquisition Assistance
- Recreational & Empowerment Activities
- Blake Davis Memorial Scholarship
- After Care Case Management



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