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1869 - 2019

CELEBRATING 150 YEARS

Tougaloo College is a private, coeducational, historically black four-year liberal arts, church related, but not church controlled institution. It sits on 500 acres of land located on West County Line Road on the northern edge of Jackson, Mississippi. In Good Biblical Style, one might say that the Amistad, the famous court case which freed Africans who were accused of mutiny after they killed a part of the captor crew of the slave ship Amistad and took over the vessel, begat the American Missionary Association, and the American Missionary Association begat Tougaloo College and her five sister institutions.

In 1869, the American Missionary Association of New York purchased five hundred acres of land from John Boddie, owner of the Boddie Plantation to establish a school for the training of young people "irrespective of religious tenets and conducted on the most liberal principles for the benefit of our citizens in general". The Mississippi State Legislature granted the institution a charter under the name of "Tougaloo University" in 1871. The Normal Department was recognized as a teacher training school until 1892, at which time the College ceased to receive aid from the state. Courses for college credit were first offered in 1897, and in 1901, the first Bachelor of Arts degree was awarded to Traverse S. Crawford. In 1916, the name of the institution was changed to Tougaloo College.

Six years after Tougaloo College's founding, the Home Missionary Society of the Disciples of Christ obtained a charter from the Mississippi State Legislature to establish Southern Christian Institute (SCI) in Edwards, Mississippi. Determining later that Tougaloo College and SCI had similar missions and goals, the supporting churches merged the two institutions in 1954 and named the new institution Tougaloo Southern Christian College. Combining the resources of the two supporting bodies, the new institution renewed its commitment to educational advancement and the improvement of race relations in Mississippi. The alumni bodies united to become the National Alumni Association of Tougaloo Southern Christian College. In 1962, by vote of the Board of Trustees and with the agreement of the supporting bodies, the name was changed again to Tougaloo College.

Tougaloo College has gained national respect for its high academic standards and level of social responsibility. The College reached the ultimate demonstration of its social commitment during the turbulent years of the 1960s. During that period Tougaloo College was in the forefront of the Civil Rights Movement in Mississippi, serving as the safe haven for those who fought for freedom, equality and justice and the sanctuary within which the strategies were devised and implemented to end segregation and improve race relations. Tougaloo College's leadership, courage in opening its campus to the Freedom Riders and other Civil Rights workers and leaders, and its bravery in supporting a movement whose time had come, helped to change the economic, political and social fabric of the state of Mississippi and the nation.

Aside from its social commitment, Tougaloo College has continued to strive to create an environment of academic excellence and a campus of engaged learners. The administration and faculty continue to challenge students to be prepared to take advantage of opportunities available in a global economy and to become leaders who will effect change. The faculty have grown in quality and size, diversity has been enhanced and the physical landscape and campus infrastructure is evolving. New curricula have been added. Partnerships and networking relationships have been established with many institutions such as Brown University, Boston College, Tufts Medical and Dental Schools, the University of Mississippi Medical Center, New York University and other international programs.



TOUGALOO COLLEGE

Office of the President

June 23, 2019

Dear Fellow Alumni:

I am simply honored to extend greetings to you and your guests for the *2019 Summer Solstice Affair*. There is no better place for such a festive, fun event than the warm and welcoming climate of Memphis, Tennessee. When I observe you – our alumni – gathered with your family and friends to support Tougaloo College, my heart smiles, knowing that our ties to the Eagle Queen do not end when we graduate, they continue, grow and expand, connecting the college with new friends.

We appreciate the continued support this Chapter provides to Tougaloo College and the opportunity to join you for such a lovely event. And we also appreciate the support of the Memphis community without which this event would not be possible. We offer our students the quality of academic education and character development that holistically prepares them for lives of meaning and success in a global society. You are the examples - the living messages we send into the future - and we know our success is largely attributable to the diligent work of alumni like you.

As Tougaloo begins a new academic year, with a new president, there is a lot of excitement, enthusiasm and high expectations for a very productive year. Dr. Carmen Walters is excited to take the helm of leadership at our alma mater. Let's give her full support as she becomes the chief guardian of our beloved Eagle Queen. It has been my honor to lead Tougaloo for the past 17 years. It is now my privilege to pass the torch of leadership to Dr. Walters who I am confident brings the commitment, passion and skills to make the years ahead the best ones for Tougaloo College.

I will always be grateful for your support of Tougaloo and my presidency. On July 1, 2019, I will join the network of alumni and continue to invest in Tougaloo. I will always be a Tougalooian.

Thank you for helping Tougaloo College to be a source of hope for our community, state and nation, and the wonderful students we are so privileged to serve. Enjoy the evening with the assurance that your contribution to this *Summer Solstice Affair* will benefit students at Tougaloo College.

Sincerely,

Beverly W. Hogan
President



Fellow Alumni and Friends:

Welcome to our **2nd Annual Bluff City Summer Soulstice Affair!**

I am incredibly grateful by the overwhelming generosity and support you've shown to the Memphis Area Tougaloo Alumni Chapter! Your support demonstrates your commitment to Tougaloo College and its mission to prepare its students to be lifelong learners who are committed to leadership and service in a global society through its diverse undergraduate and graduate programs, and for that, I thank you!

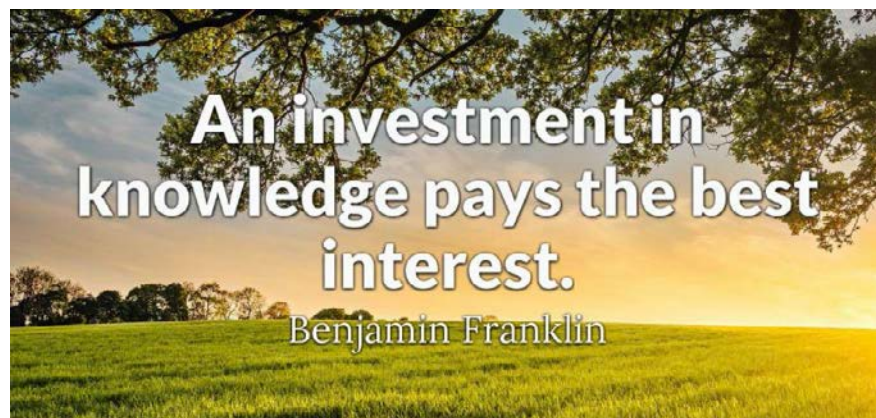
Again this year, I have had the opportunity to work with an amazing group of dedicated individuals. The Memphis Chapter, what can I say-----the best chapter ever! We have fantastic members who are committed to changing the way we give back to our Dear Eagle Queen! Help us keep the chapter strong, JOIN US!

As we celebrate 150 years of sustainability, this year is very special to all alumni, students, friends and families of Tougaloo College! If you missed the opportunity to participate during commencement week, don't worry, there are still plenty of occasions for you to engage as we continue the celebration of our great institution. I encourage all alumni and friends to make it back to campus during founders' week on October 18-20.

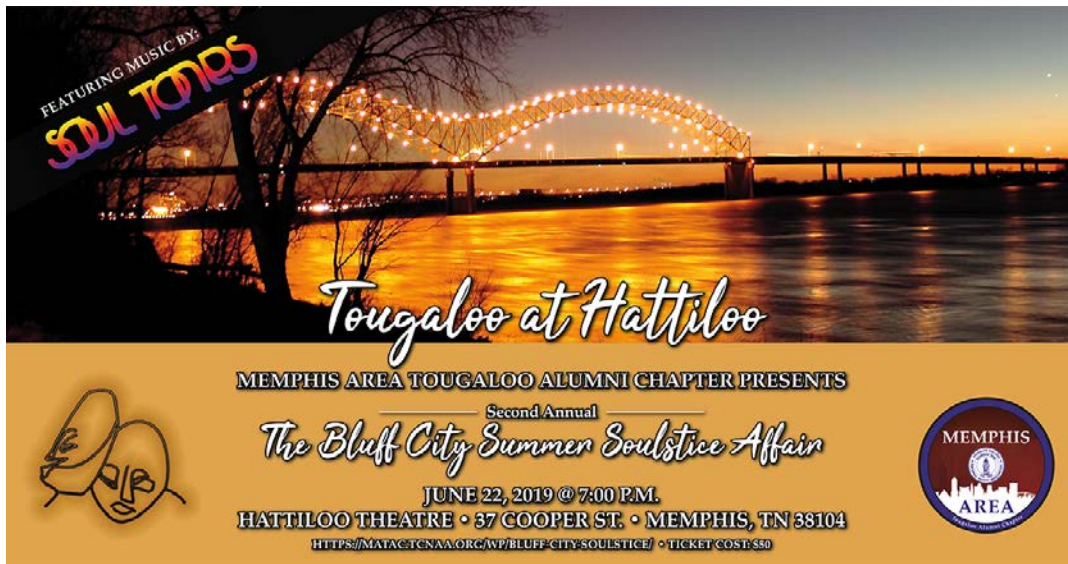
As you can see, we have much to celebrate in our 150th year of Tougaloo Pride and we have plenty to be thankful for. I implore you to seek new ways to engage with one another, be kind towards one another, and be thankful for what we have. I look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events

Sincerely,

Sylvia Gray
President, MATAC



WE SALUTE THE MEMPHIS AREA TOUGALOO ALUMNI CHAPTER



Thank you for your continued commitment to giving back to the College on this 2nd Annual Signature Event, ***The Bluff City Summer Soulstice Affair***! We wish you great success in your endeavors to uplift our Beloved Eagle Queen!!!

William and Gwendolyn Ross

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


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Louis “Blue” Gilbert ‘85

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Wishing you continued success!

Doris Durr Ross

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Thank you for your commitment of engaging alumni
and working diligently to give back to the Tougaloo
College Community!

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and
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**We wish you great success as you continue your
commitment to Tougaloo College!!**

**Carolyn Walker Kimbro '74
President**

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Friday, July 19, 2019	17th MOTP Golf Classic and Dinner*	\$115	\$135	\$		
	Dinner only*	\$45	\$55			
Saturday, July 20, 2019	Mississippi on the Potomac 27th Outing	\$45	\$55			
	Children (Ages 7-12)	\$20	\$30			
Sunday, July 21, 2019	Jazzy Brunch	\$75	\$85			
	Children (Ages 5-12)	\$30	\$40			

I am unable to attend, but would like to contribute \$ _____ towards the success of Mississippi on the Potomac XXVII and Tougaloo College!

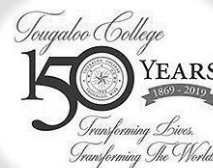
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JAZZY BRUNCH

Sunday, July 21, 2019
10:30 am - 2:30 pm

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Friday, July 19, 2019
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Wishing You Continued Success!

The Rhodes Family

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**David Miller
President, TCNAA**



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***We are proud to congratulate you on another
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***Your accomplishments and vision for
soaring forward continues to benefit the
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***Sylvia Gray '86
Brittany and Amaya Gray***





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