

# The Lincoln Lion

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## Actor Roscoe Lee Browne, '46, Visits Alma Mater

**R**oscoe Lee Browne, '46, star of television, film, and stage, visited the Lincoln campus in southern Chester County on February 26 to narrate a 15-minute promotional video for the University.

He also addressed the Melvin B. Tolson Society at its 1987-88 Convocation in Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel, where he spoke of his career, answered questions and recited some of his own poetry.

The video taping was conducted near the LU Arch, at Vail Hall, and in the President's House. Earlier, Browne was guest of honor at a small luncheon.

Browne won the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences 1986 Emmy for Best Guest Performance in a Comedy Series for his appearance on NBC's *The Cosby Show's* episode, "The Card Game."

(Slated to graduate from Lincoln in 1943, Browne's education was interrupted by service in the U.S. Army.)

Browne was also an international track champion, twice All-American champion in the indoor 1000-yard run, and set a world record in Paris for the 800-meter race. A former Lincoln professor, he taught comparative literature, English, French and psychology and served as the assistant dean of men.

Beginning his show business career in 1956 in the New York Shakespeare Festival, he later made his Broadway debut in *The Cool World* and went on to star in dozens of other stage productions as well as in films and television.

Among his credits are such plays as *The Blacks*, *Benito Cereno*, and *Monkey Mountain*, and movies *The Cowboys*, *The Comedians*, *Uptown Saturday Night*, *The Connection*, *Logan's Run*, *Super Fly*, *The Liberation of Lord Byron Jones*, *Jumpin' Jack Flash*, and *Legal Eagles*. On television, he has filled a variety of dramatic and comedy spots, including starring roles in *Soap* and the detective series, *McCoy*. He is currently appearing in the popular evening soap opera, *Falcon Crest*.

The soft spoken, erudite, consummate, award-winning actor is originally from Woodbury, N.J., where his father, the Rev. Sylvanus Browne, was a minister.

Browne's pursuits also include giving poetry readings and writing short stories, plays and poems, which have been published both here and abroad. The recipient of an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from Lincoln in 1972, he has garnered the Obie, the Los Angeles Drama Critics Award, and the New York's Best Actor Award. □



Actor Roscoe Lee Browne, '46, beams proudly with (from right to left) President Niara Sudarkasa, and Dr. Frank T. Coleman, director of Alumni Relations.

## Lincoln Archivist Seeking Memorabilia

Lincoln has been awarded a grant of \$24,744 under the Pennsylvania College and University Archives and Manuscripts Regrant Program. The grant money is to be used for the organization and processing of the University archives, a project not previously undertaken due to lack of staff and funds.

According to Sophy H. Cornwell, archivist, a full inventory of the University's records is under way and by the end of the grant period in August 1988, a published inventory of the ~~holidays~~ <sup>ARCHIVES</sup> should be available for use by libraries, historical societies and researchers.

Mrs. Cornwell is seeking the support of all alumni in this project. Needed are donations of copies of LU publications, programs, class day books and other memorabilia of college days. Especially welcome are any issues of the publications *The Lincoln Crystal* or *The Lincoln Lion* published in the early 1920's, and commencement programs from 1903 to 1909, 1920 to 1931, and 1935.

Items may be sent to: **Lincoln University Archives, Langston Hughes Memorial Library, Lincoln University, Lincoln University, PA 19352, Attention: Mrs. Sophy H. Cornwell, Archivist.** □

## Lincoln to Hold 129th Commencement Exercises May 1

The University will hold its 129th Baccalaureate Services at 10 a.m. and Commencement Exercises at 2:30 p.m., Sunday May 1, 1988, at its campus facility, Manuel Rivero Hall. A coeducational, liberal arts, state-related university, Lincoln will confer five honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degrees, as well as master's degrees in human services, and bachelor of arts and bachelor of science degrees.

Four of the five honorary degree recipients are distinguished members of the publishing fields: T. Richard Munro, chairman and chief executive officer of Time, Inc.; Lerone Bennett Jr., an author, and executive editor, *Ebony* magazine; Susan Taylor, editor-in-chief, *Esence* magazine; and Jay Harris, a 1970 Lincoln graduate, and executive editor of *The Philadelphia Daily News*.

The fifth recipient, Dorothy Height, is president of the National Council for Negro Women.

Munro will serve as commencement speaker; Bennett will speak during the baccalaureate services; and Taylor will give the charge to graduates. □

**Commencement  
Weekend  
April 30-May 1,  
1988**

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### The Lion's PURPOSE

- To provide information about alumni and their association and to encourage their participation in alumni and social activities.
- To tell the Lincoln University story.
- To strengthen the relationship between the University's constituencies and the institution.
- To educate and stimulate our readers about matters of institutional and social importance.
- To instill in our people confidence in the leadership of the University and thereby generate support, both intellectually and financially.
- To provide a two-way communication system by offering readers a forum for responsible reaction.

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### ALUMNI NOTES From the Executive Secretary

At the spring meeting of the Council of the General Alumni Association on February 27, the Council accepted the recommendation of the Nominating Committee to present Alumni Awards on April 30 to the following:

- Herman P. Bailey, '38
- Ernest C. Levister, '58
- Calvin S. Morris, '63

The Nominating Committee also recommended that the names of Kenneth M. Sadler, '71, and Guy A. Sims, '83, be placed on the ballot for the position of alumni trustee, with one to be nominated to the Board of Trustees.

Donald Pierce, '53, president of the Association, and the University's registrar, announced the appointment of Nathan South, '78, an accountant in the Business Office and Treasurer of the Association, as director of alumni relations to succeed Dr. Frank T. Coleman, '35, effective July 1. (Editor's note: Dr. Coleman, who has served as director since October of 1981, is expected to coordinate a new office of alumni giving.)

An April meeting has been planned for members of the Council to discuss ways and means of revitalizing alumni chapters and establishing new chapters. □

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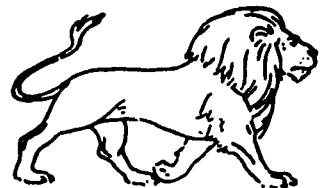
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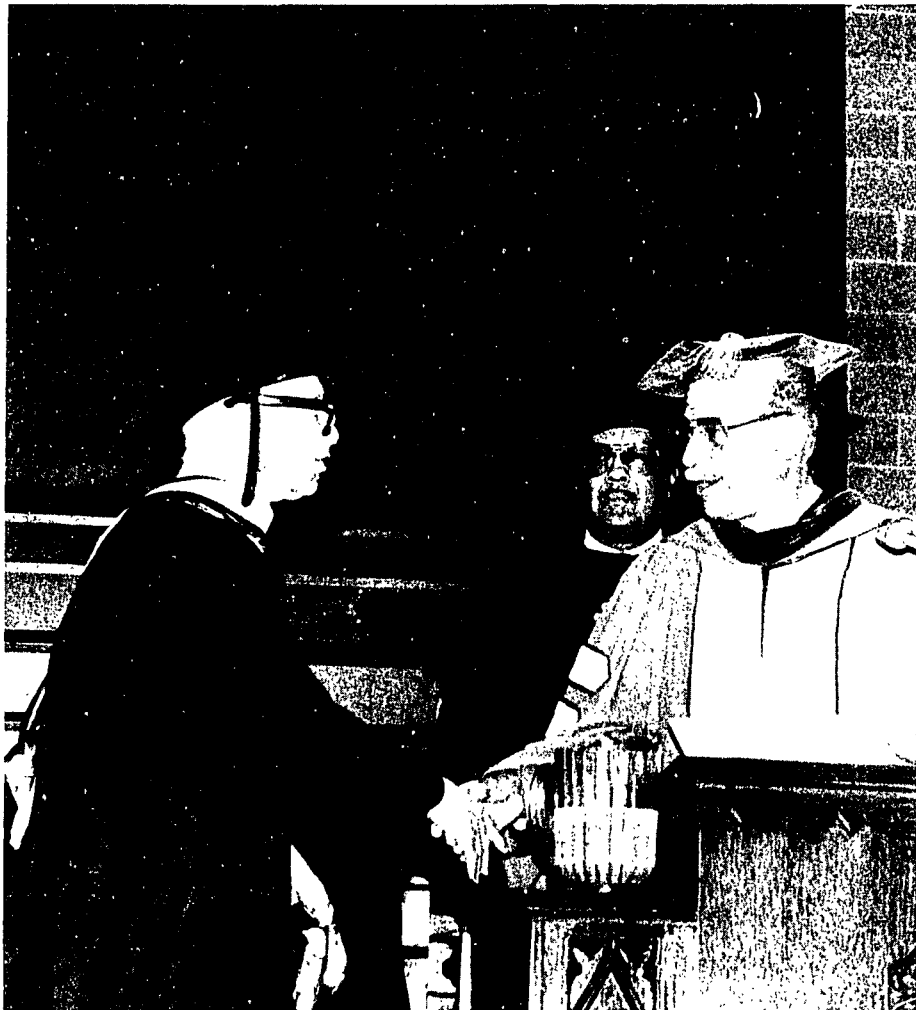
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## CLASS NOTES



The oldest known living Lincoln University alumnus, 97-year-old William M. Ashby, Class of 1911, is introduced by the then chairman of Lincoln's board of trustees, Rev. LeRoy Patrick, Class of 1939, at the University's 127th Commencement exercises on May 4, 1986. In the background is Lincoln's then interim president, Dr. Donald L. Mullett, '51, currently vice president for fiscal affairs and treasurer.

### Oldest Living Alumnus, 99, Honored for Civil Rights Work

**WILLIAM W. ASHBY, '11**, the oldest known living alumnus of Lincoln, was honored with a plaque for his work in civil rights at the 11th Annual Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Recognition Day Celebration in Newark, N.J., on February 3.

The author of *Tales Without Hate*, a collection of autobiographical stories published by the Newark Preservation and Landmarks Committee in 1980, Ashby founded, 70 years ago, the first Urban League affiliate in New Jersey, today the Urban League of Newark and Essex County. He also served as director of the Springfield, Ill., Urban League and, in 1944, established the Urban League of Eastern Union County in Elizabeth. Recently, his community involvement includes work

with the Newark Preservation and Landmarks Committee.

In December, 1987, the new Department of Community Affairs office building in Trenton was named the William Ashby Affairs Building. At that time, Stephen Aduato, executive director of the North Ward Center, said "This is the first public building in the state to ever be named after a member of a minority. Mr. Ashby is one of the most important people we have in terms of black history."

The Recognition Day plaque reads, in part: "... to William Ashby, in recognition of your historic leadership in the greater Newark community. Your life embodies Dr. King's dream that the day will come when persons will not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character." □

### Philadelphia Alumni/ae Association Sets 1988 Meeting Dates

The Philadelphia Alumni/ae Association of Lincoln University will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Urban Education Foundation, 46th and Market Streets, on the following dates in 1988: Wed., March 23; Wed., April 27; Wed., May 25; Wed., June 22; Sat., July 9 or 16; Wed., August 24; Wed., Sept. 28; Wed., Oct. 26; Wed., Nov. 16; and Wed., Dec. 21.

Officers are Pat Harrison, president; Thelma Hill and Paul Lewis, vice presidents; Alfred Shropshire, secretary; Allen Shropshire, treasurer; Rev. John Parkinson, chaplain; Frank Coleman, historian; and Dolores Coleman, parliamentarian. □



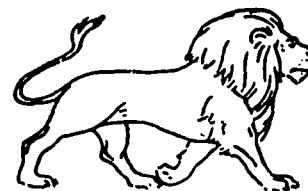
Dr. Hildrus A. Poindexter, '24

### Poindexter Scholarship Award Established

The Dr. Hildrus A. Poindexter, '24, Omega Psi Phi Inc. Scholarship Award has been established.

Beginning in 1988, it will be presented annually to a member of the Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi in good standing who illustrates the four cardinal principles: Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance, and Uplift. This year's recipient is David A. Lee, president of the Beta Chapter.

Dr. Poindexter was a renaissance man, excelling as a noted physician, author, scholar, educator, scientist, military officer, and mason. □



### Class of '55 Elects New Officers

Due to the death of Alfonso Jones, president of the Class of 1955, Joseph B. Kenney, class secretary, was elected to serve as president. Replacing Kenney as secretary will be Dr. Lances T. McKnight. □

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# CLASS NOTES

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**ARCHIBALD HOLLAND**, direct marketing consultant and free lance writer, delivered the Black History Month address at Bard College in New York in February on "The Legacy of Langston Hughes—a dramatic presentation."



Dr. Carl M. Mansfield, '51

'51

**CARL M. MANSFIELD** has been elected president of the American Radium Society for a term of one year.

A professor and department chair of radiation therapy and nuclear medicine at Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia, Mansfield is a member of the medical staff of Thomas Jefferson; a member of the radiation study section, division of research grants, of the National Cancer Institute; and a national director-at-large of the American Cancer society. He has served the American Radium Society as treasurer and member of the executive committee and the committee on local arrangements.

The author of more than 100 publications and books, Mansfield is the recipient of the Distinguished Service Award from Howard University, his alma mater, in honor of his outstanding contributions to his profession.

'59

**HERBERT J. HUTTON, Esq.**, an LU trustee, was the guest of honor at the 20th anniversary dinner of Spectrum Health Services, Inc., held at Penn's Landing Caterers, Philadelphia, in October of 1987.

Hutton, the first executive director of Better Family Planning, Inc., (now called Spectrum Health Services) was cited for his "strong leadership and vision necessary for an agency to experience growth" and for his continued guidance "through professional expertise and personal commitment to the agency's mission."

**DONALD H. BATIPPS** has been named regional emergency response coordinator for the Norristown office of the State Department of Environmental Research. He will be responsible for improving the agency's response to natural disasters, environmental incidents and emergencies. Prior to his appointment, he was working in the Bureau of Water Quality Management as a water quality specialist.

'61

**WINSTON LEROY BLACKETT** recently retired from a position in the Barbados Ministry of Finance.

'64

**DR. CARL CLARKE** was recently sworn in as senator and the Minister of State of Barbados in the office of Governor General Sir Hugh Springer.

Dr. Clarke, 50, an economics major at Lincoln, earned his master's in economics and doctorate in finance from Fordham University in New York. He is the deputy chairman of the Barbados Export Promotion Corporation and former manager of the investment division of the Barbados Industrial Development Corporation. As the new Minister of State of Barbados, he will assist Prime Minister Erskine Sandiford in drafting and implementing government fiscal policies.

'68

**JOHN GREENE** has served as the assistant prosecutor for Genesee County in Flint, Mich., for six years. He is married and has a two-year-old son.

'69

**CHARLES BURFORD**, a native of Reading, Pa., has been appointed postmaster at Middletown, Dauphin County.

Holder of a master's degree in city planning from the University of Pennsylvania, Burford was employed by the Reading Redevelopment Authority as project coordinator for the Schuylkill Urban Renewal Project from 1972 to 1976, as a postal inspector until 1982, and then, for five years, as superintendent of postal operations at Summerville, S.C. He has also been a board member of Family Guidance Center, Reading.

'87

**Marine 2nd Lt. CRAIG McDONALD** recently graduated from the Basic School, located at the Marine Corps Development and Education Command in Quantico, Va. As a newly commissioned officer, he was prepared for assignment to the Fleet Marine Force and given the responsibility of a rifle platoon commander.

The 26-week course included instruction on land navigation, marksmanship, tactics, military law, personnel administration, Corps history and tradition, communications and techniques of military instruction, leadership by example, the importance of teamwork, and a demanding physical conditioning program.

**ROSEMARY D. NEIDIG**, a graduate of Lincoln's Master of Human Services Program, has been appointed to serve as executive director of the Young Women's Christian Association of Williamsport, Pa.

For the past seven years, Neidig has served as chief domestic relations officer in the Lycoming County Domestic Relations office.



**1988 Commencement  
Weekend**

**Saturday,  
April 30, 1988**

**Alumni/-nae-Student  
Banquet**

**Sunday,  
May 1, 1988**

**Baccalaureate Services  
and  
Commencement  
Exercises**

# In Memoriam

## Dr. Frank T. Wilson, '21 and '24, Former LU Dean and Professor

Rev. Dr. Frank Theodore Wilson Sr., a former Lincoln dean and professor, of 164 Elkdale Road, Lincoln University, died in the Southern Chester County Medical Center on February 11. He was 88.

Born in Maxton, N.C., Dr. Wilson was the son of the late Rev. James J. Wilson and Susie Harris Wilson. He held master's and doctorate degrees from Columbia University in New York and honorary doctorates from Lincoln and the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta, Ga.

A former dean of men and professor of education and psychology at Lincoln, Dr. Wilson also served as dean, School of Religion, Howard University, Washington, D.C.; national student secretary, National Council, Y.M.C.A., New York; secretary for education, Commission on Ecumenical Mission and Relations, United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.; executive secretary, Commission on Theological Education in Southeast, U.S.A.; consultant in education, Interdenominational Theological Center, and Soong Jun University, Seoul Korea; and secretary-treasurer, Johnson C. Smith Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.

A lecturer, writer and preacher, Dr. Wilson held offices and memberships in numerous religious and community organizations. He is survived by his wife, Anna L., a daughter, five grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and three sisters.

Funeral services were held February 14 at Lincoln's Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel. □

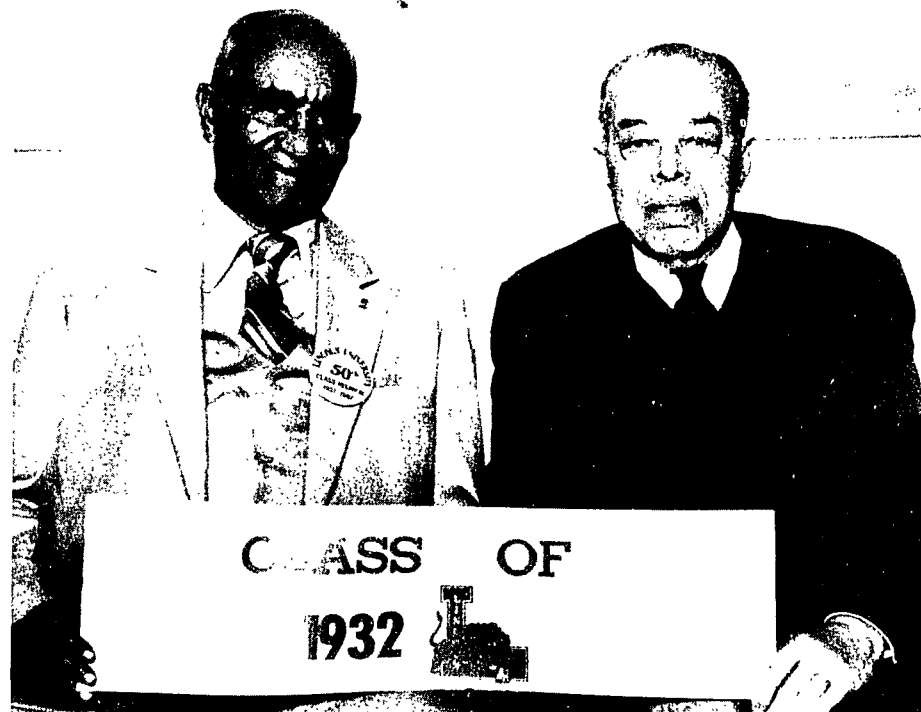
'21

**Rev. Dr. MINYARD WILLIAM NEWSOME**, born in 1891, died on February 26. He was valedictorian of his seminary class and gave 70 years to the ministry.

Founder of the Community Baptist Church in Philadelphia, Dr. Newsome conducted service there from 1922-29; he then pastored Mt. Hebron Baptist Church in South Philadelphia until 1946, when he began 27 years of service at the Corinthian Baptist Church, also in Philadelphia.

Dr. Newsome held a Doctor of Divinity degree from Morris College and continued studies at Princeton Institute of Theology until his death. After leaving Corinthian, he engaged in evangelistic service using his own car-top public address system.

He is survived by his wife, Bernice; a stepson; three adopted children, and four grandchildren.



Representing the Class of 1932 at the May 2, 1987 Alumni Banquet were Howard Wright (left) and John D. White.

## Dr. Howard E. Wright, Sr., '32, Prominent Educator and School Principal

Dr. Howard Emery Wright, Sr., a prominent educator, of Atlanta, Ga., died on January 11.

Holder of master's and Ph.D. degrees in psychology from Ohio State University, Dr. Wright served as the principal of the Campus Laboratory School at Albany State College, Ga.; principal of Aracoma High School in Logan, W.Va.; principal of the Campus Laboratory School, associate professor of education, and director of teacher training at Prairie View College, Texas; chair of the Psychology Department at North Carolina College in Durham; chair of the Division of Education and Psychology at Texas Southern University; president of Allen University in Columbia, S.C.; regional director of Community Action Programs for the Office of Economic Opportunity, Washington, D.C.; branch chief of the Division of College

Support for the Office of Education; academic dean of Maryland State College in Princess Anne; acting chancellor of the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore; director of the Division of Social Sciences at Hampton Institute, Virginia; and professor of psychology at Salisbury State College, Maryland, when he retired in 1978.

Dr. Wright was a member of the Elks, Masons, Omega Psi Phi, American Association of University Professors, American Psychological Association, and the Steward Board of Big Bethel A.M.E., where he was a Sunday School teacher and member of the Lay Organization and the Board of Christian Education.

Dr. Wright is survived by his wife, the former Roseland D. Days, and two children by a previous marriage, Beverly and Howard Wright. □

'35

**AUSTIN J. MARTIN**, of Atlantic City, N.J., died at the Atlantic City Medical Center on February 3 after a long illness. He was 80. Mr. Martin began his teaching career at Park Avenue School, Pleasantville, N.J.; then taught science at the Indiana Avenue School in Atlantic City; and finally taught science at the Atlantic City High School, where he retired as assistant principal in 1977.

Mr. Martin was a member of the National Education Association, the New Jersey Education Association, and the Atlantic City Teachers Association; and past president of the Alpha Theta Lambda Chapter of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. At the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Pleasantville, he was a past chair of the Deacon Board, past director of the Senior Choir, past president of the Sunday School Department of the Bethany Baptist Association, and Sunday School superintendent, a position he held for over 50 years and for which a room was named in his honor.

Mr. Martin was also active in many civic organizations. He is survived by his wife, Louise; a brother, and a sister.

'45

**MARSHALL ALEXANDER ALLEN**, a noted artist and teacher, died on January 9. He was 68.

Born in Coatesville, Pa., Mr. Allen was a former teacher and dean of boys at Palmer Memorial Institute in Seda-lia, N.C., and an Arts and Crafts teacher and counselor at the Pomeroy School for Boys in Pennsylvania. Recognized for his work as an artist, he was commissioned to do several paintings of reknown.

Mr. Allen served the Bethel Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia as trustee, scoutmaster, elder, president of the Men's Council, clerk of session, and a commissioner to the General Assembly. He also served on many committees of the Philadelphia Presbytery and was affiliated with Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Boy Scouts of America, and the James Varick Lodge No. 31, F&AM, where he served as past master and secretary.

Mr. Allen is survived by his wife, Mildred; two brothers, and a sister.

'46

**OSCAR LUTHER GLASS JR.**, 71, died on January 30 in Deepdale General Hospital in Queens, N.Y.

A civil servant with the United Nations for 31 years, Mr. Glass served in the armed services in World War II. He was actively involved in Kappa Alpha Kappa Fraternity, the Auxiliary Police, Dad's Club, and Little League Baseball. An avid historian and sports enthusiast, he won the 1967 Esso Football Pick-of-the-Week Contest by successfully predicting the winners of ten football games.

Mr. Glass is survived by three sons: Gordon, Leon, Stanley; five grandchildren; his mother, Louise, who is 101 years old; and a sister.

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## Rev. Milton A. Galamison, '45 and '47; New York Clergy Delivered LU's 1987 Baccalaureate Address

The Rev. Milton A. Galamison, a Brooklyn, N.Y. pastor for four decades who was a major figure in the dispute over decentralizing the New York City Schools in the 1960's, died of cancer on March 9 in his home in Brooklyn. He was 65.

A 1945 bachelor of arts and 1947 bachelor of divinity Lincoln graduate, Rev. Galamison returned to his alma mater May 3, 1987, to be the baccalaureate speaker.

Rev. Galamison was pastor of the Si-loam Presbyterian Church in Bedford-Stuyvesant since 1949. His was one of the largest Presbyterian congregations in the city; his church included services for the elderly, vocational guidance programs, and other social programs.

He picketed construction sites to obtain more jobs for blacks and led school boycotts to urge better education for minority children. In 1964 and 1965, as chair of the Citywide Committee for School Integration, he organized two school boycotts.

Rev. Galamison served briefly as vice president of the New York City Board of Education and was designated chairman of a Board of Education committee charged with overseeing negotiation of a new contract with the teachers' union.

A native of Philadelphia, Rev. Galamison held a master's degree in theology from the Princeton Theological Seminary. He is survived by his wife, the former Gladys Hunt; a son, Milton Jr.; a brother, Joseph; and one grandchild. □



The Class of 1947, at the May 2-3, 1987 LU Commencement Weekend; (standing left to right) John A. Mingo, Jr., the Rev. Milton A. Galamison, and Ralph Oves; (seated) John M. Scott, Milton E. Banton, and Dr. Roland A. Gandy.

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**Calendar of Commencement  
Activities  
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**Support  
Lincoln  
And The  
General  
Alumni  
Association**

**Friday, April 29**  
9:30 p.m. Hospitality Center ..... Hansberry Lounge

**Saturday, April 30**  
7:30-10:00 a.m. Breakfast..... Student Union Building  
9:30 a.m. Meeting of the Council of the General  
Alumni Association ..... Harold F. Grim Hall  
10:00 a.m.-Noon Friends of the Library  
Open House ..... Langston Hughes Memorial Library  
11:00 a.m. 50th Reunion—Class of 1938  
Brunch ..... President's House  
12:15-2:15 p.m. Lunch ..... Student Union Building  
1:00-4:00 p.m. Philadelphia Alumni Chapter's  
"Alumni Get-Together" ..... Guest House  
1:30 p.m. General Alumni Association  
Annual Meeting ..... Harold F. Grim Hall  
4:00 p.m. Lincoln University  
Concert Choir .... Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel  
6:00 p.m. Alumni Reception and Reunion  
Class Pictures..... Student Union Building  
6:30 p.m. General Alumni Association  
Annual Banquet ..... Student Union Building

**Sunday, May 1**  
7:30-10:00 a.m. Breakfast..... Student Union Building  
10:00 a.m. Baccalaureate Services  
Mary Dod Brown Memorial Chapel  
11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Lunch ..... Student Union Building  
2:30 p.m. Commencement Exercises ..... Manuel Rivero Hall  
4:30 p.m. President's Reception for Graduates and  
Guests of the University ..... Manuel Rivero Hall

(Homecoming and Rededication Day is Saturday, October 22, 1988.)

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Commencement '88

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