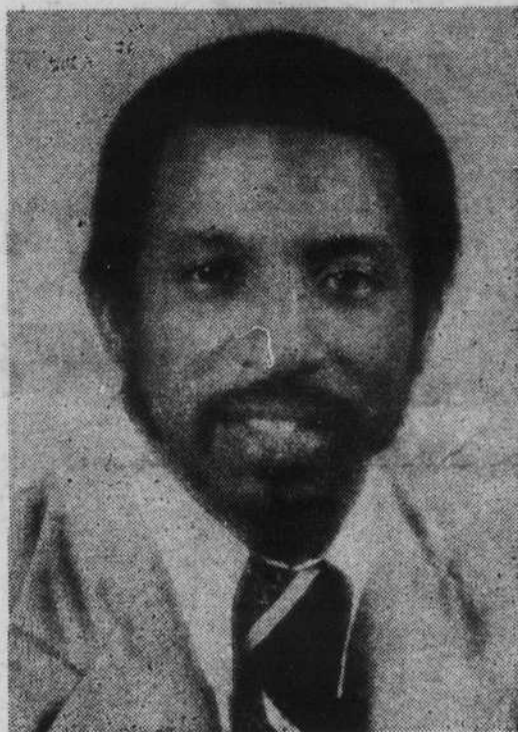


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A staff member of the Teacher Corps programs at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas was among more than 2,000 who received degrees at Northern Arizona University, 76th annual commencement May 13, 1977.

Porter Lee Troutman, Jr. was one of nine students who received his Doctorate of Education degree. Troutman was the first black to earn a Doctorate of Education degree from Northern Arizona University.

Dr. Porter Lee Troutman, Jr. is a twelve year resident of Nevada and is the Director of Teacher Corps at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

The program is headquartered in the College of Education. The Teacher Corps program is a joint educational venture between the CCSD, UNLV and community. The purpose of the program are multi: (1) to increase the educational opportunities of children from low income families, (2) to enable colleges, universities and school districts to plan and design teacher preparation programs collaboratively, (3) to provide a pre and inservice program for both experienced and inexperienced teachers.

Dr. Troutman, who served as a teacher in Clark County School District for five years before joining the Corps, is originally from Louisiana where he earned a Bachelor's degree from Southern University in Baton Rouge. He holds a Master's degree from Northern Arizona University,

a six year Education Specialist degree from University of Nevada, Las Vegas, and the Doctorate of Education from Northern Arizona University.

Dr. Troutman was one of twelve persons selected nationally in 1973 by the American Association of Colleges of Teachers Education, Washington, D. C. to receive training at the University of Wisconsin at Madison. Dr. Troutman received training in curriculum designs for Pre and Inservice Programs and Multicultural Education.

Dr. Troutman was also selected to Who's Who Among Black Americans in 1976, a landmark and one of the most comprehensive books on Black Americans.

Dr. Troutman has authored several documents: Inservice Education, Cultural Pluralism Syndrome, Designing Management Information Systems.

Dr. Troutman has also made several major presentations on Community Based Education and Management Information Systems in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Troutman has participated and conducted multicultural training workshops throughout the country.

He and his wife Bobbie Jean, a CCSD teacher, have two children, a son Gregory II, and daughter Portia 4.

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The Saints and Sinners presented a check to the Economic Opportunity Board's Senior Citizens' Center. Accepting the check from Sherman Levin, Saints and Sinners President, is Hazel Geran, Senior Citizens' Program Supervisor. Roger Gordon, Saints and Sinners Board member, left; J. David Hoggard, EOB Executive Director; and Lt. Governor Robert Rose join in the presentation. According to Ms. Geran, the monies will be used for emergency medical and dental assistance.

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