

... STOP KILLING YOUR SOUL BROTHERS AND SISTERS WITH YOUR LATE AT THE GATE STATEMENTS ..

JACKSON STREET AND ME...

By Rudi Jackson



Wedding Bells Run on Feb. 4th for Craig Davis and Donna Murray with a warm and heartfelt Reception that night in The Sahara Garden Room. As ME entered the door there were many voices filling the void with joy and happiness and ME knew ME was at the right place. The room was bursting with people happy to see the joining of this lovely couple in marriage.

It was truly a feeling of home-folks getting together to have a festive time of life. George and Ella Murray — the proud parents of the bride, and Levi and Janie Davis — the proud parents of the groom were mixing with Esther Davis, Bride-maid and Brian Patrick, The Best Man. Cut little La'Juan Davis, the flower child.

ME got a quick chance to speak to the newly weds and this is what they said: "Thanks to John Washington they got to meet and felt moved to fall in love a few years back," said Donna. "We had a long/yet/short engagement for about a year but it has been love and goodness all along the way. Since we have jobs we will wait until the summer and Honey-moon in Southern California and get to know each other better (smiles)." Craig (eyes flashing and full of smiles) said he was so very happy to see so many people there to share the joy with he and his new bride and showing so much love to them and their families. He kept tugging at the waist-band of his handsome cream colored pants and saying every now and then (but often) "I'm a MARRIED MAN—NOW! Yeah! I'm a MARRIED MAN." Now True/How True.

The Wedding Cake was such a work of beauty. 3-tiers with a

man and woman standing on top. It caused ME to think of the love of lovers and Valentines Day coming soon for this young couple. The icing was white/with/a rose trim of string of hearts and flowers (the cake was full of creamy fruits as ME forked into the huge slice Craig had handed ME... MMMmm Good!)

ME had been sho'nuf glad when Donna's mother had asked the dancing and seated the Craig Davis's "CUT THE CAKE and Then OPEN THE GIFTS" which were so lovely and useful in days to come as they set about housekeeping. ME told Craig ME would look to see him in some wash-o-mat soon and very soon with the bright yellow clothing basket they were gifted.

Much of the fine and tasty foods were gifted by Alvin Reinhart — Buffet Manager of THE SHOWBOAT HOTEL & CASINO, and Members of both families. What a feast it proved to be as each and everyone shared words of kindness one to the other.

The Guest List was, to name a few: Dave Murray, Linda Lowter, Carl Beasley, Maih and Nedra Duke, April Murray, George Murray, III, Laura Murray, Diane Murray, Bill and Gladin Short, Bobbie Pace, Hector, Debra and Alexis Irizarry, Frances Carter, Craig's lovely Grandmother, Kenney Foster — Craig's older brother, Levi Davis, Jr. Darrell Davis, James Carter, Dana Carter, Denean Carter, Tia Yem, Joe and Anna Frazier, Al and Linda Murray, Vincent and Bonnie Giacalone, Rita Houston... like in Texas, she say to ME!, Tracy Murray, Vincent Webb, Alfredo Coleman, Millie Sullivan, Linda Goergen, Remy Vargas, Virginia Vargas, Vickie

Monroe — works for Ray & Ross Bus Line, Adm. Sec. ... oh yes ... Lena Lowte, Adrienne McNeal, Atty., Denise Lightford. There wuz sum'mor lovely people arriving as the sweet soul music being played by D.J.'s — Darrell and Levi, Jr. Davis wuz being danced to by the Bride/Groom and Guests in The Garden Room.

ME and Bobbie Pace spoke to them as we slipped into the dark-night for the car before it turned into a Punk'in or Q'cumber. On our way up north Nellis Blvd., we spotted a Baskin-Robbins and stopped to have sum eyes'creme to try to catch up to that soulful cake we had jus'ett with family and friends of THE NEWLYWEDS: CRAIG and DONNA DAVIS! HOW SWEET THEY IS!...

ME wants to WEL—COME TO OUR COMMUNITY GERALDINE (Gerry) MALONE — Alterationist from HOUSTON, TEX. She moved here on 12/24/83 and has taken the job that KOKO had for so many years at Regal Cleaners on Owens and H St. Phone her and her Co-worker Richard Carroll — Cleaning Attendant at 645-2756 and just say hello to this cute and lovely Texas Twister which has whirled into Las Vegas and is working to make folks like ME Look good.

They is getting ME tux ready for the Black Talent and Fashion Show ME will M.C. and Com-IN-Tate on Feb. 18th, as The State Executive Hospitality C.O.G.I.C. presents BLACK HISTORY TALENT HOUR — Tots and Teens Fashion Preview... 7:00 P.M.-9:00 P.M. at Mabel Hoggard School, 950 N. Tonopah Dr., L.V., off Washington Blvd. ... Donation is \$3.00 per person ... Door Prize Drawing for Radio-Cassette Recorder ... Ph. 642-6960 for ticket information after 5:00 p.m. Make plans to be there during this BLACK HISTORY MONTH to enjoy a

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work of art as the young people dramatize some of the GREAT BLACK PEOPLE WHO HAVE LIVED AND WORKED HARD TO BRING CHANGES IN THE LIVES OF WE WHO LIVE AMONG THE CORE OF HATRED WHICH GROWS AND SHOWS DAY TO DAY HERE IN THIS CITY AND COMMUNITY EACH AND EVERY DAY.

LIKE WHEN THE RAID WUZ MADE ON THE NEW TOWN TAVERN CALLED "BOSS HOGG" THE NAME SAKE STREET WUZ CRAWLING WITH T.V. CAMERAS OR WHEN THERE IS A KILLING ... BUT WHEN Lt. ROBERT GOODMAN CAME TO THE TOWN TAVERN THIS PAST FRIDAY IT WUZ ONLY ONE OR TWO NEWS FOLKS PRESENT FOR THE WONDERFUL EVENT SHARED BY BLACK PEOPLE ... WHY CUM NO BIG FLASH LIKE WHEN HE WAZ DOWN ON THE STRIP AT C.P. SAT'TIDDY NIGHT?

THEN THERE WUZ THE PARADE MARKING Dr. King's B'day. VERY LITTLE NEWS COVERAGE IN THE WHITE NEWS MEDIA IN THIS SO-CALLED PEOPLE LOVING CITY...

Zig and Zag So-Called LEADERS sit back and let the system RAPE THIS POOR CHILD OF A COMMUNITY LIKE YELLING WAY AFTER THE MAJOR CONSTRUCTION AT McCARRAN AIRPORT HAS BEEN DONE OR WHEN BIDDING FOR OTHER MAJOR PROJECT HAS DONE BEEN BID ON FIVE LOOONG YEARS AGO BY GREAT BIG FIRMS WHO WILL OVERLOOK THE NEEDS OF BLACK PEOPLE WHO NEED WORK TO TAKE AND PUT FOOD ON THEY TABLE OR PAY SUM' UTILITY BILLS...

COME ON GET UP OFF OF THE OLD COON-SKIN YOU WHO BE BROUGHT OUT WITH A FEW COINS OF

SILVER AND STOP KILLING YOUR SO-CALLED SOUL BROTHERS AND SISTERS WITH YOUR LATE AT THE GATE STATEMENTS ALL OVER THE AIR WAVES CAUSE BIG BROTHER IS PAYING YOU TO KEEP LITTLE BROTHER DOWN IN THE PITS OF DARKNESS AND DISCONTENT WITH DEATH KNOCKING AT THE

DOOR! YOUR BEHINDS ARE SHOWING! AND VERY LITTLE PROGRESS IS MADE BY YOUR KIND WHILE THERE ARE A FEW BLACKS WHO ARE TRULY DOING THINGS WITH BLOOD AND GUTS AND VERY LITTLE HELP FOM THE MONEY — LOANERS WHO MAKE BIG HEAP NOISE!

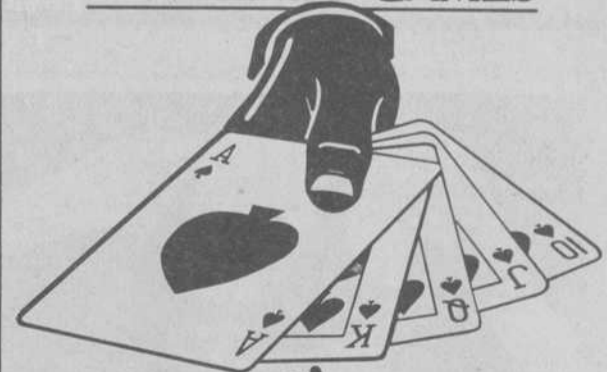
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