

Wuz there any babies born on Easter Sunday?

JACKSON STREET AND ME...



By Rudi Jackson

Evonne "Cookie" Bias is such a neat and man-nerable young lady. Al-ways prompt, so soft-spoken, very easy to learn to like and enjoy being around. That is

just a few of her many fine qualities and a way of looking at the beauty which is found in her life. She is a senior student at Vo-Tech High and is making plans to grad-



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uate on May 21, 6 p.m. at the Aladdin Hotel.

Recently, she and 12 other students motored to Carson City, Nevada for the State Vica-Skill Olympic. Evonne is the president of the Vica-Club in Las Vegas-1984. The Las Vegas Vica Chapter competed in "Opening and Closing Ceremony of a Business Meeting" and won 1st Place Medal. Cookie (as most of her friends know her) competed in "The Extemporaneous Speaking" and won 1st Place, receiving a Gold Medal which made her happy and proud since this is her second year in receiving this Medal of Honor.

When asked her plans after high school, she said her desire is to become a professional cosmetician. She is in training at Vo-Tech for that field of employment. However, her deepest goal is to work hard at being first, an outstanding person in all walks of life.

Speaking of life, her home life is that of love and care for all members of the family. It shows. One can feel it so readily and that was so refreshing to my mind and body as we spoke of things to come in her growing gracefully in this zingy and zany world. Mr. Bias (M.C.) is a fry-cook at the Riviera Hotel while Barbara (his wife) is the keeper of their castle and keep it, she does, which is 100% full-time work. (She smiled as we enjoyed our meeting.) Again, let me state, they have a lovely home which holds love and happiness and so much

of Mrs. Bias' touch of designer reflects around you and then reaches out and touches the children: Melvin, DeShone, Dennis, Cynthia, Mary Ann, and Margaret; Cookie is the oldest.

trained and lovely fashion model. In October of 1983 she received 2 trophies: 1) Talent; 2) Fashions, at The Annual Teens Fashion & Talent Show held at The Power House C.O.G.I.C., 1216

young lady, who will grow to be a woman, and learn to be a lady from day to day.

She smiled and said, "That was neat ... yeah it really is." Then she began humming a soft song about love. I asked her to read me a poem ... please. She did and it was rich in words and thoughts of a young lady growing to be sweet as her nickname ... Cookie!

State-Plate-O-Tha' Week: KASET—parked but sure'nuff was looking like a spit shine polish job on the car and the paint job is E to the T ... Keep it clean and maybe it will rub off on others to do the same with their rides and mind and body ...

Who wuz the pretty lady C'd having a FROG-LEG DIN-DIN at The Pamplemousse a few ticks back? SAY WHO!

Knowledge time for the learnables ... tin-tin-nabulation is a loooooong word and means: (Go on, look it up and see. Smiles.)

"One less ____ to answer" is a song recorded by The ____ who have been in Las Vegas as Super ____! Give yourself time and work it out.

Wuz there any babies born on Easter Sunday? Let me hear from you so ME can put they names in the paper next week... Ph. 648-7508 and let ME know...monamodi/84



Evonne "Cookie" Bias
W. Adams, Las Vegas.

She loves to sing, poetry, lyrics, and she is a lover of Italiano Foods, traveling and meeting new people.

Her mighty words of Wisdom are: Have faith in yourself. Do not rely on others too heavily to do things for you; if you but put forth the effort you can do it and do it good!

She would like to see other young people take a deeper interest in world affairs by watching the news-cast and reading the newspapers so as to be aware of the times in which we live. So much is unfolding and many people are blind to what is going on around the world and in this city.

Cookie is also a very

She wants to give special thanks to: Mrs. Nell Reichenbach, Mr. Tom Marks, Mrs. Ruth Blankenship, and Mr. Carpenter of Vo-Tech for having shown love and understanding for her to become an active student in school and become someone of worth and involved in true living! Then most of all MOM, DAD, and The Family during her many growing pains as a

Black Production Company To Present Talent Search

By George A. Burns

Donald Hearon, president of the locally black owned Aslon Productions Company, recently announced that his company is making forthcoming plans to present a "pre-teen talent search" for ages 5-18, with auditions being held May 21 thru June 9.

Those auditions, which will be held at the studios located at 3111 So. Valley View Blvd. will be under the categories of singing and dancing. According to Hearon, each contestant must supply his or her own background music. Applications for auditioning must be picked up at

the studios and turned in by May 19. The fee for auditioning is \$10. Hearon went on to note that the semi-finals will be held on June 16, with the finals being held on June 30.

Hearon's hope is that "the finalists would be exposed on a larger scale and that regional or even national recognition of those individuals' talents will be noticed by the right people."

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