

FOR THE LADIES

NATIONAL COALITION OF 100 BLACK WOMEN AND AT&T PRESENT THE TENTH ANNUAL CANDACE AWARDS



L to R: Camille Cosby, PhD, Robert E. Allen, Jessie Carney Smith, Maya Angelou, Jewell Jackson McCabe, Harold B. Jackson and Sybil Haydel Morial

NEW YORK CITY - Kathleen Battle, renowned opera singer, and Camille Cosby, noted philanthropist, and producer, were among the distinguished Americans honored by the National Coalition of 100 Black Women (NCBW) during the tenth anniversary of the annual Candace Awards. Sponsored for the fourth consecutive year by AT&T, the presentation took place June 22 at the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Named after Candace (pronounced Can-Day-see), the ancient Ethiopian title for empress or queen, the award mirrors NCBW's mission of empowering Black women through programs that stress volunteer-

ism, leadership development, role model and mentoring.

"AT&T salutes the National Coalition of 100 Black Women for its vision and leadership in recognizing a decade of landmark achievements by African American woman," said Robert E. Allen, chairman and CEO, AT&T. "The leaders we honor this year will inspire us and generations yet to come."

Jewell Jackson McCabe, National Coalition of 100 Black Women, said "This year's Candace winners represented a growing pool of diverse talent crossing national and international sectors of industry, the arts, science, medicine, education, and community and gov-

ernment service. In an era of racial tension, these remarkable women and men have transcended gender and race to offer their gifts to all of us.

"What began ten years ago has turned into a tradition. The exceptional people honored this year reflect not simply isolated incidents of successful accomplishments by women and men who happen to be Black. They are among the best talent that America can produce. We are proud that they happen to be African American.

"We are especially grateful to AT&T for its continued corporate support and to American Express Co. for making possible the use of the Metropolitan Museum of Art."

The 1992 Candace Award winners are:

Arts

KATHLEEN BATTLE - Renowned lyric soprano, whose multifaceted career has extended from the stage of the Metropolitan Opera to television and records

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In addition to freezing shrimp, liquid nitrogen is used to freeze and chill all kinds of food, from fresh fruit, meat and seafood to ready prepared meals.

Here's an easy-to-prepare shrimp salad recipe that makes a great lunch or dinner entree:

ORIENTAL SURPRISE

- 3/4 pound cooked, peeled, deveined frozen shrimp
- 1 package (10 ounces) frozen peas, cooked and drained
- 1 cup finely chopped celery
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice



This Oriental Shrimp Salad is made better and easier by liquid nitrogen technology.

- 1/2 teaspoon curry powder
- 1/8 teaspoon garlic salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- 1 can (3 ounces) chow mein noodles
- 1/2 cup salted cashew nuts
- Salad greens

Thaw shrimp. If large, cut shrimp in half. Combine first eight ingredients in large bowl and mix well; chill. Add noodles and nuts; toss lightly. Serve on salad greens. Makes four servings.

HAZEL J. SHORTER, MD - Respected medical professional, who became the first African American female physician in the corporate history of E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.

Business

LEONADE JONES - High-powered businesswoman, who as treasurer of the \$ 1.4 billion Washington Post Company has streamlined the company's financial operation

Education

JESSIE CARNEY SMITH, PhD. - Noted author and scholar, who have served as director of Black Studies librarianship programs at Fisk University

Finance

VICKI L. FULLER - Financial services pioneer, who as managing director of the public high-yield department of Equi-

table Capital Management Co. has brought more than \$800 million of new business to the firm

Community Service

SYBIL HAYDEL MORIAL - Community activist, who as dean of Xavier University's Drexle Center for Extended Learning has devoted her life to advancing the status of women and Blacks in the community

Distinguished service

HAROLD "HAL" JACKSON - Broadcasting pioneer, who became first Black radio announcer to be inducted into the National Association of Broadcasters' Hall of Fame

PERCY SUTTON - Distinguished broadcaster and civil servant, who founded the Inner City Broadcasting Corp., and former president of the borough of Manhattan

Communications

MICHAEL MCQUEEN - Respected political writer, who now serves as White House correspondent with the Wall Street Journal and whose journalistic career has spanned print and broadcast media

Humanitarian

REV. DEBBIE TATE & JOAN MCCARLEY - Selfless humanitarians, who founded "Grandma's House," the first U.S. residential facility for HIV-infected children

Trailblazer

JULIE DASH - Critically acclaimed filmmaker, whose first

full-length feature film, "Daughters of the Dust," won first prize at the Sundance Film Festival

Trailblazer

QUEEN LATIFAH - Versatile performing artist, whose elevation of the rap music genre from urban lowlife to issue of black cultural identity have made her rap's primary stateswoman

Philanthropy

CAMILLE COSBY, PhD. - Noted philanthropist, who has established university scholarships and support the academic careers of 32 individual students

Public Service

MAXINE WATERS - Outspoken U.S. Representative, whose fight for human rights has made national headlines

Since its inception in 1970, NCBW has generated \$750,000 in funding for high school students that has included summer internships with major businesses and corporation, and a career education course at New York City's Hunter College. And, NCBW also established a mentoring program for college students that has been replicated regionally. In 1992, NCBW partnered with Maybelline Co. to sponsor the Shades of You Literacy & Life-Skills-Development Project, which provides supportive reading, writing and skills-development services for single mothers so that they can function more efficiently within their families, communities, and the workplace.

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