

# NEW YORK LIFE AND BLACK ENTERPRISE MAGAZINE SPONSOR COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AFRICAN-AMERICAN STUDENTS

NEW YORK — New York Life Insurance Company, in conjunction with **BLACK ENTERPRISE** magazine, has announced that it will be offering *Outstanding African-American Student Scholarships* to African-American high school seniors nationwide. Four one-time scholarships, ranging from \$1,000 to \$4,000, will be awarded to outstanding African-American high school seniors

who have been accepted to a United States college or university on a full-time basis in 1993. To be eligible, a student must:

- Be an African-American high school senior;
- Attend high school in the United States;
- Have a 3.0 grade point average (GPA) or better;
- Demonstrate leadership abilities;
- Participate in extracurricular

activities and/or community services;

- Submit an official transcript and two letters of recommendation from teachers, advisors, or employees who are not relatives (including their phone numbers);
- Write an essay of 500 words or less on "The value of Education for the African-American Community" (essay must be dated and signed).

"This scholarship program is

meant to demonstrate our commitment to education," said Max C. Muniz, corporate vice president of New York Life's Marketing Department. "We initiated a similar program for Asian students in Los Angeles County last March. It has been successful," he added.

To apply for the scholarships, a student must provide the following information, typed or clearly printed, in the order given:

- Name (last, first, middle initial);
- Address and telephone number (including area code);
- High School name, address, and telephone number.

Students must also provide, if applicable:

- A list of activities in which the student participates, such as music, sports, club, or student

government;

- A list of community activities in which the student has participated (must include the name of the organization, nature of activity, and list of any offices or leadership positions held in the organization);

(Students must include dates for all activities and all offices or leadership positions held.)

- A list of any awards earned in or out of high school;
- Employer's name, address, and telephone number (including job title, brief job description, number of hours worked per week, and a list of responsibilities).

Information should be mailed no later than July 15, 1993, to: New York Life Scholarship Contest; 51 Madison Avenue; Room 1151; New York, New

York 10010; Attn: Maria Agliata. Information and essays will be judged by a committee of business, civic, and educational leaders in the African-American community. Employees and agents of New York Life or **Black Enterprise** magazine and members of their families are not eligible to participate.

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# RSVP HONORS OVER 300 LAS VEGAS SENIOR VOLUNTEERS

Each year SENIOR VOLUNTEERS are recognized throughout the United States by community and support groups and 1993 is no exception.

On May 12th, some 300 Senior Volunteers will be recognized in a special ceremony to be held at the Showboat Hotel at 11:00 a.m. On May 22nd, a similar event will be held to recognize a large number of senior volunteers from the Henderson area.

According to Ms. Diane Guinn, Program Director for Senior Volunteers, this year will find over 60 volunteers, all over the age of 60, who will be honored for ten years of continuous service in the Program. Senior Volunteers have given over 200,000 hours of unselfish service to other Senior Citizens throughout the Southern Nevada community during the past year.

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program, known as RSVP, is a part of ACTION, the national volunteer agency, and sponsored locally by Catholic Community Services of Nevada. This year's recognition ceremony is sponsored by the Las Vegas Southwest Rotary Club. "In excess of 50 local agencies are represented in the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of offer-

ing service to the community. The annual recognition celebration gives all of these unselfish seniors a chance to get together and interact," according to Ms. Ruth DeHan, Las Vegas Coordinator for RSVP. Ruth is a volunteer herself and plans to celebrate her 88th birthday this year.

"You can find Ruth in her office at least 12 hours each week interviewing new volunteers and helping them find their best volunteer opportunity, and in her non-office hours, you can find her giving talks to Senior's on medication misuse, fingerprinting children at schools, or coordination volunteers for special events for one of the volunteer stations," commented Tom Miller, Executive Director of CCSN.

In responding to these comments, Ruth said: "Being a volunteer for a worthwhile cause gives you a purpose for being and keeps you mentally and physically active. You get back as much as you give. This yearly recognition is an opportunity for RSVP to applaud these outstanding servants of our community!" For more information

on RSVP, please feel free to call Ms. Diane Guinn at 385-1328, during working hours.



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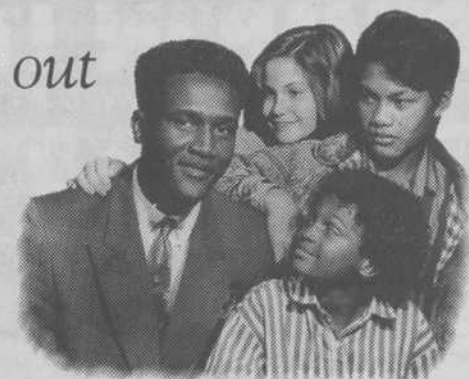
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