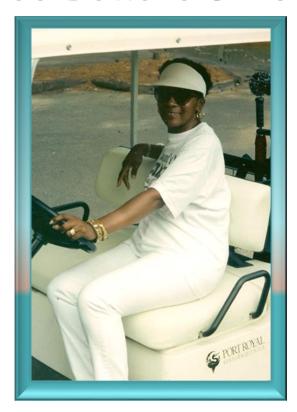
## Ida Ballard Simon



Memorial Golf Tournament

Saturday - April 30, 2016

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Proceeds from the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament Fundraiser will be utilized to:

- 1) award Book Scholarship to 2016 high school graduates in Ida's name upon the completion of their application, and acceptance letter from *any* college, university or trade school and scholarship election committee interview
- 2) increase the Ida Ballard Simon Scholarship Fund Account with Lincoln University Foundation -Jefferson City, MO (Ida's under-graduate Alma Mater).

The Ida Ballard Simon (IBS) Scholarship Fund has been established by friends and siblings of Ida Ballard Simon and is administered by Lincoln University Foundation, Inc.





# Welcome to the 9th Annual Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament

## **Tournament Schedule**

7:00 am - 7:45 am Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:45 am - 8:00 am Memorial Prayer and Game day Rules

8:00 am - 12:30 am Tee off - Tournament Competition

12:45 pm - 2:00 pm Lunch, Gifts, Awards, Premium Raffle

## Fundraiser Mixer for Non-Golfers, Sponsors and Personal Donors

9:00 am - Noon

- Accept Scholarship Donations
- Competitive Card Games
- Socialize and Relax to Music

## **2012 IBS SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT**

To: Supporters of the Ida Ballard Simon (IBS) Memorial Scholarship Fund

## Greetings from Ashanti Pollard!

I am a senior at Lincoln University (LU) – Jefferson City, Missouri and scheduled to graduate during the Summer of 2016 with a major in Biology and minor in Chemistry. Additionally, I'm preparing for the MCAT and once completed, I will begin to apply applications to Medical School(s).

Since May of 2012, me and my family lives changed for the better. I was awarded the IBS Memorial Scholarship that changed my whole plans of where I was going to further my education and ever since then I been nothing but grateful. It made our lives so much easier and my mom didn't have to worry anymore about how my college tuition was going to get paid. I am happy to be a recipient of the IBS scholarship because it has afforded me the opportunity to attend LU!

I wouldn't change a thing about where I chose to attend college. Actually, I feel that LU chose me because this experience is molding me into a better, more confident and optimistic young lady. Also, I have made my mom very proud as well as other family members that support me as well. So, I want to thank all Ida Ballard Simon Scholarship Fund supporters; you all have made a big impact on my life!

Thank You,

Ashante Pollard



## **2014 IBS SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT**

### "The Ida Ballard Simon Scholarship – What It Means to Me!"

During my senior year in high school, I always had this fixed mind set of where I would be and what I would be doing in college, and honestly Lincoln University was not on the spectrum. As the end of my senior year began to get closer, I realized that my dream wasn't going to happen.

I was honestly lost and had no clue what I was going to do.

I was down and out and felt like I had let people down.



Then this wonderful "Ida Ballard Simon Scholarship" came around and I had the opportunity to apply for it. God blessed me with the great privilege of receiving the scholarship, and more importantly keeping my parents from having to spend money. I would just like to say **THANK YOU** for selecting me to be a representative of not only the scholarship, but of your family as well.

It is a great honor of mine, and I strive to do my best because of the chance that I've received. Every day that I don't feel like going to class, or I'm simply having a bad day, I just think about all of the people who support me and that I have to make you all prouc This Scholarship means so much to me and I will keep my GPA up and keep striving for the best. I'd just like to say, "Thank you again" to all of those who donate or have something to do with the funding of my education. You are GREATLY appreciated and I will make your proud.

Sincerely, Addison Matthew Tucker

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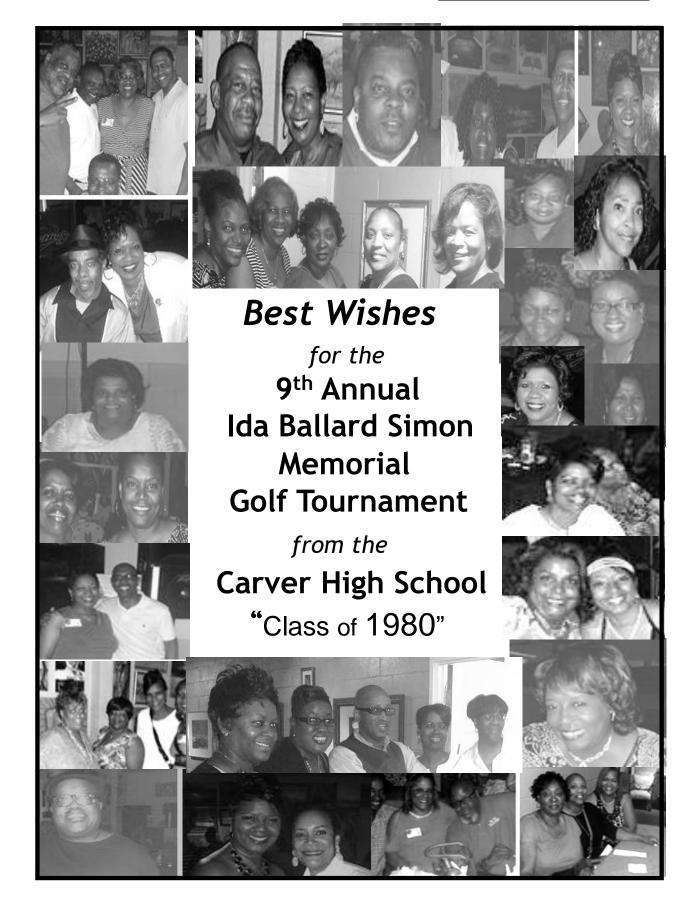
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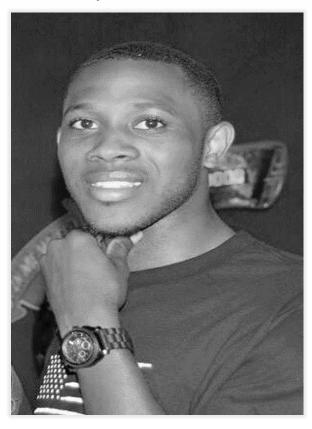


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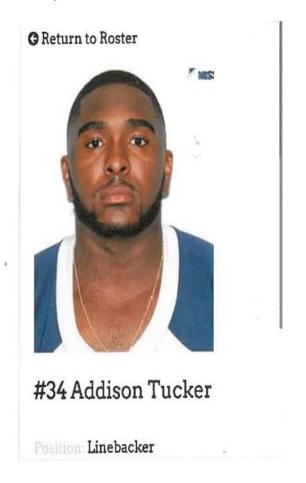
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A Shout Out is extended to Addison Tucker as he finishes his Sophomore Year at Lincoln University.



GRATITUDE and BLESSINGS are also extended to the IBS Scholarship Fund and the Ballard Family. We're praying for a Great 2016 Golf tournament!!!!!!

Anthony and Wanda Tucker

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We look up to the sky and talk to you.
What we wouldn't give to hear you back.
We miss your voice, I miss your laughter,
We miss Everything About You!



The Lewis & Campbell Family

Best Wishes for a successful event!

Congratulations
on the
9th Annual Ida Ballard Simon
Memorial Golf Tournament!

May God bless you to award many scholarships!

With love in Christ,

Otis Clayton, Jr Dana Clayton

and

Jackie Clayton

## Daryl Smith

salutes the
Ida Ballard Simon

Memorial Scholarship Fund
and
9th Annual

Golf Tournament!

**Proverbs 22:6** speaks that we should train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it. Part of training is education because we all know that a mind is a terrible thing to waste.

The Bland Family believe in the word and education; that is why we will always support this worthy cause!



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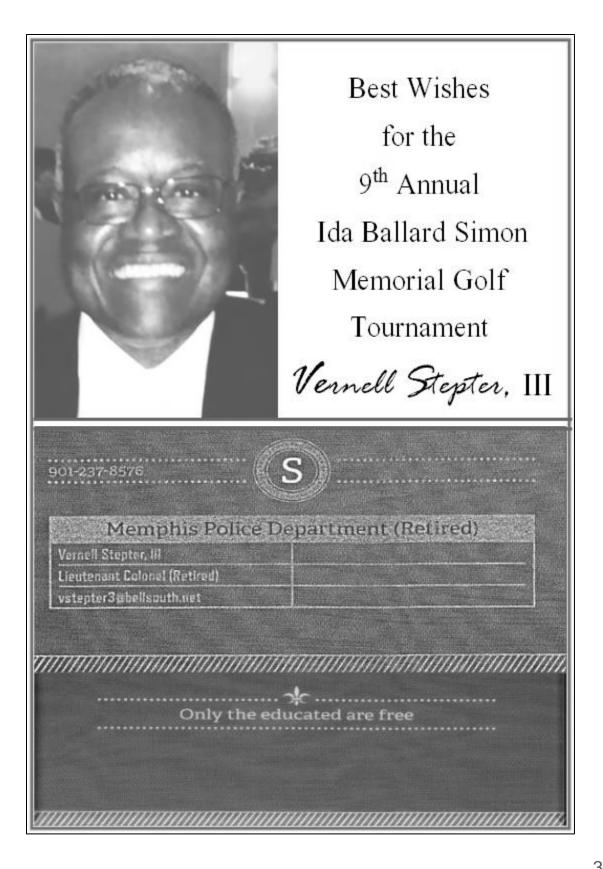


Earlene Morgan

"Why was she dancing?
No reason.

Just alive, I guess."

**George Saunders Escape from Spiderhead** 



In Memory of Ida!

Best Wishes for the
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and

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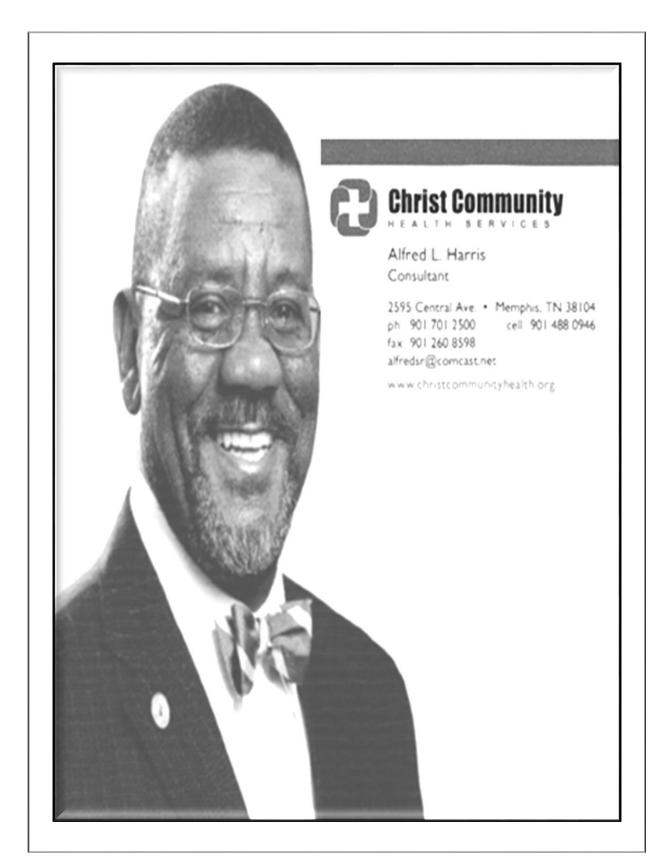
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Barris and Helen Draper



Another year gone by -We hope that you all
have a great, successful

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The Joseph and Linda Gordon Family

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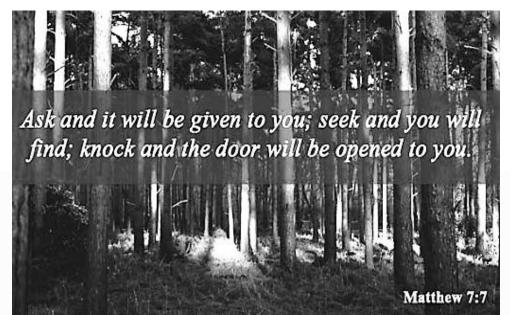
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Nann Grant Whitworth

# Sandra Benson salutes the Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Scholarship Fund!





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**Tom Bodett** 



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# "THE STARS WE ARE GIVEN. THE CONSTELLATIONS WE MAKE."

Rebecca Solnit
Storming The Gates of Paradise



Carolyn and Hughey Tippett

"What's The World For if you can't make it up the way you want it?"

Toni Morrison, Jazz

# Good Luck to all 9th Annual Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament Hosts, Sponsors and Participants



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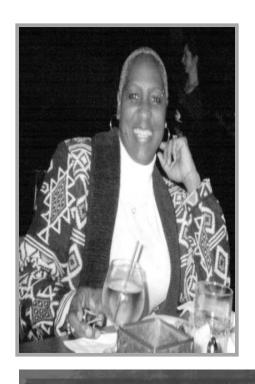
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Jessie Towns

FAITH TELLS ME
THAT NO MATTER
WHAT LIES AHEAD
OF ME
GOD IS ALREADY THERE

# Best Wishes for the 9th Annual Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament!

Janice Hughes and Frank

"When we fulfill our function, which is to truly love ourselves and share love with others, then true happiness sets in."

~ Gabrielle Bernstein May Cause Miracles Congratulations
on the
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Memorial Scholarship Fund!
Erma Phillips

Psalm 139:14

I will praise thee: I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works and that my soul knoweth right well.

# In Loving Memory of ...

#### Our parents, Mr. & Mrs. James A. Pratcher



Gone but always in our thoughts and our hearts.

Lucille, Susie, Deborah and Katrina

#### **Amber Curtis Pratcher**



Awesome wife, mother, daughter-in-law and a real zeta Missed by Jonya, Jaden and Deborah (Ma)

Congratulations

and

Best Wishes

for the

9<sup>th</sup> Annual Ida Ballard Simon

Memorial Golf Tournament!



Rose Mae White, St. Louis, Missouri Cheryl's Godmother

# Best Wishes for the 2016 Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament from Stacy Alexander



"But I don't believe that life is supposed to make you feel good, or to make you feel miserable either. Life is supposed to make you feel."

Gloria Naylor

# **Kirby High School**

# Congrats Kelsey on your Accomplishments. We're so proud of you!

Neal and Joyce Hunt



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On your Human Capital pursuit, Ruby G. Snowden, PhD (ABD). It's not the destination, but LOVING the journey along the way! My Proverbs 31 Woman.

**Love Henry** 



# Best Wishes for a successful Ida Ballard Simon (IBS) Memorial Golf Tournament Fundraiser!

Phyllis McDowell

# MUCH SUCCESS 2016 IDA BALLARD SIMON MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

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**Emma Glover** 

# Best Wishes for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Ida Ballard Simon Memorial Golf Tournament

Darryl & Teresa Exum



May 1<sup>st</sup>
is Pawson's 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday.
Happy Birthday, Big Boy!
Love you,
Delores, Daphne and Demeka

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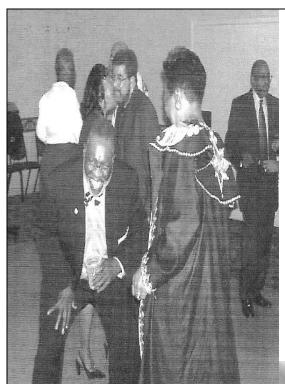


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We'd love to dance with Ida again!"

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Lincoln University. If you experienced Ida, you experienced a classy, sassy, sexy, confident, beautiful Black woman who had an OPINION and EXPRESSED it even if it made a few uncomfortable!

Michelle Obama is a prototype of Ida!! A former Miss Lincoln University, A former Miss Carver High, A former Corporate Executive, trained in the Seminary, well travelled, and a Majorette at LU. She LOVED MEMPHIS, CARVER HIGH and LINCOLN UNIVERSITY. Ida came to LU with NO MONEY and graduated with honors. She passionately wanted to GIVE BACK TO LINCOLN and spoke of her experiences at LU as some of the most wonderful times of her life!! She returned to Lincoln as the Vice President of Advancement. Ida was posthumously Inducted into The Lincoln University Hall of Fame!!!

I tell you ALL this because she was MY AND OUR FRIEND and I want YOU to SUPPORT this Memorial Scholarship EVENT and FUND with your donation. Her family knew she LOVED LINCOLN. Let's let her family KNOW that we LOVED HER!!! Ella Ballard, one of her sisters, was also a graduate of LU! Send your donation in today. It's NOT too late to send in a donation large or small!!

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The Ballard Family

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