

PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC  
ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER &  
WESTBERRY-ENGRAM SIGMA EDUCATIONAL  
FOUNDATION, INC

PRESENTS

the

2024

ORCHID BALL



**90 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE:  
A LEGACY OF  
BROTHERHOOD, SCHOLARSHIP  
AND SERVICE**



# GREETING FROM THE PRESIDENT

THE LEGENDARY ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER

## BROTHER DERRICK FARROW



GREETING! THE SIGMAS OF HOUSTON WELCOMES YOU TO THE PREMIER SOCIAL EVENT OF THE YEAR! SINCE 1934, THE ANNUAL ORCHID BALL HAS ENTERTAINED AND PROVIDED SCHOLARSHIPS TO DESERVING YOUTH IN THE HOUSTON AREA. AS WE CELEBRATE 90 YEARS, WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING THE TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE!

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# Alpha Beta Sigma

Est. February 25, 1934



ALPHA BETA SIGMA ALUMNI CHAPTER  
HOUSTON, TEXAS



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**ΦΒΣ**

*Congratulations*

to Eric Butler and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

**2024 ORCHID BALL**



*Beta Delta Chapter*  
**Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc.**



*Congratulations on 90 Years of  
Culture for Service and Service for Humanity  
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc.*



The Legacy of  
THE BUTLER BROTHERS (Biological and Fraternal)  
OF

ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER ~ HOUSTON, TX

ERIC (PAST PRESIDENT), LAWRENCE (OMEGA CHAPTER),

CHARLES (OMEGA CHAPTER), GOLDMAN III (PAST PRESIDENT)







# UNITY SERVICE NPHCH

NPHC Houston extends heartfelt congratulations to the Alpha Beta Sigma Alumnae chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. on their 90th Anniversary of the Orchid Ball. Join us in honoring their legacy of service and commitment to Houston. As fellow D9 Fraters, we're proud to support their outstanding philanthropic efforts. Let's unite in celebration and appreciation for their contributions to our community. Here's to many more years of success and impact!

#OrchidBall #NPHCHouston  
#PhiBetaSigma #D9Excellence



Learn more about our council at [Houston-NPHC.org](http://Houston-NPHC.org)



# **CONGRATULATIONS!**

ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER  
PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED

on Your

*90 Years of Culture for Service  
and Service for Humanity*



Life Member  
Brother and Mrs Gregory A. Bush





**Brother Blake Maness**  
Vice President, Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter (2021-2024)

**Congratulations to the Brothers of the  
Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter on 90 Years of  
outstanding service to the Houston Community**



**Wishing everyone a successful 2024 Orchid Ball and a  
prosperous year as we continue to impact the  
communities we serve.**

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*The 2024 Orchid Ball Committee  
Brothers From left to Right:*

*Moses Adams, William Bowman, Blake Maness, Derrick Farrow,  
Gregory Bush, Kevin Morgan, Artiss Young, Clifford Gardner,  
Terrance Sistrunk, Steven Marshall, Eric Butler, Roger Mayes.*



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MEN OF  
PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED  
ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER**

**ON THEIR**

*90th Anniversary One Night Ball*

**FROM THE OUTSTANDING LADIES OF**

*Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated*

*Omicron Gamma Zeta Chapter*

**KENISHA SOLOMON, CHAPTER PRESIDENT**

**HOUSTON, TX/CLEAR LAKE AREA**



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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BROTHERS OF ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER ON  
**90 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE**



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REGION

**ELECT BRO. JERRY FARMER  
AS YOUR NEXT  
GULF COAST REGIONAL DIRECTOR**



***Congratulations  
Alpha Beta Sigma Alumni Chapter  
of  
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.,  
on your  
90th Anniversary  
and  
continued years of service and leadership***



***Timothy & Cynthia Daniels  
Trinity Gardens Church of Christ***



# ***CONGRATULATIONS!***

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PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED

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and Service for Humanity*



Dr. Charles T. Edwards, Jr.  
Life Member

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*ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER  
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# CONGRATULATIONS!

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PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED

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and Service for Humanity*



Brother William and Tara Bowman

Psalm 34:8:

O taste and see that the LORD is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

**Alpha Beta Sigma Alumni Chapter  
Sigmas of Houston  
Houston, Texas**



**Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated was chartered Sunday, February 25, 1934 by Brother Dr. C. L. Barnes, Brother Dr. A. E. Bowie, Brother Dr. C. T. Ewell, Brother George Simon, Brother C. L. Wilson and Brother F. G. Frye. Alpha Beta Sigma is one of the oldest Sigma chapters in the Gulf Coast Region and was one of the first alumni chapters of all fraternities chartered in Houston Texas. To this day, it remains the only Houston Sigma Chapter.**

**Alpha Beta Sigma has consistently been one of the largest chapters in all of the fraternity and has on numerous occasions had membership to exceed 125 active members. The chapter has significant prominence on the National level of the Fraternity and boasts several Past National Officers including: three International Presidents, two 2nd National Vice Presidents, an International Director of Social Action, Bigger & Better Business and an International Director of Collegiate Affairs. Four Brothers from Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter have been inducted into the National Distinguished Service Chapter (the highest honor in Phi Beta Sigma).**

**Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter has shown leadership on the Regional and State levels and have had several Regional Directors as well as other Regional and State officers. ABS has 1 Regional Director and 2 State Officers that are currently serving in the 2023-2025 Term. Additionally, the chapter's membership has included College Presidents, Deans, National U.S. Government officials, the 1st Mayor of Prairie View, Texas, Medical Doctors, Business Executives, Pilot and Second in command (Crew-1 SpaceX Crew Dragon "Resilience"), noted Entertainers and other professionals. We strictly adhere to the National Programs, Bigger and Better Business, Social Action and Education as well as the implementation of several community service programs that benefit the Greater Houston Area.**



**Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated  
Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter**

**Orchid Ball**

**90 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE**

*6:30 PM*

**VIP COCKTAIL HOUR**

*7:30 PM*

**BALL ROOM OPENING**

*8:00 PM*

**INVOCATION/GRACE**

**“DINNER IS SERVED”**

**RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS**

**ALPHA BETA SIGMA 90-YEARS OF ACHIEVEMENTS**

**RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

**PRESIDENT'S REMARKS**

**FRATERNITY HYMN**

*Raffle ends at 10 pm*

*Silent Auction ends at 10:30 pm*



# CONGRATULATIONS! ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER, PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC.

On your  
90 Years of culture for service and service for Humanity

1. \*Milton Douglas
2. Clarence Williams
3. \*H. Demone Morris
4. Marvin Arnold
5. Brady Barrs
6. James Walker
7. \*Charlie Green
8. Willie Lockhart
9. \*Hal Richards
10. Earnest Hosey
11. Joe Lankford
12. Joseph Davis
13. Don Harrington

This Page is Dedicated to  
the Brothers of  
the Texas Southern University  
Spring Line of '72  
(The Parliamental Funkadelic Thing)



*Phi Beta Sigma*

\* Deceased Brothers



**CONGRATULATIONS ALPHA BETA SIGMA  
FOR  
90 YEARS OF  
EXCELLENT SERVICE TO YOUR COMMUNITY.**



*Dr. John S. Adams, MD*

**WOMENS' HEALTH SERVICES  
OF  
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on Your

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and Service for Humanity*



*Steve Marshall and Cardelia Thomas*

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**Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated**  
**Lambda Zeta Chapter**

**CONGRATULATES**

**PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED**  
**ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER**

*on 90 years of Service*

Lambda Zeta Chapter  
Serving the Houston Community Since 1934  
Amicae Sponsoring Chapter Since 1948  
JeNeika Smith Boone, Chapter President





# CONGRATULATIONS & HAPPY 90th ANNIVERSARY



ALPHA BETA SIGMA CHAPTER  
OF  
PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY

ENJOY THE EVENING



FROM

DR. JESSIKA MAYES DNP

PROUD DAUGHTER OF ROGER Q MAYES

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# Happy 90th Anniversary!!!

On the founding of Alpha Beta Sigma Alumni Chapter  
And  
Congratulations on another successful Orchid Ball



From: Rozella Gray, Cynthia Daniels & Beverly Gambrell  
Proud Sisters of your fraternity brother, Roger Mayes



***HAPPY 90TH ANNIVERSARY  
ALPHA BETA SIGMA ALUMNI CHAPTER OF HOUSTON  
AND  
HAPPY 50TH ANNIVERSARY  
ZETA ZETA CHAPTER - UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON***



**BROTHER ROGER AND REBECCA MAYES  
CHARTER MEMBER OF THE ZETA ZETA CHAPTER  
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON - 1974**

***CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR MANY YEARS OF  
SERVICE TO  
HOUSTON COMMUNITIES***

Happy 90th Anniversary  
Alpha Beta Sigma Alumni Chapter of Houston  
and  
Happy 50th Anniversary  
Zeta Zeta Chapter – University of Houston



Congratulations on your many years  
of  
service to Houston Communities



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# ***Congratulations From Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.,***



## **2024 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT**

**Ronald Walker II**  
Spring High School

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

- Class Rank: 11
- H.S. GPA is 3,8
- President, National Honor Society, Band VP, Superintendent's Advisory Council, Golf Captain

### **COLLEGE CHOICES/MAJOR**

- Morehouse College
- Howard University
- Major: Communications

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**Congratulations**  
**From Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter**  
**Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.,**



**2024 SCHOLARSHIP  
RECIPIENT**

**Walter Williams IV**  
**Dekaney High School**

**HIGH SCHOOL**

- **Class Rank: 169**
- **H.S. GPA is 3,1**
- **Sigma Beta Club, JROTC - PT Commander, Boy Scouts Senior Patrol Troop, Track, Golf and Order of the Arrow Honor Society**

**COLLEGE CHOICES/MAJOR**

- **Prairie View A&M**
- **South Carolina State**
- **Major: Engineering**

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**ELECT** ✓

**DERRICK  
FARROW**



*as*

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FIRST VICE REGIONAL DIRECTOR**

✓ **HONESTY** ✓ **INTERGITY** ✓ **RESULTS**

**LET'S CONTINUE THE MOMENTUM!**



# The Legendary

A. E. Bowie



B. W. Cubia



C.T. Ewell



A.L. Hucksby



E.W. Millard Sr



Phillip Jones



Clifford Smith



William J. Nicks  
Pre1970s



John Westberry  
Pre 1970s



John Fonteno  
Pre 1970s



C.W. Hunter  
1971 - 1972



Charles T. Edwards  
1973- 1975



Joe Phillips  
1976 - 1978



Homer Brown  
1979 - 1980



Reginald King  
1981 - 1984



Edward Patten  
1985 - 1986



Gary W. Lang  
1987 - 1989



Sammy Ford III  
1990 - 1991



Theophilis Woodward  
1992 - 1993



Tyrone Turner  
1994 - 1996



Goldman Butler  
1997 - 1998



Craig Rogers  
1999 - 2000



Omar Reid  
2001 - 2003



Reginald King  
2004 - 2009

Timothy Hadley  
2010 - 2013

Eric Butler  
2014

Hulen Rigsbay  
2015 - 2016

Courtney Smith  
2017

Harold Hunt Jr  
2018

Darence Phillips  
2019 - 2020

Derick Farrow  
2021 -

*Past Chapter Presidents*





**23 - 25 Executive Board  
Brothers Left to Right**

**Bro. Kevin Morgan, Bro. Darrence Phillips, Bro. Donald Bertrand, Bro. Antravian Carter  
Bro. Derrick Farrow, Bro. Terrance Sistrunk, Bro. William Bowman, Bro. Vincent L. Jones,  
Bro. Blake Maness, Bro. Larry Richmond, Bro. Nick Johnson**





Greetings,

*A very special welcome and greetings to my Sigma brothers, Zeta sisters, other members of the Divine Nine, special guest, family members and friends. On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Westberry-Engram Sigma Educational Foundation, Inc.*

*Westberry-Engram Sigma Educational Foundation, Inc., the non-profit charitable arm of Alpha Beta Sigma, is a 501(c)(3) corporation with a mission of providing social, literary, charitable activities, educational development and scholarships for the benefit of individuals in the greater Houston area and the state of Texas. As an example of this mission, tonight we will present scholarships to deserving Students from the Houston area who are currently enrolled in colleges or universities to assist them in the completion of their degrees.*

*We thank you for your attendance and ask you to join us in congratulating our scholarship recipients. We also thank you for your support of this event and encourage your future support of our charitable activities.*



**Chairman**

**Westberry-Engram Sigma Educational Foundation, Inc.**

FOUNDED 1914

*Presented by  
The History Making*



**WHOSE EXEMPLARY BROTHERHOOD,  
SCHOLARSHIP AND SERVICE  
HAS BEEN LEGENDARY  
SINCE 1934,  
IT CONTINUES**