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NATIONAL "W" CLUB
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Sports Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony



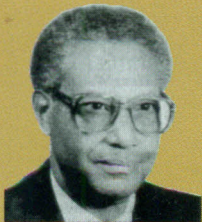
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2000-2007



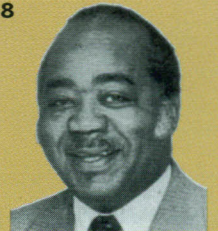
Bill Lipscomb
National President
2008-Present



Rupert
Curry
1980-82 & 98



Frank Enty
1999



Vandy Miller
1983-86



Hank
Bellinger
1991-97



Madison
Broadnax
1987-90

HOMECOMING

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2009 – 8:30 a.m.

GOLDSTON CAFETERIA
WILSON UNIVERSITY UNION

A Salute to Our President

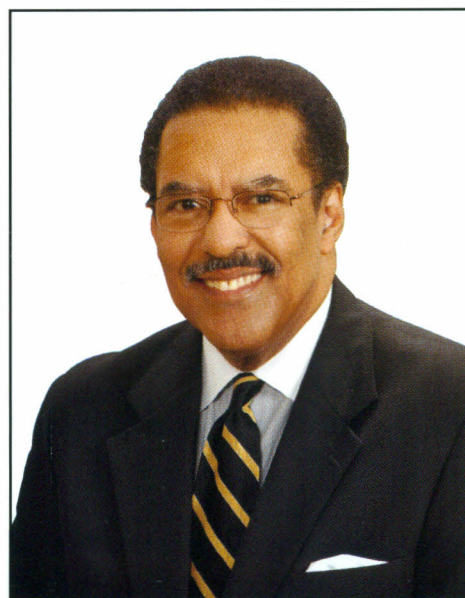
The National "W" Club commends Dr. Hazo W. Carter, Jr. for 22 years of outstanding service as the Ninth President of West Virginia State College and the First President of West Virginia State University.

We applaud your many accomplishments which include:

- ✓ Land-Grant status was restored in 2000, along with accompanying federal and state funding to carry out our land-grant mission;
- ✓ University status was acquired in 2004;
- ✓ Master's degrees established
M.A. - Media Studies
M.A., M.S. - Biotechnology;
- ✓ "State" has undergone two highly successful accreditation visits by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.
- ✓ The institution has been awarded more than \$60 million in grants and contracts during the period 1999 - 2009; and,
- ✓ "State's" economic impact on the Kanawha Valley is more than \$107 million yearly with more than 2000 jobs created.

Changes that have taken place on the campus under your leadership include:

- ✓ An Alumni Carillon was constructed;
- ✓ The Erickson Alumni Center was built;
- ✓ A child development center was established;
- ✓ A thermophilic anaerobic digester (Bioplex) was located on the campus, making WVSU one of only a few campuses in the U.S. to have one; and
- ✓ The historic Austin W. Curtis home and the Curtis Complex were remodeled and converted to offices;



Dr. Hazo William Carter, Jr.
President
West Virginia State University

Congratulations on two plus decades of excellence!



William "Billy" Lipscomb
President
WVSU National "W" Club

WELCOME

From The National "W" Club Association, Inc. President

Dear Friends:

The National "W" Club Association is honored to welcome you to the 30th annual West Virginia State University Sports Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. This class represents athletes with superb talent from football, baseball, track and swimming

Dr. Hazo W. Carter, Jr. designated the Canty House as the official headquarters for the National "W" Club in January 2008. After working continuously as a solid, strong body since 1979, using any space available, Dr. Carter has now provided the "W" Club with a home for meetings, receptions and of course our Sports Hall of Fame. We have used "THE HOUSE LIKE THE HOME" to entertain sports teams and their parents when visiting, and for meetings and a gathering place to talk sports.

Thank you for your team spirit and continued support of West Virginia State University and the National "W" Club. With your help, our donations to athletics now exceed \$425,000. Have an enjoyable Homecoming.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William W. Lipscomb".

William "Billy" Lipscomb
President

A Brief History of the West Virginia State University National "W" Club

On a fall West Virginia Sunday morning in 1975, the day after West Virginia State's Homecoming, a group of West Virginia State College alumni met in a Charleston, West Virginia hotel. The agenda was to brainstorm as to how to raise funds for athletics as well as restore athletics to the status of previous years. The open discussion was chaired by Attorney William Lonesome, an alumnus of the school and a very distinguished leader.

After several hours of discussion, it was decided that a National "W" club would be formed to raise funds for athletic programs.

A year later, in 1976, a meeting was held the night before the Homecoming game to formally establish a new National "W" Club.

The first officers of the National "W" Club elected at the 1976 meeting were: Dr. Frank E. Enty, president; Rupert G. Curry, vice president; Herbert B. Thompson, treasurer, and Herbert H. Henderson, attorney/secretary.

Attorney Herbert Henderson was assigned the responsibility of acquiring corporate status for the organization. The hard, long, pro-bono legal work of Mr. Henderson gained corporate status for the National "W" Club in 1978. The incorporators were Dr. Frank E. Enty, Rupert Curry, Herbert B. Thompson, William L. Lonesome, and Herbert Henderson.

Washington, DC was selected as the home base for the National "W" Club.

The "W" Club has two chapters, the Institute Chapter and the Shennandoah Chapter which is located in Martinsburg, WV. Both chapters are instrumental in the success of the National "W" Club.

Herbert Thompson wrote the first by-laws for the National "W" Club.

In 1979, at a "W" Club Homecoming meeting, Mr. Glover Smiley proposed the establishing of an Athletic Hall of Fame. It was voted on and passed by the membership. The first Hall of Famers were inducted in 1980. They were Chester A. Burris; Mark H. Cardwell; Samuel A. Gamble; Vasco D. Hale; Adolph P. Hamblin; Louis R. W. Johnson; Earl Lloyd; Floyd Meadows; Roderick L. Price, and Marvin H. Richardson.

Past presidents of the National "W" Club are Dr. Frank Enty, Rupert Curry, Vandy Miller, Madison Broadnax, Henry R. Bellinger, and Cornelious "Papa" Jones. William Lipscomb was elected president in 2008.

The WVSC Sports Hall of Fame, located in the Canty House on the campus was dedicated to Mark H. Cardwell, Sr. on October 13, 1990. This facility showcases academic and athletic triumphs of West Virginia State College athletes.

A special note of thanks to President Carter for officially designating the Canty House as headquarters for the WWSU National "W" Club.

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies Jeff Woods, Esq.*
National Anthem..... Mr. James Carter
Welcome..... Dr. Hazo W. Carter, Jr.*
President, West Virginia State University
Greetings.....Mr. William Lipscomb*
President, National "W" Club
Invocation..... Mr. Douglas Tench

***** BREAKFAST *****

ContributionsMr. Vandy Miller*
"W" Club Student Athletic AwardsMr. Sean Loyd
Athletic Director, West Virginia State University

Outstanding Freshman Athlete
Outstanding Sophomore Athlete
Outstanding Junior Athlete
Outstanding Senior Athlete

Rotary Academic Award LTC (R) Que Stephens
Track Team WVIAC Champions 1969-1973 Mr. Glover Smiley*
Introduction of Inductees Mr. Rocky Gilmer*
Mr. John Davidson
Walter Flournoy
Mark Grimmett
Carlton Jackson
Mark McCoy
Francis Scott
Robert Strong
Daniel Watson

Special RecognitionsPresident William Lipscomb*
Lifetime Membership – Mr. Moreno Miller* and Dr. Vincent Reed*
The Bill Nunn Most Valuable Player Award (football)

Past Presidents..... Mr. Wayne Casey*

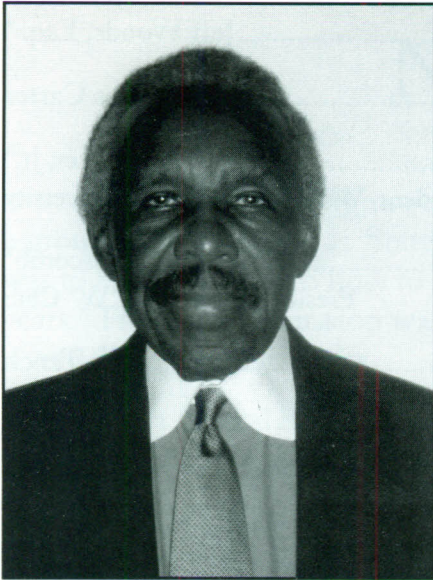
Ceremony Continues at the Cauty House

Induction Ceremony Dr. Frank Enty*, Mr. Glover Smiley*

*Denotes Hall of Famers

Music by James Carter

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WALTER T. FLOURNOY **Class of 1954**

BASEBALL

Member of the 1951 WVSC Baseball Team

Walter Flournoy is a native of Richmond, Virginia and graduated from Armstrong High School. He enrolled in WVSC (University) in 1950 and played on the 1951 WVSC Baseball Team. Not only did Walter excel in baseball but, he received the honor of being named the Mathematic Student of the Year in his sophomore year. In 1951, Walter finished the year by playing with the Huntington Red Sox of the WV Tri-State Baseball League. He received a BS Degree in Mathematics with a minor in Physics and Biology. Walter was one of only six distinguished Military Graduates from WVSC in 1954.

Upon graduation Walter entered the Army as a 2nd Lieutenant forgoing a professional baseball contract offer with the Pittsburgh Pirates of the National League. He played organized baseball with the Ashland Cubs, an affiliate of the Negro Baseball League. Walter was first assigned to the 505th Infantry Regiment Baseball Team. Upon earning All-Star status, he received the honor of being selected to the 2nd Army All Star Baseball Team in 1955. He later played with the Fayetteville Cardinals, an affiliate of the Negro Baseball League. Walter received a contract offer from the Washington Senators in 1957, instead he chose to enter the ranks of the Federal Government as a Civil Servant in the field of Mathematics.

Walter has served as Treasurer of the WVSU National "W" Club from 1979 to the present. He is presently employed as a Senior Staff Engineer at the Goddard Space Flight Center, site of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). Walter enjoys nothing more than spending time with his son Geoffroi and his wife Mia, and his 2 grandchildren Kendyl and Quincy.

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MARK GRIMMETT **Class of 1981**

BASEBALL

Pitcher of the Year 1979
Record of 33-3 Over 4 Years
Team Captain 1980 and 1981

Mark Grimmatt is the son of William and Mary Grimmatt of Gauley Bridge, West Virginia. He graduated from Gauley Bridge High School in 1977. While there he was very active in baseball, football and basketball. Mark achieved All-State and All-Conference honors in all three sports. He was also selected for the McDonalds All American Team.

Mark led the West Virginia State (University) baseball team to three conference championships in 1978, 1979 and 1981. He had the lowest E.R.A in the nation of 0.88 in 1978 and that record still stands today. In 1979, he was selected as WVIAC Pitcher of the Year. In 1981, Mark signed as a free agent with the Cleveland Indians.

As an entrepreneur, he started North American Rebuild Company (NARCO) in Smithers, West Virginia. NARCO specializes in the manufacturing of underground mining equipment. His business has become one of the most successful businesses, gaining international recognition.

Mark now enjoys his time golfing, hunting and fishing and sponsors the Boy Scouts of America and the West Virginia Coal Association. In his hometown of Gauley Bridge, Mark sponsors all local high school and middle school sports programs as well, as the Little League.

He is the proud father of Mark Ashton, 20 and Dakota Ryan, 15. Mark enjoys nothing more than the time he spends with his family.

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CARLTON "CJ" JACKSON

Class of 1990

FOOTBALL

NAIA 1st Team All- American
USA Today Player of the Week 10-19-90
WVIAC All Conference
WVIAC Player of the Week
2 National Titles and 4 School Records

Carlton "CJ" Jackson, son of Alberta and Amos Jackson, Sr. of Pompano Beach, Florida, entered West Virginia State College (University) in the spring of 1988 after graduating from Ely High School.

"CJ" was an NAIA 1st team All-American and WVIAC All Conference receiver in his senior year at WVSC. In 1990 he led the NAIA and the WVIAC in 87 receptions for the season, 1,468 yards in a season, 19 receptions in one game and 384 yards in one game. "CJ" set and still holds the record for the longest touchdown reception in NAIA, WVIAC and WVSC history, of 99 yards. In 1991, he received the Senior Athlete Award presented by the WVSC National "W" Club.

Not only did "CJ" perform outstanding on the football field but, he also excelled academically while attending WVSC. In December of 1990 he graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice. In 2007, "CJ" furthered his education by receiving a Master's Degree in Educational Leadership from Florida Atlantic University and is pursuing a Ph.D in Conflict Analysis & Resolution at Nova Southeastern University.

Carlton currently resides in North Lauderdale, Florida with his wife Kathy and three children, Carreon, Marquis and Carissa. He enjoys time spent with his family and serving as a member of the Board of Trustees and the Male Chorus at his church.

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MARK A. MCCOY **Class of 1988**

BASEBALL

Lettered 4 Years in Baseball
All-WVIAC in 1985 and 1988
Captain of Baseball Team

Mark A. McCoy is the son of Harold and Barbara of Charleston, West Virginia and is the youngest of three children. His two older brothers David and Bill McCoy also graduated from WVSU. Mark was recruited to play baseball by Cal Bailey and started as a right fielder with the WVSU baseball team. During his four seasons playing, the team won the WVIAC three out of four years. Mark was All-WVIAC Honors First Team his freshman and senior year.

After graduating from WVSU with a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, Mark began his career in the financial services industry. He joined JPMorgan in 2008 as a Private Banker. He is a board member of the WVSU Foundation, St. Francis Hospital and the Charleston Heart Association. He is active in the community and is involved in many local events.

Mark and his soon-to-be wife Liz reside in St. Albans with his two children, Sammy and Tyler and future step daughter Lexi. He enjoys watching his sons play baseball and remains a loyal fan of the WVSU baseball program.

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MR. FRANCIS A. SCOTT **Class of 1972**

TRACK and FIELD

Lettered in Track and Field

WVIAC Track and Field Championship 1969, 1970, 1971 & 1972

Set New State Shot-Put Record

Qualified for NCAA Division II

National Track and Field Meet in Montana

Francis A. Scott was born on May 6th, 1950 in Charleston West Virginia to William and Doris Scott. Francis graduated from Charleston High School in 1968, where he excelled in academics, wrestling, track and field. Upon graduation, he received scholarship offers from West Virginia University and West Virginia State (University). Being that his parents graduated from West Virginia State, Francis accepted the West Virginia State Track and Field scholarship and embarked upon his academic and sports endeavors.

Through dedication and pride to be the best, Francis and his teammates were honored by winning the WVIAC Track and Field Championships in 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1972. In his senior year, Francis set a new state shot-put record, qualified for the NCAA Division II National Track and Field meet and represented West Virginia State in Billings, Montana.

Francis graduated from West Virginia State (University) with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration and was then recruited on campus by General Motors, where he began his professional accounting career in Warren, Ohio. In 1988 Francis was hired as Director of Accounting and Financing at a company in Tuckahoe, New York. In September of that year he met and married the love of his life, Natalie Spencer. He continued his accounting career until 1998 and then retired due to a disability.

Francis enjoys gardening, volunteer work and is a dedicated member of The Mahoning Valley Epilepsy Fund. But, most importantly he is proud of his wife and his daughters, Nichele and Theresa.

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ROBERT H. STRONG **CLASS OF 1960**

SWIM TEAM

Lettered in Swimming 1957, 1958, 1959 and 1960

Robert Henry (Bob) Strong is a native of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and a 1956 graduate of Dillard High School, where he was member of the swimming team for two years. Bob entered WVSC (University) in the fall of 1956 and was on the swim team for four years under Coaches Burriss and Wilson. He was considered one of the most versatile swimmers and was often asked to swim free style, backstroke and individual medley events in each swim meet.

Bob served as a Student Assistant to Professor Adolph P. Hamblin for three years. He received his Bachelor of Science Degree in 1960 with a major in Zoology and a minor in Botany. He was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant in the U.S. Army Medical Service and served at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

He began his Federal Civil Service career in 1963 as a Plant Quarantine Officer, with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service and was subsequently assigned to Miami Florida, Nassau, Bahamas and Fort Lauderdale. He was later promoted to Labor Management Relations Specialist; Assistant Chief Staff Officer (Agriculturist) for Operations and Inspections; and Senior Staff Officer for the Agency. In 1985 Bob entered the U.S. Foreign Service and completed required specialized training at the U.S. State Department Foreign Service Institute in Arlington, Virginia. In 1996, Bob retired with 34 years of service. In post retirement, he formed RS Strong Associates, an international consulting business dealing with the global trade of agricultural products. Bob has received numerous awards for his outstanding performance in 44 countries on 4 continents.

Married to Sonjia, his wife of 49 years, they have 4 children; 12 grandsons; 2 great-grandsons and 1 great grand-daughter. Bob continues to be extraordinary in his contributions as a public servant. In his leisure time he enjoys swimming, fishing, golf, reading, traveling and spending quality time with his family.

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DANIEL B. WATSON **CLASS OF 1974**

FOOTBALL and TRACK

Lettered 4 years in Football and Track

Captain of Football Team 1974

All- Conference in Football 1973, 1974

Captain of Track 1972, 1973

All Conference in Track 1972, 1973, 1974

Daniel B. Watson, also known as “Cowboy” or “Kentucky”, was born in Louisville, Kentucky to the late Reverend James and Willie Mae Watson and has five brothers and one sister. He graduated from Westport High School in 1971, where he won the State Championship in the 440 and 220 yard dash, and was a member of the 440 and 880 relay Championship Team. He made first team All Louisville in basketball, track and football.

He continued his endeavors at WVSC (University) and excelled in track and football. Daniel was one of few players to letter in two sports. “Kentucky” participated in the Penn Relays, running the 800 and the one mile relay. He later had try-outs for the Washington Redskins and the Houston Oilers.

After graduating WVSC (University), he continued his interest in sports and coached weightlifting at his alma mater in 1989 and at St. Albans High School in 1993. Daniel won the bench press contest for the State of West Virginia in 1993, 1994 and 1995, with a bench press of 495 pounds.

“Kentucky” is an avid horseman and owns a large horse farm. He shows quarter-horses nationwide and has won several large horse shows as far away as Canada, as well as locally. Daniel “Cowboy/Kentucky” owns the Daniel Watson Masonry Construction Company, serving residential and commercial businesses.

He is the father of Danielle and Juliette and has two grandchildren Jewell and Emery. Daniel is engaged to Gwen Martin and she is supportive in all of “Kentucky’s” endeavors.

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MEMBERS OF THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY SPORTS HALL OF FAME

INDUCTEE	CLASS	INDUCTED	INDUCTEE	CLASS	INDUCTED
Aheart, Andrew N. (Honorary)		2007	Carter, Hazo W. Jr. (Honorary)		1995
Aheart, Lamont M.	1970	1997	Casey, Wayne E.	1989	2000
Anderson, John C.	1975	2007	Casey, Wayne D.	1968	1994
Anderson, Warren	1977	2005	Casto, Steven B.	1981	1993
Angle, Larry J. Jr.	1987	2005	Chilton, Samuel B., Jr.	1987	1999
Archie, William B.	1954	1990	Christian, Horace B. (Deceased)	1959	1988
Atkinson, Terry	1979	2004	Clark, Barbara L. (Deceased)		2000
Bacote, Samuel W.	1959	1997	Clark, Benjamin F. (Deceased)	1933	1983
Bailey, Calvin L. (Coach)	1972	1985	Clark, Charles	1988	2008
Bailey, James A. (Deceased)	1950	1982	Clark, Clarence (Deceased)	1950	1982
Bailey, Laurence	1963	1996	Clark, Russell	1987	1999
Banks, Oree (Honorary)		2008	Coleman, Theester (Honorary) (Deceased)	1935	2005
Bates, John M. (Deceased)	1937	1982	Corbin, E. Adelbert	1940	1984
Bates, Pervis M.	1939	1981	Crawford, Everett G. (Deceased)	1927	1990
Baugh, Warren T. (Deceased)	1950	1988	Cullop, James E., Jr.	1960	2008
Beckner, Richard A. Sr.	1972	2003	Cunningham, Marion L.	1974	2002
Bellinger, Henry R.	1960	1985	Curry, Rupert G. (Deceased)	1953	1987
Belmear, Horace E.	1940	1997	Daniels, Howard K.	1961	2007
Berger, Marshall L.	1977	2008	Davis, Edward, Jr.	1970	2008
Berry, Jackie (Deceased)	1973	2005	Davis, Frank Maxie (Deceased)	1948	1988
Berry, Rance A.	1973	2007	Davis, Robert A. (Deceased)	1948	1986
Bethel, Antoine B.	1984	2005	Dawson, A. L. (Honorary)		2001
Beverly, Eleanor	1960	2000	Dawson, Joe	1972	2001
Boone, James L. (Deceased)	1955	1989	Diggs, Robert P.	1931	1987
Bowles, Joseph (Deceased)	1942	1988	Dillahunt, Elaine	1967	2001
Broadnax, Madison (Deceased)	1940	1989	Dillard, Clyde (Deceased)	1950	1987
Brown, Dallas C. Sr. (Deceased)	1923	1996	Edwards, Ernest E. (Deceased)	1932	1989
Brown, Dandridge D. (Deceased)	1923	1989	Ellis, Charles	1969	1998
Burghart, William F. (Coach) (Deceased)	1936	1981	Ellis, Oliver (Deceased)	1951	1984
Burney, Willilam L. (Deceased)	1950	1991	Enty, Frank E.	1950	1992
Burris, Chester A. (Coach)(Deceased)	1948	1980	Epps, Gregory, D., Sr.	1981	2008
Burroughs, Knute W. (Deceased)	1937	1982	Estep, Perry J.	1980	1998
Busch, Elaine S. (Deceased)	1953	1996	Farmer, Samuel J. (Deceased)	1930	1990
Byers, R. Charles (Honorary)	1968	2005	Ferguson, Daniel L. Jr., (Deceased)	1947	1994
Byrd, Charles R. (Honorary) (Deceased)		1999	Ferguson, Warne Leon	1963	2007
Caldwell, John H.	1975	2007	Fish, Louis F.	1966	2002
Cannaday, Irvin Jr. (Coach) (Deceased)	1950	1995	Flournoy, Walter	1954	2009
Cardwell, Mark H. (Coach) (Deceased)	1925	1980	Fox, John	1972	2004
Carey, Malva J.	1975	1985	Freeman, Dwayne M.	1970	2003
Carr, Charles D.	1983	2000	Froe, Dreyfus W.	1929	1984

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Gallion, Michael L.	1964	1991	Jones, DeWalden W. (Deceased)	1952	2006
Gamble, Samuel A.	1947	1980	Jones, Hubert L. (Deceased)	1939	1987
Gaskin, James C.	1939	1988	Jones, Thomas L. Lt. Col. (Ret.)	1974	2003
Gilliam, Joseph W.	1952	1987	Justice, Franklin P., Jr.	1967	1992
Gilmer, Rodney	1975	2005	Kates, C. Milton (Honorary)	1952	2005
Gilmore, Johnny D. (Honorary)		1996	Kent, Ernest (Deceased)	1954	1999
Gist, John H.	1950	2002	Lee, Edward A.	1972	2007
Goff, Floyd S.	1961	2008	LeFever, William R. (Deceased)	1964	1995
Goodwin, Johnny D.	1990	2006	Legette, Ronnie, Sr.	1987	2003
Gough, Joseph "Pepe" (Deceased)	1925	1995	Lipscomb, Warren	1963	1998
Gray, Grant S. Coach (Deceased)		1993	Lipscomb, William W.	1975	2003
Greene, Linwood, Sr.		1997	Lloyd, Earl	1950	1980
Greene, Oliver (Deceased)	1931	1982	Lynch, Wesley J. (Deceased)	1943	1990
Griffin, Ervin V. Sr. (Honorary)		2005	Majette, Milton L. (Deceased)	1948	1993
Griffin, James S. (Deceased)		1993	Matthews, William P.	1974	2008
Mark Grimmett	1981	2009	Mark McCoy	1988	2009
Hale, Vasco D.	1940	1980	McGlothlin, Frederick G. (Deceased)	1966	2001
Hamblin, Adolph P. (Coach) (Deceased)		1980	McLeod, Ronald M.	1960	1993
Hamilton, Alan L. (Deceased)	1969	1999	Meadows, Ferguson B., Jr. (Deceased)	1967	2001
Hamilton, Dave	1969	1994	Meadows, Floyd (Deceased)	1937	1980
Harris, Frank (Deceased)	1950	2002	Middleton, Fred D. (Deceased)	1947	1983
Hartney, Joe	1965	2004	Milbourne, John	1957	2007
Harvey, Harold N. (Honorary) (Deceased)	1936	1982	Millard, Edmund L., Sr. (Deceased)	1953	2006
Hawkins, Charles C. (Honorary) (Deceased)		2002	Miller, Vandy L.	1954	1986
Hawkins, Robert (Deceased)	1954	1990	Miller, Morena G.	1955	1989
Henderson, Herbert H. (Deceased)	1953	1983	Miller, Samuel	1951	1991
Holden, Alyce R. (Deceased)	1938	1996	Mills, Marvin D. (Coach)	1947	1994
Holt, George E.	1962	2006	Moore, William George (Deceased)	1924	1983
Horn, John W. (Deceased)	1943	1990	Moore, Paul J. (Coach) (Honorary) (Deceased)		1990
Housen, Jack H. (Deceased)	1948	1987	Moore, Oscar A. (Dec.)	1934	1981
Howard, L. Britt	1990	2006	Moore, Ron	1987	2000
Hunter, Ben A.	1969	2002	Morris, James G.	1954	1985
Hunting, Ollie D.	1972	2006	Mosley, John C.	1962	2005
Israel, Isaiah	1938	1985	Nicholson, William L.	1968	2007
Jackson, Al Preston, Sr.	1960	2004	Nixon, James	1955	2000
Carlton Jackson	1990	2009	Noles, Ruben	1989	2005
Jackson, Alfonso C.	1960	2005	Nunn, William "Bill"	1948	1990
Jackson, William S. (Deceased)	1937	1981	Oden, Joseph R. Jr.	1989	2005
Jefferson, Frederick D.	1946	1991	Palmer, Daniel B. (Dec.)	1931	1992
Jenkins, Drewie G. (Deceased)	1938	1992	Perry, Taylor	1969	1999
Johnson, Ernest E. (Deceased)	1934	1993	Peters, Joseph C. (Deceased)	1948	1987
Johnson, Louis R. W. (Deceased)	1940	1980	Pleasant, Ronald	1987	2006
Jones, Cornelious "Papa"	1968	1993	Preston, James D. (Deceased)	1939	1990

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Price, Denny	1971	1994	Stewart, Colston R. Jr. (Deceased)	1934	1983
Price, Roderick L. (Deceased)	1937	1980	Street, Rossellini Dwight	1975	2006
Randall, Edgar	1979	1998	Strong, Robert	1960	2009
Reed, Vincent E.	1952	1983	Swanson, John E. (Deceased)	1944	1988
Richardson, Marvin H. (Deceased)	1937	1980	Taylor, Robert Paul	1951	1989
Robinson, William J.	1937	1981	Thomas, Paul W. (Deceased)	1950	1986
Rockhold, Clayton D. (Deceased)		1993	Thompson, Carroll U. (Deceased)	1935	1984
Ross, Ellis L.	1933	1993	Thurman, John D.	1984	2008
Sales, John C.	1950	1995	Tribble, James	1982	1998
Saulsbury, Bob	1952	2001	Turpeau, Rossman, Jr.	1960	1998
Saunders, Emmett B., Jr. (Deceased)	1943	1991	VanHargis, Clifford (Deceased)	1938	1993
Saunders, Harry (Deceased)	1929	1984	Walker, Nellie E. (Honorary)	1975	1999
Savage, Bernard S. (Deceased)	1972	2001	Wallace, Willie	1963	2004
Scott, Edward, Sr.	1952	1998	Wares, James T. (Deceased)	1933	1984
Scott, Francis	1972	2009	Washington, James A.	1986	2004
Scott, James L. (Deceased)	1934	1983	Washington, Othello	1983	1998
Shannon, Oliver T. (Deceased)	1929	1988	Watson, Daniel	1974	2009
Sheets, Alden	1971	1994	Watson, Joseph G., Sr.	1965	2002
Smiley, Glover L. Jr.	1977	1992	Watson, Norman E. (Deceased)	1939	1986
Smith, Robert L. (Deceased)	1947	1987	Whitted, Palmer D. Sr. (Deceased)	1931	1985
Smith, Wendell (Deceased)	1937	1994	Wickliffe, Edward V. (Deceased)	1950	1981
Smith, Willie G.	1949	2001	Wilkerson, James A. (Deceased)	1928	1992
Smith, Willie B. (Deceased)	1954	1986	Wilkerson, Walter M., Sr.	1974	2008
Smoot, Douglas	1968	2004	Williams, Alfred L.	1968	1999
Spencer, Betty C.	1967	1996	Williams, Jerry B. (Deceased)	1951	1989
Spradley, Milton L.	1982	2006	Wilson, James C. (Coach) (Deceased)	1946	1989
Starling, Edward M. (Deceased)	1951	1986	Wilson, Robert	1950	1983
Starling, Carl (Deceased)	1946	1990	Woods, Jeff C.	1975	2008
Stewart, Charles E.	1950	2001	Woods, Jeffrey W.	1989	2004



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ALMA MATER

Ernest Wade '30

Martha Spencer '31

There is a place we love so dear—
Its name we'll ever praise and revere
'Tis West Virginia State we love—
Just one more step from there is Heav'n above.

REFRAIN:

West Virginia's praise we'll sing—
Lift our voices 'til heavens ring—
As we gaily march along—
We'll sing a song—
For Alma Mater
How we love her
Pride of all our loyal hearts—
From her we will never part—
Thoughts of thee will ne'er be few
Alma Mater we love you.

We'll love her more as days go by,
And send her praises to the sky;
To place her over all the rest,
And keep her e'er the dearest and the best.

Shadowed 'neath a deep blue sky;
Is STATE for whom we'll live and we'll die—
Arise! O men of God and sing;
We're loyal, and to her we'll always cling.

