

# HEIROUSALEM COMMUNICATIONS

A FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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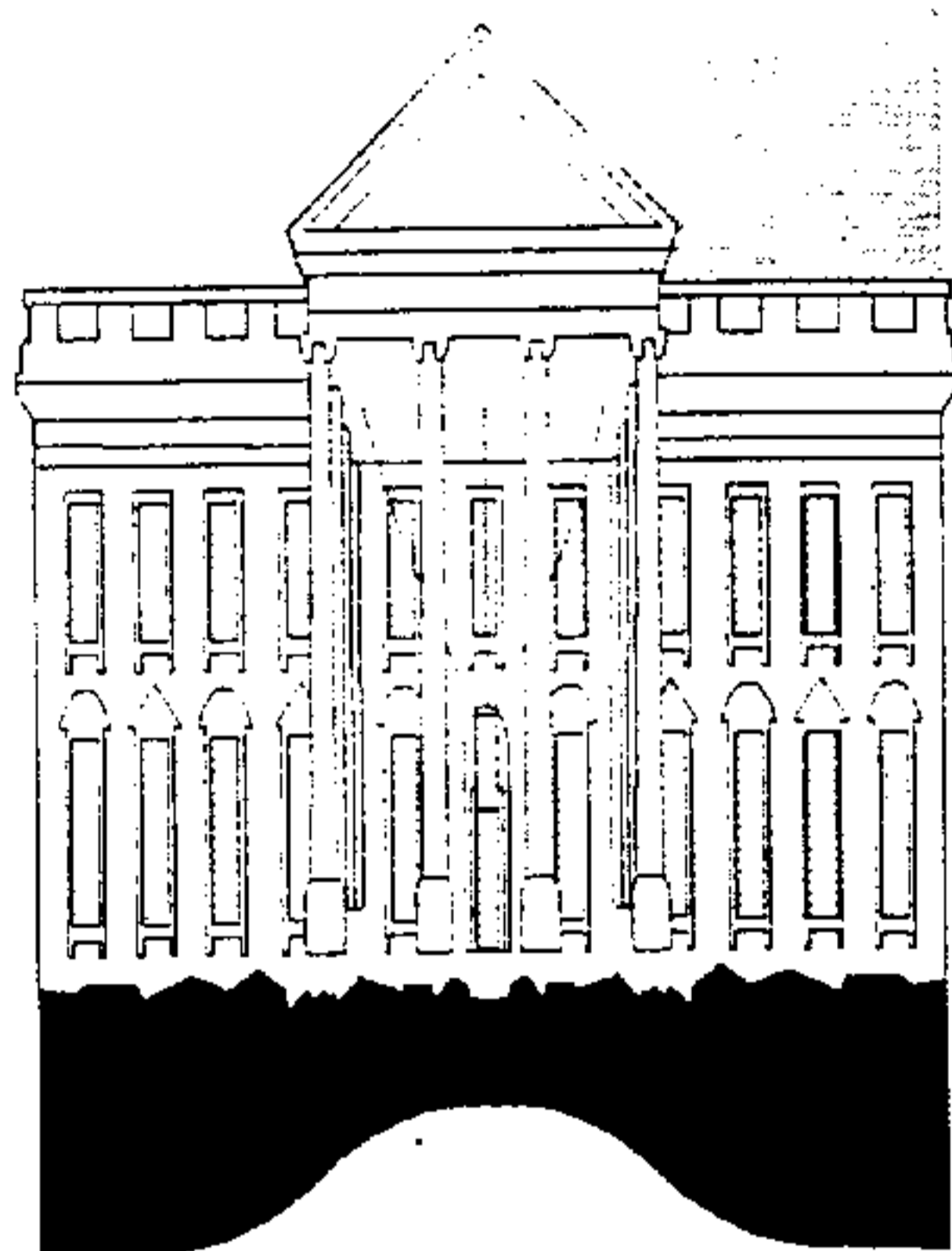
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## THANKS DC!

What a great time we had in Alabama on the Potomac!!



Our 3rd Family Reunion was a resounding success thanks to our "DC" family members. We had over 120 family members in attendance. The effort put forth was evident in the excellent presentation. A job well done goes to:

**Shirley A. Madden**, Chairperson;

**Jesse H. Walker**, Co-Chair;

**Gloria Walker**, Secretary;

**Alesia Madden-Young**, Treasurer;

**Marietta Walker**.

Lodging/Entertainment Chair;

**Charlotte Walker**, Planning/Program Chair;

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and, the other family members and friends who provided their time and support.

Our great time began on Thursday, August 3, 1995 with an early morning fishing trip and an evening excursion to Atlantic City.

On Friday we were treated to a magnificent banquet held on the Bolling Air Force Base. We were provided a wonderful program staged by our family members; a scrumptious meal; and, great company!

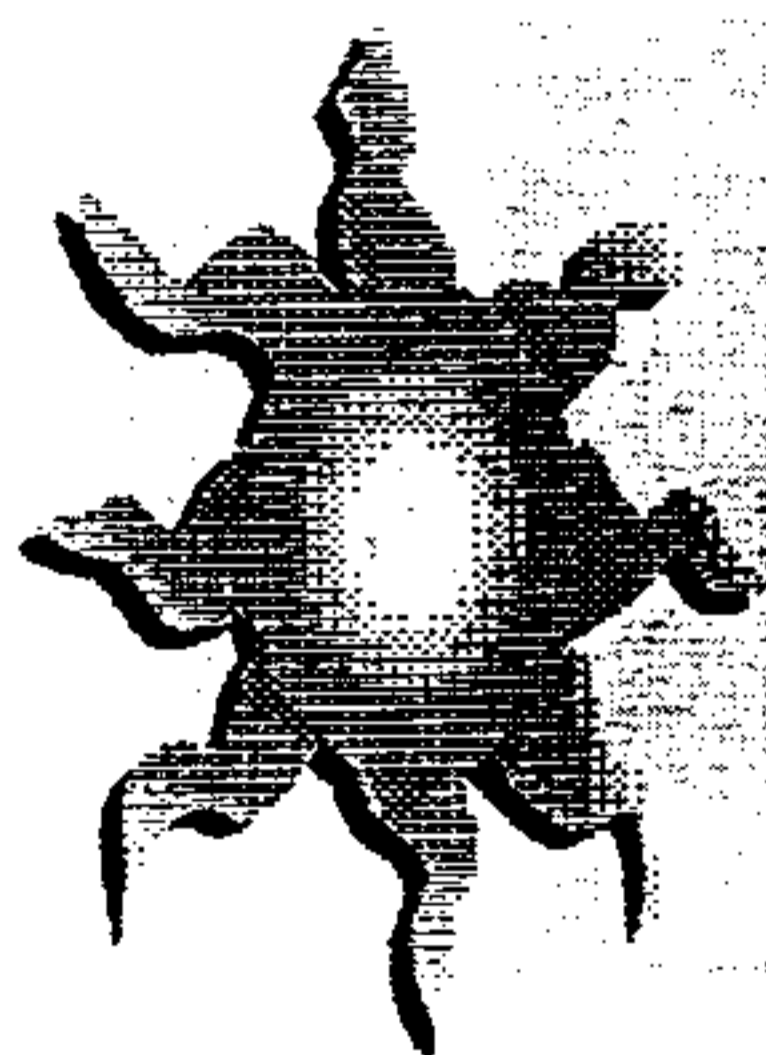
We broke bread again on Saturday with a picnic at the Indian Head Naval Surface Warfare Center.

Sunday saw some family members headed back to hearth and home. Those remaining enjoyed a day of fellowship at church, and at the homes of Shirley and Don and/or Helen and Sonny.

Thanks DC for a splendid occasion!

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## 1997 WALKER / POPE / BATES / ROEBUCK FAMILY REUNION



Our next reunion is scheduled for July 31, 1997 - August 3, 1997 in Atlanta. Inside is a registration form which should be returned on or before December 15, 1996.

Our first Reunion was held in Birmingham in 1992. It was so nice, we did it twice (1993)!

The third was held with glee in DC (1995)!!

Now for a HOT time in Atlanta!!!

Please plan on attending. We hope to see you all there.

*The 1997 Reunion Committee*

**B'DAYS FROM THE DBASE**

DeRenda HOLLMAN 1/3; George Tony WALKER 1/5; Thelma Jemison WALKER 1/9; Rosemary HOLLMAN Sharpe 1/11; Jerolene WALKER 1/19; Briona JOHNSON 1/23; Reverend Larry HOLLMAN 1/23; Tara WALKER 1/24; Jessica COUNTS 2/1; Donald LAWRENCE 2/2; Aarian POPE 2/2; DeNitta HOLLMAN 2/7; Ernest YOUNG 2/17; Jeffrey WALKER 2/19; Alesia JENNINGS-MADDEN Young 2/19; Sylvester TODD 2/27; Charlotte Bowen WALKER 3/4; Douglas WALKER 3/7; Seleather LAWRENCE 3/13; Nicole LAWRENCE 3/13; Marietta WALKER 3/25; Robert WALKER, Jr. 3/25; Robert WALKER, IV 3/28; Nettie Thompson WALKER 3/29; Bianca MITCHELL 4/2; Desiree POPE 4/12; Glenn HARDY 4/20; Will WALKER 4/23; Donald LAWRENCE 4/29; Kevin POPE 5/1; Nicklaus WALKER 5/5; Gloria WALKER 5/11; Reverend Jesse WALKER 5/13; Kimberly COBB 5/13; Candace REED

5/14; Paul WALKER, Jr. 5/15; Jesse SUTTLE 5/15; Marion WALKER Suttle 5/19; David WALKER, Sr. 5/29; Robert HAMMOND 6/8; Everett SUTTLE 6/9; Jonathan HOLLMAN 6/10; River WALKER 6/26; Janice RICHBURG 6/27; Edward WALKER 7/5; Nyala Dupree-WALKER 7/11; Brandy COBB 7/13; Sandra HOLLMAN 7/14; Tomeka COBB 7/14; Lantrese YOUNG 7/19; Harold Eric-Allen REED 7/20; Malaika Dupree-WALKER 7/21; DeWaine HOLLMAN 7/22; Theresa Carter POPE 8/1; Renee HOLLMAN Turner 8/2; Demarie REED 8/8; Gwendolyn Taylor-HOLLMAN Hazel 8/14; Colonel Donald MADDEN 8/18; Joi REED 8/19; Reverend Robert HOLLMAN 8/19; Lawson RICHBURG 8/20; Vera WALKER Todd 8/21; Robert WALKER, III 8/27; Carolyn Jones HOLLMAN 8/29; Brandi WALKER 8/29; Shirley WALKER Madden 8/30; Arthur WALKER 8/31; Barbara WALKER Rudolph 9/1; Maurice WALKER 9/3; Angela Rutledge HOLLMAN 9/26; Christian SUTTLE 9/28; Mary Fritz WALKER 10/2; Cheryl

WALKER 10/8; Nettie WALKER 10/12; Joseph SUTTLE 10/17; Eric SHARPE 10/21; Horace JENNINGS-MADDEN 10/25; Millicent WALKER Counts 10/30; Theron COUNTS 11/2; Janice Parker HOLLMAN 11/9; Jonathan HOLLMAN 11/14; David WALKER, Jr. 11/17; Rita Patterson WALKER Bemby 11/19; Lawson RICHBURG 11/20; Paul WALKER 11/21; Carolyn HOLLMAN Cobb 11/21; Harold REED 11/22; Dyane Embry REED 11/25; Tonya MITCHELL 11/25; Helen Rita WALKER 11/29; Donald MADDEN, II 12/7; Denise Holness RICHBURG 12/19; Patricia Mauldin WALKER 12/21.

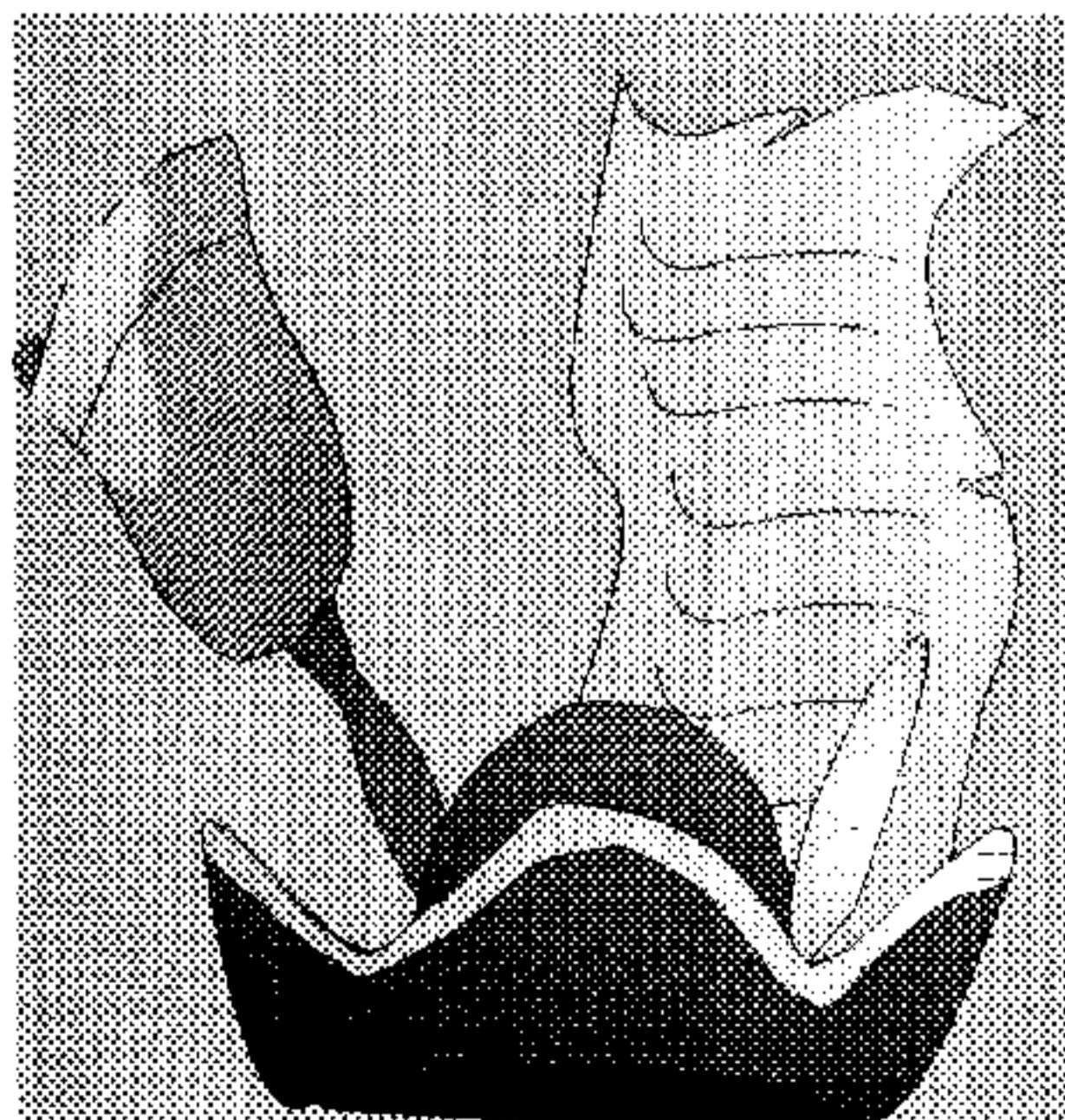
If you are not listed, the History Committee did not receive your response to the 1995 information request. Be sure and complete a questionnaire at the Reunion, or contact Vera A. Todd (see p. 3).

**NOTES FROM THE EDITOR**

**ONE MORE TIME**

One more time, one more time  
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This will be our theme song as we meet together one more time for our family reunion in Atlanta in just a matter of months now.

Since our last reunion, several of us have met in various places for various occasions. Some have been solemn occasions. Others have been more joyous ones. Two of the more solemn ones were the recent celebrations of the lives of Vera (Pope) Richburg and Willie "Dip" Walker. Some of the more joyous ones have been the installation of the Reverend Robert Paul Hollman at his church in Dothan, AL, the surprise 70th birthday party for Robert Walker, Jr.; and, the weddings of Horace and Lorraine Madden, and Reginald and Renee Turner.

Through it all though, we have been richly blessed, individually and as a family.

The time is so near. Let us all get our affairs in order. If you have not decided that you are coming, please seriously think about it. You really, really do not want to miss it. There are so many things to do in Atlanta. That is, if you can tear yourselves away from talking and reminiscing with your family members.

So, I will see you in Atlanta for our family reunion. It will be another joyous, special and historical event.

Until then ...

Jesse H. Walker



**INFORMATION EXCHANGE**

**In Memoriam:**

Vera Lorene Pope Richburg July 17, 1920 - April 14, 1997 Berkeley, Michigan  
 Willie Relerford "Dip" Walker February 20, 1928 - April 24, 1997 Birmingham, Alabama

**Welcome to the Family:**

Colby Jamal Hollman born December 4, 1996 to Jonathan and Angela Hollman Birmingham, Alabama  
 Ernest "Brandon" Young born February 2, 1997 to Ernest and Alesia Young, III Ft. Washington, Maryland

**All the Best:**

Tomeka LaVera Cobb - Graduate of Woodlawn High School, Birmingham, Alabama, on May 20, 1997  
 If you are interested in submitting information, suggestions, or an article for the next volume to be published in October 1997, please do so by September 1, 1997. Send to: Jesse H. Walker: 319 South Red Lion Terrace; Bear, DE 19701; (302) 322-5021

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**Words From the 1997 Reunion Chairperson**

Dear Family Members,

We look forward to your visitation to Atlanta on July 30, 1997 to August 3, 1997.

We have planned a great variety of activities for your enjoyment.

Please register early and make your hotel reservation in the metro Atlanta area.

This mailing should give the information needed to make all your arrangements.

Our sympathy goes out to the immediate family members of the loved ones recently lost, such as the Richburgs and Mae Bertha.

We love you and our prayers are for your good health, safety and continued success.

David L. "Jack" Walker, Sr.

