Women Of Great Esteem Honoree



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The Most Reverend Limerick-Andries is the Founder of the Science of Being which is a Group of Truth Center established to Empower consciousness and eradicate the weakness and sensitivities which create limitations. Her focus is: purification of consciousness for the eradication of all weaknesses and sensitivities, thus ensuring the type of universe in which the Cosmic Christ can dwell eternally among men.

The Most Reverend Limerick-Andries, mother of one daughter was, the first woman in this Century to have been a Chief Whip in Guyana, South America. During her early years, she was educated in Guyana, Trinidad and England where she studied Philosophy and also was certified as a Teacher, Business Administrator, and Social Worker, in the United States.

It was here that her quest for truth became most evident and her Spirituality paramount. For the past 30 years, Her Grace, has focused on her Spiritual Education and is actively involved, in the Voluntary Promotion of Truth, of the Principles of Light, Love and Truth.

Reverend Dr. Patricia Limerick-Andries is an alumni of the University of Healing, and also the University of Metaphysics. She is a 30-year Member of AMORC. Her other affiliations include member of The Eastern Stars (PH), Knight at the Templar of Grand United Order of Mechanics, and several other esoteric metaphysical organizations. Her Grace, is also one of the proud recipients of the ANKH from Het Heru Semajh of the Shrine of Ptah, and holds titles such as Our beloved Master Consciousness, Reverend Wholeness, Abbess, Nswt Matt Nebhet Tehuti Amen, Olawadame Lola, OME-ADE and Master Luminary.

As a Yuroba High Priestess, Her Grace's current mission is the propagation of the African culture, so that Caribbean people will stop feeling ashamed of being African, and be proud to preserve the culture of our people. The Most Reverend Limerick-Andries does this through the teachings of the ancient wisdom principles of, Light/Love/Truth at centers founded and chartered by the Science of Being in New Jersey, Atlanta, Antigua, West Indies, London, and Nigeria along with prayer groups in Holland, Switzerland and Guyana. Her Grace, has a desire to see the world in its entirety and to establish a viable, spiritual organization of teachers of truth, so that the entire world will understand the depth of the principles of the Science of Being as taught by the Ascended Master, Jesus, the Christ.

The Most Reverend Limerick-Andries, an eminent Teacher of Truth for the last 30 years. She began with a small center at her home in Guyana, South America and at the Brooklyn Center of Truth under the late Reverend Don Nedd. She later founded the Science of Being on the inspiration from the beloved Saint Germain and the Masters of Light/Love/Truth. The Most Reverend Limerick-Andries focus has been only on the vision of the organization.

Currently, she has devoted her remaining years to building Spirituality. She is grateful for assistance in this venture by her husband, her daughter, and those called to serve for the empowerment of the nation. In one of her books, *The Doctrine of Liberation*, she describes how she would like to be remembered for her work. The Cosmic Christ is her Guide and Director. The Master Thoughts of Principles of Light/Love/Truth are her Teachers. She is therefore the Messenger of these principles as she lives them.

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Married to Linton Pierre and the mother of three children - Deslina, Victoria and Emmanuel, Dr. Berry first traveled to the United States to begin theological studies in Bay, St. Louis, Missouri. She has since studied at the University of Maryland, Columbia University, the University of Stuttgart, the Royal College of England, Pace Theological College and St. Johns College.

Dr. Berry is a stern austere, gracious and endearing leader, whose ability to be fair and honest have kept her at the wheel of a ship which is destined only for "divine success in a sea of troubled water". Dr. Berry is a fighter for the unfortunate, the underprivileged, the down-and-out, lifting them up by the love of God that is within her.

Although she resides in the Flatbush area of Brooklyn, New York, her impact is felt as far away as the Caribbean, Africa and the Far East. She has spearheaded justice for medical services to all people regardless of race, national origin or religion; she has been an advocate for the history making Immigration Bill under President Reagan; and now under President Bill Clinton. She fought to have welfare changed to social services.

One of Dr. Berry's greatest accomplishments came in 1985, when she broke down an eighty-six year barrier by becoming the first female and first black to hold the position of Regional Commander of the National Chaplains Association. However, she resigned due to refusing to give in to her colleagues demands to discriminate against people because of their sexual orientation, race, color, creed or origin.

Dr. Berry made history again in July of 1987, as the first female to become Associate Pastor of an African Baptist Church, even though she was not of that faith. Soon thereafter, she was named First Bishop of New York and the Philippines for the Faith Restoration Center, Inc. As a member of various prestigious organizations, Dr. Berry was also the first black female to be certified as an Advanced Psycho Neurogenic Specialist. She also became a commissioned member of the U.S.Chaplains Association, whose purpose is to upgrade the education of ministers.

Dr. Berry is Presiding Bishop for New York and the Philippines and Commander in Chief for the Caribbean, Africa and Far Eastern Countries Faith Restoration Center, a non-profit religious corporation whose history date back to 1970. In conjunction with her work at the Faith Restoration Center, Dr. Berry has become a member of the Rose of Sharon Spiritual Outreach Association, the International Clergy Association, the Writers/Students and Truthseekers Association, the Worldwide Spiritual Ministers Association and the Religious Science Doctrine Institute.

Dr. Berry's personal vision has always been to bring various religious workers together to teach them to live and work in harmony. She has done this. To date, her accomplishments speak for themselves.



Queen Mother Sheila Jordan

BISHOP QUEEN MOTHER SHEILA JORDAN

"Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it done unto me according to thy word..."

"Fiat voluntas tua" - thy will be done, Matt. 6:10

Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan, was born in the early 1920's, at a time when the world was in the midst of turmoil and changes, occasioned by the politico-socio-economic climate of the time. The family, **Leacock**, to which she was born, was a prominent Anglican family, who observed and maintained the status quo, thereto.

As a young girl, she grew up during the years the *Spiritual Baptist* was prohibited by law, from practicing their religion. *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* would naturally be socialized by the propaganda and rejection of the *Spiritual Baptists*. Consequently, she would have no relationships with anyone who was a *Spiritual Baptist*.

In 1951, the *Spiritual Baptist* was free to worship. During this era of change, the life of *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* became as, "The Lord spoke unto Moses saying, "See I have called by name..., And I have filled... With the spirit of God... The table of the congregation, and the ark of the testimony,... And the cloths of service, and the holy garments... to minister in the priests' office,... and the anointing oil, and the sweet incense for the holy place...", Exodus 31:1-11. Thus, *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* was called to the service of God, amongst those whom she despised, and to a faith she abhorred. The waves of change, would toss her to and from, challenged, by her family and friends.

Who can resist the call of God? In the mid-1950's *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan*, was baptized. Her life changed, as did family. Her husband *Archibald Jordan* who once set-up road blocks, later became a pillar of support, and a presiding minister at *Mt. Bethel.* In much the same way, Jesus commanded the apostles he had chosen, *Bishop Queen Mother* was commanded to assemble for a nine-Tuesday devotional prayer. This she did, in the living room of the family's home. God, being her Governor of Development, the assembly grew.

Characteristic as one called by Jesus, a multitude would now follow *Bishop Queen Mother*. This led to the chasing out of *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* from the synagogue (to which she belonged). Rivalry and opposition from the Scribes and Pharisees of the day.

At the back of her home, she built a chapel for worship, a move that angered her husband. Later, this chapel became his home. The assembly rapidly grew and a larger facility was needed. **Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan** sought to establish a house for God, at Basse Terre (the low earth) in Moruga, then to Marabella (the beautiful sea).

During the years *Mt. Bethel* was at Marabella, *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* would travel eleven miles to and from her home. Later on, the church would be established at St. Madeleine. From this place, would evolve churches, a school, hospital, and a car park. Beyond the physical and structural development, the most important aspect of the Ministry of *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* included: healing, the laying on of hands, counseling, career guidance, teaching, nursing, exorcism, baptisms, Pointer to journeys on the Rite of Passage. *Bishop Queen Mother Jordan* is a mother to multitudes, providing for the sick, the naked, homeless and those in despair.

By her dedication to the service of God, as Aaron said, "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord". *Mother Jordan's husband and children, not only came into the Ministry, but also became Ministers of the Gospels.* Her family, are today, models, and a source of strength from which many draw.

The family of *Bishop Queen Mother*, consists not only of her off-spring but also of approximately sixteen thousand persons who came to Jesus Christ through this blessed ministry. The joy of the *Bishop Queen Mother Sheila Jordan* is in the righteous and progressive mode of her children.

"To the Purpose Dominus Vobiscum" - (The Lord be with you).

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Kathleen Karter

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Kathleen Karter, is a medium, a spiritualist and a teacher of metaphysics. She has been called "one of a handful of truly great mediums in the United States" by the distinguished Hans Holzer para-psychologist, T.V. producer and author of the Director of Psychics. Born in Omaha, Nebraska, she credits her grandparents for providing her with a strong spiritual foundation.

In 1944, her family moved to Detroit, Michigan. They attended the Second Baptist Church were Ms. Karter was involved in many church activities. She was also an active member of the young adult division of the NAACP. A gifted singer, she was discovered at Northwestern High School and named one of the school's most outstanding voices. Upon the advice of Ms. Stacy Edwards, head of the music department, Kathleen enrolled in the Detroit Institute of Musical Arts, where she studied voice and piano. After her studying at the institute, she became a student of the vocal master/composer Edward Boatner. In Canada, she made guest appearances on the Diggs Radio Hour and later became a local celebrity, where she was named "The Artist of Tomorrow."

Among some of her achievements, are the *National Association of Negro Musicians Award and The outstanding Song of the Year Award*, which afforded her a guest appearance with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra

In the late 1950's, she came to New York and studied with the renowned singer Lola Hayes. While singing with Ms. Hayes, studio pianist Billie King, who often accompanied the legendary contralto Marion Anderson, heard her and was so impressed, he arranged an audition with the celebrated concert artist Lotte Lehman. Based on the strength of her audition, she was accepted at the Mannes College of Music and the Julliard School of Music. In the early 1960's, Ms. Karter moved to Los Angeles and toured with *Pearl Bailey, Nat King Cole, Frankie Lane, Peggy Lee and the Jester Harriston Singers*. When she was not singing, she worked as Manager of the Los Angeles Branch at the NAACP under the leadership of Thomas Bradley, who later became Mayor of that City.

In the mid-1960's, Ms. Karter returned to New York City, to pursue her passion for music and community service. She was privileged to meet Dr. James Robinson, founder of Operations Crossroads to Africa. Dr. Robinson, had a significant impact on her life, he showed her a broader view of the African Diaspora and it's diverse and dynamic cultures. Ms. Karter became interested in metaphysics and the psychic phenomena. She studied with Reverend Lettie Lester and Martha Seidler. There was also great interest in the study of Rosicrucianism, Theosophy, Self-Realization. In 1974, Kathleen began a spiritual journey as a *Medium and Clairvoyant*.

Gaining the attention of the astrologer Lynne Palmer and the highly acclaimed para-psychologist, Hans Holzer who later became her mentor. Ms. Karter has lectured at numerous workshops, including The New York Institute of Technology. Her clients range from working class people to some of the world's top entertainers and government officials. She made guest appearances on major radio and television talk-shows including: Positively Black; The Joe Franklin Show; Mid-Day Live; and Good Day New York. Ms. Karter has been cited in Cue Magazine; New York Magazine; Time Out New York; Fate Magazine and the Village Voice. She has been featured in numerous books such as Gods of Aquarius, by Brad Stegier, Company of Prophets, by Joyce Noll and Directory of Psychics, by Hans Holzer.

Ms. Karter was one of the founding members of the Richard Allen Center On Life, Inc., one of the largest Black and Hispanic adoption and foster care agencies in New York State. She is the winner of *three gold record awards* from Polygram Records and Atlantic Records. A widow, Ms. Karter has a *wonderful daughter*, *Aivisha Bridges* whose career is in marketing and advertising.



Mary H. Umolu, Ph.D.

Dr. MARY H. UMOLU, Ph.D.

Fondly called Big Sister, Queen Mother, Chine (of the will of God), and Obiageli (sharing the best) Dr. Mary Umolu is a woman among women. A native of Virginia, she has resided in Brooklyn for the past 67 years and is a well known prominent and active member of the Brooklyn community.

Dr. Mary Umolu is a philanthropist, researcher, public servant, author, storyteller, monologist, public speaker, actress, world traveler, defender of human rights, and an animal lover. Currently, she serves as Chairperson of the Department of Mass Communication, Creative & Performing Arts & Speech at Medgar Evers College, City University of New York. She is the project director on Medgar Evers College community Radio, which airs on WNYE, 91.5 FM. Dr. Umolu's employment has also extended to Nigeria, serving as assistant to the general manager and senior producer who developed two television channels/radio stations. One of her many talents is writing. She wrote and published "African Links", "The Griot Speaks," two compositions of historical stories and folktales. She is proficient in French, Spanish, Swahili and has a knowledge of the language of the Ibo people in Nigeria.

She has worked as a consultant for the U.S. Department of Commerce, the Corporation for Public Broadcasting and Minority Women in Public Broadcasting. As a community activist, she is the district president for the Lioness District 20-K1. She served as advisor on many community boards such as District D-Comprehensive Health Planning, Downstate Medical Center, New York Health Systems Agency, Kings County Hospital Center, just to name a few.

Dr. Mary Umolu is also a member of the Association of University Professors, American Women in Radio & Television, Broadcast Educators Association, International Platform Association, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), National Council of Negro Women and the New York Urban League.

Dr. Mary Umolu has received many awards, grants and recognition for academic and leadership contributions, such as the Media Educators Award, Citizen of the Year Award, Community Service Award, Outstanding Teachers Award, Outstanding Graduate's Award, Sojourner Truth Award, just to name a few.

Dr. Mary Umolu is a citizen of the world, her work has taken her to many States within the U.S., Africa, the West Indies, Europe, Brazil, the Canary Islands and Canada.

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REVEREND PATRICIA DANIEL-ADAMS

Reverend Patricia Daniel-Adams is the third child of the late Deacon and Deaconess Hugh and Christiana Daniel of Richplain Baptist Church.. She is married to Ian Adams. This union brought two children Leon and Rachel.

Reverend Patricia Daniel-Adams began her academic career at St. Agnes Anglican School and went on to Diego Martin Primary and Secondary Schools respectively. On completion of her "O" Level examinations, she enrolled in the Polythenic Sixth Form School to complete her "A" Levels. In 1987, she entered the University of the West Indies to pursue a diploma as an Administrative Office Management, which she successfully completed in 1990. Hector choice to become a secretary led to the continuation of her studies in Administrative Professional Secretary. With the ongoing development of the computer age, her quest for knowledge, led to her enrolling in computer classes which is an asset to her career and the ministry.

Under the tutelage her parents and Bishop Margaret Hector, (her first Sunday School Teacher), her spiritual life began a little over twenty-four years ago. Reverend Daniel-Adams is an active minister in her church and community. She has held numerous positions, such as; Church Secretary, Sunday School Teacher, Youth Leader and Sunday School Director, to name a few. She served as Director of Finance in the Faith International Baptist Convention for a number of years, and the Outreach Ministries of the Homeless and Underprivileged. A deeper call to service led her to complete many training courses sponsored by the Trinidad Baptist Mission, the Baptist Theological College, and later to the Ministry School Faith Revival Ministry in Tunapuna, Trinidad.

Currently, Reverend Daniel-Adams serves as an Elder, and Minister for International Affairs at QKingdom Ministries, Inc. and foundation member of Mt. Horeb Spiritual School. She is involved in the established ministries of the church with special emphasis on counseling. In September 1998, Reverend Daniel-Adams was ordained as an Interfaith Minister of the Gospel at QKingdom Ministries, Inc., and Mt. Horeb Spiritual Assembly.

On a continuous quest for excellence, spiritual growth and development, Reverend Daniel-Adams is completing a degree in Business management Studies at the University of the West Indies, Trinidad and Tobago. Upon completion, she hopes to use her knowledge and skills to the honor and glory of God.

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BISHOP MARGARET OLIVE HECTOR - Founder/Pastor

Bishop Margaret Olive married Rheford Hector while attending Bible School a little over twenty-five years ago. From this union came Avonelle, Ruthven, Brent, Carla, and adopted children, Natasha, Corey, Mark, to name a few.

Bishop Hector began her educational life at Dots Infant Private School, then went on to Sacred Heart Girls Roman Catholic School. Upon passing the Common Entrance exams, she went to St. Joseph's Convent, in Port of Spain and later attended the Institute of Vocational Arts at John S. Donaldson Technical Institute. The Bishop studied at the Southern Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, where she was also a guest lecturer. Bishop Hector earned certificates in Biblical Theology, Theological Ethics, Masterlife, Psalms as well as certificates in Cake Decorating, Food Preparation and Fashion Design.

During her illustrious career, Bishop Hector held several executive positions such as Parliamentary Secretary in the Ministry of Health, Parliamentary Representative at Diego Martin (West). Bishop Hector tutored in the Community Development Adult Education Program and the Second Chance Program, which she later established as one of the Ministries of Mt. Horeb. As a community activist, she was Chairperson of the National Organization for Women; the Women's Affairs Officer of National Alliance/Reconstruction, Vice Chairperson for the Caribbean Women for Democracy. As Chairperson of the Inter-Ministerial Committee, she advised government on issues pertaining to women. Bishop Hector was Trinidad and Tobago's representative to the Commonwealth Ministers Conference in Zimbabwe and Vice Chairperson of the Carenage Regional Complex.

With undying love for the ministry, family and community, Bishop Hector now focuses on areas in which she can serve both humanity and God. Her appointment to the higher order of Bishopric, made her the first woman to be consecrated Bishop in the Caribbean, under Bishop Sylveta Hamilton-Gonzales, thus, making a living testimony to her continuous service within the community. Bishop Hector, in association with Mount Horeb Spiritual Assembly, is currently responsible for the Affairs of Women in the Caribbean region for QKingdom Ministries, Inc. As an honorable servant of God she continues to demonstrate the ability to transform the lives of those ground her so that "ALL MAY COME TO KNOW JESUS" CHRIST."