## LOIS COBB HINTON

Lois Cobb Hinton is a 1968 graduate of W. A. Pattillo High School, Tarboro, NC. Following graduation, she attended Livingstone College, Salisbury, NC, where she was a member of the Livingstone Drama Guild. Later she graduated from Barton College (formerly Atlantic Christian College), Wilson, NC receiving a BS degree in Sociology with a concentration in Social Welfare Services. She is credentialed as a Human Service Board Certified Practitioner by the Center for Credentialing and Education, Inc.

Her career in Human Services includes serving as a Social Worker for the Chronically Mentally III After Care Program and Family Development, a Developmental Day Director and a Developmental Disabilities Case Manager for 11 years at Edgecombe-Nash Mental Health. She later relocated to Raleigh and was employed by the state of North Carolina as a Mental



Retardation Habilitation Coordinator for Murdoch Center, Butner, NC for four years and was employed by Wake County Human Services as Human Service Supervisor in the Maternal and Women's Health Division for 22 years.

Lois professional affiliations are the North Carolina Public Health Association, serving as secretary of the Executive Training Advisory Committee (CETAC) whose purpose was to create a strong continuing education program and assure quality public health services in North Carolina. She has received several awards from both groups for Outstanding Service Achievements. She was humbled when her professional peers nominated her to receive the Order of the Long Leaf Pine Award which she received, October 31, 2016. Thanks be to God; she is now enjoying her retirement from the workforce.

She is a member of the Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church in Durham, NC and serves in the Music, Hospitality, and Women's Ministries. Her services to the community are, former member of the Catholic Parrish Outreach Advisory Board, a former volunteer for the Catholic Parrish Outreach Food Pantry, a Precinct Judge and Core Group Facilitator for Community Bible Study (CBS).

Lois is the daughter of loving parents, the late Simpson Cobb Jr., and Nannie Mae Pitt Cobb. She is married to her loving husband of 33 years, Carnell Hinton formerly of Wilson, NC. They are the parents of two children and grandparents of three.

She is passionate about the W. A. Pattillo National Alumni Association which she served as the Tarboro Chapter Secretary under the administration of the late Mr. Charlie Brown, National Secretary and Program Chairperson under the administration of Dr. Fred Wood, Jr. She also served as Co-chairperson of the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Reunion, 2018. She was elected as Alumni President in 2020.