28th Martin Luther King Jr.
College of Ministers and Laity
“Love and Forgiveness in Action”

45th Anniversary of Martin Luther King Jr.’s
Passing into the Light of Love (1929 - 1968)

Crown Forum Induction Ceremony
Martin Luther King Jr.
Board of Preachers, Board of Sponsors and
Collegium of Scholars

The fourth day of April, Two thousand and thirteen
Eleven o’clock ante meridiem

Dedicated to John Earl Fetzer (1901 - 1991)
Martin Luther King Jr. Induction Crown Forum
Thursday, April 4, 2013

Reverend Dr. Lawrence Edward Carter Sr.
Dean of the Chapel, Professor of Religion, College Archivist and Curator
Presiding

PRELUDE
“Trumpet Tune”
Gordon Young

THE ROLL CALL
Dr. Uzee Brown ’72
Chair, Department of Music

THE CHARGE
Dean Carter

2013 CLASS OF INDUCTEES INTO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
BOARD OF PREACHERS, SPONSORS and COLLEGIUM OF SCHOLARS

The Reverend Charles Christian Adams
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Dr. Irene Rizzini
The Reverend Ruth Broye Sharone “Rodephet Shalom”
(Pursuer of Peace)
The Reverend Martha Jean Simmons
Bishop Nicky Paul Starling
Dr. Lawrence E. Sullivan
Reverend Dr. JoAnne Marie Terrell
Dr. Susan Uchitelle
The Reverend Beryl Monroe Whipple

PRESENTATION OF CITATIONS
Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel Assistants
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated - Alpha Rho Chapter
Atlanta University Center Muslim Student Association

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER
Dr. John Silvanus Wilson Jr., ’79
President, Morehouse College

MUSICAL SELECTION
“Got a Mind To Do Right”
Morehouse College Glee Club
Arr. David Morrow

ADDRESS
“Love and Forgiveness in Action”
His Holiness Sri Sri Ravi Shankar
Founder, International Association for Human Values
The Art of Living Foundation

UNVEILING OF PORTRAIT
Dr. Lawrence E. Sullivan
Then Shall The Trumpets Sound
Dean Carter
President Wilson

COLLEGE HYMN*
“Dear Old Morehouse”
J.O.B. Mosley ’29

POSTLUDE
“The College of Morehouse”
“Now Thank We All our God”
Sigred Karg-Elert

Historic Photograph
Dr. David Edward Morrow ’80
Director, Morehouse College Glee Club/Professor of Music

Dr. David Francis Oliver
College Organist
The Morehouse College religious tradition was founded by Rev. Dr. William Jefferson White in 1867, and was greatly enhanced by Rev. Dr. Henry Lyman Morehouse, Rev. Dr. Charles Thomas Walker, Dr. John Hope and Rev. Dr. Adam Daniel Williams. It reached its zenith during the tenure of Rev. Dr. Benjamin Elijah Mays. Strong learned leadership came from Rev. Dr. Mordecai Wyatt Johnson, Rev. Dr. Howard Washington Thurman, Rev. Dr. Floyd McKissick, Rev. Dr. Samuel Woodrow Williams, Dr. Charles Radford Lawrence, Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Sr. and Jr., and Rev. Dr. Thomas Kilgore Jr.

Because the crises of character education and character values in America require more ethically and spiritually-oriented role models and moral examples, I am pleased to induct you into the Morehouse College prophetic religious tradition, the Martin Luther King Jr. Board of Preachers, Board of Sponsors, and Collegium of Scholars, and do hereby charge and challenge you to be affirmative and appreciative, coherently critical examples for this generation of students, always remembering that our vision is the creation of an inclusive global society in which the full development of each individual’s potential is the central goal.

I charge you to be faithful servant scholar leaders, guarantors of continuity, celebrators of change, negotiators of structure, and facilitators of meaning with the hope that we can right age-old wrongs that continue to haunt the American people and the world.

Lastly, I charge you to use your time, talent, tender and technology to help usher in an age of peace and nonviolence for the children of the world, to raise another generation of morally inspired leaders committed to building the beloved world community, in token of which you are now given these citations which list twenty global ethical principles by which Dr. King, and many Hindus, Buddhists, Muslims, Jews, Christians, Sikhs and scientists lived their lives and transform the world.

Testifying to this investiture and in witness whereof under the seals of the College and the Chapel, the signatures of duly authorized officers are hereunto affixed, this 4th day of April 2013, Per Dominum Nostrum Jesum Christum.

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Dear Old Morehouse

J.O.B. Mosley ’29

Dear old Morehouse, dear old Morehouse,
We have pledged our lives to thee;
And we'll ever, yea forever,
Give ourselves in loyalty.

True forever, true forever,
To old Morehouse may we be;
So to bind each son the other
Into ties more brotherly.

Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit, Make us steadfast, honest, true,
To old Morehouse, and her ideals,
And in all things that we do.
Schedule of Events

Thursday, April 4, 2013

Honoree Luncheon and Panel Discussion (By Invitation Only)
12:30pm – Shirley A. Massey Executive Conference Center

Address: Dr. Lawrence E. Sullivan, President, The Fetzer Institute, Kalamazoo, Michigan
Respondents: Dr. Gregory O. Hall, Professor of Political Science and Director, International Studies Program,
Dr. Bryant Marks, Executive Director, Morehouse Research Institute and Associate Professor, Psychology,
Mr. Renardo Hall, Associate Vice President/Dean of Men,
Dr. Han Shik Park, Director, The Center for the Study of Global Issues, and University Professor
University of Georgia and Distinguished Visiting Scholar, Morehouse College

Academic Symposium on The Letter from Birmingham Jail
2:30pm – Bank of America Auditorium

Dr. Larry Spruill, Professor of History, Morehouse College
Dr. David P. Gushee, Distinguished University Professor of Social Ethics, Mercer University

Candlelight Vigil for Peace and Nonviolence:
Commemorating the 45th Anniversary of the Assassination of The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
7:00pm – Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel Plaza

Led by The Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel Assistants

Friday, April 5, 2013

5th Annual Black Male Summit
Education as Ministry: Clergy, School Reform and the Academic Achievement of Black Children
9:00am-12:00pm – Shirley A. Massey Executive Conference Center and Bank of America Auditorium

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