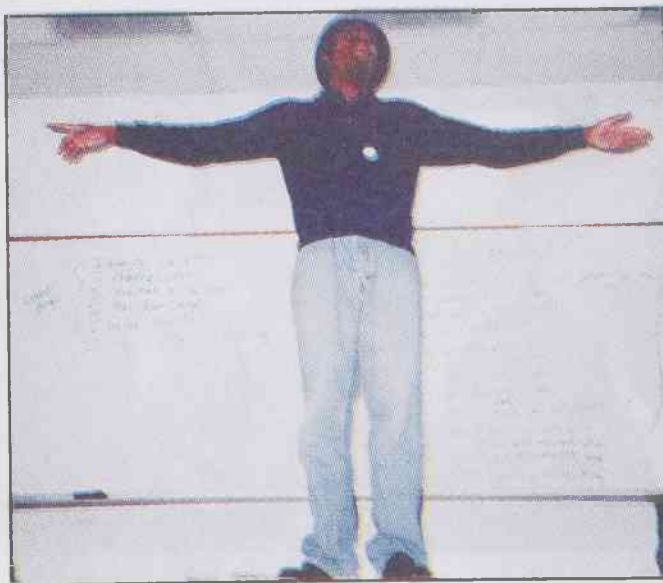
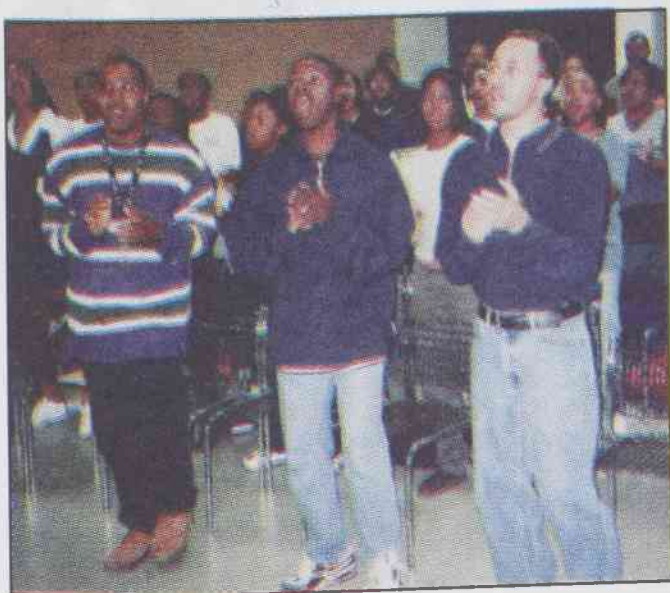


# Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

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Overcome with emotion, students shouted, people danced, some were slain in the Spirit, while others quietly shed tears down the contours of their face. Melodious voices resonate throughout the auditorium as the Black Student Movement's Gospel Choir Concert, "More Than Enough" occurs. Singing from the depths of their souls, eighty-five students assemble themselves under the direction of Courtney Moore and Kristian Herring to glorify God. Continuing on the path of a twenty-six year trail, President LaRhonda Woodard and Vice President Cedric Bullock successfully maintain the largest subgroup of the Black Student Movement, while simultaneously motivating people to come to Christ. Woodard asserts, "Our ultimate goal is to become a closer knit family and to work together to spread gospel music throughout the campus and the community." Accomplishing their goal with efficacy, people of all races partake in the joyous spirit of the occasion.

Distinguishing this organization from others is



their burning desire to compel the community to Christ through song. As a result of their diligent efforts to do God's will, they have been blessed with an opportunity to record their harmonious voices at their Spring Concert 1999, and produce an album. Proud of the choir's accomplishments, Kristian Herring comments, "I truly commend the choir and its members for their devotion and focus towards the recording." Already touching innumerable lives by singing at various churches and colleges in North Carolina, as well as touring such cities as Washington, D.C., Atlanta, and Jacksonville, Florida, they will soon be affecting an even wider array of audiences with this new endeavor. Inspiring many, the Black Student Movement Gospel Choir enthusiastically displays their yearning to positively impact the community through intense dedication, commitment, and sincerity to entice others to follow Jesus. Anchored in God, the directors and president of the Gospel Choir use the talents that God has bestowed upon them to be a blessing to others. ☼