

# To Black Man, Skin Is Symbol Of Consciousness

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that everything that would grow, grew white. He has not been permitted to the right to "Life, liberty and the pursuit of happi-

ness", the principles on which this country was founded, but is compelled to fight and die for a place where he cannot work or live. The Black man can't be the

way all of (You) want him. He is easily identified and slotted or stereotyped because of physical characteristics, like his dark skin and hair, for example. To the Black

man, his skin has become a symbol of consciousness and his hair a symbol of racial pride. One interesting feature about the hair is that it's tenacious; pull it, tug at it, and it bounces right back.

So the white man can't keep killing or trying to control the Black man with guns, (his) laws and pills. He can't keep pretending he doesn't know what's happening or saying to himself that he doesn't want to get involved; he can't keep saying to the black man, "some of muh best friends are nigras"; he can't keep saying

and is going to burst wide open sooner than most are willing to wager. But, I cannot help but wonder, if a white man's recognition of one facet of the Black man's plight with the expose of Orangeburg incident has awakened him to the realization of what is happening in the broader context.

So fellow students, you should not be alarmed if (I) call (You) by your first name or don't speak when I see you in a public place; all of you look alike at times and I cannot speak to all of you.

T. J. Reddy

## WAYS, WGIV Commended For Giving Record Air Play

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or show no favoritism in the recording that they play.

Here is the song in its entirety:

### WE'RE A WINNER

We're a winner and never let anybody say,  
Boy, you can't make it cause a feeble mind is in your way.  
No more tears do we cry,  
And we have finally dried our eyes.

And we're moving on up (moving on up).  
Lord have Mercy--We're moving on up (moving on up).

We're living proof and all is alert  
That we're too, from the good black dirt.

And we're a winner, and everybody knows it too.

We just keep on pushing, like your leaders tell you to.  
At last that blessed day has come.  
And I don't care where you come from.

We're all moving on up (moving on up).

Lord have Mercy--We're moving on up (moving on up).

Hey! Hey! We're moving on up (moving on up).

Lord have Mercy--We're moving on up (moving on up).

I don't mind leaving here,  
To show the world, we have no fear  
Cause We're A Winner.

Larry E. Miller

## APO Could Adopt Drive For Tissue As Project

Dear Editor:  
It's everywhere! It's everywhere!

An I (Incomplete) seldom results from a finished paper; however, an Incomplete definitely results when one attempts using the finished paper that now flourishes in the bathrooms.

Undoubtedly the party that ordered this pain either brings his own tissue paper or has a regularity that is fortunately met before school hours begin. Did you know that "magic marker" will neither run nor blot when used on this paper?

Although APO has had many

service projects, their greatest opportunity is now at hand! I implore them to sponsor a "Toilet paper drive" -- it would definitely clean things up around here!

James Jacob Johnston, Jr.



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