

## OPINIONS

### The Million Man March: "Keeping The Spirit Alive"

NEWS RELEASE  
Masterpiece Publishers

Calling all Winston-Salem and WSSU men who participated in the Million Man March!!!

A historic journal, "Keeping The Spirit Alive - A One In A Million Commitment," will celebrate the spirit of the March. It will contain soul-stirring vignettes and poetry, captivating pictures and editorials and a salute to Black organizations. The author wants to document the names of participants in this journal.

It will include a special dedication to Clovis C. Campbell, Sr., publisher of the **Arizona Informant** newspaper. His assistance with this project has been invaluable.

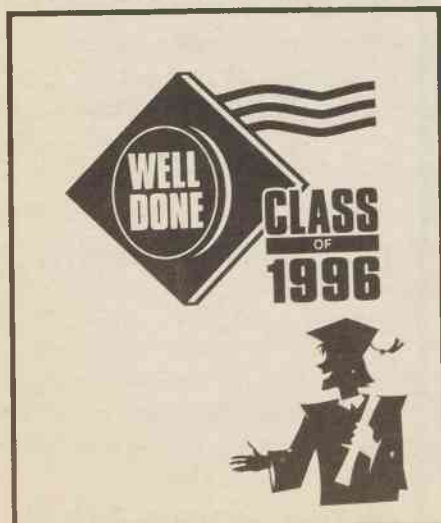
A contribution of all sales will go to the NAACP, The NAACP Scholarship Fund, and The Phoenix Birthing Project.

For more information contact: Masterpiece Printing and Publishers, "Keeping the Spirit Alive" series, P.O.Box 1256, Peoria, AZ 85380. Send a fax or phone: 602-412-5556.

### Parking from page 2

the campus master plan, opens during fall 1997, where will visitors park? Where will Brown Hall residents park? If the parking problem is not addressed now, it will become an even greater problem in the future. Who is going to help solve the problem?

- Torrol Holt



## Reading Brings Knowledge

Do students come to college just to say that they completed a degree or do they come to seek knowledge for self improvement? Do you want to learn about the world in which we live?

If you look through the library you will easily find that are books 10 years and older in the library that have never been checked out. The lack of reading done at this university is surprising. Does anyone read anything unless it is assigned?

Have we forgotten that blood was shed for African-American students to have the right to even attend school? Not long ago, African-Americans were not allowed

to be taught to read or write!

In Frederick Douglass' autobiography, he stated that he was not allowed to be educated. His master's wife taught him to write and say the alphabets. Later she stopped teaching him because it was against the law for slaves to read and write.

He continued to read, listened to people talk and pronounce words on his own. Frederick Douglass was a man who did not stop reading no matter what.

Parents and grandparents are responsible for teaching their children how to read and understand the significance of reading.

Teachers are also responsible. They have the ability to motivate students when parents fail to or can't do so. They are guides when students are not sure which way to go.

We as students, parents and future parents must understand that reading is important because reading allows you to broaden your horizons. We must also understand that reading allows

you  
to be

### COLUMNIST

Elizabeth Coston

Students also have the responsibility to motivate themselves. They must help their parents, grandparents and teachers, who can't do it alone. They must want to know about the world in which they live.

exposed to things we might never see or visit.

We must read not just what is assigned to us; we must read other books for knowledge. "Knowledge is power."

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