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8TH ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP GOLF CLASSIC

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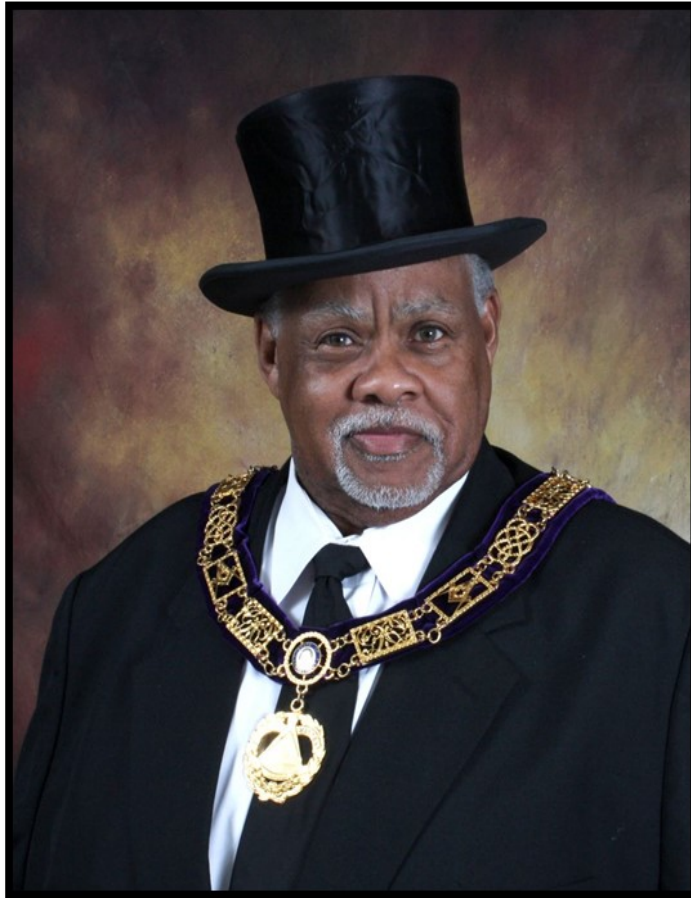
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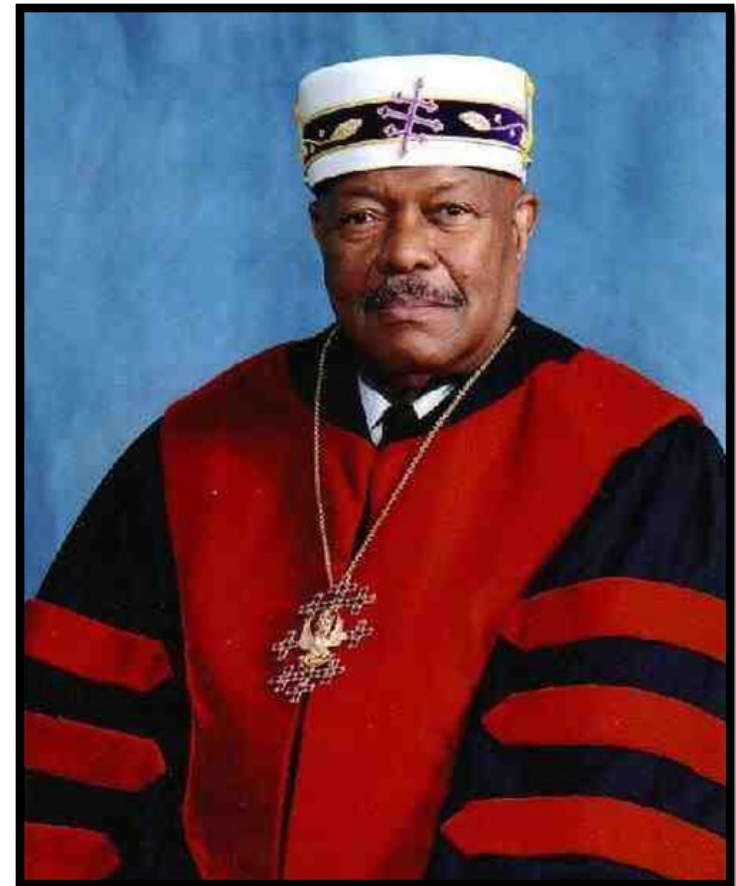
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15 August 2015

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8th Annual Scholarship Golf Classic

Dear Golf Classic Supporters,

The Golf Committee of the Scholarship Fund is proud to be hosting the 8th Annual Scholarship Golf Classic. The Fund's sole purpose is to raise money for the financial support of achieving high school students in areas served by members of the Orient of Connecticut of the United Supreme Council, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Prince Hall Affiliation, Northern Jurisdiction.

As President of the Scholarship Fund, Inc., I would like to let you know that all of the money raised during these events goes directly to help defray some of the ever expanding costs faced by achieving graduates who have been accepted at four year and community colleges. To date, we have been able to financially support more than 16 high school graduates in their quest for a college education.

Without players and the generous contributions made to the Scholarship Fund by our supporters, nothing we have accomplished over the past 8 years would be possible.

Again, thank you for your support and welcome to the beautiful Laurel View Country Club, enjoy your day.

Sincerely,

Edward E. Cherry,

Edward E. Cherry, President

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Thank you one and all for making the

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CONNECTICUT PRINCE HALL SCOTTISH RITE HISTORY

The first Scottish Rite organization among African-Americans was the African Grand Council of 1820 in Philadelphia, which was referred to as a Council of Princes of Jerusalem. This Council arose through West Indian migration, for Stephen Morin had propagated the Rite there. The organization of the King David Supreme Council grew out of conferring in Philadelphia (1850) of the 33rd Degree by Count DeSaint Laurent of the Supreme Council of Spain on David Leary, the first Black Inspector General of the Prince Hall Scottish Rite.

Scottish Rite Masonry came to Connecticut on August 20, 1892. New Haven Consistory No. 7 was chartered September 29, 1892 with Illustrious Robert L. Reed as its first Illustrious Commander-in-Chief. Brother Reed later served as the Sovereign Grand Commander of the United Supreme Council, Northern Jurisdiction from 1897-1898. Illustrious George W. Crawford, 33° of New Haven, served as Sovereign Grand Commander from 1949 through 1965. Our present Sovereign Grand Commander is Illustrious Brother Solomon Wallace, 33°, of Queens, New York.



2015 AWARD SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

NOAH ALLEN RUFFIN



Graduated Norwalk High School
June 18, 2015

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

Norwalk High School Marching Bears

Norwalk High School
Winter Percussion

Member of Norwalk High School
Science Travelers Program

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

Volunteered at Stepping Stones
Museum for Children from eighth
grade until tenth grade during the
school year and summer months

AWARDS OR SPECIAL RECOGNITION:

2014 Silver Medal Recipient in Winter
Guard International in Percussion

2015 Bronze Medal Recipient Winter
Guard International in Percussion

ACCEPTED TO:

NORWALK COMMUNITY COLLEGE

PLANS ON ATTENDING:

FASHION INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
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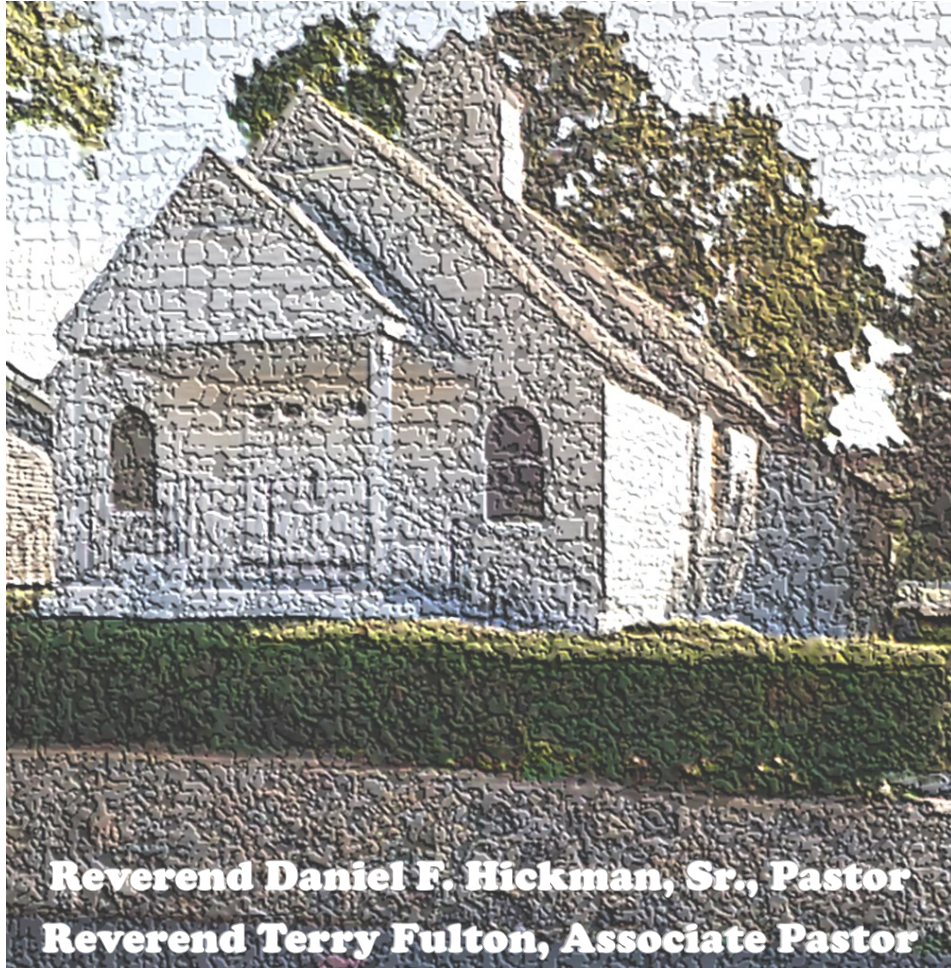
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Scholarship

Hoping you have a successful event
from the Officers and Members of
Excelsior Lodge #3

Worshipful Master

Willie E. Foster





Reverend Daniel F. Hickman, Sr., Pastor
Reverend Terry Fulton, Associate Pastor

and the members wish you a successful
CT Prince Hall Scholarship Golf Classic
174 Cherry Street
New Canaan, CT 06840



**KEITH KOUNTZ, NEWS ANCHOR / WTNH, CHANNEL 8
MASTER OF CEREMONY & HONORARY CHAIR**

Kountz first came to News Channel 8 in 1987 as a reporter. Shortly thereafter he was promoted to Weekend Anchor. In 1994 he became co-anchor of Connecticut's top rated early morning newscast "Good Morning Connecticut at 5am" and "Good Morning Connecticut at 6am". Kountz also co-anchored News Channel 8 at noon. In 1998, Kountz left Connecticut to become a main anchor at WJXX in Jacksonville, Florida.

"I'm so thrilled to be back", says Keith. "Connecticut is like home to me. I love the area, my family loves the area and being back is a dream come true". He goes on to say "the people of News Channel 8 are like family. I've known Ann, Mel and Geoff for over a decade. They're more than co-workers, they're friends and they make the work environment that much better".

While at WTNH, Kountz received acclaim for his news series called "Who We Are", which focused on individuals, organizations and issues important to minorities throughout the state. He also hosted "Wednesday's Child", a weekly series that featured children in need of adoption. As a part of the greater New Haven community for more than 13 years, Keith has worked closely with a variety of charities. Some of these include the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, Big Brothers / Big Sisters and the Boys and Girls Club.

Before working in New Haven, Keith served in a similar capacity at WIXT-TV in Syracuse, New York. He has also worked at WSAV-TV in Savannah, Georgia and WPDE-TV in Florence, South Carolina. Keith has been the recipient of more than 40 civic and professional awards, including the Greater New Haven NAACP Media Award (2000), the Greater New Haven 40 Under 40 Award (1997) and LIN Television's "Circle of Excellence" award.

An avid golfer, Keith and his wife Dawn are the parents of two daughters.



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