



# BLACK & GRAY



The Official Newsletter of Upsilon Xi

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## From the President

I can't believe that another year has come and gone. Since I have been a member of the greatest club on the Lee College campus, I have seen several things that have changed in the club. We were blessed to have a successful 30th anniversary in 1992. In January of 94, I saw our brotherhood increase by tapping 19 that semester, and also in May of 1994 the Lord blessed Upsilon with the completion of the long awaited Clock Tower. It is indeed a blessing, and it stands as the vocal point of the Lee College campus. With the completion of this project, there were several people wondering where Upsilon will go from here. My answer to this question is "wherever the Lord will take us". This year, the Lord has been doing a miraculous work in the lives of the men of Upsilon. We are just coming out of a mighty convocation where the Lord changed lives and also revealed callings. It is "indeed a great time to be a part of Upsilon".

In looking ahead to the rest of the semester, there are not many things that I would like to change. The one thing that I would like to do in the future is to get back to some of the Upsilon traditions of the past. By this, I mean find out in what areas Upsilon was successful, and also in what areas Upsilon experienced difficulty. If we could complete this task, I feel that we will be better equipped to overcome some of the obstacles of the future. We should try to learn from some of the best teachers who have already been where we are trying to go. The brotherhood ties in Upsilon are very strong and are seen by the entire campus this year. There is no way that we, as a club, could ever **THANK YOU**, our alumni, for the great traditions that a part of the Lee College campus. Although you are gone, your presence will always be felt. **THANKS FOR THE LEGACY, AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN NOVEMBER !!!**

HICKORY!

President Eric Diggs

## Upsilon's Block Party Kicks the Semester Off RIGHT!

Upsilon Xi's Annual Block Party for the Lee College Campus again started the semester-off successfully. The Block Party is an opportunity for returning and new students to get acquainted and fellowship with each other. This gives Upsilon Xi and the other Greek Fraternities a chance to introduce themselves and the things that they do for the Lee College community.

The MC's for this year's event were President Eric Diggs and Kevin McGlamery. This year's entertainment included a live band with Gene Batten and Rodney Williams. We also included the tradition of Crowd Prizes, Special Music, and **TONS O' FUN!**

The focus of Upsilon Xi is to exemplify Christ in all we do and to promote Service and Fellowship in our activities. We also give Jesus Christ the Honor for making this event another complete success!

By Kevin McGlamery

## Upsilon Xi Invites 9 New Members in Fall of 1994



This semester the Men of the Black and Gray invited 9 new members into our organization. They are: Lynn Barker, a Psychology major from Savannah, Georgia (She is sister to Matt Barker, a present member); Lance Dannic, a Psychology major from Yonkers, New York; Noel Forrester, a Pastoral Ministries major from Snellville, Georgia; Joseph Giove, III, a Biology major from Gaithersburg, Maryland; Thomas Heeren, a Pre-Dental major from Delaware City, Delaware; Jason L. Hopkins, an Accounting major from Dover, Delaware; Mike Parker, a Sociology major from Abingdon, Virginia, (Mike is the brother of former Little Sister Vivian Parker); Pete Smith, a Psychology major from Jesup, Georgia; and Kevin Tighe, a Bible/Theology major from Dayton, Ohio. This semester Miss Mary Cannon, an Elementary Education major from Roswell, Georgia, was elected to represent us as Our Lovely Sweetheart.

## Upsilon Xi Spring 1994 Awards

For the second straight year Upsilon Xi has captured one of the Lee College Campus' premier awards. This past year Jason Hendren won the F.J. Lee award from Lee College. The F.J. Lee award is bestowed upon the student considered to be the best all around student at Lee College. Jason is presently residing in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. He is attending the University of North Carolina Law School.

Kristy Murray won the Music Department Award. This is given to the most outstanding Senior Music Major each year.

Bill George 110% Award - Phillip Harris  
 Bill Helton Sportsmanship Award - Matt Barker  
 Outstanding Senior Award - Kevin McGlamery

## Upsilon Xi Fall 1994 Executive Committee

### *President*

Eric Diggs - Washington D.C.  
 Business Administration

### *Vice - President*

Tim Moore - Savannah, Georgia  
 Christian Education

### *Senior Member*

Shane Stephens - HICKORY, North Carolina  
 Music Education

### *Secretary*

Matt Brumlow - Conyers, Georgia  
 English

### *Treasurer*

Landon Roberts - Lawrenceville, Georgia  
 Christian Education

### *Chaplain*

Michael "Bubba" Livingston - Westminster, Maryland  
 Church Music/Business

### *Alumni Coordinator*

Rodney Williams - Jacksonville, North Carolina  
 Music Education

### *Historian*

Russ Meilstrup - Lebanon, Ohio  
 Wellness & Fitness

### *Historian*

Richard Jackson - Hilton Head, South Carolina  
 Christian Education

### \*\*\* A Bit of History! \*\*\*

This is the very first Executive Committee to walk through THE Upsilon Clock Tower on Tap Night!





## *Upsilon Xi*

1994 Sweetheart & Little Sisters

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## **Black & Gray Leads the Campus**

**T**he Men of Upsilon Xi again fulfilled pivotal key leadership roles on the Lee College Campus.

### **Student Government Association:**

Lenny Garrison - Senior Class Vice-President

### **Music Ensembles:**

Sandy Garren - Director of Evangelistic Singers

Shane Stephens - Lee Singers Student Director

Rodney Williams - Lee College Symphonic Band Student Director

Gilbert Medina - Lee Singers Chaplain

Michael Livingston - Campus Choir Student Director

Byron Wilkes - Lee Singers Vice President

### **Honor Societies:**

Matt Brumlow - Alpha Chi

Rodney Williams - Alpha Chi

Dr. Robert Herron - Charter member of Kappa Delta Pi Education Honor Society

Dr. Mark Wickam - Charter member of Kappa Delta Pi Education Honor Society

Rodney Williams - Charter member of Kappa Delta Pi Education Honor Society

### **Greek Letter Clubs:**

Miss Beth Bounds - President of Delta Zeta Tau

**Upsilon Xi  
Clock  
Tower**

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PRODUCT!***



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## **We Want to Hear from You!**

**W**e count it an honor to hear from our alumni. Feel free to contact us at any time for any reason.

Thank you for giving us the tradition that we have today!

Hickory!

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## Who's Where?

Walter Van Watkins, '73, presently resides in Stone Mountain Georgia.

Sharon Grogan Mercer, '80, presently resides in Sanford, North Carolina. Sharon is a school teacher and mother of three.

Tony L. Colson, '93, recently married LeShea Williams and is presently residing in Amsterdam, Holland working with Youth With A Mission.

Gerald Whittington, '67, presently resides in Greenville, Mississippi. He teaches at Mississippi Delta Community College.

Brian Yaun '89 and Cathy Summers Yaun, '90, presently reside in Largo, Florida. They are currently working in full-time youth ministry.

### 1994 Homecoming Schedule

#### Friday, November 11:

1:00pm - 7:00pm Registration - Dixon Center Lobby  
4:00pm Old Timers Game - Walker Arena  
7:00 pm Music Festival - Conn Center

#### Saturday, November 12:

7:45am Alumni Breakfast - Holiday Inn North  
2:00pm Homecoming Basketball Game -  
Bradley High School Gymnasium  
7:00pm Music Festival - Conn Center

### President's Test:

1. When did Upsilon Xi receive official sanction from Lee College?
2. Who was the 12th Sweetheart of Upsilon Xi?
3. Who were the First Low-Men to fall asleep during retreat?
4. Who proposed the Clock Tower Project?

Answers  
1. September 26, 1962; 2. Bev Jumps; 3. Andrie Daugherty and Mike White; 4. Mitch Richardson

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