



NOTABLE MINORITIES WHO CHANGED HISTORY

MARCH 5, 2010

“Do what you can to show
you care about other people,
and you will make our world
a better place.”

- Rosalynn Carter Quote

“SPRING”

WORD SEARCH

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ALLERGIES	LEAVES	WET
BASEBALL	MARCH	
BEEES	NEW	
DAYLIGHT	PLANTING	
EASTER	RAIN	
FLOWERS	SOFTBALL	
GOLF	SPRING	
GREEN	WARMER	

Dates to Remember:

March

8– 13 CoSCC Spring Break
 14– Daylight Saving Time begins
 17– St. Patrick’s Day
 20– Spring begins
 28– Palm Sunday
 30– Passover
March is Women’s History Month

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Rosalynn Carter

ELEANOR ROSALYNN SMITH CARTER Former First Lady of President Jimmy Carter (August 18, 1927 - Present)

Eleanor Rosalynn Smith Carter was born in Plains, Georgia on August 18, 1927. She was born the first of four children in her family to the parents Allethea Murray Smith and Wilburn Edgar Smith.

Rosalynn married former president Jimmy Carter in the year of 1946. In 1953, Jimmy’s father died and they returned to the Plains to take over his family’s peanut and warehouse business. Rosalynn worked full time managing the financial accounts of the peanut, fertilizer, and seed.

As First Lady to President Jimmy Carter; Rosalynn traveled separately during his presidential campaigns around the United States. She promoted performing arts nationally and she invited top classical artist from various nations including traditional American artist to the White House. She was an advocate for mental health, the community, and the elderly. In 1977 to 1978 she was the Honorary Chairperson of the President’s Commission on Mental Health. The Carters left the presidency on January 20, 1981 after their loss to Ronald Reagan.

After returning home to Plains, Mrs. Carter wrote her autobiography, *First Lady From Plains*, it was published in 1984. Several other books followed, including *Helping Someone with Mental Illness: A Compassionate Guide for Family, Friends, and Caregivers* (with Susan k. Golant). Her current status is vice chair of The Carter Center in Atlanta, founded in 1982 promoting peace and human rights worldwide. At the Center, she leads a program for mental illness to promote greater access to mental health care. She also partners with the ex-president in undertakings of 65 countries for human rights, unresolved conflict, improving global health, and building democracies. She continues to travel and speak throughout the world and enjoys fly-fishing, bird-watching, swimming, and biking in her free time.

(Source: <http://www.whitehouse.gov>)

2010 CENSUS TO BE MAILED MID-MARCH. Take 10 minutes to answer 10 questions which could help our communities for the next 10 years. We can’t move forward until you mail it back. (Source: <http://2010.census.gov/2010census>)



CHECK OUT OUR UPCOMING EVENTS!

- Black History Dialogues. Lecturer Mrs. Colia Clark, April 12, 11:00 AM, Ledbetter Auditorium.
- “What can I Do With This Major?” - Tentative Date: April 21st. Seminars to assist you in completing your resume, interview process, exploring career options , and preparing yourself for the workforce , Location and time TBA.

***More details on both events forthcoming.**