SEEN AT THE S.T.A.R. ASSOCIATES, INC. RECEPTION hosted at the 32nd Street Plahza recently are (L to R): Jill Weinstein, Jonathan Theinhold, Executive Director of Resource Associates Corporation, (an international Human Resource Development Company based in Pennsylvania); Barbara Robinson, founder and president of S.T.A.R. (Strategies, Tactics and Results Associates, Inc.); Mrs. Enolia McMillan, national and local NAACP president and Lona Graves.

WALTER DEAN greets S.T.A.R. Associates, Inc. president and founder Barbara Robinson.

32nd Street Plahza welcomes S·T·A·R· Associates, Inc.

Strategies, Tactics and Results Associates, Inc. (S.T.A.R.), Baltimore's newest international human resource development and training firm, hosted a well attended reception at the 32nd Street Plahza Club, Wednesday night, November 13. The purposes of the reception were to introduce the firm's staff members and development concepts to the Maryland and D.C. area. The company is built on the belief that one of the most "wasted" resources today is the human resource.

S.T.A.R. was formed to answer the need for a results-oriented human resource development company. The company is part of an international network of leaders in human resource development.

They offer a systematic, structured, open-ended approach to developing managers, supervisors and leaders by utilizing customized programs that incorporate attitudes, goal setting and human relations skills into a process that turns knowledge into power, ideas into action and efforts into increased profits.

George Taylor, owner and operator of Arts and Flowers, Inc. Florist with shops on Park Ave. and Park Heights Ave., decorated the jazz room of the 32nd Street Plahza Club with attractive plants and arrangements of flowers in Autumn colors, artistically displayed in baskets, vases and mounted on pedestals.

Ms. Linda Venable Coordinated and supervised the refreshment portion of the reception, choosing a light wine with tasty chicken and assorted vegetables, dips and other delicacies prepared by the skilled culinary hands of Johnathan at the Plahza.

The guests of the HRD firm were introduced to the professional staff members of S.T.A.R. via a well organized panel discussion, with the president and founder of S.T.A.R., Ms. Barbara A. Robinson, introducing the firm, staff, concepts and giving a brief history of its origin.

Ms. Robinson briefly informed the guests of the difference between development and training referring to John Naisbitt's book "Megatrends" and Peters and Waterman's book "In Search of Excellence." Ms. Robinson expounded on the concept of development in "high tech/high touch."

The reception was attended by such prominent individuals as Enolia McMillian, National and Local President of the NAACP; Ms. Margarite Campbell, Orchard Street Restoration; Dr. Dave Johnson, CCB; Steve Carter, Dept. of Motor Vehicles; Ms. Ophelia Bell, Deputy Director of C.E.B.O.; Ms. Patricia Corey, Provident Hospital; Colonel Zotos, Baltimore City Police Dept.; Ms. Shirley Madsen, McClean Contracting Co.; Ms. Barbara Webb, Director of the Clerical Institute; Gregory Walls, Corporate Executive WEBB; William Dorsey, Administrative Clerk, District Court; Ms. Marie Henderson, Baltimore County Government; Ms. Shirley Fisher, Palladium Inc.; Ms. Odee Hampton, owner of Odee Interpretations; Ms. Cynthia Dotson, Bethel Outreach Center; William Welch, Prince Georges County Government; Mmes. Mary Stevens-Harris and Phyllis Moore, Dept. of Education; Ms. Toni Price, Dept. of Personnel; Ms. Linda Janey, Dept. of Social Services; Ms. Kelly Hill, founder and President of Black Single Parents; Ms. Dawn Keene, Berkshire Associates; Ms. Betty Brown Dorsey, Oil of Mink We Care Dist. and many more.

The program was concluded with Johnathan Reinhold, the Executive Director of Resource Associates Corporation, an International Human Resources Development Company based in Pennsylvania summarizing the four development programs.

He talked to the audience concerning the concept of development and the utilization of repetition in each program. Reinhold, a former opera star of the Metropolitan Opera Co. in New York, mesmerized the audience with the self confidence and self assurance that only a seasoned professional can project.

After the program concluded, the guests were encouraged to examine the displays of the structured programs artistically situated in various locations of the room, surrounded by plants and flowers.

They were reminded that S.T.A.R. does not utilize 'canned' programs, rather, all are customized and tailored for the individual company or to fit individual needs.

United Presbyterian Women highlight Lady Sara Lou Carter

The United Presbyterian Women of Grace Presbyterian Church hosted a fabulous luncheon and fashion show Saturday, Nov. 23 at the Forum. Several hundred people gathered at 12 noon for an afternoon which included an epicurian delight in a luncheon and fabulous fashions done under the theme 'Holiday Fashion Festival 1985', by Willa Bland, Director, Flair models, who was also commentator.

Greetings were extended by Kathryn T. Frisby, chairperson, Program Committee and the blessing by Mrs. Marguerite Daniels.

The gloriously colorful and beautifully designed garments were aired in eight scenes–Top of the World, the Marketplace, Dream Days, Soft Tech, Gloria Says and following intermission, And other Luxuries, Holiday Splendor and Play it Again (Finale). There was no stone unturned in apparel, with the gamut running from loungewear, to casual to after five to formal, with dresses, ensembles, suits, coats you name it–it was there.

A special highlight of the afternoon was the attendance and participation of guest model Lady Sara Lou Carter, who is as lovely and charming as ever.

She received flowers from Senator Clarence Blount and from her former classmates at Bennett College in North Carolina. There was a whole table of her former classmates present. It was a splendid afternoon which ended on a high note of gaiety, in keeping with the holiday spirit.

Lady Carter is a graduate of Bennett College, Greensboro, NC; was a teacher of Elementary Education in North Carolina, a high fashion, model in New York, NY; a cover girl 26 times; a radio personality, WLIB, New York (on a daily program four years); a weekly radio program, 'Sara's WYCB, Washington, DC and wife of former ambassador from Guyana, United States, France, United Nations, India and the Court of St. James.

During the Thanksgiving Season the Westminster Guild of Grace Presbyterian hosts this event as part of their mission program.

Kathryn T. Frisby and Janet C. Woolridge were chairperson for the affair. Other committee members were Anne Pinkney, Grace L. Burke, Etta B. Davis, Gladys Gross, Beatrice P. Payne, Sara Raylor and Charlotte Watkins.

Mary T. Sprow is president, Westminster Guild. The Reginald J. Daniels is interim pastor.

Through this event the group is able to contribute funds to the House of Ruth, Church Women United, The Vacation Church School and to the local mission program of Grace.

Photos by Paris

LADY SARA LOU CARTER is presented flowers by Senator Clarence Blount during her appearance as a guest model during the United Presbyterian Women's recent luncheon-fashion show.

MARION SMITH, a former classmate from Bennett College (far right) looks on as another former Bennett Classmate (L) presents flowers to their old school chum.

—More Partyline

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gram, and by popular demand, the Kappas sang the "Kappa Hymn" and the "Kappa Sweetheart Song." The "Sweetheart Song" was led by Brother Maceo R. Dumas, Jr., who was joined in the Circle by his mother, which made for a very touching scene.

The organization of the serving process was handled by Silhouette Gloria Marrow, wife of the Chairman, who, along with Silhouette Mabel Murray, directed and organized the Lambda Zeta Chapter's Scroller Sweethearts to assist in preparing the plates. Alumni Kappas, Scrollers from Lambda Zeta, and Guide Righters served the Senior guests.

James H. Marrow was the chairman of this most successful activity. Brother Marrow arranged the menu, recruited the aid of not only the undergraduates from Lambda Zeta and Zeta Gamma Chapters, and the Silhouettes, but also coordinated with Brother Charles Woodford the arrangements for transportation for Senior guests.

The Silhouettes helped prepare and serve the delicious food. Some of them cooked for two days. Brother Marrow, himself a fine cook, also prepared a great deal of the food. In fact, Brothers such as William Hunt, Al Smith, and Elmer "Teddy" Murray also helped with the cooking.

Brother Elmer T. Murray was the Co-Chair of the Thanksgiving activity. Other Committee members were George Brown, Clarence Hawkins, T. David Bowie, Charles Woodford, Robert Johns, Gus Chase, William Dennis, and members of the Silhouettes.

And many Brothers, too numerous to name here, did things such as helping to set up tables, provide kitchen coordination and materials, as well as coming out and giving support so that a good time would be had by all who attended.

—J.U.G.S.

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routines, with precision and grace.

Teri Joyner is choreographer for the group, many of whom are daughters and sons of J.U.G.S.' members or daughters and sons of friends of the Baltimore Chapter.

It was a zesty, fun-filled evening, and members and their guests participated in it with gusto.

Mrs. Mattie Slowe founded the Baltimore Chapter in 1967. Bernice Hardy is chapter president and National Financial Secretary.

There were several members visiting from other chapters, which are located in Washington, DC; Detroit, MI; Grand Rapids, MI; Pittsburgh, PA; Los Angeles, CA; Atlanta, GA; Norfolk, VA; and Chicago, IL;

Other Baltimore members are Eleanor Gwynn, recording secretary; Carrolyn Glascoe, corresponding secretary; Carleen Wilkes, financial secretary; Helen Boyette, treasurer; Rosemary Atkinson, business manager; Shirley Gregg, parliamentarian; Betty Dorsey, publicity chairperson; Frances Stith, chaplain; Bridgett Dean, budget and finance chair; Jeanne Saunders, costumes and decorations chairperson and Juanita Smith, Living Ads Program Chairperson.

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THE LIVING CHURCH

Associated Managers donate $10,000 to hunger fight

(from left to right) Rev. Benjamin Foust, Curtis Ringold, Rev. Marcus Wood, and Frank Drumwright.

Associated Manager's president, Ike Rasbury flanked by the group's business manager, Claude Parker, presents a $1000 check to the service staff of St. John Community Service Program.

By Brion M. Tyson
AFRO Staff Writer

On Friday, Nov. 29, a humanitarian crusade was implemented. The Associated Managers, a group of black managers within Joseph Seagrams and Sons, liquor distributors, donated $10,000 to fight hunger in Baltimore.

Hundreds of friends and well-wishers witnessed the distribution of ten $1,000 checks at the St. John A.M.E. Church Social Hall. The checks were distributed at the affair by the Associated Managers' president, Ike Rasbury, and business manager, Claude Parker.

Among church organizations to receive parts of the $10,000 donation were: the Maryland Food Committee, the Food Service Committee of Macedonia Baptist Church, the Outreach Center of Bethel A.M.E. Church, the Emergency Food Relief Fund of Providence Baptist Church, the Food Service Committee of Camp Farthest Out of Douglas Memorial Community Church, St. John Community Services Program of St. John A.M.E. Church, the Heritage Soup Kitchen and Pantry of Heritage United Church of Christ, the Emergency Fund of the Interdenominational Alliance, "Our Place" of Brown Memorial Church, and the Christmas Basket Fund of Union Baptist Church.

Rev. Benjamin Foust, a speaker at the affair and pastor at St. John, expressed concern for hunger as it affected people locally and nationally.

"It pleases me that through the efforts of the Associated Managers and these ten outreach organizations, we have been able to have some impact on the problem. Although this is a giant step in the right direction, it is only the first step, we still have a long way to go in wiping out this problem altogether," Rev. Foust said.

Afterwards, he introduced Associated Managers' fundraiser chairman, Guy Patrick who congratulated the organization for its successful fundraiser on Oct. 5 held at The Forum on Primrose Avenue.

Mr. Patrick then congratulated the ten organizations that received the $1,000 awards.

Representatives from each of the ten church organizations accepted the awards, gave brief remarks, and continued to enjoy the evening.

Recipients included: Virginia M. Beverly of the Maryland Food Committee, John McNair, accepting for Macedonia Baptist Church; Charlie Clemons for Bethel A.M.E. Church; Rev. Marcus G. Wood for Providence Baptist Church; Marion C. Bascom for Douglas Memorial's Food Service Committee; Julia Hebron Mosby for St. John Community Services Program; Rev. Frank Drumwright, Jr.; Curtis C. Ringgold for the Interdenominational Alliance; Barbara Cole for Brown Memorial Baptist Church, and Valerie B. Clifford for Union Baptist Church's Christmas Basket Fund.

A highlight of the affair was when one needy person signed up for food services and afterwards attended the awards ceremony.

"It was a heartwarming experience to see just one citizen receiving the benefit of our efforts....Really beautiful," said Mr. Patrick Tuesday.

At the Oct. 5 "Feed the Hungry" Bullroast/Banquet, where Associated Managers successfully raised $5,000, nearly 600 people attended. Seagrams supported its effort through its matching gift program, raising the amount to $10,000.

Tracing the origin of the Associated Managers, according to Mr. Patrick, the group started in 1979 as an organization concerned with the upward mobility of blacks within Seagrams and Sons.

"Now that we've achieved many of our goals, we want to extend our expertise to some of the problems of the black community," Mr. Patrick told the AFRO.

Following the October fundraiser, he expressed gratitude to the many members of the Baltimore community who donated monies to help feed the hungry.

"We've discovered that there are a great many people out there who are willing to help fight hunger in the city," Mr. Patrick said.

At the end of the awards ceremony, Associated Managers' treasurer, Ben Brooks, said, "The processing and distribution of the $1,000 checks to these different outreach organizations was one of the most gratifying experiences of my life."

A.M. members look on as one needy person signs up for food assistance.

Associated Manager's fundraiser chairman, Guy Patrick

Church group demands South African sanctions

HARARE, Zimbabwe — The World Council of Churches, saying apartheid is "against God's will," ended an emergency conference Friday with a call for sanctions against South Africa and support for its black nationalist groups.

In a final statement entitled "The Harare Delcaration," the WCC also urged an international ban on loans to the white-minority government and companies and financial institutions in the nation to protest the country's racial policies.

The declaration also called for a world day of prayer June 16 "to end unjust rule in South Africa" and for the implementation of a U.N. resolution that urges South Africa to grant independence to Namibia, or Southwest Africa.

The declaration followed several hours of discussions among the 88 conference delegates, some of whom had warned against support for economic sanctions.

But the conference said "the moment of truth is now for South Africa and the world community," and called South Africa's policy of apartheid, or racial segregation, "against God's will."

"We understand fully and support those in South Africa calling for the resignation of the government," the declaration stated. "We regard this as the most appropriate and least costly process of change as we await a new democratic representative government in South Africa."

The declaration urged churches in South Africa and elsewhere "to support South African movements working for the liberation of their country."

The WCC has been an apartheid foe since its founding in 1948 and its "Program to Combat Racism" has funneled hundreds of thousands of dollars into anti-apartheid groups.

During the conference, 37 South African churchmen met leaders of two South African black nationalist movements — the outlawed African National Congress and the Pan-African Congress - in defiance of South African government policy.

METRO CHURCH BRIEFS

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH

A Golden Age Fellowship Dinner will be held on Saturday, Dec. 14 at 3 p.m. The event will take place at Morningstar Baptist Church, 1063 W. Fayette St. This dinner is being sponsored by the Life to Life Givers and WEAA Radio for the purpose of honoring approximately 250 senior citizens.

Participants will include City Council President Clarence "Du" Burns, State's Attorney Kurt Schmoke, Sen. Nathan Irby, Del. Elijah Cummings, Councilman Nathaniel McFadden, Judge Robert Bell, former State Sen. Verda Welcome, and Rep. Parren J. Mitchell. For information, call Ernest Dorsey at 396-7546 or 276-2329.

GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Chancel Choir will present a Carol Service on Sunday, Dec. 15 at 4,30 p.m. at Grace United Methodist Church, 5407 N. Charles St. near Northern Parkway. The program will feature Robert Elmore's "The Incarnate Word." The choir is under the direction of Bruce R. Eicher, organist. Soloists include Alice Mack, Kathy Arnold, John Tyler, and Paul Redline.

EMMANUEL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Emmanuel Christian Community Church will present Vesper Services, the singing of Christmas music, on Sunday, Dec. 22 at 4 p.m.

A freewill offering will be accepted. The church is located at Carrollton Avenue and Lanvale Street. Rev. Sidney Daniels is pastor.

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH

The youth of Pennsylvania Ave. A.M.E. Zion Church will hold their Annual Bazaar and Variety Dinner on Saturday, Dec. 14, starting at 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Many items will be on sale at a very low cost.

The variety dinner will consist of fish, chicken, potato salad, green beans and homemade cakes and pies. Come and enjoy an afternoon of fun and relaxation. Persons of all ages are welcome. The church is located at the corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and Dolphin Street, Rev. Marshall H. Strictland is pastor.

HUBER MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

There will be a Christmas Bazaar at Huber Memorial Church of Christ, located at 29th Street and the Alameda, on Saturday, Dec. 14 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. The affair will take place in the church's Fellowship Hall.

Come out and enjoy a day filled with exciting gift items for value shoppers and fun for all. Activities will include shopping in the Christian Store as well as games and crafts, baked goods and treats, health screening and a movie matinee.

All items remaining from this sale will be sold during the following week. Proceeds from the bazaar will be used toward the scholarship fund. Donations are welcome.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

The Cultural Arts Committee of Union Baptist Church cordially invites you to attend the Senior Choir's Annual Christmas Concert on Sunday, Dec. 15 at 5 p.m. at the church, located at 1219 Druid Hill Ave.

The Senior Choir will feature John Miller on the organ and Mrs. Janice Forrest will be conducting. Admission is free. For information, please call Mrs. Carpenter at 523-6880.

VICTORIOUS FAITH CHURCH

Here's your opportunity to see and hear one of Baltimore's most talented and promising gospel artists of the decade.

On Saturday, Dec. 14 at 7:30 p.m., Victorious Faith Church, 4617 York Rd., will present in concert Earl Baker and Company with special guest Gina Kelly. This gospel concert will also feature Rev. Lindsay Freeman and the Voices of St. Abraham Choir of Baltimore. Tickets are $3. For information, please call 922-6390.

BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH

The Junior Missionaires of Berean Baptist Church are proud to present the youth and adult choirs of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in a Sermon and Song Concert on Friday, Dec. 12 at the church, located at 5200 Denmore Ave.

The concert will benefit the sixth anniversary of the Junior Missionaires.

The Junior Missionaries of Berean Baptist Church will celebrate their sixth anniversary on Dec. 15 at 3:30 p.m. All are invited to fellowship with the church. Come and let us praise Him together in a pre-Christmas concert and sermonette by our Junior Missionaries.

MOORISH SCIENCE TEMPLE OF AMERICA, INC.

Executive Intervention for the purpose of preservation of the Moorish Code. Pursuant to Chapter 48, Article 1 of the Moorish Code. Effected 1985. Declared October 27, 1985. All members and officers that claim to be the prophet in the flesh, of the Moorish Science Temple of America shall be in violation of the Moorish Criminal Code and also federal law and are subject to arrest, prosecution and conviction by law.

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