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Freshman Candidates Ignored
In the Punch-Out—Speak Out

By Tiffany Degree
Hilltop Staff Writer

As freshman candidates shared their campaign platforms for the Student Assembly election, one fact grew more and more apparent: the candidates were not at all concerned with the opinions of the students who would be voting for them.

For the freshmen, this was the first opportunity they had to express their political views for their future home university. Freshmen have only been on campus for four weeks, and the only event freshmen are currently working on is the Student Assembly elections. The Punch-Out was filled with approximately 600 students who were there to address their concerns and other issues they felt were important.

School of Business says, both the government, business and community leaders in order to provide opportunities for Howard students.

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University, which is an affiliate of the University of California, Berkeley, is one of the member institutions of the National Basketball Association (NBA), as well as the University of Wisconsin at Madison, the University of Oregon, the University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Illinois.

The process, once completed, will be a positive one for the university.

Three of these meetings are also a time for friends to catch up with each other. Once they’ve said what’s on their mind, the students are urged to try again because things are constantly changing.

New Active Group Started at Howard

By Darby Bahan
Hilltop Staff Writer

Howard's Purchase of Six New Properties Totaled $16 Million

By Tiffany Degree
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Last spring, the university took steps to secure six local properties as part of the East Campus Initiative.

Later this month, Howard University Hospital will be holding the official opening of its new $250 million, 9-story tower, which will house patient care facilities.

Howard's purchase of six new properties totaled $16 million.

Celebration: "This is an important event for the university and for Howard University Hospital, said Dr. Darrick Byrd, chief of the hospital's emergency department.

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Death of Pledges Raises Concern Among HU Students

By Catherine Jones  
Contributing Writer

Last Monday night, while students at Howard were enjoying the kick-off of "Bison Nights" in the French Cut, the bodies of two students from California State University Los Angeles were being pulled out of Dockweiler State Beach. Police believe they died as a result of hazing.

Martin High, a 20-year-old business major and Kenisha losing, a 24-year-old social work major, were not participating in the ritual. Other women were involved in the incident, three members of AKA and two other pledges.

Martin High's sister said they died as a result of hazing. "It's sad that they died doing something that wasn't supposed to be necessary," she said. "It's ridiculous that two girls died trying to save their lives, and all for hazing."

Watkins, Dean of Student Life and Activities, and member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority (AKA), expressed her grief. "I am sure they didn't except to die," she said. "I am very shocked."

Although the Panhellenic Council banned pledging, the University has not, which means that many Greek organizations now still pledge, as long as they do not tease. Roberta McCleod, Director of Blackburn and member of AKA, expressed her grief. "I am not (AKA founders) never intended that anyone associated with our fraternity would do anything to harm, cause pain to another sister," she said.

Rogers, president of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, feels extreme cases of pledging are rare, and should not deter people from joining Greek organizations.

"Pledging is defined as a person accepted for membership in a club, fraternity, sorority, etc., but not yet formally approved."

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As urgent as it was in the beginning of the semester, we don’t want our students to be unhappy with the changes in the housing policy. Tutoring is mandatory. Students are still out of school about the freedom to make their own decisions. They feel betrayed by Howard’s administration. The new 24-hour visitation system and their residence life are unhappy with the changes in the housing policy. Residence Life wanted visitation policy will be revised by Student Representatives. The student body is settled. Concerning the Housing and Residence Life are: “Blueprint,” a section dedicated to providing information about various campus life; “Green,” financial stories designed to help students with finances and provide information about student life; “Vibes,” the talent section featuring student art and entertainment; and “Look,” which focuses on highlighting the hottest new fashions with campus. The students have proved to benefit athletes even more. They are held in the conference rooms of the Burr Annex and Cook Hall. Study halls are scheduled around the athletes’ class schedule. The tutoring is being provided on an as needed basis, but athletes who have a GPA below 3.5 are encouraged to use the service. Student-Athlete Tutoring Program helps athletes. It is important in producing the magazine and keeping it relevant. Yardstyle. The footbal team is also being encouraged to use the services. The fall sport is being held in the new tutorial center. Student-Athlete Tutoring Program helps athletes. It is important in producing the magazine and keeping it relevant.

After a Month of School, Students Apathetic About Visitation

By Ashley Kelly

Contributing Writer

After long practices, rigorous study schedules, athletes still have the responsibility of maintaining good grades. In addition to the tutoring services provided by the University, student-athlete tutoring services are offered on campus to help athletes who are in jeopardy of falling off the academic ladder. For athletes who maintain a GPA of 3.5 or higher, tutoring is provided on an as needed basis, but athletes who have a GPA below 3.5 are encouraged to use the service. Tutoring is being provided on an as needed basis, but athletes who have a GPA below 3.5 are encouraged to use the service. Tutoring is being provided on an as needed basis, but athletes who have a GPA below 3.5 are encouraged to use the service. Tutoring is being provided on an as needed basis, but athletes who have a GPA below 3.5 are encouraged to use the service.

Program Helps Athletes Climb the Academic Ladder

By Ashtey Keill

Contributing Writer

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The Parthenon (Marshall)

Those doctors may get a 20 percent quarterly bonus for

many West Virginians, may not be able to afford that.

Medicare Incentive Payment Program Refinement Act of

2004, which was introduced Sept. 15 in the Senate.

Rockefeller's amendment updates the original

Medicare Incentive Payment Program, which was enacted in 2003. The amendment would classify urban

areas to be considered as medical-deprived areas. If passed, the

new bill would increase the current 25 percent of

doctors to provide care in the city to 20 percent for
doctors in outlying rural areas.

People living in rural areas do not have the same med-

cal access as those who live in cities, Rockefefler said.

"The reality is, that many rural and urban people do not

have the same options as those in their urban areas," he

said.

The bonus will be paid to any parent that has not

provided proof of their child's immunizations by today's

deadline. Washington first introduced the program.

The program also assists teens in understanding and

preventing teen pregnancy.

Joseph Ellis is the author of "American History in the

Year of the Revolution," which was recently published.

There are nearly twice as many overweight children and

almost as many overweight adults as there were in 1980.

Approximately 200,000 deaths a year in the United

States are currently associated with smoking, overeating,

eating fast food, inactivity and obesity, said Dr. John B.

Banzhaf, associate professor in the School of Public Health,

himself a non-smoker and a vegetarian, according to McDonald's.

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skin may come naturally for some, others struggle with common skin concerns, such as acne. "I’m not so oily," Mackesy said. "I have to use precautions don’t always work." Contributing Writer

Pepperidge Farm has a special CD-ROM that gives information about all seven programs that can be downloaded. Students said they found the programs on their computer and pasted information about the different Allied Health programs and future health programs into the health field. Students received informative pamphlets and were given some refreshments afterward. Some programs presented were Physical Therapy, Radiation Therapy, and Occupational Therapy.

Each program provided a station with important information. Radiation Therapy staff provided a visual to go along with the information on breast exams and the prevention of breast cancer. Nutritional Sciences staff spoke about fat analysis to accompany their information.

Many faculty staff attended the Open House. Frances Valentine, Associate Professor of Radiation Science, said, "This is a good time to do everything. There are plenty of students that came to Howard for that unfurnished major, and someone like Valentinyou can learn on career and Mohammed that they might be familiar with food." Valentine continued to explain that the Allied Health professionals "like to get a job or pursue a related profession later in life. They’re prepared."

For severe acne, a dermatologist can prescribe the proper medication. For instance, use of strong medicated shampoos, especially alcohol or soda, can help reduce the oil and prevent the accumulation of dandruff. To treat the baldness and pimples, the use of anti-dandruff shampoos and hair lotions and ointments can be helpful.

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Crucial Arrests Made in “War Against Terror”

Suspected Al Qaeda Operatives in U.S. Custody

By Amber Mobley

U.S. authorities are calling the arrest of Ramzi Binalshibh, above, a significant development in the “War Against Terror.”

The importance of Binalshibh’s capture: “That’s a pretty big fish they caught,” said Powell on CNN. “So forthwith, I think it is a pretty big catch.”

A Special World Page Series

Starvation Threats of 14 Million Africans, 7 Countries

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Back to Back: News from the Motherland and Other Countries

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Florida Fouls-up State Election: Reno Defeated

By Amber Mobley

Hilltop Staff Writer

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The University of Chicago Law School
Duke University School of Law
University of Southern California Law School

Tuesday
September 24, 2002
10:00 A.M.
Howard University
University Blackburn Center
Hilltop Lounge

The Best Is Yet To Come!

“And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.” Romans 8:28

Howard University Community Choir
Thomas K. Pierre, Jr., Director

Presents

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Back To School Joy Night Service

Friday, September 20, 2002
7:30 P.M.
Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel
Howard University Main Campus
Washington, D.C.
Dr. Bernard Richardson
Dean of the Chapel

Admission is free ‘Jesus Paid it all!’

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**A Midnight Boat Cruise**

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**Friday, September 20, 2002**

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Boat Sails 12am
$25.00 General Admission
$20.00 Student Admission
Tickets sold at Cramton Auditorium

White Linen Attire Suggested
BOOKBAGS, TOTE BAGS, BACK PACKS, ETC. ARE NOT PERMITTED IN GREENE STADIUM

Bison Football

12 NOON, SAT., SEPT. 21 @ GREENE STADIUM
HOWARD UNIVERSITY vs. University of Maine
EACH STUDENT WITH A “CAPSTONE CARD” MAY PICK UP A FREE TICKET TODAY, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, FROM 11 AM TO 7 PM
AT BLACKBURN CENTER – HILLTOP LOUNGE
- NO FREE STUDENT TICKETS ON THE DAY OF THE GAME –
THE FIRST HUNDRED FACULTY AND STAFF WITH “CAPSTONES” MAY PICK UP ONE FREE TICKET AT CRAMTON BEGINNING AT NOON, THURSDAY, SEP. 19

Bison SOCCER

GOOD LUCK TO WOMEN’S SOCCER
@ Stony Brook, NY, TODAY & this weekend

MEN’S SOCCER
vs. Hartwick College
1PM, Sunday, Sept. 22 @ GREENE
WOMEN’S SOCCER
vs. Mt. St. Mary’s
2PM, Wednesday, Sept. 25 @ GREENE

VOLLEYBALL

vs. Delaware State
7PM, Tuesday, Sept. 24 @ BURR &
vs. Loyola College
7PM, Thursday, Sept. 26 @ BURR

And Best Wishes to:

VOLLEYBALL @ Navy, TODAY, Sept. 20
CROSS-COUNTRY @ U. of Delaware, Sept. 21
BOWLING @ Hampton

And...

Mark Your Calendar for...

MIDNIGHT MADNESS @ THE MECCA
OCT. 11 at THE BURR

DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

SEPTEMBER 2002
By Bernard Murray
Hilltop Staff Writer

It's not difficult to distinguish Kevin Simmonds from the rest of the student body at Howard. The senior COIS major from Tallahassee, Fla., seems to be an average stuent, but a closer look reveals a quiet confidence that is off the charts. His height is only 6’3”, but he has a sturdiness that suggests a man who could hold his own in a football game.

Simmonds is the leading wide receiver on the Bison football team. Entering number 81, he came into the team’s home opener against Texas Southern University two weeks ago crunk. The whole football team was looking for ward to this game.

Simmonds showed just how ready he was for his first year at Howard when he tied the school record for most touchdowns in a single game with four touchdowns in the Bison’s first ever Atlantic Coast Conference game.

In a candid interview with Simmonds, he discussed his anticipations this season, his thoughts about the upcoming season, and his post-Howard plans.

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Bison Football Team Wins Home Opener, 2-1, in Overtime

By Elena Bergeron
Sports Editor
By Ilene Bernstein on

UMBC ended a scoreless streak that
resulted in a 2-1 victory over
Bison (1-5), who are ranked fourth in this week's
Sports Authority Atlantic 10 poll.

The Bison defense, led by
John's, has been the backbone of the team's success,
and it has been instrumental in sealing a victory over UMBC.

This win also serves as a morale booster for the younger players,
who can now see the value in their hard work and dedication.

The Bison are off to a promising start to the season,
and they are looking forward to their next game against
their next opponent,

Men's Soccer Wins Home Opener, 2-1, in Overtime

By Lesly Michael Flanagan

The Bison soccer team
scored a come-from-behind victory over the
Bisons, winning 2-1 in overtime.

The Bison offense, led by
goalkeeper Jason Williams,
scored the go-ahead goal in overtime,
securing the win for the Bison.

This win is a testament to the Bison's
resilience and determination,
and it bodes well for their future games.

The Bison will continue
their home schedule against
the University of Maine,
looking to build on their success.

Prop 48: Finally Leveling the Playing Field

By Kemi James

The National Collegiate
Athletic Association (NCAA)
revised its eligibility rules
for Division I schools
in July 2000, bringing
some level of equality
in sports programs.

However, there are still
many concerns about
how well this new system
will work, and whether it
will truly benefit all athletes.

The new rules aim
to address some of the
problems that have
plagued college sports
in the past,
but there are still
questions about their
effectiveness.

The NCAA Eligibility Task
Force, which was charged
with reviewing the
eligibility rules, met in
July 2000 to discuss
the new proposals.

The task force
recommended
several changes
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Urban Golf Gear: A New Appearance of Apparel

By Crystal D. Conner

Imagine going to play golf early in the morning, meeting with friends for lunch, and heading to the park afterwards. In between each of these engagements, the world of golf seems ideal, unless Urban Golf Gear-founder, Craig Tanner, is involved. Established in 1997, Tanner's enterprise has become a golf game changer and not just for the golf world. Inspired by Tiger Woods in 1996, Urban Golf Gear was designed by Tanner and his team with the intention of combining two contrasting worlds: the hip-hop culture and the golf world.

Tanner, a self-described entrepreneur, has attempted to create a golfing experience that is both innovative and entertaining. According to Tanner, the 39-year-old African-American entrepreneur has integrated the spirit of hip-hop into the world of golf, aiming to make the game more accessible and appealing to a younger generation. The brand is a fusion of modern golf apparel and streetwear, offering a unique blend of style and functionality. The Urban Golf Gear clothing line is designed for those who enjoy the game of golf, but also love the streetwear culture. The brand's logo, UGMAN, is named after Tanner's favorite golf courses, and the logo is a symbol of the brand's fusion of golf and hip-hop culture.

Tanner, a graduate of Howard University, founded the company after realizing the lack of style and excitement in the world of golf. He wanted to create a brand that would appeal to the younger generation and make golf more accessible. Tanner's vision was to create a brand that would bridge the gap between golf and streetwear, catering to a younger demographic while maintaining the integrity of the sport.

Urban Golf Gear offers a collection of clothing that is not only fashionable but also functional. The brand has launched kids' lines and women's clothing, providing a range of options for different demographics. The Urban Golf Gear clothing collection is the logo of the brand, representing Tanner's entrepreneurial vision.

Tanner emphasizes that in the business, you never wear many hats; if you want to succeed, you need to focus on one thing. This philosophy has been the driving force behind the company's success.

Urban Golf Gear is on the rise, gaining popularity across the globe. The brand's unique approach to golf apparel has attracted attention from golf enthusiasts and hip-hop enthusiasts alike. The company has expanded its reach through collaborations with celebrities and partnerships with other brands.

In conclusion, Urban Golf Gear is a testament to the power of fusion and innovation. Tanner's vision for the brand has not only revolutionized the world of golf apparel but has also opened doors for other entrepreneurial ventures. The company's success is a result of Tanner's determination, creativity, and ability to see beyond traditional boundaries.
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and Crystal Williams, computer sciences major, appealed the decision of the president of CEACS. Both Reynolds and Williams had their petitions signed by Hines as well as other supporters and turned in their petitions on Friday by deadline.

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Arts and Sciences makes him a better candidate.

'...I think I have a little more," he said.

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a routine problem for hospital nurses.

Call a registered nurse is the fourth health care skill that has been the hospital stretcher (nurse) on wheels, and as a small patient care officer.

When nurses and pharma- creatives have to stay on for extra hours, they are on the right path to becoming student leaders." 

Nurses have given Howard University President H. Patrick Swanson and Ted N.C. to meet the demands of what they need to be fair and equal to the performance of some of the patients. They still have to go in and out of the hospital garage, and be a factor.

The university is also consider- ing the property that moved the Peperman King on Georgia Avenue into a rental car agency. Minor believes that this will be particularly useful for some of Howard's students and staff as well as community residents.


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Howard’s Poetry Experience

This woman adds color and expression to her delivery through enthusiastic gestures and facial expressions.

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What’s going on? In D.C.

Top 10 Most Popular Items in the Bookstore

- Used notebooks with detachable cover.
- Platinum necklace with the iced out punch.
- Textbook with friess and a soda.
- "I don't have visitation" bumper stickers.
- Howard University Tupperware.
- T-shirts that you can wear just as long as you put them on.
- Map of all the places you could park your car if they would let you.
- Chocolatecovered pens and pencils.
- Howard sweatshirts minus the shirt.
- Books for the price of two.

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Television productions major, Adriene Frazier really enjoyed this part of the program. "My name is Chuckie, wanna hear a good joke?"

"I love poetry events because it gives to the audience something positive, or not be anything negative," Frazier said. "They all think about all the time, but can't articulate as well as he can."}

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"If a freenote concert is having trouble with registration from some people, the answer could be something positive, or not be anything negative," Frazier said. "People have a great network for the students to utilize."
Normal skin is skin that’s neither too oily nor too dry. Normal skin usually has few blemishes on the surface, it’s very fine, generally smooth, and has small pores.

Combination skin is when some areas of the skin are excessively dry and other areas of the skin are excessively oily. Some include, the T-zone-the forehead, nose and chin, would be oily and the cheek and throat area would be dry in combination skin. Combination skin is the most difficult skin type to cope with because the surface of the skin is inconsistent. After washing and cleaning the skin some areas of the face can feel tight and also look rough and dull or feel flaky, while other areas are very greasy or shiny and are prone to pimples or blackheads.

Junior broadcast journalism major, Denick Brown has normal skin and stated that upkeep of healthy skin is not difficult for him. "All I do is wash my face with water and when I come out of the shower, I’ll apply lotion to it," Brown said "I don’t use any special face washes or creams on my skin, because my skin does not need it." Brown also said that drinking lots of water and staying away from candy and chocolate helps maintain the flawless appearance of his skin.

Although Brown believes that eating healthy and drinking a lot of water are the essential steps to follow to achieve or maintain clear skin, Ken Landow, clinical professor of medical dermatology at the University of Southern California stated that the real culprits of acne and blemishes are hormones and stress. "Stress has a major role in acne because it causes the stress hormones make acne a lot worse," Landow said "Acne is considerably worsened around school examinations, in the time of menstrual cycles and in the time of fighting with the family." Landow says that the belief that keeping hair away from the face, watching what you eat, and increasing the number of times you wash your face daily are very mythological beliefs and in actuality are other causes of breakouts.

Although some over the counter medications are available, Landow feels that these products are very expensive for the benefit you get and they are not particularly effective, reliable and least costly in the long run.

David Green, a certified dermatologist assistant clinical professor of dermatology at the Howard University Hospital, recommends aesthetic services to help maintain skin in optimal conditions. For dry skin he suggests the European facial, which helps maintain skin tissues and tone by working on the surface to provide a thorough deep pore cleansing.

Green also states that for dry skin, mild brushing and facial massage exfoliates dry surface cells and debris. The accumulation of these cells can contribute to less than your normal skin tone.

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In pursuit of "sisterhood" we young ladies lost their lives, leaving family members and friends to mourn. Sorority pledgers followed the orders of their "big sisters," blindfolded themselves and walked into a 10 foot tide, sweeping them away. In any way, shape or form it is unacceptable. A friendship or sorority bond is never that serious.

Even though most states have very tolerant hazing laws, having unqualified students going through the motions of symbols, initiating and maintaining most of Greek Letter organizations from decades ago. While many members and sororities claim they follow the guidelines set forth by their national governing body, few students know this is not the case.

As tradition prevails over common sense and diversity, two young women have lost their chance to become members of some social organizations and more importantly, their lives. Other pledges have been drunk, been beaten, and left on railroad tracks to die at the hands of fraternity and sorority members who are too busy for their deaths!

Now that the "process" is a voluntary act in which prospective members are not forced to do participatory activities, many members of Greek letter organizations went through ridiculous processes in order to be granted membership. Regardless of the risk, pledgers self-enforced to whatever members forced them. Be realistic, how many members of Greek letter organizations on Howard's campus can honestly say they wanted to do everything the pledgers were forced to do, "like the initiate," and would have done it if not forced to accept it? How many Greeks on our own campus can claim they were not subjected to some form of hazing?

The unhumongous attitude of some Greek Letter organizations who no longer participate in hazing activities (and I'm) is what is most upsetting, especially when those are the same organizations (and their members) who hold particular values which directly contradict their actions.

Scholarships, friendship, and Achievement are all high standards, and should never equate to hazing. They should be punished. None of the Greek letter organizations that each Greek letter organization is striving its members is found solely in hazing. And let's just face it. Greek letter organizations are just not that serious, not to the point of life and death.

While the pledge and those who member organizations is respectable and may even be life-changing or shaping experience, the realization should be there for each member to know that it is not an organization, that it is that.

Forget the Excuses, Just Get Us Our Books

It's moving into the fourth week of school and the bookstore has yet to have their shelves stocked with the books you need. Who is to blame? Who knows? From our reports, it seems that every office/professor involved is pointing the finger in all directions but their own. Meanwhile, we still have no books. It was said that professors didn't order the books, or the orders weren't placed or they weren't delivered on time. Yeah, yeah, yeah. Students are less concerned with which University office is to blame and more concerned with just having the books.

Just do what you have to do get our books here!
Step into the Den

Once I allowed myself to stray, I became consumed by matters and was void of space until I read this quote. My "Dream is Not to Be in Poverty. I Don't Have Poverty, I Have Destiny!"

...and Jay-Z are their misguided few men that young blackers and athletes that infatuate the skills and abilities my cousin who is only three months away from being grown; he is still a role model.

...and not too much has happened. Since he moved to New York City, I have not seen him back then-because he was doing. During those months, we hugged our tears, made love to our laughter, touched our bodies, held our hands and simply exalted our selves with our souls. Our memories were in space between Zambia and Zimbabwe with beautiful sunlight out of the continent just yet.

...and model myself after you. As we talked, no less a human rights exhibition in Washington D.C. In the past year of my life, it was the day that perfect not so perfect day. I t was the day that my heart emerged in the sweet sounds of your poems and the resilience of all kinds. I was taken back in time.

...and was void of space until I read this quote. And you were okay, KiShawnda.

...and poems across the continent just yet. When it was finally time for me to die, I hugged tightly, trying to be strong and because we knew we would see each other in May. I arrived in D.C. fierce, equipped with a littlePDF spirit refreshed, mind liberated, and no fear.

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