By Shara D. Taylor

"Where is the love, y'all?" Please let this one be displayed on banners at all the joints at all the stages to show support for the one we're fighting for today," Gillette said. "Luckily, he was cut in the face, he then went to the hospital, and his doctors cut his face, and so he has to go back to the hospital every week, and we're fighting for him because he's fighting for his rights, and we're fighting for his health."

Many of the protesters held red signs with President George W. Bush's last name spelt with a swastika in place of the letter 's'. Organizations directed chants at the march. While reciting the curse of "K commanded to" and 10th Street, protesters Bonnie Gillette of Northwest Washington, D.C., was fighting for millions of innocent lives. "My husband is active milit­ary," Gillette said. "Luckily, he isn't overseas right now, but there is no excuse to kill our husbands and broth­ers."

As activists approached the L Street, pro-war demonstra­tory, calling each other all sorts of names from Communist, to Nazi, to Jew-Hater. As advocates of peace, we are fighting for a world where all people can live in peace."

By Byron Stewart

Howard alumni assist current students in obtaining jobs and internships through job fair.

Jamaica's Prime Minister Speaks at Legacy Lecture

By Venus B. Taylor

"We want to see a world where the only thing that separates us is our common humanity. We are all one."

University Nixes Band's Appearance in DMX Video

By Anna Wheeley

"I was told that the video would not be shot at Howard University."

Students Search for Careers at Job Fair
Conference Gives Muslims a Voice

By Talman Bradley
Contributing Writer

This past Saturday on the campus of the University of Columbia, the Peace and Justice Foundation held a conference on civil liberties. Among those in attendance were accomplished Muslim Americans from various walks of life. The event aimed to make known the still right unfulfilled rights of the War on Terrorism, and the U.S. Patriot Act’s significance in both Muslim Americans and other minority groups.

The four-hour program began with remants from author of the book "The Greater Threat" by Chuck Michaels. Michaels outlined the U.S. Patriot Act and its potential threat to civil liberties. Michaels detailed several government search and seizure laws, new internet surveillance capabilities, expansion of alphabetical powers, expansion of foreign student monitoring, and an overall judicial deference to executive power.

"We stand here at just about the second anniversary of the U.S. Patriot Act and there is no end in sight," Michael said.

Michaels added on the audience to pay close attention to the recent revisions of the U.S. Patriot Act to take place in 2005. Michaels urged the mostly Muslim audience to fight for civil rights.

The government cannot affect our rights because the government does not own us, Michaels said. "We can only surrender our rights, if we are going to surrender and fight back.

The program continued with impact statements from families of Muslim presently detained by the government. During this point in the program, the audience will hear family members shared the grief and pain of having their loved ones thrown through an unfair legal system.

Families discussed the recent statistical data in the Patriot Act and the cost that the government can now hold citizens under administrative detention. To many Muslims, this status serves as an explanation for the devastatingly high immorality Muslim Americans.

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Students

Like Dorm Stores’ Convenience

By Kristal Knight
Contributing Writer

Hungry? Wait. This is how many students feel when hunger calls outside of cafeteria hours. Students living in Meridian Hill and the Annex have the privilege of taking a short walk downtown to their dorm to eat, their hunger. These two particular dorms have a store inside of them.

For the past three years, students with allergy must purchase their own breakfast, lunch, or dinner. Many students have a store inside their dorms. The dorm consists of snack foods and

See STORE page A9

Senate Chaplain Preaches Importance of Dealing with the Giants in Life

By Richard Dorence
Contributing Writer

Barry Black, Senate Chaplain of the United States, encouraged students to overcome obstacles during Sunday’s sermon in Cranton.

During his sermon, Black illustrated that in the Holy Bible, before David fought Goliah, David almost did not get anointed. "We can only surrender our rights, if we are going to surrender and fight back."

With the pending tuition increase, students find different monetary resources. See CHAPEL page A9

School Loans: Looking at the Fine Print

By Chereah Jackson and Josie Nimmick
Hilltop Staff Writers

With tuition on a continuous climb, many old and new Howard students rely on student loans to finance their education. However, with the tightness of the economy, many of these students began to ponder and plan on ways to pay back loans.

The registration process as a common theme. "Who wrote this?"

A Moment In Howard’s History

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Senior Staff Writer

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The History of General Registration

By Shermelia J. Williams
Contributing Writer

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you accidentally knock your roommate’s toothbrush into the toilet. he’s not home. what do you do? answer the question. compare your opinions with others. explore what matters at pwc.com/lookhere.
Demonstrators young and old met on the nation's capital to protest Bush-led policies.

Radical Rahs along with many other anti-war organizations such as Code Pink, protested on Saturday to bring the troops home.

PROTEST from A1

Lindsey Oliver
Radical Rahs

"This is such an awesome, awesome experience. Everyone needs to get involved."

Doug Laudy
George Washington University

"I am here supporting the liberation of Iraq out of war. I want to bring the troops home as badly as everyone else here; we just have to finish business first."

Kyle Whaley
Washington, D.C.

"This is a pointless war that should have never happened. There are other peaceful ways. We don't have to kill children with no food."

The Ladies of Alpha Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated

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The Hilltop October 28, 2003
Job Fair Gives Students a Chance to Find Careers

Job Fair from A1

and exhibitors provided ample opportunities for students in every aspect of communication.

Students came from

rings of schools from Florida A&M University.

For some of the students from other schools, the Howard job fair provided prestige like no other.

"As far as going for a Job Fairs I'm just trying to see what's out there," Ervin Perez a senior film major Jordan Field said.

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Students gave mixed reac-
tions to the seminars. Some complained about late start-
times, no-shows and other problems.

"The seminar I went to was

at 10 AM, but I had to be there at 9 AM," Patton, a sophomore journalism major said. "The speaker couldn't give you into more detail. He way

wasn't really motivational."

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At first I couldn't understand why Patterson was coming to the UN to talk about the UN; Manning said. "It was late, I had to go to TV all the time but this was quite a real great experience."

Junior psychology major Yolanda Henderson was disappointed by Patterson's speech, which effectively changed her views of the UN.

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Band's Announcement Cancelled for Video

BAND from A1

review the contract," Franklin Chambers, vice president of stu-
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"It was highly discriminat-

ing," Olga Oyoja a political sci-

ence major said. "As long as the video did not offend anyone, than it should still have been done. Even if DMX is our campus, and far more

things occur on Georgia

"I agree a lot with the

ones in the video," one student said.

"Some students feel that a double standard is being used by the administra-
tion."

"Balance between the University must remain an integral part of society life not only the students but the administration as well," Archibald, a physical therapy major said. "Concern has been expressed over the potential offensive nature of the video but I find it more offensive when my friend is assaulted at a University function and the assault are allowed to remain and enjoy themselves the rest of the evening."

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**Sign Off: Are 'Signs' Real or Exuses for Insanity?**

*By Sean Jackson*

**Hilltop: Staff Writer**

Lamar, Colorado is the beginning of a watchlist of paranoia. The word spread like wildfire through the town, spreading fears. In the middle of the night, a group of people gathered, believing that the government was watching over them.

This was in response to a speech given by Boykin, a former military leader, who has been identified as a controversial figure due to his support for the foreign policy of the United States. The community was concerned about the government's role in their lives and believed that they were being targeted.

Boykin's speech was not well-received, with many in the community feeling that his comments were fueling fear and paranoia. The response was a call for calm and a reminder that the government is there to protect the citizens and not to harm them.

**The Hampton Script Needs Independence**

Hampton University's student newspaper, *The Hampton Script*, has been voicing concerns about the university's lack of independence from the federal government. The newspaper has been critical of the university's reliance on federal funding and has called for more autonomy.

Previously, the university has been accused of being too reliant on federal funding. A recent letter from the university's president, Dr. Cheryl Regis, has been criticized by the newspaper for not addressing the concerns raised by the students.

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**Colin Kaepernick**

Colin Kaepernick, a former NFL quarterback, has been the subject of much controversy in recent years. He became known for kneeling during the national anthem to protest social injustice and police brutality.

His actions have sparked a national debate about the role of athletes in social justice and the relationship between athletes and the government. Some have viewed his actions as a form of protest, while others have criticized him for using his platform in this way.

The debate continues to rage, with Kaepernick's supporters arguing that his actions were a form of peaceful protest, while his critics argue that he should have remained silent. The issue is one that is likely to continue to be a source of controversy for some time to come.
Taiwan Boasts World's Tallest Building

By Gregg Wallace

Taiwanese officials officially broke ground on the world's tallest skyscraper Friday evening, with the construction team setting the pinnacle on the 3,895-foot tall pinnacle.

The 102-story structure, which includes a public plaza and space and an observatory - will rise 1,675 feet in height in east Taipei. Called Taipei-101, the skyscraper will include a mall, office boxes, and apartments. But the developers liken it to a bamboo shoot and expected to attract more than 900,000 visitors each year.

In Malaysia, Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamad was unmocked by the announcement that his country would be the site of the world's tallest office tower. The twin 88-story Petronas Towers, are ranked to be the second highest buildings in Malaysia.

"They have one tall very tall building, taller than ours, but we have two," Mahathir told journalists at a summit of Islamic nations. "We have the distinction of having the tallest towers in the world. No one else has that yet." Some have argued that the building would be bigger.

The developers have said the close front line is 0.8 miles from the building, and the fault has been active in 30,000 years.

The ceremony coincides with a newspaper forum to be held in Malaysia this week, the Kuala Lumpur postage is the first global meeting of architects and engineers about the investigations into the consequences of the September 11 attacks in 2001.

Design changes like earthquake protection, which were a major factor in the collapse of buildings, as well as the spread of emergency escape routes, will be proposed changes to reduce the building's size.

Sophomore civil engineering major Jennifer Leow and her colleagues spent the past two weeks studying the new structure.

"The technology and design that are available today provide a higher level of safety and security than buildings erected in the past," said Lorn. "We have changed. The buildings of today are a direct reflection of the future of structural engineering and the effects of what happened in the Wells. But they do not adversely affect structural development and safety."

Other proposals include the joining of buildings by a series of bridges between upper levels of twin towers in addition to serial walkways, which will assist in the evacuation process.

"Taipei turns 1,000 at 1,876 feet, resembles a bamboo shoot. To the Asians, it symbolizes a broader understanding and anticipation of things to come: they believe in "elivering" in order to "see further." It is the first skyscraper structure in Taiwan involving input from construction scientists to specialize from around the globe when it's completed in 2007.

Taipei 101.

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The sounds of drums, bass, and...
Dorm Stores Bring Convenience

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"Black comforted by standing with the congregation, that the three ways to beat the giants in their lives are to stay humble, persevere in the face of discrimination from seemingly unlikely sources, and focus on the main issues and not the problem.

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### ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT RECORDS

**Fall 2004 General Registration**

**Monday, November 3 rd – Friday, November 14 th**

9am – Midnight

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A New Season, A New Outlook: 2003 NBA Preview

By Jonathan Davis

The 2002-2003 NBA Season brings more questions than answers and the only thing for certain is, "Will Lebron James live up to every expectation being the number one NBA draft pick? Will he be under the microscope the moment he steps on the court, or will he be kept under the radar?"

Corey Maggette will be a factor in keeping the Clippers on top.

By Joshua C搜

The Lakers have a few new players this season, including Addens Eldon Campbell, Dennis Scott, and Jarron Collins. The Magic will be under the microscope the moment he steps on the court, or will he be kept under the radar?

The division is up for grabs as the Penguins look to win their second championship in five years. On top of that, they have the understanding how to win in the regular season and in the post-season.

Central Division

Detroit Pistons (50-31)

They advanced to the Eastern Conference Finals for the first time since 1988 and eventually lost to the Chicago Bulls. The Pistons are favored to win this conference.

Karl Malone and Gary Payton are two new Lakers looking to get a ring this season.

Los Angeles Lakers (50-30)

In the regular season, the Lakers were swept by the Nets. However, they made several trades to get swingman Robert Horry and point guard Reggie Miller along with forward Raef LaFrentz and Keith Van Horn from the Dallas Mavericks. Heda Turkoglu, Scott Pollard, Jiri Cofman and Larry Brown will be under the microscope the moment he steps on the court, or will he be kept under the radar?

San Antonio Spurs (60-22)

The Spurs have won their third championship in five years, however, they may have a rough road ahead. The Nuggets are replacing the retired David Robinson and have signed guard Reginald Miller along with acquiring Scott Pollard from Sacramento and Brad Miller.

Dallas Mavericks (60-22)

This year's NBA Finals could be a rematch between the New Jersey Nets and the Los Angeles Lakers. Both teams have the two most important ingredients working for them: experience in winning and the understanding how to win in the regular season and in the post-season.

Michael Jordan will be brought in to help the Lakers win a title.

The winner of this division will be under the microscope the moment he steps on the court, or will he be kept under the radar?

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Sport: Soccer

Position: Forward

Classification: Senior

Stone Mountain, GA

Garner scored 3 goals and 2 assists that set a program record in her senior season. In a 3-2 win over Longwood University, she scored two goals and in a 2-1 win over Robert Morris she scored 1 goal and dished out 2 assists.

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Name: Juma Osman

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Hometown: Kapaset, Kenya

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By Nakisha Williams

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Destined For Greatness

By Monica L. Barbara

The Nation of Incarnation

"Yeah, man. I mean you what I'm saying?"

"Know what I'm saying?"

I see what you can

Deeper than the misuse and

Too often I find myself saying,

The part of blacks is justified by

America is a form of rebellion

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You can see his passion for the

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He's a tolerant man. He's

Snakes' commercial on BET

I think he wants to do that. I

He's a tolerant man. He's

He's an athlete. He has

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Death of Innocence Highlights Hate Crimes

By Brandon L. Barber

"Death of Innocence: The Story of the Life Crime that Changed America," by Minnie Till-Mobley and Christian Benson, consists of twenty-eight gripping and captivating autobiography pages of Minnie Till-Mobley's life experiences that would ultimately lead to the inspirational story of her only son, Emmett Louis Till.

This novel dealt with the social, political and economic situations that were so ubiquitous with blacks in the south during the 1950s, to help bring an end to the social injustice that is "The South." If you've never heard of Emmett Till, you're going to love me," says the author.

"For black people every generation has a cautionary tale," states the author. "For black people every generation has a cautionary tale. A story based on events, on shared experience (and historical circumstances) that teaches us something important about who we are, where we are, and reflects on the examples of our forebears that make us who we are today."

"Death of Innocence" paints the picture of the horrific case of Emmett that would set the tone and marker for hatred to pass, especially when voiced on a soul like Emmett's. Not only does Mamie Till-Mobley and Christian Benson show how life was lost so bravely, but they also show that freedom was never truly free for all citizens to enjoy in American history while Emmett was growing up. It is only when Mamie Till-Mobley allows herself to be vulnerable outside of the circle of protection that her life is in jeopardy, and ultimately leads to his death.

This particular novel is not a difficult read to go through. However it is the subject matter discussed that make the passage of the chapters so moving,Scheme and ultimate a scintillation of American civil rights. It is through "Death of Innocence" that the reader can see that the smallest of people have the greatest impact on a culture and society large.

Mamie Till-Mobley knew in her heart that, "with each day that I can give thanks for all the blessings of life, the blessings of another day and the chance to do something with it, something good, something significant." Something significant. "Through Emmett's death" it taught society at-large about facing all aspects of life with courage.

For black people, every generation has a cautionary tale...

-Ramie Till-Mobley

This Week at the HUB

Date: October 29, 2003
Time: 3:00-5:00 PM
Author: Murad Kalam

Book Title: "Night Journey"

Date: October 30, 2003
Time: 4:00-6:00 PM
Author: Rique Johnson

Book Title: "Love and Justice"

Rapper Snakes His Way Onto the Musical Scene

GREATNESS from 1960 been through three jobs over the past couple of years, having been let go each time, because of conflicts with music. Currently, while seeking new jobs, Snakes has used his unemployment checks to help his project. Not a battle MC, Snakes uses his employment checks to fund his project. Not a battle MC, Snakes now is open to all challenges who want to test him and even participate in organized battles around the city.

"Battling is cool," says Snakes. "It just gets old after while just hurt feeling of people I don't feel that it display's enough of peoples true talent and ability," says Snakes. He is also preparing his plan to create awareness in the DC metro area for his debut album.

Currenty, Snakes has commercials running on BET and MTV, and can be seen on open mic all around the city. With no real heavy hip hop hitters coming out of DC, DC isn't a major scene featuring major labels.

Snakes plans to get distributed through one of the larger independent distributors like Tip Above or Planet Beats to start off. "I'm the only one I got to make a little noise," says Snakes.

Now, with the crown for the throne for "King of DMV," he is already an accomplished artist in the DMV circuit. Snakes is asked if he'll be the one to grab the crown, "No man's going to love me," says Snakes.

People will figure it out soon enough. "It'll be sooner than later," he adds, while sipping his long lazy drinking lemonade.

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Attention all campus ministries, members, and those who would like to be involved......

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Be ready for food, fellowship and fun!!!
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Call (202) 806-4077
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Rev. Fay Acker (202) 806-7280

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Ramadan is the (month) in which was sent down the Quran, as a guide to mankind, also clear (Signs) for guidance and judgement (Between right and wrong). So every one of you who is present (at his home) during that month should spend it in fasting, but if any one is ill, or on a journey, the prescribed period (Should be made up) by days later. Allah intends every facility for you; He does not want to put to difficulties. (He wants you) to complete the prescribed period, and to glorify Him in that He has guided you; and perchance ye shall be grateful. -Quran 2:185

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Jummah (Friday) Prayer
Every Friday at 1:15pm
Come out and meet other HU Muslims!!!

Weekly Student Body Meetings
When: Every Tuesday at 6 p.m.
Where: The Interfaith Room (HU)
Corner of 4th St. NW and College St. next to the Office of Residence Life
Across from the School of Pharmacy

Looking for an on campus place to offer prayer?
Try the Interfaith Room on campus
Open M-F Corner of 4th St. NW and College St.

*Times approximate, if sun out continue fast time sun down.
Security Measures Must be Proactive

If you are bickering about student life, you're losing your doing, get over it. If you are blaming The Hilltop's recent woes, you're being out of line. The Hilltop was an investigation into campus security and the issues that affect us all.

But to fault The Hilltop for being proactive or reactive when dealing with student security, is also what students do to ensure their own safety. Therefore, students don't advocate more security measures, they opt out if they can't sneak their belongings or gain entry to a dormitory.

Let's not forget the recent incident all of us had already been a mid­dle of, to say the least. Students, therefore, all campus-related stories have quotes from students. But some of the least­est voices against The Hilltop's proactive or reactive are ones of cow­ardice and ignorance. Security on campus is a service to the University, students and the students gathered here at Howard University. Since 1924. This means it's always been a medi­um with style and flair. Often that essence of journalism in newsrooms all the time.

But students do not necessarily mean better security, and a book of names isn't a magic stick that is going to rectify a continuous problem. Residence Life needs to go back and reexamine the situation and include students and student leaders in the probing discussion of how security can work, consistently, and effec­tively for all of Howard.

So one complains about bringing their ID to the lab to be signed in because some assistant made it past security and cameras and proceeded to form a way into a student's room at gunpoint.

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Our View:

Howard University needs to be proactive instead of reactive when dealing with student security. Our reporters must be proactive when it seems that the staff members of The Hilltop are only interested in their own goals.

It's disheartening to know that more students have approached The Hilltop ask­ing if they can do a fashion page than saying how can we all work together to make positive changes. Students should not be more concerned with going to class, when their sur­roundings are in need of much more attention. If stu­dents are going to wear W.E.B. Dubois' T­shirts announcing that we are committed to correcting the situation, that paper did not commit any inappropriate, un­professional decision. The staff members of The Hilltop are only abscond the University for reporting facts is counter­productive. By now, all dorms have been bombarded. Students can't advocate more security, then opt out if they can't sneak their belongings or gain entry to a dormitory.

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I commend the staff of the Hilltop for their excellent investigative reporting about campus dorm security. I would hope that they now turn their talents into investigating and reporting on overall campus security. Other facilities, such as classrooms, offices also lack security.

For example, most if not all of the high tech Smart rooms that cost the University hundreds of thousands of dollars to install have been destroyed lickety split! Furthermore, the equipment needed to replace them has not been replaced due to "lack of security." Instead, students are left with "Dumb" Smart rooms.

In addition, there are many other facilities, like computer labs, that have the abbreviated schedules due to the lack of availability. Unfortunately, students are not receiving the benefits to their education that these facilities were meant to provide.

Improving security on campus is an essential element in securing the quality of education and student life at Howard is protected and enhanced. Campus security must be held responsible for securing our student body.

Sincerely,
D. Perkins

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What's the Real Issue?

Amber English

After Tuesday's investigative report on dorm security, The Office of Residence Life panicked in attempt to secure security lapses. The Tusban Quadrangle was stripped of its blue curtains. Decks have been placed immediately in front of the doors at both the Annex and the Quad. In theory, all of these measures were to "keep us safe." In reality, I don't feel any safer.

All I notice is the constant snooping crowd of males in the lobby of the Quad and the same douchey guys outside handing me flyers on the way out of the building. I am beginning to question the real security issue. The recent actions of the Residence Life imply that the problem lies in instruction. What about the student locals that live other than the dorms and soundproofed smart rooms?

As far as renovation is concerned, perhaps the importance placed upon it leads to its abuse. The threat of "visitation" is being used as a means of leverage to get the Hilltop to contradict itself and change its position on this issue. Maybe I'm the only one out of touch with reality, but ever since I arrived on campus, I was under the assumption that the vast majority of Howard students were opposed to the visitation policy. I recall that last fall, USA, the elected officials chosen by the student body to represent their views, had a rally to encourage the student opposition to visitation restrictions. This incident provided further evidence to support my assumption that in general, Howard students do not agree with the visitation rules set up by Residence Life. I even found myself grappling with this on Tuesday is it the Hilltop is truly "the Student Voice of Howard Students," as it professes to be, why then would its editors allow for an article to be published that not only is in opposition to the student perspective, but also has negative ramifications for those students attempting to get around the visitation rules?

Scientists say that menstruation fades as one gets older but I don't think I've reached that age quite yet. If I can trust my memory, did not the Hilltop have reservations about the visitation policy? As I exited the building, I quickly grabbed the latest edition of the Howard University student body. Much to my surprise, I found myself grappling with the sentiments of the general student body. Furthermore, I had trouble trying to determine what possible use could the "powers that be" have used as leverage to get the Hilltop to contradict itself and change its position on this issue.

On Tuesday night, as I attempted to spend some quality time with my lady, the guard, who was blocking the ID scanner, stopped me and then checked on the list. As I was waiting, the guard pointed to the building and asked me if I had some business to do there. I could only shake my head as I entered the building and prepared for the lonely night ahead of me. I could only shake my head as I attempted to understand why our loyal student paper chose to sell out.

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Students Sound Off About Campus Security

Dear HU Community,

I understand your concern with increasing security on campus and insuring that the Campus Police are securing our community and safety. Yet, I think we have gone too far in demanding that we make our dormitories fortresses. First of all it is illegal, and second of all, it is uncomfortable for the residents.

The new policy being implemented by Residence Life requires that each individual upon entry into their respective residence hall signs in regardless of how many times they enter and exit the building. Although we are young adults, we will soon be entering full adulthood, and several of us have already made this transition. If we were living in apartments, we do think that in response to wanting increased security would all be required to sign in? I do not think so. If Residence Life wants to document everyone who is entering the dorms, ID cards should be required to swipe upon entering our residence halls.

As a student body, if we are not concerned with our security, why don't we meet with Residence Life and find out how we can make our dorms a safer place.

In the October 20, 2003 issue of the Hilltop, there were complaints made about Residence Life's attempt to lock our doors and safely secure valuables.

I am a firm believer in non-coercive means. While there are residents prying open the doors to the dormitories to let unauthorized persons gain entrance, there should be measures taken to prevent this from occurring.

I believe that the Hilltop has abandoned its commitment to the student's perspective and published a counterproductive article taking sides with the administration.

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MY SUN-DRESS

The Sundress before me unrelenting captures more than I'm imagining, I must find a way of describing, the luminous Papaya of the two pooling, beckoning me so invitingly, the valley roots all built firmly, guiding and inviting the journey to ecstasy eternity.

I embark on the journey covering the soft fragrance of sandness, from the gates of the entrance of words, down to the sensitive tumult that landshereafter, to visit the towering pyramids, my own gate paying special homage to the pyramid tips, leaving a feeling of joy and rigidity.

Now the tide is getting stronger for the moonlight is shining ever so brighter. Now it is time to sail the sea waves of the boat, only to Lord the shrinking of the ocean as we meet, We will ride this storm together, still the sun's the very end, from Sundress forever.

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Submit Your Perspectives to www.thehilltoponline.com

October 28, 2003

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Prepares

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November 6, 2003
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Prepares

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October 28, 2003
8pm
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THE HUMAN STAIN OPENS OCT. 31ST!

TO THE TODAY STAFF
MONICA GREAT TO HAVE YOU ON FOR GOOD NOW
MARY-ANN SORRY IF THE APPRECIATION ISN'T ALWAYS VOICED
SORAYA SPORTS IS GETTING BETTER EVERYDAY, THE POST BETTER WATCH OUT

JENNIFER THANKS FOR SHOWING THE BROTHERS SOME LOVE
ASHLEY THANKS FOR ALL THE LONG HOURS THEY WILL PAY OFF SOON.
GG GOOD JOB WITH YOUR PAGE THIS WEEK
NATION AND WORLD FOR LIFE
MELANIE THANKS FOR HAVING MY BACK EVERY ISSUE

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THANKS JOZEN FOR HAVING MY BACK ON MONDAY
Monaica

CRY ME A RIVER
BUILD A BRIDGE
AND
GET OVER IT

DEDICATED TO SARAH AND DANIELLE... SATURDAY NIGHT WAS OFF THE HOOK!! THANKS FOR LETTING ME ACT A FOOL. I LOVE Y'ALL.

LOVE, JENNIFER

L. WILLIAMS
P.S. AW SKEEET SKEET!

CRAZIE (HILLTOP STUDENT)
ADAM
FOR PRESIDENT

Shyla Weber is on the move as the Varsity Women’s Volleyball Team will take on Delaware State in the Burr tonight at 7:00 p.m. as they have been practicing and preparing. Thank you, Shyla! Stay tuned.

Have to Get

President

Natalie S. You Are Wrong About Me.

Joseph

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