

Black Mens Gathering Central
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BMG South Carolina at The Louis G. Gregory Bahá'í Institute
c/o Elders Ray Collins and Marvin Hughes

Dearest brothers,

We greet you who are gathered this weekend at the Louis Gregory Institute at the Black Men's Gathering and invite you to join men who like you are studying the recent message of the Universal House of Justice dated 27 December 2005 to discern your role in the worldwide spiritual enterprise advancing the process of entry by troops. Our hope is that you will determine ways and find opportunities to invite brothers and others to explore the healing message of the Bahá'í Faith and to add their energy to the realization of the betterment of humanity.

Brothers in Rochester, New York and in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania are meeting this weekend also. Our expectation is that the men from each of these Gatherings will through prayer and dedicated hearts release a powerful spirit focused on action. It is important to take decisions that will lead to acts of service in line with the current guidance, the marching orders given to us by the Supreme Body.

We await your response and assure you of our prayers here in the Bahá'í House of Worship in Wilmette.

May the blessings of Abha surround you and keep you His concern.

With warm embrace, I salute you!

Your brother,

Billy