

W E L C O M E

FIRST ANNUAL CONVENTION

SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

- Headquarters -

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
236 Harrison Street, Petersburg, Virginia
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THEME: EXERCISING THE NEW FREEDOM

PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS

Rev. C. T. Vivian, Director of Affiliates, SCLC	Atlanta, Georgia
Rev. Wyatt Tee Walker, Vice-President, Heritage Library	New York
Attorney Joseph Jordan, Attorney, Va. State Unit, SCLC	Norfolk, Virginia
Mr. Hosea Williams, Director, SCOPE Project	Atlanta, Georgia
Dr. Milton A. Reid, State Regional Representative, SCLC	Petersburg, Virginia
Dr. Martin L. King, Jr., President of SCLC	World Citizen
Rev. Curtis W. Harris, President, Va. State Unit, SCLC	Hopewell, Virginia

REGISTRATION JULY 2, 1965 - 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. \$3.00 per delegate

JULY 2

9:30 a.m. Devotional Period - Mrs. Mary Walker, Chaplain
SCLC, Presiding
Baptist Ministers Conference

JULY 2

Mr. David Gunter, Presiding

10:00 a.m. Affiliate Session	Reverend C. T. Vivian
11:30 a.m. Film, Title Six, "The Letter and the Spirit"	
12:15 p.m. "The Cultural Blackout"	Reverend Wyatt Tee Walker
12:45 p.m. Lunch	

Mr. Herbert V. Coulton, Presiding

2:00 p.m. Discussion, New Voting Rights Bill	Attorney Joseph Jordan
2:30 p.m. Workshop, Voter Registration	
3:30 p.m. Discussion, SCOPE Project	Mr. Hosea Williams
4:00 p.m. Discussion, Economic Opportunity Act	
4:30 p.m. Convention Keynote Address	Reverend Milton A. Reid
5:00 p.m. Recess	
6:00 p.m. Dinner Board Meeting (Closed Session)	
8:00 p.m. PUBLIC MASS MEETING	DR. MARTIN L. KING
Rogers Stadium	Speaker
Virginia State College	

JULY 3

8:30 a.m. Breakfast Board Meeting	Zion Baptist Church
10:00 a.m. Public Session--President's Address	Reverend Curtis Harris
11:00 a.m. Business Session (Delegates staff persons)	

The Virginia State Unit ****Southern Christian Leadership Conference
Proudly Presents: ---DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. President of S.C.L.C.

Friday, July 2nd, 1965 (NOBEL PEACE PRIZE DAY)

Roger Stadium, Virginia State College

----- PROGRAM - 7:00 P.M. -----

Freedom Songs---Lead By Mr. H. V. Coulton, Field Secretary of SCLC and Scope Field Workers

Rev. Curtis W. Harris, State President, S.C.L.C. Presiding

Invocation: Rev. E. William Judge, Minister Bethel A.M.E. Zion Church, Rich. Va.

Selection: ----- Goodwill Chorus

Scripture: ---Exodus 14:13-22 - Rev. L.W. Chase, Minister Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Virginia Beach Virginia

Evening Prayer: Rev. Fred J. Boddie, Jr. Minister First Baptist Church, New Port News, Virginia

Selection: -----Goodwill Chorus

Greetings: Ettrick Improvement Association, Mr. Overton Johnson, Secretary

Petersburg Council On Human Relations, Dr. E.F. Davies, Vice President

Professor of Philosophy --Virginia State College

Petersburg Improvement Association, Mr. H.E. Fauntleroy, Financial Secretary

Hopewell Improvement Association, Mrs. Gladys Smith, Hopewell

Response: Mr. David Gunter, President Petersburg Improvement Association State Coordinator For Convention

Proclamation of Nobel Peace Prize Day - Dr. Milton A. Reid, Minister First Baptist Church, Regional Regional Representative S.C.L.C.

Selection: -----Goodwill Chorus

Offertory Appeal: Rev. Wyatt T. Walker, Vice President Heretage Library Foundation Former Executive Director S.C.L.C.

Introduction of Speaker: Rev. Andrew White, Minister Zion Baptist Church, Secretary Petersburg Baptist Minister Conference

Address: -----DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR., President S.C.L.C.
1964 Nobel Peace Prize Winner

Closing Song:-----"WE SHALL OVERCOME"

Benediction: -----Rev. S. F. Daly, Minister First Baptist Church Franklin, Virginia

Many Thanks To Goodwill Chorus of Petersburg, Mr. William R. Relaford, Director Of Ushers, Richmond, Petersburg, Hopewell And Vicinity.....
