



November 2022

Greetings Sisters,

We are only months away from our 30th class reunion! **Reunion 2023**, themed *Forever Blue*, is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 17 – Sunday, May 21, 2023**. You are probably as eager as we are to reconnect with classmates, observe our special traditions, and celebrate each other's achievements and accomplishments.

The Class of 1993 Reunion Planning Committee, in conjunction with the Spelman College Offices of Alumnae Engagement and Annual Giving, is working diligently to plan a memorable 30-year class reunion. In addition, your class planning committee has a tentative schedule of events that includes a welcome-back mixer on Thursday, party on Friday and a cookout on Saturday afternoon. The committee is requesting class dues in the amount of \$125 to cover expenses. Please note, that the \$125 for class activities is not included in your college reunion fee, which is found in the enclosed Reunion Newsletter. You may visit the class website, www.spelman1993.com, for updates.

In addition to our class events, Spelman's Office of Alumnae Engagement will host a number of activities for all reunion classes, including the traditional Sisterhood Breakfast, Reunion Convocation, March through the Arch, and True Blue Gala (formerly known as Blue Note). As with past reunions, we will honor our fallen sisters and share class-specific information during our class meeting. Please review the enclosed Reunion Newsletter to review Reunion pricing and lodging details.

Our goal is to increase our reunion attendance rate to 50% or more! We truly look forward to seeing you and, to that end, your reunion committee will work hard to make this reunion fun and exciting while keeping costs reasonable. We have incorporated suggestions from your feedback after the 25th Reunion, so look out for upcoming fundraising events. To volunteer to assist with fundraising or for information on sponsorships or to donate Swag Bag or Auction items, please contact our Spel-Agent Keisha Jones-Joseph at spelmancollege.class.of.1993@gmail.com.

The Gift of 1993

The **Class of 1993** currently registers **546 members** on the official Alumnae roster. Since our last reunion in 2018, our class has raised **\$319,419.99** and our current participation rate is **30.17%**. We want to continue this momentum of giving and have set the goals below for the 2023 reunion year:

2023 Cumulative Class Gift Goal: \$550,000 (our FY23 goal is \$225,000)
Class Giving Participation Rate Goal: 50% (for FY23)

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Let's work to increase our giving participation rate to a minimum of **50%** by the end of the year. Among the reuniting classes, we are currently in 1st place in the Class Gift category. For class participation, we are in 8th place and eighth is just not enough. Although we did not reach our goal in 2018, we have a chance to surpass it and simultaneously increase our participation rate on the awards chart. The table below outlines how we can reach our 2023 goal. If just half of the class participates, we can do it by January. Upon reaching \$550,000, we will increase the goal in increments that are yet to be determined. We are asking for your support and commitment to contributing your gift according to the table below.

If you have never made a donation to [Spelman College](#), this is your year!

August 2022	September 2022	October 2022	November 2022	December 2022	January 2023	February 2023	March 2023	April 2023	May 2023	Total
Due 9/15	Due 9/15	Due 10/15	Due 11/15	Due 12/15	Due 1/15	Due 2/15	Due 3/15	Due 4/15	Due 5/15	Due to Spelman by 5/19/23 at 2 pm
\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$199.30	\$1,993.00

Reunion is indeed a time of celebration and sharing, and we look forward to seeing you in May 2023.

In the Spirit of Sisterhood,
The Class of 1993 Reunion Planning Committee