



JOSEPHINE HOLLEMAN HICKS

25<sup>th</sup> PSI STATE PRESIDENT 1983-1985

BORN IN: Rebecca, GA

EDUCATION:

High School Diploma Crestview, FL  
Florida State University

B.S. Elementary Education  
M.S. Psychology of Child Development

University of Georgia, Athens, GA  
Sixth Year Study Administration and  
Supervision

EXPERIENCE:

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL

P.K. Yonge Elementary School, Pensacola, FL  
Pensacola Junior College, Pensacola, FL  
Early Childhood Education  
Psychology of Child Development  
Atlanta Schools  
Sexton Woods Elementary School  
Underwood Hills Elementary School

HONORS:

Psi State Achievement Award (1987); Kappa Delta Pi; Founder of the Psi State Leadership Growth Seminar; (Most of the graduates of that 1985 *Leadership I Seminar* became active leaders in Psi State programs and activities); *Who's Who of American Women*

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

LOCAL CHAPTER:

Alpha XI, FL charter member; recording secretary; transferred to Alpha Sigma, GA; president, 1<sup>st</sup> vice president, 2<sup>nd</sup> vice president, parliamentarian; committee chairman for Yearbook, Program, Membership, Historical Records, Communications, Hospitality, Women-In-Art, Personal Growth and Services, and Initiation; served on various chapter committees as assigned; conducted orientation for new members

PSI STATE ORGANIZATION:

President (1983-1985); founded Psi State Leadership Development Seminar; Past President's Council treasurer; committee chairman for Program, Expansion (1985-1989 six new chapters during this time), Building Fund (1987-1989), Committee to Write Psi State Bylaws, Psi State Headquarters, Boylston Estate Transfer (renovation, cleaning, and scheduling for eleven consecutive years 1984-1995), Committee to Research Best Financial Decision for Maintaining Boylston House; managed liquidation of Boylston property; established The Elise Boylston Memorial Foundation of Psi State to fund and support projects for excellence in education (2007); member of Boylston Estate Transfer to Psi State Headquarters Building Committee (1984), Building Fund Committee (1987-1989), Committee for Final Liquidation to Establish Elise Boylston Memorial Fund of Psi State (2005-2007); visited all but four chapters in Psi State (1983-1985); led groups and presented programs, workshops and orientations at chapter and district meetings; participated in Psi State Golden Anniversary (1986); conceived and organized first Psi State Leadership-Growth Seminar (1985); arranged for meetings of chapters and committees at Psi State Headquarters Building (Boylston House)

REGIONAL (CONFERENCES, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

Attended all Southeast Regional conferences (1975 ff); presented conference announcements and invitations; lead discussions; attended and participated in programs; gave international committee reports; presented invitations for international conventions; introduced international guests for events such as state breakfasts, programs, meetings, forums; served as group leader, workshop recorder, workshop presenter; planned reception to honor Southeast Regional Director, Charlotte, NC (1985)

INTERNATIONAL (CONVENTIONS, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

International Executive Board (1983-1985); attended all international conventions since 1976; workshop presenter and reporter at numerous conventions; committee member to include Personal Growth and Services (1986-1988), Elections (1986), Constitution (1988-1990), Achievement Award (two years), Nominations (four years); Co-chairman for Installation of Officers Ceremony (2002); chaired, wrote, planned and directed Installation of Officers Ceremony (2004); Steering Committee and Registration Chairman for International Convention in Atlanta (1982); served on Educational Foundation Board of Trustees (1990-1996)

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS :

Dunwoody United Methodist Church and United Methodist Women; Peachtree Road United Methodist Church, Atlanta Administrative Board (six years); Gadsden Street Methodist Church in Pensacola, FL choir member and Sunday School teacher; Wesleyan Service Guild; Women's Auxiliary to Salvation Army; Women's Auxiliary to Atlanta Baker's Club