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CONGRATULATIONS DC SCHOLARS

9th Annual Total Sunshine Awards Program

On behalf of the **United Black Fund, Inc.** Board of Directors, I take great pleasure in CONGRATULATING DC'S TOP HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARS. WE JOIN WITH TOTAL SUNSHINE, INC in celebrating your accomplishments, and in celebrating TOTAL SUNSHINE INC'S outstanding work with youth and families.

MERILYN HOLMES AND TOTAL SUNSHINE'S record of success in encouraging, guiding, loving and protecting our youth is exemplary. **They have a special way of clearing the head and heart of so many youth struggling to find their way through times more difficult than ever, by simply acknowledging their accomplishments.**

SCHOLARS, We are honored to be associated with your fine effort. Our slogan that keeps us active is **"IF IT IS TO BE, IT IS UP TO ME."** We hope you will continue to succeed, and that you will dedicate a portion of your life to making **YOU** better, and making your **FAMILY** better, and making your **COMMUNITY** better, and making you **COUNTRY** better, and **making your WORLD BETTER.**

Very truly yours,

Barry LeNoir

Barry LeNoir, President

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