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Resolution by the
Black Faculty and Staff Association
University of Central Florida

We share our mutual woes,
Our mutual burdens bear,
And often for each other flows
A sympathetic tear.

We, the members of the Black Faculty and Staff Association of the University of Central Florida have suffered a deep loss in the home-going of Mr. Joseph Andrews who was ever faithful and a dependable member of this organization. He was always on the alert to help humanity, and his influence will long be felt by those who were encouraged, helped, and cheered by his advise, friendship, and counsel.

Resolved: that we mourn Joseph Andrews' passing with profound sincerity. We have lost a noble and tireless member and our organization will feel keenly his absence for a long time to come.

Joseph was a soul of good humor, speaking words of encouragement and urging us to higher and nobler ideals. By his kindly disposition and unselfish dealings with his associates, he endeared himself to all, the memory of which will be a worthy monument to his life.

Joseph, we are so lonely looking at that empty chair,
Remembering all the happy times that we shared when you were here.
Cherished thoughts of you will always linger as a BFSA guiding star, and we will all remember well, because you are not far.

Resolved further, that we strive to emulate his examples in gentleness, patience, courage and unwavering faith. We further extend to his sister and other family members our heartfelt sympathy that they may be helped and cheered by the memory of his kindness and devotion.

Humbly Submitted
Black Faculty and Staff Association
University of Central Florida
Dr. Valarie Greene King, President

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