Blacks Respond to Death of A Princess

By Cheryl Brown

The life of Princess Diana was "snuffed out" by a combination of allegrogical drugs, thrombosis of the right upper leg, and a nervous heart attack. She was a people person. I am impressed with the way she died. The world has not seen a woman with the same qualities.

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Editorial

Living Responsibly

By Hardus Brown

Last Saturday the world learned that Princess Diana of Wales was killed in a tragic car accident in Paris, France which also took the life of Dodi Fayed, the bodyguard of the Mercedes of, as well. Sunday morning, I attended Superintendent of the Universal System Gathering at which was called "Live Responsibly." Inevitably, the conversation turned to the shock of the accident and how the news had preceded it. The adult class used the biblical lesson to make sense of the tragic turn of events.

President Charles did not fair well with the class on the topic of a "responsive husband." The class believed his relationship with long-time girlfriend Camilla Parker Bowles was inappropriate (as did Diana) and, on the other hand, was pleased for her to make the marriage work despite their problems.

The topic of "grieving" (Ep0s) led to the class espoused hope that President Charles would step up to his responsibility and fill the void now created with Diana's absence. They printed Diana for her ability to raise a child in a "women's movement," class believed she attempted to expose her children to situations and everyday objects even though they were born into extremely privileged circumstances.

Although the class actually talked about the accident, the class was undecided about who to blame. Some believed there was a type of conspiracy to kill her because she had become an "unAmerican."

While the details of the evening remain sketchy, it is clear that the blame cannot be laid at the foot of a woman's movement, but rather, the situation created by a worldwide society which does not value the history of broken families, the high percentage of divorce, the high percentage of consumption of alcohol, even though it is the lead cause of automobile accidents, she was the life force that was forever shined simply given a slap on the wrist for driving under the influence. We should have secured her to a position and she became an ambassador of compassion, caring, and ultimately "responsibility." This line is too us about how are living these, and the consequences of our actions we were and engaged in. After their opened her new office now.

Her practice specializes in criminal law but the law, employment, and civil rights with the Cal. Div. Tax Determination.

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Dear Dr. Lifsey:

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The Black Voice News

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Recently, a deposition given regarding a lawsuit filed by Black contractors against the State of Indiana depicts the uglyness of institutionalized racism officially performed by state officials with the blessing of the Governor.

Harry C. Alfred, President and CEO of the National Black Chamber of Commerce, gave a deposition describing his hands-on experience as Deputy Commissioner for the Minority Business Development Department of Administration for the State of Indiana. He was appointed by Governor Evan Bayh. In the deposition, Alfred describes how he succeeded in increasing business done by minorities. This success led to opposition against his efforts and harassment of his office. In essence, Governor Bayh wanted the progress to stop despite Alfred's dismay to the contrary.

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BIG Opposes Congress & the Power of Local Government

U.S. Rep. Chris G. Cox, Jr., president of Bloca in Government, said at a press event at a press conference during the organization's annual conference that Bloca opposes the effort. Congress has taken to only the power of local government to the detriment of the State of Indiana. He was asked a national audience that the group stand against national government campaigns to support reform to local government. He characterized the believer in Congress as "the occupant on the Potomac." "Many people do not understand what is going on in D.C.," Cox said. "Evan Bayh's efforts to prevent states from clearing the air on local government campaigns is being done in an effort to not change the balance of power and give us a fair chance for local government."

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"Unlike some of its Caribbean neighbors, Curacao offers mostly small, white sand beaches and romantic, secluded coves," says Wiel. "We find that our beaches are especially appealing to honeymooners, couples and others not looking for long, expensive stays or crowded with hotels," he adds.

Curacao's 38 beaches are varied. Some are surrounded by giant cliffs, others by exotic flora and fauna. But they all share the same clear turquoise water and picture-perfect weather (Curacao averages less than 30 inches of rain per year), unique to this part of the world.

Following is a rundown of some of the island's best.

Westpunt Beach is best known for the huge cliffs which frame it and the divers who entertain beach-goers by jumping from the cliffs into the ocean below. A favorite of locals and visitors alike, the beach, located on the northwest tip of the island, is open to the public at no charge.

Just south of Westpunt is Knip Bay Beach, one of the island's most photographed sites because of its picturesque setting and dazzling, bright blue water. On weekends, live music and dancing turn the area into one big beach party. Changing facilities and refreshments are available during specified hours.

Plaza Zalki, located in a small, protected cove, is one of the island's hottest snorkeling spots because of its calm water and density of sea life close to shore.

Curacao also offers man-made beaches that give mother nature a good run for her money. Among the best are those at the Sonesta Beach Hotel & Casino, the Princess Beach Resort & Casino and the Curacao Sea Aquarium (a family-oriented complex that features enclosures containing every form of native sea life, as well as glass-bottom boats and semi-submersible submarine rides.)

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Black Entertainment Dollars

It's almost that time of year again for the Riverside Jazz and Art Festival. This year boasts such great entertainers as Hiroshima, George Howard, Roy Ayers, Stanley Jordan, Chuck Mangione, Barry James, Ken Eubanks and Avenue Blue with Jeff Golub. For more information on the festival, contact (909) 342-2072.

Hoodlum

The Black film industry continued to extend through the 60's, but the broadcast of television came with the social issues of the 1960's. Black America released their creativity on the small stage. Ten years would pass before they saw the recognition of their movie industry in the late 1960s. The movie credited with this renaissance was Godfather Park 1969. "The Learning Tree" follows the "Learning Tree" with another mega hit movie, "Stax," which is noted for a series of BMG_videos. Other movies of this era were the product of no money, hence bad black filmmakers using "garbage" filmmaking methods to get their movies on the screen. These movies were very successful and the makers experienced a small renaissance with a big wave.

Hollywood continued the 1960's revolution of the Black film industry by making movies starring black and white actors, which brought in black and white dollars. Once again, black filmmakers would experience a resurgence in movie making as they watched the box office numbers go up, and the corporation that brought this about was the Black Film Industry. However, "Stax's" movie, "She's Gotta Have It," that helped turn things around. Let's movie made lots of money and reminded Black filmmakers how much they meant to Hollywood.

Since then, Black movies have been consistent and profitable. Regardless, Hollywood appears to keep a ceiling on the amount the they'll use to back Black producers, which is currently about 15 million. "And I can't understand how we can have a movie due out soon entitled, "1-95."说 Black theaters.

The NBCC panel provided attendees with an infographic overview of what it involves to make Black movies in Hollywood today. The panel included: Hudlin, Army Lt. General Boozell of Boozell and Associates (who is also a producer of the film), and Glory Heavy of the Center for Black Entertainment. Each weighed in on what they believed must be done to make the cut in the film industry. The discussion included who would make up the percentage of the purchase of book rights to foreign movie markets and whether the current model of the population that make up between 25 and 30 percent of all movie-going dollars.

"We watch the history of the industry," said Nia Howard, VP of BMETV and organizer of the workshop. "Which means that take control and be able to get what we want. Without hesitation, she makes it clear that ownership involves a partnership which involves the alignment of black actors, producers, writers, directors and the audience.

Purchasing her message, Henderson outlined the figure the black entertainment consumer and how the audience can make a difference. He highlighted the fact that consumers are a black movie that weekend. Sunset weekend it came to the theater, that alone would signify that Black Americans are a black movie.

Pat Landaker is a freelance writer-publisher, and owner of the Ethnic Block Entertainment Dollars and Sports Lawyering. He is a respected writer and a respected figure in the industry. He is well known for his contributions to the film industry. Landaker went on to explain that Black movies are the future of Hollywood and that Black movies will continue to be the future of Hollywood.

Hollywood's latest movie, "Hoodlum," takes time after the workshop to further discuss the film. The film is a sequel to the "Hoodlum" film that was released in 1997. The film is about a gangster named Bumpy Johnson, who is portrayed by actor Laurence Fishburne. The film is set in the 1940s, and it follows the story of the rise of Black gangsters in America. The movie is a sequel to the original "Hoodlum" film, which was released in 1997.

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Promoter Don King and the NAACP

By Andrew Harris and Colleen M. Nicholson

The NAACP, which has built a commendable tradition of championing the advancement of a people who are downtrodden and economically disadvantaged, was appropriate in giving the organization's prestigious 1997 President's Award to fight promoter Don King.

The idea hasn't gone over well with much of the nation's White media, but, very little that is good about King is treated kindly by that segment of the media. What is shameful, this is the kind of media that has the NAACP has dedicated its work to eradicating over the years.

The award, which was given at the NAACP's national conference in Pittsburgh in July, rightfully salutes King because of his rise to international status represents the kind of upward mobility highly regarded by the NAACP and other African American forward thinkers in the United States.

Few men, even Horatio Alger, have forged the lion of the right to another under worthy causes in the United States - Black, rose above his smudged past to become one of the great businessmen and philanthropists for worthy causes in the United States - Black, Brown, Red, Yellow or White.

King has fashioned for himself a legend and a legacy that make African Americans and fair thinkers in this country very proud. And that's what the NAACP was doing when it gave him the award saluting achievements, pride, and outstanding spot. Under that criteria Don King was the most eligible national figure for the honor.

The NAACP and Don King seemingly have one thing in common. Both seem to quickly spot negative criticism from a biased White media that fails to successfully address this country's troubled racial climate regarding justice and economic opportunity.

The independence shown by the NAACP is in giving the award to King indicates that the organization is on sound footing again and not into taking dictation from outside forces who have shown no great propensity for helping the cause of race in America. Instead of batting the NAACP and King, most of the media's bias, if they were of a serious mind to do so, could strike a mighty blow for civil rights by hiring African American in decision-making and policy-making administrative positions.

Don King is a demonstrated equal opportunity employer who has hired per capita, more individuals of other races in administrative positions than any of the media who appear to be so concerned about how the NAACP conducts its business. King is a leader by example.

Furthers, King needs to make no case for himself in circles where the NAACP concentrates its efforts. He has been a supporter, a generous donor, an employer and a builder. The award given to him is very appropriate and King should place it on a prominent spot on his mantle or in his trophy case and know that it is one thing he truly deserved. Enough said!

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