

CONGRATULATIONS!

2024 *Distinguished* ALUMNI



DR. CHARLES BLANKENSHIP
TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 1967

- Graduate of Baylor University and the University of Texas at San Antonio Medical School
- Retired United States Navy Captain and Surgeon
- Veteran of Operations in Afghanistan and Iraqi Wars
- Commander of the USNS Comfort, which deployed to New York City after 9/11
- Organized a comprehensive breast care center at National Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, MD



JAMES BRAMLETT
TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 1975

- Graduate of Texarkana College and Texas A&M-Texarkana
- Lifelong resident & former Mayor of Texarkana, TX
- Texarkana Market President of Farmers Bank and Trust
- Helped establish Texas A&M-Texarkana & redevelopment of Rose Hill Community
- Hosts annual Bramlett Beans and Cornbread community fundraiser



EVELYN PALFREY MCKEE
DUNBAR HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 1967

- Graduate of Southern Methodist University and the University of Texas School of Law
- Retired Municipal Court Judge in Austin, Texas
- Criminal Defense Attorney in Oklahoma City, OK
- Award Winning Novelist of African-American Fiction
- Published work in several *Chicken Soup for the Soul* books



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