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Florida Community College at Jacksonville  
South Campus  
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Place of Birth        Jacksonville, Florida  
March 8, 1935

Spouse                Grady Earl Johnson, D.M.D.  
Dentist in Private Practice

#### Education

University of Florida	Gainesville	1976	Ph.D.
University of Florida	Gainesville	1968	M.A.
University of Florida	Gainesville	1967	B.A.

#### Activities and Involvement

Appointed by President Clinton to the President's Advisory  
Committee on the Arts of the John F. Kennedy Center for  
the Performing Arts, (1995-01)

Appointed by Florida's Governor Lawton Chiles to "Florida's  
Finest", An honor that recognizes Florida residents  
who improve their community through good deeds and hard  
work, (1997)

Appointed by Mayor John Delaney to the Advisory Committee on  
LaVilla Cultural Heritage District, (1996-97)  
Ritz Theatre Historic Restoration Board of Directors  
(1987-01)

Leadership Jacksonville Alumni(ae) Board of Directors  
(1989-90)

Point LaVista Neighborhood Association Board of Directors,  
Vice Chair (1990-01)

Appointed to Uptown Civitan Club Board of Directors, (1997)  
Karpeles Manuscript Museum Board of Directors (1990-00)

#### Activities and Involvement (continued)

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings Society Board of Trustees (1987-98)  
Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings Society Trustee Emeritus (2000)  
Hubbard House Shelter for Abused Women Patron (1992-94)  
Arab American Institute National Leadership Council  
(1991-97)  
Appointed by Mayor Tommy Hazouri to the Duval County Hospital  
Authority  
Appointed by Mayor Jake Godbold to the Jacksonville Area  
Planning Board

#### Activities and Involvement in Women's Issues

Planned Parenthood of Northeast Florida Board of Directors  
(1992-97)  
Planned Parenthood of Northeast Florida Legislative Committee  
(2000)  
Florida Women's Consortium Board of Directors (1992-95)  
Florida Women's Alliance Board of Directors (1985-90)  
Florida Women's Political Caucus, State President (1977)  
Founder Jacksonville Women's Network (1977)  
ERA Jacksonville (Equal Rights Amendment), Director (1976)  
Director Florida Parades for ERA (1975)  
Director and Co-Convener Jacksonville Chapter National  
Organization for Women (1970)  
Director and Convener University of Florida Chapter National  
Organization for Women (1972)  
South Atlantic Modern Language Association Women's Studies  
Section Helped Found, Atlanta, 1975

#### Activities and Involvement in Party Issues

Appointed by Vice President Al Gore to the Credentials  
Committee of the National Democratic Committee to attend  
the National Democratic Convention, Los Angeles (2000)  
Appointed by President William Jefferson Clinton At-Large  
Alternate to the Democratic National Convention, Chicago  
(1996)  
Appointed by President William Jefferson Clinton to the  
Credentials Committee of the National Democratic  
Committee to the National Democratic Convention New York  
City (1992)  
National Democratic Convention Elected Alternate for President  
Jimmy Carter, New York City (1980)

### Activities and Involvement in Party Issues (continued)

Florida State Democratic Party Delegate (1976, 1980, 1984,  
1992, 1999)  
Duval County Democratic Executive Committee (1977-00)  
Central Committee of Duval County Democratic Party (1992-00)  
Precinct Committeewoman Democratic District Five (1977-00)

### Awards Fellowships and Certifications

Invited by President William Jefferson Clinton to Witness  
Signing of Middle East Peace Accord at the White House  
September 13, 1993  
Who's Who in Florida 1989  
Mary Nolan Award for Outstanding Women's Leadership, National  
Organization for Women (1987)  
Women in Power Award, National Council of Jewish Women (1978)  
Alice Paul Award for Outstanding Contribution toward Passage  
of the Equal Rights Amendment, Florida Women's Political  
Caucus, (1979)  
Awarded \$6,000 Grant from Florida Community College for  
Continued Professional Study  
Co-authored Federal Grant Resulting in Funding for Creation of  
Women's Center at Florida Community College  
Chosen by Florida Community College for National Master  
Teacher Seminar (1980)  
University of Florida Hall of Fame (1973-74)  
Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and  
Colleges, University of Florida (1973-74)

### Publications and Presentations

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings' The Yearling: A Study in the  
Rhetorical Effectiveness of a Novel, 1976. Doctoral  
Dissertation Housed in the University of Florida  
Libraries

"Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings' Cross Creek," in First Person  
Female, Carolyn Rhodes, editor, Whitston Publishing  
Company, 1980.

"Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings: Sojourner At Cross Creek Review"  
Published in Florida Historical Society Quarterly  
Journal, January, 1989

"Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings' Theory of Composition, The Marjorie  
Kinnan Rawlings Journal of Florida Literature, Volume  
II, 1989-90.

Publications and Presentations (continued)

"Never Another Season of Silence: A Study of Communication Networks". Presented to the National Speech Communication Association Convention, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 1978

"Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings: For This Is An Enchanted Land", Presented at Conference on Southern Women Writers, Santa Fe Community College, Gainesville, Florida

"The Basic Speech in the 1980's" A Presentation to the 49th Convention of the Florida Speech Communication Association, 1979.

"Jobspeak: Speech in the Marketplace of the 1980's" Published in the Florida Speech Communication Journal, Volume 8, Number 1, 1980.

We Shall Not be Denied, Published in the National NOW News January, 1975

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings Journal of Southern Literature  
Advisory Board, 1991-96

Professional and Association Memberships

Society for the Study of Southern Literature  
South Atlantic Modern Language Association  
Speech Communication Association of America  
American Arab Institute  
Molaka Club of Jacksonville  
Syrian Ladies Club of Jacksonville  
National Organization for Women  
National Women's Political Caucus  
Planned Parenthood of Northeast Florida  
Voters for Choice  
Uptown Civitan Club of Jacksonville  
Alpha Chi Omega Sorority Alumnae  
Florida Women's Consortium  
Jacksonville Women's Network