

SOLUTION TO SAGGING PANTS CONTROVERSY

Missouri, TX (BlackNews.com) new clothing line that they could be proud of and know that they were helping to bridge the communication gap, as well as help draw positive attention to a very important topic.

Introducing SAGG(TM) Jean Co. Hip-Hop Urban Clothing, a new African-American owned apparel company is helping set the standard while making important inroads in the controversy surrounding the sagging fashion phenomenon. With fashion industry conforming standards in mind as well as combining cool styles, and the company's deep concern for the X and Y generations, SAGG(TM) Clothing was created.



School Compliance

There is a cultural and generational gap growing due to the stigma of this fashion statement...school districts across the United States are prohibiting the practice and indecent exposure ordinances are being passed. On the other hand, the American Civil Liberties Union has associated laws against sagging to be racial profiling. Ultimately, this fashion statement has become a point of contention and an obstruction to communication between the generations. The company was determined to roll out a

new online eStore! We're more than just a Brand | We're a National Movement. "Be Yourself!" {For interviews and information, contact Pam Sutherland @ promotions@saggjeanco.com or call on 713-893-8034(o) or 281-841-8415 (c).} The new site will also strive to bring positive light to the merits of allowing freedom of expression in a tasteful manner.

Betty Bircher Elm Grove Baptist Woman of the Year

Rusk, TX. - Betty Bircher of Houston, formerly of Jacksonville was named Woman of the Year recently at Elm Grove Baptist Church. Mrs. Bircher is the mother of three sons and she successfully juggles her roles as TSU student, employee and wife . Betty is the musician and choir director for the church as well as she is the pastor's wife. Her husband, Rev. Timothy Bircher is the church pastor. She was recognized for her contributions and presented a plaque by Sheila Bradley on behalf of the church.



Joyce Dennis Session recognized with pianist appreciation

Jacksonville, TX. - Joyce Dennis Session has played the Gospel for Pennell Chapel CME Church Choirs for the past 44 years. The church family and neighboring churches in Jacksonville and Rusk came together November 11th to show appreciation to her for the years she has dedicated to choir rehearsal, worship services, evening and afternoon programs. She plays for four choirs at the church, Adult, Young Adult, Children and Male Chorus. Poems, special songs, and gifts were presented to Mrs. Session. Joyce is the daughter of the late Jessie Lee Dennis and Hugh Dennis. She took piano from Dorothy Alexander and a Mrs. Reddon starting at about age 12. By the time she was sixteen, she was pianist for Pennell Chapel. She also played for Wilson Chapel and New Community United Methodist churches. Other groups she played for are Shady Green Pastors and The Federation of Churches. Pennell Chapel pastor is Rev. Tommy Starks.



Joyce is married to Dee Session. They have two children, Tamara and Vincent (Angela) and four beautiful grandchildren. They live in the Pinegrove Community.



Happy Birthday Joseph!
Love mom & Dad

November 30th

**Cherokee Civic Theater
Presents "The Silent Bells"**

**7:30 PM at 118 West 5th
Street**

**For additional information,
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