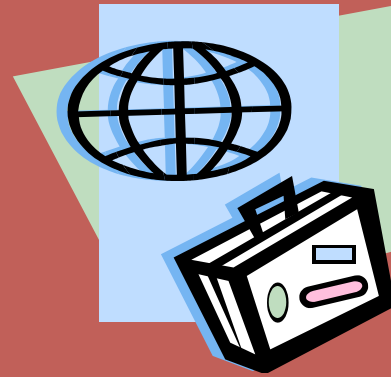


Journey of the *6 Jackson Five*



Five Savannah State Ladies
&
SCASI Conference



Don't be slow;
come on—let's go!



It was great to chill
in Jacksonville

- A two-room suite at TRAVELODGE
- A nice continental breakfast
- TV! Talking! Texting!
- (Sleep? Why do we need to sleep?)



- Dr. Metts could not get it together with the 6 different roads on Airport Road.
- We finally got to the right street and Zaxby's was closed.
- Ending up a Waffle House, we found it right across the street from our hotel! (we could have walked!)





Though it's a pain to get to the plane . . .



...what a delight
to be in flight!



What friendliness and grace were at John Perkins' place

- We took a tour of the community garden.
- We visited the community center and met a young black male who volunteered there.
- It turned out that he had been tutored there as a young boy!
- Inter-racial relations ran strong in the dorms.
- White and black young ladies were learning to really live and work together.
- One cat kept following us around!



Stay for a spell at Clarion Hotel (I-55)



We ain't dodgin' about our lodgin'

- The no dial tone on room phones
- No daily service (made our own beds)
- Exercise room was useless (equipment broken)
- Flooded rug downstairs
- No full breakfast (the sign on the hotel lied!)

- Only one working elevator
- The number stuck on "4"
- Our favorite call "Quick! Elevator!"
(At least there were some stores across the street.)



SCAASI CONFERENCE IN FULL SWING!



We got inside to support our guide

- Another lady and Dr. Metts presented their papers.
- Dr. Metts' laptop refused to cooperate!
- Whoever was talking next door was LOUD!



Don't let our nerves screech
when we give our speech!

- Dr. Metts' taped our presentations!
- We did quite well for our 1st time!
- Why did that guy turn out the lights on Jordan Riles? (I couldn't see!)



Oh, ho, ho!
We had fun in the
snow!





All in all,
we had a ball!



THE JACKSON FIVE & Dr. Metts

- Brittanie Harden
- Zashouna Oliver
- Jordan Riles
- Lana Thomas
- Kandyce Trim

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