

## HALL OF ACHIEVEMENT

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### **Bishop Dr. Curtis S. Redmon**

#### **Class of 1976**

Curtis has many fond memories growing up in the Copiague School District. Some of the teachers and staff who impacted him were Ms. Lee, Mr. Paine, Mr. Kirschner, Ms. Gibbs, Mr. Glazer, and Mr. Voorneveld. He enjoyed performing as a percussionist in the school band from elementary school to his senior year in high school.

After graduation, Curtis attended Suffolk Community College in Selden and received a degree in accounting. In the early eighties, he entered into the banking field working for Bankers Trust, New York, and later succeeded as an entrepreneur in various business ventures. However, his love for helping people became the dominate drive in his life. He helped develop the programs for the former Keep Encouraging Youth of North Amityville and was very active in his local church. He pursued theological training through the Anchor Theological Seminary and assisted a national religious organization in establishing churches around the world and various mission endeavors. Curtis travels globally and extensively, assisting in building churches in Holland, Jamaica, Italy, Grenada and Panama, to name a few, and has been philanthropic in supporting missions throughout the USA and the world, helping the economically disadvantaged and the underprivileged. Most recently, he has assisted in the effort to provide housing for the earthquake victims of Haiti.

His scholarly abilities led him to host study tours to biblical historical landscapes such as Israel, Rome and Greece. He has authored several books. Curtis is a life coach, motivational speaker and has advised leaders in the religious, civic, and government areas. He has developed programs for youth that are geared to help them become responsible citizens of their community. Today he serves as Senior Pastor of Worship Center International, New York, and as Bishop over a number of national and international churches.

Curtis and his wife, Gloria, have raised two children by birth, three adopted children and one foster son.

***“Reputation is who they say you are: Character is who you are.”***