

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE
ALUMNAE LOYALTY AWARD 2014

PRESENTED TO



C Dale Gadsden '84

C DALE GADSDEN, CLASS OF 1984, the Alumnae Association of Mount Holyoke College is pleased to honor you with the Loyalty Award.

Uncommon women show their commitment to the College in uncommon ways. You are truly an uncommon woman, and your calling to serve both students and alumnae in your unique way demonstrates exceptional loyalty. Shortly after your graduation, you returned to campus to seek out African American students who might benefit from your experience. It was not part of an organized effort; you did it because you cared.

Many of the students whose lives you touched have taken on leadership roles in their classes, clubs, the Alumnae Association, and the black alumnae conferences. Although you have been a loyal contributor and active participant in your class—in advancement efforts and admission work—it is your drive to reach out on your own and jump into the fray when you see the need that is most worthy of recognition.

Dale, you have embodied Mary Lyon's expectation when she said, "Let one efficient lady, in almost any place, either alone or with one or two to aid her, commence the work with decision, and with perseverance carry it through and it will be done!" It is with great pleasure and sincere thanks that we present you with the Alumnae Association Loyalty Award on this, your thirtieth reunion.

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