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Name: Ralph Arloe Phelps, Jr.

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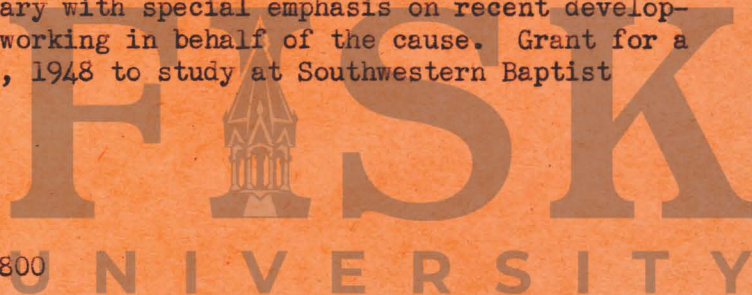
Education

Position: Graduate Student, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary
and Pastor of First Baptist Church, Fort Worth, Texas

College: Baylor University, B.A., 1943; M.A., 1945
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, M.T., 1947

Plan of Work: to make a survey and analytical evaluation of the struggle for public higher education for Negroes in Texas. The study will be both historical and contemporary with special emphasis on recent developments and on the work of groups working in behalf of the cause. Grant for a 12-month period beginning June 1, 1948 to study at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Action of Committee: Granted \$1800



RALPH ARLOE PHELPS, JR.

Graduate Student, Southwestern Baptist
Theological Seminary and Pastor of First
Baptist Church, Fort Worth, Texas

Education

Excellent

Top intellectual ability - for above
more intellectuality

Good logic - struggle for higher ed
for negroes in Texas

Isn't there a better place for
him to study than Baptist Theol. Seminary
I'd like to see him get some fresh air
clear outside the South



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Name Ralph Arloe Phelps, Jr. Field: Education

Graduate Student, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and Pastor of First Baptist Church, 4600 Gordon, Fort Worth, Texas

Plan of Work To make a survey and analytical evaluation of the struggle for public higher education for Negroes in Texas. The study will be both historical and contemporary with special emphasis on recent developments and on the work of groups working in behalf of the cause.

Requests grant for one year beginning June 1948. Wishes to work toward the Doctor of Theology degree in the Department of Social Ethics at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary under the supervision of Dr. T. B. Maston.

Personal Data Born Dallas, Texas, May 1921 Age: 27
Married, one dependent Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work Baylor University, B. A. 1943.

Graduate Work Baylor University, M. A., 1945

Professional Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, M.T., 1947

Experience Publicity writer, Baylor University, Waco, Tex., 1943, \$1800; associate pastor, Seventh & James Baptist Church, Waco, 1943-44, \$2100, pastor, Lakeview Baptist Church, Waco, 1944-46, \$2100; pastor, First Baptist Church, Plano, Tex., 1946-. \$3000.

Accomplishments Church's youngest pastor. Has written newspaper articles, general news and feature articles.

Scholarships Public Speaking Scholarship, Baylor University, 1939-42, Tuition; Student Assistant, Dept. of Social Ethics, Southwestern Seminary, 1947-48, Tuition.

References

- T. B. Maston, Southwestern Baptist Seminary
S. A. Newman, " " "
Glenn R. Capp, Baylor University
W. F. Howard, Texas Baptist Student Secretary, Dallas

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$2700
From Applicant 300
From Fund \$2400

AMOUNT GRANTED 1800

Sent to Committee

