

## NATHAN ALVIN PITTS

Student, Catholic University  
Washington, D. C.

Nothing outstanding

I gave him B- in 1941

And the only difference now is  
that five more years have  
confirmed his mediocrity

Name Nathan Alvin Pitts

Field: Sociology

Student, Catholic University  
3200 Warder Street, N.W., Washington 10, D. C.

**Plan of Work** To study the influence of the cooperative movement on the community life of the Negroes of North Carolina, and the rural educational program being developed around this movement.

Requests grant for ten months beginning September 1946. Seeks training in teaching and social research. Wishes to attend Catholic University, Washington, D. C., under the supervision of Dr. Paul H. Furfey.

Applied 1941.

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**Personal Data** Born Macon, Georgia, June, 1913.  
Married, one dependent.

**Age:** 32  
**Draft Status:** 4A

**Undergraduate Work** Florida A. & M. College, 1931-34  
Xavier University, B.S., 1936

**Graduate Work** University of Michigan, Summers, 1939-40, Term, 1941-42.  
Catholic University, Summers, 1943-44, Terms, 1943-44, 1945-46,  
M.A., 1944.

**Experience** Immaculata High School, Birmingham, Alabama, Instructor, 1937-38,  
\$1000; Cardinal Gibbons Institute, Ridge, Maryland, Principal,  
teacher, 1938-43, \$1200; North Carolina College, Durham, North  
Carolina, Instructor, 1944-45, \$2400.

**Accomplishments** Alpha Kappa Delta Fraternity; Association of University Professors,  
North Carolina College Chapter.  
Research on survey of Negro operated cooperatives in North Carolina  
(Southern Education Foundation)

**Publications** Martin De Porres Federal Credit Union, Interracial Review, 1943.

**Fellowships** Penfield Fellowship, Catholic University, Sociology, 1943-44, \$1200,  
1945-46, \$1000.

**References**

A. L. Turner, North Carolina College, Durham, North Carolina  
Paul H. Furfey, Catholic University, Washington, D. C.  
Lee M. Brooks, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina  
Arthur Wright, Southern Education Foundation, Washington, D. C.  
D. R. Graham, North Carolina Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, North  
Carolina

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$2,085
From Applicant	-
From Fund	\$2,085

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