

Phi Theta Kappa Luncheon
Wednesday, March 21, 2001
11:30 a.m.
Clarion Hotel

Talking Points

(NOTE: Make this very personal, relating your experiences with PTK to the success you have today.)

- Good Morning
- It is a pleasure to be here with you this morning
- First, I would like to commend and congratulate the All-State Academic Team
- Your hard work and dedication will help prepare you for all of life's journeys.
- Education is the number 1 priority of my administration.
- Education is the foundation from which our state builds all future successes – your education is the foundation from which you build your future.

- Mississippi's community and junior colleges are an important link in our state's educational system.
- I attended a community college, and it helped prepare me for the transition to the university system.
- Attending Northwest Community College is an experience that I greatly enjoyed and encourage everyone to take advantage of.
- (Personal Story relating to PTK.)
- Good luck in all your future endeavors.