

Barry T. Robinson Class of 1981

Barry Robinson was born and raised in Miami, Florida. He enrolled at Tuskegee Institute/ University in 1976 on a full athletic scholarship in football. Robinson was a 3-year letterman playing running back initially before moving to defensive back. In 1981 he was selected "First Team All-SIAC – Defensive Back", "Special Team Captain", "Defensive Back of the Year in 1981" and was the "Sheraton Black College Defensive Player of the Week" vs Florida A & M University. He was also invited to the Jacksonville Bulls Football Camp (USFL), the Saskatchewan Rough Riders (CFL) and the Dallas Cowboys (NFL).

Robinson earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with a Minor in Banking and Finance in 1981. While matriculating at Tuskegee, he participated in the Society of Black Business Leaders, Tuskegee NAACP and the Stroker, Inc. Robinson received an instructor certification from the State of Florida in Business Education and Mathematics for grades K-I2 and a high school coaching certification for football, basketball, track and volleyball.

Robinson's path of excellence continued as a math and business instructor and coach of various sports for 31 years at local high schools. As head varsity boys' basketball coach at Miami Carol City Senior High School, he compiled the most wins in school history (379-90) in 18-years. He helped over ninety (90) student-athletes receive scholarships.

Through his organization "Distinguished and Elite Sports", he conducts football camps, travel basketball programs, college tours, ACT and SAT preparation. He has been a member of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Carol City for over 25-years. He has also been a member of Jack and Jill of America, Inc., Miami Chapter for the past 10-years, and a Charmer in the Charmettes, Inc. for the past 15-years.

Robinson contributes to the National Cancer Foundation, the Skegee Golden Tigers Memorial Football Scholarship, and Tuskegee University.

Barry T. Robinson resides in Miramar, Florida with his spouse of 33-years, Cheryl and son, Barry T. Robinson II.