



**LUCILLE E. HOWARD**  
Class of 1951

“I graduated from Tuskegee in May of 1951 knowing that I would have the opportunity for a successful life. The guidance of Romania Peters and Cleve L. Abbott, along with the travel to different states and colleges, while enjoying the privilege of playing on the best basketball team prepared me for life.” **Lucille E. Howard**, Tampa, Florida, outstanding Golden Tiger (1947-1951). She played in the position of forward, was recognized and awarded for her skills as a passer and a play maker. She was named “most valuable player” many times during her tenure as a Golden Tiger.

Mrs. Howard spent thirty-two years teaching and coaching. She guided her teams to Championships at the Junior and Senior High School levels. Blake Junior High recognized her for her dedication and meritorious service to the education of children.

As a retired educator, she continues to be active working as a volunteer with the American Cancer Society, the St. Joseph’s Hospital Foundation of Tampa and the Florida State Association of Retired Persons.