



BIOGRAPHY

ABOUT OCCASIONAL OCCASIONS BY CARLTON

Founded in 1994 by Mr. Carlton A. Brown, **Occasional Occasions by Carlton** has been repeatedly praised for its culinary displays, dynamic flavors, and unique table presentations. Mentored by his mother, (a retired Home Economics Teacher), Chef Carlton acquired the desire to try new cuisines in order to enhance his palate for food. She also guided him into developing an eye for creating menus, as well as presentations without losing focus on the smallest of details. Through his father (a retired cook in the United States Marine Corp), he was constantly surrounded by the preparation of food. Chef Carlton grew up with a love for the culinary arts and therefore decided to pursue his passion for food and presentation by attending, and obtaining his Bachelors of Science in Culinary Arts from the Art Institute of Atlanta.

Chef Carlton is an accomplished culinary professional who has tickled the palates of celebrities Who's Who such as *Supermodel Beverly Johnson, Former Mayor Andrew Young, Reverend Jesse Jackson, Bishop T.D. Jakes, the late Mr. E. Lynn Harris (national bestselling author), Nikki Giovanni (Grammy-nominated American poet), Ian Smith, M.D. (award winning medical correspondent for NBC News), Karyn Greer (Clear News WGCL-TV Anchor Woman), and the late Mrs. Coretta Scott King, just to name a few.*

He has also provided services to such corporate giants as; American Express, Morgan Stanley & Co., Hewlett Packard, Office of the Mayor, H.J. Russell Company, World Span, Sprint, MCI, Atlanta Journal and Constitution, SunTrust Bank, Morehouse School of Medicine, Cox Communications, Cox Enterprises, Atlanta City Hall, Costco, WCLK and UPS just to name a few.

Chef Carlton was voted the #3 Cater in Atlanta for 2009 in "The Best of Atlanta" featured in the Atlanta Tribune: The Magazine. He is an active member of the International Catering Association and the American Culinary Federation. His cuisines and presentations are the mark of true talents, which can be viewed via his website at www.occasionaloccasions.net.

Not only does he provide great food, he provides elegant presentations with impeccable service. **Occasional Occasions by Carlton**, is not a job..."it's a passion".

