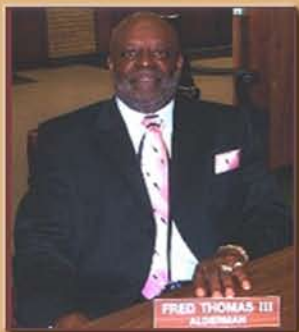


"It is only as we  
develop others that  
we permanently  
succeed."

-Harvey S  
Finestone

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Honored for  
displaying the  
Character Quality of  
**Availability**

## Why is Honor so Important?

Honor begins with showing respect for the basic value of a person by treating each person with dignity. It provides a flow of life-giving strength to the person and encourages him or her to continue to do well or to do even better. Here are some thoughts about honor to consider:

- Honoring a person for good actions or character is giving credit that is actually due them. To withhold honor might actually be thought of as stealing from that person what is rightfully theirs.
- Honoring someone publicly for good character holds up a role model for others to copy.
- Honoring someone publicly for good character helps create a "culture of character" in the community, increasing public awareness of character.
- Honoring those who have served you well in some capacity builds a climate of good will and teamwork in the organization you serve.
- What one chooses to honor shows his value system and helps determine the results of his labors.
- Taking the time to honor those who deserve it shows the quality of one's own character.

**"Pastor Fred Thomas makes himself available to the members of his congregation and to people in the community whenever there is a need. He spends many hours encouraging, counseling, visiting the sick, and generally stopping his activities whenever he can to help someone. He exemplifies the character quality of availability!"**

## You can reward good character in many ways throughout your day!

- Thank and compliment those who serve you, naming the good character they display.
- Tell others about the good character you saw in that person.
- Develop character awards in your home, organization, or place of business.

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