



Association of Adventist Women

# Lynette Carrington Cox

— Woman of the Year —

Spiritual Leadership

2004

First among the many notable facets that characterize Lynette Carrington Cox's life is the way she seamlessly integrates her personal faith and professional life.

Rarely do you see a physician offering Bible studies eagerly attended by university hospital administrators, medical directors, other physicians, nurses, and members from the full spectrum of hospital employees. But as a member of the Columbia University faculty, the Director of the Urgent Care Center and Associate Director of the Emergency Department, at Harlem Hospital Center—an extremely active emergency department—she does this with ease and passion. In the process

she has led many individuals to accept Jesus as their Savior.

Many in Harlem are poorly served by healthcare, and Carrington Cox considers it her calling to serve them both at a physician/patient level, and as an administrator in the development of policies that enable them to gain access to the full range of health-care services.

On most Sabbath mornings you will find her worshipping at her Mount Vernon, New York, church where she is a Sabbath School teacher, chaplain in the children's chapel, and an Elder.

Born on the island of St. Vincent, Carrington Cox took her undergraduate



studies at Long Island University and gained her medical degree from New York University. Her husband, Sterling Cox, is a lawyer. Together they have chosen New York City as their mission field.

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