

Surviving in a Tragedy

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As everyone is fully aware Haiti has suffered tremendously by a devastating earthquake. The world immediately has come to a standstill and doing everything in its power to help out this third world country. According to recent polls from Google, the world has raised over 21 million dollars. But whatever happens to helping New Orleans. From recent stats from the CNN Fortune the country has accumulated close to 200 billion dollars, and majority of it only went towards corporate buildings and tourist attractions. What about the New Orleans people? What about those who need the help the most? As everyone drops their agenda's to help out Haiti the New Orleans funds are being pushed

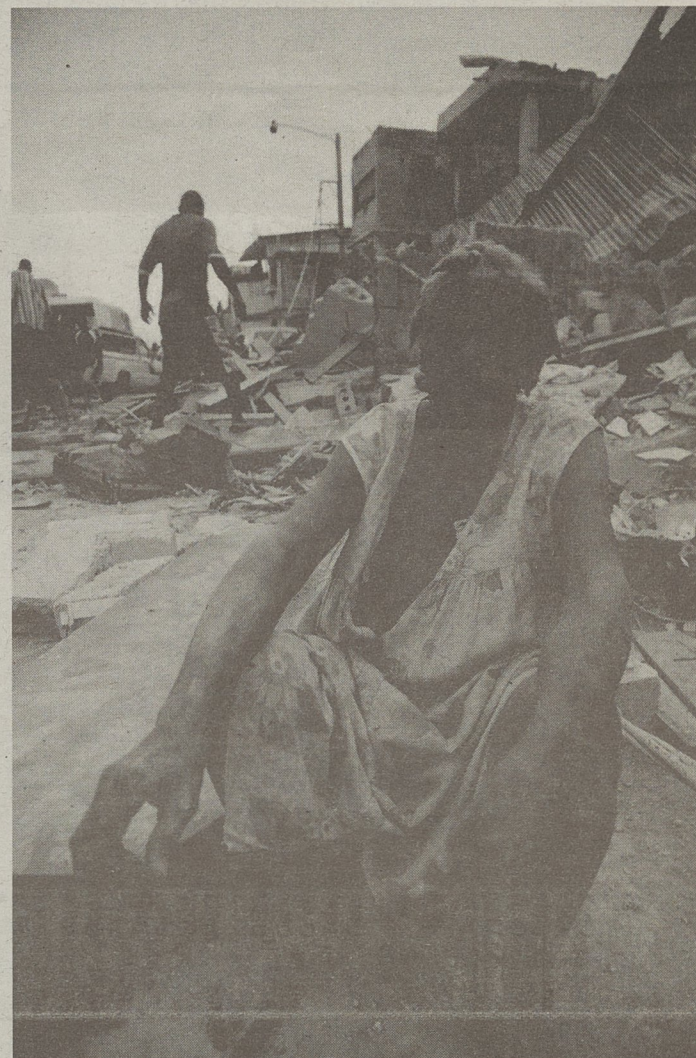
aside and help is lacking. Thanks to recent news from Penn State University Mont Alto a student as resurrected a group called ASB in which students pledge to alternate their spring break into going down to New Orleans and helping out building homes and fixing up shelters for those families in need. Kelsey Washington, a sophomore at Penn State is the president of this group. Though the group was resurrected the time span for the money to be raised to travel down was unable to be obtained. With that being said that did not bring down Kelsey nor did it bring down her group members. The group has informed the Penn State network that though they will not be attending New Orleans this year, they will

still raise money and fund raisers and send the profits down to a charitable organization so that the money will be put to good use in New Orleans. The ASB group has a number of events soon to come for the Penn State University Mont Alto students to enjoy. One in particular coming soon is the "So you think you got Style" pageant, which gives students an opportunity to show off their style and intellectual abilities and prove their style is unique, original, and number one.

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A Mother's pain in the aftermath of the earthquake.