

AMBASSADOR JOHNNY YOUNG

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Born in Savannah, Georgia; raised in Savannah, Philadelphia, PA and
Wilmington, DE.

Ku Klux Klan

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Temple University

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American University of Beirut Conference

Entered the Foreign Service in 1967

Tananarive, Madagascar; Budget and Fiscal Officer 1967-1969

Loss of classified pouch

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State Department; FSI; Administration/French language training 1969-1970

Conakry, Guinea; General Services Officer 1970-1972

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