

Biography of
GLENN C. LOURY

Glenn C. Loury is currently University Professor, Professor of Economics, and Director of the Institute on Race and Social Division at Boston University. Previously he has taught economics at Harvard, Northwestern and the University of Michigan. He holds a B.A. in Mathematics from Northwestern University and a Ph.D. in Economics from M.I.T.

Professor Loury is a distinguished economic theorist. His many scholarly articles include contributions to the fields of welfare economics, game theory, industrial organization, natural resource economics and the economics of income distribution. He has presented his research before numerous scholarly meetings and academic societies throughout the world. He has been a scholar in residence at Oxford University, Tel Aviv University, the University of Stockholm, the Delhi School of Economics, and the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton. He is a recipient of a Guggenheim Fellowship to support his work. He has served on several advisory commissions for the National Academy of Sciences. He is a Fellow of the Econometric Society, and was elected Vice President of the American Economics Association for 1997.

Professor Loury is also a prominent social critic and public intellectual. His essays on the issues of race, inequality and social policy have appeared in dozens of influential periodicals, including the New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Washington Post, Commentary Magazine, and National Review. He is a contributing editor at The New Republic, and a member of the publication committee at The Public Interest. He is a frequent commentator on national radio and television, a much sought-after public speaker, and an active advisor on social issues to business and political leaders throughout the country. His most recent book, *One by One, From the Inside Out: Essays and Reviews on Race and Responsibility in America* won the 1996 American Book Award and the 1996 Christianity Today Book Award. He was chosen by his Boston University colleagues to present the prestigious University Lecture for the 1996-97 academic year. He was recently elected as a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, and as a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

Professor Loury, a native of Chicago, resides with his wife Linda and sons Glenn II and Nehemiah in Brookline, Massachusetts. He is an active member of his church fellowship, enjoys playing chess and billiards, and listening to jazz in his spare time.

