



Magnanimous Award Nominee

2017 Unsung Hero Award
B.O.S.S. Award Honoree

2015 President Council on fitness, sports & nutrition community leadership award

2007-2008 DeKalb County Teacher of the Year

His poem "Cause I Ain't Got a Pencil"

Has been shared and liked over 1 million times on Facebook

Author of:

- 21
- Cause I Ain't Got a Pencil
- From the Depths of My Soul
- Lil Dee

Joshua Travis Dickerson Sr. is a proud graduate of Griffin High School and Georgia State University. He went on to become an educator in the DeKalb County School system and was awarded 2007-2008 DeKalb County Teacher of the Year for Jolly Elementary. He is currently serving as Executive Director with a non-profit organization in Metro Atlanta.

He has created several programs to empower youth and has helped to create chess and robotic clubs at various programs in Atlanta. Mr. Dickerson uses his experience and love for kids to train teachers and administrators on different ways to incorporate literacy into daily educational activities.

As a proud father of four children: Destiny, Joshua II, Justice and Skylar Dickerson, he knows all too well how important a positive role model is in every child's life. He is a passionate writer and author. His poem "Cause I Ain't Got a Pencil," has sparked conversation around the world and has been shared and liked over a million times on social media.

Mr. Dickerson stand strong on his belief that though no one person can do everything but each person can do something!