



Above: **Shannon Bright** sings "Battle Hymn of the Republic" as an honorarium to George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, and Martin Luther King.

Whenever you think of Valentines Day you naturally think of the Queen of Hearts Contest. This year's contest started out with the King of Hearts contestants. The contestants were **Ken Boone, Dean Brinson, Marvin Cockrum, Almond Davis, Larry Evans, Michael Ford, Cary Hickman, Jimmy Reed, Danny Thomas, and Mark Webster**. These young men were chosen because the students thought they all had the qualities of a King of Hearts.

Next came the parade of girls bidding for the Queen of Hearts title. The contestants were **Phyllis Cockrum, Clara Deal, Barbara Taylor, Sabrina Grant, Patricia Brown, Sharon Brown, Joyce Brown, Tammie Salley, Denise Jenkins, Gwendolyn Martin, Cindy Hunt, Vonda Gilgen, Gladys Bright, Gail Sherill, Leisa Mole, Brenda Cook, Margie Bright, Edie York, Harriett Fishburne, Sonja Kirkland, Leartis Moore, Kelly Craven, and Josie Hiott**.

The students were left in suspense until the judges had a chance to pick the winners. To relieve some of the suspense the students were entertained by **Regina Grant, Juanita Bright** and **Shannon Bright** with each singing some special songs. Then **Jimmy Reed, Billy Reed, Michael Ford, and Hubert Fryar** entertained the students with a dance that could only be described as great.

Next it was time for the King of Hearts winners; first place went to **Mark Webster**; the Prince was **Danny Thomas**, and this year's King **Jimmy Reed**. Well the naming of these winners only made the suspense worse. The five finalists for the Queen of Hearts were **Tammie Salley, Vonda Gilgen, Kelly Craven**, won first runner-up, **Cindy Hunt** who was Princess, and **Gail Sherill** who became this year's Miss Queen of Hearts.

## A DAY FIT FOR KINGS AND QUEENS



Smiling with joy are winners of the King/Queen of Hearts pageant. They are **Mark Webster**: 1st runner up, **Kelly Craven**: 1st runner-up, **Jimmy Reed**: King of Hearts, **Gail Sherrill**: Queen of Hearts, **Danny Thomas**: Prince of Hearts, and **Cindy Hunt**: Princess of Hearts.