Pictured above is Thomas Browning

Thomas Browning AwardeBarrere MemorialScholarshipat Southern State Computer Science Program playebig role in Browning's enrollment at the College

The Southern State Community College Foundation has announced Thomas Browning, of Franklin County, as a recipient of the Sara M. Barrere Memorial Scholarship for the 2092a cademic year.

Browning, a 2003 high school graduate, we carking husband and father of threes well as Air Force veteran He ispursuing a degree in Computer Information Technology at Southern State Community College, under the direction of Associate Professor Dr. Joshua Montgomery.

"I first heard about Southern Statewhen Dr. Montgomery came to my workplace to talk about getting the A+ certificationHe was approachable and took time to talk to me about his course and how it would compare to the A+ certification I already habrowning said.

Browningdecided to enrolln Dr. Montgomery'scourseat Southern State'. While taking his course, I

the opportunity to join Phi Theta Kappat(K), an international college honor societince coming to Southern State," said Browning.

Browning added, "I am grateful for the opportunity to set a good example for my children, and being awardedthis scholarship allows me to focus on my studies **ared**/ide inspiration to help them find what they are passionate about replied Browning.

Browning hopes to continue his education by obtaining his bachelor's and master's degree in IT Martage Metht and 23 TO 000 6040 Tarti ((135)-04000.7v (0) 244011 4 II (wa-0.8((1)) 5 (13) 60% (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (1)) -0.80 (14) (11) -0.80 (14) (14) (11) -0.80 (14) (14) (