

TRIBUTE TO PROFESSOR DEBORAH HODGES BELL

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My first semester of law school at Ole Miss in the fall of 1985 was primarily driven by fear and the highest level of academic anxiety I have ever experienced. Even so, I found an oasis of calming reassurance in my first semester Property course taught by Professor Debbie Bell, then in her fifth year on the law school faculty. Professor Bell was not a purveyor of the overtly aggressive Socratic Method style of teaching then the norm in law school at Ole Miss and elsewhere seemingly intended to terrify more than educate.¹

Rather, with firmness but also much kindness and empathy, she led our class through well-structured classroom presentations and explained complex legal rules and concepts in a way that brought clarity and understanding. Those who have experienced the crushing stress of an old-school version of the first year of law school will understand what a balm Professor Bell's approach was to law students struggling to learn in an environment of uncertainty and fear. Her reassuring classroom environment was why both semesters of Property with Professor Bell were by far my favorite courses in my 1L year and why I preferred to take required upper-level courses from her whenever I could.

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¹ In a tribute to her former law professor, University of Mississippi Chancellor Emeritus Robert C. Khayat, Professor Bell similarly noted that the teaching model of the time at Ole Miss Law, for her the late 1970s, was “[t]he Socratic method – overlaid with intimidation and, in some cases, sarcasm[.]” Deborah H. Bell, *Professor Deborah H. Bell*, 81 MISS. L.J. 71, 71 (2011). She emphasized that Professor Khayat's teaching style was in stark contrast to that method, describing it as “the friendliest and most relaxed we . . . encountered” and “firm without being demeaning.” *Id.* at 72. Professor Bell, who would join the faculty two years after graduating from Ole Miss Law in 1979, clearly favored Professor Khayat's teaching style in her own classroom.

In March 2024, my former law professor and long-time colleague Debbie Bell was appropriately honored by induction into the University of Mississippi Law Alumni Hall of Fame as part of its Class of 2024. She retired from full-time service on the University of Mississippi School of Law faculty at the conclusion of the 2017-2018 academic year and has served in the role of Senior Faculty in Service since that time. Having joined the faculty in 1981, Professor Bell has provided more than forty years of distinguished service to the law school as a professor, clinic director, associate dean, and dean.

In my perhaps biased opinion, no graduate of the law school has ever been more worthy of inclusion in its Alumni Hall of Fame as Debbie. I am extremely proud to write this tribute to Professor Bell on behalf of her former students, but even more proud to write this tribute as one of Debbie's faculty colleagues since 2007. It has been my great privilege over the past two decades to serve on the same law faculty as one of my best professors in law school.

Debbie's abundant talents as a lawyer, professor, scholar, and administrator produced an amazing career and extraordinary contributions to the legal profession. Her impact on the law school during her career has been nothing short of incredible. Debbie is the founder and former director of the school's Housing Law Clinic (1992-1996) and subsequently founded and directed the school's Civil Legal Clinic (1999-2009).

In 2011, she founded and subsequently directed the law school's Pro Bono Initiative for several years. She also served as Associate Dean for Clinical Programs (2013-2017) before a two-year term as Dean of the law school (2015-2017). Despite the many roles she performed at the law school with excellence, however, as both her former student and later faculty colleague, what I found most remarkable about Debbie was how easy, indeed effortless, she made classroom teaching seem. As a classroom teacher, her ability to explain complex concepts and break down legal rules into their basic components to make them accessible and understandable to students borders on the preternatural.

There is absolutely nothing easy about teaching at the level Debbie reaches in the classroom, despite how she makes it appear. I have taught Property at Ole Miss Law to first-year law students for the past seventeen years, which I believe makes me somewhat

of an expert on the degree of difficulty in teaching that subject. It takes a massive amount of intense preparation to be able to deliver often complex material to students in a way that they can follow and to address their questions about it substantively and well. My own professional jealousy as a law professor of how easy Debbie makes it look does not get in the way of my understanding just how much hard work was required for her to do what she did in the classroom at such an incredibly high level and with such apparent ease.

During my first several years on the Ole Miss Law School faculty, I would routinely tell my Property students they were being shortchanged by the fact a vastly better Property professor than me was also in the law building but not teaching their class, and that person just so happened to have been my Property professor in law school. Such comments always received appreciative laughs from the students, but I knew the real humor in that statement was its absolute truth. My appreciation for the quality of Debbie's teaching was extreme when I was a law student; that appreciation has grown exponentially during the nearly twenty-five years I have been a law professor with courses and students of my own.

In addition to the tremendous impact Debbie had on generations of her students in the classroom at Ole Miss Law, her career has also produced an impressive number of remarkable and enduring contributions as a scholar to the law and to the legal profession in Mississippi. In the area of Property law, Professor Bell published important legal scholarship on landlord-tenant law² and provided assistance to the Mississippi Legislature in the drafting of the Mississippi Home Corporation Act³ and the Mississippi Landlord-Tenant Act of 1991.⁴

In the area of Mississippi family law, Professor Bell's legal treatise, *Bell on Mississippi Family Law*,⁵ currently in its third edition, has been the authoritative work on the subject for the

² See generally Deborah H. Bell, *Introduction to Housing Law-Symposium*, 61 MISS. L.J. 501 (1992); Deborah H. Bell, *The Mississippi Landlord-Tenant Act of 1991*, 61 MISS. L.J. 527 (1992); Deborah H. Bell, *Providing Security of Tenure for Residential Tenants: Good Faith as a Limitation on the Landlord's Right to Terminate*, 19 GA. L. REV. 483 (1985).

³ See MISS. CODE ANN. §§ 43-33-701 to -797 (1989).

⁴ See MISS. CODE ANN. §§ 89-8-1 to -41 (1991).

⁵ DEBORAH H. BELL, *BELL ON MISSISSIPPI FAMILY LAW* (3d ed. 2020).

Mississippi bench and bar since publication of the first edition in 2005.⁶ Professor Bell also provided assistance to the Mississippi Legislature in the drafting of several statutes in the area of family law and domestic relations, including the Mississippi Vulnerable Adults Act,⁷ the Domestic Violence Custody Presumption Amendment,⁸ the Sex Offender Registration for Child-related Volunteer Activities,⁹ jurisdictional amendments to the Mississippi Adoption Act,¹⁰ and amendments to the Mississippi Divorce Grounds statute.¹¹ In addition to her comprehensive Mississippi law treatise, she also contributed numerous influential works of scholarship on family law to the legal literature over the course of her four decades as a law professor.¹²

Debbie had a profound influence on me as a law student and has been an even greater inspiration to me in my career as a law professor. When I decided nearly thirty-five years ago that I wanted to transition from private law practice in Mississippi to a career as a law professor, Debbie Bell was the first among my professors who were also graduates of Ole Miss Law, such as Bob Weems, Guff Abbott, Robert Khayat, Karen Green, Bill Champion, John Robin Bradley, and Aaron Condon, who inspired my attempt to follow in their footsteps.¹³ When I joined the Ole Miss Law faculty in 2007, six of those eight individuals, including Professor Bell, were still on the law faculty (although Professor Khayat was spending the

⁶ See generally DEBORAH H. BELL, *BELL ON MISSISSIPPI FAMILY LAW* (1st ed. 2005); Lee Will Berry, *Deborah H. Bell, Bell on Mississippi Family Law (2005)*, 75 MISS. L.J. 637 (2006) (book review).

⁷ See MISS. CODE ANN. § 43-47-1.

⁸ See MISS. CODE ANN. § 93-5-23.

⁹ See MISS. CODE ANN. § 45-33-32.

¹⁰ See MISS. CODE ANN. § 93-17-1.

¹¹ See MISS. CODE ANN. § 93-5-1.

¹² See generally DEBORAH H. BELL, *Family Law (Chapter 34)*, 4A ENCYCLOPEDIA OF MISSISSIPPI LAW 321 (Thomson Reuters 3d ed. 2021); Deborah H. Bell, *The Cost of Fault-Based Divorce*, 82 MISS. L.J. SUPRA 131 (2013); Deborah H. Bell, *Disputes Over Frozen Embryos*, 81 MISS. L.J. SUPRA 105 (2011); Deborah H. Bell, *Family Law at the Turn of the Century*, 71 MISS. L.J. 781 (2002); Deborah H. Bell, *Child Support Orders: The Common Law Framework – Part II*, 69 MISS. L.J. 1063 (2000); Deborah H. Bell, *Child Support Orders: The Federal-State Partnership – Part I*, 69 MISS. L.J. 597 (1999); Deborah H. Bell, *Equitable Distribution: Implementing the Marital Partnership Theory Through the Dual Classification System*, 67 MISS. L.J. 115 (1997).

¹³ For discussion of my decade-plus journey in navigating the national law professor hiring market as a graduate of Ole Miss Law, see David W. Case, *The Pedagogical Don Quixote de la Mississippi*, 33 U. MEM. L. REV. 529 (2003).

majority of his time in the Lyceum by then) which was a tremendous thrill for me as their former student. Since becoming her faculty colleague, I have been the constant beneficiary of Debbie's kindness, generous spirit, and exceedingly collegial nature. She was extremely supportive of me in the advancement of my own career from a junior to senior member of the faculty. She constantly offered encouragement and demonstrated that she considered me to be a valued colleague. Given the high esteem in which I hold Professor Bell, I will be forever grateful for and honored by that.

It is an honor and a privilege to be both Debbie Bell's former law student and her faculty colleague at Ole Miss Law. On behalf of four decades of her former students at Ole Miss Law and her many faculty colleagues, past and present, I thank Debbie for her incredible service to the law school and the state of Mississippi during her Hall of Fame career. I also thank her for her many contributions to the law and the law school that continue to endure to the benefit of current and future students of the school and members of the legal profession in Mississippi.

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