

## **Helen Dickerson. Edited by Cissy Finley Grant**

*I Just Quit Stirrin' when the Tastin's Good*

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Cookbook of family style meals served by Helen Dickerson, an African-American woman who was the Head Chef there for 60 years.

The small historic hotel, still in operation, was founded by a returning Civil War veteran (and prisoner) in 1876. The Satterfield family bought the hotel in 1920, and brought along Dickerson from their Richmond, Virginia home. *OCLC* locates seven copies. [BTC#423587]



*Howard Michaels photo*

*Helen poses with her daughters and their husbands, "Burt" left and Charlie in The Chalfonte kitchen*



*Ray Fisk photo*

*It's fried chicken night*