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Ria Chandler is a native of the Derby City, Louisville, Kentucky and is the mother of two sons. Christopher Chandler, of Cleveland, Ohio and Richard Chandler, Morehouse Class of 2025.

Professionally, Ria is a Program Assistant Senior at the University of Louisville and is the Northwest Regional Representative for the Kentucky Association of Blacks in Higher Education.

Ria is very active in the community and serves several non-profit organizations including the Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana as second vice-chair to the board of directors, Chestnut Street Family YMCA Black Achievers Program as vice-president of the steering committee and career cluster leader, West Louisville Math and Science Project Board, Metro United Way Community Investment Cabinet, Junior League Louisville Sustainer Advisory Board, Summerbridge Board and serves on the Nativity Academy of St. Boniface Board of Directors. She is an associate member of the Derby City Chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc and has been very active in efforts to encourage attendance at Historically Black Colleges and Universities as a board member of the Education First Foundation (Showcase of HBCUs).

She is an active member of First Gethsemane Baptist Church, where she serves in numerous capacities. Ria is president of the North Central region of the Baptist Women's Missionary Convention of Kentucky, which is an auxiliary of the General Association of Baptist of Kentucky.

As excited as she is to serve as the Morehouse College Parents Council Region 5 Representative, she will proudly let you know that she attended Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte, North Carolina. Her favorite pastime is reading and volunteering. She is the recipient of numerous awards and accolades for her volunteer efforts. Her greatest title is Grand'Mere to Langston Lee Chandler.