



70-049-33 Thomas J. Calloway House (NR)

9949 Elm Street

Lincoln

Built in 1910, the Thomas J. Calloway House is a hip-roof dwelling of the compact Foursquare plan, with a wraparound porch and slim Tuscan columns. It stands on an angular lot near the crescent that constituted the distinctive feature of Lincoln, an African-American retreat community developed in 1910. Calloway, manager of the Lincoln Land and Improvement Company, was an African-American leader of considerable importance in the early twentieth century. His house, designed by architect Isaiah T. Hatton and similar to Hatton's own house in the same community, is a good representative of the houses of that period and is significant as the home of Lincoln's most prominent resident. The Calloway house was listed in the National Register of Historic Places in 2005.