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MISSION EIGHT CREW -- Crewmembers for the eighth Space Shuttle flight (STS-8) pose for their portrait before an American flag at the Johnson Space Center in Houston, Texas. Richard Truly (center) is crew commander. Joining him during the four day mission in Earth orbit are, from left: Daniel Brandenstein, pilot, and mission specialists Dale Gardner, William Thornton and Guion Bluford. STS-8 will mark the first night launch and first night landing of the Shuttle; Guion Bluford will be the first black to be sent into space. The flight, scheduled for mid-August, will begin in Florida and end in California. (83-2262-C)

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