

I AM WOMAN



DR. LINDA WILLIS



## **Welcome to the 2026 I Am Woman Conference!**

It is with great joy that I welcome you to this powerful gathering of women of faith, purpose, and promise.

This conference is designed to encourage, empower, and ignite every woman to walk boldly into all God is calling her toward in this season. Whether that is healing, ministry, leadership, business, deeper faith, stronger relationships, new dreams, bold decisions, or stepping into opportunities she has delayed for too long—my prayer is that this experience will activate you to move forward with courage, confidence, and expectation.

You will encounter powerful preaching, transformative teaching, heartfelt worship, and life-changing moments that will strengthen your faith and renew your spirit.

My prayer is that you will be refreshed, restored, and reminded that God's power, grace, and favor are working mightily in and through you.

Thank you for being part of this unforgettable experience. I believe God has ordained this moment especially for you, and I am expecting Him to move in extraordinary ways.

May you leave inspired, uplifted, and empowered to continue walking boldly into all God has for you.

**The Time Is Now!**

With love,

*Dr. Linda Wells*



**I Am Woman Conference | Luncheon**  
**Friday, May 29, 2026 | 11:30 AM**

I AM WOMAN CONFERENCE

# **BEHIND** **the MANTLE**



**Opening Prayer**

**Greetings & Connection**

*Dr. Linda Willis, Conference Host*

*"Conversation - Behind the Mantle"*

**Impartation**

*Evangelist LaTrice Ryan*

**Closing Remarks | Benediction**



## EVANGELIST LATRICE RYAN

Evangelist LaTrice Ryan is an author, evangelist, and transformational leader known for her bold faith, prophetic clarity, and uncompromising delivery of the Word of God. She is the founder of LaTrice Ryan Ministries and the Kingdom Sniper Institute, a global mentorship community established in 2020. LaTrice's ministry is marked by formation, discipline, and revival. As a licensed Respiratory Therapist of over 20 years, she has been trained to revive and regulate breath—bringing a rare sensitivity to timing, pressure, and restoration that now shapes her spiritual leadership.

Her authority is further forged through nine years of service in the United States Army and Army Reserves, where structure, obedience, and execution became foundational. Through Kingdom Sniper Institute, LaTrice partners with her husband to mentor prayer-driven Christians to build spiritual strength and marketplace excellence. The Institute intentionally blends military structure with a biblical backbone, producing believers who know how to pray with power, lead with clarity, and live with discipline. Since its inception, the community has reached more than 6,500 trailblazers, known as Snipers, including ministry leaders, entrepreneurs, professionals, and government officials. Traveling nationally and internationally, LaTrice delivers messages that are prophetic, practical, and life-giving.

Her initiatives—Live Through It, Pretty In Pink, and the Unshakable Faith Conference—reflect her conviction that faith must move beyond inspiration into transformation. She is the author of *Finisher*, a board member of Rise Up Single Moms, and a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother committed to legacy, leadership, and lives changed through Christ.



# I Am Woman Conference | Opening Night Friday, May 29, 2026 | 7:00 PM

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**Opening Prayer - Prophetess**

**Alisa Gibson**

**Praise & Worship**

**Introduction of Conference**

**Host**

**Greetings & Connection**

*Dr. Linda Willis, Conference Host*

**Ministry in Song**

*Guest Artist: Min. Sierra Ward-Pope*

**Preached Word**

*Dr. Sharon Nesbitt*

**Invitation**

**Closing Remarks | Benediction**

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## DR. SHARON NESBITT

Dr. Sharon R. Nesbitt is a devoted follower of God and advocate for humanity. In her roles as a spiritual leader, author, philanthropist, and humanitarian, she has established various initiatives, including Dominion World Outreach Ministries located in Marion, Arkansas, Dominion World Development Corporation, and Dominion World Guatemala. Dr. Nesbitt's visionary leadership has facilitated the acquisition and development of land and facilities, notably securing 102 acres for the new Dominion campus. Her latest accomplishment is the debt-free completion of a state of the art gymnasium.

Her unwavering commitment to spreading spiritual wisdom has earned her prestigious accolades, including the Presidential Lifetime Achievement and Volunteer Service Award, and designation as Goodwill Ambassador for the Golden Rule under the Interfaith Peace Building Initiative.

Dr. Nesbitt's personal mission is to empower individuals to transcend cultural and socioeconomic barriers and fulfill their divine purpose. Through her domestic and international ministry work, spanning racial and denominational divides, she is planting seeds of transformation that will bear fruit for generations to come.

## MIN. SIERRA WARD-POPE

*Psalmist*



Sierra Ward-Pope is a powerful and anointed psalmist whose soulful yet traditional Gospel sound leaves a lasting impression on every listener. With an irrefutable presence and a heart deeply rooted in ministry, Sierra blends authenticity, power, and passion in every note she sings.

Since 2004, she has been a celebrated member of the 4-time Stellar Award-winning group Lisa Knowles & The Brown Singers, where her vibrant personality and dynamic vocals shine. In 2016, Sierra accepted her call to ministry and was licensed to preach. She now serves faithfully as an Evangelist and Minister of Music at Riverside Baptist Church in Memphis, TN, under the leadership of Dr. Reginald S. Boyce.

With a deep love for Traditional Gospel music, Sierra has cultivated a versatile artistry that seamlessly spans Contemporary Gospel, Worship, Quartet, and Inspirational Soul. Her musical journey reached new heights with the release of her debut solo single, "But God", co-written by Sierra herself alongside Kevin Davidson and producer Richard Robinson. The single is a powerful introduction to her forthcoming debut album which is an innovative blend of tradition and soul now available on all digital music platforms.

In 2017, Sierra added another creative chapter to her life by launching her own fashion brand, Broochipop and More. The brand specializes in bold, custom bedazzled brooches, bouquet hats, brooch socks and standout accessories designed to elevate personal style and boost confidence. From sparkly statements to elegant flair each piece is crafted to help individuals express their uniqueness and shine unapologetically.

Sierra is also the visionary behind the 2019 launch of her nonprofit organization, "A Heart to Share," which provides counseling, love, and vital resources to teen moms and underserved youth. Her passion for healing and support is further strengthened by her recent academic achievement earning her Associate's Degree in Psychology, giving her deeper insight into the emotional and mental needs of the communities she serves.

More than a singer, Sierra is a wife, a mother, a mentor, a creative entrepreneur, and a servant leader. Her humility, resilience, and unwavering faith continue to open doors and inspire lives. With every song, every sermon, and every sparkling sock, she proves that purpose and passion can beautifully coexist and that the best is yet to come. She is the dedicated wife of Min. Tommy Pope, a passionate mommy, and a Millie to her one and only granddaughter. She remains humble and faithful to the call.

# I Am Woman Conference

## Saturday, May 30, 2026 | 9:00 AM

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**Opening Prayer - Minister Leslie Hooker**  
**Praise & Worship**  
**Greetings & Connection**

### **SESSION 1**

*Dr. Khaalida Forbes*

**Break**

**Presentation by Title Sponsor**

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### **SESSION 2**

*Pastor Shun Strickland*

**Lunch**

**Dr. Linda's Favorite Things**

**I Am Woman Scholarships**

**Closing Remarks**





A portrait of Pastor Shun Strickland, a woman with short blonde hair, wearing a white lace top and a dark belt, smiling. The photo is framed by an orange border.

## PASTOR SHUN STRICKLAND

Pastor Shun Strickland is a Jesus lover, wife, mother, daughter, sister, friend, pastor, business strategist, coach and activist. She's passionate about seeing people, especially women, step into their God given identity and live out their God given dreams. She uses her prophetic insight to help people grow, become and make the SoulShift, transform their mindsets, break cycles so they can live and walk in freedom.

Pastor Shun has a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Arkansas, a Juris Doctorate (law degree) from the University of Arkansas School of Law and a Masters Degree from the Chicago School of Professional Psychology. She is a life long learner who is committed to using her knowledge to equip and empower others.

Pastor Shun is the wife of Dr. Edwin Strickland. They have been married for 25+ years. She is also the mother of five amazing children: three daughters – Taylor, Jordan and Canaan and two sons – Chase and Caleb.

Pastor Shun pastors Fellowship of Champions Church with her husband, Edwin. She also owns Shun Strickland Enterprises a coaching and speaking business. Shun is the author of several faith based personal development books and workbooks.

## DR. KHAALIDA FORBES



Dr. Khaalida Forbes, a native of New York, is a visionary leader and strategist with an extensive educational background. She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Virginia State University, a Master's degree in Clinical Social Work, and a Master's of Divinity degree from Howard University. She also earned a Doctorate of Ministry degree in Prophetic Preaching for the 21st Century from United Theological Seminary.

Known as "The Change Architect," Dr. Forbes is a multi-state licensed clinical therapist and the Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Khaalida Forbes Enterprises. Her organization offers transformational opportunities in mental, emotional, relational, and spiritual health while also focusing on executive leadership coaching and leadership development for the future.

With over 25 years of experience, Dr. Forbes has honed her expertise in cognitive behavioral therapy, specializing in trauma therapy. She integrates her clinical insights with her passion for leadership to deliver comprehensive training in executive leadership emotional intelligence and its critical role in strategic planning. Through this work, she equips leaders with the skills to make informed decisions, foster innovation, and lead with emotional awareness in complex environments.

Dr. Forbes is particularly committed to developing leaders for the future by emphasizing the importance of emotional intelligence in leadership and its profound impact on organizational culture and long-term strategy. She has collaborated with executives and leadership teams across diverse industries, helping them navigate challenges while aligning their personal growth with organizational goals.

Her global reach and impact extend beyond traditional therapy. Dr. Forbes has traveled to Italy, Egypt, Israel, and London to train and learn, ensuring she stays at the forefront of mental health and faith-based initiatives. Quarterly training and continuous learning allow her to remain a thought leader in the intersecting fields of mental health, faith, and leadership.

It is rare to find a leader who seamlessly weaves the clinical, practical, and spiritual into an approach that resonates with both the well-adjusted and the acutely challenged. Dr. Forbes does this with finesse and innate ability, empowering individuals and organizations alike to embrace transformation. She believes that through competent coaching, compassionate therapy, and strategic leadership development, people and institutions can achieve lasting, meaningful change.



# I Am Woman Conference

## Sunday, May 31, 2026 | 10:00 AM

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**Opening Prayer - Prophetess**

**Alisa Gibson**

**Praise & Worship**

**Song Selections**

**Sermon**

*Pastor Jasmine Morton Robinson*

**Offering**

**Invitation**

**Remarks by Dr. Linda Willis**



A portrait of Pastor Jasmine Morton Robinson, a woman with long, dark, wavy hair, smiling warmly. She is wearing a colorful, multi-colored top. The portrait is set within an orange-bordered frame.

## PASTOR JASMINE MORTON ROBINSON

Jasmine Morton Robinson is a dynamic and devoted woman of faith, purpose, and power. Born into spiritual legacy as the daughter of Bishop Paul S. Morton and Dr. Debra B. Morton, she carries the mantle of ministry with grace, depth, and authenticity. As Co-Pastor of Greater St. Stephen Full Gospel Baptist Church, alongside her Bishop, Dr. T. Delbert Robinson, she is committed to impacting lives through sound doctrine, prophetic insight, and heartfelt worship.

Since beginning her preaching journey, Jasmine has used her voice to encourage believers to trust God in every season-especially in life's "midnights." Her messages call the Church to live boldly, evangelize courageously, and lean into the power of the Holy Spirit. Passionate about women's complete wholeness and healing, Co-Pastor Jasmine, surrendering wholeheartedly to God, founded the nationally impactful movement, "The W.H.Y Woman" - as she is Whole, Healed & Yielded to God.

She is also a dedicated mother and "G-Jay", a creative and digital encourager social media platforms, and a spiritual leader whose heart beats for the growth and health of the Church. Whether teaching, mentoring, or simply living out the Gospel, Lady Jay embodies a life surrendered to God-marked by love, truth, and transformation.

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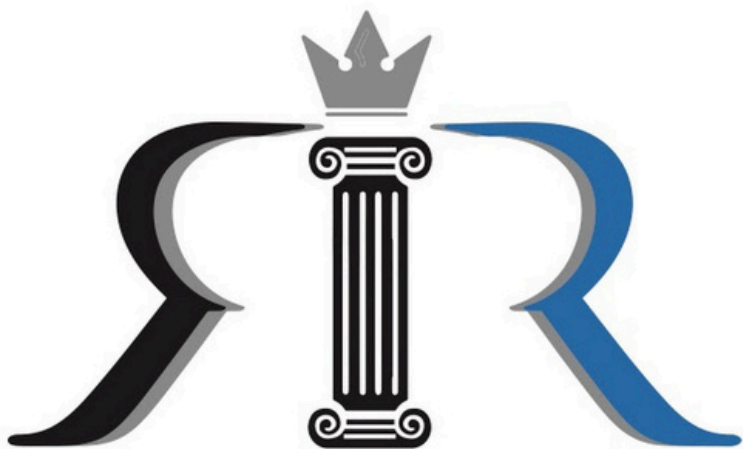
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## I Am Woman Praise Team

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## Thank You!

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Tonya Randall

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Valencia Spears

# **I Am Woman Theme Song**

## **I'm a Powerful Woman**

I'm a Powerful Woman, God is in me!  
Anything you need God gave you, He gave you spiritually!

I'm a Powerful Woman, God is in Me!  
Poised with His Power Divine, Gods got His hands on me!

I just wanna tell, women everywhere  
How much my God can do, put fire inside of you  
Anytime you feel danger or fear,  
Remember God is always near!

I'm a Powerful Woman, God is in me!  
Anything you need God gave you, He gave you spiritually!

I'm a Powerful Woman, God is in Me!  
Poised with his Power Divine, Gods got His hands on me!

I'm not bragging, cause He's the one!  
Cause He's got me me, ooh, and it shall be done!  
And don't bother—no one can compare!  
I've got it, I've got it, got it got it, got it!

I'm a Powerful Woman!  
I'm a Powerful Woman!  
I'm a Powerful Woman!  
I'm a Powerful Woman!