



DESPERATE FOR JESUS
WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

LEGACY

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JULY 25 & 26, 2025

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welcome

As you step into the 2025 Desperate for Jesus Women's Conference, we want you to know that your presence here matters. This weekend is about more than just attending another conference; it's about discovering how your faith, your journey, and your obedience to God are shaping future generations.

This year's theme is LEGACY. Legacy is more than what we leave behind; it's what we live right now. It's the faith we nurture daily, the prayers we pray for our children, and the example we set for those who come after us. The choices we make today are shaping the testimonies of tomorrow.

When we think about legacy, we can't help but reflect on the life of our late mother, Dr. Lois Evans. She was a woman who loved God deeply, served faithfully, and poured out wisdom and grace to those around her. Her life was a testament to what it means to leave a lasting impact, not just through words, but through a consistent and unwavering walk with the Lord. The fruit of her faithfulness continues to influence lives, including ours, and this conference is part of the legacy she crafted.

As women of faith, we have the opportunity and responsibility to invest in something that outlives us. We are part of a greater story, one that began long before us and will continue long after we are gone.

This weekend is about embracing the call, deepening our relationship with God, and choosing to step boldly into the roles He has given each of us in shaping the next generation. So, let's lean in. Let's worship, learn, and be encouraged together. Let's seek God with open hearts and a renewed passion for the legacy He's calling us to build. And as always, let's take a moment to enjoy this time of sisterhood and worship.

We're so glad you're here.

Chrystal & Priscilla

Chrystal & Priscilla
Conference Hosts



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LEGACY

Hello and Warmest Greetings!

We are thrilled to welcome you to the 2025 Desperate for Jesus Women's Conference! As the Lead Pastor and First Lady of Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship, we are overjoyed that you have chosen to share your Friday and Saturday with us. Prepare yourself for an experience that will not only inspire you but also transform your life as we dive deep into our conference theme: LEGACY!

Have you ever felt that tug in your heart to be part of something greater than yourself? Each one of us is crafted with intention for a divine purpose that extends beyond our earthly journey. The way we embrace and fulfill our God-given calling shapes not only our lives but also the legacy we leave for those who come after us.

We can't wait for you to join us in exploring this vital theme! Together, let's discover the incredible impact we can have on the next generation.

And that's not all! We invite you to enrich your spiritual journey by joining us this Sunday for an uplifting worship experience! You can come to either our 8:00 or 11:00 a.m. service right here in our sanctuary. If you're looking for a church home, we would be honored to welcome you into our church family. We encourage you to explore our website at ocbfchurch.org/membership, where you can discover how to become an integral part of our vibrant ministry.

Now, take a moment to unwind and immerse yourself in the enriching experience of the conference!

For His Glory,



Jonathan & Kanika Evans
Lead Pastor & First Lady

*We will not conceal
them from their
children, But tell to
the generation to come
the praises of the Lord,
And His strength and
His wondrous works
that He has done.*

Psalms 78:4



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FRIDAY, JULY 25

Welcome
Living Legacy Opener
Praise & Worship
Prayer Experience
Session One
End of Conference Day One

SATURDAY, JULY 26

DFJ Choir
Welcome
Praise & Worship
Session Two
Special Music
Session Three
Lunch
The Real View Panel
Legacy Lessons
Special Music
Session Four
Time of Commitment



HOSTS & SPECIAL GUESTS



CHRYSTAL EVANS HURST
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Mistresses of Ceremony



ELLIE & KARISS FARRIS
Mistresses of Ceremony

DFJ *information*



GUEST SERVICES

If you have any questions or need assistance, volunteers are ready to greet you at the Guest Services table located in the main foyer.



CONCESSIONS

Food trucks will be available Friday and Saturday.



SURVEY

We want to hear from you! Your feedback helps us to plan future conferences. We'll text you the survey on Saturday afternoon. ocbfchurch.org/dfjsurvey.



LOST & FOUND

If you've misplaced an item, check with Guest Services in the main foyer.



RESTROOMS

Each restroom in the building has been designated for women.



PRAYER NEEDS

Have a specific prayer request? Members of the Intercessory Prayer Team will be praying all day. You may turn in a prayer request at Guest Services in the foyer or give to a member of the prayer team, recognized by their pink Prayer Team shirts. Additionally, the Prayer Chapel on the east side corridor and Suite 400 on the west side corridor are set up for personal prayer and intimacy with God. We invite you to visit any time during the conference.



PRODUCT TABLES

Product tables for the hosts and speakers are located in the foyer.



SHUTTLES

Shuttle service is available at the south side entrance of the Worship Center for those who are unable to walk across the street for lunch.



WiFi Connection

Network: Conference
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“I’m grateful for godly legacies — every woman in the house knows that this is a place where she can belong. Welcome to Desperate for Jesus.”

Cokeisha Bailey Robinson, DFJ Speaker 2011 & 2015

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shopping mall

Don't forget to visit our vendors at the DFJ Shopping Mall! Open during breaks, lunch, and at the end of the conference.

3:16 Collection

Christian apparel, accessories, and jewelry

Branches LLC

Natural and handcrafted body care products and accessories

Cool Crayations

Handcrafted, fun-shaped crayons

From Gwen's Heart

Various merch with handwritten messages/scriptures

Hodges Home Luxury

Home Goods

Home fragrance items (candles, room sprays, reed diffusers, and non-toxic cleaning products)

Kendra's House of Beauty

Express facials, upper lip & chin hair removal, and skincare products

LaCracha's Creations

6-7 varieties of homemade mini Bundt cakes

Pop-N-Cream, Inc.

Gourmet popcorn, sodas, and bottled water

Stacked With Purpose

Prophetic jewelry and apparel

Studio 259 Boutique, LLC

Women's apparel and accessories

TC's Pieces of Love Gourmet Pecans

Gourmet pecan & oreos, butter pecan fudge, and chocolate clusters

The Texas Tie Guy

Men's accessories (ties, socks, bowties, bracelets, and cologne)

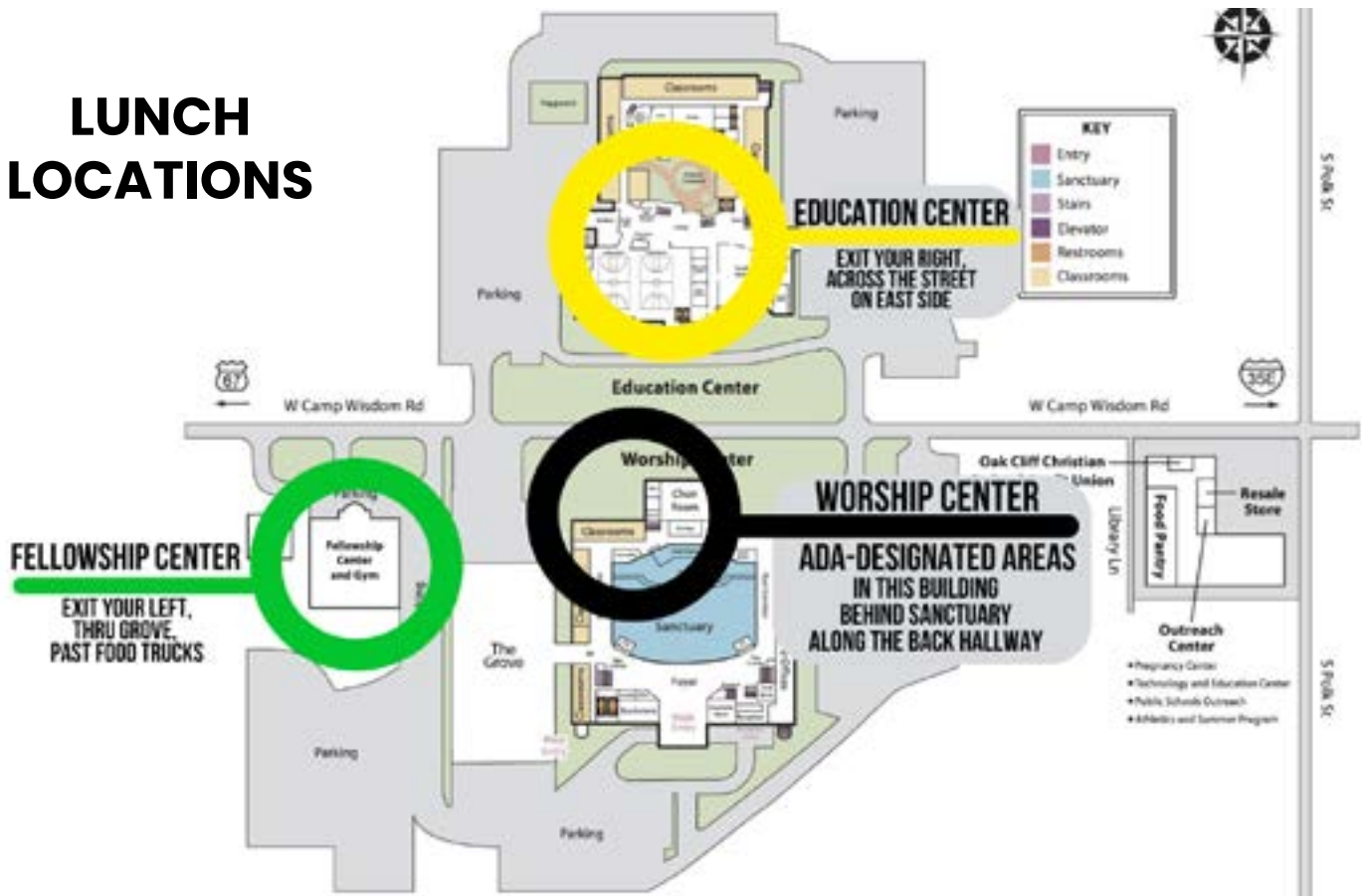
Zees House of Teas

Tea, buy the cup, half gallon, and package

Zoe Victoria Boutique

Clothing, boots, eyewear and jewelry

LUNCH LOCATIONS



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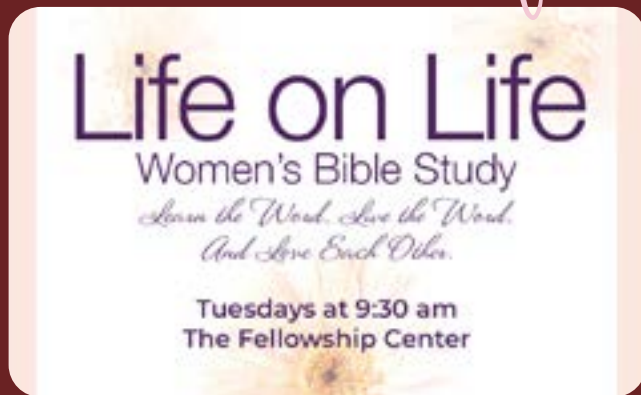


Chrystal Evans Hurst

LEGACY

One generation shall commend your
works to another, and shall declare
your mighty acts. Psalm 145:4

WOMEN'S *fellowship*



Join us on Tuesdays as we seek to increase your Christian life by developing your intimacy with God through strong biblical teaching and bible application.



Join us every 2nd & 4th Wednesday to connect with God and each other around dynamic worship, relevant teaching, and biblical application with LOTS of fun, music, food, games, and more.

KINGDOM AGENDA BIBLE INSTITUTE: LADIES COLLECTION CLASSES (Fall Schedule)

WHAT'S IT LIKE TO BE MARRIED TO ME?

Sundays: Open Enrollment
10:30 am | Worship Center

SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES FOR BUSY KINGDOM WOMEN

Mondays: Open Enrollment
7:00 pm | Worship Center

MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS

Mondays: Open Enrollment
5:30 pm | Zoom Platform

PRAYER JOURNEY: THE KEY TO GOD-GIVEN VISIONS

Wednesdays: Open Enrollment
5:30 pm | Zoom Platform

A WOMAN, THE CORNERSTONE OF PEACE

Thursdays: Open Enrollment
6:30 pm | Zoom Platform

KINGDOM WOMAN

Thursdays: Open Enrollment
6:30 pm | Zoom Platform

Visit ocbfchurch.org/ladiescollection for more information.



STAY CONNECTED



Download the DFJ Mobile App to get the full conference experience.

Receive exclusive DFJ content such as devotionals, prayers, and key info to help you navigate the conference seamlessly.



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Priscilla Shirer

LEGACY

*But the steadfast love of the Lord is
from everlasting to everlasting on those
who fear him, and his righteousness to
children's children. - Psalm 103:17*

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CeCe Winans

LEGACY

*I have no greater joy than to hear that
my children are walking in the truth.*

3 John 1:4

connect **AT THE CLIFF**



JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

3 WAYS TO ENGAGE

In-Person	Online
8AM (CT)	11AM (CT)
11AM (CT)	YouTube/OCBF.Online.Church

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Jack Cliff BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

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Wed | 10 am - 7 pm

Fri | 10 am - 3 pm

Sun | 9 am - 2 pm

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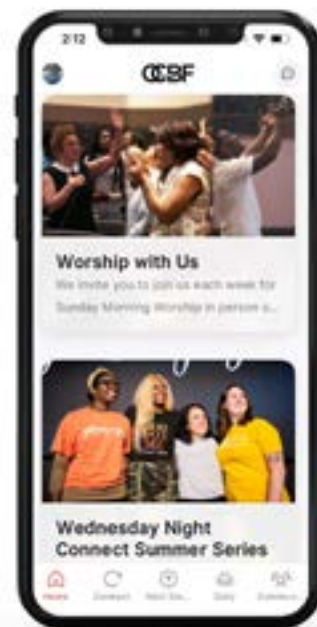
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counseling CENTER

Schedule your in-person or your virtual Telehealth appointment at ocbfchurch.org/counseling.

FREE AT LAST SUPPORT GROUPS

Free at Last Support Groups provide a safe haven for individuals who want to discover true freedom in Christ from troubling circumstances.

PREMARITAL COUNSELING

Premarital Counseling is a ten-week course for dating and engaged couples who want to discover God's amazing truths about marriage.

CIRCLE OF HOPE BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

This group provides spiritual, emotional, and physical support to women experiencing cancer.

COMPREHENSIVE CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

This group provides spiritual, emotional, and physical support to caregivers of family members, friends or loved ones.

“Be strong and courageous. Your courage isn’t just for you — it’s a spiritual inheritance for others watching your faith.” Valerie Burton, DFJ Speaker 2019

“Let there be no higher thing ever said about me than that I was desperate to be like Jesus in this world.”

Dr. Anita Phillips, DFJ Speaker 2021

LEGACY

Dr. Lois I. Evans

December 1, 1949 - December 30, 2019



"As a woman who heard the voice of God and stayed on track as much as I could with the plan that He ordained and preordained for my life, I want to hear well done. I might not please everyone here, but I want to hear 'well done.' Because of what He foreknew about me and predestined for me, I took the time in life to accomplish that.

I want to leave a legacy and heritage for my children and grandchildren, as well as for any woman that the Lord brings my way. I want to leave them with some inspiration and encouragement. Foremost in my mind is that I want to hear well done." – Dr. Lois I. Evans

The LEGACY of a Wife

Sister Lois Evans' faithful, loving, and sacrificial commitment to Dr. Tony Evans, their family, and ministry laid the groundwork for everything God accomplished through him, including his legacy projects, The Tony Evans Study Bible and The Tony Evans Bible Commentary.

Whether supporting him through college and seminary, partnering to establish and grow Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship, or using her extensive administrative skills to help develop The Urban Alternative from its humble beginnings into an international ministry, Lois was the key figure whom God used to bring all of this to fruition.

Her love for the Lord, dedication to her family, belief in her husband, passion for excellence, and servant spirit combined to make their local and global ministry possible. Lois took on various roles, serving as the first church secretary, organizing the church choir, establishing



and leading the women's ministry, and managing a national ministry staff of over 35 people—all while prioritizing her home life. Lois Evans exemplified the Proverbs 31 woman, maximizing her gifts, skills, and calling for the benefit of her family, the good of others, and, most importantly, for the glory of God.

The LEGACY of a Mother

In every Bible study filled with insight, every uplifting song sung, every meticulously written book, every passionate sermon preached, and every worship service led with devotion, Chrystal, Priscilla, Anthony, and Jonathan walk boldly in the inspiring legacy of their mother, carrying her profound impact forward with grace and purpose. Sister Evans gave them a unified voice—steeped in confidence and committed to God's will. She gave birth to extraordinarily gifted children and nurtured their skills and talents into adulthood. What she planted in them will continue to influence our church and generations to come for the glory of God. "Her children arise and call her blessed..." Proverbs 31:28



The LEGACY of a First Lady

Beginnings are usually scary, endings are usually sad, but it's what's in the middle that counts.

It's what we do in the middle of life that creates a legacy. While we can't fully convey Sister Evans' story of passion, faith, sacrifice, and toil, we can express our gratitude as recipients of the fruits of her labor. Her words were filled with wisdom and seasoned with a touch of salt. She expected excellence and achieved it herself. Her soft and graceful footsteps left the deepest imprints on our hearts and in the life of this ministry.

A woman of all seasons, Sister Evans left no stone unturned. She was our first lady, first choir director, praise and worship leader, recording artist, author, women's ministry director, mentor to our pastors' and elders' wives, and so much more. While Sister Evans is absent from the body, the memories she made with her church family will live on.

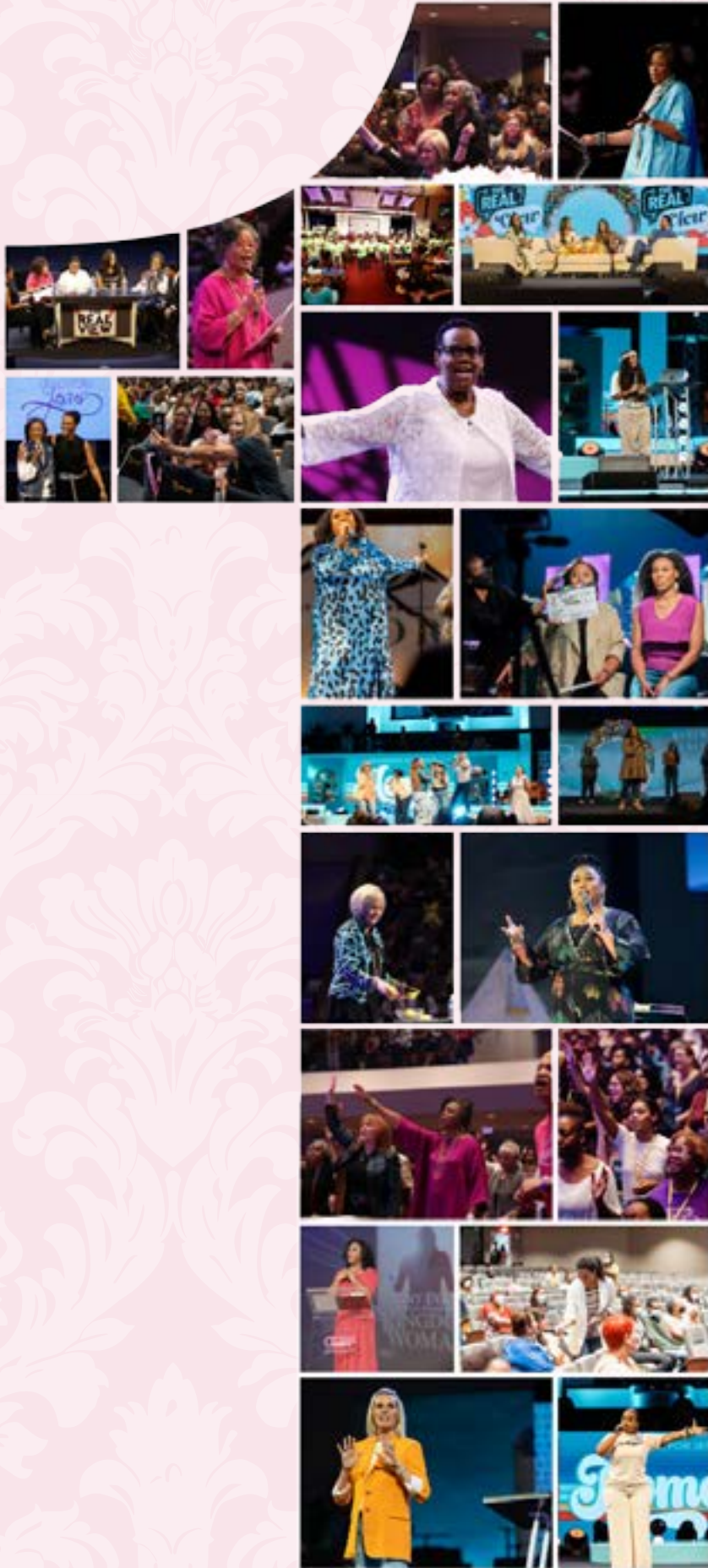
Thank you, Sister Evans. We can move forward because you moved forward.

Well Done!



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*“Lean into the
love of Jesus.
Maturity is less
about ethics
and more about
intimacy.”*

*Lisa Harper
DFJ Speaker 2019*

PAST DFFJ CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Kingdom Woman

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Dr. Tony Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Jada Edwards
Crystal Lewis



Live. Stand. Walk by Faith.

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Carol Kent
Deborah Smith
Pegues
Mary Alessi
Eleanor J. Webb
Ocielia Gibson



Victorious

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Devi Titus
Cokiesha Bailey
Robinson
Sherry Hill
Crystal Aikin



2013

2014

2015

“Discipleship is more than friendship — it’s the intentional act of showing someone how Christ has shaped you.”

Jada Edwards, DFJ Speaker 2013 & 2022



Fearless

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Beth Moore
June Evans
Crystal Aikin
Candy West



Anchored!

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Anita Carman
Eleanor J. Webb
June Evans
Beverly Crawford



2016



2017

Restored

Featuring:
Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Christine Caine
Michelle Carter
Crystal Aikin



2018



Ignite

Featuring:

Dr. Lois Evans
Chrystal Evans Hurst
Lisa Harper
Valorie Burton
Niya Cotton
Crystal Aikin
Yvonne King
Karen Gosby
Candice Holmes



2019



Rooted

Featuring:

Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Jackie Hill Perry
Katherine Wolf
Jekalyn Carr



2020



The Promise

Featuring:

Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Jan Greenwood
Dr. Anita Phillips
Maranda Curtis

2021



“If we do nothing else but create a desperation among women for Jesus, then we have done what Christ has called us to do.” Dr. Nicole Martin, DFJ Speaker 2024

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Home

Featuring:

Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Carol Kent
Jackie Hill Perry
Dr. Nicole Massie
Martin
Amber Bullock
Niya Cotton



Remember

Featuring:

Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Lisa Terkeurst
Jada Edwards
Niya Cotton
Kim Walker-Smith

2022

2023

2024

Territory

Featuring:

Chrystal Evans Hurst
Priscilla Shirer
Dr. Sarita Lyons
Charlotte Gambill
Kierra Sheard-Kelly
Veronica Jones
Vanessa Parra
Shanandolan
Ward





praying

GOD'S WORD

"We will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the LORD, his power, and the wonders he has done."

Psalms 78:4

LEGACY

- **Joel 1:3**
"Tell it to your children and let your children tell it to their children and their children to the next generation."
- **Psalms 145:4**
- **Deuteronomy 32:7**
- **Psalms 77:11**
- **Titus 2:7-8**
- **Acts 13:36**
- **1 Corinthians 11:2**
- **Acts 20:35**

PURPOSE

- **Proverbs 16:4**
"The Lord has made everything for its own purpose"
- **Job 42:2**
- **Romans 8:28**
- **2 Timothy 1:9**

CHILDREN

- **Psalms 127:3-5**
"Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, The fruit of the womb is a reward..."
- **Proverbs 22:6**
- **John 16:21**
- **Ephesians 6:1-4**

FAITH

- **Matthew 17:20**
"And He said to them, 'Because of the littleness of your faith; for truly I say to you, if you have faith the size of a mustard seed...'"
- **Romans 10:17**
- **2 Corinthians 5:7**

FEAR

- **Deuteronomy 31:6**
Be strong and of good courage, do not fear nor be afraid of them; for the Lord your God, He is the One who goes with you. He will not leave you nor forsake you."
- **Isaiah 41:10**
- **Philippians 4:6-7**
- **2 Timothy 1:7**

FINANCES

- **Deuteronomy 8:18**
"And you shall remember the Lord your God, for it is He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day."
- **Proverbs 3:9-10**
- **Matthew 6:19-21**
- **Matthew 6:33**

FORGIVENESS

- **Psalm 103:10-12**
"He has not dealt with us according to our sins..."
- **Matthew 6:12-15**

GRANDCHILDREN

- **Psalm 128:6**
"Yes, may you see your children's children. Peace be upon Israel!"
- **Proverbs 17:6**

HEALTH

- **Psalm 103:2-3**
"Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits..."
- **Jeremiah 30:17**
- **Jeremiah 33:6**
- **Matthew 10:1**
- **Matthew 15:28**
- **James 5:14-16**
- **1 Peter 2:21-24**

INTIMACY WITH GOD

- **Psalm 42:1-2**
"As the deer pants for the water brooks, So pants my soul for You..."
- **James 4:8**

JOBS

- **Joshua 1:8**
"This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth..."
- **Proverbs 3:5-6**
- **Proverbs 16:3**
- **Jeremiah 29:11-14**

MARRIAGE

- **Genesis 2:24**
"Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother ..."
- **Proverbs 18:22**
- **2 Corinthians 6:14**
- **Ephesians 5:22-33**

PRAYER

- **Jeremiah 29:12**
""Then you will call upon Me and come and pray to Me, and I will listen to you."
- **Psalm 17:6**
- **Matthew 6:6**
- **Philippians 4:6**

RESTORATION

- **Psalm 51:12**
"Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, And uphold me by Your generous Spirit."
- **Joel 2:25-26**

SALVATION

- **Acts 4:11-12**
"This is the 'stone which was rejected by you builders, which has become the chief cornerstone..."
- **John 3:3**
- **John 3:16**
- **Acts 16:31**
- **Romans 6:23**
- **Romans 8:1**
- **Romans 10:9-13**
- **Ephesians 2:8-9**
- **Titus 3:4-6**
- **1 John 5:11-14**

SINGLEHOOD

- **Song of Solomon 3:5**
"I charge you, O daughters of Jerusalem, by the gazelles or by the does of the field, do not stir up nor awaken love until it pleases."
- **2 Corinthians 6:14**

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