



Anointed Press Release

Anointed Authors Kickoff National Book Tour

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(Charlotte) – National best-selling and award-winning Christian authors have partnered to embark on a whirlwind book tour. Anointed Authors On Tour will kick-off their 2007 national book tour in June with their first stop in Charlotte, North Carolina. The tour will also visit Atlanta, Houston, Indianapolis, Memphis, Miami and Raleigh.

Anointed Authors On Tour features seven awesome women of God who are writers of Christian fiction and non-fiction books. Vivi Monroe Congress, Norma Jarrett, Tia McCollors, Vanessa Miller, Kendra Norman-Bellamy, Shewanda Riley and Michelle Stimpson have come together to showcase some of the best Christian books on the market today.

Each author, accomplished in her own right, has topped bestseller lists and won numerous awards. Some have been featured in national publications such as Essence, Jet, Gospel Truth and Booking Matters Magazines.

What makes this tour unique is the commonality to minister the gospel through the power of the pen. This tour is a one-stop opportunity for the avid reader to meet some of the most notable authors in the world of Christian literature.

As the tour makes its way across the country, the authors will visit bookstores and churches. They will also meet with book clubs and social and civic organizations.

For additional information, visit AnointedAuthorsOnTour.com. For media inquiries or book signings, contact Little Light Productions at (972) 553-3543 or contact@anointedauthorsontour.com.

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Vivi Monroe Congress, D.Min. The voice of Inspiration™, is known for making scriptures applicable to everyday life. Her works include: *The Bankrupt Spirit*, and the 2007 release, *Manna for Mamma: Wisdom for Women in the Wilderness*. She holds a Doctorate in Christian Counseling and lives in Dallas, Texas.

www.littlelightprod.com



Norma Jarrett is the author of faith-based novels *Sunday Brunch* and *Sweet Magnolia* (an *Essence Magazine* 2006 Book Club selection). Her work has gained attention in *Essence*, *Upscale*, *Gospel Truth*, *QBR* and *Rolling Out* magazines. Among other awards, she's received a Certificate of Congressional Recognition for her literary work.

www.normajarrett.com



Bestselling author **Tia McCollors** secured her spot in the publishing industry with the release of her debut novel and the *Essence* best seller, *A Heart of Devotion*, followed by her second release, *Zora's Cry*. After 10 years in the corporate arena as a public relations professional, she is now emerging as a steadfast author of faith-based novels. Her third novel is scheduled for release in Spring 2008. She resides in Atlanta, Georgia with her husband and son.

www.tiamccollors.com



Vanessa Miller of Dayton, Ohio is an author, playwright, and motivational speaker. Vanessa has a degree from Capital University and resides in Dayton with her daughter. Her novels include books in the Rain Series (*Former Rain*, *Abundant Rain*, *Latter Rain*) and the most recent release of the new Storm Series, titled *Rain Storm*.

www.vanessamiller.com



Award-winning novelist, **Kendra Norman-Bellamy** describes herself in a single word: Blessed! In addition to writing novels, Kendra is founder of KNB Publications, LLC. She is contributing writer for several magazines and serves as Area Coordinator for American Christian Fiction Writers. Kendra resides in Stone Mountain, Georgia with her husband and two daughters.

www.knb-publications.com



Shewanda Riley is a Dallas-based author and currently an Instructor of English at Tarrant County College in Hurst, Texas. Her book, "Love Hangover – Moving From Pain to Purpose After a Relationship Ends," was named a best seller by *Essence Magazine* and featured in *Jet Magazine*. She has an MA from Southern Methodist University and from St. Mary's University.

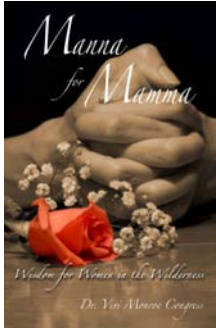
www.shewandariley.com



Bestselling author **Michelle Stimpson** also walks in the roles as an accomplished speaker and educator. Her novels include *Boaz Brown*, *Divas of Damascus Road* (*Essence Bestseller*), and the upcoming 2008 release, *The Good Stuff*. Michelle serves in the women's ministry at her home church, Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship in Dallas, TX.

www.michellestimpson.com

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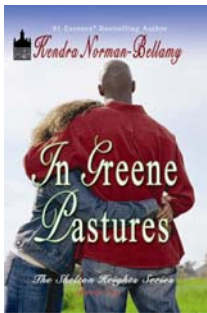
Manna for Mamma: Wisdom for Women in the Wilderness is an inspirational guidebook for women seeking God's promises for their lives by linking the Israelites' journey from captivity to freedom with the ten (10) most common experiences women face today during their personal pilgrimage.

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 9780974802046



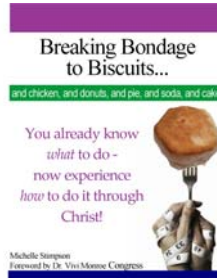
Beautiful and lethal, Cynda Stephens wears her anger and bitterness on her sleeve as her addictions force her into prostitution. Keith Hosea Williams is a God fearing man who refused to compromise his spiritual walk. But when he is convinced that God has called him to marry Cynda, will he allow her lifestyle and addictions to overpower the will of God?

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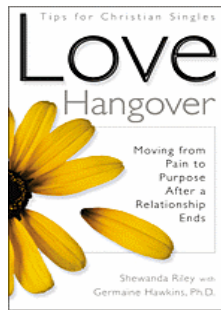
When the story breaks that one of Atlanta's most respected pastors is killed in a fiery accident, Hunter Greene, owner of the state's most successful weekly newspaper, is convinced by the pastor's distraught daughter to use his resources to try and solve the mystery. But when the community turns against him, he has to choose between the woman he's fallen in love with and the business he's worked so hard to up build.

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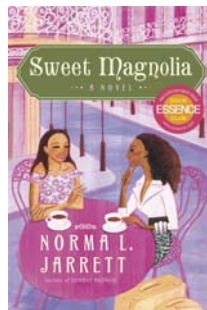
Romans chapter seven explores the real dilemma of knowing what to do but failing to follow through. Many Christians find themselves in that same predicament when it comes to food. *Breaking Bondage to Biscuits* leads Christians to attack the source of self-destructive eating habits and walk in the habit of deliverance.

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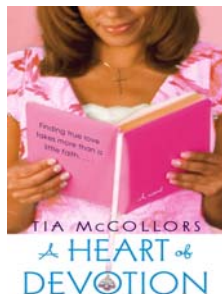
Love Hangover provides a road map for recovery for those who seek genuine and long-lasting emotional healing after a romantic relationship has ended. Once a relationship ends, it takes time for "toxins" such as the burden of shame, the irrationality of anger, and the sting of rejection to leave the emotional system.

ISBN
 9781416527329



Sweet Magnolia is a story of soon to be bride, Summer and her sister Misa, a model. After a rain swept night, they embark on a journey of emotional and physical healing. A memorable tribute to New Orleans, Jarrett's novel will warm your heart and sing to your soul.

ISBN
 9780767921429



Anisha Blake and her best friend Sherri Dawson are running in empty in the dating scene until Anisha meets the handsome and charming Tyson Randall at her local church. He is everything she could ever want: honest, ambitious, easy on the eyes, and religiously devout -- and he even has a good-looking friend for Sherri, too. But soon Anisha risks losing Tyson to a conniving woman from his past. And it certainly doesn't help that Sherri has found out that Tyson's friend Xavier is a wolf in sheep's clothing. With so much drama in their love lives, can Anisha and Sherri stay focused on their commitment to their faith?

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Come fellowship with us

<p><u>North Carolina - June</u></p> <p>Friday, June 22 6-8 p.m. Dynasty Books Eastland Mall 5471 Central Ave. Charlotte, NC 28212</p> <p>Saturday, June 23 1 – 3 p.m. Greensboro Public Library Central Branch 219 No. Church Street Greensboro, NC 27406</p> <p>Saturday, June 23 6 p.m. Wakefield Family Center 2940 Wakefield Pines Drive Raleigh, NC 27614</p>	<p><u>Indianapolis - July</u></p> <p>Saturday, July 7 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. Breakfast with Anointed Authors Ticket Price: \$5 (Proceeds benefit church youth group) Greater Love Missionary Baptist 3310 W. 18th Street Indianapolis, IN</p> <p>Saturday, July 7 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. Sponsored by Go On Girl! Book Club Indiana Chapter Wheeler-Stokely Mansion at Marion College 3200 Cold Spring Road Indianapolis, IN 46222</p>	<p><u>Georgia - August</u></p> <p>Friday, August 3 7p.m. Faith, Feast & Fellowship Greater Beallwood Baptist Church 4419 Sherwood Ave. Columbus, GA 31904</p> <p>Saturday, August 4 2 – 4 p.m. South Fulton Regional Library 4055 Flat Shoals Road Union City, GA 30291</p> <p>Sunday, August 5 11 a.m. Total Grace Christian Center 4000 Covington Highway Decatur, GA 30032</p>
<p><u>Houston – September</u></p> <p>Saturday, September 15 10:30 a.m. Wheeler Ave. Baptist Church Book Club 3526 Wheeler Street Houston, TX</p> <p>Saturday, September 15 7 p.m. Praise Christian Center World Outreach 1100 Dell Dale Avenue Channelview, TX</p>	<p><u>Texas - October</u></p> <p>Friday, October 5 6 p.m. Mitchie’s Gallery 6406 N. IH 35, Suite 2800 Austin, TX 78752</p> <p>Saturday, October 6 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Fort Hood Military Base – PX Killeen, TX</p>	<p><u>Memphis – October</u></p> <p>October 26 – 28 New Direction Church</p>
<p><u>Miami – November</u></p> <p>November 9 – 11 National Coalition of 100 Black Women Greater Miami Chapter</p>		

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