



# OUR MISSION: Conquering Life's Challenges with Love

NEWSLETTER

## *Agape Love* Words of Wisdom

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding Proverbs 3:5



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welcoming our new  
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## EVENTS

April 19th- Holy Innovations  
Online Store Launch

April 25th- "Power of  
Forgiveness" Workshop  
Salvation Army on Luckie St  
7pm-8pm

## Anniversary Event Full of WOWs

W.O.W. Ministries' ONE-year Anniversary event - "SHE's GOT GAME 2: Battle of the Sexes" - was a success. The dessert bar with tasty treats from local bakers were the talk of the event. Panelist and Ordained Minister Stanley Howard opened the event with a powerful prayer. Founder/ Executive Director Ieshea Hartwell thanked everyone for coming out & presented a video showing what W.O.W. Ministries has been up to & how it has evolved since the launch in March 2012. Two sur-

prise testimonies from an ex-drug addict & a survivor of incest, abused by her step-father shook the entire room. Those segued into a dynamic speech from keynote speaker Yvonne Pierre entitled "There's No Testimony Without a Test". The attendees enjoyed dinner from ACCC's beloved Chef Tilda Murry. The jeopardy-style game cranked up the battle between the men & women on topics such as love is blind & friends w/ benefits. Ultimately, the women won the battle.\*



Pictures from the Anniversary Event



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## COUNSELOR'S CORNER W/ IESHEA HARTWELL

ACCC's Executive Director & Certified Christian Counselor gets approached for advice, & without breaching confidentiality, she wants to share the questions & answers to help others as well.



**I'm six weeks pregnant & the father of my child doesn't want anything to do with me or the baby. Should abortion be an**

### option?

As a Christian, abortion is never an option. The bible speaks specifically against it. Exodus 21:22 reads, "If a man

strives, & hurt a woman with child, so that her fruit depart from her, and yet no mischief follows: he shall be punished..." God knows us before we are formed in the womb. In God's eyes, a baby in the womb is considered just as human as an adult. This is shown in Jeremiah 1:5, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set

you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations. Just because the child's biological father doesn't want the baby, the child's heavenly Father does. This then begs the question who do you want more to satisfy, man or God? Always remember, God has a plan for every child. It's not up to us to choose whether God's plan should be carried out or not.\*

## ACCC's Executive Director Ieshea Hartwell

was interviewed in honor of Women's History Month by Life Coach *Sharmetra Pittman* ([www.sharmetrapittman.com](http://www.sharmetrapittman.com)) and she was interviewed by *Yvonne Pierre* on the radio to discuss the effects of Domestic Abuse ([www.blogtalkradio.com/ypierre](http://www.blogtalkradio.com/ypierre))