



# Letter of Hope

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## New Year, New Name, New Look - Get More Involved!

Sis. Marilyn Doss  
"07 Contest Winner"

Congratulations to Sis. Marilyn Doss,  
winner of the 2007 "Name Our Newsletter" contest.



I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Publication Ministry's Get More Involved Campaign, which jump started with our 2007 "Name Our Newsletter" contest. We had some very interesting entries and some we just could not figure out. It all came down to two final entries which duke it out in head to head combat, in the end a winner stood proud. The winner, pictured to the left walked away with a participation ribbon, certificate award and \$35.00 cash. Congratulations to Sis. Marilyn Doss who's entry graces the top of this issue and we give a special acknowledgement to Sis. Angela Wells whose submission of "Fortress" made it to the finals. Sis. Wells also received a participation ribbon and certificate award. Once again thanks to everyone who participated and remember phase two of our GMIC continues with more excitement, prizes and self accomplishments. See you soon!

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## A Letter from the Editor

Good evening & Happy Easter Renewed Hope family, Yes I know I have a very small area this issue and that's because I don't have much to say. I do hope you enjoy the new issue and find the information in it useful. We decided to switch back to a one page simple format this year until we feel the need to go back to our booklet format. We hope you enjoy the new issue and offer us your thoughts and comments on it. You can email me anytime at [wslaughter@aluministries.com](mailto:wslaughter@aluministries.com). Don't forget to check out our new online site at [www.aluministries.com](http://www.aluministries.com). It's still in the building stages but coming along very well. So until next time, Stay blessed and encouraged!

Bro. Slaughter - Editor

## 2007 Conference

Renewed Hope's 1st annual 2007 Women's Conference was a hit. It was exciting, educational, motivating, uplifting and made you think. The three day event provide useful & educational information each day. Friday kicked off with inspirational songs and praises and was topped off with an RHM original play "A Woman's Trust" written, directed and starred in by our very own Sis. Kelly Paige. It was a mind blowing and eye opening experience and well worth it. Day two coincided with Friday by presenting speakers with knowledge and motivational speeches giving a lot of those in attendance something to really think about. Day three

concluded the conference with a mind blowing sermon delivered under the conference theme "What's Holding You Back". We took a journey deep into the land of the Bible were Pastor showed us how some women was held back by their own greed and being accepted by the world, also those women who endured trails but decided not to held back any longer and those women who truly accepted their calling and didn't let anything hold them back. It was a great conference and we can't wait to see what's in store for 2008. (Check back page to purchase DVD)



Check Website for more on the conference

### Service Times

SUNDAY	
Praise & Worship	9:45a
The Word	10:15a
Sunday School	11:30a
MONDAY	
TeenLive	7:15p
WENDESDAY	
Sunday School Review	6:45p
Bible Study	7:15p





## Comedy Corner

Many folks want to serve God, but only as advisers.  
**The Importance of Fresh Produce**  
 Two boys, ages eight and four, was discussing Adam

& Eve  
 The 8-year-old asked: "How did Adam and Eve die?"  
 And the 4-year-old said: "They ate bad fruit."



## Question & Answer

Email questions to: [wslaughter@aluministries.com](mailto:wslaughter@aluministries.com) to be featured in next months issue. Limit 2 questions per email  
**Q:** Where do I go to find out information on joining a helps ministry?

**A:** Ask church secretary, view church directory or visit online site.

**Q:** When will outreach programs from our church start.

**A:** Plans are being put together as of this issue concerning a start on outreaching. We will update you on the progress in next months issue or check for updates online weekly.



## March & April 2007

### MARCH

Tamikiara Bryant	3/1	LaKeyia Sims	3/22
Shonterica Hood	3/9	Jameria Slaughter	3/11
Eboni Nash	3/7	Orlando Swann	3/1
MarKiaya Rue	3/17	Min. Gwen Tompkins	3/19

### APRIL

Douglas Cash Jr.	4/29	Sis. Ivy King	4/12
Sis. Tamekia Coleman	4/16	Alvin Nash	4/29
Sis. Mary Green	4/1	<b>Pastor A.L. Underwood</b>	<b>4/30</b>
Jaterrius Hood	4/10	Sis. Katherine Wilson	4/6
Sis. Traci Johnson	4/27	Bro. Ottis Woods	4/8

## Happy Anniversary



Bro. William & Sis. Alberta Slaughter 4/16 2years  
 Bro. David & Sis. Angela Wells 4/23 13years



## Financial Advisor

Want to save money? Check this out, it's easy all you do is start paying yourself. After you have paid your tithes and given your offering, before you pay a single bill pay yourself. It's easy, simply take 8 to 10% of your net pay and put it in a savings account (do not withdraw from it). After six months check your balance and you'll be amazed at how much you have saved.

See you next issue!

## Media Center



Sunday sermons available every Sunday after service

CD: \$8.00      Cassette Tape: \$5.00      VHS: NA  
 DVD: NA

\*\*\*\* TITLES NOW ON SALE \*\*\*\*

2007 Women's Conference combo pkg. (1DVD,2CD's) \$25.00  
 Play "A Woman's Trust" DVD \$10.00  
 Missed a sermon? Back orders are available contact a Media Ministry member!  
 Online ordering coming soon!



## Bible Trivia Search

Find the book and verse. Visit the PM page online to submit your answer to win the \$5 cash prize. All entries must be received by 5p Monday the 9th to be eligible. Visit online for rules.

*"Keep thy foot when thou goest to the house of God, and be more ready to hear, than to give the sacrifice of fools: for they consider not*



Good Friday	Friday, April 6
Easter Play	Sunday, April 8
TeenLive Volleyball Game	Monday, April 2 @ 5:00p
TeenLive Meeting	Monday, April 2 @ 7:15p
Pot-Luck Wednesday	Weds, April 25 after bible stdy

## Special Acknowledgement

By: Bro. Will & Sis. Natasha



The Insider with Sis. Natasha will return next issue. We are utilizing this section to acknowledge the upcoming birthday of our great leader, excellent teacher and spiritual father: Pastor A. L. Underwood. Marking another milestone in his life A.L. continues to strive and climb toward the vision he set for Renewed Hope Ministries back in 1985. 21 years of persistence, determination and much needed support from his heavenly Father, has keep him steadfast and focused to the point where he can actually see the fruits of his works blossom and that his mission is not in vain. We take this time now to

thank Pastor A.L. for the consistent drilling of hope, knowledge and leadership he has instilled in us. As 2007 continues to run its course we can expect to see and hear many testimonies, blessings and maricles associated to some great sermon or words of encouragement that Pastor A.L. provided. On behalf of Renewed Hope Ministries , Happy Birthday

**PASTOR A.L. UNDERWOOD**

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