

"Spreading His Passion and Purpose Through Song"
The 37th Annual
National Convention
of the
Gospel Music Workshop of America, Inc.

Reverend James Cleveland, Founder

Bishop Albert L. Jamison, Chairman

August 7 – 13, 2004
Kansas City Convention Center
Kansas City Marriott Downtown Hotel
Kansas City, MO

2004 HIGHLIGHTS

GMWA Offices:

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Executive Office
Rooms 4300-A
Kansas City Convention Center
Mr. Mark Smith - Convention Manager

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Chairman of Board's Office
Room 2217
Kansas City Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Press Office
Room 2212
Kansas City Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
GMWA Housing Office
Room 2218
Kansas City Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Faculty Office
Room 2216
Kansas City Convention Center
Mr. Charles Reese -Dean

8 a.m.
Security Office
Music Hall's Room 403
Kansas City Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
GMWA Housing Office
Room 2
Kansas City Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Prayer Room
Room 2208
Kansas City Convention Center

GMWA Official Airline – Southwest Airlines

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2004

12:00 Noon – 5:00 p.m.

Convention, Mass Choir & Class Registration
Hall D
Convention Center

7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Kansas City Chapter Musical
Municipal Auditorium
Music Hall Offertory

10:30 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.

Come As You Are Musical
Municipal Auditorium Music Hall
Offertory

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 2004

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Early Morning Service
Municipal Auditorium Music Hall
Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Exhibits Open
Exhibit Hall D
Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Convention Registration/Class Registration
Mass Choir Registration
Exhibit Hall D
Convention Center

10:30 a.m.

Annual Communion and Consecration Service

Theme: "Spreading His Passion and Purpose Through Song"

Reverend Lawrence London and Bishop Albert Jamison - Officiants

Speaker: Elder Willie James Campbell

Pastor, St. James COGIC

Chicago, IL

Music Ministry by: The Kansas City Chapter,

The Thurston Frazier Memorial Chorale,

The James Cleveland Chorus, Song of Solomon

Sermonic Solo: Yolanda Adams

Hall D & E

Convention Center

Note: All Attendees are requested to wear white attire with red accessories. Ladies, no pants or pant suits please.

Offertory

2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

"A TASTE OF KANSAS CITY"

**A Corporate Sponsor Showcase by
XII Magazine**

"The New Voice of the Urban Culture"

Join us from 2 – 6 p.m. for our national launch party where you will experience the best food Kansas City has to offer and some of Gospel's most noted national and independent artists.

Barney Allis Plaza Across from Marriott Hotel

4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

GOSPEL TODAY MAGAZINE SHOWCASE

"America's Leading Gospel and Lifestyle Publication"

Featuring the excitement of today's hottest Gospel artists

LIVE on stage in the Music Hall COME AND ENJOY

A PRAISE IN THE HOUSE

Music Hall

Municipal Auditorium

7:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.

NIGHTLY MUSICAL SERVICE

GMWA Member Artists

Corporate Sponsor: Sony Gospel

Guest Artist: Joe Pace and Friends

Exhibit Halls A & B

Convention Center

12:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.

THE 2004 CORPORATE SPONSOR – NATIONAL ARTISTS

KICK-OFF SALUTE TO THE GMWA

Hosted By: **Yolanda Adams**

With special performances by:

**Bishop Walter Hawkins, The Rance Allen Group, Kim Burrell,
Donald Lawrence & Co. and Reverend Timothy Wright**

Music Hall

Municipal Auditorium

ONLY 2500 SEATS

OFFERTORY: \$5. 00 AT THE DOOR

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 2004

6:00a.m. – 7:00 a.m. Monday – Friday

Aerobics Class

Kansas City Marriott Downtown

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Wednesday

Exhibits Open

West Hall

Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Class, Convention, and Mass Choir Registration

Hall D

Convention Center

7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. Monday – Thursday

Workshop Series I (Detailed schedule in souvenir booklet)

Convention Center

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday

Academic Library

Rooms 20 – 21

Convention Center

9:00 a.m. – 5:15 p.m. Monday – Thursday

Workshop Series II (Detailed schedule in souvenir booklet)

Convention Center

9:00 a. m. – 1:00 p.m. & 2:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Gospel Announcers' Guild Meeting
Kansas City Marriott Downtown Hotel
Count Basie Ballroom

Monday – Friday

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon Monday – Thursday

“A Song for a Season”
“OUR DAILY BREAD”

**Special Worship Service featuring Sermons from Nationally
Acclaimed Ministers**

Hall A & B
Convention Center

**A word from the Lord for the instruction and edification of
“The Saints.” featuring daily lecturers and the nation’s top preachers**
This year’s line up includes:

LECTURERS

MONDAY:	Pastor Sandra McFadden-Weaver	Kansas City, MO
TUESDAY:	Bishop Simon Gordon	Chicago, IL
WEDNESDAY:	Dr. James Forbes	New York, NY
THURSDAY:	Dr. James Forbes	New York, NY

SPEAKERS

MONDAY	Rev. Michelle White-Haines	Bronx, NY
TUESDAY	Pastor Donnie McClurkin	Long Island, NY
WEDNESDAY	Dr. Rudolph McKissick	Jacksonville, FL
THURSDAY:	Bishop Paul S. Morton	Presiding Prelate, Full Gospel Baptist Fellowship New Orleans, LA

MUSIC MINISTRY: Daily Bread Praise Team

Sermonic Solo:	Monday.	Crystal Rucker
	Tuesday	Benita Washington
	Wednesday	Kathy Taylor-Brown
	Thursday	Bishop Neal Roberson

10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Monday – Thursday
Workshop Series III (detailed schedule in souvenir booklet)
Convention Center

12:00 p. m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday
National Mass Choir Rehearsal
Music Hall
Municipal Auditorium

1:00 p. m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday
Room 1203 A & B
Convention Center

6:45 p.m. – 12:00 Midnight Monday – Thursday
Nightly Musical Service
Featuring: GMWA Chapter Artists from across the Globe
6:45 p.m. Devotions: GMWA Praise Team

CORPORATE SPONSOR ARTISTS PERFORMING NIGHTLY
DAY LABEL ARTISTS

Sun.	SONY Gospel	Joe Pace & Friends
Mon.	Verity Records	Deitrick Haddon
Tues.	AIR Records	Dottie Peoples
	EMI Gospel	LaShun Pace
Wed.	Taseis Dist./Utopia	Dr. Charles Hayes & Cosmopolitan Church of Prayer Choir
Thurs.	TBA	TBA

4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Monday – Thursday
GMWA Youth Forum 2004 *New Time/New Day*****
New Time... A New Place

CONVENTION CENTER
Halls A & B

This year our Youth and Young Adult Division takes center stage in Halls A & B of the Convention Center from 4:30 - 6:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Monday Night

Guest Artists:	GMWA Youth Choirs
Special Guest Artists:	TYE TRIBBETT
	JOSHUA TROOP
	KIERRA "KIKI" SHEARD
	SHEA NORMAN
	DARIOUS DAWSON

Tuesday Night

Guest Artists:	GMWA Youth Choirs
Special Guest Artists:	KIRK FRANKLIN
	YOUTHFUL PRAISE
	STEPHEN HURD
	MEN OF STANDARD

Wednesday Night

Guest Artists:	GMWA Youth Choirs
Special Guest Artists:	BYRON CAGE
	J-MOSS
	AND MORE

Thursday Night

Guest Artists:

GMWA Youth Choirs

Special Guest Artists: **Reverend John P Kee, and More**

Halls A & B

Convention Center

Offertory

12:00 Midnight – 3:00 a.m.

Annual Evangelistic Board Service

Guest Speaker: **TBA**

Music Hall

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2004

1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

QUARTET DIVISION SEMINAR

“Unsigned Artist Showcase Part I”

Room 1203 A & B

Convention Center

3:00 p.m.

REV. DR. R.M. SIMMONS LITURGICAL DANCE SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

Room 4300 C

Convention Center

12:00 Midnight – 2:00 a.m.

****NEW DAY...NEW TIME****

BISHOP RICHARD "Mr. Clean" WHITE SERVICE

New Time & New Day

Tuesday, August 10

12:00 Midnight

Come and Enjoy the Power of the Word!

Musical Guests: The New York State Chapter

The Los Angeles Chapter

Offertory

Music Hall

Municipal Auditorium

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2004

FOUNDERS DAY AND TEE SHIRT DAY

12:00 Noon – 3:00 p.m.

Student Recital

Room 101A

Convention Center

1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

QUARTET DIVISION SEMINAR

“Unsigned Artist Showcase Part II“

Room 1203 A & B

Convention Center

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

BRIDGING THE GAP

Attention All Pastors and Musicians!

You are invited to attend our annual

GMWA Pastors and Musicians Forum

**“Cementing the relationship between the
Pastor and the Music Department”**

Room 2207

Convention Center

3:30 p.m.

GMWA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

JUANITA C. BURNS SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

Room 2202

Convention Center

4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

**In loving memory of
Reverend James Cleveland, beloved founder of the GMWA**

ALEHO INTERNATIONAL MUSIC, AIR, EMI GOSPEL, GOSPO CENTRIC/B-RITE GROUP,
GAITHER MUSIC GROUP, INTEGRITY ENTERTAINMENT, MALACO MUSIC GROUP
SONY GOSPEL, TASEIS DISTRIBUTION/TYSCOT AND VERITY RECORDS

Proudly Present

“TRIBUTE TO THE KING CONCERT “

A Corporate Sponsor Showcase

HOSTED BY:

**RICHARD SMALLWOOD • DOTTIE PEOPLES
ANGELA SPIVEY • EDNA TATUM**

WITH PERFORMANCES BY:

LYNDA RANDLE	DARIUS BROOKS
DOROTHY NORWOOD	JOE PACE
LUTHER BARNES	DARIUS DAWSON
TRACY WORTH	STEPHEN HURD

**KEITH “WONDERBOY” JOHNSON
DeWAYNE HARVEY & UNRESTRAINED PRAISE**

Plus... in special honor of the Founder, who was always fashionably attired

The GMWA Fashion Show Committee

Presents

It's In the Pink”

The 2004 GMWA Fashion Express

Music Hall

Municipal Auditorium

ONLY 2500 SEATS

Kansas City area residents win tickets via area media

Convention Delegates - \$3.00 donation at the door while seats last.

8:00 P.M. – 12:00 MID **DOORS OPEN AT 7:00 p.m.**
QUARTET DIVISION BANQUET

SALUTING

Doc McKenzie

Albertina Walker

Mildred Clark & The Melodieaires

The Jackson Southernaires

The Brooklyn All-Stars

Dorothy Norwood

The Canton Spirituals

The Williams Brothers

Performances by: **Rizen, The Rance Allen Group,**
Chosen & The Eveready's

KANSAS CITY MARRIOTT
COUNT BASIE BALLROOM

12:00 midnight – 3:00 a.m.

The Ed Smith Memorial Midnight Madness Sale

**Over 300 exhibitors offering the latest in Gospel CD's, Tapes and Videos,
Sheet Music, Paraphernalia, Religious Art, Art-o-facts, Women and Men's
Fashions, Shoes, Choir Robes, Jewelry, and much, much, more!**

"Best Prices of the Week"

The Ed Smith Memorial Exhibit Hall

Hall D

Convention Center

12 midnight – 2:00 a.m.

WOMEN'S NIGHT SERVICE

"Back To the Roots"

Music Hall

Municipal Auditorium

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 2003

1:00 P.M. – 4:00 p.m.

QUARTET DIVISION SEMINAR

Unsigned Artist Showcase Part III

Room 1203 A & B

Convention Center

5:30.-7:30 p.m.

**UNIVERSAL PICTURE/GMWA ADVANCE SCREENING OF THE
MOTION PICTURE "RAY" Starring: Jamie Foxx and Regina King
Hosted By: The Gospel Announcer's Guild
Limited invitation available from GAG Registration
Marriott Hotel**

**8:00 p.m. – 12:00 midnight
QUARTET DIVISION SHOWCASE
Music Hall
Municipal Auditorium**

**PRESENTING
"A Gospel Explosion at the GMWA Convention"
COME HEAR GOSPEL'S FINEST INCLUDING**

Albertina Walker
Dorothy Norwood
The Lee Williams & the Spiritual QC's
The Jackson Southernares
The Gospel Wonders
The Bonner Brothers
The Williams Brothers
The Brown Boys
The Memphis Harmonizers
The Angelaires
The Pilgrim Jubilees
The Brooklyn All-stars
Luther Barnes & The Sunset Jubilaires
The Williams Sisters
The Southern Sons
Greg Logins & In Christ
The Jackson Sisters
The Eveready's

The Christianaires
Doc. McKenzie & the Highlights
The Canton Spirituals
The Eternal Light Singers
Little Willie and the Gospel Keynotes
Keith "Wonderboy" Johnson & The Spiritual Voices
The Mighty Clouds Of Joy
Gerald Hinton & The New Redeemers
Evelyn Turrentine Agee and the Warriors for Christ
Paul Beasley and the New Gospel Keynotes
The True Believers
Nu Beginnings Featuring Damon Little
The McDonald Sisters
Reverend Andrew Cheairs and the Songbirds
Tammye Edwards & the Edwards Sisters
True Believers
The Racy Brothers

**6 Winners from our New Artists Showcase will perform
at this event and all other forums**

Advance Admission-\$12.00

At The Door-\$15.00

**Tickets Available at the GMWA Ticket Office
Hall-1 Atrium, Convention Center & Local Outlets
ONLY 2500 GEN. ADMISSION SEATS AVAILABLE
SO GET YOUR TICKET TODAY! WE'LL SEE YOU THERE**

**11:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.
Debutante Cotillion/Beautillion
Royal Exhibit Hall
Muehlebach Tower
Kansas City Marriott**

12:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.
MEN'S NIGHT SERVICE
Count Basie Ballroom
Kansas City Marriott

GMWA 2004 HIGHLIGHTS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 2004

12:00 A.M. - 2:00 A.M.
GMWA Consumer Exhibit
THE ED SMITH EXHIBIT HALL
CLOSE OUT SALE
Hall D
Convention Center

9:00-11:00 p.m.
ACADEMIC CONVOCATION & THURSTON FRAZIER MEMORIAL
CHORALE CONCERT

SPEAKER: TBA
Exhibit Halls A & B
Convention Center

9:00-4:00 p.m.
GMWA LIVE RECORDINGS
FEATURING:

The Youth & Young Adult Mass Choir
The National Mass Choir
The Women of Worship
The Men of Promise

Compilation Recording By: GMWA RECORDINGS

Music Hall
Municipal Auditorium

7:00 p.m. -12:00 a.m.

THE GMWA 2004 FINALE SHOWCASE
FEATURING:

The GMWA National Mass Choir
The GMWA Youth & Young Adult Mass
The GMWA Women of Worship
The GMWA Men of Promise

Plus performances by:

**KURT CARR & THE KURT CARR SINGERS
BYRON CAGE
J.MOSS
NEW DIRECTIONS
JESSE DIXON
DOROTHY NORWOOD
DAMON LITTLE & NU BEGINNINGS
ANGELA SPIVEY**

Hall-A & B
Convention Center

UNITY CLOSING

DEPART TO SERVE