

## VITA

**Chief Apostle Joyce White-Tasby** is wife of Arthur Tasby, Mother of Mark White (April) and Joyce White - Stringfield and grandmother of Sanaa and Jonah Stringfield. Her greatest joy is being a servant to the Highest GOD. Along With Her husband, she Co-founded ST. Luke Miracle Tabernacle in October 2003. Since 1977, she has been the Founder and Executive Director of the Young People's Guild School of the Performing Arts (YPG). Also, The Young Peoples' Guild Foundation (1995).

The YPG organization had students who have obtained professional careers such as Minister of Music, Teachers, Actors, Dancers, Counselors, Doctors, Lawyers, Engineers, Opera Singers, Analysts, and Pastors. Her students have performed on Broadway, discovered by Disney, worked with professional producers and music companies, back up vocalists and musicians with professional performing artist and had largest jet centerfold s, just to name a few.

She has spent most of her life giving back to her community in service. Some of the roles and positions has does serve: International Black Women's Congress, past president of the Southeastern Virginia Arts Association, past executive board members of Advocates for Youth (currently known as (CASC) and past member of the NAACP Executive Board (Portsmouth VITA Chapter). She is the author of an award-winning Channel 13 Emmy documentary Which was hosted and produced by La Salle Banks, entitled "The N. Word."

Apostle 's students have performed on The Show Time at The APOLLO (New York). Produced the first JR. DEB & Princess Ball "A Night to Remember that guest from across the country came to see. (1995 - 2001) Her Dancer s were the First Dance Ensemble The acclaimed Hampton Minister's and Choir Guild Conference (1995-1996). The Guild has performed for the MEAC Conference. Founder/ Executive Chair Tidewater Coalition for The People (2018) She is a member of Dogwood (F.O.R.E.S.T.) environmental and social justices Programs and has lectured at various colleges and spoke on their behalf. Apostle is a consultant for several business and organizations. She has hosted and produced 3rd annual "Black History Trail Blazers Sidewalk Parade" bringing awareness Portsmouth Colored Museum and Library. Which brought her a new project The Newsome House Foundation as a Project Consultant.

History is a very important to her because people that forget their Past are DOOMED to repeat History. She believes NO-one... .. can tell your story like YOU CAN. History is written but those that lived it..... can tell the pains and sufferings that Inspired VITA Others to keep fighting to keep your prize..... Your Victory is WON! Apostle is diligent in her Empowerment 2020 Mission for job fairs , Housing. Family Empowerment and Financial wealth. She is author and producer of numerous stage productions, such as Christmas at Madams "some which have been televised in North Carolina on Channel 43 And 49 (2010). Of her many accomplishments she coordinated the firsthand Bell Choir in 1989 at Third Baptist Church in Portsmouth, Virginia, and Sign Choir. She has written a Book: Training Your Champions & Co-Author Award Winning GODFIDENT WOMEN (AMAZON) AWARDS: Outstanding Female Entertainment Award by Black Local Talent (Norfolk State College) 1992 The New Journal and Guide Peterson Award 1993 The Zeta Phi Beta Community Award in the Category of Classical Music in 2004 Unity Award Southeastern District 2010 Community Enhance the lives Of Youth / Children The Southeastern Virginia Arts Association Community Service Award "in 2010 The Board of Directors of Crispus Attucks Cultural Center Award In Contribution to the History and Culture of Black Women in Hampton Roads (2012) Impact Lives Award (2016) The New Journal & Guide VITA Martin Luther King ICON Presidential AWARD (2016) Chesapeake SEVAA Women

IN The Arts (2016) Manifest Kingdom Eagle Award Chief Apostle Joyce White Tasby has come up through the ranks in ministry Which began in 1979 her first license at Prince Of Peace Holiness Church . Ordinated Pastor 2003 (DR. Anne Barnes & Churches, Texas, N.C. Hampton Roads) The Affirmation of Apostleship was bestowed on her by God with hands Manifest Kingdom in 2009. (Chief Apostle William Billups)