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### Greetings,

Welcome to the 2022 dfree® Leadership Retreat & Conference! We are excited to gather, in person and virtually, to learn, connect, and prepare to lead others on their Journey to Financial Freedom™!

As we planned for this experience, we were intentional to address where we've been with respect to the COVID-19 pandemic, social unrest sparked in 2020, as well as continued shifts along political, cultural, social, and economic lines. However, as a solution-oriented movement, we are very much focused on where we are going and how we can help our people to navigate a way forward. Hence this year's theme... Financial Healing: Wisdom, Wellness & Wealth!

Thanks to our long-standing corporate partners RWJBarnabas Health (Title Sponsor) and **Prudential** (Presenting Sponsor), we are able to provide top notch insight from leaders in both healthcare and financial services to make the goal of Financial Healing a reality. Likewise, we are grateful for the consistent support of Independence Realty Trust, Federal Home Loan Bank of New York, and Ocwen, our Friends of dfree® sponsors. Partnership is essential to service, and we are in great company!

The dfree® Financial Freedom Movement remains committed to ensuring that we provide the content, curriculum, tools, and access to professionals and industry resources to ensure that our leaders around the globe are not only well themselves, but also encouraged, well-informed, and well-equipped to serve their communities locally.

As such, it is our prayer that this week's programming inspires, ignites, energizes, and prepares you for the journey forward. Please be sure to take notes, ask questions, make new connections, and share your experiences with us and others in your community. Should you have any questions, concerns, or testimonials to share, please don't hesitate to contact our team at info@mydfree.org. Please follow us @mydfree on all social platforms. And stay tuned to www.dfreefoundation.org and www.dfree.com for the latest updates on our work together!

Thank you for your contributions, presence, and active participation!

God bless you! With Gratitude,

DeForest B. Soaries, Jr. Founder & CEO Dfree Global Foundation, Inc. Dfree Global Foundation, Inc.

Tamika Stembridge **Executive Director** 



## ABOUT Offee® FINANCIAL FREEDOM MOVEMENT™

## **PHILOSOPHY**

Dfree principles and strategies help to transform behaviors by identifying the emotional and psychological causes that are tied to our relationship with money. We achieve this blending faith and finance principles in our curriculum, tools, and programming. Educate \* Motivate \* Celebrate!

### **MISSION**

The dfree® Financial Freedom Movement is a transformational lifestyle that promotes financial freedom through values-based principles and practical approaches to financial management.

### **VISION**

The dfree® Movement will be a leader in the creation of an economic and cultural shift that increases consumer participation in savings, insurance, and investments.





The Dfree Global Foundation, Inc. is a non-profit organization charged with leading the African American community to financial freedom through content, curriculum, training, tools and access to professionals. As the only faith-based, wealth-building system specifically designed with the black community in mind, the dfree® Movement delivers access to financial freedom. The organization uses a variety of tools to educate, motivate and support people who make the choice to achieve and sustain financial freedom.

### dfree® WEBSITES

Foundation Site: <u>www.dfreefoundation.org</u>

Brand Site: <u>www.dfree.com</u>

### dfree® BILLION DOLLAR CHALLENGE

 $\underline{www.billiondollarpaydown.com}$ 

### dfree® TESTIMONIALS

www.youtube.com/mydfree

## dfree® NATIONAL TEAM

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# the DAY TO DAY schedule

## DAYONE WEDJULY27

## **Ask the Expert Webinar**

featuring dfree® Team

## dfree® Focused Bible Study

Hosted By: Rev. Danté R. Quick, Ph.D., Sr. Pastor, First Baptist Church of Lincoln Gardens

## DAYTWO THUJULY28

Special dfree<sup>®</sup> Worship Service featuring Rev. Mark Tyler, Pastor, Mother Bethel AME Church

## DAYTHREE FRIJULY29

## **MORNING**

## dfree® Leaders Training: How to Lead Your Church, Community and Organization to Financial Freedom

Presenters: Kyle Harrison, Shaunda Sutton & Katherine Taylor, Dfree Foundation Training & Engagement Team

## **Special Presentation**

Adrian Council, Publisher & CEO, The Positive Community

## RWJBH Presentation Financial Healing, From The Inside, Out

Panelists:

- Deanna Minus-Vincent, Executive Vice President, Chief Social Justice & Accountability Officer, RWJBarnabas Health
- Andrew Thomas, Vice President Health Equity, RWJBarnabas Health

## **AFTERNOON**

## dfree® Academy Preview Video Presentation

### **AARP Presentation**

Dr. Soaries In conversation with Shani Hoste, Vice President - Audience Strategy, Office of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion,

### AARP

## **Prudential Remarks**

Ryan Carter, Vice President of Business Development, Prudential Financial

## Prudential Presentation: Financial Challenges of the Sandwich Generation

George R. Barnes, Financial Advisor



## dfree® Financial Healing Concert

featuring Hezekiah Walker, Lorraine Stancil-Lawson and Derek Minor

## DAYFOUR SATJULY30

## dfree® Faith Leader Panel: Financial Healing – Inspired Leadership, Informed Action

Hosted By:

- Pastor Trevor Hyde, Berean Baptist Church, Brooklyn, NY

### Panelists:

- Rev. Lisa Autry, Finance Director, Christ Community, Richardson, TX
- Min. Rhonda Washington, dfree® Leader, Word Tabernacle, Rocky Mount, NC
- Mr. Dwight Raiford, dfree® Leader, Ebenezer Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA)
- Rev. Dr. Danielle L. Brown, Shiloh Baptist Church, Plainfield, NJ
- Yolanda Barry, Agape Family Worship Center, Rahway, NJ
- Deacon Andrea Davis, dfree® Leader, Dabar Bethlehem Cathedral, NY

## Fireside Chat: Ownership Is the New Black

Hosted By: Nicole Pride

Panelist: Jamila "Mimi" McCarly Guest

- Owner, Collab Music Network
- Co-Founder of We Own Now
- Co-Founder of Nashville is not Just Country Music
- Promoter & Advocate for Black Ownership + Wealth

## **Special Presentation**

John Harmon, Founder, President & CEO, African American Chamber of Commerce

## Sisterhood & Service: Special Session With Our National D9 Partner Organizations

### Panelists:

- Gina Merritt-Epps, Esq., First Vice President, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
- Michelle Dutton, Member of the National Economic Development Committee, Delta Sigma Theta, Sorority, Inc.

### **Prudential Presentation**

Fireside Chat with Dr. Soaries and Ryan Carter, Vice President of Business Development, Prudential Financial

## dfree® Special Presentations

- dfree® Academy Preview
- Heal America Presents "Summer of Healing"
- dfree® Africa

## DAYFIVE SUNJULY31

## **Special Worship Service**

featuring Dr. Soaries, Pastor Emeritus of First Baptist Church of Lincoln Gardens



## THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING THE **DFREE LEADERSHIP RETREAT**

We invite you and yours to consider making an investment in the future of the Dfree Global Foundation, Inc.



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The dfree® Online Academy was created to offer individuals, churches and community organizations a convenient way to take dfree® courses, including dfree® Leaders' Training. These courses are offered entirely online as self-paced or instructor-led, with support provided by our team.

## **GET STARTED TODAY!**

- 1 Access the dfree® Online Academy at mydfree.org
- 2 Select the class you wish to take and enroll
- 3 Download the learning materials for the course
- Be sure to get the reference materials, 'Say Yes to No Debt' and the accompanying workbook
- 5 START LEARNING!



## HOW TO JOIN THE dfree® BILLION DOLLAR CHALLENGE

The Billion Dollar Challenge (BDC) is a free web tool that seeks to educate, inspire and enable participants to collectively pay down \$1 billion in consumer debt.

Please note that all information is confidential.

## **GET STARTED TODAY!**

- 1 Go to billiondollarpaydown.com
- 2 Select "JOIN NOW" (Top right hand corner)
- 3 Complete the registration form
- 4 Go to LOGIN and enter credentials
- 5 Manage all of your plans from your dashboard



## dfree Monthly Budget

TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME \_\_\_\_\_

GIVING	BUDGET
TITHES	
OFFERINGS	
CHARITABLE DONATIONS	
OTHER	
TOTAL	
HOUSING	BUDGET
	BODGET
MORTGAGE/RENT #1* (DEBT)	
MORTGAGE/RENT #2* (DEBT)	
HOMEOWNERS INSURANCE	
PROPERTY TAXES	
MAINTENANCE & CLEANING	
OTHER	
TOTAL	
UTILITIES	BUDGET
	BUDGET
CABLE	
CELL PHONE	
ELECTRICITY/GAS/OIL	
HOME PHONE	
INTERNET	
TRASH	
WATER	
OTHER	
TOTAL	
LIFESTYLE	BUDGET
ENTERTAINMENT (EATING OUT, MOVIES, ETC.)	
GIFTS	
GROCERIES	
HOBBIES	<u> </u>
LAUNDRY/DRY CLEANING	
PETS SPENDING MONEY	
TRAVEL/VACATION	
TUITION/SCHOOL FEES	
OTHER	
TOTAL	

CONSUMER DEBT	BUDGET
CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS	
STUDENT LOAN PAYMENTS	•
PAST DUE ACCOUNTS	•
PERSONAL LOANS	
OTHER	<u>•</u>
TOTAL	
TRANSPORTATION	BUDGET
CAR LOAN/LEASE* (DEBT)	•
CAR INSURANCE	•
FUEL/MAINTENANCE	•
PARKING	•
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	
REGISTRATION/INSPECTION	•
OTHER	
TOTAL	
SAVINGS	BUDGET
EMERGENCY FUND	•
EDUCATION FUND	•
RETIREMENT	•
OTHER	-
TOTAL	
PERSONAL & FAMILY	BUDGET
CLOTHING, SHOES, ETC.	•
GROOMING/PERSONAL CARE	
CHILD CARE	• •
CHILD SUPPORT/ALIMONY	<u> </u>
TOTAL	
CONSUMER DEBT	BUDGET
CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS	
STUDENT LOAN PAYMENTS	•
PAST DUE ACCOUNTS	•
PERSONAL LOANS	•
OTHER	
TOTAL	
HEALTH	BUDGET
DISABILITY INSURANCE	
DOCTOR COPAY	
HEALTH INSURANCE	
LIFE INSURANCE	
MEDICAL/DENTAL	
PRESCRIPTIONS	
VISION/CONTACTS	
OTHER	
TOTAL	

TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ MONTHLY SURPLUS/DEFICIT +/- \$ \_\_\_\_\_



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