

African American Christian Authors Available for Black History Month Engagements

Valley Forge, PA – Several Judson Press authors have announced their participation in a Judson Press Black History Month speaking tour. During the month of February, the following authors are available for presentations and workshops at Christian bookstores, churches, schools, museums, and libraries:

Professional workshop and seminar leader **Joseph Robinson**, author of *7 Leadership Imperatives from a Wild Man*, addresses the topics of leadership, history, male mentoring, youth excellence, or current events.

Rev. Dr. Susan K. Williams Smith, senior pastor of Advent United Church of Christ in Columbus, OH, is the author of the upcoming Judson Press book *Crazy Faith for Everyday People* (available Feb. 1). Rev. Dr. Smith is available to speak on the topic of faith from the African American perspective.

Johnny B. Hill, author of *Multidimensional Ministry for Today's Black Families* and Assistant Professor of Theology at Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, is available to address the civil rights movement, social justice and the church, Hip Hop and youth ministry, and black family ministry.

Award-winning writer **Jean Alicia Elster**, author of the Joe Joe in the City children's book series, will speak on the importance of history in literature for youth.

Nationally recognized minister and international speaker **Dr. James C. Perkins**, senior pastor of Greater Christ Baptist Church in Detroit, Michigan will address a topic of your choosing. Dr. Perkins most recently wrote *Playbook for Christian Manhood: 12 Key Plays for Black Teen Boys*.

These authors are willing to speak for a nominal fee or, in some cases, travel expenses only. For more information or to arrange for one of these authors to speak to your customers, members, or organization, please contact Judson Press marketing associate Gale Tull at gtull@abc-usa.org, or 800-222-3782, ext. 2102.

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