

# Black Marriage Day

HOUSTON

Sunday, March 22, 2009



CELEBRATING AND LIFTING UP MARRIAGES  
IN HOUSTON'S BLACK COMMUNITY

## How Can You Join In The Celebration?

BE CREATIVE AND HONOR COUPLES DURING THIS SPECIAL DAY

### AT HOME AND WITH FAMILY

If you are married, celebrate your own marriage by doing something special.

- Prepare a special meal or treat yourselves to an afternoon or evening date
- Commit to reading a relationship strengthening book on marriage
- Register and attend a marriage education class

If you are single, give a gift of a complimentary dinner to married friends or relatives

### AT CHURCH

- Ask your pastor to acknowledge and congratulate all marriages in the church
- Conduct a wedding renewal ceremony
- Salute the couples who have been married the longest
- Salute and encourage newly married couples
- Start a Marriage "Hall of Fame"

### IN THE COMMUNITY

Salute and support the institution of marriage

#### *Relationship Workshops*

Saturday, March 21

at various Houston locations

#### *Black Marriage & Bridal Fair*

Saturday, March 28

The Power Center 12401 South Post Oak Rd, Houston, TX 77045

For a list of marriage enrichment activities, please visit [www.houstonmarriage.org](http://www.houstonmarriage.org)

For more information, please call Yanira Montes at (713) 867-7764.

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