

Dionne Motley

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Dionne is the CEO and Co-Founder of Motley Financial Solutions, LLC, a financial coaching and consulting company that focuses on teaching others how to master their money so they can become more responsible, eliminate financial shame, and live the life God intended. Since stepping away from her full-time job in 2020, Dionne has pursued her life's passion of helping women and couples through her various group coaching programs offered through the Legacy Changers Academy (a subsidiary of Motley Financial Solutions), one-on-one sessions, and public speaking engagements. To date, she has helped dozens of married and single women collectively pay off over \$150,000 of debt and save over \$25,000 for emergencies.

Dionne received her Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration - International Business from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville in 2005. Post graduation, she started her career in Consumer Banking with Regions Bank and then Bank of America, where she spent a seven-year tenure. After four years in banking, Dionne desired to pivot and pursue a career in the legal industry. While working full-time between 2009 - 2011, she attended Southwestern Illinois College to study Paralegal Studies, where she earned an Associate's Degree in Applied Sciences. She then furthered her legal studies by adding a Contract Management Certification under her belt from St. Louis University in 2014. Prior to graduating from St. Louis University, she transitioned into law as an Intellectual Property Legal Assistant with Harness Dickey & Pierce. Then, later became a Contract Administrator with SSM Health's Legal Department from 2014 - 2020.

Dionne and her husband Prentice started their debt-free journey in January 2017, which inspired them to become Certified Master Financial Coaches in 2018. The education, knowledge, and work experience Dionne received sparked a fire in her to help others bridge the gap between financial access and financial management. She started coaching clients in her dining room in December 2017 and Motley Financial Solutions was officially established in May 2018.

By combining her careers in the banking & legal industries with her debt-free journey, Dionne is breaking barriers surrounding financial literacy as it relates to the black community. Dionne is a huge advocate for providing women with the tools they need to be responsible with money, begin the process to pay off debt, eliminate financial shame and begin to create the life they desire. Her goal is to impart hope and inspire others to go after their dreams of financial success.

Dionne's unique perspective regarding finances resonates with others because she went from living paycheck to paycheck, overwhelmed with credit card debt and student loans to taking control of unhealthy spending habits and learning how to be more responsible with money. This transformation - and what she is most known for - resulted in her and her husband paying off over \$83,000 of debt in 19 months before age 36. Their success story has been featured on multiple television shows and podcasts, such as the Christian Broadcast Network's 700 Club and the His & Her Money Podcast.

When she's not working, she enjoys serving on her ministry's Praise Team, traveling, vlogging, and fine dining.

SPEAKING TOPICS

Foundations of Stewardship & Budgeting

Provides insight and practicality into the basic principles of money management for Christians.

The Portal to Financial Freedom

A full breakdown of the *9 Action Steps* The Motleys took to pay off over \$83,000 worth of debt in just 19 months.

The Keys to Financial Success

5 simple yet effective keys that will help unlock the door to your financial success.

Overcoming Financial Setbacks

The teaching of The Motley's *P.R.E.S.S. Method* for overcoming financial setbacks and how to avoid falling into #budgetthirsttraps.

The I.M.P.A.C.C. of Financial Freedom

How the views of wealth and financial freedom differ in the world and the Kingdom of God.

Worth of Wealth

Resources and steps to build an abundance mindset, create healthy money habits, and how to prepare financially for the future.

The Connection Between Your Partner & Your Paper

Helping couples tackle head-on why they start acting funny over their money and giving practical steps to join their coins.

Mind Your Business

Budgeting basics and tools to help small businesses establish and implement accounting practices.

Budgeting for Social Media

Best practices and strategies to manage your small businesses' marketing budget.

APPEARANCES

Dave Ramsey (Instagram Post)(2018)

Anthony O'Neal (Instagram Post)(2018)

CEOMom Empire Presents: Manifesting Moves Summit (2018)

His & Her Money Podcast (2019)

Living The Word Church: Relationship Reboot Conference (2019)

Walk Into Your Journey, NFP (2019)

G.E.M.S., Incorporated, NFP (2020)

CBN's The 700 Club (2021)

Relove Church (2021)

Staying the Course Podcast (2021)

Happily Better After W.H.O.O. (We Honor Our Own) Celebration (2021)

APPEARANCES (CONT)

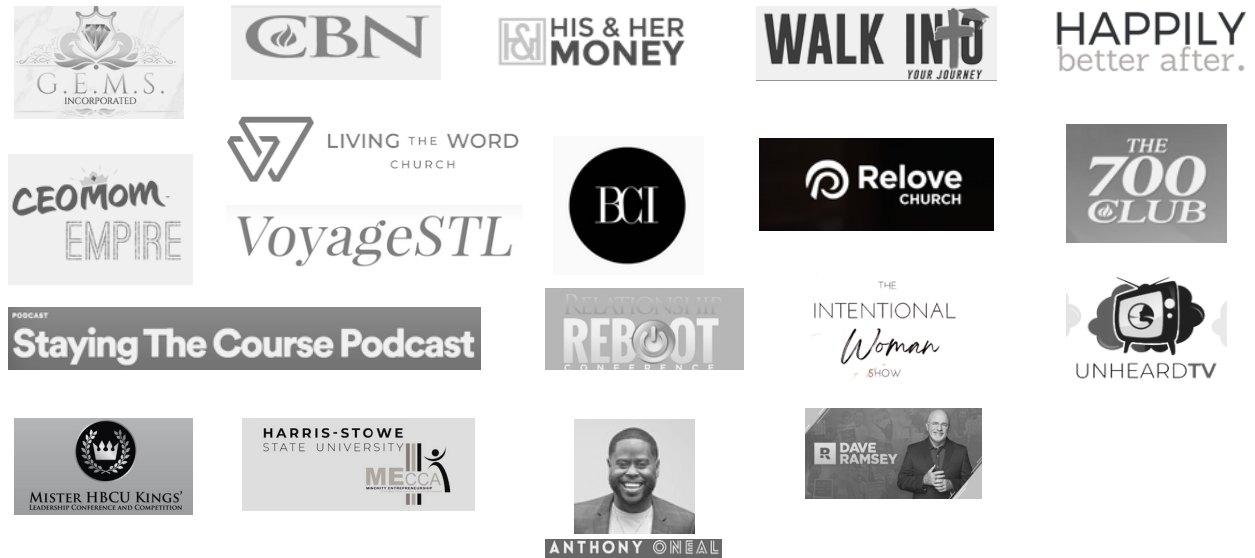
The Intentional Woman Show (Unheard TV) (2021)

Black Christian Influencers (BCI) (2021)

Voyage STL Magazine (2022)

Harris Stowe State University Minority Entrepreneurship Collaborative Center for Advancement (MECCA) (2022)

Mister HBCU Kings' Leadership Conference and Competition: Queen's Summit (2023)



TESTIMONIALS

"They always had a way of meeting me right at my need and making the experience enjoyable. After the seminar was over, they continued to offer one on one counseling. They always seemed to call right when I was deterring from my plan. Their leadership, determination and willingness to see you through to financial freedom is unmatched."

- Rashida Pollion

"The expertise and attention to detail with which you have handled our finances could not be faulted. Particularly what has been reassuring to us is our feeling of certainty in the absolute integrity of Motley Financial Solutions. Your continual advice on financial planning issues, budgeting, debt cancellation, saving, investing and etc. has saved us significant amounts of money and we have already cancelled approximately \$17,000 worth of debt in just a year's time. For my husband and I, we did not think that was possible. With Motley Financial Solutions the impossible, financially, became possible and we now have the necessary tools needed for a strong financially secure and debt free future."

-Joshua & Samone Thompson

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