

2023 Weekend Getaway  
April 14-15  
Itasca, IL



# **GROUNDDED** identity

"But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light" (1 Peter 2:9).

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In a world that is both fast-paced and constantly changing, it is far too easy to lose sight of what matters most. Now is the time to go back to our roots and ensure we have a firm foundation in Christ. In both life and in work, we need to center our relationship with Christ first, so we can then minister to and connect with those around us. As Paul wrote: “For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do” (Ephesians 2:10).

We are eager to join again this spring to grow closer to God and each other. We are thankful for the opportunity to spend time together in the Word and in fellowship at our annual Weekend Getaway.

**Grounded Identity** is the theme for this Weekend Getaway because we need to go deeper as we ground our identity in Christ in order to do the good works God has prepared for each of us.

Our speakers and musicians will play a large part in helping us renew our commitment to Christ and give us the tools that will equip us to be effective representatives of our Lord.

## Schedule

### Friday Night

7:00-9:00

Opening session with Lina Abujamra



### Saturday

8:30

General Session with Lina Abujamra

9:30-10:00

Break

10:00-11:00

Workshops

11:15-12:15

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12:30-1:45

Lunch

1:45-3:00

Candid Conversations

3:15-5:00

Closing Session with Mary Lowman and Lisa Bishop



Main Speaker

**Lina Abujamra**

Lina Abujamra founded Living with Power Ministries and is a popular Bible teacher, podcaster, and conference speaker. She’s also the author of several books and the host of a radio show. In her “spare” time, Lina is a pediatric ER doctor who practices telemedicine and provides medical care and humanitarian help to Syrian refugees and others in disaster areas. Learn more about her at [LivingWithPower.org](http://LivingWithPower.org).

## Workshops



### Mary Lowman — Dealing with Foolish People

Do you have any foolish people in your life? The Bible gives us a clear definition and description of fools and their behavior and warns us to be very cautious in how we deal with them. In this workshop we will look to God's Word for specific guidance on dealing with, working with, and/or living with the foolish people in our lives.

### Lisa Bishop — How to Have Difficult Conversations

Whether in the workplace or at home, with a co-worker or a friend, difficult conversations are all around us. But all too often we avoid them out of fear or not knowing what to say. This workshop will give you skills to engage in conversations you would rather avoid and approach conflict in a way that can grow and strengthen relationships.



### Juni Felix — Designing a Life, Anchored in Joy

Jesus says in John 15:11, "I have told you these things so that my joy will be in you and your joy would be made complete." So why are so many women living a life without joy? Join us for a paradigm shifting, practical workshop: 'Designing a Life Anchored in Joy.' We will cover effective proven Tiny Habits© for joy and explore God's plan for and definition of success.

### Valerie Hogan — Generosity: Holistically with Our Life and Resources

Are you looking to be a better steward of your time, gifts, and talents? We are called to be good stewards of the resources that God has given to us and to return to God what we have been given. In this workshop, we will explore what it means to be generous and a responsible steward—and what it looks like to live holistically with our life and resources.



### Sharnell Weathersby — Thrive Without Compromise

Empowering and equipping women to grow with excellence in their faith, life, and career but without compromising what matters most as women of God. This workshop will provide strategies, tips, and lessons to help women learn how to thrive both at the workplace and in life—without conceding what God has called us to do.

# General Information

## Accommodations

Westin Chicago Northwest  
400 Park Boulevard  
Itasca, Illinois 60143

## Hotel Reservations

Call 630.773.4000 to make your hotel reservations. Be sure to identify yourself as being with The Christian Working Woman WEEKEND GETAWAY at the Westin Chicago Northwest to receive discounted rates.

## Room Occupancy

Single to Quad = \$119\*  
(1 to 4 people in a room)

\*Price is per room, per night, not including taxes.

\*Price does not include breakfast. Breakfast is available in the hotel. Starbucks coffee is provided in every room.

## Weekend Getaway Refund Policy

For cancellations before March 17, 2023, a refund of conference costs less a \$25.00 handling charge will be offered. After March 17, 2023, refunds are not available. However, you may call our office to transfer your registration.

## Children

Unfortunately, there are no accommodations for children or nursing infants. No children 12 years and under will be admitted into any of the sessions. Thank you for your understanding.

## Photos & Video

During this event, we will be taking pictures and video. By your attendance, you are granting your permission to be recorded or photographed for promotional purposes.

## Ways to Register

**1. Mail**—Send registration form with your check or credit card payment information to:

The Christian Working Woman  
205 N. Washington Street  
Wheaton, IL 60187-5314

**2. Phone**—630.462.0552

**3. Web**—[ChristianWorkingWoman.org](http://ChristianWorkingWoman.org)

**4. QR Code**



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# Registration

(One form per person. Please print.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred name for name badge \_\_\_\_\_

This is my first TCWW event

I am coming with (church/group) \_\_\_\_\_



Conference cost for the entire retreat, which includes lunch on Saturday, is **\$170 before March 17** and \$195 after March 17.



## Payment

If you are paying with a credit card, please fill out the following:

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