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Rev. Joy Fields' motto continues to be "Mediocrity is not an option: Excellence is the choice." An ordained minister, author, speaker, and workshop facilitator, she faithfully seeks to fulfill her commission to be an encouragement to others and to be both a positive and godly example.

Rev. Fields is also a 3rd generation funeral director at Anderson Funeral Service, New Brunswick and Trenton, NJ. At the age of 18, Rev. Fields gave her life to Christ as a freshman in college. During her junior year, she was licensed to the gospel ministry at the age of 20 years old. She has served as associate minister at Sharon Baptist Church, New Brunswick, pastor of young adult ministry at Cathedral International, Perth Amboy, assistant pastor and lead pastor of Century Church, South Plainfield. She is currently the teaching pastor at NextGen Church, West Windsor, New Jersey.

Academically, this woman of God is a graduate of Howard University of Washington, DC, with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree and a Master of Divinity degree from Princeton Theological Seminary. She was ordained through the American Baptist Churches.

Rev. Joy and her husband, Min. Cornell Fields, enjoy loving their family, which includes Alex, Elliott, and Alyson Fields. Her first book, *Prom Passions: A Young Woman's Guide to Her Best Night Ever*, empowers female teens to make wise decisions for themselves on that special night. She writes and publishes articles regularly on her blog.