



Doctor Constance Bivens is a born-again believer who enjoys teaching the Word of God. She is the Founder of Encouraging the Heart Woman to Woman Ministries, the author of *Grow Girl, Turning Your Stumbling Blocks into Stepping stones* as well as a contributing author in the anthology *When Sisters Speak*. She is an entrepreneur and a certified Master Life Coach.

Constance is a 1995 graduate of Sacramento Theological Seminary and Bible College where she also received her Doctorate Degree this year. Education is important to Constance and she is currently enrolled at Southern New Hampshire University pursuing her next degree. In addition, Constance has been awarded several prestigious awards such as the 2015 Women of Power, Woman of the Year Award, serving women as a mentor and role model, the 2011 Volunteer of the Year Award, serving Marines and their families living aboard Camp Pendleton, California, and the 2010 President's Volunteer Service Award from President Barak Obama.

Constance also serves alongside her husband as the Co-Founder of Saving Grace Ministries Church and Co-Pastor of Greater New Birth Family Outreach Ministries. Constance often shares that although her life is not perfect, she loves her life and teaches that regardless of a person's background or past mistakes, God has a place for them and can help them on their path to becoming their best self and creating their best life.

Constance and her husband, Kenneth, have been married for over forty years, and they are the parents of four grown children and grandparents of nine wonderful grandchildren. Kenneth and Constance Bivens make their home in Middle Georgia.