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NEW ARTIST: OFFICIALLY LADYJ MAKING MOVES

New, up and coming, contemporary Christian artist, Officially LadyJ releases her solo album entitled, *Tales of a Congregation*, on the heels of her Christmas single, *Wishing You Merry CHRIST-mas*. *Tales of a Congregation* is a fusion of R&B, Pop, Hip-Hop & Funk. With the soulful ‘whistle register’ of singer, Minnie Riperton and Mariah Carey, Officially LadyJ’s five-octave coloratura soprano range contrasts the heavy repetitious bass lines and drums. Each track tells a story of unspoken Christian struggles.

According to Officially LadyJ, “This project is a reflection of decades of serving in ministry. *Tales of a Congregation* is a musical narrative of Christian struggles and issues. The album is a story of the war inside; our flesh vs. our spirit. Most importantly, it guides the listener toward the solution. That solution is our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. No matter where you find yourself in the continuum of struggles; be it contemplation, activation or redemption, He is there. **Psalms 139: 7-8 ‘**Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there’.”

*Tales of a Congregation’s* songs are heartfelt; its lyrics have depth and transparency. But is the church ready? When asked this question, Officially LadyJ unapologetically smiled and said, “Either way it goes, if I am persecuted for Christ sake or embraced, the stories are true and God is all in the lyrics.”

Starting mid-January, single tracks from *Tales of a Congregation* will be available on all social media outlets. The entire project, *Tales of a Congregation,* may be downloaded at [www.officiallyLadyJ.com](https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.officiallyLadyJ.com%2F%3Ffbclid%3DIwAR3a6-zDFh32vY5xM97hagMj9wfkVQj_PRJDRxKuJZgQZTr7dHP_eOHQJRM&h=AT0noGb2H8rR6BpX4uPrQaTpTWDQ35V3r2ZWpUp2JKeB6ReKB88er3GoKbV1XfLxyW9dRK4MP_xlmlSyXOdgjJn6rDy23pcglR4KAQjC79W2aZWZoR2YkHWF7jHORgYihEPDFU7nlcE) beginning January 2019.

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