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To whom it may concern:

Christie Johnston brings to a conference a perfect storm of theological insight, practical experience, and a passion. Christie is known for taking Christian women from the complacency to competency as Christian leaders in the home and the workplace. Whether on the local community, as co-founder of First Family Church with pastor-husband, Pastor Jerry Johnston, or the national scene as a speaker for the National Day of Prayer in Washington, D.C., Christie conveys a confidence in the Word of God that is contagious and real.

Christie Johnston has two earned theological degrees and is pursuing doctoral work in ministry at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Her studies go far beyond the classroom, and include the titles of Mother, Wife, Grandmother, Bible Teacher and Conference Leader.

Christie has been given the ability to see beyond the surface and straight into the hearts and fears of her audience. This gift allows her to help the hurting while at the same time as she equips those ready to move onto the next level of Christian experience and obedience.

Therefore it is with joy and confidence that I recommend Christie Jo Johnson.

Together in His service,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rodney A. Harrison". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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