



TENISHA TAYLOR BELL

Tenisha Taylor Bell is the only child of Ezekiel Taylor. She is the founder and CEO of the Ezekiel Taylor Scholarship Foundation.

Tenisha grew up on the South Side of Chicago, a graduate of St. Martin De Pores Academy.

Tenisha is an award-winning media executive with nearly 20 years experience. She is the president and CEO of Perfect Pitch Media Group (PPMG), a boutique public relations and media training firm. Tenisha's PPMG team has provided high-level event planning and press support for former U.S. President Jimmy Carter, Academy Award® Winner Kevin Costner, Actress Aunjanue Ellis and the Rev. Jesse Jackson.

Tenisha served as an executive producer for CNN for nearly 12 years, making critical decisions as major news events unfolded. She served as an executive producer for CNN anchors such as Don Lemon, Wolf Blitzer, TJ Holmes, Fredericka Whitfield and many more. She produced a live prime-time one-hour documentary with Dr. Sanjay Gupta "One Child At a Time", which highlighted the plight of children in third-world countries. Tenisha has an affinity for helping those in extreme poverty, serving on mission trips in Ghana, Zimbabwe, South Africa and Nicaragua.

Tenisha has worked across the country at CBS, FOX, NBC and ABC television affiliates. She led one of the country's largest professional chapters of minority journalists, the Atlanta Association of Black Journalists (AABJ). Under her leadership, the AABJ Xernona Clayton Scholarship Banquet was reinstated. Her vision, marketing & media expertise were instrumental in program development, event planning and raising the organization's local and national profile.

Tenisha got her start in journalism at the Citizen Newspaper on Chicago's South Side. Publisher William Garth saw Tenisha's passion and determination and awarded her a full college scholarship. Tenisha holds a Bachelor's degree in communications from Clark Atlanta University and a Master's of Public Administration from Kennesaw State University, where she also serves as an adjunct professor in the journalism department.

A Chicago native, Tenisha is very passionate about her city. More importantly, Tenisha is committed to changing the lives of young people. She founded the Ezekiel Taylor Scholarship Foundation to fill the gap of young black male students having the resources and support to attend college.

Tenisha is a member of Destiny World Church (Atlanta) where she serves as the chair for the women's ministry. She is a lifelong member of New Covenant MB Church (Chicago), where she was introduced to Christ at a young age.

Tenisha is a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., and she serves on various boards and organizations.