

**Oprah Winfrey Show
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ATTN: *Joanna Moel, Scheduler*
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Dear Ms. Winfrey:

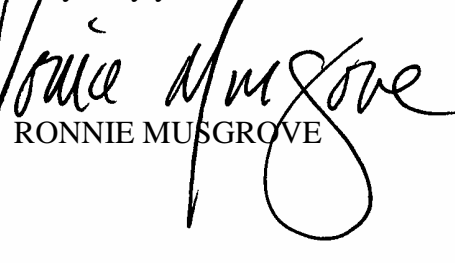
We're excited to invite you to be the keynote speaker for the **"Mississippi Women's Conference 2003"**, a statewide non-partisan women's conference in Jackson, Mississippi. Choose a date that will best accommodate your schedule. Some suggested dates are March 3rd, 4th, 17th or 18th, 2003. The event is in its eighth year and is open to all Mississippians, endorsed by the Office of the Governor of Mississippi. The event will coincide with the celebration of Women's History Month.

Conference participants will have the opportunity to take advantage of a variety of exciting workshops throughout the morning. The sessions will cover a broad range of topics ranging from health, business, fashion and more. Exhibits will be provided for the conference attendees that will reflect a broad range of products and services available throughout Mississippi. We will announce the **"POWER OF ONE"** recipients at the luncheon, where we celebrate Mississippi's career advancement and their power to make a difference in their communities.

I take great pride in being actively involved in the community, as I know you do also. It is with great pride, I respectfully ask that you will accept the invitation to be that illustrious and dynamic speaker for the women of Mississippi. The event will draw 800-900 women from across the state of Mississippi.

Please contact *Felicia Gavin* at 601-359-3161 for confirmation of your attendance or for further information. As you know, an event such as this requires a great amount of planning. If at all possible, please respond by August 1, 2002. If I may ever be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,


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