

# BOOKER T. WASHINGTON EMPOWERMENT NETWORK

Founded by the great-granddaughter of Booker T. Washington.

Designed to encourage, inspire, enlighten, and inform.

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## Sarah Washington O'Neal Rush

### Bio

Sarah Washington O'Neal Rush is the great-granddaughter and the last born of the great-grandchildren of Booker T. Washington—former slave, turned famous educator and founder of Tuskegee University. She is the founder of Extraordinary Legacy, and the Booker T. Washington Empowerment Network, Inc. Both organizations were created to carry on the legacy of her great-grandfather of inspiring ordinary people to discover their extraordinary legacy.

She earned two degrees in business, and her master's degree in professional psychology. As a writer, she has had countless articles published on self-improvement and mental health topics.

She is the coauthor of: *"Timeless Treasures—Reflections of God's Word in the Wisdom of Booker T. Washington."* A collectible book inspired by the incredible work of her great-grandfather, filled with inspirational, historical, educational and spiritual information.

Sarah currently lives in San Lorenzo, California with her husband, Anthony, and daughter, Iesha.

She believes that, as a direct descendant of Booker T. Washington, it is not enough to just *be*, but there lies an honor, a great privilege, and a heart-felt obligation to *"do"*, and to carry on his legacy through the gifts bestowed upon her—professionally in the field of psychology, personally through overcoming tremendous obstacles, and passionately through her love for writing.