



We've had several folks ask us if we had an "introduction" prepared to help condense Ann's ministry and accomplishments, yet give the audience an idea of who she is and what she's done. So, we've created this sample to help you. Please feel free to refer to it in introducing Ann; however we would not suggest reading it verbatim at the concert. Various endings are included to provide for different situations.

SAMPLE INTRODUCTION

More than likely, you've seen Ann Downing as a regular on the Gaither Homecoming Videos seen nightly on televisions around the world, however the majority of her time is spent traveling as a soloist and women's speaker throughout the US and Canada. Celebrating over forty years in gospel music, Ann Downing has won various awards in the field, including the Dove Award for female vocalist and induction into the Gospel Music Hall of Fame

Ann comes to us from Nashville, TN where she hosts her Middle Tennessee Women's Retreat each Spring.

We are delighted/excited to have Ann here with us at _____(church name here)_____ to share her music ministry and her story of what God is doing in her life.

Various endings:

Please join me in welcoming this gospel music legend.....ANN DOWNING!!!!

Let's give her a big _____(city or church name here)_____ welcome...ANN DOWNING!!!

Make her feel welcomed...ANN DOWNING!!!

Put your hands together and welcome this gospel music legend...ANN DOWNING!!!