

## **Dr. Calvin Ellison Biography**

Dr Calvin Ellison is an Author, Entrepreneur, Naturopathic Doctor, Certified Nutritional Consultant, Global Wellness Trailblazer and Marriage and Men's Advisor. He is the Author and Founder of the Men Magnifying Manhood books and movement as well as Co-author and founder of the Women Magnifying Womanhood book and movement. He is also the Vice-president for Community Affairs of the Atlanta Black Chambers of Commerce and Community Liaison for the Pink Panel Initiative of Georgia State University.

While pastoring for 20 years, he was a constant presenter at Community Colleges, Universities and Businesses on various topics from Health and Wellness, Community Engagement, and Personal and Professional Growth. He has worked with such groups as the NC Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities (as its State-Wide Coordinator of two Health Programs), the Town of Farmville, NC as a Health Consultant, the National Kidney Foundation, the Healthy Start Foundation, NCDHHS Women's Health Branch, Health Departments, CBO's and Local Churches. Further, he initiated two Regional Initiatives while in NC: the East Coast Restorative Academy (ECRA) for Men and the Community Empowerment Network for Community Engagement that engaged National and Local Politicians, State Agencies, Colleges and Universities.

He and his wife have presented to thousands of married couples and singles nationally and internationally, through Seminars, Banquets, TV and Radio. They have been married for 37 years. He is the author of nine books and co-author of five national publications.