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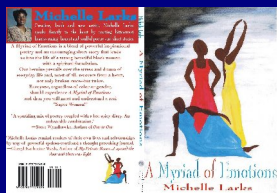
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New Release!



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**A Myriad of Emotions
2003**

Greetings,

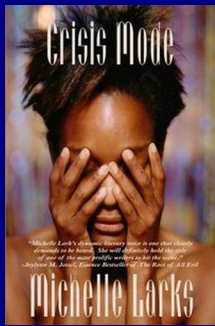
Well summer is almost a wrap, in about 20 days or so autumn will make its debut. The summer of 2009 was one of the most disappointing ones for me. The temperatures never became warm. Shoot, I feel like fall is already in the air. I was up one night and saw frost on the windshields of the cars parked in the common area of my subdivision. I was truly amazed.

My recovery from minor surgery has been well, although I had a mishap with the painkillers. I took a couple on a empty stomach and that was a no-no. I also enjoyed staying home and relaxing, reading books and catching up on movies. Just simple pleasures that I never make time for. I'd like to say thank you to those of you who emailed me with prayers and well wishes. Prayers are always appreciate.

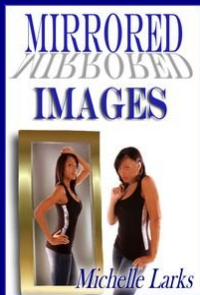
My book release party for Til Debt Do Us Part is scheduled in for September 5th at the clubhouse of my subdivision. And I am looking forward to it. I have a nice guest list which includes relatives, friends, and my fellow authors. I plan on putting on a modest spread, Cajun style, with a DJ, dancing and an overall good time. If you're in the Chicagoland area and wish to attend, feel free to shoot me an email.

The economy still seems to lag. I did a book signing at a local African American book store last month. Many of the people who stopped by my table to chat informed me that they just didn't have money. I sold far fewer books then I would have liked. The following weekend I signed at a Border Express and had a little bit more success selling books. Several of my relatives and friends have been hit by lay-offs. I am happy to say some of them have found jobs. My brother moved to another state and was able to secure employment. So like most of you, I will be glad when this trying time is over.

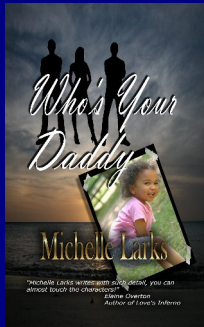
Have a Safe and Happy Labor Day!



Crisis Mode
2004/2005



Mirrored Images
2006



Who's Your Daddy
2006

Til Debt Do Us Part is available at all major bookstores, as well as online at Black.Expressions.com and Amazon.com

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Nichole Singleton seems to have it all. She is a God fearing woman married to her loving husband, Jeff. Her career is taking off in the right direction and her ministry is that of the lead soprano in her church choir. Despite the content facade Nikki portrays, all is not well in her life. She has been keeping a secret from all of those near and dear to her. That secret threatens to unravel the fabric of her marriage and life. Nikki has succumbed to a terrible gambling addiction due to unresolved issues that she is unable to face or communicate to her husband, friends or mother. *Til Debt Do Us Part* is the story of a young woman in crisis and how the Lord brought her through a raging storm.

Jeff and Nikki Singleton is a young married couple who have their whole lives ahead of them. Jeff created a five-year financial plan that will allow them to live in a comfortable manner. He is determined to not live in the poverty that he grew up in. But his strict five year plans are starting to take its toll on Nikki. Nikki decides to find an outlet for her frustrations...the casino. Nikki thinks that she has her secret form of entertainment under control until she gets in over her head. Now she has to try to get her finances back in order before Jeff finds out.

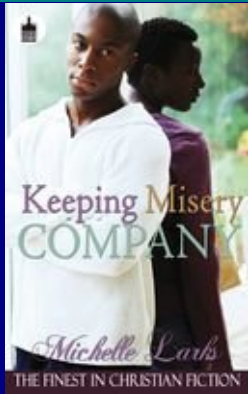
'Til Debt Do Us Part is an excellent novel by Michelle Larks. Larks expertly showed the dangers of irresponsible gambling and how it can affect a marriage. Every time Nikki goes to the casino will just make you cringe and shake your head in disappointment. This story had the perfect scriptures that pertained to Jeff and Nikki's struggles in this story without being preachy. Larks also did a good job of showing how there's always two sides to every story and that things aren't always as they seem to be. What made this story stand out was that although the characters were Christians, they were not perfect. They dealt with realistic problems that anyone can face. The overall theme of this novel is that there's no problem that's too hard for God and that you need to pay attention to what path He's trying to lead you down. *'Til Debt Do Us Part* is an uplifting novel about faith, forgiveness, and self-actualization.

5 out of 5 books

Reviewed by Radiah Hubbert for Urban-Reviews.com

The book trailer on You Tube:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=40op5dRo9a0&feature=channel_page



**Keeping Misery
Company**

2007



The Legacies

2008

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Michelle's September Activities:

September 1st: Author Gathering, Fountaindale Library, 300 Briarcliff Road, Bolingbrook, IL 7:00 P.M.

September 5th: Book Release Party for Til Debt Do Us Part, by invitation only.

September 19th: Private Book Club Meeting.

September 26th: Border Books, 909 Elmhurst Road, Mt. Prospect, IL 1:00-3:00 P.M.

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Recommended Reads: **Someone to Love Me**, Nicole Rouse, **A Preacher's Passion**, Lutisha Lovely, **Supreme Clientele**, Ashley & JaQuavis, **Split Second**, David Baldacci, **Gone**, *Lisa Gardner*

Talk to you next month!

Michelle

