



Black History Month 2012

African American Read-In & Moore Black Press & Black Men Reading

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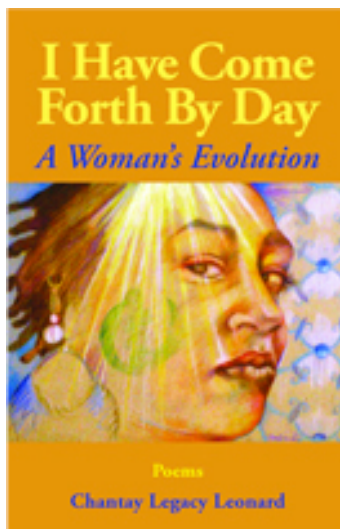
DETROIT POET *LEGACY LEONARD*

Detroit native, writer, performance poet and activist *Chantay Legacy Leonard* premieres her first book of poetry

February 1, 2012 at NorthPoint Health and Wellness Center, Free of charge

1313 Penn Ave North, Minneapolis from

These poems are for women. These poems
are for men who love women. These poems
are for people who forget to love
themselves... These poems have long legs,
and thick hips and sweet breath...
Jessica Care Moore



6:30 PM to 8 PM.

The event will be hosted by Thornton (T.J.) Jones, this exciting evening will feature a riveting poetry performance from Leonard, from her new book titled, ***I Have Come Forth by Day: A Woman's Evolution***, a heartfelt collection of poems that cope with the struggles, lessons, and triumphs of self discovery, growing into womanhood, finding love and evolving humanity. *Leonard*, is one of the founding members of the literary and performance group, Black Ink Collective and serves as the Vice President of Strange Fruits, Inc. a national all woman non-profit arts and performance collective. *Leonard's* passion for women's expression and development is an inspiration to her book. *Leonard* has commanded stages with poetic icons - *The Last Poets*, *Amiri Baraka*, and others. She has performed at numerous colleges and universities festivals and showcases. <http://mooreblackpress.com/>



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