



## **BELOVED** ... Creative, Charismatic, & Compassionate

- **National Domestic Violence Advocate**
- **Actress**
- **Author**
- **Comedian**
- **Poet Laureate**
- **Keynote Speaker**
- **Singer Song-Writer**

Formerly a Hospice Chaplain, Associate/Youth Pastor, Beloved is a Spiritual Counselor and ordained minister, graduate of St. Augustine's' College, Raleigh, NC, The ITC, Gammon School of Prophets and Emory's University Clinical Pastoral Counseling and Education Program, Atlanta, GA, Ramah Bible School, Monroe, NC. Named Poet Laureate of the African American Culture Center (Smithsonian Institute), Raleigh, NC, Poet Laureate for the Wilma Rudolph Annual Celebration, Nashville TN 'Black Caucus', Founder and Co-chair with Mayor Shirley Franklin for the Jason Hollis Haiti Missions 5K Walk Run. Keynote Speaker, vocalist and panelist for countless conferences to include local Woman's Spiritual Network, Friends of Wolfe Creek Retirement Gala for Commissioner William "Bill Edwards", Run-Off Campaign Manager for the first Black Mayor of Douglasville, Ga – Rochelle Robinson, Nationally, featured artist of [www.Cocofab.com](http://www.Cocofab.com) Magazine, International K-Town Germany Featured Poet and Singer sponsored by Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., Delta Scholarship Gala, and Germany Apollo, and special guest of Executive Lynn Rosenthal of National Network to End Domestic Violence Conference, Washington, DC. Beloved's resilience speaks to her self-determined ability to overcome 6 years of habitual childhood sexual abuse, a horrible lisp and bleeding ulcers. Beloved, legally known as Sheryl Dillard embraced her new name after discovering it was the Hebrew meaning of Sheryl. "As child I was often referred to as Ugly, Stupid and Crazy. To know all this time I was Beloved, is mind blowing!"