

## August 2019 My Financial Story

Hello #FierceLifeNation!

It's already the end of August! Where has the summer gone??? I am hopeful that we will be blessed with some warm and sunny days in September and most especially that I can get in at least 1 more beach day!

It has been a good summer.

How has your summer been?

- What fun and relaxing things have you been doing?
- What home projects have you started?
- What books have you read?
- What places have you visited?

Let me know. I'm looking forward to hearing from you!

**My Financial Story** – I am truly passionate about the work that I do because I know from experience how it feels when you are challenged financially. Worry, stress and fear are at the top of the list of feelings. And ongoing financial challenges can impact your relationships.

Many years ago when I was in my late 20s, I worked a fulltime job and I was also working a part-time job. Things were going great financially until I got sick and could not work the part-time job.

Of course, I depended on the part-time job to pay my bills and not having that income made things tight. At the time, I had a car payment and I remember that I missed a payment.

I received a call from the finance company and remember the woman saying to me "well you better get a pair of sneakers". And I said "I don't understand". And she said "you will need those sneakers for walking when we repossess your car". This was before they recorded all calls so I'm sure the collection agencies are not talking to people like this today. But I was dumbfounded and scared that my car would be taken away.

So, I did what I needed to do to catch up on that payment and made sure that I made all future payments on time.

Two things stuck with me from that experience:

#1 - The lack of compassion of the woman from the finance company. Which has made me always treat others with kindness and respect.

#2 - I have to be in control of my money and finances. It made me understand the importance of not spending all that I earn and saving for a rainy day.

That experience has made me even more passionate about helping others. I have been blessed to have participants in my classes, share how they have improved their finances by using what they have learned.

Here's one client testimonial:



What financial goals do you have? I would love for you to join me for *Financial Empowerment Master Class* where we will work together to help you achieve your financial goals. My Financial Empowerment Master Class will begin on Tuesday, September 17th. This is an 8-week online course that I do live each week. Register at: bit.ly/financialempowermentmasterclass

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