

THE GARDEN INITIATIVE FOR
BLACKWOMEN'S
RELIGIOUS ACTIVISM

Beverly Shamana
Research Guide

Religious Activism (Sources that showcase faith and spirituality)

Title: *Seeing in the dark: A vision of creativity and spirituality*¹

Author: Beverly Shamana

Publication: Abingdon Press

Date: 2001

Primary Sources

Title: *Seeing in the dark: A vision of creativity and spirituality*²

Author: Beverly Shamana

Publication: Abingdon Press

Date: 2001

Title: "Letting Go" in *Those Preachin' Women: Sermons by Black Women Preachers*³

Author: Beverly J. Shamana

Publication: *Valley Forge: Judson* pp. 101-105

Date: 1985

Secondary Sources

Title: "Shamana, Beverly, 1939-2021"⁴

Author: Sam Hodges

Publication: *The Christian Century* vol 138(18), p. 19

Date: 2021

Title: "Leadership Lessons from Bishop Beverly J. Shamana"⁵

Author: Larry R. Hygh

Publication: *UM News* (web article)

¹ Shamana, Beverly J. *Seeing in the dark: A vision of creativity and spirituality*. Abingdon Press, 2001.

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Date: August 16, 2021

Title: **"RELIGION / Exploring Issues, Answers and Beliefs; Seeking the Universal in Life; the New Bishop of the United Methodist Church's California-Nevada Conference Plans to Focus on its Primary Mission of Preaching the Gospel and Doing Justice."**⁶

Author: Larry B. Stammer

Publication: *Los Angeles Times* [Home Edition]

Date: July 29, 2000

Title: **"A qualitative leadership study of the four female African American bishops of the United Methodist Church"**⁷

Author: Larry R. Hygh

Publication: *Pepperdine University* Order No. 3315116

Date: 2008

Title: "Methodist Bishop Dismisses Charges Over Gay Marriage: [Final Edition]"⁸

Author: Nelson Daily News

Publication: *Nelson Daily News* [Final Edition]

Date: October 29, 2004

Title: "Beverly Shamana, Pioneering Methodist Bishop, Dies at 81"⁹

Author: Sam Hodges

Publication: *The Christian Century* vol. 138, no 18

Date: September 8, 2021

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<https://www.christiancentury.org/article/people/beverly-shamana-pioneering-methodist-bishop-dies-81>.

Digital Media

Title: “[In Honor of Bishop Beverly Shamana - Ministry Videos](#)”¹⁰

Published by: Memorial United Methodist Church

Media Type: GodTube

Date: 2011

Title: “[Memorial Service for UMC Bishop Beverly J. Shamana on Sept 11, 2021.](#)”¹¹

Published by: First United Methodist Church, Pasadena

Media Type: YouTube

Date: September 11, 2021

Title: “[A Living Witness - February 12th, 2012 FUMC Pasadena](#)”¹²

Published by: First United Methodist Church, Pasadena

Media Type: YouTube

Date: February 12th, 2012

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GodTube, 2011. <https://www.godtube.com/watch/?v=9FC1JFNU>.

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