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Mandisa Performing In Bristol

After selling out numerous stops nationwide on her co-headlining tour this fall, Mandisa will return this spring with her hit song, "Stronger" as she headlines the "Girls Night Live" tour. Viking Hall Civic Center will host one stop on the Grammy nominated artist's tour. Fellow GMA Dove Award nominee "Blessings" songstress Laura Story and Comedian Anita Renfro will join the bill. The show is scheduled for Thursday, May 3, 2012. Tickets for the concert are on sale now.

Mandisa placed in the top ten finalists of American Idol's 5th season. This program has given the nation a look at tremendous talent, some rock, some country and contemporary Christian musicians have come to the forefront even if they weren't the eventual winner, same goes for Mandisa. A young woman from a small town in Tennessee, who said she doesn't ever remember not singing, made an impression on the country.

Bring the special women in your life together for a music filled night that lifts your spirits, connects you on a deeper level, and reminds you that no matter what you are going through, you are not alone!!

For more information on the concert, please contact Angie Rutherford, Viking Hall Box Office Manager @ arutherford@bristoltn.org or call 423-764-0188.

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