

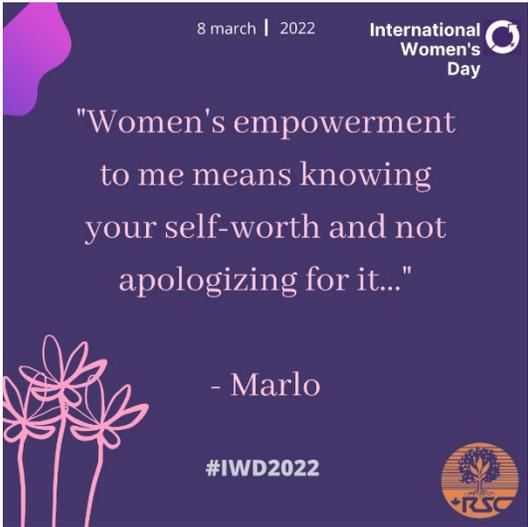


2022 E-Bulletin #3 – March

**Happy International Women's Day!**

Our partners in Haiti and the Dominican Republic are hosting special celebrations today. With dance, song, motivational speakers, shared testimonies, and even a special training about gender-based violence. Go ladies, go!

[Read more](#)



Congratulations to Marlo Beaton, winner of our draw for a beautiful bouquet from [Paulina's Flower Shoppe](#) . Thank you to all of the women who have shared their thoughts about what the **empowerment of women** means to them.

[Click here to watch some of the inspiring video submissions.](#)

*"Women's empowerment to me means that all women, throughout the world and in all forms, are celebrated and embraced for who they are." - Lindsey*

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**An Evening with Myriam J. A. Chancy**  
**REGISTER NOW!**

Join us **Thursday, April 7th at 5:00 PM** as we welcome celebrated Haitian-Canadian-American author Myriam J. A. Chancy. Myriam will share from her latest novel, [What Storm, What Thunder](#), helping us to understand the aftermath of the 2010 Haiti earthquake, and its connection to migration issues in the Dominican Republic and Latin America. Moderated Q&A with the audience to follow Myriam's talk.

*This virtual event is **FREE** and all are welcome.*

[Register Now](#)



### ***Women's Federation Breadfruit Progress!***

What better day than IWD to celebrate the growth of breadfruit saplings in the Haitian Women's Federation's sustainable tree nursery. They are aiming for 1,000 by June, 2022!

Soon, saplings will be mature enough to be distributed throughout the surrounding villages, so that more farmers can grow nutritious breadfruit - and bring it to the Women's processing factory for milling!

We are also excited to announce that we've received a generous grant from our partners at [PWRDF](#) to support the next phase of this ambitious project. Hooray!



### ***It's Podcast Time!***

Did you catch Rayjon's episode in the fabulous Tapestry 2030 podcast series last year? **Get ready for Season 2!**

We are thrilled to be working again in partnership with the [Ontario Council for International Cooperation](#), and development organizations from across Ontario for Season 2, coming in **APRIL!**

Curious who our international guests will be this time? Wonder what incredible project and theme we'll be discussing? Hold on to your seats - we're going to let the anticipation build slowly :)

In the meantime, we encourage you to go back and listen to all of [Season 1!](#) (You'll find us in [Episode 7: Haitian Women in the Lead](#)). We've also re-released that episode, completely in Haitian Creole: [Fanm Ayisyen nan lidèship](#).

(If you don't use Spotify, you can still listen to all episodes [here](#).)

**Thank you. Gracias. Mèsi.**

To our many supporters, we must say again a tremendous thank you. Your talents, time and donations empower Haitian & Dominican leaders making lasting changes in their communities.

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