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Our society doesn't always recognize the needs, hurts, and fears of widowhood or understand that they linger long after the funeral. Glenda Love understands the needs, hurts, and fears of widows because she is a widow. Her own journey empowers her to empathize with the hurting and chronicle the experience for potential church partners and volunteers.

Glenda has traveled the path of grief and understands that although her pain is no longer raw, a widow's loss never leaves her. Her willingness and ability to share her experience equips her with a unique voice to pastors and widows alike and has opened many doors for Stand in the Gap to serve widows. Glenda's passion for this program and her recognition of its potential brought her out of retirement to serve as the Program Director for Stand in the Gap for Widows.

Glenda's previous work experience as the President and CEO of the Ronald McDonald House Charities, Inc. gives her an understanding of work in the non-profit realm and raises her profile in the community, ensuring that her voice will be heard.

Stand in the Gap isn't the only organization to benefit from Glenda's voice. She has served the following organizations as a volunteer, Board member, or consultant:

- Wayman L. Tisdale Foundation
- METCARES Foundation, Inc.
- Metropolitan Tulsa Urban League
- 1st Step Male Diversion Program
- Meals on Wheels
- OSU-Tulsa
- 1921 Race Riot Commission
- Metropolitan Baptist Church

Glenda received her bachelor's degree from Bishop College in Dallas, Texas. She is a member of Leadership Tulsa, Class XXII and Leadership Oklahoma, Class XIX.