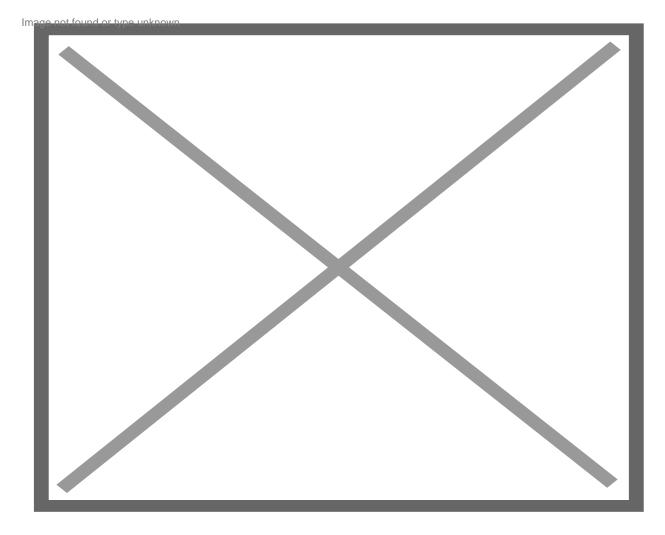
## "Same Difference & Friends 2" Set to Ignite Conversations on Love, Culture, and Community

Virgin Islanders are invited to a two-day event filled with lively panel discussions, Q&A sessions, and cultural experiences, hosted by Jahmalie Douglas

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Jah-malie Douglas, the host of The Same Difference Podcast and A Different Day radio show, is gearing up for what is being promoted as an exciting two-day event, "Same Difference & Friends 2", scheduled for September 27th and 28th.

The event, aimed at sparking thought-provoking discussions and fostering community engagement, will take place at Lounge 55 on the first day and at Levels on the second.

The first night, held on September 27th from 7-9 PM, will feature a live podcast covering topics such as love, sex, dating, and relationships. Mr. Douglas, along with his panelists, will engage the audience in a dynamic Q&A segment, followed by a meet-and-greet. Attendees can look forward to fun and engaging conversations. Panelists for the evening include:

- Mr. Douglas, who goes by the moniker Jah, host of The Same Difference Podcast
- Marcus Norman, host of Gentlemanstyle Podcast
- Dan Moody
- Raven Scott
- DJ Yessai, host of Bush Tea in the Mawning

The second night, on September 28th from 7-9 PM, will feature a multigenerational panel discussing issues that affect Virgin Islanders in what is expected to resemble a town hall setting. This night promises insightful dialogue on topics ranging from education to governance and community challenges. The panelists for this event include:

- Positive Nelson
- Genevieve Whitaker, former Senator
- Diane Prosper, Independent Senatorial Candidate
- Garry Norman, 30-year retired educator
- Sayeeda Carter

Both events will be moderated by co-host Tanisea James. Attendees can also enjoy photo opportunities with moko jumbies and a fire show.

In addition to the panel discussions, the event will feature local vendors offering food, drinks, and various items for sale, including:

- Sahalie Nova Bey
- Blitzed Bitez
- A. Hiroko Eats
- Sweet & Spicy Sensations by Chef Tenisha
- 506 Scents & Co.

Tickets for the event are priced at \$35 for a single day and \$65 for both days, with a special 50% discount available from September 1st to 9th. Tickets can be purchased on Eventbrite <u>here</u>.

This event is expected to bring together Virgin Islanders from all walks of life for an exciting blend of entertainment, culture, and important conversations.

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