Winston-Salem native Alvin “A.C.” Stowe forged a 37-year career in radio that took him across North Carolina and the Southeast. He hosted radio shows at stations in Raleigh, Durham Greensboro, Charlotte and in Mobile, Alabama and Charleston, South Carolina. For WQMG he served as program director and production director.

He worked for nine years as the urban radio promotions manager for Atlantic Records in North and South Carolina; he was a consultant for WGIV in Charlotte; and he developed an iTunes app for the Spirit and Soul internet radio station.

Stowe was active in the community. He was a licensed minister and served at Spencer Memorial Christian Church, Second Calvary Baptist Church and Union Baptist Church. He hosted community events and served as the master of ceremonies for the annual Triad Cultural Arts Juneteenth celebrations. After his premature death in 2012, WQMG posthumously awarded him its Rhythms of Triumph Legacy Award.