

SUSAN GUZZETTA

PROFESSIONAL SPEAKERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS



SUZIE HUMPHREYS **LIVE, LAUGH AND LEARN WITH SUZIE**

Suzie's background is as varied as her audiences... From administrative secretary to Television Talk Show Host, to 20 years in radio. She has hobnobbed with movie stars and politicians interviewed the great and the "near" great. She has made hundreds of commercials, done musical comedy and motion pictures. She has been fired, been broke, been disappointed, been a petrified expectant mother at 40 years old and lived her life with a passion for learning not only how to be better, but to see things differently. She lifts, jolts and nurtures her audiences and they love every minute of it! She makes them laugh until they swear they can't laugh anymore....then she "grabs" them again!

As a motivational and inspirational humorist, Suzie Humphreys got one of the longest "standing ovations" on record from the National Speakers Association when she spoke to 2500 of her peers at their National Convention in Palm Springs, California. In 2002, Suzie was inducted into The Speaker Hall of Fame at their National Convention in Orlando and was awarded "The Council of Peers Award of Excellence. In 2004, she was inducted into the Texas Radio Hall of Fame and, as Suzie says..."All that for a D minus student! You never know do you?"

Suzie is one of the most compelling speakers on the platform today, taking her message from corporations to conventions, hospitals to classrooms; she is at home with people of all ages and all walks of life. The reason men and women relate to her is because she tells the truth about her failures and her arguments with her husband and how she wrestles with her hilarious but "painful" relationship with her 95 year old mother. These stories prove her point that, regardless of what the situation or the problem in the job or the relationship, it is NOT the "problem that's the problem" it is "MY THINKING ABOUT THE PROBLEM." It is "close to the bone stuff" It is everybody's "stuff!!"

She has criss-crossed the country to over 2,000 groups, every kind imaginable. She has stayed in fancy hotels, and "mom and pop" motels. She has spoken to small town Chambers of Commerce and big city founding fathers and her message of truth and plain spoken values rings in the hearts of all communities who are not just trying to "survive" the times but flourish in them. She believes that you can do anything you want to do and enjoy getting there "heartbreak and all!"

When she leaves the stage there remains the unmistakable warmth of having been touched, and the unshakable affirmation that whether ordinary or extraordinary, through good times or bad, caught in mid-frailty or new accomplishment "Life really is the greatest thing ever!"

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TOPICS

I Can Do That!

Suzie has a way with laughter, poignant stories and jump-start inspiration, of confirming that fear doesn't have to be the motivating force that stops us from living life to it's fullest. We say we will "one day!" One Day comes and goes and we are left regretting that it was not life that passed us by at all but rather our decision to LIVE IT! This is about saying "yes" instead of "no"...about not telling ourselves "we can't," "it's too hard," "I'll never be able to"...This presentation is perfect for corporate, education or anyone who needs a lift up not from outside, but from within.

Life is What Happens to You While You're Making Other Plans

Take a roller coaster ride through Suzie's failures at breakneck speed and discover at the end of the ride that those same failures turned out to be the "very best things that ever happened to her." This is her most requested topic and is for anyone who is going through depression, cancer treatments, divorce, job change or demand...anything that forces us to grow. Hilarious, moving and unforgettable.

Listen for the Laughter!

Finding the humor in the midst of desperation, anger or fear is not an easy task. Sometimes, however, we are able to see it years later...inlooking back. How wonderful to see it during the "chaos." As always, Suzie's stories are probably yours, just told in a different voice!

Please Pick Up After Yourself, Your Mother Doesn't Work Here!

We all have those people in our lives. The ones who are in our face and know how to push our buttons. It does, after all, boil down to relationships! Suzie shares the most significant of hers and frankly and humorously tells how she learned to focus on what is right about others. If you're willing to change your thinking...this is the presentation.

Suzie? Where is Your Faith?

This one hits close to home. It centers around her twelve year old son who went to bed happy and well adjusted and woke up at thirteen possessed! For the next five years, she and her husband couldn't get him to do it the way they wanted him to do it. This is about letting go and learning to quit trying to control everything and everybody in our path. Suzie's strong faith is the constant in her very busy life. She shares how she invites God into everything. He is not just "an occasional" companion when you need Him...but an ever present source of strength and joy and humor and courage when you're called upon to be more than you ever thought you could be!

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CLIENT LIST

CORPORATIONS

Alcon Laboratories
American Airlines
AT&T
Bell Helicopter
Brinker International
Cargill Ag. Horizons
Cessna/Boeing Mgmt Association
Cingular
Corning
Electronic Data Systems
First Premier Bank
Grandy's
Gromark
IBM
Johnson&Johnson
Lockheed Martin
MIT Financial
Pepsico
Southwest Airlines
Sonic
Toyota
Washington Mutual/State of the Group
Wyeth Laboratories
Wal-Mart

EDUCATION

Kansas School Business Officials
Kentucky School Board
National Association of School Business Officials
National Association of School Superintendents
New Jersey School Business Officials
Southern Methodist University
Texas Association of Secondary School Principals
Texas Christian University

GOVERNMENT

Bureau of Surface Mines
Central Intelligence Agency, Langley, VA
Department of Defense
Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC
National Association of Military Comptrollers

HEALTH CARE

American Heart Association
American Cancer Society
Baylor Health Care Systems
Blue Cross Blue Shield, New York,
New Jersey, South Carolina, Oklahoma
Liberty Mutual Insurance Companies

Life Care Centers of America
M.D. Anderson Cancer Center
Mississippi Nurses Association
Presbyterian Health Care
Sierra Heart Institute
State Farm Insurance
Susan G. Koman Executive Directors
Texas Council on Family Violence
Texas Nurses Association
V.A. Medical Centers, Chief Nurses

EDUCATION

Kansas School Business Officials
Kentucky School Board
National Association of School Business Officials
National Association of School Superintendents
New Jersey School Business Officials
Southern Methodist University
Texas Association of Secondary School Principals
Texas Christian University

NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

American Heart Association
American Management Association
American Public Transportation Association
Century 21
Crown Council Dental Council
Coldwell Banker
Kiwanis International
Executive Women International
Financial Women International
M.A.D.D.
Merry Maids
National Automobile Dealers Association
National Association of Mutual
Insurance Companies
National Association of Professional
Mortgage Women
National Association of Realtors
National Home Builders Association
National Purchasing Association
National Speakers Association
Physicians Mutual
Sally Beauty Supply
Sonic Corporation
Stampin' Up National Leadership Convention

REAL ESTATE

Alan Tate Realtors
Americorp Relocation Company, Dallas

Century 21
Ebbly Halliday Realtors, Dallas
Edward Surovell Realtors
Harry Norman Realtors
Patterson & Schwartz Realtors, New Hampshire
ReMax, Florida

The above list is a sample representation of
Suzie's broad base of clientele.

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TESTIMONIALS

"You never fail to take an audience by storm-one of those terrific electrical storms that keep people on the edge of their seat. Your lightning-fast wit and the thunderous response to it give even Mother Nature Pause.."

S. Scott MacDonald, Ph.D.
President and CEO
The SW Graduate School of Banking
Assemblies for Bank Directors

"I just wanted to let you know how much I enjoyed and benefited from your presentation to our Lands Congerence in San Diego on June 26. I have never left a presentation feeling so good and knowing that I could take on the world. I have heard many different motivational speakers and presentations over my thirty-five years with the Bureau of Reclamation, but none gave me the boost that you and yours did. The philosophy of "I can do it" fits me to a tee, and you reminded me to never give up on it."

John W. Keys, III
Commissioner
United States Environmental Protection Agency

"Based upon my observations and the feedback we have received from APTA members, your address during the Speaker Breakfast sponsored by APTA was the highlight of the week's activities. Although we are several weeks beyond the meeting in Las Vegas, we continue to receive inquiries from our members regarding your presentation and how best to contact you for future opportunities. So, we expect that you will continue to be extremely busy sharing your message of "I Can Do Taht" for many years to come."

Pamela L. Boswell
Vice President Program Management
American Public Transportation Association

"Thank you once again for delivering your powerful and humorous presentation "I Can DO That!" at GROW-MARK's Board Presidents Seminar. This makes three-out-of-three times that you have been our top-rated presenter. Our Board President said you were the best wrap-up speaker he has ever heard."

Bill Bartley
Education & Development
GROWMARK