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Colleen Kettenhofen

Travels from: Texas

Fee Range: \$2,500 - \$5,000

Colleen Kettenhofen has an in-the-trenches perspective on overcoming adversity and bouncing back higher. Her message goes beyond resilience; it's about using pain to propel progress - a key theme in her speaking and writing career.

This award-winning speaker, author, frequent media guest and devoted animal lover has presented keynotes and seminars before thousands in 48 U.S. states and 5 foreign countries. As a workplace expert, Colleen Kettenhofen has conducted more than 1,100 dynamic programs on leadership, dealing with difficult people, presentation skills and change/stress management.

A former award-winning salesperson, she was honored as the "number one sales producer in the history of the company both in the United States and Canada" out of almost 200 sales representatives for a major Fortune 500 company. Shortly after, she faced her biggest battle - overcoming colon cancer, which was diagnosed just one month following her 31st birthday, and five years almost to the day after her mother passed away.

Over the years, Colleen has experienced the loss of loved ones, the responsibility of caring for her physically disabled and mentally challenged only sibling, the demands of divorce, myriad challenges starting her own company and dealing with her father's bone marrow cancer. Known as "The Boss Whisperer," she not only talks about overcoming adversity; she's lived it and has earned her other title, "Queen of From Trouble to Turnaround."

A one-of-a-kind speaker, Colleen says, "Everyone experiences adversity. We just receive it in different recipes. A lot of people hit the ground running, or they just hit the ground. And the difference lies in how we bounce back. Become mission-centered, not self-centered. It's beyond resilience - it's about using your pain to propel you forward!"

Keynote Programs...

- Bounce Higher! How to Overcome Adversity When You Don't Have a Choice
- Achieving Personal and Professional Success: Renew, Refuel, Recharge!
- Celebrating Life and Strength as a Cancer Survivor Among Friends and Family

Concurrent Sessions...

- 7 Magic Wands for Making Difficult People Disappear!
- Bounce Higher Presentations: Skills That Hit a Home Run with Even the Toughest Audience!
- How to Tune Up Your Team to Do Anything!! (No Matter What)