



“We need to encourage an understanding that inner peace comes from relying on human values like love, compassion, tolerance and honesty, and that peace in the world relies on individuals finding inner peace.”

—His Holiness, the Dalai Lama, from the foreword to *The Only Little Prayer You Need*

Debra Landwehr Engle

International Speaker and Author

Fearless Leaders, Fearless Teams

Wisdom. Insight. Strategies that bring people together, support their best work and help them live a fearless life.

That’s what Debra Engle brings to every presentation, workshop, breakout session and retreat. Through her unique background in publishing, communications and spirituality,

she speaks to people exactly where they are. Her presentations are inspiring, but also eminently practical.

“Fearless leaders understand how fear-based thinking keeps their team and organization stuck—and they forge a different path.”

—Debra Engle

Her message of fearlessness, based on *The Only Little Prayer You Need*, her bestselling book about fear-based thinking, provides the foundation for

transformation. She has helped thousands of individuals and organizations worldwide move past their obstacles and stumbling blocks to live, work and create more fully and vibrantly.

- Founder of GoldenTree Communications publishing company
- Former project manager and communications consultant for Fortune 500 companies and top colleges and universities
- Author of *The Only Little Prayer You Need*, featuring a foreword by the Dalai Lama
- Author of *Grace from the Garden: Changing the World One Garden at a Time*, as seen in *Oprah* magazine
- Author of *Let Your Spirit Guides Speak*
- Former Creative Manager for The Des Moines Register and Associate Editor for *Better Homes and Gardens* books
- Co-founder of Tending Your Inner Garden®, a program of spiritual and personal growth for women featured in *TIME* magazine
- Contributor to *The Art of Living: A Practical Guide to Being Alive*, along with Deepak Chopra, Mikhail Gorbachev, the Dalai Lama and others

Most-Requested Presentations and Workshops

Awakening the Fearless Leader Within

Do you lead with fear or with presence? Does your workplace resemble a battlefield, or do you rise above it? Do you listen to your team and clients, or do expectations get in your way? We'll identify the five essential characteristics of fearless leaders, bust the most common myths about fear-based leadership, and show how a strategy of mindfulness rather than fear drives success in real-life situations—even with the most pervasive workplace issues. *Offered as a 45- to 90-minute keynote or breakout session.*

5 Hallmarks of Fearless Teams

How do you create teams that are motivated to do good work—with fewer conflicts and personality issues getting in the way? By creating a culture based on a new definition of fearlessness. Through this presentation, you'll understand the five core characteristics of fearless teams and how to create them, improving bottom line results, better client relationships and job satisfaction at the same time. *Offered as a 45- to 90-minute keynote or two-hour workshop.*

The Powerful Business of Listening

Despite all the words that are exchanged every day, little listening actually takes place. How can listening boost your bottom line? How can it set you apart from your competitors? How can it foster a more productive workplace? We'll look at the five techniques of listening that will change your workplace culture instantly, and how they can help drive success. *Offered as a 45- to 90-minute keynote or a two-hour workshop or breakout session.*

Visit debenglespeaks.com for additional topics, or ask about presentations customized to your needs.

Deb has been interviewed by and appeared in...

Chicago Tribune



TIME



Better Homes and Gardens



Woman's Day



The Des Moines Register



Debra is both a great teacher and an amazing speaker, and her presentation style is flawless! We were mesmerized by her ability to touch each one of us with her life story and the valuable lessons she has learned as a result of her experiences. Everyone walked away with a very special gift that night. I look forward to having her speak to us again.

—Beverly A. Stone, Facilitator, *The Common Thread*

Debra, thank you for taking the time to speak with our IAAP group this past Saturday. I so enjoyed your presentation, walked away with nuggets of wisdom, and look forward to purchasing your book. You live what you speak, and that is truly refreshing.

—Peggy Ethridge, *International Association of Administrative Professionals*

I wish to express our appreciation for your recent educational presentation. It was very informative, effective, and enjoyed by the participants. As you can see, the evaluations were very positive!

—Jessica Rold, *Administrative Services Assistant, Myrtue Medical Center*

Thank you again for helping out our organization. The members adored you, and I had so very many positive comments on your presentation. I heard several people say that yours was the best presentation we've had all year. I am just thrilled that many people not only purchased your books, but those same people will be able to read your words of wisdom. Your words will resonate for years to come!

—Shirley Corkhill, *Des Moines Area Retired School Personnel Association*

FAQs

1. How long are Deb's presentations?

Deb will work with you to fit your time parameters. For your planning purposes, her keynotes typically run from 45-90 minutes, half-day sessions 3-3.5 hours and breakout sessions 1-2 hours, but they will be tailored to your event and time.

2. What are Deb's AV and staging requirements?



- Lectern for presentation/table (four feet or longer) for workshop
- Data projector (DLP or LCD)
- Screen
- Standard rolling AV cart (42" high) unless suspended or rear projection is provided
- Wireless lapel microphone
- AC power to AV cart and data projector
- Computer to projector connecting cable
- Table (four feet or longer) for books, if book signing is part of the event
- Person to help with book sales

3. What are Deb's speaking fees?

Please email kris@debraengle.com for a quote. A 50% deposit is required to secure booking dates.

4. How does Deb handle expenses?

Deb travels from Des Moines, IA, and will include a flat travel payment (mileage or air fare, plus meals and ground transportation) in your quote. Hotel room expense to be determined based on location and event.

5. What about Deb's biography and introduction?

Deb will bring (and e-mail) an introduction customized for your presentation. Visit debenglespeaks.com/faqs/ for a sample introduction and bio.

6. What about publicity photos?

A variety of photos can be downloaded at debenglespeaks.com/faqs/. If these don't fit your needs, just advise and we will either e-mail or mail suitable photos.

7. Do you have a demo video?

Yes. Feel free to download the demos at debenglespeaks.com/videos-media/.

8. What about client references and testimonials?

For additional testimonials and references, e-mail us at kris@debraengle.com and we will respond right away.



"I've just finished reading your wonderful book and given it to Prince Charles to read. We have many parallels to your stories and work in partnership with the Federation of City Farms and Gardens in the UK. We need such a book as yours written in this country! Thank you for putting all those wonderful stories into words."

— Gareth Gaunt Chairman, National Care Farming Initiative, UK



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