

HONORS, AWARDS, PRESENTATIONS (UPDATED: JUNE 2011)

2011-Selected as featured teacher for Higher Education Channel (HEC) special
2011 Honored for 200th television program, hosting *The Outreach Connection*, WTJR-TV.
2010-Selected as weekly Featured Columnist for St. Louis newspaper
2010-Foundation Wall of Fame Scholarship Member: Grant Presenter
2010-Published in *Thanks, Dad!* Father's Day release tribute.
2009 Honored for 100th television program, hosting *The Outreach Connection*, WTJR-TV.
2009 Published and co-authored new book *The Master's Hand*
2009 Selected to present for International Federation of Speakers, Capetown, South Africa
2009 Selected as presenter (with interpreter in Cuzco, Peru).
2009-Featured on international television program, *SPOTLIGHT*.
2008 Published in new book *The Power of Words*
2008 Honored as one of three most influential teachers of Lindbergh's 50 year history
2008 Selected to Emcee Global Day of Prayer at Busch Stadium, St. Louis
2007 Senate recognition for community and education: Senator Claire McCaskill
2007 Host of new weekly television program on WTJR-TV: *The Outreach Connection*
2007 Finalist for A&E special, *The Pulpit Masters*.
2007 Published in *Celebrating Mothers and Daughters*; Featured in St. Louis Post Dispatch
2006 Inducted into Midwest Education Hall of Fame
2006 Selected for Board of Directors for National Speakers Association
2006 Selected as Presenter for the Midwest Regional Emmy Awards
2006 Published by Bethany House: *The Embrace of a Father*
2005 Featured on local Fox KTVI-TV, NBC, tenth year of hosting talk show on KJSL Radio, 3-6 PM Monday-Friday
2005 Story published in *Chicken Soup for the Grandma's Soul*
2005 Television pilot for *God Allows U-Turns*
2005 Selected as presenter for the National Federation of Press Women's Conference, "Getting Published"
2005 Featured on TCT Television internationally in 170 countries
2004 Interviewed with interpreter in El Salvador on TBN Television, reaching 25 countries
2004 Ten Year Service Award as adjunct professor at Webster University
2004 Monthly columnist for St. Louis newspaper
2004 Biography published in anthology: *Women Serving Women*.
2003 Featured on national television program, *On Main Street*
2003 Personal story published in *Living Your Dreams*
2002 First Place Winner, National Federation of Press Women Communication Contest
2002 Published in *Chicken Soup for the Teacher's Soul*
2001 Authored and published full length book - *It's Your Turn Now!*
2001 Presentations in Europe, South Africa, Greece, South America and Australia (school & radio)
2001 Keynote speaker at the Crystal Cathedral International Women's Conference
2001 National Speakers Association 1st Place Regional Showcase Winner
2001 Published in *God Allows U-Turns*
2000 Outstanding Alumni Award, Webster University
2000 Selected as Presenter for the Regional Emmy Awards
2000 International Who's Who of Professional Management
2000 AT&T Cable Network Weekly Television Talk Show Host
2000 Featured by Bob Costas with Cardinal Baseball Hall of Fame
2000 Resolution of Honor by State of Missouri House of Representatives
1999 Inducted into National Teachers Hall of Fame
1999 Senate recommendation for Governor's School Violence Task Force
1999 Founder and President of Salt and Light Ministry
1999 Proclamation given by U.S. Secretary of Education, Richard Riley
1999 Recognition by St. Louis School Partnership (Cooperative Integration Program for Race Relations)
1999 Trainer for Lee Canter & Associates, 10 years: Succeeding with Difficult Students, Discipline, Violence Prevention
Other Past Honors: Selected to interview Presidential candidates and wives, International Who's Who in Education, Board of Directors for Regional Arts Council, Missouri State Technology Award, St. Louis Hometown Hero Award,

Published Action Research through Washington University, World of Difference Award recipient, co sponsored by B'nai B'rith, National Community Relations Award of Honor, KMOV-TV, Education Award, Citicorp Grant Recipient, Featured Teacher of the Year on KMOX radio.