

TERESA BEHENNA

Keynote Speaker * Entertainer * Emcee * Author * Recording Artist



Do you need an uplifting CHANGE at your next event?

No more snooze fests!

Wake 'em up with a speaker that's fresh, funny & unforgettable!

Australian born Theresa Behenna is an award winning speaker, internationally acclaimed piano entertainer and totally unrelated to Olivia Newton John. Describing herself as "young, fearless and a diva wannabe" Theresa left her native homeland to pursue a musical career that began on a cruise ship and resulted in touring the world on a piano bench encountering celebrities such as **Andrew Lloyd Webber, Matt Lauer, Elton John, 'James Bond' and Andrea Bocelli.**

A former bank clerk, waitress, actress, secretary and TV talk show host, Theresa moved to the United States as a small business owner and began combining popular songs with Aussie humor, original stories and a motivational message that launched her into the speaking industry. In 2006 her extraordinary career was highlighted when **Coca Cola hired her to perform at the Winter Olympics in Italy.** Theresa's entertaining keynotes have been in demand to kickoff and close conferences due to the unique fact she plays the piano to emphasize relevant points resulting in

universal appeal that energizes and uplifts audiences. Her extensive international experience, timely message, humorous speaking style and outstanding musical talent connects her to diverse cultures and all generations in today's global society.

Theresa is a professional member of the National Speakers Association where she won the John Wolfe Award for speaking excellence by her Houston peers in 2007. She is a founding member of the Australian-American Chamber of Commerce and former President of the Piano Entertainers Guild. She is a contributing author to the anthology "Rekindling the Human Spirit." Her top selling piano CD "Songs for Friends" was recorded in 2001 with her second album soon to be released.

HOT TOPIC ON CHANGE!

Other topics: Communications, Motivation, Entertainment

"Fun, energetic and inspiring! Our group really appreciated the CHANGE of pace and unique style you brought us and your customization resulted in a program that rang true with our employees. Your use of music and humor delivered the effective meeting we were looking for and significantly increased the impact of the message! Personally I want to thank you for making my task as meeting planner an easy one with your professionalism, positive attitude and attention to detail." – ExxonMobil



WHERE TO USE THERESA:
Anywhere your event needs energizing!

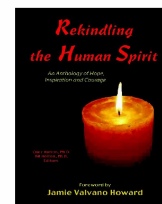
Kickoff/Close conferences

Women's Groups

After Dinner

Awards

Emcee



"Awesome! You were truly OUTSTANDING in connecting to and unifying our diverse audience of men and women of all ages – from college students to retirees. We've had many kickoff speakers in the 22 year history of our symposium but you ranked as being one of the MOST MEMORABLE and entertaining! You brought tears to some eyes, hope of reaching goals to many and laughter to everyone."

- American Business Women's Association

THERESA'S COOLEST KEYNOTE

CHANGE YOUR TUNE, CHANGE YOUR LIFE!

The Upside of Change in a Downsized Economy: Learning to Rock 'n' Roll with Life's Twists 'n' Turns

Within minutes audiences are laughing out loud, clapping along to live music and listening spellbound to original stories as they gain hope for the future, encouragement to pursue goals and inspiration about new possibilities within changing times. Combining amazing musical talent, high energy, masterful motivation and delightful Aussie humor Theresa helps people view Change as a great opportunity for higher levels of success. She shares life changing lessons that began with being laid off from her office job to a piano bench that took her from playing in a honky-tonk pub in Australia, to twelve countries around the world, to performing at the Winter Olympics in Italy. Morale is boosted and stress is eliminated as attendees experience the dynamic power of music that positively influences mood and behavior. Minds are opened to provoke new thought in discovering how tough times can be a catalyst for more success, the significance of words to achieve goals, the benefits of moving through fear and failure, the power of persistence, the danger in resisting Change and the fundamental value of acceptance in today's global society. Theresa customizes to fit your needs and writes a song specifically about your group.

Audiences leave uplifted, energized, inspired to take on new challenges and REALLY glad they attended!



Outstanding! Theresa far exceeded our goals and expectations! She was relevant to our group with her customization yet inspiring and entertaining at the same time. Great message!

Associated Builders & Contractors

I specifically enjoyed the way Theresa mingled the music with her message. That was GREAT for capturing and keeping audience attention! She was also extremely professional and responsive as we planned our event.

Houston Society of Association Executives

You were a delight and an inspiration to all...thanks for the laughs!

Primeway Federal Credit Union



Thanks for making us look really good in selecting such a dynamic speaker!

Womens Council Realtors

You were amazing!...Great kickoff speaker... Enjoyed every minute of your fabulous presentation!...High energy, great music, fun humor, relevant message for us!

Attendees at international Romance Writers of America conference

CONTACT:

**BARBER & ASSOCIATES
(865) 546 -0000**

I never expected to find a keynote speaker that received a STANDING OVATION at our annual meeting! Your message positively changed our communications at work due to your custom approach that made it relevant to our diverse group. **MetroNational Corp.**

It's been a long time that our meeting ended with such a jovial attitude by all! **Hospitality Sales & Marketing Association**

What an inspiration! **Texas Health Choice**