

WLI Graduates Change Lives

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Circle of Hope Team
Schedule Your Circle of Hope
Presentation



There is nothing as inspiring as a woman sharing how she built up the courage to leave an abusive relationship and start her life over with nothing more than the clothes on her back. When we hear a story like this we know that we can do more in our own lives.

Our graduates have spoken to small and large audiences at organizations, homeless shelters, schools and even at a prison. They have touched hearts and inspired women and families to live healthy abuse-free lives. They have also appeared on TV, radio, and in newspaper articles as leaders with strong clear voices.

To help you build your Circle of Hope, Dana Bristol-Smith and a program graduate will come live or via video to your event. There will be a 30-45 minute informal presentation to share the Women's Leadership story and how together we can empower more women right here in San Diego.

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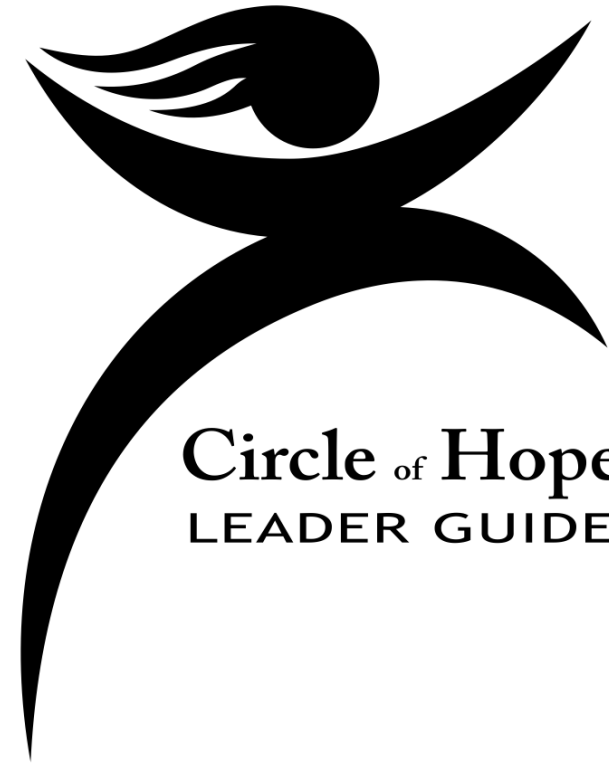
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Our Mission

To empower women who have overcome adversity to reach their full potential

What We Do

We help women rebuild their self-confidence, self-esteem, and their direction in life. Working with women who have experienced domestic abuse, addiction, and even incarceration – we believe that every woman deserves a second chance to create a successful future.

Our year-long professional development program gives women the tools, support, and confidence to:

- Identify and pursue personal and career goals
- Develop public speaking skills and confidence
- Use assertive communication to get their needs met
- Manage stress and take care of themselves emotionally, spiritually, and physically
- Learn their own personal style and colors for success
- Educate and empower others via graduate outreach programs
- Become inspiring role models for their families

Our long-term goal is to take this program nationwide to empower women across the country to reach their potential.

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The YWCA of San Diego County is our fiscal sponsor. We are funded by donations from **generous individuals just like you who want to make a difference and grants and in-kind donations from Sempra Energy and National University.**



What is a Circle of Hope?

It is a gathering of your close friends, family, and colleagues, who want to give a gift of meaning and significance that will change a woman's life. Part of the Circle of Hope is a financial gift. Your team's \$2,500 donation sponsors a woman through our year-long program.



2008 Graduates & Instructors

A Circle of Hope is much more than money. It is your love, your legacy, and your empowerment. It is hope for the future to help a woman and her family, change their lives forever.

As a Circle of Hope Leader you are our partner and are invited to be acknowledged at our kick-off class. Bring your Circle of Hope team to hear first-hand about the breakthroughs and successes that you have helped create for our women at their graduation.

This is how Ruth describes her Women's Leadership experience:

"A Shattered Vase. I gave the pieces to God; He promised to put me back together better than before. Thank you God; and Mom for giving me God; and Speak for Success for being my Super Glue."

By leading a Circle of Hope you will make a difference. You will change a woman and her family's future and help her find hope, find herself, and create a brand new life.

Thank you for becoming our partner in helping empower women right here in San Diego!