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ENCOURAGING WOMEN IN THEIR FAITH THROUGH EVERY SEASON OF LIFE



Bio

Krista is an empty-nester mom of four who experienced an unexpected season that intersected with midlife and changed the trajectory of her life. For this reason, she is passionate about encouraging and equipping women to navigate the ever-changing seasons of life. Krista is an award-winning author, speaker, preacher, and Bible teacher with 15+ years of experience leading women's ministry. Krista currently helps lead the women's ministry at her local church in San Diego, CA. Krista has a B.A. in Biblical Studies from Southern California Seminary. She believes truth and transparency transform lives. Therefore, she ministers with the leading of the Holy Spirit, Biblical truth, and the power of testimony.

SPEAKING TOPICS FOR WOMEN

- Navigating Unexpected Seasons
- Living Out Your Calling Season by Season
- The Power Of Your Story
- 5 Clarifying Questions Every Season
- 7 Benefits of Cultivating A Lifestyle of Prayer
- Krista can customize a topic for your event



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Navigating Unexpected Seasons

Change is an inevitable part of life. But when unexpected adverse seasons of change happens to us, whether divorce, death, troubles within our marriage or with our children, or a health or financial crisis, it can sift our hope and make us apprehensive about our future. If a woman cannot move on from her past disappointments, she may never experience the fullness of God's plan for her future. In Krista's talk, she helps women see that when things don't happen as we hoped, God can make everything, even the hard, hurtful things, work together for our good when we bravely move forward, embrace our next season, and trust God to finish writing our stories.

Living Out Your Calling Season by Season

In the world, our callings are our vocation, but in Christ, our calling is an inclusive invitation from God to fulfill our purpose to have a relationship with Him, become who He called us to be, do the good works He created us to do, and live the life He planned for us. The works we can and do change as seasons change, but our callings remain the same. People who don't understand their God-given calling often find their identity in their work and may lose their sense of purpose and identity when their assignment changes. In this talk, Krista helps women understand the fullness of their calling from a biblical perspective and examines how God calls us to live it out season by season.

The Power Of Your Story

What story are you telling yourself about your past, present, and future? Is it filled with regret, apprehension, and hopelessness, or is it filled with forgiveness, peace, and faith? The stories we tell ourselves about ourselves and how we see ourselves, whether through our ever-changing circumstances or God's unchanging word, profoundly influence how we show up for life. In this message, Krista identifies how the enemy's lies creep into our stories and change the way we see ourselves and helps women replace lies with the truth of God's word so they can see themselves through the lens of God's grace and glory and change the stories they are telling themselves.

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5 Clarifying Questions For Every Season

God's plan is not always evident when we enter a new season. Asking the right questions brings clarity and helps us see things from God's perspective. In this message, Krista shares five questions applicable to any season to help women clarify what God is calling them to do and recognize the beauty, blessings, purpose, and lessons God plants in each season of our lives.

7 Benefits of Cultivating A Lifestyle of Prayer

Cultivating a lifestyle of prayer means actively seeking the Lord not just in times of need but every day and every moment. Prayer is the essential fuel for our daily lives, providing a constant connection with our Heavenly Father. Throughout the Gospels, we witness the priority Jesus placed on prayer. From this habit, Jesus was empowered and equipped to do the Father's will. Likewise, cultivating a lifestyle of prayer empowers and equips us to live out our callings each day and in every season. In this message, Krista shares the importance of cultivating a lifestyle of prayer, Biblical insights on prioritizing prayer, and seven benefits it brings to our lives.

SPEAKING CREDITS

OPEN DOOR MINISTRY EVENT 2020, 2023, 2024 ROCK CHURCH WOMEN'S MINISTRY 2017, 2022, 2023, 2024 CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S ENTREPRENEURS NETWORK RETREAT 2017, 2023 LIVING SABBATH VIRTUAL RETREAT 2022 ENTRUSTED WOMEN CONFERENCE 2019, 2020 CALLED WOMEN'S CONFERENCE 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021

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