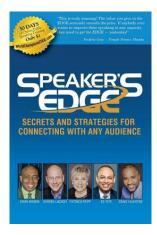


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Internationally acclaimed speaker, executive speech coach, consultant and co-author of the book,

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MARK BROWN: BIOGRAPHY

Mark Brown is an expert at helping people overcome their fears to reach their maximum potential. He focuses on helping humans EXCEL in the areas of Performance, Leadership, Communication, and Life.

Originally from Kingston, Jamaica, Mark migrated to the United States at 18 with only \$40 in his pocket and a dream for a better life. Today he is one of the most popular inspirational speakers in the world.

In 1995, Mark defeated more than 20,000 contestants from 14 countries to win the illustrious Toastmasters International World Championship of Public Speaking. Since then, he has delivered more than 3,500 presentations to more than 1.7 million people, on five continents.

A passionate, powerful presenter, Mark has earned the Certified Speaking Professional (CSP) designation from the National Speaker Association. He uses a unique combination of humor and poignancy to reach the most diverse audiences, continually inspiring people from all walks of life. When organizations need empowerment to excel, they call on Mark Brown.



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He has been featured in the *New York Times*, *Men's Health*, on CNN Headline News, and had his own PBS Special, 'Words Count – with Mark Brown', which was nominated for an Emmy Award.

A frequent keynote speaker at Toastmasters International Conferences worldwide, Mark also serves as the Convention Announcer/Voice of God at the Toastmasters International Convention each year. He has shared his insights across a wide variety of industries, to major corporations including: Sprint, Sheraton, Principal Financial Group, Prudential, The South African Reserve Bank, Trane, and Cathay Pacific Airways. Additionally, Mark has been a guest lecturer at premier academic institutions such as Penn State University, Xavier University and The University of Florida.

He and Andrea, his wife of more than 35 years, are parents of three adult offspring, and they enjoy their 'empty nesting' experience at their home in Lizella, Georgia, USA.