

Kathy Peel Bio



Kathy Peel is the award-winning author of 21 books which have sold over 2 million copies. Titles include *Desperate Households*, *Be Your Best*, and *The Busy Mom's Guide to a Happy, Organized Home*, winner of the Mom's Choice Award for Best Family and Parenting Reference Guide.

She is founder and CEO of Family Manager® Coaching and Family Manager® University, an online training center for coaching certification. To date, over 400 women have been trained and certified as Family Manager® Coaches.

A popular media guest, Peel has made repeat appearances on *Oprah*, *The Early Show*, *Today*, CNN, MSNBC, WGN, HGTV, Fine Living Network, Discovery Channel, and Focus on the Family.

She has served as spokesperson for national brands such as General Mills, Dell, Hallmark, Rite Aid, ServiceMaster, Siemens, Tropicana, Kodak, P&G, Orville Redenbacher, Hormel, Clorox, GlaxcoSmithKline, Maytag, National Carpet & Rug Institute and many others.

Peel's articles and interviews have appeared in numerous publications, including *Real Simple*, *All You*, *Family Circle*, *Ladies Home Journal*, *Women's Day*, *Reader's Digest*, *Parenting*, *Women's World*, *Cooking Light*, *First for Women*, *Health*, *American Baby*, *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *USA Today* and others.

A dynamic, gifted communicator, Peel is a popular speaker at conventions, corporate and civic events, and churches. Examples of speaking venues include:

- FedEx Kinkos
- Ernst & Young
- DFW International Airport
- Stream Realty
- Baylor Healthcare System
- St. Luke's Hospital
- La Porte Hospital
- Associated General Contractors
- U.S. Army
- Young Presidents' Organization
- Pennsylvania Governor's Conference for Women
- Everywoman Expo-Cleveland
- ABC's Channel 8 Town Hall
- University of Tennessee
- University of North Texas
- Mississippi College
- Academy of Family Physicians
- BlogHer Convention
- Dallas Seminary
- Mt. Olivet College
- Christian Medical Association
- Texas Women in Banking
- Tyler Rose Festival
- Signature Bank, Dallas
- Plano Women's Expo
- MOPs International Convention
- Junior Leagues across the country
- The Shelton School
- Home Shopping Network
- Horizon Bay
- Women in Medicine and Dentistry
- Texas Governor's Conference for Women
- Talitha Koum Institute
- Kappa Alpha Theta
- Henderson Women's Forum
- First Baptist Church, Dallas
- Holy Communion Church, Memphis
- Crosswinds Church, Dublin, CA
- First Presbyterian Church, Bakersfield, CA
- Victory Tabernacle Church, Middletown, CT
- Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Dallas
- First Church of Christ, Burlington, KY
- Urban Alternatives Pastors' Wives Conference

Peel earned her B.A. from Southern Methodist University, with graduate studies at The University of Texas. She and her husband Bill have three grown sons and four grandchildren. She travels from Dallas.