

Bill Halbert PhD

Professional Speaker, Humorist, Trainer and Consultant



"Bill doesn't just speak to us, he engages us, he knows us and he reaches us. He has the ability to make each member of the audience feel as if they were close friends and therefore, let down their defenses so that change can occur. That is a remarkable talent but equally impressive is his complete command of the subject matter and the science of learning. His wit, humor and positive outlook are contagious and entertaining. He has the ability to make every interaction fun and at the same time meaningful. Dr. Bill Halbert is highly recommended as a speaker, trainer, consultant or coach."

Mary Williams, MBA

Director of Operations, The Campbell Group

TOPICS

PULLING YOUR OWN STRINGS

Do you want to get ahead? It takes personal preparation to market yourself for success. You will learn approaches for revealing the hidden powers within yourself that guide you to developing a plan for a more positive attitude. You will examine a logical psychology of discovering your talents and identifying which ones will help you build respect for yourself and others.

HOW TO TAKE YOURSELF LESS SERIOUSLY

This presentation is for people who are tired of "searching for excellence" who are ready embrace mediocrity. This humorous satire about the demands of fast-paced living gives individuals a chance to laugh at their own challenges. Sit back and listen to the wisdom of, "I feel much better now that I've given up all hope" and other funny lighthearted tales.

VEXED! A BUSINESS PARABLE

For business people who are pressed on all sides by demands to generate profits and manage multiple relationships, work can be a challenge. This presentation uses a parable as the framework for discussing the roles profits and people play in business success. Identifying with characters in the parable leads individuals to understand the equal importance of good business communication to both profits and people.

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Relationship Management Expert

BIOGRAPHY

Dr. Bill Halbert is a consummate expert in relationship management and leadership development. He asserts that companies fail or succeed based on either good or bad relationships. His book – *Relationship Management: 52 Leadership Ideas That Work* – explains his views in depth on this vital subject for business professionals.

Bill Halbert is a noted educator, speaker and business consultant leading The Halbert Company, based in Nashville, Tennessee. His services include an in-depth executive development program, individual seminars, practical workshops, in-service and keynote presentations. Halbert's background and experience in training, formal education, and management positions him as a leader in the learning organization. He is an energetic speaker and teacher of management methods and provokes an esprit de corps that motivates audiences of all cultures.

Dr. Halbert has a nearly 40-year background in education and management training. Prior to founding The Halbert Company, he worked as vice president of Training with The Management Research Group Inc. and as vice president of Curriculum and Design at The Center for Occupational Research and Development. He has led and directed training programs for Fred Pryor Seminars, National Seminars Association and the Baptist Sunday School Board in Nashville.

Bill has earned four degrees — a Ph.D. and M.A. in Education and Administration from Vanderbilt University as well as an M.R.E. from Southern Seminary and a B.A. from Ouachita Baptist University.

Dr. Halbert's dynamic teaching platform captures the attention of more than 25,000 business people yearly. His presentation style is of superb performance — inspiring his participants to explore beyond the stressful surface of routine business activities while finding meaningful applications for their contributions both professionally and personally.

Bill's creative formats include audience participation, applied contextual learning, and spirited planning for action. He is a gifted teacher, writer, and researcher. He provides an energetic and interactive presentation of informative content that will motivate the mind for management in all aspects.

Dr. Halbert is known for his colorful personality and uses an "edutainment" style of presentation combining education and entertainment to delight and inspire audiences. He role plays with his audiences in such a way that they feel uninhibited, spontaneous and totally comfortable. More than anything, they have FUN because of his humorous and light-hearted manner and presentation style.

TESTIMONIALS

"Bill is extremely efficient in his presentation seminars and consistently receives top evaluative scores from all audiences. His humor and candor are always well received by program participants and very often unmatched by other keynote speakers. I will continue to call on Dr. Halbert's expertise for future events and seminars."

Kasey Draney
Training Coordinator,
UT Institute for Public Service

"Bill Halbert takes his time to get to know our people and culture – then utilizes the information in his keynote presentations. He goes the extra mile to make sure we have customized content for our environment, challenges and employees."

Susan F. Grinnan, SPHR
Human Resources Manager,
Quebecor World

"It's hard to express in words how much Dr. Halbert inspired me . . . he pierced my consciousness like a silver bullet and revealed to me a heightened state of awareness I had never before (or since) experienced."

Stephen McCord
Vice President, Sales & Marketing,
CBuJ Entertainment Inc