



On December 19, 1995, Stephani was standing on the sidewalk in Hermosa Beach, California when an out of control vehicle jumped the curb and crushed her into another car. In order to save her life the doctors had to amputate both of her legs above the knee. Nothing in her life had prepared her for such a monumental shock. She was now faced with circumstances that she could not possibly fathom. For Stephani, dissolving into a deep depression was not an option. Her will and life force enabled her to reach deep down within herself, utilize the fire in her heart and reclaim her sense of self from this devastating life alteration. Without hesitation she chose a quest for knowledge fueled by an unyielding drive to defy the odds. Filled with gratitude for her life, she began her grueling rehabilitation and at the same time began filming her own life's tribulations.

The intensity and urgency of the situation unfolded, second after second as she exposed her own physical, mental, emotional and spiritual rebirth before the lens. Documenting each step, Stephani captured endless hours of rehabilitation, in and out of hospitals, thirteen reconstructive surgeries, her re-entry into society, walking again on two prosthetic legs as well as the discovery of her next challenge; ski racing. After a few extraordinary lessons with the head coach of the Park City Disabled Ski Team, Marcel Kuonen, Stephani was given an offer she could not refuse, to relocate to Park City and train to compete in the 2002 Salt Lake Winter Olympics.

Rarely does the general public have an opportunity to witness another person's life experience on such an intimate level. "The Lengths I Will Go" is a raw and invigorating portrait of one woman's will to survive and re-create her life. In the midst o...

Stephani Victor

Speech Topics

- Women's Motivational
- Sports
- Overcoming Adversity
- Olympians
- Motivation
- Inspiration



Testimonials

"Thank you for bringing Stephani to our meeting! What an amazing woman with an amazing message. Please let her know that her story forever changed my outlook on life and I imagine she had a similar effect on everyone in the room. I will definitely follow her in the Paralympic Games and root for her!"

- Pfizer .

"Stephani Victor is articulate, engaging and conspicuously sincere in her delivery. Her story in itself is remarkable, and she conveys it in a compelling way. The relevance of her message is especially powerful for those who have suffered physical limitations, but is equally appropriate for anyone seeking to overcome difficult odds and extreme challenges in business or social settings."

- LifeBridge Health.