



Dave Caperton

Creating a Culture of Joy



Dave Caperton believes that laughing matters. Not just because laughter is a great way to build connections and energy, but because it's also a great tool for delivering transformative learning. Dave draws on his 20-plus years as an international keynote speaker, business owner, entrepreneur and coach and his background as an award-winning educator, stand-up comedian and comedy writer to provide transformative insights on creating balance and building a workplace culture where engagement, retention and service are simply the by-products of making joy a mission-level goal.

Dave's programs fuse in-depth research and proven learning strategies with side-splitting humor and story-telling to deliver programs that don't just inspire laughter, they demolish barriers between groups and open pathways to shift from transaction-based to relationship-driven success. His entertaining conversations about joy and connection provide his clients with a new vocabulary and the concrete actions to create a people-centric culture that benefits all stakeholders.

Since 2000, Dave has worked with over 1000 client organizations across 4 continents teaching them how and why to choose joy for authentic and sustainable success.

Clients and audiences value his programs because they provide a motivational experience that is interactive, energizing, and wildly funny. But unlike many humorous speakers, Dave's programs are infused with relevance and transformative takeaways to provide lasting value throughout the event and beyond.

Dave's talks have been requested and lauded by such iconic organizations as JP Morgan Chase, Boeing, Lockheed-Martin, Nationwide Insurance, Limited Brands, The Cleveland Clinic, True Value Hardware, NBC Comcast, the FAA and hundreds of others.

Dave is the author of *Happiness Is a Funny Thing*, and *30 Days To a Happier Workplace*. He and his wife and partner in joy, Suzanna, live in Columbus, Ohio.