

Hi Ruth,

Before the year gets away from me and I neglect to tell you thank-you for your keynote, I'll make the time now to again say how much I appreciated your message and the recommendation from your speaker's bureau.

Some of the teacher's comments about August 22 were:

"Wonderful support of teacher profession. Loved the quotes and examples."

"The speaker was great She helped bridge the gap."

"Good motivational speaker and lots of good info to gear us up for the new year."

"The speaker was very easy to listen to and served as a good reminder of the balance that has to happen for all our students."

"Keynote gave motivational, helpful, refreshing reasons for teaching."

As I told you on the 22nd, "You nailed it!" I have since given your name to my colleagues in case they need a speaker for their events. Take care and have a wonderful year. Thank-you again.

from Pat Fostvedt-Oxendale
Reading Recovery Conference, Sioux City, IA
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(Hand-written note typed for legibility)