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Vallie Collins

Travels from: Tennessee

Fee Range: \$5,001 - \$7,500

Vallie Smith Collins resides in Maryville, TN with her husband and three children. She is a member of Maryville First Baptist Church and serves on the Board of 147 Million Orphans and the Maryville City Schools Foundation. She is also a member of Maryville Junior Service League, former Board Chair for A Secret Safe Place for Newborns of Tennessee, and an alumna of Leadership Blount.

Vallie is a graduate of the University of Tennessee with a degree in Biomedical Engineering. For over thirteen years she was employed as a Senior Account Manager for a contract manufacturer of medical devices, pharmaceuticals, and consumer products. Her interests and hobbies include tennis, running, and spending time with family and friends.

Most Requested Programs...

- **Miracle on the Hudson** - As a sales person, travel was a key requirement of the job. As a result, Vallie was a passenger on US Airways Flight 1549 that landed in New York's Hudson River on January 15, 2009. Vallie will share the details of her experience during the flight and rescue of the event that has become known as the "Miracle on the Hudson." In addition, she will share key learnings from the experience that will hopefully inspire and motivate all to treasure each and each day because "everyday is a lucky day!"