

Gary Berg



About the Author

- Gary Berg was born and raised in Menomonie, Wisconsin
- He began G.L. Berg Entertainment in 1989
- G.L. Berg Entertainment has grown to become one of the largest entertainment providers in the Midwest for corporate events, fairs, theaters, colleges, cruise ships and more
- Gary has worked with over 1000 professional entertainers and speakers and contracts approximately 4000 shows annually in virtually all 50 states and multiple countries
- Gary is a professional speaker and has been hired to present in 25+ states for over 400 different events
- In addition to publishing his first book, Entertainers Who Work!, Gary has had articles published in several professional trade magazines and has been featured on CBS, NBC, and ABC affiliated radio and television stations
- His passion is helping people become successful, both in their personal lives and professional careers

Degrees and Certifications

- Received a B.A. in English from the University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
- Received his M.A. in Higher Education Administration from Truman State University
- Additional post graduate work at the University of Minnesota and Notre Dame
- Communications Certificate from University of Notre Dame
- Certified Festival and Events Manager
- Certified Fast Trac Instructor from the Kauffman Foundation
- Board & Executive board member for many organizations

Awards

- Book Award: 2018 Mill City Press Awards – First place winner in the Self Help category
- Alumni Distinguished Achievement Award and 2014 commencement speaker at University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire
- Lifetime Achievement Award from St. Cloud, MN Convention & Visitors Bureau
- Associate of the Year Award from the National Association of Campus Activities
- Associate of the Year Award from the Minnesota Federation of Fairs

Fun Facts

- Gary is a big sports geek, which makes his hobby of being a guest host on a sports talk show that much more fun
- One of his favorite things to do is golf and he loves touring many courses around the country
- He enjoys traveling, reading a good book, writing, and learning from great people and minds all over the world
- Prior to starting his own company, Gary was a college administrator and college instructor for 10 years, with his last position title being Director of Planning and Assistant to the President

