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Gladys Magazine - Editor-in-Chief

Gladys Magazine is a quarterly magazine and online source dedicated to helping busy women of all ages create & inspire change. Our editorial philosophy is one of positive encouragement and motivation. We will offer inspiring articles to enrich our reader's lives and we will contribute what's hip in fashion, beauty, travel and luxury products. It is dedicated to anyone who has been inspired to pursue their dreams by someone they love. www.gladysmagazine.com

Patrick Talent Agency - CEO/Owner

Patrick Talent Agency is a full service agency representing talent nationwide for corporate entertainment, corporate video, infomercials, trade shows, conventions and industrials; special events and retail and fashion promotions. Founded in 1991 by Andrea Patrick Forte, a former Miss Pennsylvania USA and Miss West Virginia America, Andrea offers her clients and models a wealth of experience and knowledge of the entertainment industry. In 1999, the agency successfully launched the Entertainment Division under the banner of Patrick Entertainment, with a commitment to provide a higher level of client communication, service and satisfaction.

At Patrick Talent Agency we represent Entertainers through the decades. 50's-60's Icons (Fabian, Chubby Checker & Frankie Avalon), 70's, 80's Teen Idol (Deborah Gibson), 90's-through today's artists and *American Idol* (Kimberly Caldwell) to many of the Reality TV Stars from Reality TV's First Couple, *Survivor's* Jenna Morasca & Ethan Zohn to *The Bachelor's* Marshana to popular Australian model Lisa Gleave the #3 model on NBC's *Deal or No Deal*.

We are also known in the industry as the "go to" agency if you are looking for "Beauty Queens" of the moment who are known to go on to bigger and better things in our world. We can provide Miss USA State titleholders to our clients as well as Kirsten Haglund, Miss America 2008.

In 2005, under Andrea's leadership, PTA negotiated seven of our talent as On-Air camera Hosts for *ShopNBC* and provided Guest Hosts for *QVC*.

In 2007 we negotiated the contract for the Time Life Warner Infomercial, "It's All Doo Wop to Me" for our Talent Sandy Dell where she Co-Hosted the Infomercial with Dion. Earlier this year, as soon as we signed Deborah Gibson, we partnered her with one of our beauty clients to film their infomercials and radio campaigns. We also provided the trophy models for Eva Longoria's Alma Awards. This gives you an idea of the diversity of projects we cast.

Patrick Talent Agency has been in business for 18 years and we believe we have the best talent in the country. Each year we have grown in our acquisition of accounts and our Clients' year after year satisfaction is a true testimony of how professional our Talent are and how "on top of it" we are as an Agency.

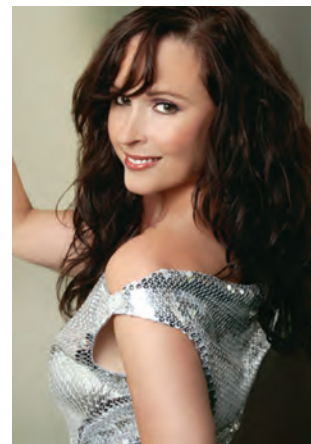
Our experience spans virtually every industry - from business-to-business to consumer, high tech to industrial, and Fortune 500 to aggressive start ups. We take much care in screening the Talent we represent and are proud to claim they are experienced professionals who possess the ability, intelligence, personality and maturity to effectively enhance your company's marketing effort.

A Unique Approach...Patrick Talent Agency works with you one-on-one to meet your needs. First, we identify your business goals, objectives and challenges. Next, we develop creative and strategic solutions using Patrick Talent's unequalled industry expertise and global resources with the utmost confidentiality.

At Patrick Talent Agency, we create the quintessential experience for our clients by providing an uncompromising level of service, inspiration, spark and a little bit of luck. — Andrea Patrick Forte, Owner
www.patricktalent.com

Once Upon A Dream - Founder/Creator/Owner

A Collection of motivational clothing and products created with every woman in mind to induce a sense of pride, adventure, Inspiration and worth. Once Upon A Dream was inspired by the famous "Dear Andrea" column. The Once Upon A Dream Line features statement tank tops, hoodies, journals, address books, calendars and more! All items showcase Andrea's legendary phrases and Words To Live By. www.what-is-your-dream.com



“We must be willing to let go of the life we have planned, so as to look forward to the life that is waiting for us.” Andrea Patrick Forte

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Columnist

In October of 2005, Andrea launched her new column "Dear Andrea" – offering advice for aspiring models. It features her famous "Words To Live By" and "Andrea's Anecdotes" and she answers her reader's modeling questions in every issue. In January of 2007, Andrea began writing "Fashionably Forte" which covers the trends and styles of today and also the history of our favorite fashions. In every Column, she features one of her Patrick Talent Agency models or a Celebrity modeling those fashions.

Published Author

Andrea is a featured writer with several of her Celebrity Interviews appearing in a national publication including Miss USA 2004, Shandi Finnessey, Adrienne Curry, Deborah Gibson, Eva LaRue, Kristen Haglund (Miss America) and Whitney Thompson this year's *America's Next Top Model* Winner.

Celebrity Wife

In 1998, Andrea married 50's rock 'n roll icon Fabian in a beautiful ceremony took that place at Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort & Spa in southwestern Pennsylvania. Four years later, Andrea was at her husband's side as he was honored as one of the first artists of his era to be inducted into the Hollywood Walk of Fame. The couple makes their home just south of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The 5,000 square foot house, designed by Andrea, is situated on over 20 acres. www.fabianforte.net

Fashion & Beauty Expert

Andrea has been working in the fashion industry for more than half her life. She is a former Director of Fashion and Beauty of an international magazine and her style has graced the pages of *Pittsburgh Magazine* as one of Pittsburgh's 25 Most Beautiful People, *People Magazine*, *Star Magazine* to *Whirl Magazine* and her unique sense of fashion from red carpet events to everyday life has inspired those around her.

Former Model & Spokesperson

Andrea has been featured on the cover of *Supermodels Unlimited* twice and was named one of Pittsburgh's 25 Most Beautiful People in 2006 by *Pittsburgh Magazine*. This former model turned entrepreneur has appeared in *Beverly Hills 213*, *LA Style*, *Whirl Magazine*, *Corridor Magazine*, *Star Magazine*, *Four Points Magazine* & *People Magazine*. As spokesperson and media representative for some of the world's leading corporations on an international level, Andrea is a reliable professional for in-studio or live appearances. Her extensive industry experience encompasses all aspects of corporate communications, industrials, commercials, infomercials, voice-overs, live presentations and hosting. Drawing from her background in television and film, Andrea remains a comfortable and charming presence in front of the camera.

Former Miss Pennsylvania-USA & Miss West Virginia America

Andrea is one of the only titleholders to capture the crown in both systems being named Miss Pennsylvania-USA 1980 and Miss West Virginia America in 1983. Andrea competed with Vanessa Williams at the Miss America Pageant and was chosen to tour with Vanessa Williams as the group's choreographer.



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