## Lesley Smith

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Producer, Motivational Speaker, Entertainer, World Cass Ventriloquist, Puppeteer, Singer, Songwriter, Workshop Leader, Writer, Healer

#### **EXPERIENCE**

1995-Present Founding Member of Unity on the River, Amesbury MA

Serve on the Board, as Interim Music Director, Lead Vocalist, Speaker and Program Leader for Services for large Unity Church with congregation of 300-400.

1990-2010 Director, Ventriloquist, Singer/Songwriter, Puppeteer, Educator Theatre of Life Puppets, Sammy Snail, Durham NH

Produce, create and perform children and adult musical and educational programs as a New England Foundation for the Arts touring artist. Award winning website, CD's and peace programs for schools, festivals, P.S.A's, teacher training, artist-in-residencies and organizations. Design and direct theater and conflict resolution workshops.

2010-2014 Producer, Performer Sammy's New World LLC

Produce high impact heart-based family media project with over 50 Emmy award winning puppeteers, designers, writers, educational advisors and industry consultants.

2010-Present **Producer, Motivational Speaker, Heart Powered Entertainer**LesleySmithProductions.Com

Tour internationally as inspirational singer, motivational speaker, performer and workshop leader for general, corporate and Spirit-based audiences. Create one-of-akind performances, productions and roasts.

2014-Present Assistant Project Leader, Humanitarian Race4Good

Assist in implementation of Linda Cruse Race4Good projects between business, students and communities to develop sustainable solutions to post disaster relief within United States and internationally. Create, direct and perform at projects and theatrical fundraising events.

# 2000-Present Healing Answers Practitioner

Offering local and non-local In-depth energy healing, guidance and training sessions for a world-wide client base. Dowsing, healing in an altered state, tools for connecting with guidance and mystical mastermind.

### **EDUCATION**

B.S. Life Sciences, University of NH, cum laude

Participant, Puppetry Conference, Eugene O'Neil Theater, CT Emerging Artist, Puppetry Conference, Eugene O'Neil Theater, CT Marketing and Promotion, NUCEA University of Rhode Island Work Team Training, Chase, Cole and Phillips Ass. Graphic Arts and Design Course, University of NH Effective Marketing Training, NRPA Collaborative Management Training, Madeline M. Daniels Shintaido Instructor, Japanese Soft Martial Art Conflict Resolution Training Institute, NH Educators for Social Responsibility Alternatives to Violence Training (NH Chapter) Training 1 Bullying Prevention Institute, ESR, Cambridge MA Lawrence LeShan Consciousness Training Institute for local and non-local healing Beginner & Advanced Training, Brewster NY Communication: Access to Power, Landmark Education, Boston MA Communication: Power to Create, Landmark Education, Boston MA Self-Expression and Leadership, Landmark Education, Boston MA Art & Practice of No one and Nothing Against You, Gary Simmons Connection Practice Certified Trainer, Rita Marie Johnson Visionary Business Leadership Course, Ryan Eliason

### **AFFILIATIONS**

UNIMA, International Puppetry Organization, Member Puppeteers of America, Member Unity on the River, Amesbury MA, Member Connection Practice Certified Trainer, Rita Marie Johnson Heart Math Institute, Member