

Mary Rowe Bio

At the suggestion of a friend, I joined Toastmasters on October 1, 2017 (around the time Pathways was born) and remained active until June, 2019. In October 2020, Teresa Stewart and I founded Continental Communicators - a ZOOM Community Club. It's 2022 now and we find ourselves in times of great change.

Please indulge me as I quote Seth Godin. "No property is more private than your voice. Your dreams and fears and contributions are yours - peculiar to you, idiosyncratic." "All change comes from idiosyncratic voices." These words reflect my enthusiasm for Toastmasters. I see this vast organization as a releaser of voices, voices that can generate wonderful changes. Every meeting is an adventure, a discovery and an opportunity to strengthen our bonds. All the Area, Division and District activities provide a nurturing, focused environment for our growth and community building. Although I'm still searching for ways to express the wonderment I've found within Toastmasters - I know the source is - you!