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Mary Jo Sharp

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Author • Speaker

**Hard questions deserve more than
easy answers.**



ABOUT MARY JO

A thoughtful voice for difficult questions.

Mary Jo Sharp is a former atheist turned Christian apologist, author, and speaker known for engaging difficult questions about faith with intellectual depth and genuine care. Her journey from atheism to Christian belief was shaped by life in two very different cultures: the post-Christian Pacific Northwest and the evangelical Bible Belt.

Mary Jo taught at the university level for 12 years and has spoken at churches, universities, and conferences internationally. She is the author of *Why I Still Believe* and *Why Do You Believe That?* and has contributed to more than 18 books and studies. Society and Evangelical Philosophical Society.



WATCH MARY JO SPEAK

See how Mary Jo connects with audiences, navigates difficult questions, and brings complex ideas into everyday life.



Scan for a short collection of speaking highlights.

WHAT MARY JO BRINGS TO THE ROOM

Clear thinking. Human conversation.

Keynotes • Breakouts • Workshops • Panels • Moderated Conversations • Audience Q&A

INTELLECTUAL DEPTH

Takes hard questions serious.

RELATIONAL WARMTH

Engages people, not just arguments.

PRACTICAL VALUE

Audiences leave with frameworks they can use.

FEATURED SPEAKING TOPICS

TOPIC

1

How to Talk About Faith When No One Trusts Easy Answers Becoming a Living Apologetic

Listening beneath the surface and engaging difficult questions with steadiness, curiosity, and respect.

TOPIC

2

Why I Changed My Mind How a Former Atheist Became a Confident Christian

A reasoned, accessible account of her journey from atheism to belief — tensions and all.

TOPIC

3

Deconstruction, Doubt, and a Deeper Conversation

A practical framework, drawn from Mary Jo's own experience, for looking past the surface of doubt to what shapes it.

Additional topics are available on the problem of evil, beauty and belief, tolerance, cultural engagement, and other questions of faith and apologetics.



“Mary Jo Sharp engaged us with intelligence, instruction, compassion and humor as she challenged us to learn the practice of sharing why we believe our amazing God brings hope to the world.”

RHONDA BEGAN — Pastor of RH Women, Rolling Hills Community Church

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