

Hattie Bryant

Hattie Bryant is the author of *I'll Have It My Way: Taking Control of End-of-Life Decisions.* When she turned 60 in 2010 she realized that she had less life left than she had spent and this launched her into five years of serious research on the topic of advance care planning. Today Hattie teaches seniors her simple fourstep plan for living fully all the way to the end.

Since 1979 Hattie has made a living in adult education, public speaking, seminar and continuing education curriculum development, and television production for PBS stations.

In 1993 Hattie began working with her husband, Bruce Camber, to bring the "best practices" of small business owners to public television. They created 300 half-hour episodes of Small Business School featuring small business owners in 34 states and 150 cities. With sponsorship from IBM, AT&T, Microsoft and many others, Small Business School reached into millions of US homes via some 300 PBS member stations.

Content from the show was edited into video companions for 50 college textbooks and an online one-of-a-kind learning tool can be found at SmallBusinessSchool.org. In 1997, Hattie was given the Award of Excellence from the White House for her success in bringing the story of small business to television.