

## **SHORT BIO (150-200 words)**

Everyone is searching for happiness, but when life doesn't go as planned, most people sacrifice happiness for survival. Drenda Keesee lived that way for nine painful years, struggling to navigate marriage and parenting as she and her husband, Gary, fell into deep financial bondage. Gary and Drenda cried out to God, and what He showed them radically changed their lives forever. Now Drenda is on a mission to help people find happiness and unlock the secrets to God's Kingdom that turned her and Gary's dreams into their reality!

Drenda Keesee is a speaker, life coach, pastor of Faith Life Church along with her husband, Gary, host of the daytime television show *Drenda*, and author of *The New Vintage Family*, *Better Than You Think*, and *She Gets It!* to name a few. Drenda has ministered on television and radio, and at churches, seminars, and conferences for over two decades. She is the mother of five children, has seven grandchildren, and lives near Columbus, Ohio.