



**Meet Jackie Walker –
Author,
Keynote Speaker,
Media Spokesperson**

Jackie Walker's career began in the retail industry. She was once the youngest couture clothing buyer in the country and went on to buy for many different departments. While working for Federated Department Stores an interesting job shift gave her the executive position as the Human Resource Director in the same location. In 1988 she left corporate life and started Option Dressing, a unique personal image consulting service. Option Dressing speaks to everyone about the options in their lives for what they do every day and the options in their closets that create inner and outer confidence for these choices.

Fashion had taught her to concentrate on the outside image. Then human resources gave her that "AHA" moment that success and confidence starts within. She set out to teach self-esteem dressing and how closet chaos and echoes of past comments could be transformed into positive self-image and closet harmony! At this point "Closetology" was created and Jackie branded as the Dr. of Closetology!

Soon Jackie through her private client's referrals was speaking to local groups on the psychology of clothing and why we do what we do with clothing. Next conducting company workshops and training seminars became part of her agenda.

Communicating on a motivational as well as informational level, Jackie quickly gained a reputation for providing powerful insight and inspiration for her audiences and clients. Today she traverses the nation as a well recognized and respected author, keynote speaker and motivational trainer.

Her bestselling book in the 8th printing with Simon and Schuster "I DON'T HAVE A THING TO WEAR, The Psychology of Your Closet" has been translated and released internationally. Her second book with Simon and Schuster titled "EXPESSIONISTA, How To Express Your True Self Through (And Despite) Fashion" debuts September 3, 2013. She has appeared on many national and local television and radio shows as well as a contributor to magazines across the country.