

Sister to Sister – Camp Epachiseca – August 21-22, 2009

Connie Pombo is an author, inspirational speaker, patient advocate, and breast cancer survivor. Her life changed drastically on March 21, 1996 when she heard the words, "you have breast cancer." Facing her own mortality, at the age of 40, was the greatest gift she ever received. Since that time, she has been inspiring audiences throughout the country with her hallmark speech, "Living the Passionate Life," in which she shares how you can transform your "tragedy, pain and loss into a life of unspeakable joy, purpose and passion." Audiences describe Connie as vibrant, humorous, and authentic.

Connie is the founder and Executive Director of Women's Mentoring Ministries in Mt. Joy, PA. She graduated from Spokane Bible College (Moody Northwest) with a Bachelor's Degree in Biblical Studies. She is a member of the National Cancer Survivors Day Speakers Bureau and is a member of the Mid-Atlantic Chapter of the National Speaker's Association. When not speaking or writing, Connie enjoys spending time her husband, Mark, and their two grown sons Jeremy and Jonathan. Her website address is "<http://www.conniepombo.com>".

Julie Nevel is an independent Christian recording artist and founder of the Sister to Sister Women's Conference. She is based in the Harrisburg, PA area. A graduate of Johnson Bible College in Knoxville, TN, Julie's Christian upbringing and education have been foundational for her ministry that has spanned 21 years. As a worship leader, songwriter, performer, and pianist, Julie has ministered fulltime throughout the U.S. and abroad. In an array of venues, from traditional and contemporary churches, music festivals and conventions, to prisons, inner city missions, retreats, camps and even your neighborhood coffee house, Miss Nevel's powerful music ministry captures listeners with original songs written from the heart and reflecting her own personal experiences. Her website address is "<http://www.julienevel.com>".