Like you, Jody McPhearson, the BEST Youth Speaker, struggled with how to transition to the NEXT level! How to go from high school to college? How to go from college to the workforce? How to go from entry level to management?

Unlike many youth speakers, Jody is not offering theoretical advice. He arms young people with the knowledge and systems necessary to transition to the NEXT level!

He equips them to make the Necessary Decisions, while exercising Exceptional Critical Thinking Skills, utilizing Extreme Focus and Commitment, in order to Transition to the next phase of their lives.

He created L.A.U.G.H.S. University in order to combat the challenges young adults face upon graduating high school and college. L.A.U.G.H.S. is an acronym for Life After You Graduate High School. Jody calls it the Ultimate Life Skills Curriculum for Young Adults.

Organizations like Wells Fargo, Walmart, the City of Phoenix, ASU, and Buckeye Union School District have partnered with Jody to arm young people with the knowledge and systems to be successful in school, home, work, and sports.

Jody is a 3rd generation veteran of the United States Army. A former Boxer on the United States Armed Forces Sports Program. And thought leader on inclusion thanks to his provocative Tedx Talk “Growth & Great Works Begin with Inclusion”. As a Youth Pastor, the youth ministry he served, more than doubled in size due to his inclusive methodology, “Belong, Believe, Begin”. He is currently finishing up his first book, “Father Figure”, due out Fall 2019.

Jody has served on the board for organizations such as Big Brothers Big Sisters, The YMCA, Buckeye Outreach for Social Services, he founded Three C’s Youth Project, and served as an ambassador for Susan G. Komen, as well as Speaker and Trainer for the FMSC Speaker’s Bureau. He is known as a youth development expert by those utilizing the curriculum that he has written and facilitated for Federally funded programs to prepare young adults for college and career.

 “Effective youth leadership is challenging and guiding young people to be the leaders that they are destined to be. It is empowering them to desire to be more than they normally would.”

As a former youth pastor and young adult minister, Jody’s heart is to speak transparently to the next generation of leaders, empowering them to be the very best version of themselves possible, at work, school, and play.