

# KEVINSHARP

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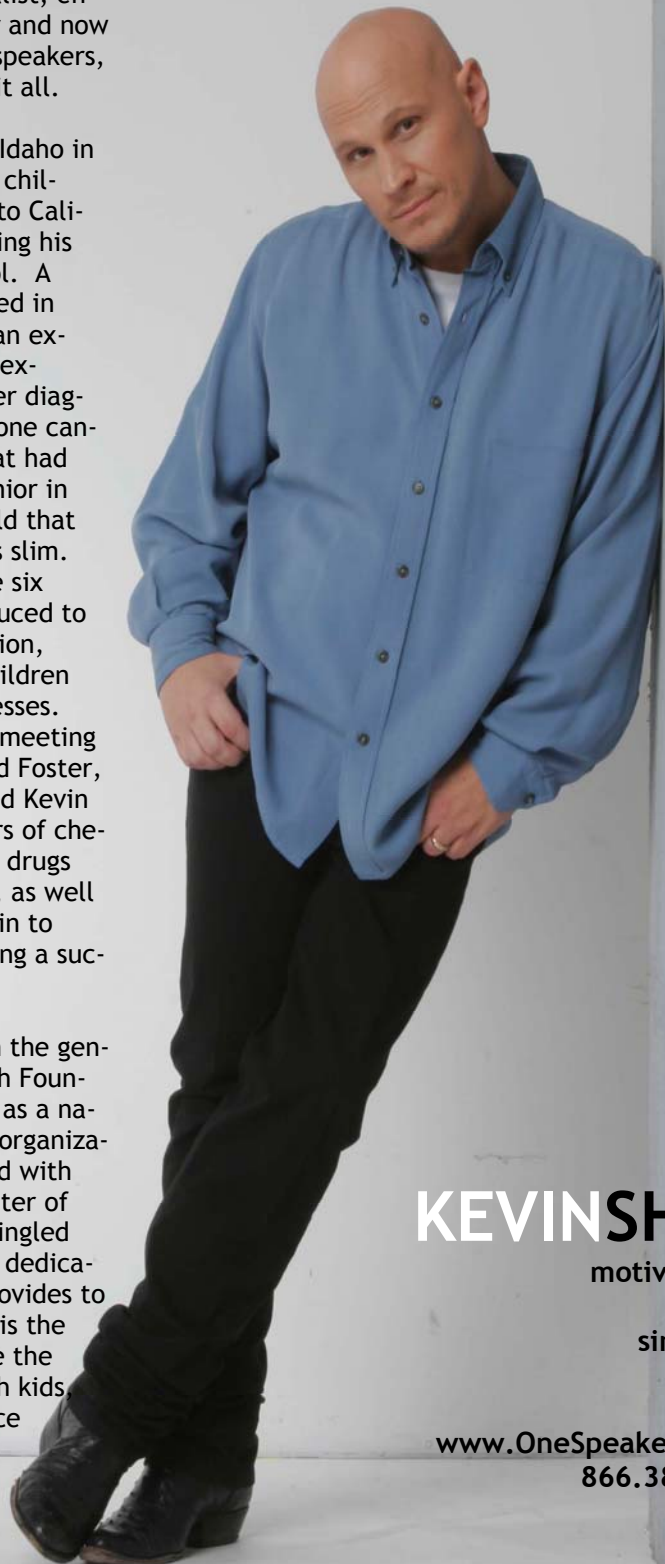
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## **BIOGRAPHY**

As an award-winning vocalist, entertainer, cancer survivor and now one of the country's top speakers, Kevin has seen and done it all.

Kevin grew up in Weiser, Idaho in a musical family of seven children. The family moved to California as Kevin was entering his second year of high school. A gifted athlete who excelled in several sports, Kevin began experiencing fatigue and unexplained pain that was later diagnosed as a rare form of bone cancer (Ewing's Sarcoma) that had spread to his lungs. A senior in high school, Kevin was told that his chance of survival was slim. Uncertain if he would live six months, Kevin was introduced to the Make-A-Wish Foundation, which grants wishes to children with life-threatening illnesses. They honored his wish of meeting producer/performer David Foster, whose friendship sustained Kevin through two grueling years of chemotherapy, experimental drugs and radiation treatments, as well as opening a door for Kevin to pursue his goal of becoming a successful country artist.

Kevin has never forgotten the generosity of the Make A Wish Foundation and currently acts as a national spokesman for the organization. He was also honored with the prestigious "Wishgranter of the Year" award, which singled him out for the devotion, dedication and inspiration he provides to children. To date, Kevin is the only wish child to become the wish request of other wish kids making his wish experience come full circle.



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## AWARDS AND ASSETS

- 3 CD Releases - 3rd CD Release - mid 2005
- Book release - mid 2004
- National press and media coverage
- 15+ years touring and speaking experience
- National references and recommendations
- A positive asset for cause-related events
- Ideal for all markets - medical, corporate, college, military, non-profit

- ✦ BMI Song of the Year (*Nobody Knows*)
- ✦ Academy of Country Music/ **New Male Vocalist** (*nomination*)
- ✦ American Music Award/ **Favorite New Country Artist** (*nomination*)
- ✦ TNN/Music City News Awards/ **Male Star of Tomorrow** (*nomination*)
- ✦ Billboards Best/ "New Artist Country Video"
- ✦ CMT'S/ **Rising Male Video Star of the Year**
- ✦ Country Music Association/SRO/ **New Touring Artist of the Year**
- ✦ CMT/ **#7 Video of the Year** ("*She's Sure Taking It Well*")
- ✦ Billboard Magazine's Top Ten Lists/ **Top Ten "Country Artist" and "Country Album"**
- ✦ Sacramento's News & Review/ "**Sexiest Man**" & "**Best Country Artist**"
- ✦ Make-A-Wish Foundation's/ "**Celebrity Wish Granter of the Year**"
- ✦ Gilda's Club (Gilda Radner Foundation)/ "**It's Always Something**" Award (*for a life that teaches and inspires*), Nov. 1999

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## MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

“Inspirational” “Motivational”  
“Life-Changing” “Powerful”

These are just a few of the words that have been used to describe Kevin Sharp's presentations. Kevin's audiences learn that all things are possible in life and that each and every person has something to offer.

We live in a world that is spiritually, mentally, physically and morally bankrupt. Kevin can and will inspire your audience to hold on, to fight, to never give up, and to change the things in their lives that may be keeping them from fulfilling their goals and living personally and professionally at maximum potential.

Kevin's program ranges from 60 to 90 minutes and can be customized to meet your organization's needs. Topics include:

**Tragedy's Gift: The Kevin Sharp Story**

His life wasn't only saved - it was changed. Are you ready for a change?

**The Three D's**

Depression, Drugs and Despair: Take control of and responsibility for your own life.

**Life's Too Short: Living a Terminal Life**

Let's face it. We are all living on borrowed time, while we face the deadliest disease of all - life. Start living today!

**Bad For Business**

Succeeding professionally and personally. It's no secret - "Passion"

**Bald and Beautiful: Learning To Live Again**

Who would have thought that accepting life would be harder than accepting death?

**A Crippled Nation:**

**Make a Difference - BE the Difference**

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## PARTIAL CLIENT LIST

### Medical

Loma Linda University Medical Center  
McKee Northern Colorado Medical Center  
Doddridge County Educational Summit  
Dartmouth University Medical Center  
St. Jude Children's Research Hospital  
Integris Health  
Longview Regional Medical Center  
Sarah Cannon Cancer Center  
MD Anderson Cancer Center  
The Children's Medical Center  
Baptist Medical Center  
Cincinnati Children's Hospital  
The Christ Hospital

### Military

Fort Polk Army Base  
Wright Patterson Air Force Base

### Colleges

Regis University  
Fox Valley Technical College  
University of Wisconsin Oshkosh  
Rose Hulman School of Technology  
Loma Linda University

### Corporate

Atlanta Apartment Association  
Homebuilders Assn. Of Mississippi  
Alabama Electric  
Bank of America  
Phi Theta Kappa 89th International Convention

### Non-Profit Organizations

Make A Wish Foundation  
American Cancer Society  
Jason's Dreams for Kids  
Give Kids the World  
Camp Quality  
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society  
Cancer Services of NE Indiana, Inc.  
Natalie's Wish Foundation  
East Texas Angel Network



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## TESTIMONIALS

“I’ve never seen or heard anything better.”

**Jack Hanna**

“I just wanted to let you know that I really appreciate your willingness to come to our “REEL Kids” awards celebration yesterday. You did a great job inspiring our ReelKids to shoot for the stars. I enjoyed your words, your songs, your empathy and your compassion. I’m not normally much of a music fan, being a numbers person, but I will now, forever be a fan of the man that God is allowing Kevin Sharp to be! Hat an awesome opportunity God has given you to minister.”

**O’Neil Miller**

**HTC-Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc.**

“WOW! That is the only word I can use to describe Kevin Sharp’s presentation at the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh. He is one of the most amazing people we have had on campus. The audience is on an emotional roller-coaster throughout the program. One minute you’re laughing and the next minute you’re almost in tears. He share his stories of life-changing experiences that gives everyone in attendance hope. After hearing his presentation, you will look at life in a different way. It was great that Kevin performed a few of his songs during the evening. It really set the tone for the event. I hope he has the opportunity to visit many college campuses across the United States.”

**Sarah Aikman, Assistant Director for Activities**

**University of Wisconsin Oshkosh**

“It was a life-changing experience for everyone in attendance.”

**Loma Linda University**

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“I have received phone call after phone call all day long from individuals that were all inspired by your inspirational songs and personal account of the, “Power of a Wish.” They also really loved the “drive-thru” story. I knew your story, I knew your songs, but I didn’t know the man. Kevin, you are our new hero!”

**Mark Pilon**

**Make A Wish Foundation**

“If you get a chance tonight, shake this man’s hand. You’ll be shaking the hand of an angel.”

**Dennis McGinnis**

**Jason’s Dreams For Kids Foundation**

“Between your message and great entertainment, you took the audience through every realm of emotion possible. It isn’t often that a speaker makes that kind of impact on an audience that you did.”

**Sheryl Camp**

**Atlanta Apartment Association**

“It really was a privilege to be in the audience today. His message was real, positive, and very uplifting. What a wonderful experience! Thank you for bringing him to CMC.”

**Gregory Ramey, Ph.D., Vice President of Outpatient Services, Children’s Medical Center**

“This past weekend I had the pleasure of working with a nationally-known cancer survivor and entertainer, who not only helped us make the opening of McKee’s Cancer Center very successful, but also touched the lives of the entire Loveland, Colorado community—country music entertainer Kevin Sharp. His speech and performance was wonderful. He spent hours with cancer patients talking with them about his experience with the disease. He shared his life with us and his music in a way that gives us hope and kindled a spark in all of us.”

**Becca**

**McKee Cancer Center**

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“It was a pleasure to meet Kevin last month on the 2006 Country Cruise! He’s truly an amazing person and an inspiration to all. I’m so glad I had the opportunity to meet him. When I’m asked about the cruise I tell everyone of course what a wonderful time I had, but the best part of it was meeting Kevin. I can’t tell anyone about him without getting tears in my eyes. He truly touched my heart.”

**Cynthia Preston**  
Des Moines, IA

“Words cannot describe the emotion in Pell City today! Kevin touched the hearts of hundreds and as word spreads, more hearts are being touched simply from hearing about last night. Not only were hearts touched, but lives have been changed. I have never been an emotional person, but as you saw last night, my life was changed. You all were so gracious and I know I have found some great friends. I felt like I had known Kevin all my life.”

**Dale McCurry**  
Pell City, AL

“The Kevin Sharp concert to promote fundraising for cancer research and Lakeside Hospice was a smashing success! Kevin last night, played to a sold-out crowd and the Leadership Pell City class earned the distinction of raising more money on a community service project than any other in the history of the program. Incredible!”

**Kyle Shelton**  
General Manager/Managing Editor  
St. Clair News-Aegis

“I had the wonderful opportunity of meeting Kevin on the country music cruise in Dec. I chose Kevin for a meet and greet because I had seen the difference he made in the life of one of my patients. Alyssa is a stage IV Ewings survivor who is now a happy Junior higher who now only comes to visit our pediatric unit for FUN! Her grandma got Kevin’s book way back when Alyssa was first diagnosed and I know it made a difference in their lives. I am now ordering a book for another patient! Francisco is 18 and was diagnosed this year with stage IV Ewing’s also! I had planned on getting a book and dog tag prior to even leaving on the cruise for him. Once I met Kevin at both the meet and greet and the talk that he did, I was so touched by his generous heart and love for people, that I forgot to get the book! Once I got it together, the books were all gone! So I was hoping to get one personalized for Francisco now! I can honestly say that Kevin was the absolute highlight of that cruise for me! I came back to work and told all the other pediatric nurses about Kevin.”

**Kris Shandley**

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