

# Endorsements

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## Hidden Treasures

*finding hope at the end of life's journey*

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A Woman of God Ministries, television personality, professor, speaker, mentor, author*

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*“God's imminent power shows up at the very moment of our impending misfortune.”  
-Robin Bertram*

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The diagnosis comes. It's devastating: a year, possibly two, maybe as many as 5. Now what? The first emotion you will most likely experience is shock, the second is fear, the third is confusion. You ask yourself, "Why is this happening?" "What are we going to do?"

Based on experiences derived from 25 years of prayer ministry, Robin Bertram, in “*Hidden Treasures*” provides insight and guidance to equip the reader --- patient, family member or friend --- to be able to walk through these challenging times with foresight, looking for, and expecting to see, God at work in many miraculous ways. Hope is available. Death with dignity is possible, and there are hidden treasures to embrace along the way.

*"HIDDEN TREASURES "* will help to answer these questions:

- If God is good, why are we going through this?
- What will our family do?
- How do we fight the fear that is trying to consume us?
- How can we encourage reconciliation in our family?
- Where can we find peace in the journey?
- What happens when we die?
- Is there life after death?
- What is heaven like?

You will most certainly be blessed as you read this book by deepening your understanding of the promises written in God's word, while learning how to comfort those who are facing long-term or terminal illnesses.

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1. Have you ever gotten frustrated and agitated because you could not find something important to you, like a special treasure you wanted or needed badly? I have! I looked and searched until I was exhausted and sometimes gave up the search. That's the way it is until you find what you're looking for. Whether it's during times of peace and tranquility in life, or times of sickness and pain, Robin has located what we are all looking for in this book, Hidden Treasures. Find treasures that will inspire, motivate, encourage and help you find the answers you need for your life of wholeness and peace.

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2. When facing an illness or other life challenge, fear often stops the average person in their tracks—and becomes the biggest barrier to their hope and healing. Robin, in *Hidden Treasures*, empowers the reader with Bible-based tools on how to fight against the very thing that fights against them. From her personal experience, she gives practical tips for overcoming the inevitable moments of fear and discouragement. *Hidden Treasures* is a rich and valuable resource!

***Deborah Smith Pegues***

***Bestselling Author of 30 Days to Taming Your Tongue***

***CEO/Founder, The Pegues Group, Inc.***

3. As we experience life, we at times face significant pain, pain that so often keeps us from realizing the many treasures within our lives. Our focus begins to revolve around these moments as if they were the predominant truths of our existence. "Hidden Treasures" is here to dispel the lie and help the reader to unearth and discover what God has placed within: the treasure hidden in earthen vessels. So sit back, read and follow a road map to finding all of your treasures, now.

***Camy "Cameron" Arnett***

***Saving Destinies, Founder***

***The Christian View, Producer/Co-host***

***Camy Arnett Production Studios, CEO***

4. "Our greatest treasures are often found in our greatest place of pain," writes Robin Bertram in *Hidden Treasures—Finding Hope at the End of Life's Journey*. The author offers wisdom gained by walking through darkness and finding hope in the eternal God. Her Scripture-based

insights will encourage families wrestling with questions in the midst of tragedy or caregivers helping a loved one navigate the journey toward heaven. *Hidden Treasures* is a faith-filled handbook overflowing with joy and hope.

***Dianne Barker, best-selling author, conference speaker, and host of “At the Library” on WHCB Radio, Bristol, Tennessee***

5. Robin Bertram, in *Hidden Treasures*, reminds the reader of just how important it is to be caring and compassionate during times of trial and pain with our words, actions and intentions. It is a beautifully written resource full of valuable nuggets, share-worthy quotes, and a treasure chest overflowing with helpful tips.

***Wendie Pett  
Fitness and Wellness Expert, TV Host of Visibly Fit,  
Author and Speaker***

6. I stand in awe of Robin's honesty, determination, and courage as she faced her own personal health challenge. I stand in awe of her gentle voice as both writer and teacher. *Hidden Treasures* is merely an extension of her heart's desire to bring comfort, hope and healing to those who are facing life's most difficult challenges. You will be blessed and encouraged as you read *Hidden Treasures*.

**Jackie Carpenter** *Host / Executive Producer of Award-Winning Television Talk Show "The Christian View", Executive Producer of Award-Winning Feature Film Stand Your Ground and Author of Bridge to a Miracle and Georgia Justice*

7. Compelling and captivating, Hidden Treasures offers hope through the truth of scripture while families face some of their most difficult challenges. You will be encouraged and find great tools that will empower your loved one and your family. Robin reminds us that God is there. He is at work. He understands your pain.

**Sue Detweilder**

*Author of Women who Move Mountains, Baker Publishing Group*

*Speaker, Radio Host, and Pastor of Life Bridge Church*

8. In her latest book, Hidden Treasures, Robin Bertram paints a beautiful picture with a broad brush of how God is in the midst of every struggle. The book offers methods that will dramatically impact daily living and deepens and matures families as they live through adversity and the ups and downs of ordinary life. Hidden Treasures is not just a book on end of life, it is also a compelling narrative with page after page of encouragement, wisdom, and insight.

**Susan Mead**

*Award winning author of Dance With Jesus: From Grief to Grace*

9. In Hidden Treasures the reader will learn the importance of standing in faith, walking in faith and fighting with faith. You will learn how to look beyond your circumstances and know that you are safe in God. You will learn that your faith can be a treasure God gives you. Robin has lived what she writes. I have been inspired as I read this book and I highly recommend it.

***Sharon Hill***

***Author of the OnCall Prayer Journal & The Power of Three***

***Co-Author of The Most Powerful P Activity Book and Prayer Journal***

10. Hidden Treasures is a jewel, a masterful work full of courage, honesty, and, above all, love. You will find valuable, practical methods, as well as day-to-day suggestions that are given to help ease the pain and to lighten the load of responsibility families faces. But more than that, you will learn to see God at work in the midst of your pain; a wealth of wisdom!

***Deborah G. Ross***

***Deborah Ross Ministries Inc-Author of: Healing a Broken Marriage: Love Never***

***Fails, and Woman2Woman: The Naomi and Ruth Experience and Save It! Marriage***

***Bible Study***

11. Robin Bertram shares her heart and own personal experiences in this book. I was barely on page 2 before I was deeply touched. While reading, I was making a mental list of all the people I knew who desperately needed the treasures Robin has uncovered for us. Hidden Treasures is an invaluable, compassionate, and spiritual harvest of wise insights, which will both inspire and challenge the reader. This affirming message of hope and healing is a must read ... a gem to be treasured.

***Deborah Dockery***

***Co-Pastor World Harvest Church North***

***Co-Author of The Invitation Thomas Nelson***

12. Robin is gifted by the Lord as an exceptional author and teacher. Through her knowledge of God's Word and life experiences, she is able to reach people where they hurt. Hidden Treasures is an inspired work that stems from her own personal experiences with God in troubling times. Take a journey with Robin to find the 'hidden treasures' on your path to wholeness.

***Pastor Asa Dockery***

***Author, and Columnist***

***Senior Pastor at World Harvest Church North***

13. Hidden Treasures is a heartfelt, wise, honest, and tender book. It is enormously helpful both to those facing illness and their loved ones. While there are many books on the subject of death and dying, few rely so deeply on the written word of God to answer questions that seem to have no answer, and even fewer can offer a view through the lens of personal experience. This book offers practical solutions to the problems families must deal with when they are experiencing the degradation of one's quality of life or the potential loss of a loved one. A treasure waiting to be discovered!

***Suellen Roberts, Founder and President Christian Women in Media Association***

14. "Bite size nuggets of wisdom is what you'll find in this refreshing and inspirational book from Robin Bertram. In our culture of fast everything, Robin's years of trusting God shines brightly and is a treasure worth reading."

***Kathleen Cooke, Cooke Pictures and author of Hope 4 Today: Stay Connected to God in a Distracted Cultures***

15. Acceptance is an important step in the process of coming to terms with the reality of death. Acceptance does not mean giving up; it just means that we can embrace our struggles with peace in our heart. Hidden Treasures will give the reader an understanding of the spiritual aspects of the process and encourage the reader to rest in God's sovereignty. A must read! -

***Kathleen Hardaway, National Speaker and Author of Dare to Believe Again: Boldly  
Live Out Your God-Given Dreams***