

The 7 Personal Missions to Achieving Success:

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**Personal Mission #1:
To Define Purpose**

One of the great human challenges is the search for meaning and a sense of purpose in life.

**Personal Mission #2:
To Realize Dreams**

Dreams often motivate us to accomplish more than what we thought we could. They give us hope and something to strive for.

**Personal Mission #3:
To Know Thyself**

A significant factor in being successful is knowing one's strengths and weaknesses—one's limitations and capabilities.

**Personal Mission #4:
To Manage Risk & Change**

Whether it is raising a family or orbiting the earth, there are always risks that we must face.

**Personal Mission #5:
To Question what is Possible**

To reach a new level of performance or to create an original idea, a person must often question what was previously thought possible.

**Personal Mission #6:
To Lead & Team with Others**

Accomplishing a complex task usually includes successfully working with others. In this process, the ability to lead, to follow, and to team with others are critical skills.

**Personal Mission #7:
To Manage Home, Work, and Life**

One of the greatest challenges of life is finding balance between work and home—the personal and the professional.

To be successful, we all have personal missions we must perform. Few of us face the intense pressures and demands for perfection that members of the United States Astronaut Corps face. From this crucible of performance, these exceptional and exclusive explorers consistently climb to the top, even amid the many ups and downs of the mission.

The question must be asked: **“How do they achieve their missions, both personal and professional, and what can we learn from their amazing experiences?”** The factors that determine an astronaut's success can ease the challenges and inspire the triumphs that each of us must experience to achieve our own life success.

Based on scores of interviews and personal encounters with past and current Astronauts over the last twenty-five years, John Parker Stewart, internationally recognized NASA and aerospace consultant and speaker, reveals riveting stories and powerful life lessons from these modern-day heroes. With John's signature animated and experienced style, he applies these insights to improve our lives at work and at home.

This presentation leaves audiences with a sense of awe toward our space program and a strong desire to better their own personal and professional lives. Inspire your people today with this outstanding and interactive keynote address. (It can also be delivered as a one-day workshop.)

John Parker Stewart has over twenty-six years of speaking and leadership consulting experience. He travels extensively speaking, coaching, and consulting to Fortune 500 organizations and large government agencies.



Some of John's many achievements include receiving the American Society for Training and Development National Trainer of the Year (Trainer's Choice Award) for two consecutive years; designing and implementing a leadership development program at Kennedy Space Center that reduced the cost of launching the shuttle by half; coaching hundreds of senior executives in Fortune 500 companies in team leadership, communication, and relationship capability; and consistently averaging a 9.6 out of 10 on client satisfaction evaluations for his keynote presentations.

John's partial client list includes: Boeing, Bank of Hawaii, BP Oil, Castrol of Malaysia, Cargill, Citibank, Chevron, General Motors, General Electric, IBM, Kennedy Space Center, Lockheed Martin, NASA, Nestle/Carnation, Pacific Bell, Raytheon, Thiokol, Toshiba, Tyco, U.S. Department of Energy, Waste Management, ViaSat, and Xerox.

