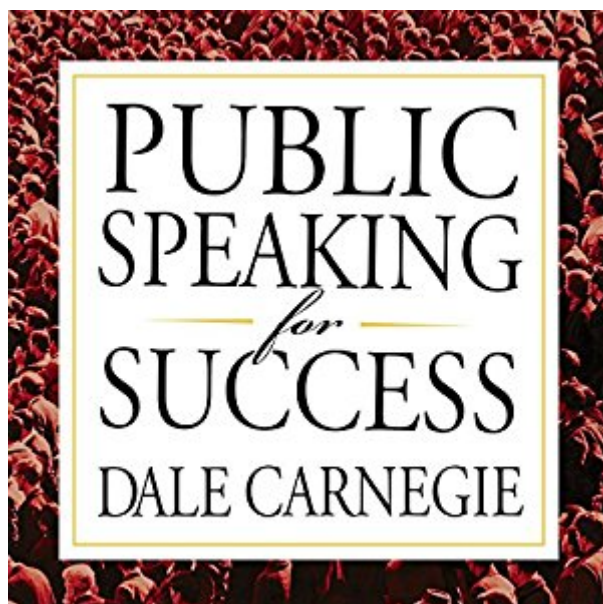


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# Public Speaking For Success



## Synopsis

Dale Carnegie, author of the legendary *How to Win Friends and Influence People*, began his career as the premier "life coach" of the 20th century by teaching the art of public speaking. Public speaking, as Carnegie saw it, is a vital skill that can be attained through basic and repeated steps. His classic volume on the subject appeared in 1926 and was revised twice - in shortened versions - in 1956 and 1962. This 2006 revision - edited by a longtime consultant to Dale Carnegie & Associates, Inc., and the editor in charge of updating *How to Win Friends and Influence People* - is the definitive one for our era. While up to date in its language and points of reference, *Public Speaking for Success* preserves the full range of ideas and methods that appeared in the original, including Carnegie's complete speech and diction exercises, which follow each chapter, as the author originally designated them. This edition restores Carnegie's original appendix of the three complete self-help classics: *Acres of Diamonds* by Russell H. Conwell, *As a Man Thinketh* by James Allen, and *A Message to Garcia* by Elbert Hubbard. Carnegie included these essays in his original edition because, although they do not directly relate to public speaking, he felt they would be of great value to listeners. Here is the definitive update of the best-loved public-speaking book of all time.

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## Customer Reviews

When I bought this book I thought that it would be useful as a 'text' for a public speaking course I was taking. Turns out you should use it the way you use a religious text; little by little, day by day. It's not something you read through instead it's something that you use as a guide to improve over

time. It's a great book but does require discipline on your part to practice what is suggested in the book.

Never buy, read, or listen to a "poser" discussing confidence, success, or public speaking again. THEY all stole their material from Dale Carnegie. This is IT. Buy Carnegie and keep him next to your other favorite books to be read again and again.

I was looking for practical suggestions on things I could do to improve my presentation skills. I am not a complete beginner, so I didn't want something too basic. I am not a great speaker, so I didn't want something too far above me either. Fortunately, I think this book offers information that any speaker can use. It is succinct and doesn't repeat, so despite its small size, it has a lot of information in it. I started doing some of the exercises right away and immediately began improving both my confidence and skill. It's a keeper!

A classic by one of America's best speakers! This book will aid the newbie in becoming a much better speaker - and perhaps take some of the butterflies out of the stomach if that is a problem for the reader. Of course we can expect as much from Carnegie. So forget the size of the book - its great - you will find many very good strategies to help make your speech very impactful and persuasive. Two other books that can make your speaking like dynamite are: *How To Preach Like A Preacher!: A Complete Training How-To Book For Preaching Like A Pro!* *Mastering Persuasive Public Speaking: The Influence Approach* See you on stage!

Dale Carnegie hit another homerun with this one. Might not be a complete paradigm shift for many, however, it's definitely a well articulated piece of common sense. It reiterates the fundamentals such as practice and preparation.

Excellent book! I would have one observation regarding the kindle format. The last chapter containing inspirational stories has few issues. I found 3 paragraphs which interrupt suddenly and start with other ideas, other flow of thought and it is very frustrating...please check and do something on these lines...It is a pity to have such minuses with such a great book!

Read this for a leadership class I am taking. I think it is a must read for all leaders in any church, or anywhere

No matter how long ago this was written it is still relevant in today's world. Public speaking does not come easily to me, so I reread this book to remind me of the important things I need to say and how to say it.

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