



Dr. Jean de Dieu "Yohana" Ndahiriwe

Dr. Yohana

"Transforming Adversity Into Authority"

CREDENTIALS

- Executive Director, Maxwell Leadership
- Doctorate — Leadership & Global Perspectives
- U.S. Navy Veteran
- Licensed Financial Professional — WFG
- Clinical Correctional Chaplain, ASPC
- Forthcoming Author — Born on the Run

ORGANIZATIONS

- Ndahiriwe Leadership Solutions
- Ubuntu Elevate
- Impact Embassy
- Horizons Coalition
- Rwandaful Leadership
- Christ Embassy Church AZ

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- ✓ References On File
- ✓ Virtual & Hybrid Capable
- ✓ International Speaker

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Resilient Leadership Expert

Genocide Survivor · Navy Veteran · Maxwell Executive Director

Keynote Speaker · Workshop Facilitator · Executive Coach · Leadership Trainer

SPEAKER BIO

Born in a refugee clinic between Rwanda and Uganda as his mother fled the 1994 genocide against the Tutsi, Dr. Jean de Dieu "Yohana" Ndahiriwe spent 27 years displaced before arriving in America. He served in the U.S. Navy, earned a Doctorate in Leadership with Global Perspectives, and became an Executive Director with the John C. Maxwell Leadership Certified Team. He also serves as Clinical Correctional Chaplain at Arizona State Prison Complex Perryville — carrying the same message of resilience and restoration into a maximum-security facility that he carries to global stages. His memoir, *Born on the Run*, is currently in final manuscript — a firsthand account of survival, displacement, and the forging of resilient leadership.

SIGNATURE KEYNOTES

KEYNOTE 1 Born on the Run

Transforming Adversity Into Authority

From refugee clinic to Maxwell Executive Director — Dr. Yohana's signature keynote equips audiences with the RISE Framework to convert personal storms into leadership authority.

KEYNOTE 2 Lead Through the Storm

Resilient Leaders Rise Through Adversity

For organizations navigating crisis and change. Practical resilience strategies drawn from genocide survival, military service, and frontline chaplaincy work.

KEYNOTE 3 Societal Fracture — Resilience the Remedy

Global Fracture & the Power of Collective Resilience

For universities, humanitarian orgs, and civic leaders. How divided societies heal through collective resilience, shared humanity, and courageous dialogue.

KEYNOTE 4 Never Again — From Slogan to Action

Genocide Awareness Into Active Prevention

Delivered at Kwibuka and invited to universities, governments, and NGOs worldwide. Transforms 'Never Again' from a slogan into a daily, actionable commitment.

KEYNOTE 5 Building Legacy Leadership

Transform Personal Scars Into Global Strategy

For executives and high-potential leaders. Converting hardship into the foundation of the most meaningful leadership contribution of your career.

THE RISE FRAMEWORK

RESILIENCE
Turning storms into strength

IDENTITY
Leading from your true core

SERVICE
Rising by lifting others

EXCELLENCE
Sustaining legacy impact

IDEAL AUDIENCES & DELIVERY FORMATS

- Corporate & Executive Leadership
- Government & Military Organizations
- Faith-Based Conferences
- Corrections & Rehabilitation Programs
- Universities & Academic Institutions
- Humanitarian & NGO Organizations
- Veterans Organizations
- Genocide Commemoration Events

DELIVERY FORMATS: Keynote (45–90 min) · Half-Day Workshop · Full-Day Intensive · Virtual/Hybrid · Executive

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