

Jim Abbott, Motivational Keynote Speaker

Former major league baseball player for the Angels, the New York Yankees, and a Gold Medal Olympian for the American baseball team.

He beat the odds, by overcoming a birth defect of only one hand.

He is a living example that disability does not define you. His style of speaking is humble and humorous. He uses stories and anecdotes, which are universal even to those who are not sports fans. With a trademark gentle humor, he shows people they can overcome adversity and limitations to reach their dreams and goals.

He structures his talk around the acronym:

**A - adjustability; D - determination; A - accountability;
P - perseverance; T - trust**

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"There are no words to describe the impact Jim had on my business, he was nothing short of phenomenal. His story touched everyone in the room. Many of the advisors expressed to me that Jim was the best speaker they have ever seen, some admitted to shedding a tear or two. People laughed as they enjoyed every story Jim told and you could tell most people didn't want it to end. Jim was gracious enough to sign and personalize base balls and

have conversations with the attendees until everyone was satisfied.

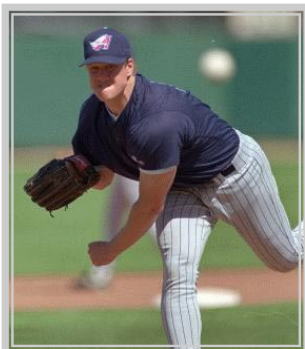
I am still getting phone calls telling me how inspiring Jim was.

I have seen Jim speak now 4 times and the story only gets better.

As for me and my colleagues, Jim made it nothing short of a special day

that none of us will ever forget."

- Anthony Antorino



**For more about Jim:
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