Influential Women Spotlights Cara Krol: Empowering Transformation Through Balance & Bliss Wellness

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Pittsfield, Massachusetts — Cara Krol, M.Ed., is a holistic life transition coach, author, educator, and wellness entrepreneur whose work is grounded in a simple but powerful philosophy: people do not need to fix themselves—they need to discover, trust, and embrace who they already are. As founder of Balance & Bliss Wellness, LLC, Cara helps individuals navigate personal transformation with greater clarity, confidence, and self-awareness.

Since beginning her coaching career in 2014, Cara has developed a personalized, client-centered approach that draws upon Human Design, Reiki energy healing, intuitive coaching, and therapeutic creative practices. Her work helps people recognize their innate gifts, reconnect with their authentic selves, and move through major life transitions in ways that feel purposeful and fulfilling.

Cara's storytelling instincts also find expression outside her coaching practice. She is the author of the Fairy Slippers children's book series, written under the pen name Cara Peckham. The series combines imagination with meaningful life lessons and reflects her longstanding commitment to education, creativity, and personal growth—themes that echo throughout her work as a coach and mentor.

A Career Shaped by Many Chapters

Cara's professional journey has been shaped by an unusually diverse range of experiences.

Before moving into wellness and coaching, she spent 25 years as an English teacher with Pittsfield Public Schools in Massachusetts, primarily working with sixth-grade students on literacy development. She went on to explore entrepreneurship, restaurant ownership, sales, and coaching—eventually discovering that these seemingly separate chapters were complementary pieces of a larger purpose.

For years, Cara struggled with the fact that her background spanned so many fields, feeling she needed to choose one direction and leave the rest behind. A coach eventually helped her see it differently: every role, challenge, and skill she'd accumulated had contributed to a distinctive body of knowledge. Her varied experience wasn't a limitation—it was what made her approach unique.

That realization now shapes how she works with men and women in transition. Cara encourages people to see their own experiences not as unrelated chapters, but as pieces of a larger story that reveal their strengths, values, and purpose.

A Career Built Around People

One theme has remained constant throughout Cara's evolving career: her commitment to people. Her 25 years in education taught her to see students as more than scores on a spreadsheet—each one had unique strengths, challenges, dreams, and potential. That same conviction, that people are more than numbers, statistics, or outcomes, carries into her work today.

In addition to her coaching practice, Cara serves as a hospice Volunteer Supervisor, recruiting, training, mentoring, and supporting volunteers within a program built on a holistic approach to end-of-life care—one that tends to the emotional, spiritual, and practical needs of patients and families, not just the medical ones. In an environment where operational realities can sometimes compete with the deeply personal nature of end-of-life care, she advocates strongly for dignity, compassion, connection, and the individual needs of patients and families.

Helping People Recognize Their Gifts

One of Cara's most important messages is directed toward women who have spent years questioning whether their talents are valuable enough to share. She encourages women to own their gifts unapologetically and not let fear of judgment stop them from contributing those gifts to the world.

Cara herself once felt pressure to fit into a single box. Over time, she came to understand that she was never meant to—and that many of the women she works with aren't either. Women may be gifted in multiple areas and capable of making an impact across several facets of life; Cara believes those differences should be celebrated rather than minimized.

This message resonates especially with clients who compare themselves to others or doubt whether they have “enough” experience. When Cara began coaching, some clients were considerably older than she was, and she initially questioned whether she was qualified to guide them. She quickly learned that wisdom comes in many forms: her clients brought life experience she hadn’t yet had, and she brought her own distinct skills and perspective. Expertise, she realized, isn’t determined by age—value comes from the unique gifts and experiences a person has to offer.

Building Balance Through Holistic Practices

Through Balance & Bliss Wellness, LLC, Cara brings together several modalities to support people through periods of change, backed by Advanced Human Design Certification, Reiki Master Teacher training, and Holistic Life Coach Certification. Her offerings include Life Transition Coaching, Reiki certification programs, therapeutic writing workshops, art-based healing experiences, and community wellness events—all rooted in self-discovery rather than self-fixing. In Cara’s view, transformation isn’t necessarily about becoming someone new; it’s about uncovering strengths, understanding personal patterns, and building the confidence to move forward.

The Influence of Family and Perseverance

Cara credits much of her success to the unwavering support of her parents, husband, and children. Her mother, in particular, was one of her strongest champions while she was writing her books, consistently encouraging her to dream big and work diligently toward those dreams—reinforcing a belief Cara carries into her professional life: with dedication and perseverance, almost anything is achievable.

Leading with Honesty, Integrity, and Compassion

At the heart of Cara’s personal and professional philosophy are honesty and integrity, qualities she has drawn from managers, leaders, and mentors whose actions matched their words. These principles matter especially in hospice care, where she believes that even amid systems, metrics, and financial considerations, there must always be room for genuine human care. Whether working with colleagues, patients, clients, or community members, Cara believes trust and authenticity are what make people feel valued and respected.

Inspiring a More Authentic Future

Across education, hospice service, coaching, entrepreneurship, writing, and wellness, Cara’s career has consistently centered on helping people recognize their inherent value. Her story is a reminder that success doesn’t always follow a straight line—the experiences that seem unrelated at first are often what make a person uniquely qualified to serve others.

Her message to women is direct: don’t diminish your talents because they don’t fit someone else’s expectations. Gifts are meant to be developed, celebrated, and shared.

Through her coaching practice at Balance & Bliss Wellness, alongside her hospice service, educational background, and creative work, Cara continues to create spaces where people can reconnect with themselves, embrace their strengths, and move through life’s transitions with greater confidence. For Cara, that isn’t just a professional philosophy—it’s a way of living, and a message she carries into every community she serves.

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