

Dream Corner



My Mary Kay miracle started in January of 2000. At the time I had 5 children and now I have 10. My husband Darren and I both come from big families and we agreed that we wanted to have a big family of our own as well. My greatest joy in life comes from my family as well as my faith.

Darren and I were married in September of 1989 in the Salt Lake temple. We attended college together at Utah State University. After 5 years of college, Darren graduated with a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering. He then worked for UDOT for 5 more years to get his professional Engineering license. He enjoyed a great job yet we still found that we were always in need of more money to cover the fun parts of life like Christmas and family vacations. We also needed extra money for unplanned expenses like a car breaking down or a stay in the hospital. We studied every business opportunity we could and the very best one out there was Mary Kay. It was exciting to learn that Mary Kay's own philosophy for her dream company was that women needed to put God first, family second and their career third.

I wanted a way to earn money that would not take me away from my calling in life of being a wife and a mom. I also insisted on being a mom that was at home raising my own children just like my mom was for me so I signed my beauty consultant agreement.

I designed my work around the needs of my family and I worked consistent 20 hours a week. After three months I earned my first Mary Kay Car, a cherry red Pontiac Grand Am. Three months after that I became a sales director. One of my very first director checks was over \$5,000 for one month and I realized that I had just matched my husband's income on part time hours and only 6 months into a new business. It was then that I decided I wanted to be a part of Mary Kay for the rest of my life.

Since that time I have discovered that Mary Kay offers many more benefits than a great income. I have found precious friends, family vacations, greater self-confidence, the satisfaction of making a difference to others and a greater enthusiasm for life. One year we took our whole tax return of \$8,000 and spent a week in Disney World. It was a memory I will always cherish. I look at how quickly the time has gone. My oldest daughter Heidi earned her first Mary Kay car in two months while she was still in high school and is already off to college at BYU in Provo, Utah. Three of my boys are as big as their dad. I am grateful that I was a stay at home mom and that I could run a business from home. Life happens so quickly.

Now I am passionate about preserving the freedoms of our great country. Small business is an important part of a free country. All of us can step up and make a difference. Mary Kay is a company that attracts good people that want a better life. Thank you Mona for your mentoring, faith, courage and loyalty to this company and our great country. Your legacy continues to grow.

Miracles Happen!
Love,
Senior Director Kerri Bunker

