



Rick Miller

Founder & Chief Treasure Hunter Kids at Hope

Rick Miller has spent 44 years educating, advocating, caring and supporting the futures of all youth.

Beginning in 1993 Rick led a seven year research literature review to better understand the dynamics that led to success or failure. His findings have revolutionized the understanding of child and youth development.

Rick received Arizona State University's Visionary Award in 2007 and the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge. George Washington Honor Medal in 2009.

Rick has published several books including *Kids at Hope: All Children Can Success, No Exceptions.* Now in its third edition.

Rick served in the White House during the 1980's in support of the President's Task Force on Private Sector Initiatives. He has also testified before Congress on issues affecting children and youth.

In addition to serving as Founder and President of Kids at Hope, an international Initiative, Rick also teaches part time at Arizona State University.

Rick crosses over all disciplines and is highly sought as a keynote speaker and presenter to academic, recreation, youth development and law enforcement audiences. His wit, humor and story-telling abilities captivate the imagination leaving everyone who hears him believing that all children are truly capable of success, **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Rick is a husband, father, and grandfather. He lives in Phoenix, Arizona.