

SAMPLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS FOR DEB

1. Why did you begin writing? Is it something you always wanted to do?
 - How did you get started?
 - How long have you been doing it?
 - Some people love to write; others love having written. Which category do you fall into and why?
2. There are a lot of things to write about. Your first book, *Related by Chance, Family by Choice* focuses on the relationships between mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law. How did you get interested in this topic?
3. So what led you to write this book?
4. Why do you think mothers-in-laws and daughters-in-law struggle? Why can't these two women get along?
5. So you're a mother-in-law – how many daughters-in-law do you have?
 - Tell us a little bit about the girls.
 - How are the relationships? Do they all get along with you? How about with each other?
 - What makes it work? What are some things you do that makes these successful family ties?
 - What have they taught you?
3. You are also a daughter-in-law. How do YOU get along with your Mother-in-Law?
 - Tell us about your relationship with your husband's mother?
 - What are some things you've learned from her?
4. Is the book autobiographical? Is it your story?
5. So in your research you heard from a lot of women. My bet is you came across some interesting stories. Any you can share with us?
6. What facts related to the writing of this book, surprised you? What are the statistics our listeners might find interesting?
7. There are a lot of self-help books on family relationships. In what ways is your book distinct from other books on the topic or in the genre?
8. What are the standout features of your book?
9. So who's this book written for? Who will find it helpful?



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14. You have been speaking for more than 25 years.
 - a. What topics do you address?
 - b. How would you describe your speaking style?

15. When will the book be available?
 - a. Release date?
 - b. Where can our listeners find it?

16. How can our listeners connect with you?