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"I love what I do for a living--coaching leaders and their teams, facilitating leadership retreats at our ranch, and guiding insights through coaching intensives where we enhance the experience with nature-based learning. What gets me up in the morning? Working with leaders who are at the top of their game and want to keep learning, or leaders who want to achieve more and don't know what's blocking them from getting there. I help them find out and learn how to act on it."

Ris Higgins is an executive coach and innovative thought leader who has been working with leaders and their teams for more than 40 years. She joined her husband, Joe, in their coaching company in 1993 to guide leaders in behavioral change through an approach they describe as relevant, inspiring, and profound. Since then, she has accumulated over 4,500 hours of coaching, outfitting her clients with the tools and practices to engage in extraordinary leadership.

Ris's coaching focus is based on real life applications, not theory. She blends her coaching education with her personal experiences as a corporate leader, government manager, author, entrepreneur, and business owner. Clients appreciate her transforming questions that help them capture insights, achieve breakthroughs, add value, and get results. Bottom line—her personal mission is to make a difference. And she does.

Ris works throughout North America with clients which include MillerCoors, Kraft Foods USA and Canada, Capital One, Albertsons, FINRA, Chevron-Texaco, Mosaic Companies, and Heineken USA. She has written a monthly newspaper business column for over ten years, has co-hosted a monthly radio show on leadership, and produced a documentary on equine facilitated leadership.

Ris received her Bachelor of Science degree from Iowa State University. In 2001, she graduated from a three-year professional development program on Coaching and Leadership offered by the Center for Authentic Leadership in Atlanta. She continued to enhance her coaching career with her graduation from the one-year Ontological Learning Course for experienced coaches offered by Newfield Network in the UK and Washington D.C. In addition, Ris is a Marshall Goldsmith Certified Stakeholder Centered Coach, a member of the International Coach Federation, and a Distributor and Licensed Practitioner of Insights Discovery.

Ris is a former Board President of the Prospera Business Network and currently serves on their Women's Advisory Board for the Montana Women's Business Center in Bozeman, MT, who named her their 2011 Mentor of the Year. In 2012, the SBA named her first runner-up as the Women in Business Champion of the Year, and in 2014, Ris was honored with the Athena Leadership Award for Women in Business.