



# Storytelling (GRIO)

To Whom It May Concern:

Mr. Charles R. Cook, Jr. has been interacting in the Art of Storytelling for over 35 years. First in the educational arena, which include various schools districts, colleges, the National Education Association and the New Jersey Education Association Conferences. He also worked with churches, performing arts organizations – Walt Whitman Center, libraries – Philadelphia, Newark and Jersey City, senior organizations, Juvenile Justice – New Jersey and Philadelphia, community outreach programs and various other community-based organizations.

In addition, Mr. Cook was also inducted in the public speaking group of Ma & PA Productions, which include a list of speakers such as Bill Cosby, Colin Powell, Tavis Smiley and others. The idea of Story Telling has taken him from the story of “A Fathers Love” Series, to “The Building of Kings and Queens”. Mr. Cook states that, “He now I understand that his stories are stories for the mind, heart and spirit. When looking for stories to add to the storytelling portfolio the stories come from all around the world.”

Mr. Cook has performed from lower grade schools to senior citizen groups. He states that, “I am now expanding into corporation presentations. My belief is that everyone should have an understanding of humanistic values, and in the meaning of life that it introduces from a storytelling perspective. I look forward to all who has the ability to listen and enjoy the stories that may give one a new meaning to life itself.”

The need of expanding cultural horizons is a true testament of our time. This would be an opportunity to open new and exciting positive cultural venues. Therefore, Mr. Cook would very much like to meet with you to discuss this matter further. Please contact him at 856-761-2701. He looks forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'C.R. Cook, Jr.' The signature is fluid and stylized, with the first letters of the first and last names being prominent.

Charles R. Cook, Jr.  
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