

DENISE BENNETT

Denise Bennett tells stories with heart, humor and harp. Whether telling stories from her life experience or her own version of a folktale, or sacred stories from many traditions, Denise's performances always include music; sung or played on the celtic harp. Denise has over a decade of experience as a chaplain in a retirement community which she brings to her leadership in workshops, retreats and as a storytelling coach -- for her storytelling and story-listening go hand in hand. She is also an award winning "liar", having won the 2015 Mountain Mac Virginia Liar's Contest. Her writing has appeared in "Style Magazine"; "The Sun" and most recently, her short creative non-fiction piece, "Holy Mother at the VMFA" was published in the book "Nine Lives; a Life in Ten Minutes Anthology". Her CD "Lost and Found" incorporates stories and songs both personal and traditional. You can find out more on Denise's website: storiesbydenise.com.

Master Storyteller and author Elizabeth Ellis says,

"Denise Bennett is a storyteller and a musician of exceptional talent. Her work is timeless, and flawless. Her work reminds us of the love that dwells in the deep heart's core."