
TESTIMONIALS

“Where the Roses Grow is a riveting story of loss and resilience during the Bosnian War. Nikolina Ivankovic is among the strongest and most determined woman I’ve ever known. Faced with unimaginable difficulties and life in a war zone, using only her wits and limited resources, she is able to save herself and her family. She tells of her traumatic experiences with a grace and beauty that leave the reader with hope that there is still good in the world. This book is a must read!”

—SUSAN ROE

“I am completely in awe of how magical this book is! I feel transformed and even awakened by all that I read. I couldn’t put it down, every line was captivating. Nikolina teaches us through her journey that love, following her intuition, hope, and action can create miracles.”

—HEIDI MARTIN, Certified Heal Your Life® Leader and Life Coach

“This book took me on an emotional journey of one woman’s testimony connecting me and my family to the stories of my ancestry. Such integrity of storytelling that invited me through the hills of Bosnia with Nikolina much like my father brought me through the telling of his story through these same crossings fifty years earlier. We are in need of these stories.”

—LISA BRKICH, Choreographer

“The unique ability to captivate an audience through storytelling is a valuable asset of Nikolina. The way she articulates events allows her audience to truly value the experience of listening to her as a speaker. It was truly a pleasure to work with her and see her story come to life and I look forward to learning more about her in this book.”

—ROGER CAESAR, International world champion public speaker, professional speaking coach, successful entrepreneur