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But, this is not the only adversity Harvey has overcome in her life - she had other physical and emotional struggles, including a failed marriage that helped shape her life and become the resilient person she is now. This is a very inspiring book about an amazing woman who's overcome a lot and revamped her dreams when the original dreams died. Apr 28, Sondra Retzlaff rated it liked it Shelves: personal-growth. I was fascinated by her story when I saw her sing on America's Got Talent. This has some great advice about pursuing the full use of your gifts even in the face of overwhelming challenges. I appreciated her honesty and that it was a clear picture that a life of faith doesn't mean our lives will always be rosy.

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