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WHAT MAKES GOOD STORYTELLERS GREAT?

- 1. THEY USE THEIR VOICES TO THEIR BEST ADVANTAGE
- 2. THEY TELL STORIES IN THE STYLE THAT BEST SUITS THEIR PERSONALITY
- 3. THEY DEVELOP AN ALMOST INSTANT RAPPORT WITH THE AUDIENCE
- 4. THEY HAVE A HIGHLY DEVELOPED SENSE OF FLEXIBILITY AND TIMING
- 5. THEY REALLY LIKE WHAT THEY ARE DOING AND ARE COMFORTABLE IN FRONT OF THEIR AUDIENCE AND ENGAGE WITH THEM
- 6. THEY HAVE A WELL DEVELOPED STAGE PRESENCE
 - CONFIDENCE, ASSURANCE
 - PACING, FACIAL EXPRESSION, GOOD USES OF PAUSES AND TEMPOS
- 7. THEY TELL STORIES FROM THE HEART, TO THE HEART, HONESTLY, OPENLY, AND WITHOUT TRYING TOO HARD

PERFORMANCE PACKAGE PATTERN (ELIZABETH ELLIS)

HAHA! - SHORT, FUNNY

AHA! - CLEVER, WITTY OR WITH A TWIST

AAH! - LONGER, INTERESTING STORIES WITH SOME EMOTIONAL DEPTH

AMEN! - POWERFUL OR MEANINGFUL STORIES