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**Guest Available: Widowed Romance Writer:  
"Give Me REAL Romance—Or Give Me My Empty Bed!"**

CATSKILL MOUNTAINS, NY: After her storybook 23-year marriage ended when her husband succumbed to cancer, romance writer and widowed mother of three Elaine Williams wanted another prince—but found herself politely holding her nose in the company of a whole bunch of warty frogs.

Were her standards too high? "I know it's possible to find true joy in a relationship. That's what Joe and I had together. By setting high standards, I will find someone to meet those standards. In the meantime, my life is exuberant and passionate, even without a life partner."

And—in media interviews and in her new book, **A Journey Well Taken: Life After Loss**—she has a message for the 700,000 new widows across the U.S. each year:

- Don't settle for less than you deserve—there IS a prince for you, and you can have a happy, fulfilled life while you're looking
- Moving through loss leads you to new strength, purpose, and dignity
- Slap away that fear of being alone, and rediscover who you really are

A lifelong writer who has published with Silhouette and elsewhere, Williams chronicled the transformational time beginning with Joe's illness, carrying through his lingering death, and into her struggle to make a new and happy life for herself and her sons—warty frogs and all.

Producers and hosts: Williams is an experienced media guest. To preview her, visit [www.ajourneywelltaken.com](http://www.ajourneywelltaken.com) and click "Success-Talk Radio Interview"  
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