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Dear Andrea,



Andrea's words to live by....

LET GO

Have you ever had days when you aren't as outgoing as you normally are? In our business, we aren't afforded the luxury of pulling the covers over our heads and making the world just go away. By Andrea Patrick Forte.

Appealing, Bubbly, Complete, Distinct, Empowering, Fulfilled, Grounded, Healthy, Insightful, Jolly

Andrea's Tips
Take Responsibility
Learn From Past Mistakes
Learn Acceptance

"We must be willing to let go of the life we have planned, so as to look forward to the life that is waiting for us."

Andrea Patrick Forte

Dear Andrea,
Can you tell me exactly what it means to be put 'on hold' by an agency?

Jacqueline
Milan, MI

Dear Jacqueline,

This is when the agency puts you 'on hold' for a job they are working on for you. It means the client is seriously considering you and wants you to keep the time available for them first. If anything else comes up for that specific time, you must notify your agency immediately before accepting another job. There have been many times when I have put my models on hold for a job only to get a call from the model thinking that the 'hold' call was a confirmed booking or they forgot to hold the dates. So, when your

agent calls you, please listen carefully to whether it is a hold or a booking and treat them both seriously.

Dear Andrea,
A friend asked me to model in a local trunk show. Can you tell me what a trunk show is?

Kayla
Arcadia, CA

Dear Kayla,

Well, first of all, congratulations for being asked to be part of the show! Participating in trunk shows is a great way to get modeling experience. A trunk show typically features one specific designer line and you will be asked to model the line of clothing informally for the clientele of the boutique. The store will usually announce that they will be showing this line in their store and will let customers know that they will have models showing off the clothing in a casual atmosphere.

Sometimes, you may even need to know a little about what you are wearing such as the price, fabric, other color choices, etc., but whoever has hired you will let you know if they need you to know about the designer and the line or only to model the clothing. But, it is always best to have an outgoing, pleasant personality when you are in this type of environment, so keep this in mind and go have fun!

So, to let your life become one big let-go experience here are...

Andrea's
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See the rainbow, not the rain.

The road to success is always under construction.

"Kind words are short and easy to speak but their echoes are truly endless." - Mother Teresa

So, I want you to:

Be Accepting - - Expect Nothing - Release your Fears & Just Be

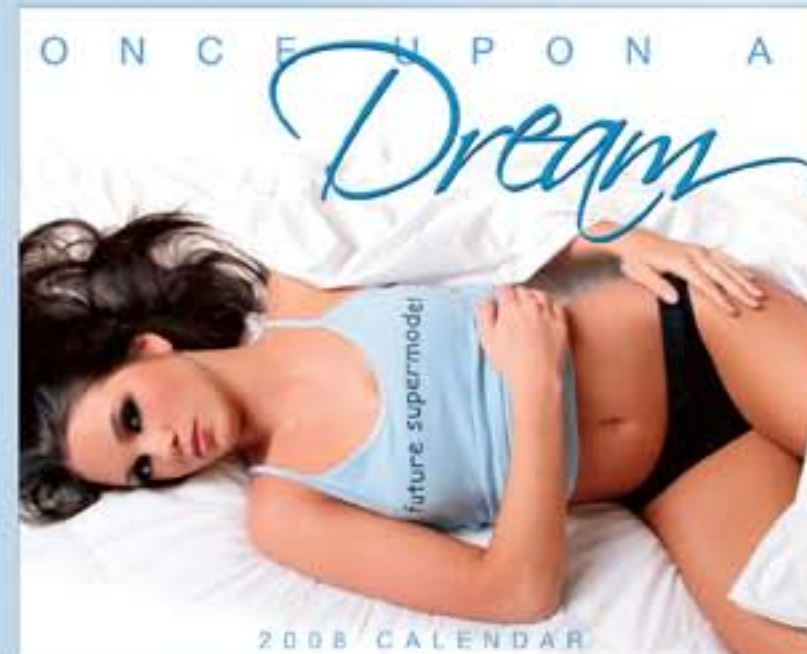
Everything I am or ever hope to be, I owe to my heroic angel Mom! Andrea

GOTTA QUESTION! You need to write to me! I want to talk to you. I am so proud to be affiliated with such a prestigious publication and delighted to offer to other models what I have learned as a way of giving back to an industry that has been so good to me.

E-mail me anything related to modeling that you would like to ask me to:
andrea@patricktalent.com. And, your questions just might get answered in the next issue of SU!

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