

SOME MORE RANDOM FACTS ABOUT MONA LIM

I have a current life insurance license and an expired series 6 & 63 license (to sell investments/securities).

I spent several seasons in Nantucket, NYC and Boston, bartending, waiting tables and managing restaurants.

I owned 2 Subway Sandwich franchises. I had to attend “Subway School” in order to open my stores.

I was an “institutional” baker but can only make bread if you give me a 50-pound bag of flour and a giant Hobart mixer!

I have been a ghost writer, policy writer, speech writer, technical writer (once for the DC-8 and Boeing 727 aircraft!). I have also written plays, scenes and monologues.

I am a divorced mother and grandmother. I married and divorced the same man TWICE.

I used to own a specialty retail and marketing company that specialized in “pitch” sales and demonstrating products.

I have done “roadside” sales of carpets, paintings and sunglasses. My sunglasses business took me to Hawaii and Australia in the “off-season”.

I was a former pre-med at Yale. My father and both grandfathers were MDs, so I am comfortable around medical terminology. Mom was an RN and Grandma was a Doctor of Oriental Medicine and acupuncturist.

I have worked in HR and Legal in different companies, and functioned as an attorney liaison so I am comfortable around legal terminology.

I have an entrepreneurial spirit and have joined so many different MLMs that my friends nicknamed me the “The MLM Queen”. Yes, I was even a Mary Kay lady.

In addition to being a director/teacher of performing arts, I have also been a high school teacher, and a guidance and college counselor. I have also taught gymnastics, violin, voice, music, writing, PE and been a math tutor.

I used to be a total adrenaline junkie: rollercoasters, skydiving, white-water rafting...

When I was 16, I had an illness from which I never quite recovered. I lived through my entire adult life being chronically exhausted and having these periodic “crashes” where I would be unable to get out of bed or leave my house. In 2019, my condition got so bad that I was unable to work at all. In 2021, I found a functional/integrative medical practitioner who gave me my life back. I have first-hand experience on what it’s like, not only to be chronically ill, but to start questioning your own mental stability because no one can find a reason for why you cannot think or function. I also know the overwhelming gratitude and relief of finally regaining FULL energy and vitality, something I had not experienced since I was a teenager! It is no coincidence that I started my third act in 2021 and that I have been on a roll ever since!