

Talking Points

TIME ON THE INSIDE: Behind The Walls In A Maximum Security Women's Prison From An Insiders View

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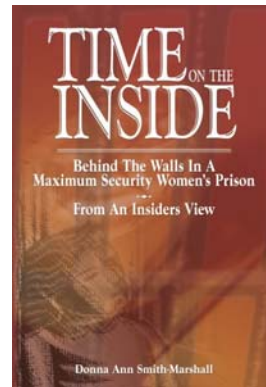
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Here are various talking points related to the book in which you can use to spark dialogue for your audience.

- **Women in Prison: A Growing Trend**
 - Why are more women going to prison today more than ever?
 - Why do women commit crime?
 - What happens day to day behind the walls day in a Maximum Security Women's Prison?
- **What is the Prison Industry Association–PIA and why you feel felons are exploited?**
 - Does the PIA exploit felons?
 - What types of jobs do felons perform in the PIA?
 - Who benefits from the PIA?
- **Sexual tensions in women's prison?**
 - Do women refrain or not from sex while incarcerated?
 - Are women forced into sex while in prison?
 - Does prison breed bisexuality behind the walls and out?
- **Does rehabilitation happen in women's prison?**
 - Should we allow rehabilitation in our prisons and after release?
 - Does the government have a right/obligation to ensure rehabilitation for convicts?
 - Should society have a say in rehabilitation of felons?
- **Why should rights be restored for ex-felons?**
 - How do ex-felons get their rights back after doing time?
 - Why doesn't the government allow ex-felons to have rights restored automatically?
 - Should society care about rights of ex-felons being restored?
- **What is Work Furlough and does it really help convicts?**
 - Does furlough benefit the convict?
 - What does a convict do at work furlough?
 - What should communities know about work furlough programs?
- **Why should society be compassionate about women in prison? Why should they care at all?**
 - Should society care about reforming an ex-felon?
 - Does society play a role in restructuring of women's prison?
 - How can society help change the number of women going to prison?