

## Intuitive Concepts By Karen Seelenbinder

“I had 19 major surgeries that included five pregnancies resulting in one living child,” explains Diana Garber, Owner of Intuitive Concepts. “After two near-death experiences, I realized that traditional medicine was just one approach to medicine. I kept losing precious things so I began seeking alternative methods. For me, it was about survival.”

Diana began formally studying Feng Shui, the study of man in his environment, 30 years ago following a near-death experience. “I was in surgery and as they were operating, I remember detaching from my body and watching from the upper corner of my room,” explained Diana. “I heard the doctor say, ‘we’re losing her, we’re losing her’ and minutes later I was back in my body.” This experience confirmed for Diana, she was still here to perform Feng Shui.

The next time it happened, “I awoke in the recovery room and the name of my new company, Intuitive Concepts (IC), was revealed. Eventually, I had a ten-year plan to leave the corporate world. My last position was Vice President of Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery at Bank One.” People thought I was loony for leaving a six-figure salary and pension to do this. But, I was on a mission.”

This was a tough decision for Ty, Diana’s husband. Ty was her biggest skeptic in the beginning. “He, and several of our friends, questioned the validity of Feng Shui and making a business of it,” said Diana. “But now he sees Feng Shui works he’s my biggest supporter.” Ty’s cynicism helped Diana understand the forthcoming skepticism about Feng Shui. “Most people think Feng Shui is about furniture placement, clutter, trinkets, or Asian decorating. Re-education is key. Feng Shui should be felt not seen.”

Diana explains, “Quite simply, Feng Shui is the study of man in his environment. Many of the successes and failures an individual has in his/her life stem from positive/negative energies that exist in the buildings they occupy (work and home). Our approach incorporates science and risk-management principles making it one of the most accurate and quantifiable forms of Feng Shui. The key to a truly effective energy analysis is the research that goes into each project. We study energy patterns of the outside natural environment. Then consider energies at the macro level including gravitational energies and magnetic fields. Feng Shui also considers the electromagnetic spectrum including the wavelengths of colors and vibrational energies of the materials that surround the occupants of a building. And finally, we analyze the quantum vibrational energies of the individuals that inhabit the buildings. By increasing the positive energies and mitigating the negative energies one is able to manage risks of each location.”

Diana helps her clients to identify goals and benchmarks to measure their Feng Shui results. “It should be cause and effect, that’s what convinces skeptics—and they become devout fans.” Using her background in business continuity and disaster recovery, clients have achieved results that include: Attracting the right employees; elevating personnel and technology effectiveness; more consistent sales volume; thriving in a bad economy; more repeat business; increased bottom line; improved employee fitness and morale; and leading their competition (and in some cases eliminating them).

“Authentic Feng Shui is logical, methodical, and utilizes formulas involving physics and observation. We work with our clients over the course of a year.” One of Diana’s clients had theft energy. The plan of action changed the energy and theft is no longer an issue. Another client increased their bottom line by millions of dollars.

“I am proud that reputable and professional organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce,

Building Industry Association and National Assn. of the Remodeling Industry have given us awards. We are building confidence in the community, and authentic Feng Shui is a credible business strategy.”

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