

# 4 Marriages Later....



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one of my friends from high school has recently married a fourth husband. Believe it or not, all three of the previous husbands died, leaving my friend a widow 3 times. I've watched this person take a few years and then move forward 3 times now - the wedding to the 4th husband took place a few days ago.

Honestly, I don't know if I could do that. I've known this person basically all my life, and we are alike in many ways. We come from the same background, have had success in our business endeavors, and when we get together we can literally talk all day without stopping. When we talk about this amazing ability to move on, my friend simply says, "I believe that each of us deserves to be happy, and it makes me happy to be with this person now. I've grieved the past, but it doesn't define me." There's no drama. No worrying about pleasing other people or what others might think. There's just a focus on being in the moment, and choosing happiness and companionship and love.

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This same person has owned many homes, some of them extremely large and filled with antiques, china, art, and expensive furniture. But as much as this person has loved every minute of shopping and accumulating possessions, she also has become completely at ease with shedding and decluttering. Things I knew she treasured above everything have been sold or given away in a week's time. "Life moves on and what we owed in a past life sometimes doesn't fit the new house or the new husband or how I feel about things. Someone else's turn."

One of the things we'll talk about in my upcoming Decluttering Your Business's Backend virtual workshop is not feeling guilty about what you've bought and never used. Please register for this workshop today for a fresh start for fall. We'll be focusing on how to simplify your business's backend systems to save time and money, so that you feel organized and confident about what's next for you, no matter what that is. I've designed a special set of workshop materials for participants, and I can't wait to get in this hands-on workshop with you.

Often my friend and I talk business, since we are both entrepreneurs. We both realize that it's a bad decision to dwell on a bad decision. We both realize that simplicity and freedom can be found in taking inventory and letting go. That's what we'll be doing next Wednesday.

I wish my friend the best in this fourth marriage. While I might at this point be wondering why try again, she has every faith that this is forever. A fresh, decluttered start is a decision we can all make.

To your sweet success,  
Sue Painter

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