## Paula Hines Lonergan

## Presentation and Book Signing



Saturday, January 3, 2004 11:00am to 1:00pm

Kirkby Room, 2nd Floor

Kirn Memorial Library 301 E. City Hall Avenue Norfolk, VA 23510 (757) 664-7323 www.npl.lib.va.us

Program is free and open to public. For three hours free parking, park on South Deck of MacArthur Garage and bring ticket in for validation.

Paula Hines Lonergan was born in Washington, D.C. and raised in Maryland. She relocated to Southern California in 1986. She currently works at the California Institute of Technology in the Physics, Math, and Astronomy Division.

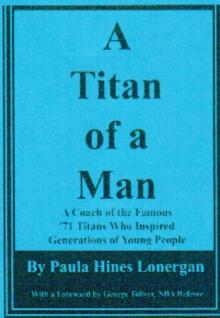
Paula also performs audio and video voiceovers for Heritage Media Productions, as well as designing websites, hosting, and consulting. She has been involved in a community outreach program for 14 years.

She is a freelance writer and the creator of the online news series entitled "Commentary On...." She also does speech writing and conducts seminars.

In <u>A Titan of a Man</u>, she tells the story about her father, Paul "Doc" Hines, a native of Norfolk, and the offensive line coach who, in 1971, was instrumental in bringing a championship season to the TC Williams High School football team, the Titans, which had been recently integrated that same year. This story was the basis of the 2000 movie <u>Remember the Titans</u>, starring Denzel Washington.

In the book, she discusses the "if you don't mind, it don't matter" attitude, that her father believed in and instilled in others. By her learning and applying mind over matter, she developed tenacity, determination, and found true happiness and success in her own life. She hopes that others will benefit from reading about her father.





"It is men like [Doc Hines] who so often make the crucial difference in the lives of others."—Greg Alan Williams, Actor and Author of <u>Boys to Men</u> and <u>Meditations for Distant Dads</u>