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When I first walked into a bead store over 20 years ago I felt as though I had come face to face with my life's purpose.

Having always had an entrepreneurial spirit these sparkly beads made me feel like I could really make a difference in the world.

I started my first business at the young age of 16, painting T-shirts for all the kids in high school, Rolling Stones, Marilyn Monroe, Elvis....you name it, I painted it all by hand and had quite the following of fans! Next.....I decided to paint walls....these big beautiful murals paid better and got me even more recognition. I was painting kid's rooms, restaurants, people's dining rooms, and an auto-dealership.

Even though I always had the passion to venture out on my own I also worked a full time job in a large corporation and worked my way up the corporate ladder while, painting, beading and attending school part time.

All of this came to halt in 2007 when I decided to take the full time plunge into the business that I had worked so hard to build, glamjulz was now going to be run by me 7 days a week!

It was the best decision I ever made and have never looked back.

Now I spend my time traveling, servicing over 100 independently owned boutiques across Canada and the US, participating in beautiful shows and also using my passion for jewelry design to give back to the community with various fund raising initiatives. I've raised over \$25,000 to date for Halton Food for Thought, The Juravinski Cancer Centre, Dress for Success and our very own Three Little Wishes Fund.

My business has become the conduit for inspiring and being inspired by many wonderful customers and new friends. I want everyone that meets me to feel better because they did! I'm here to help you show the world your sparkle.