

ASCEND 2026 - The Kings - Straight Talk About Safety

Safety talks can often be off-putting and lack actionable guidance, but risk management tools can overcome those deficiencies. John and Martha King discuss how to approach safety by understanding and mitigating risk. This startling presentation for all pilots will offer a provocative approach with new concepts, a new vocabulary, and fresh insights on aviation risk management. John and Martha King's insightful talk will reveal procedures and techniques that can help you better manage aviation risks effectively and confidently, leading to safer flying and more fun in the cockpit.

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