Angela Magana

Angela Magana was born August 2, 1983 in Los Angeles C.A. She is one of those stories you love to hear. Angela overcame numerous adversities to become a well known successful professional mixed martial arts fighter. The first adversity she overcame was addiction, not of her own but born into. Angela's parents were heroin addicts. Angela lived off and on with her parents until her grandparents took custody of her.

Angela was the lone female wrestler in junior high and high school while being an accomplished amateur boxer. Angela met her coach UFC veteran Floyd Sword at the age of 13 at a boxing match. Angela began training in Mixed Martial Arts with Floyd Sword when she was 14. The training was an on and off during her teen years. Angela Magana had her first professional M.M.A. fight at the age of 23 and has never looked back. It was always her dream to become a pro fighter and manifesting that dream has never made her happier. She takes pride in never giving up and that attitude prevailed even in her darkest hour. When the worst possible thing happened that would have ended any young athletes career. Angela fell 30 feet and shattered her spine she spent weeks in the hospital being told to have surgery. She refused surgery against all recomendations. Instead was placed in a body cast for 3 months and was told she would never fight again. From there she used visualization and her die trying attitude as rehab. Five weeks after the cast was removed she fought, won, and got fight of the night in Las Vegas. Three months later she won the FCF Bantamweight title. She is ranked among the top 10 in the world and continues to fight.

Angela Magana know resides in Farmington New Mexico with her 7 year old daughter Delilah. Angela teaches kick-boxing, trains for fights, stays very active at the public schools by volunteering and refereeing wrestling, and is heading up an organization called Salvaging Sisterhood to help at risk teen girls. Angela is also filming a reality show called Ultimate Women Challenge to appear on NBC affiliated networks in April. Angela hopes to inspire children to never give up and to keep a positive attitude through adversity by setting that example.