

Ken Brown My Classification Talk



Ken Brown was born in Newton MA on November 9, 1947. He Grew up in the town of Weston, MA, the son of an Orthopedic Surgeon and a Nurse, who met in 1946 in Wichita Falls, Texas where they were stationed together in the Army. He is the oldest of eight siblings with six sisters and one brother.

Ken has worked continuously from age 14 until retiring at age 65 secondary to a stage 3 colon cancer. He spent most of his career as a manager in healthcare. In addition, he led a paralegal team at the Vandeventer Black, Law Firm; worked with local groups in advertising, graphic design and photography; wrote programs for data collection in the Blood Gas Lab at SNGH and Medical Billing programs for a local physician and a Scheduling Program for a local carpet cleaning company (also worked there as assistant manager and educator) .

His focus is on how things work, how they relate to each other and the world, and effective communication with others.

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Ken attended school at Mount Trinity Academy in Belmont, MA. He then moved on to four years at Boston College High School and followed up by avoiding the draft spending FIVE years at Boston College before finally being drafted into the Army (which he avoided by enlisting in the Navy).

In addition, he attended Newton-Wellesley Hospital's School of Nursing after leaving the Navy to become an RN so he could have credentials for other medical careers and positions in the future.

Ken has also taken courses at Harvard, ODU and earned a second degree in Visual Communications from American Intercontinental University graduating first in his class with a 4.0 GPA!

Additionally, Ken has taken management classes through his work and assisted others in obtaining their MBA in Medical Management programs even though he declined to formally take them himself.



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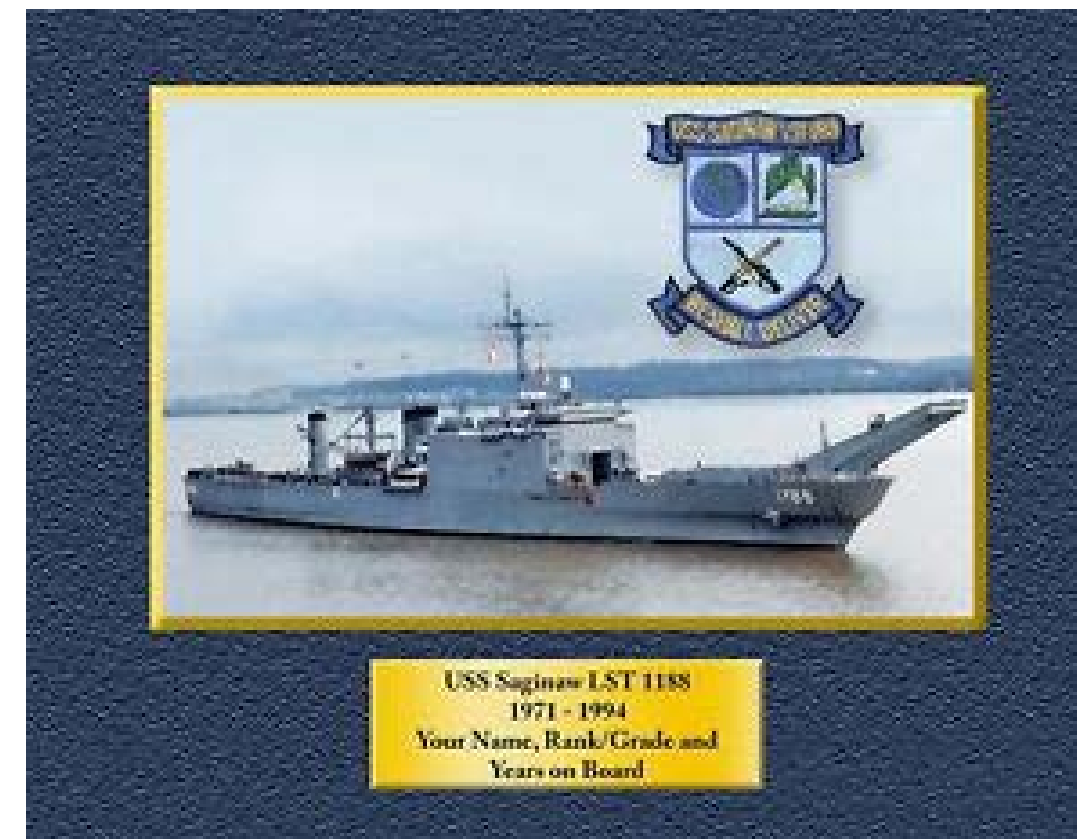


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