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Shortly after graduation I married Claudia Marks. We hung around Connecticut until I reported to Navy Officer Candidate School and began my three-year tour. I was assigned to two destroyers out of San Francisco and basically cruised around the eastern Pacific. Law school at Syracuse came next.

We then moved to Tucson, Arizona, where I passed the bar and began practicing law in a firm of which I am still a member. We have grown from five lawyers to twenty-four in the intervening eighteen years. I work mainly in the areas of estate planning and municipal finance.

My son Tim was born in December 1976 and at sixteen is already several inches taller than I am. He is an avid basketball player and hopefully will develop into a sound player. Claudia and I were divorced in 1982, and I married Conni Lienhart in 1987.

Although Conni and I love the desert climate, we also enjoy traveling to other parts of the world. We have tried to frequent the Caribbean as much as possible to scuba dive. I have acquired an underwater camera outfit and therefore spend much of the dive time making all the mistakes possible and taking only a few good pictures. How better to relax than to torture yourself with something other than work pressure? The South Pacific will be the next area of exploration.