

Bio. For Judge Underwood

EDUCATION:

- BBA from the University of Texas at Austin, January 1965
- JD from Bates College of Law, University of Houston, January 1970
- Certified Mediator, Frank Evans Center for Conflict Resolution

HONORS RECEIVED AND POSITIONS HELD:

Football

- University of Texas 1960 – 1964
- New York Giants 1965
- Houston Oilers 1966 – 1970
- Denver Broncos 1971
- Member of Southwest Conference Champions 1961 – 1963
- Member of National Champions 1963
- Member of Orange Bowl Champions 1965
- All South Conference Center 1963
- Named to play in Pro-Bowl (AFL) 1968
- Inducted into Texas Longhorn Hall of Honor 2003

Law School

- Member of Barons (Honor Society, Bates College of Law)
- Chancellor of Barons
- Member Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity

Legal

- American Bar Association
- American Judges Association
- American Judicature Society
- Blue Ridge Institute Juvenile & Family Court Judges, President 1991 – 1992
- C.A.S.A. Board of Directors 2001 – 2006
- C.A.S.A. Judge of the Year 2001
- Christian Legal Society
- Fellowship of Christian Lawyers
- Montgomery County Bar Association, President 1980
- National Conference of Metropolitan Courts
- National Council of Juvenile & Family Court Judges
- State Bar of Texas – Board of Directors for Judicial Section
- State Bar of Texas – Juvenile Section
- State Bar of Texas Grievance Committee, Secretary, District 5A 1979 – 1980
- Task Force on Indigent Defense, Vice Chair
- Texas Judicial Council Sub-Committee on District Court Performance Measures

Community

- Member of West Conroe Baptist Church – Conroe, Texas
- Chairman of Various Committees – Tyron-Evergreen Association
- Trustee of Texas Baptist Children’s Home 1987 – 1993
- Selected Knights of Columbus Outstanding Citizen of the Year 1989
- Board of Trustees – Miracle Farm Home for Boys 1989 – 1993
- Founder of Crimestoppers – Montgomery County, Texas
- Founder of S.T.A.R. Program
- Founder/Director – You Are My SonShine Ministries, Inc.

PRESENTLY SERVING AS:

- Presiding Judge – Second Administrative Judicial Region of Texas
- Senior State District Judge – 284th Judicial District Court of Montgomery County, Texas
- Certified Mediator and Arbitrator
- C.E.O. – You Are My SonShine Ministries, Inc.