



Kerina Maye Graham

Kerina Graham is a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ Professional and Co-Founder of G & G Wealth.



G&G Wealth was formed by a great friendship of two advisors who have very similar beliefs and value systems. We both conveniently have last names starting with a G!

I remember sitting on my dad's lap when I was 6 years old, looking at the daily paper and going over stock quotes so that we could decide where to invest our hard earned money. I learned the lesson that you can find both winners and losers right away. My first penny stock went bankrupt which resulted in me losing my money for my first car; mom and dad helped out. From this I learned the value of finding a financial advisor who will truly have your best interests at heart and will guide you into making suitable decisions. I knew from a very early age that my future was in the financial industry helping others.



I have my MBA in Business Administration and a BA in Finance with a minor in Economics.



I hold the CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER—CFP® designation which is acquired after extensive training and requires that I be held to the highest ethical and educational standards. I also hold the CHARTERED RETIREMENT PLANNING COUNSELOR—CRPC® designation. My registrations include the series 7—General Securities Representative, the Series 9/10—General Securities Sales Supervisor currently held with LPL Financial. I also hold the Series 66—Uniform Combined State Law Examination with both LPL Financial and Stratos Wealth Partners. I also have a Life and Health License.



I started my career with Seafirst Bank in Washington State which later combined with Bank of America. Bank of America eventually took over Merrill Lynch in 2010.



After working for 22 years for a large firm, I made the decision to go independent. I joined LPL in 2014 and have never looked back.



When I am not working I can typically be found out hiking or walking on the local trails. My favorite vacations typically include a beach, water, and Scuba Diving or snorkeling with the turtles.



My nickname is Magellan because you never know what path I will take when hiking. I am very curious so I am always off exploring.



I love to be challenged. I am outgoing and adventurous, I'm always trying new things.



I have lost numerous friends and family to Cancer. As a result, I am very involved in finding a cure. I have walked in the Susan G. Komen 60-mile 3 Day walk for the past 10 years in 9 different states.



Currently, I'm most proud of a hike I accomplished - the Tour de Mont Blanc. This is a 105 mile hike around Mont Blanc which takes you through Switzerland, Italy, and France. In the summer of 2015, I also hiked Rim to River and back in the Grand Canyon.



I am married to my best friend, Bill, who blessed me with a son whom I wish was biologically mine. As a result, I have an incredible daughter in law, and 3 fabulous grandkids. I am a mother of 3 little fur babies - a yellow lab and two cats. I am the youngest of five children and help to take care of my elderly parents.



Be the reason someone *Smiles* today. Every accomplishment starts with the decision to try. Do not follow where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail. —Harold R. McAlindon



The name "Kerina" means: Dependable, down-to-earth and well grounded, you are always looking for meaningful work. Your prime desire is to build a protected and secure environment at home and work. You can be persuasive in achieving goals and gaining objectives. You can be detailed, well-organized and possess great organizational skills.



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