



HON. ERIC E. YOUNGER
Judge, Los Angeles County Superior Court
(Retired)

PROFESSIONAL

Private Judge, engaged in all phases of dispute resolution, affiliated with ADR Services (present)
Advisor to the Firm, Buchalter, Nemer, Fields & Younger (1999-2002)
Of Counsel, Graham & James (1995-99)
Judge of the Superior Court, Los Angeles County (1974-1995)

[Of 20+ years, the first six were on the Los Angeles Municipal Court - all California trial courts have *since* unified. Judicial service included several hundred jury trials, several thousand court trials, law and motion hearings and settlement conferences; final seven years were in Central Civil "fast track"; headed Pasadena Juvenile Court for two years; served twice on Superior Court Executive Committee and in various master calendar courts; represented court(s) on several boards, before Legislature and in national programs (primarily on community service sentencing, "cameras in the courts," crime victims' rights); California's first televised criminal trial; nine appellate opinions]

Justice Pro Tem, Court of Appeal (2nd District, 1982)
Assistant Attorney General, State of California: Law enforcement education, training and planning; statewide crime prevention programs; representative on POST Commission
Attorney, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, Los Angeles: Business law
Teaching: University of Southern California, University of California, Irvine
Police Officer: Hermosa Beach; Deputy, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Reserve officer, Pasadena Police Department; Political researcher

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School, 1968, cum laude: Poverty law, Community Legal Assistance Office
University of Southern California, 1965, magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa: Freshman track team; Otis Art Institute; John Marshall High School, Los Angeles (Highest Honors, three sports); Eagle Scout

TESTIMONY AND PUBLICATIONS

Author: YOUNGER ON CALIFORNIA MOTIONS (WEST, 1998)
Articles: STANFORD LAW REVIEW, NEBRASKA LAW REVIEW, JUDICATURE, HUMAN RIGHTS, LOS ANGELES COUNTY BAR JOURNAL, JUDGES' JOURNAL, WESTWAYS, THE POLICE CHIEF; Booklet, DOING BUSINESS IN KUWAIT, **Editorials** (some nationally syndicated): Los Angeles Times, Pasadena Star News; **Testimony:** United States Senate and House of Representatives, California Legislature; Lectures in 12 states on law, crime prevention, victims rights, sentencing, media

ACTIVITIES

LEGAL

Faculty, California Trial Judges' College, Berkeley, and National College of the State Judiciary, Reno, Nevada; American Bar Association, committee chair and section officer; Atlantic Exchange, Netherlands; Board of Directors, Neighborhood Justice Center, Venice; National Association of Victims Assistance; Harvard Law School Association; California Judges Association

COMMUNITY

Directorships: Boy Scouts of America, San Gabriel Valley Council (former Chair, Rose Bowl District); Pasadena Pops Orchestra (founding Board); **Member:** General Alumni Association, University of Southern California; National Ski Patrol; California Peace Officers; Harvard Law School Association.

PERSONAL

Born: San Francisco, 1943; **Married:** Former Debra Diane Degener (Flight Attendant, Continental Airlines); **Children:** Candace Anne (Los Angeles lawyer) and David Harry (Los Angeles teacher) **Languages:** Moderate Spanish, poor French; **Hobbies:** Travel, construction, camping/fishing, writing/reading, skiing