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Attorney Gene Silverblatt has been practicing law in the Fort Hood area since 1981. His firm, Silverblatt Law Office, is the area's only law firm limited exclusively to estate planning and administration, which includes Wills, Trusts, and Probate. Gene is often sought out on complex issues and over the years has regularly been chosen to teach this area of the law to estate planning attorneys at the Army's Judge Advocate General's School, as well as hundreds of paralegal students of his at Central Texas College since 1983.

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Gene Silverblatt, Owner and Senior Counselor at Law

Gene's passion for work with seniors grew out of his experiences as Chief of Legal Assistance for III Corps and Fort Hood in the early 1980s. He told us: “The military retirees have given so much to our country and this community. I really wanted to show my respect and appreciation for what they have done and so, with my legal training, it seemed like a great fit for me to help them with their legal concerns as they age. I could see this area being a great place for retirees and I wanted to be a part of it. Now with almost 30 years in private practice, (and as a military retiree myself) I can't imagine having done any other type of law anywhere else.”

When asked ‘why limit the practice of law to just estate planning and administration?’ Gene answers: “In my mind, guardianships and probate

cases are complex legal processes that require an in-depth knowledge of this corner of the law, I just couldn't do this as a jack-of-all-trades general practice attorney.”

Gene is very enthusiastic about his career choice: “I love to help people through these difficult times in their lives and find them the quickest, cheapest, and easiest path through the legal system while utilizing my years of experience working with the intense emotional family dynamics that often times come up during the process. But for me, the most rewarding part of my law practice is doing estate planning in ‘good times’ so as to minimize or even avoid the legal process altogether during the ‘bad times’ when someone becomes incapacitated or passes away.

Living trusts, speciality deeds, and customized powers of attorney especially for seniors, are all parts of the estate planning process that can accomplish this and can be one of the most thoughtful things you can do for your loved ones during Life's Third Act.”

Estate Planning & Administration
“It's all we do!”