

# LAW OFFICES OF LEONARD KOMEN, P.C.

*Area coverage:* Missouri Counties of:  
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## FIRM RESUME'

### LEONARD KOMEN

A 40-plus year practice in estate planning, wills, trust and probate administration, business and commercial law, commercial litigation, commercial collections, mechanics liens, real estate transactions and litigation, bankruptcy (creditors and debtors), business organizations, and banking law.

#### Bar Memberships

Missouri Bar, from 1970  
United States Supreme Court, from 1973  
U.S. Claims Ct., from 1992  
U.S. Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit, from 1970  
U.S. District Ct., E.D., Mo. 1971

#### Education and Military

B.A., University of Missouri, Columbia, 1965  
J.D., University of Missouri, Columbia, 1970  
U.S. Army Reserve, Honorable Discharge 1968-1974

#### Professional

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| Law Offices of Leonard Komen, P.C. | 1999 to present; principal   |
| Komen, Berger & Cohen, L.C.,       | 1996-99; principal   |
| Selner, Glaser, Komen, et al.      | 1980-96; principal   |
| Susman, Willer, Rimmel & Parker;   | 1970 - 1980; partner 1977-80   |
| Martindale Hubbell listing;        | 2023 Preeminent a/v rating (highest possible rating in legal ability and ethical standards). |
| Missouri Certified Mediator        | 2009-  |
| Avvo.com                           | Rating: 9.8 Top Contributor Award  |

Appointed as trustee, receiver and examiner by the United States Bankruptcy Court, (E.D. Mo.), and retained as Trustee, attorney for Executors, Trustees, debtors, and creditors in various cases, including:

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| M.... J. ....S ..... Trust         | Trustee                                      | \$500,000 assets                           |
| H.....S.... Trust                  | Trustee                                      | \$2,500,000 assets                         |
| J...S..S....Law Office             | Trustee, appointed by Missouri Supreme Court | to administer office of deceased attorney; |
| <u>In re Estate of Agnes Humes</u> | Lincoln County: Probate administration,      | \$4,500,000                                |

## Law Offices of Leonard Komen, P.C.

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| <u>In Re Morris A. Shenker -</u>        | Trustee; U. S. Bankruptcy Court, E.D. MO<br>\$9,500,00.00 discovered and distributed   |
| <u>In re Covert Marine, Inc.</u>        | United States Bankruptcy Court, W.D. MO<br>Chapter 11 asset administration \$35,000,000<br>receivables                       |
| <u>In Re Southtowne Partnership,</u>    | Receiver, U.S. Bankruptcy Court, E.D. MO<br>Apartment complex liquidation  |
| <u>In Re Forest Park Hotel, Inc.</u>    | Examiner, U.S. Bankruptcy Court, E.D. MO   |
| <u>In Re Foster Brothers Mfg., Inc.</u> | Attorney for Trustee, U.S. Bankruptcy<br>Court, E.D. MO; Liquidating Chapter 11;<br>creditors received distribution in full. |

### Community

Chairman, The Cancer Support Community of Greater St. Louis, (f/k/a The Wellness Community) Board Chair 2009-2011; Treasurer 2007-2008; Director 2006-2013

Corporate Governance Committee, Zeta Beta Tau Foundation, 2006-2007

National President, Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity, Inc., 1992 - 1994 - (Governing body of national college fraternity, 120,000+ alumni, 85+ undergraduate units; 5000+ undergraduates)

Director- voting 1984 - 96; emeritus 1996-; V.P. 1990 - 92; Sec'y, 1989 - 90

Director and President, Messing Education Foundation, 1989 - present;

President (1988-1990), Director (1985-1993), coach - Creve Coeur Hockey Club, Inc.,

Volunteer Interviewer, Missouri Veterans History Project 2012-2015

Singer, River City Pops; providing musical entertainment for area groups

Charter Member, National WWII Museum, (D-Day Museum) New Orleans, LA

### Materials, Speaker:

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| “The Role of the Litigator in Bankruptcy,” | Missouri Bar                            |
| “Legal Stress Management,”                 | Cancer Support Community Gtr. St. Louis |
| Selected topics on the law:                | Komenlaw.com                            |

### Honors/Recognition

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| Marquis Who's Who registry: | Who's Who in America, annual      |
|                             | Who's Who in American Law, annual |

### Biographical

Born, St. Louis, Missouri

Married - Sandra G. Komen, June 8, 1970; Educator, retired

Children - Douglas, Indiana Univ. 1995, CFO/Director, Vektor Medical, Inc., San Diego

Matthew, Indiana Univ., 1997, Entertainment Production, Producer,

Managing Member, The Biz, LLC.; Copper Blues and Standup

Live comedy clubs. Phoenix & Tempe AZ and Florida locations

### References

Corey S. Berger: Berger Cohen and Brandt, LLC, Attorneys at Law, Clayton, MO

Robert Margulis, Attorney-at-Law, St. Charles County

David Spewak, Attorney-at-Law, Clayton, MO

Honorable Barry S. Schermer, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge, (Ret) E.D. Mo.