

JUDICIAL CANDIDATES RATING COALITION
REQUEST FOR BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
FROM JUDICIAL CANDIDATES

This form seeks information about you that will be posted on the Judge4Yourself.com website with its ratings. Please complete and return this form and a black and white photograph of yourself no later than **June 18, 2008**. Each Candidate is responsible to provide accurate information, to review the information when posted and to advise the JCRC promptly of any correction required to that candidate's posted information.

Name: Evelyn Lundberg Stratton

Current City of Residence: Worthington, Ohio Date and Place of Birth: February 25, 1953, Bangkok, Thailand

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): The University of Akron, B.A. History, 1976

Law School (Year of Graduation): The Ohio State University College of Law, 1978

Other Graduate School, if any, and Degree (Year of Graduation): N.A.

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: 1979 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio 9
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which
You Are Admitted & Year(s): U.S. District Court, Southern District, Eastern Division, 1979; United States Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit, 1983

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 9

Briefly describe your areas of practice: In my prior law practice, I focused on commercial/business litigation, corporate/business practice, personal injury litigation, real estate, estate planning, and private adoption. From 1989-1996, I served as a trial judge on the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas. In my capacity as Justice, I have served on the Supreme Court of Ohio for twelve years, deciding thousands of cases, and spending countless personal hours working on matters of judicial administration.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: 9 years in private practice, 7 years as a trial judge on the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, and 12 years as Justice on the Supreme Court of Ohio.

Service as judge in state or federal court of record (identify position, court and years of service): Justice, Supreme Court of Ohio (1996-present); Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County (1989-1996)

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position): Justice, Supreme Court of Ohio (12 Years)

Previous Employment and Dates: Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County (1989-1996); Principal Partner, Wesp, Osterkamp & Stratton (1985-1988); Associate Attorney, Hamilton, Kramer, Myers & Cheek (1979-1985)

List no more than five of your significant community or charitable activities:

Mental Health Initiatives (Co-Chair of the Returning Home Advisory Commission, Co-founder and Co-chair of the Judges' Leadership Initiative, and Board Member of the Corporation for Supportive Housing National Board of Trustees); Adoption Initiatives (Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption Board Member, 1996-present); Prevent Blindness Ohio (Chair, Board of