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BAR ADMISSIONS:

CALIFORNIA (2000) AND TEXAS (2023);
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS, NORTHERN AND
CENTRAL DISTRICTS OF CALIFORNIA; NINTH
CIRCUIT US COURT OF APPEALS

PROFILE

Attorney with 24+ years of litigation and mediation experience.

LANGUAGES

Mandarin Chinese, Taiwanese, French

ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

Reading the Bible; Living my [Christian Faith](#); *Moms in Prayer* Leader; Christian Apologetics; Teaching my children truth; Defending the Constitution; Publishing books and Blogging; Worship/Piano

TRADEMARKS

Marriage is Grand.

Divorce? A Hundred Grand.®

EXPERIENCE

LAW AND MEDIATION OFFICES OF KELLY CHANG, A PROFESSIONAL LAW CORPORATION

OWNER/CERTIFIED FAMILY LAW SPECIALIST

MAY 2005 - PRESENT

Founder of [family law firm](#). Advise and represent clients with prenuptial agreements, adoptions, and dissolutions. Collaborative divorce and mediation advocate. [Legal analyst](#). Created "[Ethical Family Lawyering](#)" CLE. Drafted questions and developed Certified Family Law Specialist exams. Prolific [Author](#), [Blogger](#) and Content Creator (@lawyerkelly)

TRINITY LAW SCHOOL

ADJUNCT PROFESSOR (FAMILY LAW; COMMUNITY PROPERTY; PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY; LEGAL WRITING) AUGUST 2023 - PRESENT

EDUCATION

JURIS DOCTOR

UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO SCHOOL OF LAW

DECEMBER 1999, DEANS LIST

BACHELOR OF ARTS, ENGLISH

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES (UCLA)

JUNE 1997, HONORS

PUBLICATIONS

[PROTECTING YOURSELF FROM FALSE ACCUSATIONS](#)

(QUARANTINE PUBLICATIONS) AMAZON.COM #1 BEST-SELLER, LAW CATEGORY

[TWO ADVENTURES WITH MOM AND DAD](#)

(QUARANTINE PUBLICATIONS) AMAZON.COM #1 BEST-SELLER, CHILDREN'S MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE BOOKS CATEGORY

[HOPE'S BROKEN SNOW GLOBE](#)

(QUARANTINE PUBLICATIONS) AMAZON.COM #1 NEW RELEASE, CHILDREN'S MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE BOOKS CATEGORY

[STRATEGIES IN FAMILY LAW](#)

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AWARDS

SUPERLAWYERS, 2007 – 2024

SUPERLAWYERS, [TOP 50 WOMEN LAWYERS/TOP 100 LAWYERS IN](#)

[SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA](#), 2021-2024. FEATURED IN "[THE ROBE](#)" AND "[EVEN THE SKY IS DIFFERENT](#)"

OTHER PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

Certified Family Law Specialist, California Board of Legal Specialization;
California Real Estate Broker ([01441274](#)); California Notary (2466463)