



**EDUCATION:**

University of Colorado at Boulder, BA in Business Administration (Finance)

**MILITARY EXPERIENCE**

- Hospital Corpsman (Naval Hospital Camp Pendelton)

**Motto:** "The Will of God will never lead you where the Grace of God will not protect you."

**Age:** 40

**Hometown:** Houston, TX

**Military Service:**

1998-2001: US Navy

<p><b>Tell us a fun fact about you:</b></p>	<p>I have been officiating High school football since 2009 and Officiate Div II football. Last year 2016 had the privilege to work the National Semi Final game in Div III.</p>
<p><b>Why did you join the military?</b></p>	<p>I joined after 2 years of college. Not knowing what I wanted to do with my life, I wanted to get some direction and see what the world has to offer.</p>
<p><b>What is the greatest single lesson you learned from your Military Service?</b></p>	<p>Accountability for your actions. The Team concept and working together to accomplish the mission.</p>
<p><b>Why did you apply for the Veterans Accelerated Management Program?</b></p>	<p>To enhance my ability to receive a job closer to my capability by increasing my network and obtaining industry experience.</p>
<p><b>What do you hope to accomplish in the next chapter of your life, both professionally and personally?</b></p>	<p>To grow my business, start a family and give back to my community</p>
<p><b>What would you tell today's American public about our nation's Veterans transitioning out of the military?</b></p>	<p>There are no clear paths once you get out. Everybody has different information for you. A lot of it is trial and error and you figure it out as you go. With so many organizations trying to help out, it can be frustrating on getting the answers you are seeking.</p>