

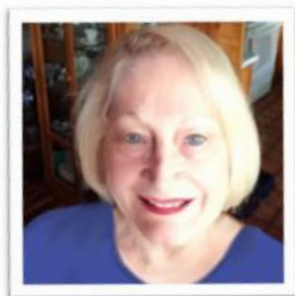
OPERATION MESS HALL TEAM



BOARD CHAIR - STEVE SCHIFFMAN, Founder and Executive Director of Life Renewed International, an Air Force veteran, has served as a marketing and media consultant and is an international best-selling author. He is the visionary, one of the founders and a strategic planner for Operation Not Forgotten. His accomplishments include receiving the National League of American Pen Women's State of Georgia Award for Achievement in Letters and winning television's most prestigious award, a local Emmy, as well as three National Religion in Media Awards. Steve has organized and directed creative teams to produce award winning commercials, which have aired on ABC,

NBC and CBS network television. As a publisher, he was asked by the Arthur S. DeMoss Foundation to conceptualize and produce the original Power for Living book, which has reached millions through their national media campaign.

Aside from being a marketing and media consultant, Steve has also been a business consultant, and a business owner. Just as he has diversified creative interests, he has had a diversified portfolio of businesses. Among the businesses he owned were a large, wholesale Cheesecake Factory in Atlanta that provided cheesecake to Kroger grocery stores, and Publix grocery stores in several states. Additionally, he owned and managed one of the largest cruise-only travel agencies in the United States.



JANET LABAS ORMAN, Co-Founder and Director of Programs of Life Renewed International, is the principal author of the Life Renewed Life Coaching program. She works with Life Renewed to develop programs and curriculum for Life Renewed, including Operation Not Forgotten and Code Blue. Additionally, she does graphic design, website development, grant writing, and trains Program Directors and Life Coaches for Life Renewed programs. Janet has facilitated leadership development conferences and has given educational workshops to many professional groups.



STEPHEN SEGREST, Chef /Director of Operations

Stephen has managed and owned several restaurant concepts over the course of the last 32 years. His first venture into ownership resulted in Wisteria Restaurant which was listed in its first year as one of the 50 best restaurants in Atlanta by Atlanta Magazine. Creative Loafing labeled Wisteria as being the “Best Place in Atlanta for a First Date”, “Best Place to Bring Out of Town Guests”, and Critic’s Choice for “Best Waitstaff”. Later Stephen managed The Vortex for 10 years, during which time the popular local Atlanta mainstay enjoyed a 50% increase in revenue. Later, Stephen spent 7 years as a sales consultant for Sysco Atlanta. Currently, Stephen is the owner of Burke’s Grill where he has increased quality, service and consistency to make it the most highly reviewed restaurant in Douglasville.



KEITH BROWN, Director of Sales, Concession Nation.

I came to the US in 1990 as a professional musician unfortunately there is no music scene in south Florida so I ended up selling cheese steaks to make a living. I went to Sturgis bike week that year with my Cajun menu that included alligator on a stick which the bikers took a serious liking too. My business exploded overnight. I spent the next 14 years on the road with 6 crews and over 1,000 shows in 48 states. I have served everyone from Ozzy Ozbourne to BB King to Gloria Estefan. Amongst the crazy years of 18-hour days I ran 3 food trailers, built and opened 8 restaurants and ran a highly successful catering company.



DAVE POWERS, Commercial Accounts Manager, Battlefield Ford, has forty years' experience in sales, starting with dealer networking in the warehouse equipment industry. After joining Battlefield Ford Commercial Trailers eight years ago he established a nationwide dealer network of food trailer kitchen designers and builders and serves the industry by stocking specifically designed step vans.



WILLIAM WEBB - USMC 2004 - 2014, Founding Partner at G.I. Garage Services, Georgia Certified Peer Specialist.

William served in the United States Marine Corps from 2004 through 2014. He served two combat tours in Afghanistan, and spent time as an instructor with the Center for Naval Aviation Technical Training while on active duty. He left active service as a Sergeant in 2014.

In February of 2021, he partnered with other veterans to found G.I. Garage Services which endeavors to offer transitional services to veterans, helping them reach their full potential in life after military service.

William has been a motorcycle rider for most of his life and is an advocate of veteran riders and riding organizations. He likes going on long walks through the woods and toppling dictatorships in the name of freedom.



THEODORE H. DAVIS, Attorney, Kilpatrick-Townsend divides his practice between domestic and international litigation and client counseling in the fields of trademark, copyright, false advertising, and unfair competition law and has particular experience in trade dress and gray market disputes, litigation before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board, and with large-scale trademark clearance and registration projects. He is a past chair of the American Bar Association Section of Intellectual Property Law, on behalf of which he has testified before Congress on trademark and Internet issues, and he also has served as a member of the Board of Directors of the International Trademark Association, which he has represented in a number of amicus filings before the United States Supreme Court.



KATHRYN B. SHIPE (KITT), Attorney, has assisted dozens of companies in structuring, forming, launching, and growing successful franchise programs in numerous industries for over 20 years. Kitt routinely counsels franchise companies and private equity on the purchase and sale of franchise systems, and represents individual owners in the purchase and sale of existing businesses. In addition, she counsels clients on the purchase of franchise rights, assisting in the review of franchise disclosure documents, franchise agreements, development agreements, area representative agreements, and master rights agreements.