A Word about the Authors

Jeffrey Allen has practiced law for over 40 years and belonged to the Senior Lawyers’ Division of the American Bar Association for over 17 years. He has learned from experience what it means to get older. He grew up long before Al Gore created the Internet (for those of you who believe that he actually invented it, the language he used in the interview specifically did not say “invent”; his exact language was: “I took the initiative in creating the Internet”). Ashley Hallene, on the other hand (we call her the “Whippersnapper”), has just reached 32 years (in age, not years of practice). She still belongs to the Young Lawyers’ Division. Jeff and Ashley have worked together for the past few years and written several books and articles together. The pair brings you a perspective that spans time and experience, giving you input from one who grew up in the age of the Internet and one who grew up in the period when every house did not even have a television set yet (and those that did had small-screen black-and-white TVs).