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Affordable Attorney, Gerling Law Group Chartered was founded in 2004 by Rodney Gerling and Dana Laganella Gerling. It was a culmination of their shared vision to create a client centered law firm to service all the legal needs of the average Floridian family. Their primary practice areas are Wills, Trust, Probate and Trust Administration, helping people through the roughest of times. Their focus is on the clients, providing them all of the necessary information up front so there are no surprises, with free half-hour consultations along with affordable flat fees for wills and trusts. They have been practicing in Manatee and Sarasota Counties since 2001.

Affordable Attorney, Gerling Law Group has been nominated four times as Best Small Law Firm in East Manatee County by *Living Out East* Magazine and also received the People's Choice Award from the *Bradenton Herald* for Favorite Attorney in Manatee County in 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, and 2017!

Dana Laganella Gerling, originally from a suburb of Philadelphia, practices Estate Planning, Probate and Trust Administration and Elder Law. She graduated Cum Laude from Quinnipiac University School of Law in Hamden, CT.

She was included among the 2010 and 2011 Rising Stars in *Florida Super Lawyers* magazine and has remained on the Super Lawyers list for 7 years now. Just 2.5% of lawyers in Florida have received such designation. In 2014, she was selected as a Top Rated Lawyer in Trusts and Estates, and achieved the AV Preeminent peer review rating from ALM and Martindale-Hubbell, the highest rating in legal ability and ethical standards. Dana received Leadership in the Law Award from the Florida Association of Women Lawyers in 2015, and she is currently the President of the Manatee County Florida Association of Women Lawyers.

Rodney Gerling, originally from Columbia, Missouri, practices Personal Injury, Estate Planning, Probate and Trust Administration. He also graduated from Quinnipiac University School of Law in Hamden, CT and has been admitted to the Florida Bar and Federal Bar. He is a member of the Manatee and Sarasota County Bar Associations as well as the Manatee Chamber of Commerce. Rodney was named as a Florida Super Lawyer in 2015, 2016 and 2017 in *Super Lawyers* magazine.

Dana and Rodney have two adorable little girls, Grace and Lilly; two dogs round out the family, Sailor and Davy Jones.



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