

Divorce after 50: Shades of Gray

Live Webcast

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The **Hon. Glenn Berman (Ret.)**, Of Counsel to the firm's Litigation Department, will be a speaker at the live webcast "Divorce after 50: Shades of Gray," to be presented by the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education as a live webcast on Saturday, November 2, 2019 from 9:00am – 12:35pm.

Recent studies by the Pew Center for Research indicate that the divorce rate for Americans over 50 has doubled since 1990. For every 1,000 married persons, ten will divorce - and the divorce rate is double for those in subsequent marriages (among those divorcing, 34% were married 20-29 years and 12% had been married 40 or more years). Reasons for these divorces include lifestyle changes, growing apart, empty nest syndrome, aging and the ailments associated with it, self-improvement (i.e. losing weight), and a wish to correct past mistakes or regrets.

Becoming untethered from a marriage later in life may be welcomed by some, but splitting with a spouse in later years unmoors many, and can lead to different and more complex legal issues than younger couples. Recreating a new life after living with one person for so many years is particularly challenging and fraught with legal, financial, health, and emotional consequences.

This webcast will explore the following issues:

- Alimony, Retirement and Modifications
- Power of attorney and end of life decision powers
- Equitable Distribution of Assets and Liabilities/Financial

Investments/Tax Issues

- Division of Retirement Assets/QDROs
- Division of the Martial Home(s)

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- Health Insurance and Medicare
- Social Security and Disability Law Concerns
- Homemakers Returning to the Workforce

Judge Berman focuses his practice on mediation, arbitration, and discovery management of complex family, commercial, estate/probate, real estate and general equity matters. His practice area also encompasses special master services, settlement conferences and law enforcement investigations.

Additional details at: [Divorce after 50: Shades of Gray](#)