

DARRYL STEWART

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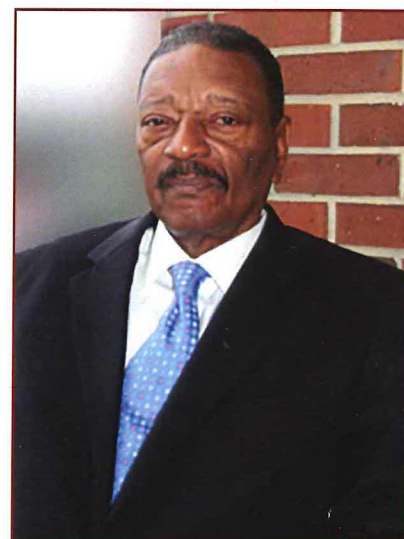
Darryl Stewart received a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Kent State University in 1972 and his Master's Degree in Public Administration from Kent State in 1973.

Darryl graduated from Ohio State University with a Juris Doctor in 1976, and launched his career in public service with the Franklin County Public Defender's Office. As an assistant public defender, he prosecuted minor offenses in the County's criminal and juvenile courts.

Darryl soon relocated to Middle Tennessee. From 1978 through 1984, Darryl worked with the U.S. Department of Labor, where he handled cases arising under the Fair Labor Standards Act, Service Contract Act, Davis Bacon Act, Federal Mine Safety and Health Act, and the Farm Labor Contractors Registration Act. His tenure in the Department took him to federal Tribunals in Kentucky, North Carolina, and Tennessee. He continued his labor career in Washington, D.C. for the next five (5) years, from 1984 until 1989, working on Carl SRS arising under the Job Training and Partnership Act before Administrative Tribunals and U. S. Courts of Appeals.

From 1989 through 2013, Darryl served as a federal prosecutor for the U.S. Department of Justice, under the auspices of the Office of the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Tennessee. During that time he prosecuted white collar offenses involving tax, bank, mortgage, healthcare, mail and wire frauds; money laundering; false statements and perjury; theft of government property involving Social Security Administration and Veterans Administration benefits, among others. On November 30, 2013, he became the first African American lawyer to retire from the U. S. Attorney's Office in Nashville.

Darryl is a highly experienced and well-traveled appellate lawyer. He has appeared and argued before the Second, Sixth, Ninth and Tenth Circuits for the U.S. Courts of Appeals. He regularly received annual Outstanding Performance ratings from the U. S. Attorney's Office for the Middle District of Tennessee. He is a recipient of numerous U. S. Department of Justice Meritorious Achievement Awards.



*Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life
as by the obstacles which one has overcome while trying to succeed.*

~ **Booker T. Washington**