

# ANDRE GAUTHIER BIO



Andre Gauthier cringes at the mention of an insurance company and it's not a cringe of fear. It's the cringe of a fighter's fist ready for defense. It is a cringe of burning excitement to take on the insurance company who has wrong an injured client. It is also the cringe of remembrance for Gauthier who's experience as an undergraduate LSU student made him decide to master the legal system in order to battle insurance companies.

"It was a horrible experience. I'll never forget what they put my family through," said Gauthier whose family was mistreated after his father's injury. The experience was life-changing. As a result, he enrolled in the Southern University Law Center and later graduated from the Trial Lawyers College in Dubois, Wyoming. Gauthier is a former felony prosecutor who loves the practice of serious personal injury law. He is respected as a trial lawyer seeking to right the

injustices that the wealthy, powerful insurance industry inflicts on ordinary Americans. Representing injured families against these major insurance corporations is something that burns deep within him. "It fuels my soul, energizes my life and drives me. My career is about leveling the playing field and getting justice for people who really need it." He is looked upon as one of the finest civil trial lawyers in the State of Louisiana and in the nation. As lead trial counsel for Gauthier & Amedee, he has received national recognition for his powerful victories in the courtroom.

He is a member of the Louisiana Association for Justice, the American Association for Justice, the Louisiana State Bar Association, and the American Bar Association. Gauthier received a Catholic elementary education, graduated from East Ascension High School in Gonzales, Louisiana, and obtained a bachelor's degree in English literature from Louisiana State University, with a minor in Zoology (pre-med). He has been married to his wife, Sheree, for more than 20 years. They have two children.