

Smartphone Safety Behind the Wheel

In today's world of technological advancements, products previously seen as futuristic have become commonplace. Where diners, drive-ins, and sock hops were once regular weekend activities it's now become standard for teens to have smartphones, communicate through text messages, and constantly stay connected to everything and everyone through Social Media.

Texting while driving is extremely dangerous, and while our youth does have that knowledge, they seem to ignore the facts. Our youth tends to have the mindset that "It won't happen to me". Most people don't realize that texting while driving is significantly more dangerous than drunk driving. How Can We Prevent It?

Karen Mertes, a Drunk Driving Victim and creator of "**PLAINTIFF 101**" can elaborate on the dangers of distracted driving and how can lead to serious consequences. She also shares with us her story of unfortunate circumstance and gives us an in-depth look inside the courtroom at the coverage of the legal and technical issues that arise in a drunk driving case.

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Karen Mertes can answer the following questions:

- * How can we control distracted driving?
- * Who is responsible? The person driving or the phone?
- * What is the fallout from being a victim of a driving accident?
- * As the victim, what are some of the obstacles you deal with on the stand?
- * What kind of questions should you ask protect yourself financially?
- * What are the financial constraints of litigation proceedings?
- * How can you protect yourself from the many pitfalls plaintiffs face?

About Karen Mertes: Auto injury survivor, professional speaker, author, and consultant, donating 100% of revenues to her Tampa 501(c) (3) non-profit Fulfill Your Destiny helping people whose careers have been altered by injury or other unforeseen circumstances.

When released, **PLAINTIFF 101** was ranked **#1 Amazon Hot New Release and Best Seller** for 5 straight weeks! It still remains a hot seller and is written from the combined efforts of an attorney and a plaintiff, each with his/ her own perspectives. It gives you much of the information from inside a personal injury lawsuit from a lawyer and the plaintiff who was successful in her litigation.

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