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Birth date & place: January 1956 in Rocky Mount, N.C.

Residence: Mount Pleasant.

Occupation: Law partner with Young Clement Rivers LLP in Charleston; certified by S.C. Supreme Court as a specialist in employment and labor law.

Family: Two girls, Grayson and Eliza.

Education: B.A. in broadcast journalism, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 1978; University of South Carolina Law School, 1983.

Words that best describe me: Confident, creative, energetic, loyal and spiritual.

Talents and hobbies: Speed boxing; running with my retriever, Beau; and fishing, gardening and reading.

An unforgettable moment in my life: Thirty-two zip lines in two days in Costa Rica with my older daughter, Grayson.

celebrity I've met: Orca the Killer Whale. I was picked out of the audience to be "kissed" by Orca at Sea World at age 12.

First job: TV reporter and weather girl for WBTW-Florence, Myrtle Beach.

Best advice I've ever been given: My mother told me, "Imagine that everyone has a sign on their chest that says, 'I want to feel important!' "

person I admire most: My grandmother, a strong and independent woman who traveled around the world by herself twice and a loving role model.

Something the local area I live in needs: More bike paths and dog parks.

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