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A new kind of personal injury law firm with an emphasis on service to the client, and to the community

CHARLES WARTELLE spent the first 25 years of his legal career defending insurance companies in courtrooms throughout the state. He was good at it. He worked with insurance adjusters in their efforts to evaluate cases and reach settlements in individual as well as complex multiparty lawsuits. Now he is putting that knowledge and insight about the insurance claims and litigation process to work for clients who have been seriously injured in car or 18-wheeler accidents, hurt on the job, injured by a defective product, or any other of a variety of personal injury claims.

Wartelle says his past experience is crucial in giving his new clients the best representation. "Statistics show that 97% of all personal injury claims are settled out of court," he says. "Insurance companies utilize a variety of strategies to settle cases for the lowest possible amount, and some are very effective. It helps to know how the process works from the inside."

When Wartelle established this practice, he made another commitment by giving financial support and free legal services to Take Care and other charities in the Baton Rouge area. Now and in the future, the professionals at Charles Wartelle & Associates pledge to represent the interests of clients with the highest quality personal injury legal representation, while reaching out to heroes like Sister Judith Brun who are working tirelessly to improve our community.

If this is the type of firm that you want to represent you for your serious injury claim, please call: (225) 227-2520

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Sister Judith Brun, CSJ, has a broad view of and love for Baton Rouge!

DURING 25 YEARS at St. Joseph's Academy, just when the roles and expectations of young women were changing, Sister Judith helped pave their way to tomorrow with a rigorous academic program, technology as primary tool, and the traditional faith and personal development long expected at SJA. The school was first recognized as a National School of Excellence in 1991, renewing that honor throughout her tenure.

As an advocate for children and families post-Katrina, she focused on addressing the trauma level of the children. When FEMA parks closed, she and her team helped over 150 households at risk of being homeless to settle into a home away from home. Helping to establish a charter school to serve these students was a turning point for her.

She experienced children not ready for school and parents reluctant to participate in their children's education. She learned 80% of children in parts of north Baton Rouge start school with at least one developmental delay and working with children in isolation does not yield the needed results. Engagement must be multigenerational to have long-term benefits.

As executive director of the Community Initiatives Foundation, Brun developed *TakeCare*, which bundles these experiences into a neighborhood revitalization initiative in which north Baton Rouge neighbors define their greatest needs and address them through neighborhood councils. Joining with agencies to provide broad-based services for the neighbors while *TakeCare*, with volunteers from Southern University as valuable partners, focuses on children 0-7 years and their caregivers will create systemic change for personal development and economic opportunities.

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